

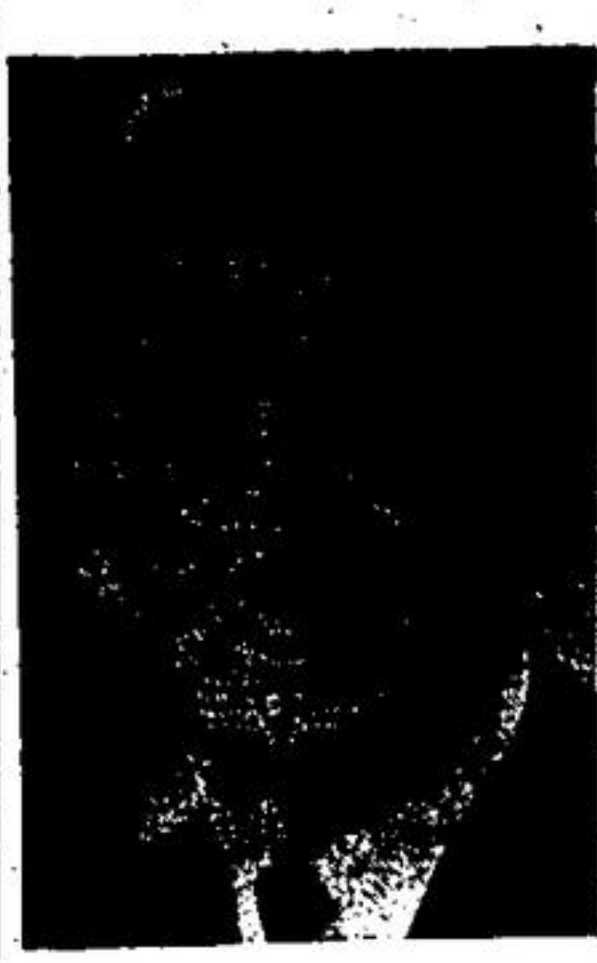
THREE SEEK HALTON EAST SEAT TUESDAY

Voices in Halton East will choose from three candidates when they go to the polls Tuesday. The new riding is being contested by Jim Snow R.R. 2, Georgetown, representing the Progressive Conservative Party, Robin Skuce, of Oakville for the Liberals and New Democratic Party standard bearer Bill Gillies.

WILLIAM GILLIES

William Gillies, an unsuccessful NDP candidate in the 1963 election, will be in the running for the new riding in Halton East.

A 46 year old Oakville councillor, he is a native of Niagara Falls and served in the Canadian Armed Forces in the Second World War and in Korea. He moved to Oakville in 1958 to



take a position with BP refinery. Mr. Gillies has been active in politics for several years. He is Oakville council's representative to the parks board, the subdivision policy committee and the Chamber of Commerce.

Although unsuccessful in 1963 Mr. Gillies polled over 5,000 votes, more than a 90 per cent increase over the NDP total in the previous election.

ROBIN SKUCE

Liberal candidate Robin Skuce at 29 years of age is the youngest entering the race. Mr. Skuce, former French teacher and a former United Church minister, is Canadian Secretary of the United Nations Association. He is a native of Ireland and received his early schooling in Belfast and later entered Trinity College in Dublin.



After three years at Trinity, he moved to Toronto, where he worked as a French translator and acted as boxing instructor at Woodgreen Community Centre.

The youthful candidate earned his Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Toronto and later studied at Emmanuel College and won a scholarship to the University of Edinburgh where he studied psychology and other subjects related to theology. He spent a year in the ministry near Lindsay and came to Appleby College in Oakville to teach in 1964.

Mr. Skuce was elected president of Halton East Liberal Association in November. He is a volunteer worker at the Children's Aid Society and a member of the Ontario Teachers' Federation.

JIM SNOW

Jim Snow, 37 year old PC candidate for Halton East, has a long active background of serving the county. Born on an Esqueping farm and receiving his schooling there and in Milton, Mr. Snow left the farm to work for a carpenter in Oakville at age 12. A year later, he went into the building business on his own. He has built schools, churches, factories; stores and apartments since expanding his business to accept general contracts.

Besides presiding over his construction company, Mr. Snow, has acted as deputy district Governor of District A-11 of



the Lions Club and with the staff of a full time helper, runs a 400 acre farm where he raises cattle.

