

# Howard Price celebrates his 96th birthday



I'm 96 today and frisky as a cat.



People today should mind their own business.



I figure on getting married again when I'm 100!

Howard Price celebrated his 96th birthday at the Kelly Nursing Home Sunday full of vim and vigor that made visitors wonder what is the secret of long life.

Asked by The Free Press his formula for 96 active years, Mr. Price quipped "I've walked half way."

Born on the Sixth Line of Esqueuing at the corner of 7 Hwy., Howard Price has been brimful of energy and humor all his days. He lived on the homestead for 52 years, spending four years in Toronto where he worked for the Conger Coal Co. When he moved back to his home he walked, conveying his possessions in a hand cart.

People nowadays don't impress Mr. Price one bit despite advances in transportation and easier living. "We used to stay home and mind our own business," he recalls. "We had to toe the mark." He felt there was a lesson for today's generation there.

A lifetime of work hasn't broken his spirit. "All I've ever done is work in this country," he joked. "Think I'll try a new country."

He's looking forward to his 100th birthday. "I'm going to start all over again raising a family then" he told his astounded nephews, Norm, Herb and "Did" who joined in celebrating the event with him. He likes living at the nursing home. "Couldn't find a better

place to stay," he complimented Mrs. Kelly. The Free Press joins in wishing Mr. Price many more birthdays.

# 19 acclaimed, 103 seeking 51 open seats

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**GREER, Garnet McKenzie, Cyril Bishop, Peter Marks, Orval Chapman.**  
Hydro commission (four to be elected) Jacob van der Kooy, Douglas Manning, Robert MacArthur, Wilfred McLachern, Orville Brown, Edward Tyler Sr.

**GEORGETOWN**  
Mayor (one to be elected) John Elliott, Wheldon Emmerson, Robert Francis.  
Reeve (accl.) William F. Hunter.  
Deputy-Reeve Arthur Speight, William Sunnucks.  
Council (two to be elected in each ward) Ward 1, Michael Foot, Sandy McKenzie, Ernest Hyde; Ward 2, Jim Court, Donna Denison, James Emmerson, John Holb, William R. Smith, Jim Young; Ward 3, Harry Levy, Richard Morrow, Philip Siddall, Frank Tyrrell.

Hydro commission (accl.) John T. Armstrong, Gerald McCallum.  
Water commission (accl.) Roy Ballentine, Winston Smith.

**ESQUEUING**  
Reeve (one to be elected) George Currie, Malcolm Freeman.  
Deputy-Reeve (one to be elected) Tom Hill, Jim France.  
Council (three to be elected) Percy Hicks, James Goodlet, Russell Miller, Wilfrid Leslie, Kenneth Marshall, Pat Patterson.

**NASSAGAWEYA**  
Reeve (one to be elected) William A. N. Hoey, A. L. "Gus" Gintouksi.  
Deputy-Reeve (accl.) Mrs. Anna MacArthur.  
Council (accl.) Gordon Agnew, Art Gibson, James Watson.

Ratepayers will also vote on whether to allow Sunday races at Mohawk Raceway.

## Acton polling places

Polling places in Acton:  
Ward No. 1 - Polling Subdivision No. 1 comprising that part of Acton east of John St., south of Mill St. to Queen St. East, including what is known as the Crescent. Polling place: Y.M.C.A., Mill St. E.  
Ward No. 1 Polling Subdivision No. 2 - comprising all that part of Acton south of Queen St. E. and north of the C.N.R. tracks commonly known as Glenlea subdivision. Polling place: B. P. Service Station, Queen St.  
Ward No. 2 - comprising all that part of town north of Mill Street and east of John Street, including Warren Grove and that built-up portion of Churchill Road N. north of Mill. Polling place: Council Chambers, Town Hall, Willow St.  
Ward No. 3 - comprising all that part of the town west of John St. and north of Mill St., including the Lakeview subdivision and Cameron Ave. Polling place: Luxton Memorial Hall, Willow St.  
Ward No. 4 - comprising all that part of the town south of Mill St. and west of John St., including the "cemetery hill" and Cobble Hill Road subdivision. Polling place: Knox Presbyterian Church, Main St. N.

## HALTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Acton - Nassagaweya representative (one to be elected) Horace Blyth, Murray Smith, Thomas Watson.  
Esqueuing (accl.) William Lawson.  
Georgetown (one to be elected) Ernest Bodnar, Gudni Sigurdson.

