

Former reeve

John Robertsons' 50 years of marriage celebrated

Former Nassagaweya residents Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of 123 Anne Blvd. Milton were honored Sunday on their golden wedding anniversary (over 200 friends, neighbors and relatives braved the rain to visit them at an open house in St. Paul's United Church and offer best wishes on their 50th anniversary.

The United Church Women of St. Paul's catered to the event. Mr. Robertson's sisters Mrs. Rachael Roberts

and Mrs. Mary Simpson and friends Mrs. Walter Freeman, Mrs. Andy Frank, Mrs. Ellen Harbottle and Mrs. Rena Greinke poured tea for the guests and their granddaughter Susan Robertson was in charge of the great book.

40 years on farm
Originally from Lowville-Kulbride area, the Robertsons were married Nov. 27, 1924 at the Lowville United Church parsonage by Rev. M. A. Conran. Shortly after their marriage they purchased a farm in Lot 18, Conc. 3 Nassagaweya and moved there in the spring of 1925, remaining on the farm 40 years until he retired from farming and sold the property in 1965.

The Robertsons ran a mixed farm with milking Holsteins and turkeys. Since moving to Milton 10 years ago he has worked as a security guard for the Ontario Jockey Club at Mohawk Raceway.

Mr. Robertson is well known in municipal circles as he spent a total of 19 years as a councillor in Nassagaweya Township, including two years as deputy reeve and one year as reeve. He retired in the 1960's. He first joined council in 1931 and notes that he is the only member of the 1931 council still living.



50TH ANNIVERSARY was celebrated Sunday at St. Paul's Church by Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Milton.

Both sons are Sergeants—Keith with the Milton Precinct of Halton Regional Police, and Paul with the RCMP. They also have six grandchildren.

Halton team is second Royal judging contest

by Henry J. Stanley
Agricultural Representative
The Halton team of Mary Anderson, Earl McLean and Dave Holt were runners up to Wellington for the championship in the Inter County Live Stock Evaluation Competition at the Royal on Thursday, Nov. 14, being just two points lower than Wellington. They also won the second highest team in the Swine section.

A total of 70 young people from across the province spent that week touring farms in southwestern Ontario and ended up at the competition at the Royal. The competition consisted of evaluation and judging of dairy, beef, sheep and swine.

We were very pleased to have Mary Anderson on the team this year, as this was the first time young ladies had competed. Deborah

Haleck from Kenora also took part along with her husband. At the same time, an Inter College Competition was held and Carol Homer of Acton, our 1974 Halton Furrow Queen, was a member of the team from the Centralia College of Agricultural Technology.

In the individual placings, Dave Holt was fourth, Earl McLean eighth, and Mary Anderson fourth.

