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Water Plentiful Says Commission

No water restrictions are anticipated this summer according to the chairman of the Water Commission Roy Ballentine. With the rehabilitation of No. 3 well just completed the town now has 2,500,000 daily capacity.

The newest well, No. 5, on Princess Ann Drive, has been test pumped at a million gallons per day and will be constructed as soon as OMB approval is received.

All preliminary work has been completed by Proctor and Bedford and the equipment ordered.

Holstein Calf Dies But Save Farm Barn

One Holstein calf died, but several others in adjoining stalls were shepherded to safety in a flash fire at the Surodana Farm of Howard Tarzwell on the 8th Line of Esquesing, south of No. 10 Sideroad, Saturday.

Quick action by a hired hand who noticed smoke filtering from the building was mainly responsible for saving it. He emptied a Co 2 extinguisher on the flames and the threat was for the most part, dead when Georgetown fire trucks arrived moments after being summoned.

Georgetown firefighters finished the job by dousing smouldering boards in the loft.

Damage was limited to a small area.

"When I first took a look I thought the whole thing was gone," Mr. Tarzwell commented. "The smoke was so thick I couldn't see more than a few feet inside the building," he said.

Car Hits House Firemen Stand By

Georgetown firefighters were called to standby when a car collided with a house on Credit Street in Glen Williams, Monday night. The car an Edsel driven by Lloyd Nolan of Toronto flattened a fence and bushes and crossed the lawn at the home of Godfrey Christensen stopping just short of a gas meter.

The accident was investigated by Constable Penrice of the North Halton OPP who placed damage to the front of the car at \$75. The accident happened at 10:17 p.m.

It was the second accident investigated by North Halton OPP within the Georgetown district this week.

Sunday afternoon, a car driven by Gerard Carriere of R.R. 2, Acton, left Highway 7 near the 5th Line of Esquesing resulting in \$1,000 damage.



PARADE TEEN TOGS — Above, Karen Mounstevan, Linda Stutterd, Phyllis Barber, Sandy McBean, Yvonne Holloway, Sheila Jeffrey and Collette Warburton model some of the fashions they paraded for a large audience at a Simplicity Patterns fashion show sponsored by the ladies of Knox Church last week. The girls are all Home Economics students at Georgetown High School.

SHARP TAX HIKE FOR TWP. TAXPAYERS

Despite reassessment, Esquesing Township taxpayers will face a substantial tax jump this year.

At their last regular meeting, Esquesing council set the rate at 59.02 mills residential, and 66.75 mills commercial and industrial, with variances in each of the three fire areas. Street lighting will also make it more expensive for Glen Williams, Norval and Stewarttown residents.

A ratepayer with a \$5,000 assessment on his home will pay from \$50 to \$60 more in taxes this year, which will be partially offset by the provincial residential tax reduction which amounts to \$32.83 in the Acton fire area, \$32.48 in the Milton fire area and \$33.78 in the Georgetown fire area.

Farmers will be hit hardest by the tax hike which Esquesing officials blame on the rising cost of education.

A typical farm of 100 acres with a \$13,525 assessment faces an increase of \$270 in this year's taxes, a figure over which councillors have no control.

In the tax breakdown, the county has been slated for 5.56 mills from all farm, residential, industrial and commercial properties. For current township purposes, 8.36 will be levied on farm and residential property and 11.13 mills on industrial and commercial land.

With the new county school board, school taxes are lumped into single levies. For public schools, farm and residential levy is 26.84 mills and the industrial and commercial tax is 29.82 mills. For secondary schools, 18.26 mills will be levied on farms and residential property and 20.28 on industrial and commercial.

Esquesing fire area No. 1, in need of a new fire truck, gets the highest levy of the three fire areas with a mill rate of 3.54 mills. Acton fire area No. 2 has a levy of 1.8 mills while Milton fire area has 1.15 mills.

For street lighting, residents of Glen Williams will pay an extra 1.22 mills; Norval 1.20 mills and Stewarttown 2.50 mills.

Competing Teams Will Chase Litter in Saturday Clean-Up

The Chase is on all day Saturday, with trash and litter the hunted, and local service clubs, organizations and Scouts being the hunters.

The various clubs will form teams and compete by trying to make the area assigned to them the cleanest in town. Frank Morette, works superintendent will assign the areas when the groups assemble at the works garage on Maple Avenue E. at nine o'clock in the morning.

At presstime, the Rotary Club the Kinsmen, the Lions, the Scouts, Chamber of Commerce, Jaycees, Fire Department, and the Legion have all signified their intention to participate. There are a few more to hear from.

Five judges, Cr. Sandy MacKenzie, Walter Biehn, Alistair

4-H Club Girls Entertain With Program for Institute

Mrs. Slessoraites was convenor for the W. I. meeting on June 4. It was held in the community centre. Mrs. Jesse McEnery president opened the meeting with the W. I. Ode and prayer of Mary Stewart. She welcomed the many 4-H Home-making girls and their mothers.

