

Georgetown is interested will attend Urban Board

At least one member from Georgetown Council will be attending future meetings of the North Halton Urban Board, Georgetown councillors decided last week. Names will be drawn from a hat and if no other members can attend, the delegate selected in this manner will be forced to go.

Georgetown's attendance at three meetings of the Board to date this year has been nil. Members even skipped a meeting in Georgetown. At the monthly meetings, councillors from Milton, Georgetown and Acton usually get together to discuss common problems.

Last month Milton and Acton members, noting Georgetown's prolonged absence from the gatherings, ordered secretary J. McGeachie of Acton to write the absentees and see if they are still interested. Georgetown Council blames committee meetings and other commitments which interfere with the Board's regular meeting night — third Wednesday of each month. They suggest

changing the date to the second Wednesday. Another meeting is scheduled for next week, and Mayor Joseph Gibbons was selected as the first delegate when the hat was passed.

Now a police village Orton will be hamlet

The 60 year old police village of Orton will be officially dissolved so that its residents won't have to pay to maintain the main street. Two Ontario Municipal Board vice-chairmen, sitting in Hillsburgh, decided to grant Orton's request for dissolution.

If left as a police village, Orton's residents would have been faced with costs of maintaining that part of the county road which passes through its centre.

Since Orton as a municipality will not exist after the O.M.B. decision becomes official, in April, its residents will not be responsible for the road's upkeep.

Instead, the road will be the responsibility of both East Garafraxa Township and Erin Township.

Orton's main street forms the border between the two townships, who now will have to work out between themselves costs for services to the area.

The village's fire fighting equipment is presently divided so that the reservoir is on the north side of the road in East Garafraxa Township, while the pump is on the south side of the road in Erin Township.

Officials of the two townships said they expected agreements on services to the area could be worked out. If conflicts over jurisdiction arise, they will be submitted to the O.M.B. for decision.

Orton's application for dissolution was presented by R. B. Hungerford of Guelph.

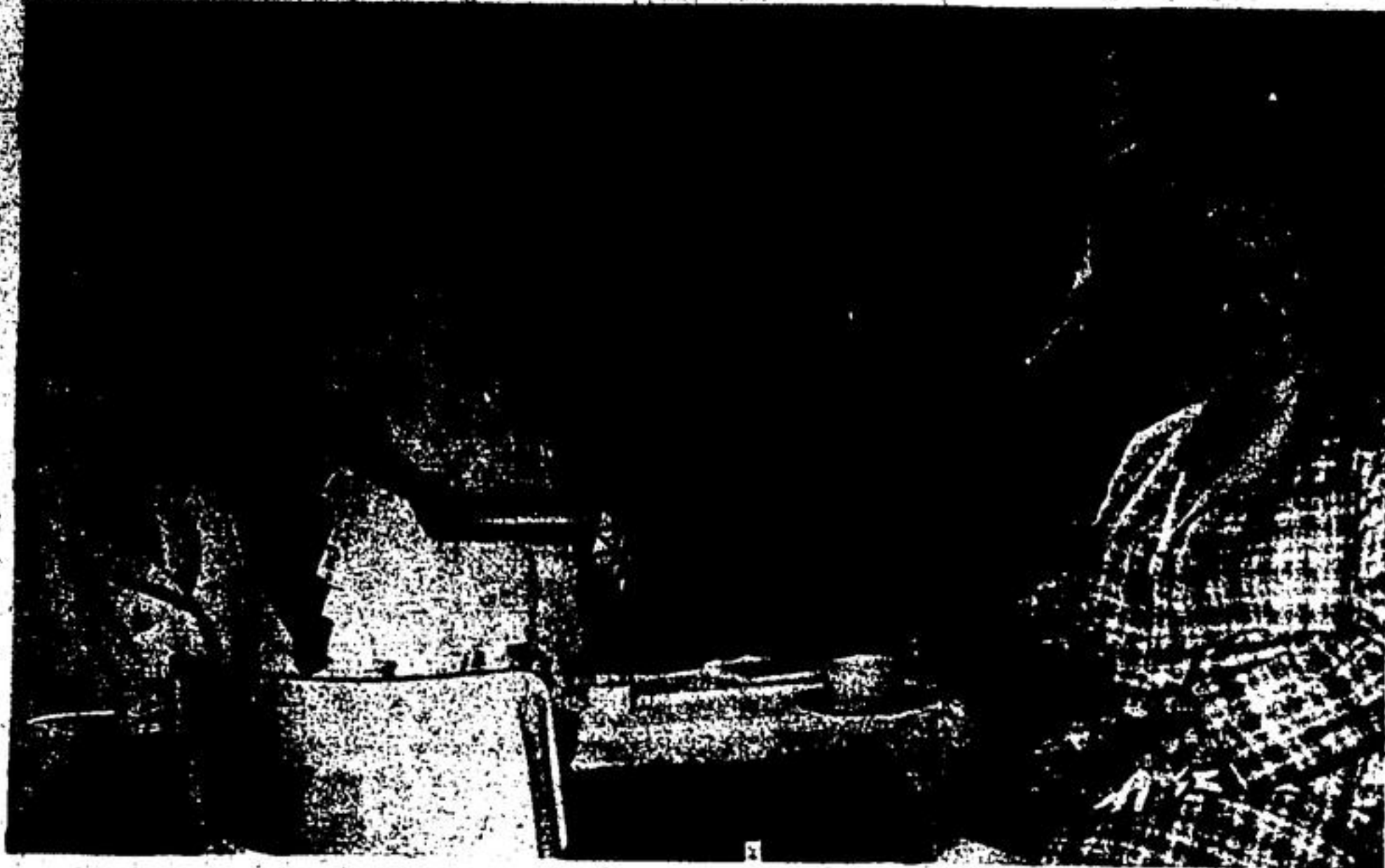
As a police village — as opposed to a regular village — Orton was governed by trustees. Now the village, north of Guelph, will be referred to as a hamlet.

