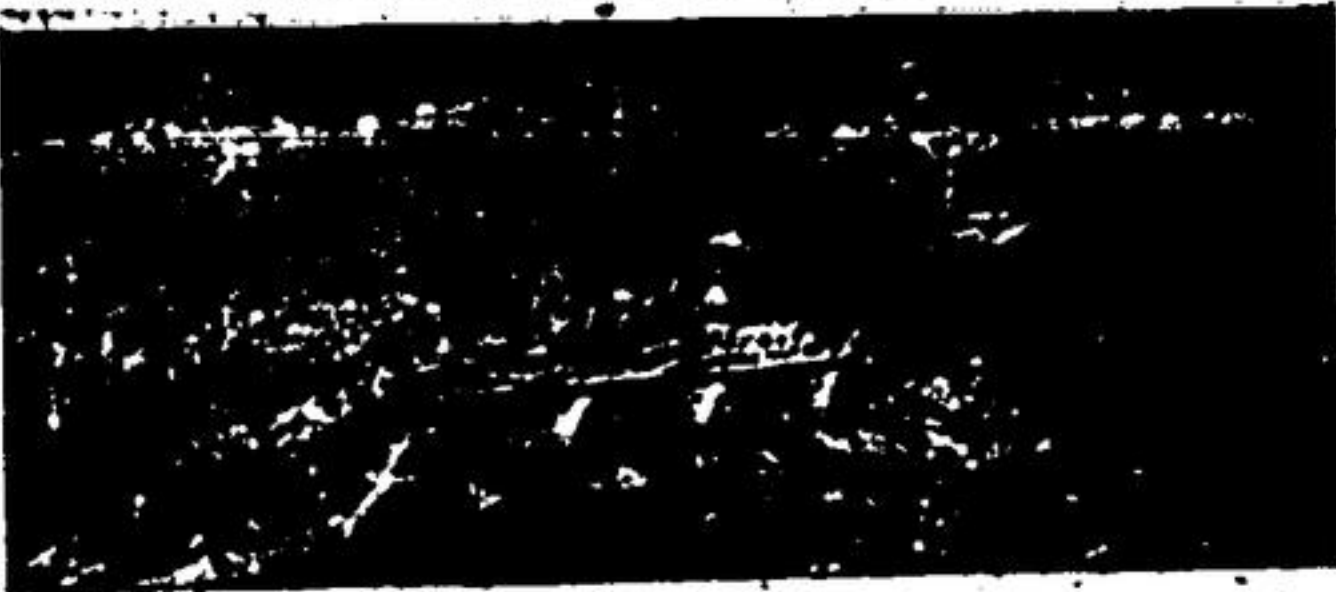


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Plan Six 4-H Clubs This Year in County

Applications are still arriving at the Ontario Department of Agriculture office in Milton, from rural young people between the ages of 12 and 21 who wish to join one or more of the six 4-H Clubs being offered in Halton County this year. There is still time to apply, and for the convenience of any one who didn't receive an application form in the mail, one has been placed in this week's paper. New members are always welcome.

4H Calf Clubs

Three Calf Clubs will be organized again this year, which will accommodate members with any dairy dual purpose or beef breed. The 4H Holstein Calf Club with 52 members in 1952, and 49 in 1953, has been the largest club in recent years. This club is made up of boys and girls who use senior calves, born between Sept. 1st and Dec. 31, 1953, or junior calves born between Jan. 1 and April 31, 1954. Junior and senior calves are shown in separate classes, and the group system of judging will be used again this year. That is, calves are divided into three groups, so members receive a first, second, or third prize. In the showmanship section members of the Holstein Club are divided into two groups according to age—12 to 15 are Juniors; 16 to 21 are Seniors; and the same group system of judging is used.

The Guernsey-Jersey Ayrshire Club is made up of members using junior and senior calves of these breeds. The different breeds are scored separately on type, but all members will participate in the showmanship competition together.

The age of calves used in the beef and dual purpose club differs somewhat from those used in the dairy clubs. The age for junior calves is the same, but senior heifer calves must be born between August 1st and December 31st, with steer calves having a different age limit, May 1st, 1953 to February 28th, 1954. Steer calves for the Queen's Guineas class of course must be entered with the Agricultural Representative before May 1, and should be hornless now. The various breeds in this club will be scored separately except the steers which will all show together regardless of breed or age.

Achievement Day for the three Calf Clubs will be held on the Saturday of Milton Fair.

4H Grain Club

Since the original announcement of this club, the Halton Soil and Crop Improvement Association has decided to pay for two bushels of Reg. Laramie Oats for each member of the 1954 Grain Club. Payment, however, will not be made until the member satisfactory completes the project, which consists of growing 1 acre of oats, keeping cost records, attending meetings, and exhibiting a peck of oats at the Achievement Day, which will likely be held in conjunction with the Seed Fair next spring.