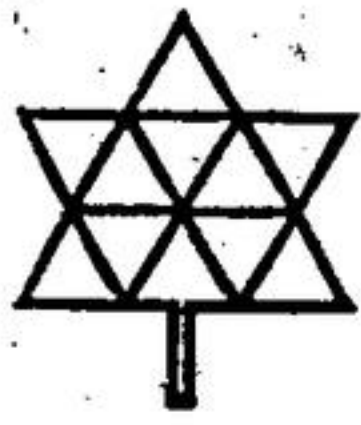
Mr. Snow has been a member of the Halton Progressive Conservative Association for the past 12 years.

The P.C. candidate is past director of the Ontario Beef Producers' Association and is a member of the Burlington-Oakville airport committee.

Mr. Snow is married with four children.

George Kerr, Progressive Conservative who represented Halton Riding in the last provincial parliament is running as a candidate in the riding of Halton West.

Opposing him are Liberal Jack Lush, and NDP Ted McDonald.



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Quite A Feat



EXHAUSTED - BODY AND SOLES
GARY GLAUDE AND PAUL EGERTON prop up their burning footsies and let sleep engulf their tired aching bodies at the end of 34 1/2 mile walk. The Georgetown youths, took part in the walk-a-thon sponsored by Oxfam, an organization which tries to raise funds to combat famine all over the world. The Youth-In group which sponsored Glaude and Egerton paid fifty cents a mile each for a total donation of \$34.50.

Reviews Features of Smith Tax Report for Chamber

Highlights of the Smith Report, a recently published report on Ontario taxation, were reviewed in a speech to the Chamber of Commerce last week by the Honourable Charles MacNaughton, provincial treasurer.

Mr. MacNaughton was speaker at a special Get Acquainted Night, planned to revive interest in Chamber activities. Over a hundred turned out for the evening at North Halton Golf and Country Club.

Mr. MacNaughton stressed that he had been booked to speak before the election announcement and that his visit was not in the nature of a political one.

He touched on the Smith report particularly as it could affect towns like Georgetown. Less property taxes, regional government, a province wide property reassessment at current values, and assumption by school boards for levying and collecting their own taxes are some of the Smith recommendations.

He stressed that municipalities will be consulted about changes and warned that if property taxes are lowered by the central government assuming a larger share of some costs, towns must pass the savings on to the home owners, rather than using the money for extra expenditures.

He said the Smith report is not designed to ruin Ontario's competitive economy but to shift the tax burden to those who can best pay it. Higher sales and gas taxes and a provincial income tax would compensate for the property tax revenue drop.

Irwin Noble, new president of the Chamber was dinner chairman and presented a gift to the speaker while thanking him for his talk. John T. Armstrong introduced him.

An activity program for the coming year was outlined by George Michm, Esqueping reeve. George Leslie and Georgetown mayor Joseph Gibbons extended municipal greetings and Rev. Kelvin Johnston, chairman of Georgetown Ministerial Association, said Grace.

Next evening planned is a dinner meeting on November 20th.

'False' Says OHC Head Of HOME Rumors Here

Reports that Ontario Housing Corporation is planning a land development program of 1,000 to 1,500 lots under the Home Ownership Made Easy Program in Georgetown are "completely false," H.W. Suters, Managing Director of OHC said last week.

Mr. Suters said small HOME subdivisions are being developed in smaller communities. For example, the Corporation offered 10 lots in Teck Township near Kirkland Lake last Tuesday and all but three of them have already been snapped up.

Servicing is now under way or serviced lots are being purchased in more than 30 Ontario municipalities which will produce more than 6,000 lots for building in 1968 he said.

Many Georgetown bicycle riders and motorcyclists have been rushing to switch their handlebars since the department of transport banned high bars two weeks ago.

He pointed out a residential subdivision of this size would not be planned for a community

Gets High Nursing Post at John Hopkins Hospital

A Georgetown woman has been named to a high post at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland.

Miss Doris Armstrong, a staff member there for 17 years, is now Director, operative and acute care services. She will be responsible for nursing and administrative activities in the general operating rooms, recovery rooms and the adult intensive care unit.

Miss Armstrong, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong, 11 McNabb St., is a graduate of Georgetown district high school and the school of nursing at Brantford General Hospital.

Local Plant is Host to Office Furniture Dealers

Office furniture and equipment dealers throughout Ontario met Tuesday and Wednesday at The General Fireproofing Company's factory here to take part in a marketing seminar with company officials.

The program included discussions of new marketing techniques and presentation of product information.

General Fireproofing is one of the world's leading manufacturers of business furniture and equipment. The firm's new 191,000 square foot office and factory serving the Canadian market went into operation in Georgetown in March.

On hand to present marketing information on GF's desks, filing cabinets, chairs and other products were: H. C. Williamson, the company's executive vice president; R. T. Riffle, manager of filing equipment; R. F. Dalton, manager of seating and J.A. Loudon, manager of sales for Canadian operations.

