



HILLSBURGH'S OLD railway station has been transported to the Silver Creek Conservation Area on the Ninth Line to be used as a gate house for a museum complex for the Credit Valley Conservation Authority Foundation. Inside it is like a page from the 19th century—pot-bellied stove, wooden benches lining the wall and railway paraphernalia.

Plan museum complex in Silvercreek area

The Credit Valley Conservation Authority Foundation is planning a museum complex in conjunction with almost 3,000 acres of prime Niagara Escarpment recreation land in Halton Hills, near Silvercreek, midway between Georgetown and Acton.

Nucleus of the museum project has begun by acquiring several old wooden buildings from Markborough Properties Ltd., Mississauga, among which is a church shed from Eden United church.

For the gatehouse to the unique project the Authority has moved the old Hillsburgh railway station to a site on the Ninth Line above 27 Sideroad. Inside the old station is a page from the 19th Century—a pot-bellied stove, wooden benches, a wired ticket booth typical of old stations.

Other buildings have been dismantled and transported to the Silver Creek Conservation Area to be erected for display space.

Plans for the museum complex depend mainly on voluntary donations from an interested public. No grants are available from the Ontario Government for purely historical projects. However, the Foundation has collected many items of historical interest over the years since it was granted a charter in 1965 including furnishings for a 1900 school-house and a complete line of horse-drawn farm implements.

When the Authority purchased a farm in the Silver Creek Conservation area, north of Georgetown, it was the perfect place for a museum complex. It is being

planned under the chairmanship of Howard H. Stewart of Huttonville.

An its terms of reference, this group plans the acquisition, rehabilitation and/or restoration of buildings and sites; the acquisition of articles of a historic nature and the inventory and management of all unique artifacts owned by the Foundation.

These are costly objectives and the Foundation was initiated to provide the interested public with a tax free method of helping preserve the historic heritage of the Credit Valley.

Donations to the Credit Valley Conservation Authority Foundation are tax deductible for income tax purposes and a certificate will be issued to all donors.

\$25,000 addition

Halton Region's Public Works Committee will seek accommodation for six men and equipment at the new Esqueing works yard. The committee approved a recommendation from Director Bob Baillie that would see a \$25,000 addition built onto that garage to house the men and equipment.

In the meantime the committee agreed to see if a shared facility arrangement could be worked out at the Georgetown or Esqueing yard on a short term basis.

Baillie told the committee the eventual plan was to acquire a regional yard in Halton Hills. At that time the addition to the Esqueing yard would revert back to the town.

Bates out

Halton Regional Police Commission has severed relationship with Regional Solicitor Noel Bates. Bates had served as the commission's lawyer as well.

Police Commissioner and Mayor of Oakville Harry Barrett said the commission had decided to use outside legal advice when and if that was required. He explained the commission had become disenchanted with the arrangement when confusion arose concerning the commission's ability to sign leases or enter into contracts.

D. Coons questions account

Members of the Regional Administration and Finance Committee want to know who authorized representatives of the legal department to attend a recent convention and who authorized payment of the accounts before the committee had a chance to peruse them.

Burlington Councillor Dave Coons called for an investigation and report into the matter after finding the voucher in the list of accounts to be presented at the meeting.

Coons could not recall any resolution or request to have anyone attend the meeting. He was further irritated to learn the bill had already been paid.

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Two year ban on self-serve gas

Halton Hills administration committee has decided there will only be one self-serve gas station in the town during the next two years.

"By not letting any more in over the next two years it will give us a chance to assess their safety and then decide if there will be any more allowed to set up shop," committee chairman Roy Booth said.

A Sunoco self-serve outlet opened recently on Guelph Street.

The decision to review the operation of the existing outlet after two years came after discussion of the by-law governing the outlets. Committee chairman Roy Booth had brought the by-law back from council to get some feedback from the two fire chiefs.

Acton Chief Mick Holmes said that he thought it was a good by-law. "It's got some teeth in it and gives us good control," he observed.

"It's patterned after the Burlington by-law and they found it was enforceable. I think we've got a good by-law," said Georgetown Area Chief Ken Bulkema.

Booth, Councillors Ric Morrow and Dick Howitt all agreed that it was a good, tough by-law.

Booth said that while the by-law was good he just didn't like the idea of self-serve gas outlets in Halton Hills.

"I just don't like them and

don't think they are safe enough. The oil companies set them up on a two year basis to see if they make money so maybe we should put this one on a two-year trial basis to see about their safety," he proposed.

Bulkema pointed out that two more applications were in the works but regardless of the by-law each one had to apply separately.

"Under the gasoline handling act they have to receive permission from the municipality for each one. We have the power to stop any more," he said.

"Haven't we let the horse in the gate so to speak," Morrow observed.

Booth pointed out that the application for the Sunoco station had been approved before the by-law and although there was nothing that could be done about it they could prevent the rest.

"How many stations would there be if each oil company was allowed to set up one station," wondered Howitt.

He was told there would be at least six or seven in that case and then there would be no way to evaluate them. The committee was worried about discriminating against all the oil firms except Sunoco by only allowing one to operate in the town.

"I think we'd better ban the rest for 1975 and '76 and then review the situation," Morrow concluded.



BUILDING BOOM continues! A weekend drive through town brings a weekly surprise, as houses seem to spring up like mushrooms. These ones are in Bovis subdivision.

Kenneth Hahn receives honor

An Acton banker has been named a Fellow of the Institute of Canadian Bankers, the educational arm of the Canadian Bankers' Association, following a banking course at the University of Toronto, the ICB has announced.

Kenneth Hahn, 32, of 86 Acton Boulevard, employed by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce as assistant manager of personnel at Commerce Court in Toronto, is the newly qualified FICB. The banking course at U. of T. was directed by Prof. M. Hecht, Coordinator, School of Continuing Studies.

Mr. Hahn was one of 287 banker students to achieve Fellowship status through 46 participating universities across the country, including an Independent Study Program conducted by correspondence through the University of Toronto for bankers living in communities where lecture facilities are not available.

The Fellowship course consists of ten subjects, each requiring about 60 hours of lectures, with supplementary

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Six potter's wheels, an electric kiln, looms, easels and miscellaneous craft equipment are aboard the 40 by 10 foot mobile studio.

Introductory craft classes are offered to school children during the day. These classes are electives and developed in co-operation with school staff.

Adults may register for painting, pottery, crochet, weavings and working with wool. Adult classes are in the evenings and Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

A "gardening" course will be offered to include "gardening indoors" and subjects of concern to the class par-

ticipants, including general landscaping.

Registrations for Craft Trailer programs will be accepted on Tuesday, Oct. 9 from 7 to 9 p.m. and Wednesday, Oct. 10 from 1 to 3 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Registration may be made in the Craft Trailer at the Bennett School, Acton.

The Sheridan College Craft Trailer was on display at the Acton Fair. During this time there was a favorable response to a survey of general interest in Sheridan College programs, said Zouch Palmer, supervisor.

Persons with continuing education interests are invited to telephone Reg. Gibson, Community Services Division, Brampton, at 459-7533.

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