4H Swine Club

We understand very few applications have been received for the Swine Club project. The price of pigs is high, but there are pigs available and assistance will be given to members who wish to purchase two gilts or one gilt and a barrow, for this interesting project. The formation of this club hinges on whether the minimum ten members are available. Pigs used in the project should be born after March 1st, so they can show in the "under 6 months class" at the open shows this fall. If the club is formed the Achievement Day will be held at the Georgetown Fair.

4H Tractor Club

The Milton Junior Farmers are

sponsoring the 4H Tractor Maintenance Club this year for members 13 to 21 years of age. This has been one of the most popular clubs in recent years, and for 1954 will be confined to members from the areas covered by the Milton and Brookville Junior Farmer Clubs. Members need not be Junior Farmer members. As yet plans for the Achievement Day are incomplete, however, an engineering fieldman will attend regular monthly meetings, and a wealth of practical instruction will be given to members.

Organization Meeting

The organization meeting for all three Calf Clubs, and the Grain Club will be held in the Court House, Milton, on Tuesday, April 20th at 8:00 pm. Should any of our readers have young people at home within the ages mentioned and who have not already submitted their names to the Agricultural Office, Milton, an application form will be found elsewhere in this issue for those who are interested.

FARM CLUBS VIEW "PROGRESS PREVIEW"

Members of Terra Cotta Farmers Club entertained the Cheltenham club at their meeting this month, when the group gathered in Snelgrove Hall for an entertaining evening.

Two General Motors representatives presented Preview of Progress, which gave an insight into new developments which science is making in such products as synthetic rubber and glass.

Entertainment included solos by Jean Newhouse and humorous readings by Mary Anderson. Later progressive euchre was played with Mrs. Stafford McCullough and George Gowland winning prizes.

Wilfrid Leslie was chairman for the evening and hostesses were Mrs. Albert Dolson, Mrs. James Doane, Mrs. George H. Leslie and Mrs. Alex Dolson. A vote of thanks to those taking part in the program was made by Vern Thompson, and Clarence Anderson spoke briefly about the surgical plan now available for members of Peel Co-op Medical Services.

THE OTHER SIDE

by Jean Wheeler
Erin Ontario

I often think of childhood days
Which I spent on the farm,
And of the stove we fed with wood,
Supposed to keep us warm.
When blizzards blew across the land
We took them in our stride,
We would get nice and warm in front,
Then turn the other side.

On winter nights we gathered close,
And tried our very best
To take in all the heat we could,
Before our chilly rest.
While one side toasted at that stove,
One half might just have died
If we had never turned around,
To warm the other side.

But when the summer days arrived
And mother had to bake
The heat she suffered from that stove,
Would cause your heart to ache.
But she would cook and iron too
Until she almost fried,
And every time she turned around
She seared the other side.

Some folks may long for days of old,
But they are not for me,
I'm glad I have a furnace now
And electricity,
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MRS. CORBETT HEADS INSTITUTE SLATE

The Silver-Wood Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Tom Appleyard on April 8th, roll call being answered by each member paying dues.

As the Canadian National Exhibition is having a dressed doll competition this year it was decided to enter a doll dressed by members of the Institute. Donations were sent to the Korean Widows project and the Tree Planting Campaign for Halton Centennial Manor. Mrs. George Burt gave a report as representative at the Music Festival held in Stewarttown and told of David Kidney singing a solo and being chosen a winner in his class. He will be up for finals at Milton in May. A choir was also chosen from the Stone School and they are in the finals.

Mrs. Wm. Norton gave a report of the District Directors' meeting which she attended in Milton this week. Further layettes are to be undertaken by the members.

Following are the officers elected for the forthcoming year: President Mrs. R. Corbett; 1st vice-president, Mrs. H. Bell; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. Marchington; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. Batkin; district director, Mrs. W. Norton; alternate, Mrs. George Burt; branch directors, Mrs. T. Appleyard, Mrs. G. Burt, Mrs. H. Bell, Mrs. E. Batkin; pianists, Mrs. D. Lindsay, Mrs. G. Henderson; auditors, Mrs. F. L. Ruddle and Mrs. K. C. Lindsay. Convocators: Roll call, Mrs. T. Appleyard; Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. K. C. Lindsay; Community activities and public relations, Mrs. E. L. Miller; Citizenship and education, Mrs. Geo. Henderson; Historical research and current events, Mrs. Geo. Burt; Home economics and health, Mrs. H. Marchington; Press reporter, Mrs. E. Batkin.

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