

John McNabb President

Guernsey Club Holds Annual

On Saturday afternoon, December 12, the Halton-Peel Guernsey Club members met in the Agricultural Office, Milton, for their annual meeting. Bruce Hodgins, Council Secretary of the Canadian Guernsey Breeders' Association, reported that Guernsey registrations had increased by 10 percent, and transfers by 30 percent, from 1963.

The average production per

Guernsey cow in Canada is now 9,700 pounds milk, 426 pounds fat, in a 305, twice a day mature basis.

He mentioned that George King, Oakville, R.R. 1, is the only living man who was president of the Canadian association and the Ontario association for two consecutive years — 1946 and 1947.

Mr. King is to be honored by the Canadian association by the

presentation of a special pin, in the near future.

Don McKenzie, Brantford, president of the Canadian Breeder's association, brought greetings to the Club. He commented on the increase in price received for Guernseys at the sales during the year.

Earl Schultz, secretary and fieldman for the Ontario Guernsey Breeders' Association, discus-

sed the new show classification which was held this year at London Fair with only six classes — two bull classes and four female classes. This new classification is to be considered by all Class A and B fairs for 1965.

Standard milk sales in the five-year period 1958 to 1963 decreased in Ontario by six per cent; whereas two percent fluid milk sales increased by 258 percent. This trend is continuing. Mr. Schultz also stated that the Halton-Peel Club Annual Sale, held at the Rockwood International Limited, on November 18, had the highest Club average in Ontario.

On Fifth Line

Plans Lake, Recreation Area

A six-acre lake with an island is in the construction stages on the farm of Joe Ross, R.R. 3 Georgetown (Fifth Line) and ac-

Officers for the Halton-Peel Guernsey Club for 1965 are: president, John McNabb, Georgetown, R.R. 2; vice-president, Ray Black, Brampton, R.R. 1; secretary-treasurer, J. B. Cameron, Norval; Director to the Ontario Association, J. H. Cameron, Norval.

According to the property owner, it could be the nucleus of a family recreation area.

Mr. Ross said that the lake will be created by a large dam on his property and the freed island will afford a perfect picnic spot attainable by row boat.

He said the lake would be suitable for both swimming and boating. Mr. Ross said Trowbridge Construction of Esquesing started excavating the proposed

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lake bed last week. The lake would be spring fed which rules out the industrial pollution threat.

Also in Mr. Ross' plans are an observation tower atop the high point of his property from which Brampton is already easily visible without the added elevation; saddle horses, facilities for hayrides, and campsites.

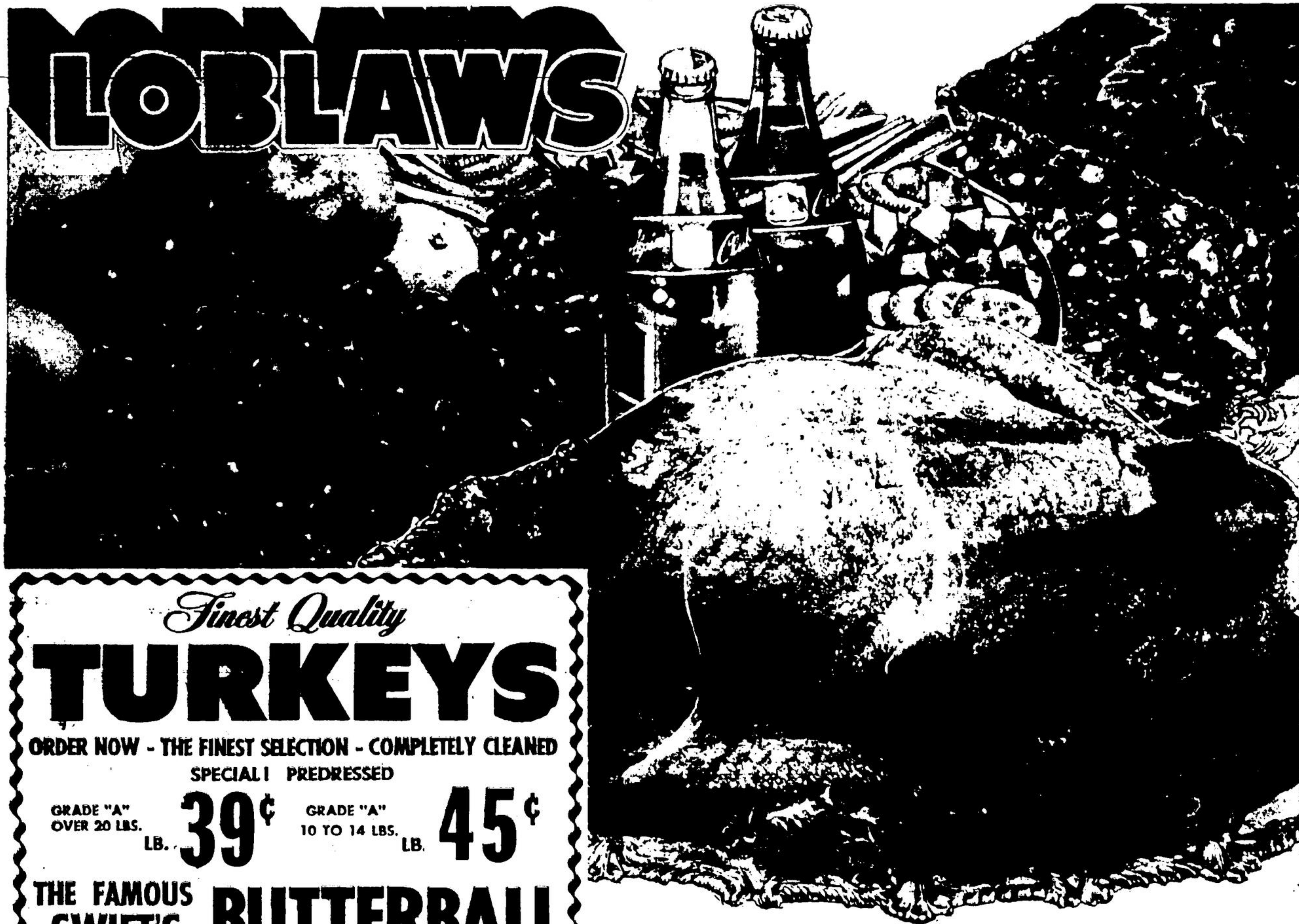
Mr. Ross said he had been thinking seriously of the project for the past two months. He said the accent would be on creating a scenic picnic area.

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