

Kindergarten Pupils Watch Wilson Farm Dairy Operations



FARMER SPENCER WILSON gives one of the party, Ricky Stapleton, a view of the farm from the back of Old Blackie.

"Which cow does the chocolate milk come from?" is usually a favourite question of very small visitors to a dairy farm, but nobody asked it this year when over 40 Wrigglesworth kindergarten pupils and their teacher Mrs. Helen Agg visited the Spence Wilson farm at RR 1, Norval shortly before the milking machines and milk trucks were carried to the bulk storage tank where it was strained.

Thanks to the timely arrival of a milk truck the children also witnessed a sample being taken, the milk being weighed and then taken into the tank truck through a hose.

The tour included a walk through the stable to see how the cattle get their water and feed in the winter. They saw the stable cleaner in operation, and in the granary saw how grain is chopped and moves through a pipe into a bin.

A climb into the hay mow and ride around the fields on a hay wagon were memorable parts of the visit.

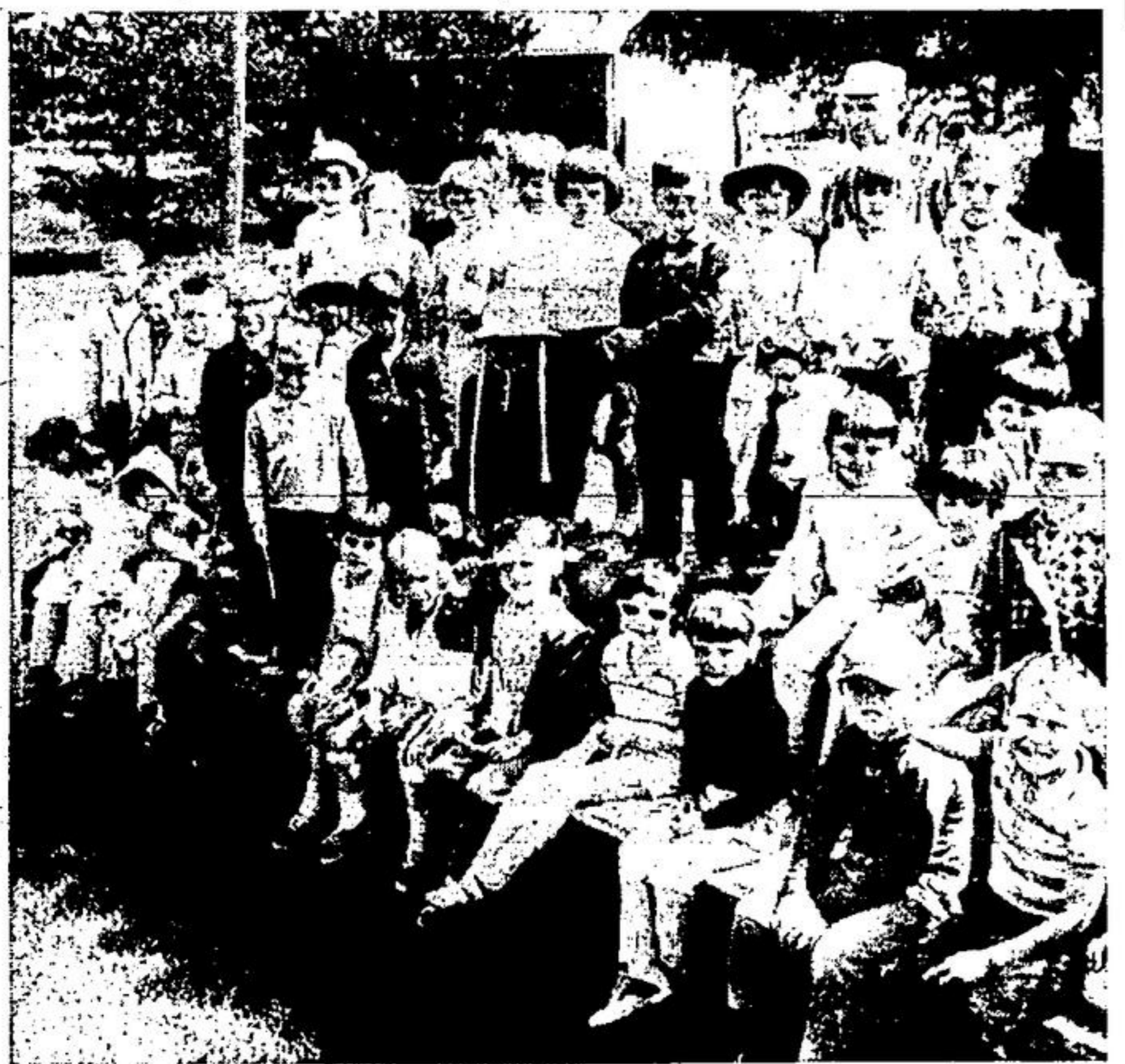
Old Blackie a five year old cow which used to be a 4-H calf of John Wilson got lots of attention when paraded for the little tourists by Mr. Wilson. Seventy-five goslings and some adult geese, one of them setting on eggs and others swimming on the farm pond, also took the pupils' fancy.

Of special interest was a 4-H calf which Mr. Wilson's daughter Jean is grooming for Milton and Georgetown fairs.

Mrs. Wilson assisted her husband in explaining the operations to the children.

