

## 1988...in the news

• Rats have invaded the neighbourhood of Delrex Blvd. and Edward St. and the Town will be hiring a modern day Pied Piper—a pest control firm.

• Employment hits 97 per cent in Georgetown. If people want a job, there are jobs says a local Employment & Immigration manager. The provincial average is 5.3% unemployment and nationally 8.1%.

• According to a Royal LePage survey, the average price of a single detached bungalow in Georgetown is \$150,000, up \$25,000 from the previous year.

• Two of the oldest industrial buildings in Glen Williams may be preserved as historical landmarks for future generations at the request of owner Doug Brock. The former Apple Products property will be designated a heritage property under the Ontario Heritage Act. The Williams Mill is one of the oldest remaining mills built in the Glen.

• AIDS education is about survival. That's according to Halton Board of Education which has unveiled the new AIDS education to be introduced into Grade 8 and 9 classrooms.

• A CN train, pulling eight burning cars, left a trail of 11 grass fires. The Fire Department needed every man and every piece of equipment to put out the fires.



A poor parking job at Bellamy's Restaurant



Shirley Yates at the Limehouse Post Office

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• POWER (Protect Our Water and Environmental Resources) has stepped up its fight against a proposed landfill in the United Aggregates quarry on Fourth Line.

• Shirley Yates bagged and sorted the mail for the last time at the Limehouse post office in the General Store. Canada Post privatization ends a 131-year tradition. At the 11th hour, the new owners of the General agreed to take over the post office.

• Bill Mole of Georgetown plans to walk around the world to promote the cause of AIDS research. The trek through 35 countries will take two and half years.

• Russ Miller celebrated a sound victory over Pam Sheldon in the November municipal election to retain the mayor's chair for the third consecutive term. Newcomers Rob Heaton, Alf Spence, Pat McCarthy and Anne Currie also won seats. Dick Howitt retained his public school board seat.

• Mike Compton, 18, of Georgetown ran into a burning building on Guelph St. twice to rouse the five tenants inside.

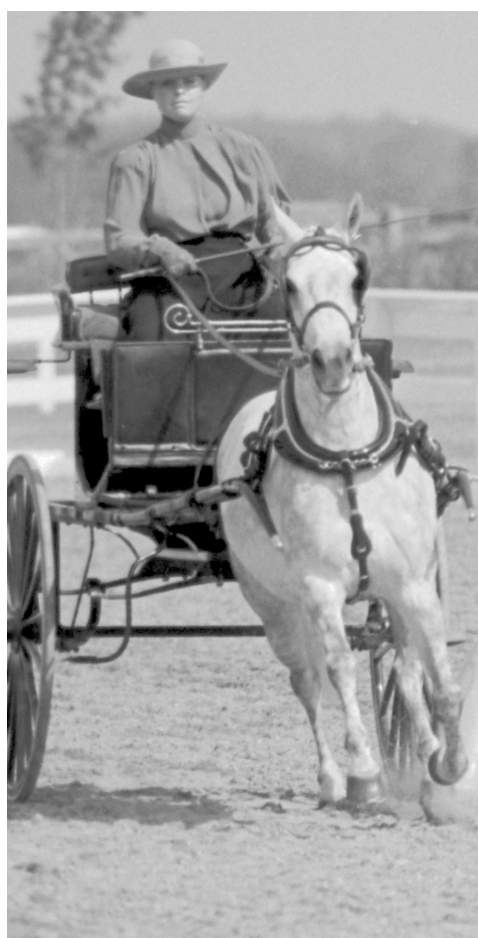
• In December, the final agreement between the Town, Region and developer Halton Hills Village Homes paved the way for a 417-home subdivision—the first of the Georgetown south development.



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