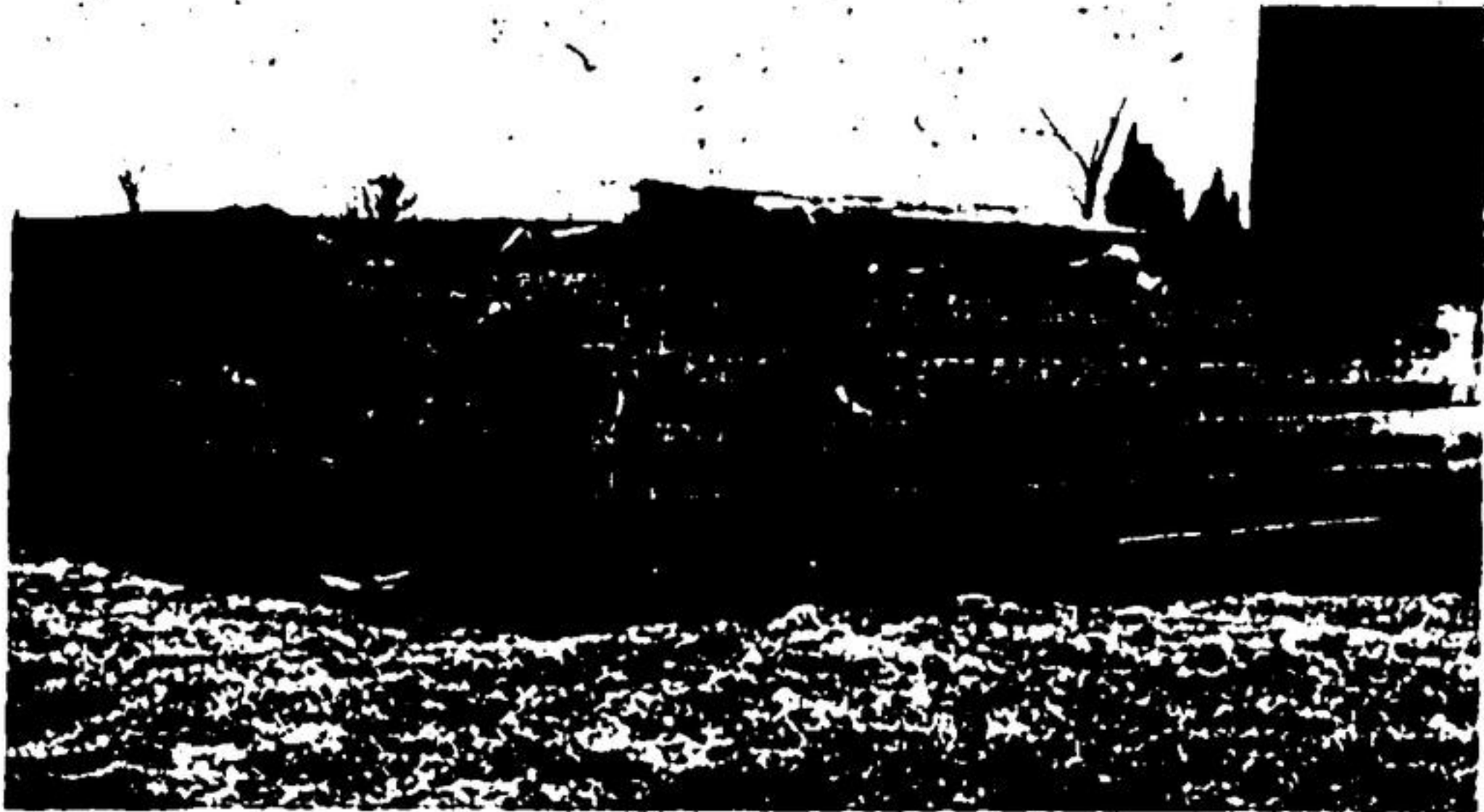


Holstein calf club sees milking film

By Grace Bird
The first meeting of the Halton 4-H Holstein Calf Club was held on April 9, at the Agricultural office, Milton. The meeting was opened with the 4-H pledge. Janet Hunter read the minutes of the organization meeting. Twenty-two members answered the roll call. Those who had not been present at the organization meeting received their materials.
A film was shown about the importance of good milking practices, production of milk and its quality, and how they must be maintained. The leaders told the club members what they expect when they visit the farms to see the calf projects. Bill Sinclair discussed the parts

of dairy and beef cattle. A quiz was then answered on the discussion. Terms in describing beef cattle were read and studied.
The seniors, led by John Dunford, Assistant Agricultural Representative; and Joe Brent, Dairy Commission Fieldman; learned about milk quality and were told how to go about their projects which are to take milk samples from various cows and study them.
This part of the meeting over, the seniors and juniors went back to the joint meeting, and were told to think of suggestions and ideas for the June meeting. The program for this meeting is left up to the club members.