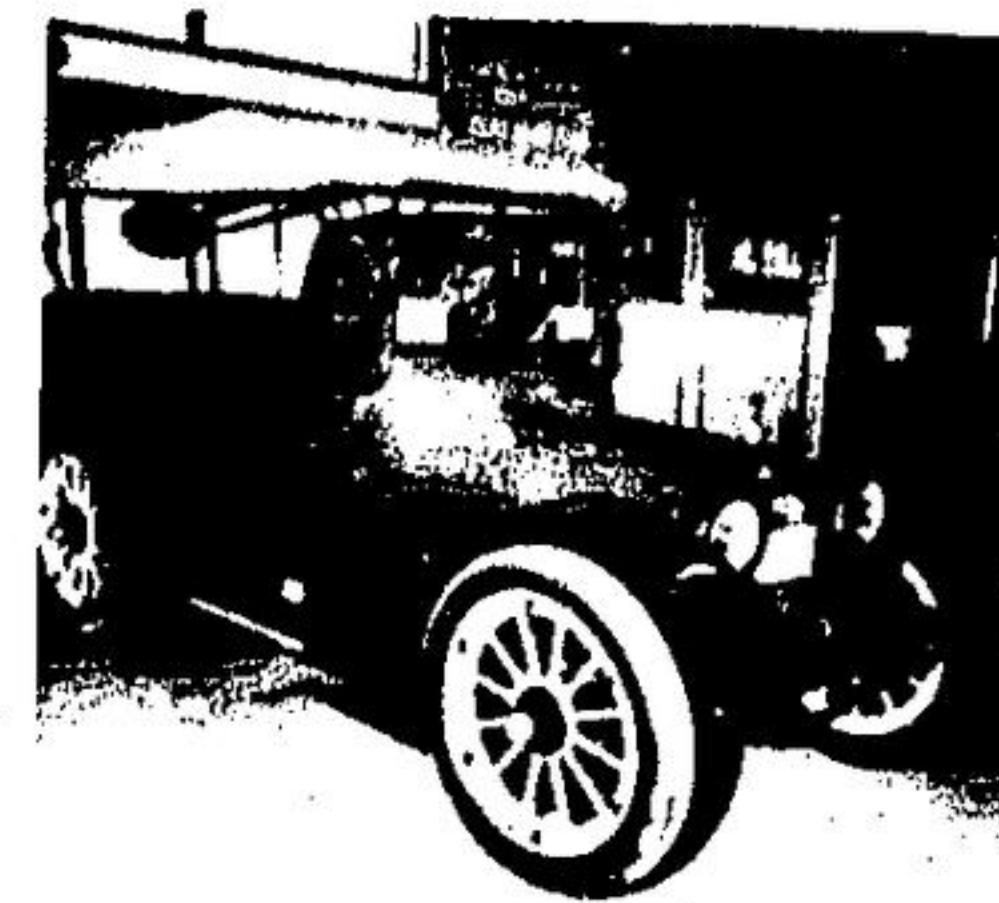
Toni Wilson, Georgetown, a member of our Halton 4-H Field Crop Club, placed seventh in the 4-H Barley section.

In the 4-H showmanship class, under the Halton section, the Champion Showman was Lynne Stewart of Hornby, a member of our Halton 4-H Holstein Calf Club. She won the Lawara Trophy over 63 other contestants. Her brother Paul Stewart was

fourth in this class. Valerie Knight, Puslinch, a member of our Halton 4-H

Sheep Club, placed third in the Ladies Lead and Wool Class. Also competing in one of the 16 contestants in this class was Laurin Currie of Milton. These young ladies were dressed in woolen clothing and had to lead a lamb around the ring, being scored on their costume, control of the animal and poise and personality.

At Halton Museum



1915 Buick car

This is the only 1915 McLaughlin Buick touring car of its kind left in the world. It is on loan to the museum courtesy of Russ Cole of Hornby. He bought it from Bob Peel of Galt in 1962 when it was little more than a rusted-out shell. It had 10,000 miles on it at that time. Since then Mr. Cole has put some 3,000 miles on the car and describes it as "a very dependable car." It took five years to completely restore it and it was first put back on the road in 1967.

1915 was the first year an electric starter was standard equipment on cars. When new the price was \$1,250. Weight of the car is 2,150 pounds.

It has a three speed transmission with reverse, and the tires are 34 by 4 1/2 inches with 25 inch rims. It has a four cylinder roller cam cast engine with top speed of 65 mph, although it is difficult to steer at that speed. It gets approximately nine miles to the gallon.

This car has most recently been used by the CBC as the family car in the Jaina family White Oaks series.

Chair debate ends happily

The great chair debate is over and justice prevails once again at Halton Regional Headquarters. In an effort to crack down on spending, regional council recently voted against providing 50 chairs for public seating.

Only two weeks ago Burlington councillor Dave Coors argued there had never been an occasion where people visiting council had to stand or sit on the floor. What Coors did not say at that point was there had been frequent occasions when staffers were required to cart office furniture into the chambers to accommodate those who otherwise would have had to stand.

All over the floor
At a public meeting just after the decision had been made, all available chairs and some chesters were in use and people were still left standing. Last Wednesday during a regular session of council about 30 Milton District High School students made the trip south to see the "circus" and they were left to scatter themselves about the floor.

It was at that juncture that Oakville Councillor Terry Mannell re-introduced the matter of more chairs and finally, authorization was given. The expenditure, estimated at \$300, will be absorbed in the region's \$15,000,000 budget. The matter had been introduced on at least four occasions in committees and council.