Mrs. Slessoraites then took over the meeting. She said she had enjoyed working with the girls as assistant leader. Mrs. Plouffe was also an assistant with Mrs. Buchanan as leader in the latest club "Cottons May Be Smart." Mrs. Buchanan was then asked to say a few words on behalf of the group.

She said there were 26 taking this last club. She knew of more who were eager to take the next one so she thought it advisable to make two clubs.

The girls then put on the program which they did on achievement day. Frances McLean was commentator for the display and Nancy Snow was the spokesman for the group taking part in the fashion parade. Mrs. Glen gave the motto and Mrs. R. Kirkwood gave the Current Events. Mrs. Smith gave a report on the district annual. That concluded the program. The guests were invited downstairs for refreshments.

Members then met again for the business part of the meeting. It was announced that Sheila Foster of Ballinafad had received provincial honours in completing twelve 4-H Home-making clubs. So the motion was passed that she receive a gift from the institute.

We extend congratulations and best wishes to Ruth Hembruff and John Polo, who were married on Saturday. Rev. Kelvin Johnston performed the ceremony at his home in Georgetown. The bride's family were present, also a cousin and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Les Drysdale. A reception followed at the Terra Cotta Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shortill and Miss Lillian Shortill attended the wedding in Union Church on Friday evening, May 30 of Miss Margaret Wegg and Mr. Dennis Kite and the reception following in the church hall. — Winnifred Smith

Cuts, Shoulder Injury As Motorcycle, Car Crash

A young motorcyclist was injured in a collision at the intersection of Mountainview Rd. and Guelph Street, Thursday.

David Johnson, age 20, of 51 Raylawn Crescent was taken to hospital by ambulance and treated there for cuts to his left wrist and face, and dislocated left shoulder.

He was riding eastward on Guelph Street when his motorcycle collided with a station wagon driven by Elizabeth Goldup of -31 Queen Street which was crossing from Mountainview Road North.

Constable Earl Andress estimated damage at \$175 to the station wagon and \$75 to the motorcycle.

Norton Crescent. According to police the Pope car was backing out of driveway when it struck the Morden car, which had just backed from a driveway on the opposite side of the road.

A hundred and twenty-five dollars damage was done to the Pope car according to Constable E. Andress.

Guides See Pioneer Life

A very educational trip to the Black Creek Conservation area including Pioneer Village was enjoyed Saturday, June 7 by 50 Guides and Brownies from Georgetown and Lamehouse area. Leaders in charge were Mrs. Knoespel, Mrs. Kruger and Miss Grace Graham.

All-Concrete Home New Experiment in Building

An experimental house at the corner of Edward and Byron Streets has caught the eye of many a passer by, with its unusual construction.

The house is being built by General Concrete Ltd., as an experiment. It is new type of construction of prestressed concrete, with outside and inside dividing walls all made of concrete.

The inner dividing walls are of light weight block, and will be covered with sheet rock attached by a special adhesive. There is no mortar used in either exterior or interior walls, here also a special glue is used.

St. John Display Realistic Depiction of Brigade Work

An explosion in Acton last week injured four persons, and a car crash sent two boys and a man to hospital with serious injuries.

Careless camping was blamed for a third mishap involving a teenager and his father.

The accident victims, all hospital cases were treated by St. John Ambulance brigades of the Halton - Peel Corps.

The realistic explosion, car smash and camping accident were staged for demonstration purposes in Acton arena at the annual inspection of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Halton - Peel Corps.

For the first time in its 12 year history, Acton St. John Ambulance division hosted the colorful event attended by brigades from Oakville, Brampton, Milton, Port Credit, Burlington. (Acton is combined with Georgetown).

Acton Citizens' Band played background music for the opening parade, march past, inspection of ranks and vehicles.

Inspecting officer, C. S. Simmons, area commissioner, Central Ontario area took the general salute from officers of the seven divisions on parade.

Before dismissing the 200 St. John Ambulance members, Commissioner Simmons congratulated them on their excellent performance. He was equally impressed by the Corps' wonderful spirit of camaraderie evident throughout the program.

Halton - Peel Corps superintendent, J. R. Wilson of Oakville, combined the roles of parade marshal and emcee.

It took about 30 pairs of strong St. John Ambulance arms to push a wrecked red convertible into the rink to set the stage for the first demonstration — first aid to three crash victims.

Acton and Milton divisions gave first aid, after removing the driver and his two young passengers from the glass-strewn wreck.