SPECTATORS AT A SUNDAY grass fire on 30 appear to be climbing on top of one another in Sideroad, Nassagawys township, these cattle their eagerness to look. (Staff Photo)

CHURCHILL

Presentation 99th birthday in news

By Mrs. F. MacArthur

At Churchill Community Church this coming Sunday morning April 20 at eleven o'clock Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered by Rev. Fobury of Moorefield.
An enjoyable evening was held on Saturday evening April 12 when neighbors and relatives gathered in honor and held a presentation for Mr. and Mrs. Bob Denny, a recent bride and groom of this locality.
Mr. Don Swackhamer acted as master of ceremonies. Music and folk singing was by a group consisting of Miss Mary Lou Brown and Mr. Ted Brown, Vern Denny and Gordon McDonald. The evening was spent playing euchre.

Mr. Swackhamer then asked Mr. and Mrs. Denny to take chairs at the front and an address was read by Mrs. Fyfe Somerville and Vern Denny. Ernie Medland and Gordon McDonald presented Annie and Bob with a rocking chair, lamp, end table, smoking stand and a foot stool. The honored couple replied thanking everyone who shared in the happy event. All joined in singing For They are Jolly Good Fellows. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies at the close of the evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Donald and David, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kerr and Misses Erica, Elizabeth and Vera also Eric Strokov motored to Fenelon Falls on Sunday and attended a special church service in the

United Church, "A Folk Mass", under the leadership of Rev. Paul B. Field of Central United Church, Weston. The elders of Fenelon Falls Church served Communion to everyone present.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turner, David and Juliann, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Greene, John and Barbara at Lorne Park.
Mrs. George Calk of London accompanied by her sister Mrs. Victor Anderson and Annabell of Guelph spent Friday with their cousins Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson.
Mrs. Alfred Saunders has returned home after spending some time in Toronto with her sister-in-law Mrs. Pearce.
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kerr were guests at the Brampton Musical Society annual banquet held at the Brampton Golf Club on Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Ron Saunders, Norma and Stephen also Miss Beverly Leitch motored to Ottawa and spent the weekend. While there they visited the Parliament Buildings and other places of interest.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacArthur visited on Sunday with the Griffins. We were happy to share in the honor of having dinner with our uncle Mr. Smith E. Griffin on his 99th birthday. He had received many lovely birthday cards and notes of congratulations including one from Mr. Rud Whiting M.P.

Grass fires

Summons Rockwood brigade four times on Sunday

Rockwood firefighters, like their brethren in other centres, were busy over the weekend fighting the yearly crop of grass fires.
The Rockwood brigade answered four fire calls on Sunday and one Monday morning—all of them grass.
Eramosa township is notifying residents this week that a fire permit is needed to set a fire

within the boundaries of the township.
Permits are available from Rockwood fire chief Fred Nightingale, deputy chief Carl Meadows or township clerk Lloyd Hindley at no charge.

The influence of forests on the east slope of the Rockies in slowing snow melting and regulating water flow is a major factor in western agriculture.

Euchre winners

Euchre winners at the L.O.L. hall last Saturday:
Ladies' high Ann Norton; low, Millie Rowles; men's high, T. M. Harris; low, Yvonne Dewar.
Door prize, James Farnell; lone hands, Mrs. Tony Van Dam; men's travelling, David Dewar; ladies' travelling, Marion Farnell.

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Continue cost study on Halton farm crops

By H. J. Stanley

Crop cost studies are to be the feature of the Halton Soil and Crop Improvement Association program for the coming year. Farmers will keep track of the number of hours, machines used, cost of herbicides, insecticides, etc. on the various crops grown on their farm. A record book is being provided to all the co-operators.
Last year there were 24 entries in this section. Results showed the cost of growing Grain Corn to be \$70/acre, Corn Silage \$90/acre, Hay \$60/acre, and Spring Grain to be \$54/acre.
High yield competitions are to be held in 1969 for Grain Corn and Spring Grain. The winner in the competition with the highest number of entries will receive a gold watch, compliments of the U.C.O. Halton Branch.
Anyone growing Soybeans in Halton is eligible for a grant of

\$20 to assist with the purchase of herbicide. A bus trip for all members is planned for later in the summer. Anyone wishing to take part in these projects should apply as soon as possible to the Agricultural office in Milton.

Speak up

If you have an idea that will improve the safety and efficiency of your farm family—speak up.
If it would help other people in your community—speak up and tell your Farm Safety Council. But if your conversation might startle someone and cause an accident—then be quiet. There is a time to speak and a time for quiet—for safety sake.