Church work
He also served a few years as a school section trustee during the 1930s. Mrs. Robertson (nee Lola Peer) is active in church ladies' work and is a member of Mountain Union Women's Institute.

Among the guests at their anniversary open house Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Erland Colling of Burlington, who stood up with them on their wedding day. Guests also included two friends who are over 90 years of age, Russell Clements of Milton and Mrs. Charles Peer of Aldershot.

Their family held a dinner party at the Guelph Country Club on Friday evening, with 24 present. Their children are Phyllis (Mrs. G. C. Pemberton) of Guelph, Keith of Milton and Paul of Regina, Sask.

Facilitator for HRHSC

Halton Region Human Services Council has selected Nancy MacPherson as the first facilitator to be hired by the council.

The facilitator will spearhead the operation. The council has been working together for two years now. Their objective is to co-ordinate the

multitude of human services now available, to avoid duplication of services and to assist where possible in helping groups and individuals

Miss MacPherson is a graduate of the University of Guelph and Carleton University.

Is Highway 5 site for Region office?

An informed source says a site on Highway Five near Walker's Line will be recommended as the new site for Halton regional headquarters.

The region moved out of the Steeles Ave. County Building in Milton last April to a temporary site at the junction of the Guelph Line and the Queen Elizabeth Highway in Burlington. The region has a three year lease, with an option to extend the lease to five years if necessary.

Committee at work
A building and site committee has been involved in finding a permanent location for almost a year now.

Some consideration is being given to sharing accommodation with Halton Board of Education and other local government bodies.

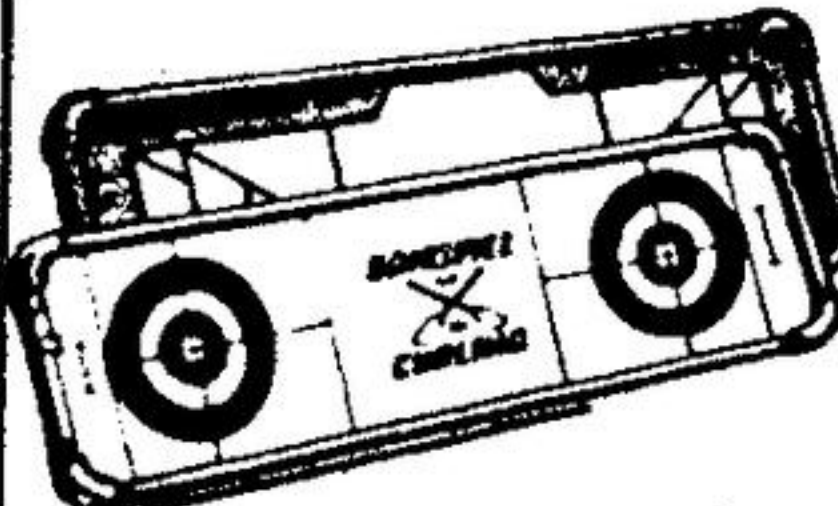
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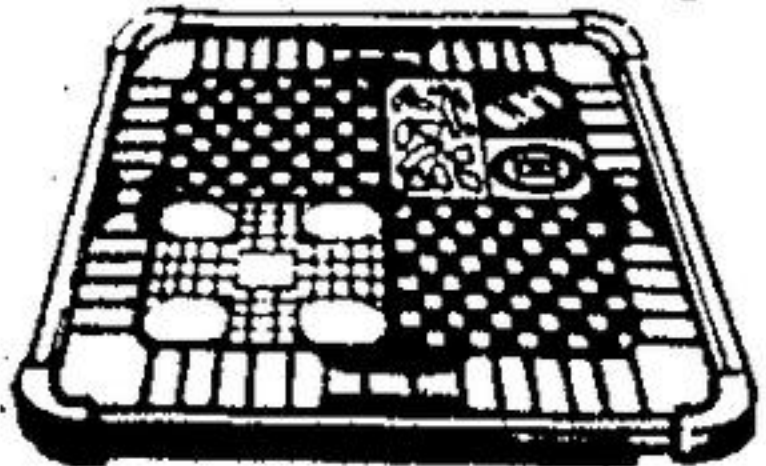
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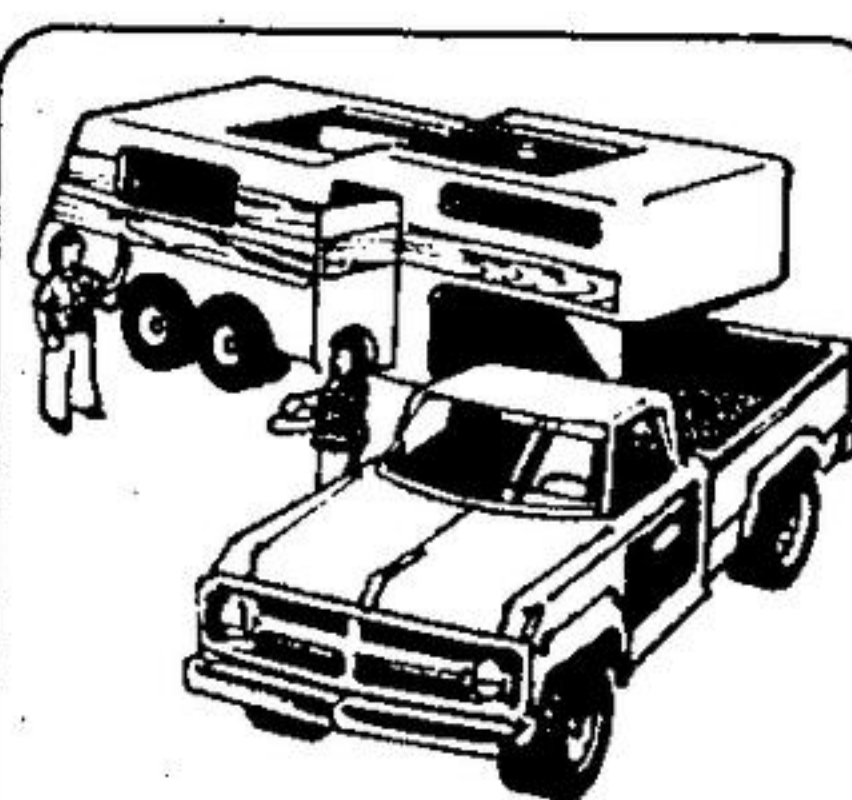