Bowlers Fete Member On 82nd Birthday

Four greens were in play at a Georgetown Lawn Bowling Club ladies section competition on the green at the corner of Edith and Williams Streets.

After bowling, 22 members enjoyed a supper convened by Mrs. Laura Robinson. A birthday cake was brought out for Mrs. Ethel Hay who was celebrating her 82nd birthday on the 30th of September.

Everyone wished her many more years and good luck for the winter months. She will be staying in Ottawa for the winter.

Marriage-Go-Round is Next for Little Theatre

Georgetown Little Theatre is launching this season's production, with the November presentation of "Marriage-Go-Round," a story of a professor who lectures on monogamy and his wife who lectures on domestic relations.

The lectures and theories go out the window when a beautiful Swedish girl, played by Mary Goebel, appears on the scene. The four member cast includes Ron Hill, Eric Mintz, Freda Grittani, and Mary Goebel.

The annual membership drive is on, with a campaign of telephone calls bringing in new members.

This year's Western Ontario Drama Festival entry, "The Innocents" calls for a girl who looks around eight, and a boy who could pass for twelve. Any young would-be actors are asked to call Ron Hill, who will direct this play.

EASTER IN OCTOBER?

Signs of summer in the month of October such as blue skies and warm weather are unusual but more so are signs of spring. That's what Mrs. Alex Brown, Victoria St., has in an Easter lily with four large white blossoms.

Mrs. Brown, a Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital employee, was given the plant by a patient last spring. She transplanted it into her garden and was surprised on the weekend when its second growth of blossoms burst open.

PLAX MOVING TO Q.E. SITE

Dr. Bruce Duff New Surgeon in Georgetown

Dr. Bruce R. Duff has joined the Georgetown medical fraternity with the opening of practice as a general surgeon at 21 Church Street.

His office and residence is located in the house recently vacated by Dr. M. G. O'Dwyer who is now practicing in Scarborough.

A Toronto native he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Duff of Lakefield. He attended Vaughan Road Collegiate, graduated with an Arts B.A. from the University of Toronto, and in medicine in the Class of '61 at University of Western Ontario, London.

Dr. Duff interned at Grace Hospital, Detroit, and for the past year has been associated with Northwestern General Hospital, Toronto where he wrote his surgical exams.

His wife, the former Audrey May Elliot of Calgary, Alberta is a registered nurse. They have three children Heather 7, Deborah 4, and Jonathan 2.



DR. BRUCE R. DUFF

Relocation Announced to 150 Employees by Executive V.P.

A business move which will affect some 150 Georgetown employees was revealed last week when employees of Plax Canada Limited were informed that the firm will be relocating in Burlington.

The Plax firm, located in a building adjacent to and rented from Smith & Stone Ltd., is a leader in design and production of plastic bottles. The firm, an associate company of Smith & Stone, moved here from Oshawa in 1953.

The announcement was made by D.S. Chant, company president, who said physical limitations of the Georgetown plant do not allow for necessary expansion.

The new plant will be constructed at Walker's Line and the

Queen Elizabeth Way and will allow space for additional products planned in the packaging field.

The firm expects to move in late 1968 according to Henry Martin, executive vice president of both firms.

In an announcement to employees, Mr. Martin pointed out that the new plant will be within commuting distance of Georgetown and the present staff will be given preference in employment there.

William Clark, who is plant manager, will continue in that capacity in Burlington.

The new site was selected, Mr. Martin said, after a scientific study of transportation facilities, taxes and availability of labour.

Georgetown Host School for Model United Nations Session

At 10:30 a.m., on October 20, the General Assembly of the United Nations will be called to order. The scene, however, will not be New York City but the auditorium of Georgetown District High School. For in this centennial year, Georgetown has been chosen to host the Model United Nations.