Milton (accl.) John F. Noble.  
Oakville (one to be elected in Wards 1 and 4; two to be elected in Wards 2 and 3) Ward 1, Denzil Lawrence, Douglas L. Wood;  
Ward 2, Leonard Crosier, Robert Edward Hooper, Leonard D. Palmer, James H. Price, Malcolm Worden;

Ward 3, Mrs. Irene Gooble, Richard E. Goodin, Daniel

## Hunter, Liberty Pease, John C. Rankin;

Ward 4, John C. Blakelock, Edward MacDonald, David Malcolm, Terry Mannell, Donald K. Robinson.  
Burlington (one to be elected in each ward) Ward 1, Roy Frockleton, Earl Sovereign, Leslie Scher;

## For Election Results

PHONE 853-2010  
AFTER 8:30 P.M. MONDAY  
Acton Free Press

## Christmas overseas deadlines

The Canada Post Office has now received the Christmas deadline dates from all foreign postal administrations for mail leaving Canada by air. To ensure delivery by Christmas time, letters and parcels should be posted as follows:

DESTINATION	LETTERS	PARCELS
BRITAIN	DEC. 14	DEC. 9
EUROPEAN CONTINENT	DEC. 11	DEC. 7
R.F. OF SWITZERLAND	DEC. 11	DEC. 7
INDIA & PAKISTAN	DEC. 14	DEC. 7
OTHER TRANS-ATLANTIC PLACES	DEC. 9	DEC. 6
ANTIGUA, BAHAMAS, BARBADOS & TRINIDAD	DEC. 12	DEC. 9
JAMAICA	DEC. 12	DEC. 9
TRINIDAD	DEC. 12	DEC. 9
CENTRAL, SOUTH AMERICA & OTHER PLACES IN WEST INDIES	DEC. 12	DEC. 9
AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND	DEC. 12	DEC. 9
JAPAN & HONG KONG	DEC. 11	DEC. 7
OTHER TRANS-PACIFIC PLACES	DEC. 9	DEC. 7

The last mailing dates for air letters and parcels for Canadian Servicemen Overseas are also announced. Mail for the Canadian Armed Forces abroad will arrive in time for Christmas festivities if the following posting deadlines are observed:

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BRITAIN	DEC. 14	DEC. 9
EUROPEAN CONTINENT	DEC. 11	DEC. 7
CYPRUS	DEC. 7	DEC. 6
GHANA	DEC. 7	DEC. 6
INDIA & PAKISTAN	DEC. 11	DEC. 7
PALESTINE	DEC. 9	DEC. 6
INDOCHINA & TANZANIA	DEC. 7	DEC. 6

Henderson, all of Burlington; and Kenneth Walsh, Oakville.

## HALTON COUNTY R.C. SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD

Burlington Robert J. O'Brien was acclaimed to represent Wards 1 and 3; Donald G. Hill, James P. Hourigan, Rev. Blake Ryan and Harry McDermott won acclamations in Wards 4, 5, 6 and 8. Candidates, one to be elected in each ward, include William English and Thomas J. McKay in Ward 2; John R. Visser and Philip K. Mullen in Ward 7.

Oakville - Ward 1 (one member) Basil Cormier, Dr. Jack Cudmore, John Gavigan; Ward 2 (two members) Leno Braida, Michael Noonan, James Shafer, Russell C. Smith; Ward 3 (accl.) Peter A. G. Waters; Ward 4 (one member) Leonard Auger, Rev. J. W. Flaherty. Esqueuing Milton Nassagaweya seat (one to be elected) Jacobus (Jim) Langedyk, Angelo Tonelli, both of Milton. Georgetown (one to be elected) Ben Hoyle, Ed Hayes, Ward 7.



YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE TO  
**ELECT CYRIL BISHOP**  
FOR  
**ACTON COUNCIL**  
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## CHRISTMAS STORE HOURS

Most Acton Stores Will Observe the Following Hours During the Christmas - New Year's Season.

DECEMBER 10, 11, 12, 13	9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14	9 A.M. TO 6 P.M.
DECEMBER 16, 17, 18, 19, 20	9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21	9 A.M. TO 6 P.M.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 23	9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24	9 A.M. TO 6 P.M.
DECEMBER 25, 26	CLOSED
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27	9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
DECEMBER 28, 30, 31	9 A.M. TO 6 P.M.
JANUARY 1, 2	CLOSED
FRIDAY, JANUARY 3	9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 4	9 A.M. TO 6 P.M.

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