

# North Halton 4-H clubs end sleepwear project

Five 4-H homemaking clubs from the North Halton area participated in the semi-annual achievement day at Ballinacod on Saturday morning and afternoon, as they completed their winter project, "Sleeping Garments".



A VARIETY OF SLEEPWEAR was on display at the North Halton 4-H achievement day on Saturday. Girls from the Ballinacod 4-H Club, the "Sleepy Cats", demonstrate four types of bedtime fashions. From top to bottom they are Kathy French, Beryl McEnery, Heather Buchanan and Nancy Greygoose. (Staff Photo)

Fashion parades of nightgowns, pyjamas and nightgowns the girls made, table exhibits, skits and demonstrations highlighted the afternoon program. Participating were Norval, Ballinacod, Ashgrove, Silverwood and Dublin club members.

Irene Keir of Ballinacod club earned a provincial honors certificate for completing 12 4-H projects. Mrs. J. McEnery, past president of the Halton Women's Institutes, presented the certificate. Certificates of achievement were handed out to all the girls completing the sleepwear project, and 4-H trophies were presented to all first year members.

The Norval club had an exhibit with Beth Laidlaw commenting on it, while Grace Bird was commentator for Ashgrove's display and Laurene Rennick told the story behind Dublin's exhibit. All the girls of the Ballinacod club took part in a skit on selecting sleepwear material, while the Silverwood girls threw a "pyjama party" skit to show how much they had learned during the course.

During the winter project each member planned and made her own garment. At the same time she learned many sewing techniques, such as the flat fall seam, french seam, sewing on lace or eyelid, and applying corded piping.

For the morning program the members judged the quality of sleeping garments and materials, and demonstrated sewing on lace by hand.

Parents and friends were welcomed at the afternoon program.



PROVINCIAL HONORS for completing 12 or more 4-H homemaking club projects, earned Ballinacod 4-H clubber Irene Keir a special certificate which was presented by Mrs. J. McEnery, past president of the sponsoring Halton Women's Institutes, at Saturday's achievement day program. Home Economist Mrs. K. Williams looks on at left. Mrs. McEnery presents the certificate. (Staff Photo)

## 14 years as secretary

### Coulter quits H.F.A. post

After 14 years of continuous service as secretary of the Halton Federation of Agriculture, A. Roy Coulter has announced his resignation because of a new job opportunity which will not permit him to continue his duties as secretary. He is a governor to the Ontario Federation of Agriculture and represents the Wheat Board.

The Halton Federation regretfully accepted his resignation at a directors' meeting Thursday, but hoped Mr. Coulter would keep his interest in the county organization and give them the benefit of his wide experience in agricultural affairs. Mrs. Harold Dawson has been appointed as secretary and will resign her post as director from Burlington. No new director has been appointed yet. Mrs. Dawson is a farmer's wife and was woman delegate for Halton to the Ontario Federation of Agriculture in November.

Mr. Coulter officiated for the election of the 1968 president and executive. Denzil Lawrence was returned to office as president for a fifth term, and Tom Alderson from Oakville was re-instated as first vice-president. Tom Foster of Burlington, Bruce McClure of Esquimaux, and William Mahon of Nassagaweya were elected as second, third and fourth vice-presidents.

The standing committees will be decided upon at the February meeting, Thursday February 22. A committee to assist Agricultural Representative Henry Stanley with the one-day short course includes Harold Middlebrook as chairman and Tom Alderson and Tom Foster.

Fred Massee gave a report on C.L.A.'s activities and accomplishments in 1967. He recommended that at least one appointee to the insurance committee, preferably the chairman, make himself available for a six week course (one hour a week) to become better acquainted with C.L.A. insurance and what it has to offer.

The annual meeting for Zone Four will be held March 28 at Victoria Square, Don Mills Road.

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## Drop federal dairy subsidy to small, part-time farmers

Farmers shipping manufacturing milk and cream who deliver less than the equivalent of 12,000 pounds of milk testing 3.5 per cent, or 420 pounds of butterfat, between April 1, 1967 and March 31, 1968 will not be eligible for federal dairy subsidy quotas in the year starting April 1, 1968, the Canadian Dairy Commission announced today.

Those who deliver between 12,000 and 50,000 pounds of milk, or the equivalent in cream, in the present dairy year will be eligible for subsidy quotas next year if they are full-time farmers, and milk and cream represents an appreciable part of their farming operations. Those in this group will receive application forms from the Commission to re-apply for registration and

a subsidy quota. If granted, the quota will be the amount of their reported deliveries in 1967-68. The decision to modify an earlier proposal to exclude those shipping less than 50,000 pounds followed talks with farm organizations who underscored the difficulties that would have confronted many engaged in full-time mixed farming, for whom dairying plays an important role.

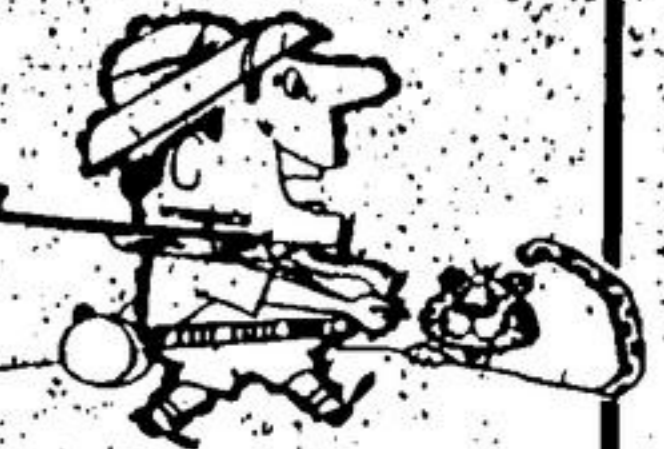
## Turnip chairman

Smith Griffin of Acton was re-elected chairman of the turnip section of the Ontario Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association, at the O.F.V.G.A.'s 109th annual meeting last week. Harold Bonder of Carrying Place is president this year.



DENZIL LAWRENCE  
H.F.A. President

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LAURENE RENNICK, a member of Dublin 4-H club, demonstrates her club's exhibit, "Finishes for Sleeping Garments". Five North Halton clubs participated in the achievement day in Ballinacod Hall Saturday, in a program similar to one in Milton a week earlier when six South Halton clubs took part. (Staff Photo)



SILVERWOOD 4-H CLUB members produced a hilarious skit about a pyjama party to demonstrate the ingredients for good sleeping garments, at the North Halton 4-H clubs' achievement day in Ballinacod Hall on Saturday. Members are shown on stage while the audience roars at their antics. (Staff Photo)

## Short course

By Henry J. Stanley

For the second year a 10-week short course is being held for Halton County farmers in the Agricultural Office on Monday evenings. About 45 farmers with all types of enterprises have enrolled.

The course will discuss the management of labor, land, livestock and machinery, the use of credit, insurance and budgeting.

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