

### Council upset with rulings

Halton Hills council decided on October 22 to request the Regional Land Division Committee furnish them with information concerning their decisions.

"If you look at the cases they have sent us you see some were granted with costs, others without costs. Some weren't even granted. I think we have all heard complaints to the effect the committee is parochial. I think this is an excellent example of this," charged Councillor Roy Booth. He cited a number of separations which he thought may not have been properly handled.

Councillor Ric Morrow suggested council asked the Land Division committee to let them know the basis on which costs are assessed. In addition Morrow wanted the council to be informed the criteria under which a separation was granted or denied.

### May patent coat of arms

The finance committee of Halton Hills decided to apply for a patent on the new Halton Hills coat of arms designed by Miss Dorothy Stone.

Clerk-administrator Doug Pritchard said he had been told by Miss Stone that it might take sometime for the Lord Lyon court in Edinburgh, Scotland, to approve the coat of arms. He said a patent would protect the municipality from anyone else using it.

Councillor Ernie Sykes pointed out if any changes were necessary they would be minor. "It is a unique design and should be protected," he added.

### Contact Centre may get \$1,000

The Finance committee of Halton Hills voted \$1,000 to North Halton Contact Centre, Monday night. Council will make the final decision next week.

Treasurer Harry Henderson said the Centre costs \$238 a month to operate. He said he was told some of the members contribute both time and money, and they have received contributions from service clubs. He said Georgetown council gave them \$400 last year.

The treasurer said \$500 this year and another \$500 to cover the initial period next year would keep the Contact Centre open.

Councillor Ernie Sykes said he thought this had already been passed.

The treasurer explained \$2,500 had been allocated in the budget, but the payment was held up until council knew their needs.

Councillor Harry Levy said the town wanted to help the Centre, and suggested they grant \$1,000 now with the grant to be reviewed next year.

### \$325 cost to fight

Ma Bell and her telephone company came in for a rough time at finance committee of Halton Hills, Monday night.

The discussion arose when a request came from the Association of Municipalities of Ontario asking a contribution of one cent per capita to defray the cost of fighting the Bell Telephone increases.

Councillor Harry Levy contended the cost should not be borne by the municipalities but by the provincial and federal governments. He said he was more concerned with the attached resolution sent out by the A.M.O. in which they asked the federal and provincial governments to bear the costs.

"I think it's a rip-off," commented Councillor Ernie Sykes. "When Bell makes an application the people have to fight out legal expenses to fight it should be the federal and provincial governments. The taxpayers shouldn't be involved. That's what the elected members are elected to do - to protect the people's interest, not to leave a matter like this to the A.M.O. to fight."

Sykes admitted it was only \$325 for Halton Hills, but pointed out Toronto might have to contribute \$30,000.

The Finance committee recommended the one cent per capita be paid, and endorsed the resolution proposed by the A.M.O.



