

—Geese have been spotted in the district.

—The farmers will start cultivating soon.

—The farmers have been waiting for a warm rain.

—The town's university students are writing exams.

—Many have been miserable with colds and flu.

—There are still banks of snow and ice in sheltered spots.

—Girl Guides are taking orders for their annual cookie day.

—District smelt fishermen are making frequent trips down to the lake.

—The streams are icy, but youngsters have been wading in them, anyway.

—New shelving and back board in Wiles' Confectionery add to the appearance of the small but busy store.

—A large crowd attended the auction sale of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Coxie Saturday afternoon.

—One person who has attended many music festivals noted that the urban pupils always sing to a far smaller audience of parents and friends than the rural pupils do.

—Excavating machinery is on hand behind the Halton Centennial Manor at Milton as work begins on the \$600,000 addition there.

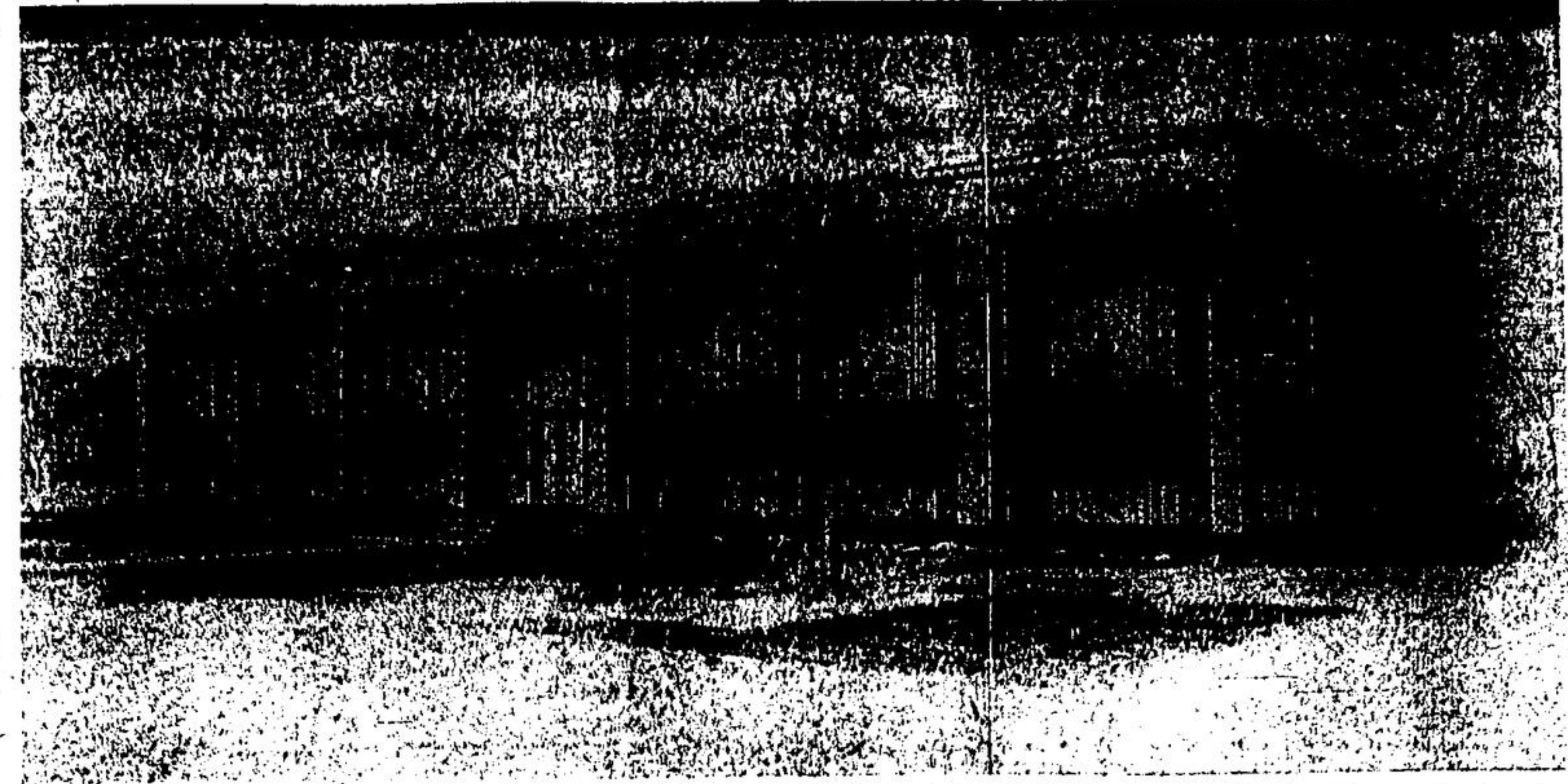
—"Sidewalk supervisors" have been watching the major alterations at Acton Home Furnishings store. Complete details next week.

