

CHOOSING TOYS

Toys are toys, where the young toddlers are concerned, says one leading manufacturer. The time to begin selecting masculine things for boys and feminine ones for girls begins when the child reach the age of six.

A sure way to determine a child's preference in toys is to take the child to the toy shop and watch his reaction. It won't be easy to see which type of toys he likes best.

ASHGROVE

Songs, Recitations Feature In Sunday School Concert

On Friday evening, Dec. 20th, the Sunday School concert was held in the basement.

The Superintendent, Charles Austin, was chairman and the children put on a splendid two-hour entertainment of songs, dialogues, piano solos and recitations from the finest class to the Seniors.

The teachers are to be highly commended for their work and faithfulness in training them. After the program the presents were handed out to the children from a beautiful decorated tree and then lunch concluded the hilarious evening.

The choir sang wide upon another year.  
A clean and larkless path that we may tread.  
With faith to guide,  
With dreams held close and dear,  
The precious gift of time that looms ahead.

Our wish is a Very Happy New Year filled with health and happiness and friends.  
Happy 1964.

At this joyous season we are sorry to have to report two such people. Mrs. Ward Ruddle was in Milton Hospital with a broken wrist and Hector Bradshaw of Georgetown Hospital for an operation. To these and others who are sick we wish for their better health in the New Year which is coming.

Peter Varzina, Robert Jean and Ruth the children of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Anderson of Montreal are spending the Christmas and New Year holidays with their grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruddle and our Mr. and Mrs. West Brownridge and family.

Warden Would Establish Police Force for County

Halton County would be a sovereign state within the confines of Ontario if Warden G. H. Martin has his way.

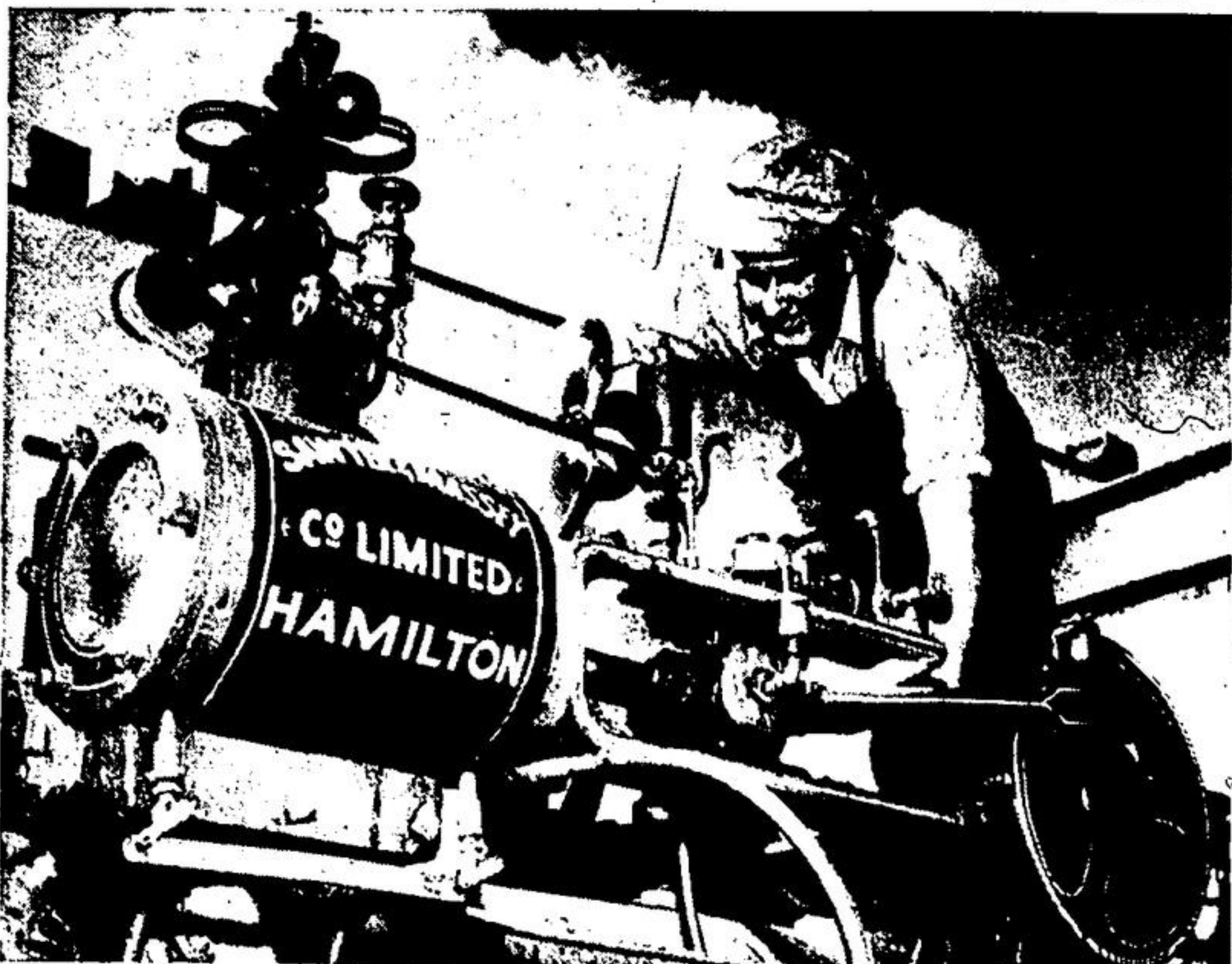
The warden said the county should establish a county police force and he urged the pooling of assessment and planning services on a county-wide basis.