Lorne Scots' Hardy praises Geo. Vanier

The late Governor-General George P. Vanier received a glowing tribute from Colonel Bob Hardy, commandant of the Halton and Peel Regiment of the Lorne Scots.

Speaking at the regular county council meeting, Colonel Hardy said, "there was never a more gracious individual than the late Governor-General. Canada is going to suffer very greatly because of his loss."

Colonel Hardy presented the annual report of the Regiment to council and described 1966 as a most active year. It was the 100th anniversary of the Regiment. Biggest anniversary celebration was a massive trooping of the color ceremony attended by the late Governor-General in Brampton.



DRESSED IN PERIOD COSTUME, Mrs. R. Mochrie serves Mrs. B. D. Young, Brookville, Mrs. William Coulter, Campbellville and Mrs. John Henry, Brookville at the antique and hobby show at Eden Mills last week. Hundreds attended to see the exhibits and chat with neighbors and friends over tea. (Staff Photo)

LIMEHOUSE

4-H girls entertain with displays, skit

The 4H Club girls entertained the Limehouse ladies in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Wednesday evening last week. Their recipe files and record books were shown and a display "The Club Girl Entertains". Miss Margo Ruddell commented.

The group explained "Accent on Accessories" in a humorous skit. They sang the Canada centennial song during their program. Mrs. Roughley, vice-president of the W.I., was chairman.

On behalf of the Bannockburn and Limehouse Women's Institutes, Mrs. W. Linham and Mrs. A. W. Benton presented silver forks to the girls of their respective clubs. The girls served a lovely lunch afterwards.

Mr. Karel Swinkles of Beek en Donk, Holland, is visiting his brother and family here. Mr. Billie Hackett of Toronto with the Hacksays on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Culp and Ross Culp attended the funeral of Roy's cousin, Elmer Culp of Arthur on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nunes Vas, Mr. and Mrs. Homan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Poot were local guests at the De Bruin - Vanderbyl wedding in Georgetown Christian Reformed Church and the reception at the Junction Diner on Friday evening.



MRS. ELLA BARDEN shows a cup fit for father at the Eden Mills antique and hobby show last week. (Staff Photo)

Mohawk opening sees traffic tie-up

Milton O.P.P. report a new traffic problem at Mohawk Raceway, which opened for its first of three 1967 racing seasons Monday of last week at Campbellville.

This year, for the first time, a 50 cent parking fee is being levied on all cars. New fences have been erected along the front of the race track property and ticket sellers' gates have been placed on the two entrance roadways near the Campbellville Road.

Police controlling the traffic there last week said the slowdown of traffic entering the raceway caused quite a problem for the officers assigned to sort it out. Police and parking attendants are applying to the Jockey Club to move the ticket seller's booths farther away from the Campbellville Road to allow cars an easier access to the grounds.

Great demand for plastics

Canadian manufacturers of the major plastic materials will have to push output to new record levels this year to cope with still-rising demand.

The Financial Post reports that polyethylene, the No. 1 volume plastic — polystyrene and polyesters are all in a tight supply position. Two producers have slashed exports to cope with the record flood of orders in the home market.

Manufacturers with recently-expanded plants are driving to cut out import competition. They see an additional 30-million lb.-a-year market here if they can meet import competition, mainly from Japan and Italy and have already made good gains with some price-shaving.

Karen Hamilton, Bill Smith married in Ballinafad church

In a double-ring ceremony in Ballinafad United Church Saturday afternoon, March 25, the Rev. Calvin Johnston united in marriage Karen Patricia Hamilton and William Leslie Smith. The bride, a teacher in Belfountain, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Ward Hamilton, R.R. 2 Acton, while the groom, a barber in Guelph, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith who have the store in Ballinafad.

The double-ring ceremony was performed in a setting of white mums and pink snapdragons. Mrs. John Black played the organ.

The bride chose a floor-length A-line gown of traditional white peau-de-seiche with sleeves and lace train. A rhinestone crown held her shoulder length veil of white net.

