

# Hillsburgh medical centre officially opened July 27

by Dave Pink  
With private donations and help from the Wellington County Medical Co-operative the residents of Hillsburgh and

area have built themselves a brand new medical centre.

Rob Ralston, secretary Freda Reid, Betty Marshall, Rev. William Cook, Frank Gray and Ken McKinnon began talking about the project in January.

Progress was spontaneous until the official opening of the centre in a ceremony July 27.

Funds for the project were donated by Hillsburgh citizens and matched evenly by Wellington Medical. Work on the building began near the beginning of May by Dave Barber Construction of Hillsburgh.

Dr. Ken Walker, a former student of the University of Toronto Medical School had just completed his internship at North York General Hospital and was acquired by the committee through Dr. Copeman of the Ontario Government Ministry of Health to staff the facility.

A lifetime resident of Toronto, Dr. Walker stated he did not want to practice in the city and had approached the Ministry of Health for a rural appointment.

Before the construction of the medical centre, doctorless Hillsburgh residents were forced to patronize Erin's one doctor or travel farther to Acton, Georgetown, or Guelph to receive medical attention.

**Cheap Cadillac**  
At Daytona Beach, a steam car reached 128 mph... In 1961 this was a record that stood for 15 years, says the Ontario Safety League. In that same year, 1966, a Cadillac Model M sold for \$950; a Ford Model K sold for \$2,500.



OUTSIDE the new Hillsburgh Community Medical Centre, Dr. Ken Walker has been chosen to staff the facility. A recent University of Toronto Medical Student, he prefers a rural practice to the city. The building raised through the efforts of Hillsburgh residents provided the ideal place. (D. Pink photo)

## Churchill

### Holiday visitors plentiful in area

Church Service at Churchill Church at 10:30 a.m. will continue for the next six Sundays when the Acton Baptist Congregation will worship here. Rev. A.W. Fosbury's sermon was "The Christian's Commission". Mrs. Emerson Anderson sang a solo "Hold Thou My Hand". Little misses Linda Zion, Susan Milne, Jackie Denny and Debbie Rogers attended Helen Kock 10th birthday party last Saturday at their home, The Fourth Line Flower Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Swackhamer and Debbie visited with Beth's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Reimer of Virgil and family on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Jantz and family of Abbotsford B.C. were also visiting at her parental home on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Jantz visited at the home of her sister Leslie and Beth in Acton on Churchill Road.

Miss Erica Strokov, who is working in Fenelon Falls for the summer vacation sang a solo in the United Church there last Sunday. She enjoys taking part in their choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Keasberry returned home to Holland last week, after holidaying with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. William Kockx and Helen. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turner and family visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Julian in Brampton, who have just returned from a motor trip to the coast. Heather, Steven, Allison, and

Michelle Down of Sunderland holidayed for part of last week with little cousins Jeffrey and Christine Kerr. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kerr took them home on Wednesday and enjoyed a short visit with Pn's sister Mr. and Mrs. Down.

Rev. and Mrs. Fosbury are happy to announce they have another little grandson, a wee brother for Craig. Proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Orval Cross. The baby, premature was taken to Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto for special care. We hope he can soon be brought home to his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Donald and David have arrived home after holidaying for two weeks at the cottage in Fenelon Falls.

**Ospringle**  
New booth but no phone  
St. Louis upsets New York  
By Doris Fines  
There were a few bewildered people going through Ospringle on the busy weekend. A telephone booth is being installed on the corner, in front of the Ospringle Groceries. People seeing the

Mr. Garry Dobbie is home now having a few relaxing holidays, after completing his course of studies at Guelph University. Mrs. Clara Mitchell of Churchill has returned home by plane after holidaying for three weeks in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dobbie and their two grandsons, Greg and Guy Maltby enjoyed a holiday touring and camping around Georgian Bay and visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. Wilbert Brown, who has been ill for some time is home again for a while from East General Hospital in Toronto, but still has to return for treatments. We hope he soon will have much better health.

booth, stopped and went in, but could find no phone, — it hadn't arrived yet. Mrs. Enoch Wood attended the golden wedding anniversary of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ellis of Sand Hill, and stayed a few days to visit.

Among the visitors this week of Mrs. Thomas Fines and Doris, and Mrs. W. C. McMillan, were Mrs. Robert Hore and Douglas of Kanata, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Rees of Mount Forest, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMillan, Mrs. Harry Armstrong, Mrs. Myrn Devaux of Guelph, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert James of Erin.