He told council members that by doing so "it would make it difficult for neighbors to encroach on Halton if we are united and economically strong."

Speaking later of the value of the Emergency Measures organization, Warden Martin said the work of coordinating various voluntary groups being done by the organization is invaluable.

His statement was enlarged by Bruce H. H. Hinton who said the emphasis in the emergency measures group is not so much on a national disaster these days as on national emergencies.

"These are fast moving times and we need this type of central command," said the Warden.



1963 PHOTO FLASHBACK

TOP LEFT: After years of conspicuous absence a Georgetown Baptist minister to the CNR to seek competition honours. Top right: Exposed to the top clerk K. C. Lindsay gathers his books and papers and moves out of St. Andrew's Hall as the township civil servants get a new building. Bottom left: Alf Bridgen and other district steam power hobbyists display their favorites for display in the annual parade and steam show in the county town. Bottom right: A Georgetown teenager sees the Carama movie 'Wanted' in the new cinema. Then joins the crew of the sailing ship at a king's residence (John Quigley).

AUGUST

HARLEY'S FOOD AND DRUG COMMITTEE

Urges Full-Time Pesticide Controls

A nine-page report from the report early in the new year session," Dr. Harley said. This report is believed to deal am looking forward to continuing the work into the drug committee is anxious to question as soon as the committee can be established in the new session.

One witness of international repute who was invited to question of insecticides, and prior before the committee was pesticides and is the result of Michael Carson, author of 17 committee meetings held during the past three months. At these meetings, presided over by the young Oakville physician, a large number of expert witnesses were heard and committee members representing all the political parties in the house.

These witnesses included people from six government departments, the Federation of Agriculture, the Consumers' Association of Canada, the agricultural chemical manufacturers' association and several university and provincial representatives.

Dr. Harley told the Ottawa Bureau of the Herald that he feels the committee has made a solid contribution to the question of pesticide use and control in Canada.

"We were fortunate in that the committee never broke down into partisan groups but worked together very well without regard to party affiliation," Dr. Harley said. "While our investigations were not in a very controversial field, the committee has involved representatives of six government departments but there has been only limited contact and liaison which are likely to arouse more controversies."

Dr. Harley said the report of the committee actually dies with the session and will have to be reconstituted when the new session of parliament begins in February. However, it is expected that most of the members will be the same and companies into the use and dangers of pesticides.

He said the question of drug use in Canada, a hot issue for some months had been left to the last, largely because it is expected that the royal commission on health, headed by Mr. Justice Emmet will be bringing in its good deal of my time this past

EASY-CARE TIPS INSURE GIFT PLANTS LIVE LONG

Your Christmas and holiday gift plants will live better and provide more lasting beauty and enjoyment if you observe a few easy care tips to insure their health.

To guard them against over-watering and over-heating, it's essential to keep them in porous clay pots used by leading professional growers and florists to insure that you receive plants of the highest quality, well fertilized and well rooted.

If some have been shipped in light thin walled, non porous containers, these should be switched to clay pots in order to provide more satisfactory growing conditions.