Before returning to their school the pupils dropped in at a neighbouring farm where Mr. Ricci allowed them to inspect his pigs of all sizes.

To the relief of the tour guide another standard query, "how did they get the curls in their tails," didn't come up.



WRIGGLESWORTH kindergarten pupils all set for a ride on the hay wagon.

Recapture Tug-of-War Trophy from the Scots

by Ralph Hawes

In spite of the adverse weather conditions of Sunday, the Branch Annual Picnic at the Georgetown Park was quite successful. The highlight of the afternoon was the winning of the tug of war trophy by Branch 120.

Last year was the first occasion of this trophy to be pulled for, and it was won by the Lorne Scots. How this happened, no one seems to know. However, on Sunday it was proved as is well known that 120 is the superior team and it is expected that the trophy will remain in the Legion hall for many years to come.

No Motor Fatalities Mar Holiday in District

The "Bring 'Em Back Alive" campaign waged by the Hamilton Automobile Club in this area apparently had its effect over the Dominion Day weekend.

Managing director Al Oakie said in a news release this week that there were no traffic fatalities in their territory of Halton, Brant, Haldimand and Wentworth counties.

The races went off successfully in spite of one downpour of rain under the supervision of Gord King, Shel Lawr, George Nurse, Gib Telford, Mike Lorusso and Herb Arnold. The tynots ran first. Under 5 years everybody received a prize.

Girls (6-7 years) 1st S. Westlake 2nd A. Gaskill.
Girls (8-9 years) 1st G. Kemshead, 2nd S. McHugh.
Girls (10-11 years) 1st K. Kemshead, 2nd L. Turner.
Girls (12-13 years) 1st S. Lee, 2nd D. McGilvray.
Girls (14-16 years) 1st M. Davis 2nd S. Stamp.
Boys (6-7 years) 1st S. Brunski, 2nd A. Nurse.
Boys (8-9 years) 1st B. Rannachan, 2nd A. Lawr.
Boys (10-11 years) 1st J. Sargent, 2nd R. Burley.
Boys (12-13 years) 1st T. Davis 2nd R. McHugh.
Boys (14-16 years) 1st O. Rayner, 2nd L. Bunton.

Ladies Race — J. Kemshead finished with J. Archibald a close second.
Men's Race — G. Archibald, 1st. G. Gaskill 2nd.
Ladies Spot Race — J. Stamp.
Men's Spot Race — G. Nurse.
Wheelbarrow Race — J. Sargent and J. Kemshead.
Egg Throwing — S. Lawr and Anne Nicholson.
Ladies Accurate Throw — J. Stamp.
Men's Accurate Throw — D. Wilkes.

The mystery guest, who was Frank Smith, was discovered by R. Burley.

And there the Branch has another picnic over, thanks to the old and new executives and a few of the very reliable members of the Branch.

HORNBY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hamilton and Mrs. William Hamilton visited with Isabel and Anne Stout of Guelph on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Garry Hamilton attended the fifth annual graduation exercises of the class of nursing assistants held on Saturday, July 8 at Central Peel Secondary School, Brampton.

Get well wishes are extended to George Bailey who is a patient in the Milton district hospital.

St. Stephen's Anglican Sunday school picnic was held in the Hornby park on Saturday, July 8, with a good attendance.

Valerie Eida was in charge of the pony rides which were greatly enjoyed by all the children. Races and a game of baseball were enjoyed by all. A picnic supper was enjoyed.

We are sorry to report that Mary Lynn Mannerow's horse was killed early Saturday morning on Trafalgar Road by a passing motorist.

Friends of Mrs. Alvin Vivian will be pleased to hear she is on the road to recovery following a stay in the Oakville Trafalgar Memorial hospital.

House Building Permits Total Close to Million

\$890,285 in building permits were issued in June, according to the building inspector's office.

The permits were all for residential development, with almost all of them being to Winnipeg Homes Ltd.

IN THE MAIL BAG

Rosslake Park Owner Explains Difficulties

R.R. 3, Georgetown

Mr. Editor: About a year ago, I wrote a letter which was printed in your paper which concerned a closing order issued by local Government officials connected with the Halton Health and Safety Unit. To date this order, which I believe to be of interest to the public to reiterate the intention of shoring its use with the public and rather than a legal battleground I have after careful consideration decided on offering its facilities (tables when available) to the public with no admission or parking charges for the above same rules as an indoor swimming pool.

Rule 1 There must be shower baths on the beach.

Rule 2 The swim area must be chlorinated and a lifeguard must be on duty at all times.

I consider these rules to be impractical and impossible to comply with. As a result, to ignore these rules and operate a more relaxed court charges.

The Rosslake swim area was originally designed with the intention of shoring its use with the public and rather than a legal battleground I have after careful consideration decided on offering its facilities (tables when available) to the public with no admission or parking charges for the above same rules as an indoor swimming pool.

For those who wish to accept this offer there will, in addition to facilities offered for free, recreational attractions namely: hayrides, horse and pony rides, cruise on the stern-wheeler 'Ponderosa' at a nominal charge. A snack bar will be in operation for public convenience.

In consideration of the interest shown by the public concerning the progress of this swim area, I hope this letter will explain some of the difficulties I have encountered regarding its operation.

In closing may I thank the services of the Georgetown Herald and elsewhere in this paper is placed an add concerning facilities offered.

— Joe Ross

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