She carried a bouquet of red roses and white hyacinth petals.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Diane Mellon, Acton, the groom's sister, and the bridesmaid was Miss Debbie Hamilton, the bride's sister, R.R. 2, Acton. The matron of honor wore a mint green silk, crepe floor-length sheath with a long panel of chiffon, and the bridesmaid a similar long gown of coral.

Both wore aurora borealis crowns holding net veiling to match their gowns.

They carried bouquets of white carnations.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Ward Hamilton. The groomsmen were Murray Jamieson and the ushers were Paul Hamilton and Gordon Smith.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church attended by many guests from Fergus, Belwood, Toronto, Acton, Guelph, Mono Road, Malton, Palgrave, Oakville, Erin, Georgetown, Rockwood, Ballinafad, Stouffville and Stratford.

The bride's mother received guests wearing a gold brocade sheath dress with brown and white accessories and a corsage of bronze baby mums.

The groom's mother chose a pale blue two-piece lace knit dress with black and white accessories and a corsage of pink and white baby mums.

The bride's friend and neighbor, Mrs. William Butler, decorated the wedding cake which

was made by the bride's mother.

The groom's grandmother, Mrs. Laura Smith, was among the guests.

The couple left on a trip through the Catskill mountains and New York State, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan and returned April 1. They are living in Ballinafad. For travelling, the bride wore a navy sheath dress with white trim, pink coat, bone shoes, purse and accessories.

Before the wedding a miscellaneous shower was held March 8 at the home of Mrs. Diane Mellon, Acton. Another special event was a dinner party at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Muriel McNicol of Weston, on March 5.

Dinner, banquets planned by ladies

The regular meeting of Knox Church Ladies' Aid was held at the church on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. James Van Fleet, convener of the month, presided. Her thought for the day was an appropriate message for the Easter time. All joined to sing a hymn, Follow Me the Master Said. Mrs. Van Fleet offered a prayer.

The business of the month was conducted by Mrs. Wm. McIntyre, the president. A committee was appointed to look after getting stools for the kitchen. The use of the kitchen was offered to the Scout Mothers for their banquet. The Ladies' Aid offered to cater for the young bowlers banquet early in June.

The important event to be planned was the congregational pot luck supper set for tonight (Wednesday), April 5. It is hoped they have a good attendance. The ladies are asked to provide the food. Supper is at 7 p.m.

A very fine worship service concluded the program with Mrs. Carl Hansen reading a Scripture lesson of John, Chapter 20. Mrs. A. M. MacPherson led in prayer. Mrs. John Dennis contributed a few chosen readings from the Friendship Book.

The meeting closed with a hymn and the Lord's prayer in unison.

A pleasant time was spent over the tea cups.



A GRAND SOCIAL EVENING was enjoyed last week by trainees at Halton Opportunity Workshop Enterprises retarded adult workshop and senior students of North Halton's Sunshine School. They did the twist and all the newest go-go dances at the UAW Centre in Milton. Several spot dance prize winners and other students and trainees are shown during a break in the program. (Staff Photo)

Acton Public School Kindergarten Enrolment

Acton public schools will be able to accommodate all pupils of Kindergarten age this year. To enrol they must be five years old by December 31, 1967. (Birth certificate required). To avoid confusion, please complete the form below before April 22 and send or mail it to your district school in care of GARNET W. MCKENZIE, Principal, Robert Little School, Box 870 or W. D. ELMER SMITH, Principal, M. Z. Bennett School, Box 840.

Child's Name Christian Name Surname

Date of Birth Day Month Year

Parent's or Guardian's Name in Full

Address No. Street

Phone No.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL
ROBERT LITTLE SCHOOL — 853-2540
OR
M. Z. BENNETT SCHOOL — 853-0530
Birth certificates can be secured from — Registrar General Branch, 79 Lombard St., Toronto, Ont.

Dance for retardates is "swinging" success

A social evening and dance for retarded students and adults was held Wednesday evening of last week in Milton by officials of the North Halton Association for the Mentally Retarded. That it was a decided success was shown by the fact the guests of honor danced steadily from 7:30 to 11 p.m. and wouldn't even take time out for cake and hot dogs.

"We can't get them off the dance floor," smiled N.H.A.

M.R. president Bob Kanerva as he headed for the record player to put on another "modern music," he said, as the strains of a Beale ballad waivered through the hall and close to two dozen young retardates did jive, twist and go-go gyrations on the dance floor.

Prizes for spot dances and the refreshments were all donated by stores in Milton, and the UAW Union gave them free use of the hall. It was the first

time the senior students of the Association's Sunshine School and the adult trainees from the HOPE workshop had been together for a social outing, and officials summed it up as a "terrific" evening.

Sisters, brothers and parents were also invited to the affair and they all enjoyed the evening. Special favors included coasters and Maple Leaf pins supplied free through the Department of Trade and Commerce.

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