Merit medal Jersey bull

The Jersey bull, Brampton Sir Bijou Radar, Excellent, a Gold and Silver Medal, and Medal of Merit, Superior and Century Sire, and his dam is Brampton R R Bijou, Excellent, a Silver Medal daughter of Brampton World's Records, with a record at 3 years of age, in 365 days, of 10,400 lbs. milk, 625 lbs. fat, 6.01 per cent.
Brampton Sir Bijou Radar is the sire of 682 tested daughters that have an average production of 8,731 lbs. milk, 462 lbs. fat, 5.29 per cent, and 547 daughters that have an average classification of 83.58 per cent. His classified daughters are as follows: 45 Excellent, 204 Very Good, 205 Good Plus, 81 Good and 12 Fair.

This is a son of Brampton Radar, Excellent, a Gold and Silver Medal, and Medal of Merit, Superior and Century Sire, and his dam is Brampton R R Bijou, Excellent, a Silver Medal daughter of Brampton World's Records, with a record at 3 years of age, in 365 days, of 10,400 lbs. milk, 625 lbs. fat, 6.01 per cent.

He was bred by B. H. Bull and Son, Norval, and used in the herd of Maurice C. Beatz, Milton, and finally in the Oxford & District Cattle Breeding association, Woodstock.

LIMEHOUSE

Serve meals to Institute

By Mrs. A. Benton

We are very sorry that Mr. E. Karn is in hospital undergoing treatment for a considerable length of time. We hope for his complete return to health.
Birthday greetings to Mrs. Anges Lawson for April 16.

Several ladies of the W.I. served dinners to members of Esqueving Women's Institute in Stewarstown Hall last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Roy McQuillan of Willowdale, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McQuillan and son Roy of Thornhill visited Mrs. Mitchell, and Mrs. Sanford on Saturday evening.

Mrs. James Noble, Mrs. Neil Anderson, Mrs. Ellerby, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. G. Booth attended the 45th anniversary of the Mountain Union Women's Institute on Wednesday.

115 in care in Halton

Just six per cent need C.A.S. care

Six children in every 1,000 in Ontario are in care of the C.A.S. What kind of home conditions can be so bad that the Children's Aid Society is justified in removing these children?
This question is often asked by people who rightly feel that children can be very hurt by being separated from their own parents. Like most other people, children's aid workers also hold this view. In most cases, it isn't necessary to remove children from their homes because the family has problems. At last count, more than 75,000 children in Ontario received service from the C.A.S. in one year but only 17,643 were not with their own families. Of these, over 5,000 were infants of unmarried mothers.

Here are some cases where children could not be left with their families:
Case 1: A neighbor had found Mrs. J. who had taken an overdose of sleeping pills. Mrs. J. was taken to hospital, but the neighbors could not care for the children, who were taken to a C.A.S. receiving home.

Case 2: Mrs. H. is apparently mentally ill. Her husband is alleged to be addicted to drugs. He has attempted to have sexual relations with his 12 and 14-year-old daughters. The 14-year-old girl has been running away from home and associated with criminal elements.

In both these cases, when the C.A.S. was called in, there was simply no family. The children's

OBITUARY

Mrs. Newton native of England

Mrs. May Newton, who came to Canada 10 years ago, passed away at Halton Manor on April 7 after a short illness. She had lived with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Newton, R. R. 4, Acton.
Mrs. Newton was born in 1884, and while active in church and W.I. activities. She was married in 1912 and her husband predeceased her. She is survived by son Syd Newton and son Harry of Bangor-on-Dee, North Wales, and a brother Bert in Chester, England.

Rev. H. Dawson conducted the funeral service at St. Alban's church on April 9, and interment was in Fairview cemetery. Pallbearers were Jack Rol, George Haggitt, Bob Foyers Jr. and Jim Slaven.

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lives were being destroyed by the unhappiness or illness of their parents. The community, through the Child Welfare Act of Ontario, has entrusted the children's aid society with the job of rescuing such children.
In Case 1, there was plenty of hope for the future. The mother was restored to a better frame of mind and her children were returned to her. In Case 2, the children could not be returned to their parents. Eventually they became Crown Wards. They continued in foster care and

later were placed in adoption. In the majority of cases, separation is not necessary. Only 16 per cent of the children seen by the C.A.S. are removed. Many families, overcome by debts, lack of housing or a sheer inability to do ordinary things such as hold a job, cook a meal or prepare a formula, can be helped by C.A.S. counselling to do better.
Last year, the Children's Aid Society of the County of Halton visited 314 homes, involving 870 children. Most of these families

received help of some kind in their homes and only 115 children were taken into care. Half the families served asked for help from the C.A.S.
During Children's Aid Week, April 20 to 26, the Halton C.A.S. Director, Dr. G. K. Atkwith invites you to drop into the office and pick up booklets about C.A.S. work, foster care and adoption. You may also have a free copy of "Guide to Baby Sitters", published by the Department of Social and Family Services.

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