Church services resumed on Sunday in Knox Presbyterian, after a month of vacation. Rev. Don Herbison is back at the helm. Miss Darlene Robertson of Guelph visited for a few days with Mrs. W. J. Jackson. Other visitors with Mrs. Jackson were, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Carlyle from Manitoulin Island, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hurren of Mitchell, and Leslie Jackson of Orton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart flew to England for two or three days, and also spent a day in Belgium before returning home. Gals battle  
On Monday evening of last

week, at Ospringle, the two Ospringle softball teams battled it out. Scores were close until the third inning when New York broke away with ten runs, and stole the game at that point. Final score: New York 30 - St. Louis 18.

On Thursday night to everyone's surprise, St. Louis finally beat New York. Congratulations St. Louis! If at first you don't succeed...

On August 13, a mother and daughter game will be scheduled. The girls are challenging their mothers, so mothers, do come out and show your daughters what you can do. Any fathers who would like to umpire are welcome.

Remaining schedule is: August 9, Cincinnati (Erin) - New York Mets (Ospringle) at Ospringle; St. Louis (Ospringle) - Montreal (Erin) at Erin; August 16, Cincinnati (Erin) - Montreal (Ospringle) at Ospringle; New York Mets (Ospringle) - Montreal (Erin) at Erin.

These will be the last regular season games. On Aug. 25, Montreal and Cincinnati will be playing for their championship in Erin, and August 23, St. Louis and New York Mets will be playing their championship game at

## Silverwood

### Rain one night equals all July

By Allela F. Scott  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilson were guests of Mr. P. Leslie at his cottage at Acton Island recently. Dr. A. Furness's new home is progressing rapidly on the eighth line.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Burt enjoyed a 10 day visit to Vancouver Island and visited sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gaulty. George did some fishing and caught some coho salmon which they enjoyed at dinner time.

Mrs. Minda Corbett has been hostess to family members this past few weeks. Bert and Frances Corbett, who have spent the last 11 months cruising around the Caribbean, spent several weeks; also Mrs. Frances Hunter of Chatham is visiting with two grand daughters and one great grandson.

John Carmichael reached 7 on July 30 and had a party. Six

playmates came and enjoyed pony riding and swimming with John. Many happy birthdays to John.

Aug. 1st rain fell 1.40" over night. July—1.09"—which came in very small showers.

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Let's talk about **HORSES**  
with Jennifer Barr

I've had several discussions lately with people who are trying to "train" horses and ponies of a few months old to a year or so. Instead of this "training" consisting of halter breaking and general handling, it seems to mean a small child being placed on the animal's back and riding it around.

"Oh, it won't hurt the colt even if he is only ten months old—my son doesn't even weigh 40 pounds. After all, we've got to start some time!"

It breaks my heart to hear of this because it's so obvious what's going to happen. It's like asking a small boy to load a hay wagon—he's willing and he'll try but he'll be awfully sore and fed up by the time he's half way through.

So often people buy a colt and can't wait to get some use out of it. Horses were born to be ridden, weren't they? This seems to be a frequent attitude. What these people don't realize is that a horse has to achieve a certain stage of maturity, both physical and mental, (usually around two years) before training should begin.

And training takes time—it is not just a matter of slapping a kid on Blackie's back and saying "you are now saddle-broke".

The horse that is ridden too early tends to suffer from leg strain and consequent breakdown in later years. Even if this doesn't happen, he usually rebels at age three or four and becomes an argumentative monster, merely because he wasn't mature enough before schooling began. Incidentally, a horse isn't considered grown up until four years old!

I guess I'll have to start picketing or harness myself to a wagon in order to make any impression on people who insist on riding these colts so early.

herself, and looked again. It was still there. Telling herself not to be an idiot she hummed a song and looked hard at a tree. Slowly turning toward the vision she saw that it was indeed still there—gliding on silent hooves. Gathering up her long nightie, she tiptoed down the driveway and followed her mirage. Unfortunately the effect was marred as she tripped over a rope being dragged by the ghost. Picking up the rope she reeled in her catch and discovered a grubby non-descript palomino pony blinking at her out of eyes.

It seems her "dream horse" was a neighbor's pony who had broken his tether and had to be dragged reluctantly home, thus dispelling any lovely illusions.

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