KNOW-HOW PRESERVES BEAUTY OF PLANTS

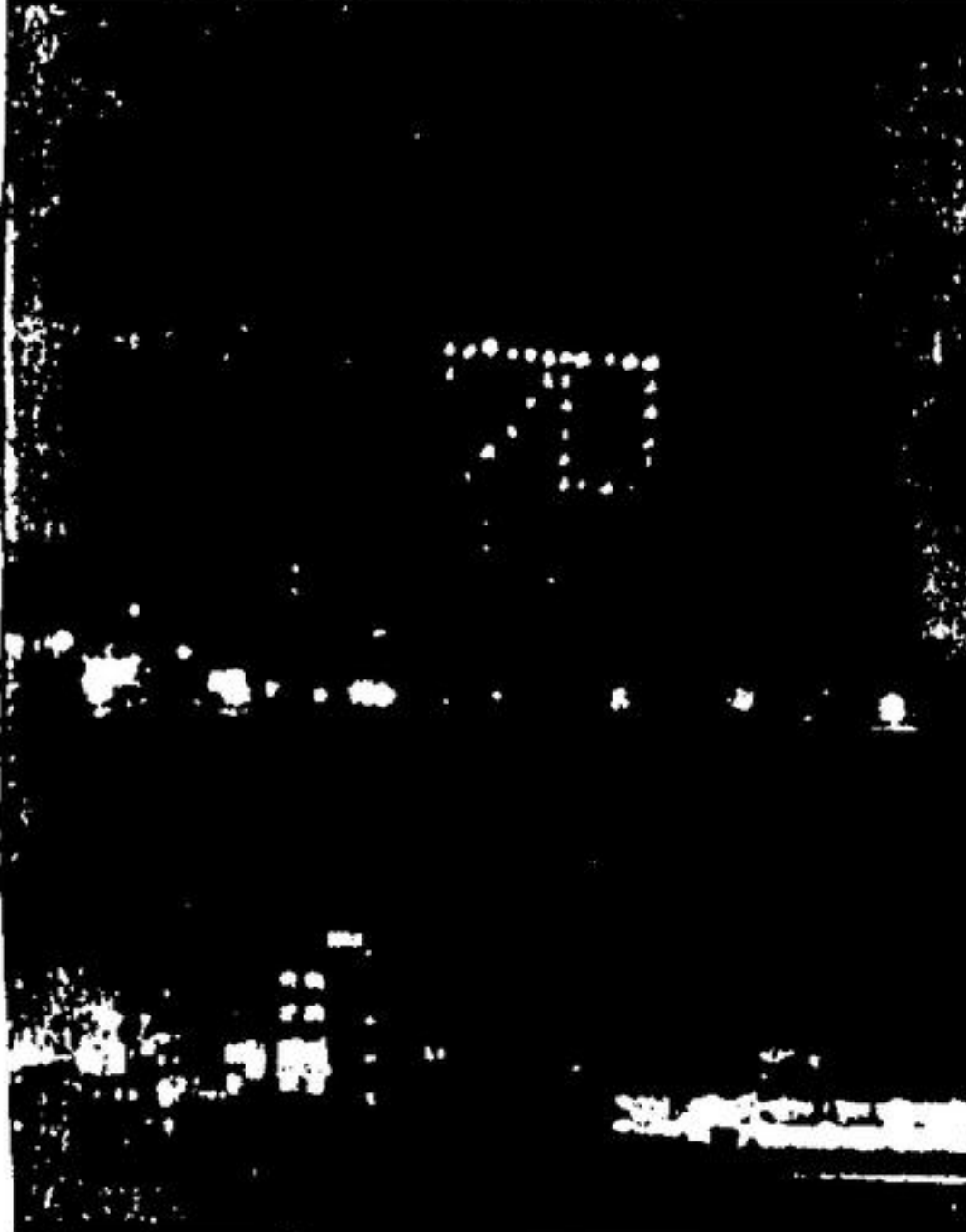
You don't really have to have a green thumb to have "luck" with house plants. You just need to remember that such plants need sufficient light and sufficient humidity.

If your plants are then and don't flower properly, they need more light. If plants drop leaves or turn brown, they lack sufficient humidity.

Give your plant the light it needs utilizing incandescent or fluorescent lights, if necessary. But by all means keep plants away from radiators and other sources of dry heat.

SOUTHERN PLANT

The poinsettias which has to be so carefully potted and protected in colder climates, will thrive in moist, shady areas of the southern U.S., Mexico and parts of South America. Red is the most common color, but there are white, pink, and yellow varieties.



Windows in the central tower against the sky is familiar to Quebec City's world-famous visitors from around the world. Chateau Frontenac Hotel, built during World War II, the hotel out the numerals 70 to signify was the headquarters for the anniversary of the opening summit meetings between Al of the original portion of the hotel, Dec. 17th, 1893. Much photo above: a number of the enlarged since that date and guests co-ordinated by sitting with its interior fitted with mo-the dark for 20 minutes while dern facilities, the 650 room-photographer snapped pictures hotel nevertheless has preser with telephoto lens from Lev with its original exterior design is Que across the St. Lawrence River.

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