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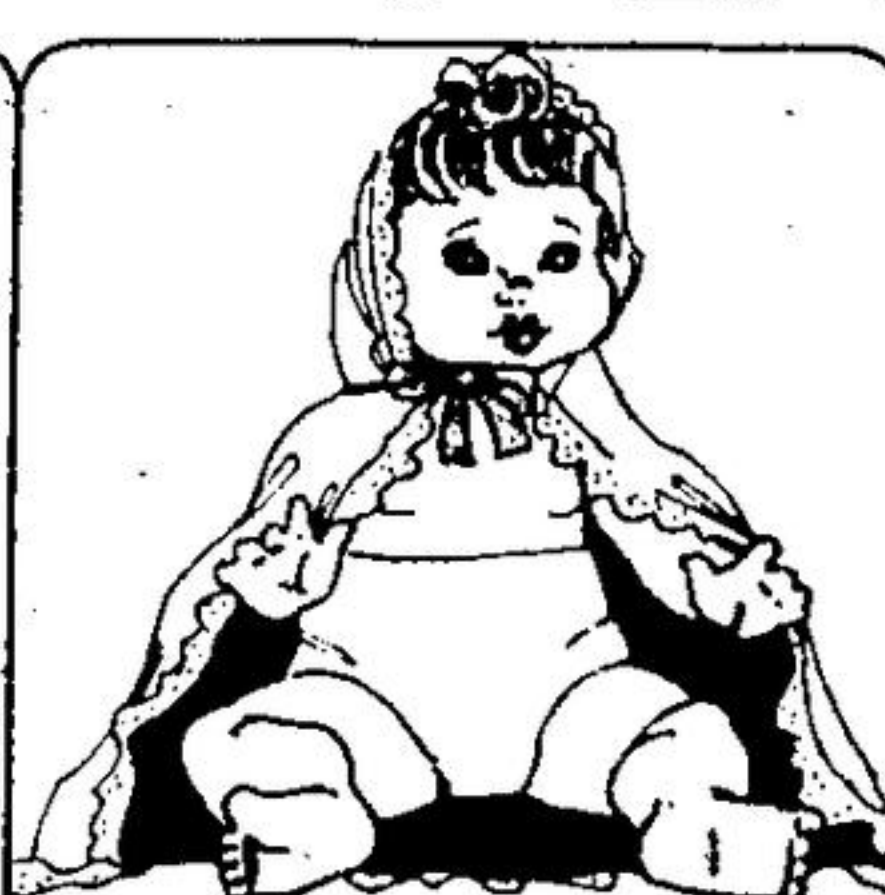
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Thick Shake Maker
Battery operated, rugged construction. 3 flavours, cups, straws.