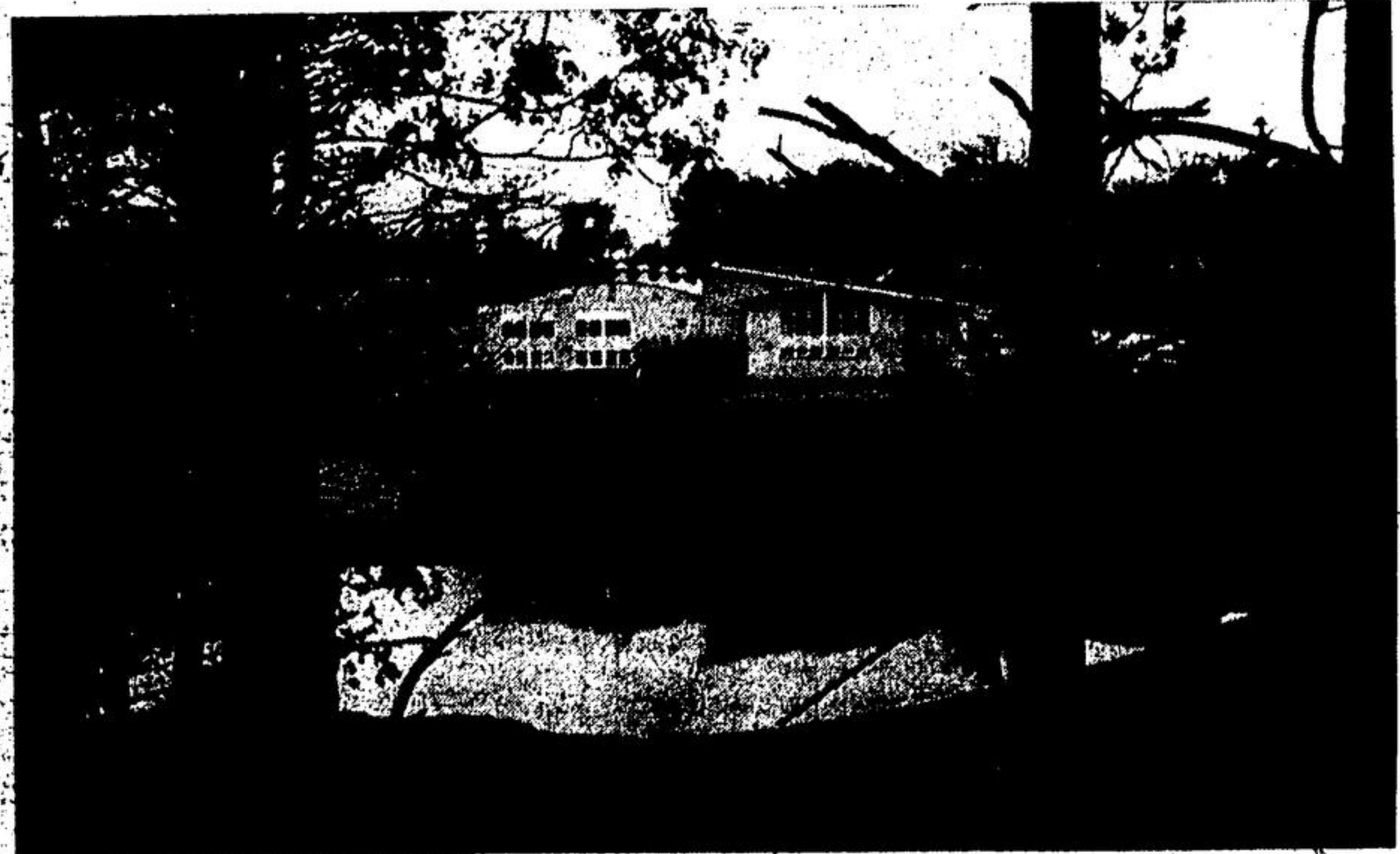
The skit-ended with the St. John Ambulance making a screaming exit with its load of hospital cases.

Burlington and Oakville combined went to the aid of the careless campers; a boy who chopped his foot with an axe and father who fell on a broken beer bottle; in the chain-reaction mishap.

The arena was blacked out to set the atmosphere for the explosion. Flashes and bangs punctuated the darkness. When the lights went on, spectators goggled at a grim disaster scene, four bodies, prone in the debris.

Brampton and Port Credit brigades teamed up to treat the injured, all stretcher cases. Invited to the floor to watch the first aid demonstrations, the public was impressed and said so — by the efficiency of the

North Halton Golf Club Celebrates Completion of 18 Hole Course



North Halton Golf and Country Club on Maple Avenue

An objective long talked about and anticipated has been reached at North Halton Golf and Country Club where 18 holes are now in play.

To celebrate the end of the three year project converting the course from nine to 18 holes, a special day of competition for members has been arranged for Sunday which will include a full day of golf, a break for lunch and a dance and buffet in the evening.

An official opening when the traditional ribbon will be cut by club president Bill McNally as Cedar Crest.

In 1954 a local group purchased the property and founded the present golf club using the Wil-

loughby residence as a club house. In 1960 the Georgetown Curling Club which had been amalgamated with the golf club operating at the Memorial arena and as a result a new clubhouse incorporating a curling rink was built. The old Wiloughby house was demolished.

Work on the 18 hole project started in 1963.

GOODBYE PIE — Cub David Garr one of the contestants in a pie eating contest at the District Cuboree at Centennial Park, Saturday displays his "style" as he attacks one of the Texas tarts. The pie eating contest was one of a long list of events and competitions which made it a full day for the 250 Cubs and their leaders.