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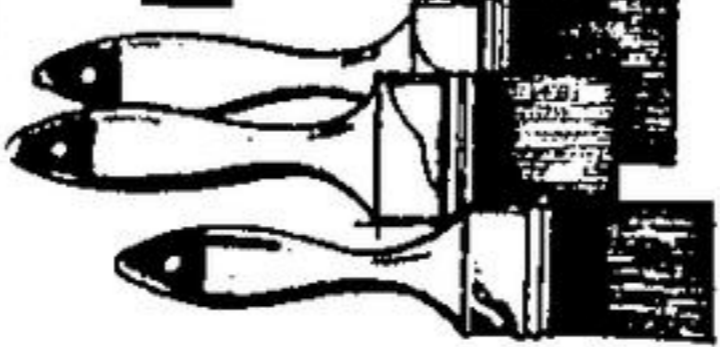
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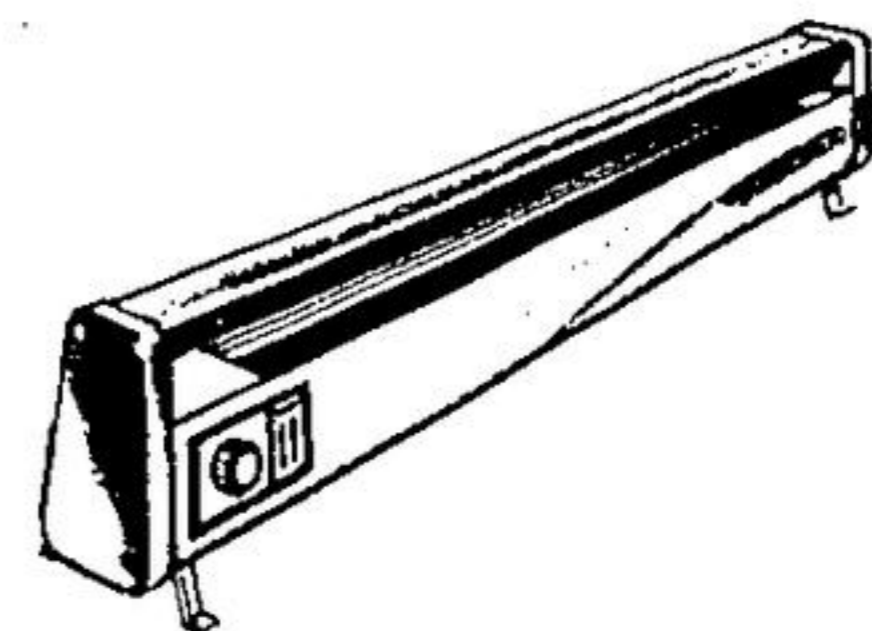
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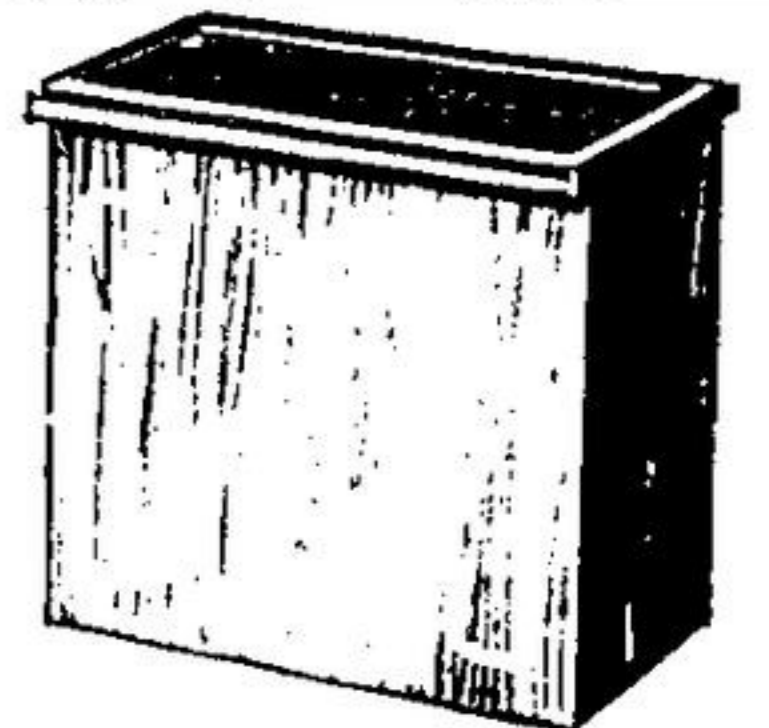
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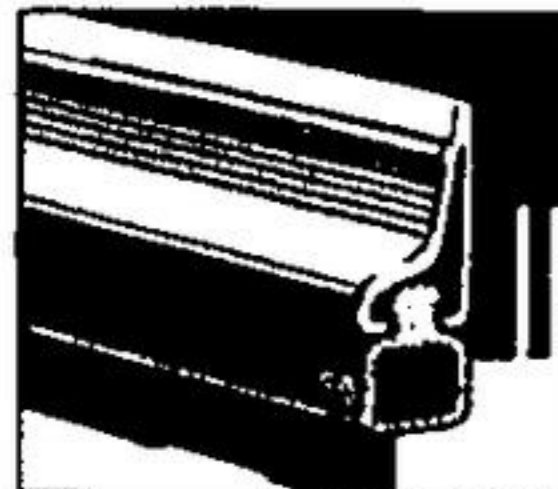


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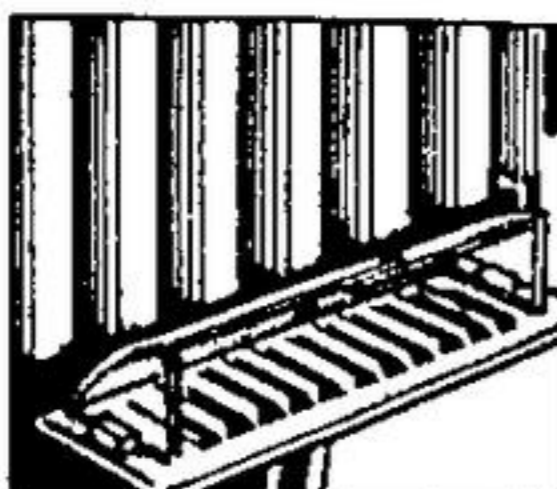
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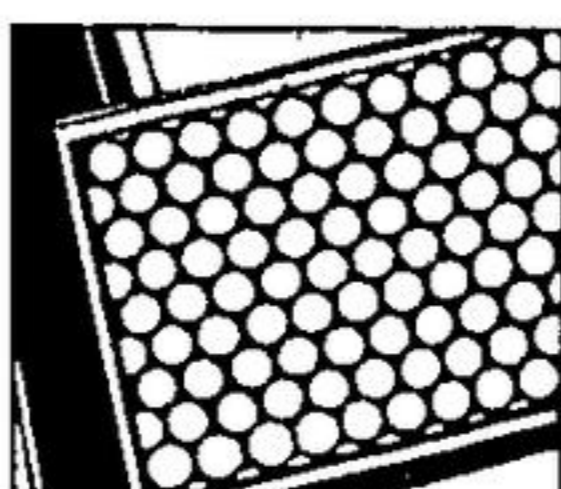
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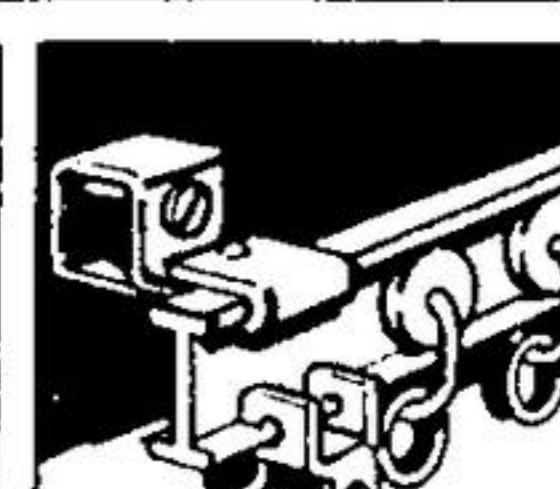
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