—With Monday's meeting, Home and School general meetings are over till next fall. Committee meetings will be held, though, prior to the H. and S. sponsored graduation banquet.

—Daffodils formed the attractive setting for the Daffodil Tea held by the Daughters of Knox at Knox church Saturday afternoon. The successful event also included a sale of home baking.

—Don't forget to move the clocks ahead this weekend. We heard of one lady who made a little miscalculation and did it last Sunday. She says she was the only one in the family who thought it was funny.

—The Ontario hockey association is holding its annual meeting this Saturday at the Royal York in Toronto. Halton county will then boast the two top heads in the Ontario baseball and hockey worlds with Peter McMullen of Milton heading the O.B.A. for his third term and Ken McMullen of Georgetown taking on the top post of the O.H.A. for a two year term.



A PRELIMINARY SKETCH of the proposed new county building to house the administrative offices and council chambers was shown to members of the Halton County Council on Tuesday. Members of the building committee chaired by Reeve R. C. Cunningham, Milton, sought direction on the location of the building. Members indicated some other site should be sought rather than locating the building on a county owned site facing Hugh St. in Milton. The preliminary plans call for Indiana limestone facing with sections of granite. The building will have a main floor and basement level with a total of 11,000 sq. ft.

## County Council Debates Site Of Proposed New Building

Halton County Council instructed its building committee Tuesday to study other locations for the new county building presently being planned. The committee reported its opinion that consideration should be given to erecting the building on the north east corner of the block facing Hugh St. in Milton.

Reeve Card, Oakville, led the opposition to the site as he argued the building wouldn't have a proper appearance. "On one side is the arena and across from it would be a lane."

Reeve Cunningham, Milton, chairman of the building committee suggested the new 51 by 106 foot building could be located close to the present Health Unit building allowing for adequate parking.

Tafalgar Deputy Reeve Fred Neuf pointed out locating the building in Victoria Park would destroy the area as a park.

"Park Ideal" Milton Deputy Reeve Pettit expressed opposition to the Hugh St. site. She suggested the present Victoria Park would be an ideal location.

Esquising Deputy Reeve Sanctair suggested a location facing the park would be more suitable if one could be obtained.

Clerk Garfield Brown reported the owner of four lots, two fronting on King Street and two immediately to the rear of them would sell the property for \$22,000 including a house and small barn.

Further discussion developed later in the meeting when Engineer Roy Smith displayed a view of the front of the building and a floor plan.

Deputy Reeve Service, Nasagaweya questioned if an additional floor could be added to the building. He was advised this was not possible.

Deputy Reeve Ryckman, Burlington, suggested the new building didn't necessarily have to be located in town. He wondered about if adequate acreage couldn't be obtained on the outskirts of Milton.

Further discussion was concluded when the committee was instructed to study possible locations and members viewed the area near the county buildings following the adjournment.

Warden Miller urged the committee to act promptly that the construction would not be unnecessarily delayed.