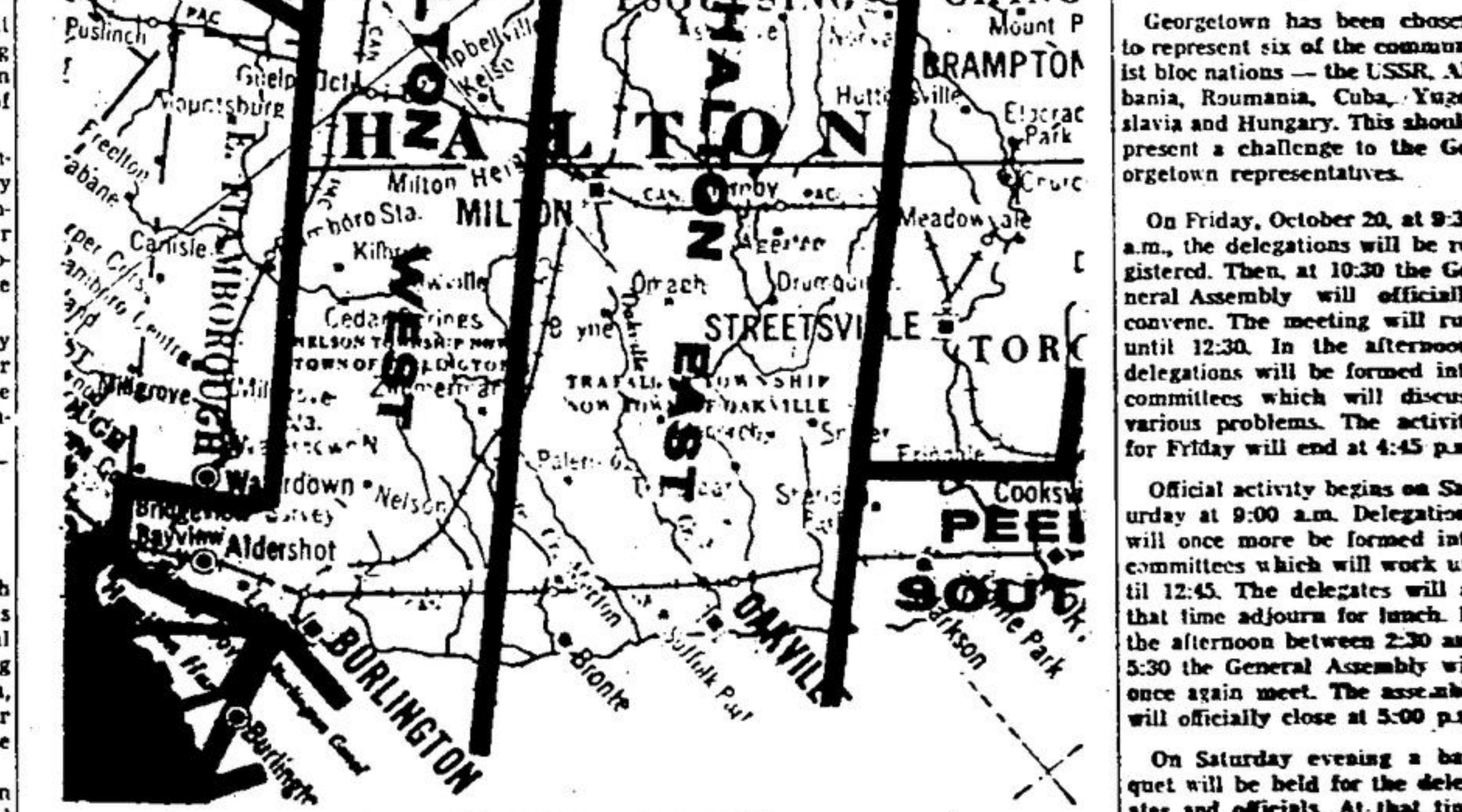
This event, which has been held for the past 8 years was designed to bring together secondary school students for the purpose of discussing the pressing political problems of our day. This year the organization will have the largest number of attending delegates in its history. One hundred and fifty students from as far away as Kitchener, Kingston and North Bay will attend.

Georgetown has been chosen to represent six of the communist bloc nations — the USSR, Albania, Rumania, Cuba, Yugoslavia and Hungary. This should present a challenge to the Georgetown representatives.

On Friday, October 20, at 9:30 a.m., the delegations will be registered. Then, at 10:30 the General Assembly will officially convene. The meeting will run until 12:30. In the afternoon, delegations will be formed into committees which will discuss various problems. The activity for Friday will end at 4:45 p.m.

Official activity begins on Saturday at 9:00 a.m. Delegations will once more be formed into committees which will work until 12:45. The delegates will at that time adjourn for lunch. In the afternoon between 2:30 and 5:30 the General Assembly will once again meet. The assembly will officially close at 5:00 p.m.

On Saturday evening a banquet will be held for the delegates and officials. At that time trophies will be presented for the best delegate and for the best delegation. The end of the banquet marks the end of all Model UN activities until it is reconvened next year.



THE NEW RIDINGS of Halton West and Halton East are shown on this map. Halton East taken in Georgetown, the lower 22 lots of Esqueping Township, Milton and Oakville. Halton West includes the upper lots of Esqueping Township, Acton and Burlington. The old Halton county riding was split in two during the redistribution of Ontario ridings.