Costs on the building were to be submitted before any final plans approval would be given, the council was assured.

**No Gravel Pits In Burlington**

BURLINGTON—A by-law prohibiting the establishment of new quarries and gravel pits in Burlington received two readings during a special meeting of the town council recently.

Second reading was carried by a 3-1 recorded vote.

### Bilingual Ability Ranges from Finnish

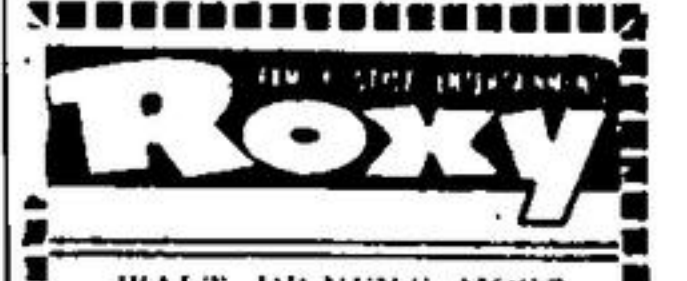
Bilingual ability among Conservation Officers of the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests is not restricted to English and French. A survey has revealed that among 200 of these officers, who come in contact with the public across the province, 31 are bilingual, 15 of them in English and French and 16 fluent in other languages.

These include German, Italian, Polish, Russian, Spanish, Swedish, and Finnish. In addition, 11 speak Cree or Ojibway Indian dialects.

## Hunt Club Wins \$100 on 27 Fox

The Hornby Hunt Club was awarded the \$100 first prize for killing 27 foxes in the recent contest sponsored by the county in an effort to cut down on the fox population during the rabbit threat. The second prize of \$75 went to the Bronte and District Gun Club for 20 foxes and \$50 to the Burlington Sportsmen's Club for seven foxes.

The committee of county council is awaiting a reply from the Georgetown Anglers and Hunters Club.



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ANOTHER SALE is chalked up by the Boy Scouts of the first Acton "A" troop as Mrs. W. Middleton collects a bag of light bulbs from Scout Max Haggert. During the bulb blitz last Saturday the scouts covered the town and sold over 2,000 bulbs. Proceeds of the blitz will assist the scouts to attend summer camp this year.

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## I.O.D.E. Delicatessen Sold Out Members Rush to Make More

A new venture which proved to be an overwhelming success was the delicatessen sponsored by the Duke of Devonshire chapter of the I.O.D.E. When the ladies were arranging their goods for sale in the vacant store on Mill St. early Friday morning, they even wondered if they had too much and would ever be able to sell it all. However, by late afternoon they realized they would have to rush home and make many, many more things if they were to have enough to sell on their second day of operations.

Taking stock they had sold on the first day a 25 pound turkey, a 17 pound ham, 10 pounds of beef, eight pounds of dressed pork and six pounds of beef as well as large quantities of cakes, pies, pickles and marmalade, jellied salads, stuffed eggs, potato and macaroni salads, and other specialties.

**Hasty Planning**

For Saturday they made some hasty planning and offered hot roasted chicken and chop suey as well as more corned beef.

Hungarian bread rolls, called kofli, were sold out in about an hour. Friday and seven or eight dozen more were hastily made for Saturday, only to sell in no time.

Most gratified with the response were the members of the committee: Mrs. Fred Salt, Mrs. Charles Heller, regent Mrs. Ken Knox, Mrs. Don Roberts, with Mr. Wes Beatty as their convener. The cooperation of all the members was a vital factor in the event.

Mrs. Beatty also noted the outstanding cooperation of everyone contacted in connection with the delicatessen.

At a table in the window of the store, beside the chapter's standard, was a most attractive cake decorated with the I.O.D.E. crest in red, white and blue.

The weight-guessing contest was won by Mrs. J. Whitham, who was very close to 9 lbs., 6 1/2 oz.

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