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Corn Popper
12" high, safe, easy to use. Serving bags, measuring spoon incl.

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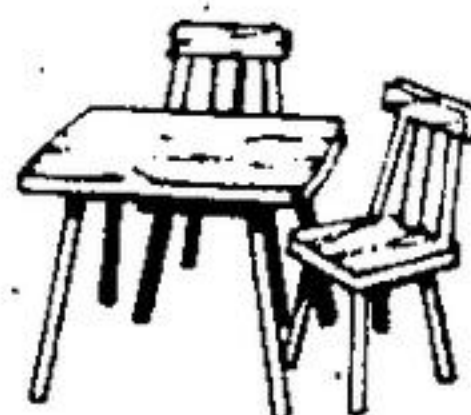
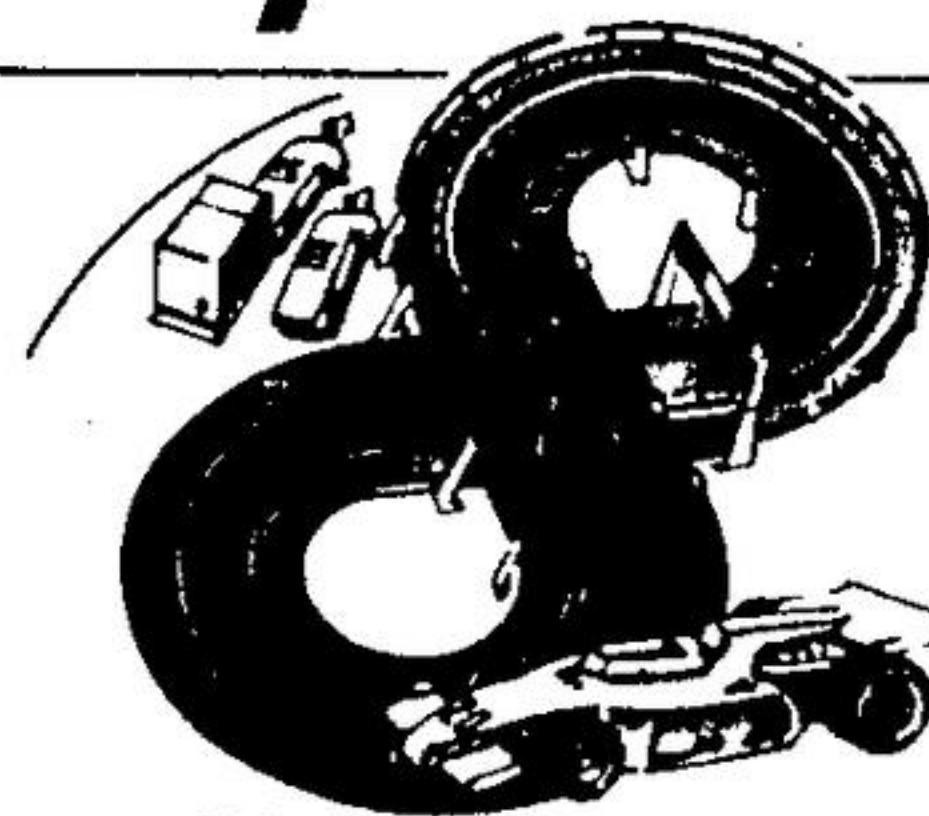


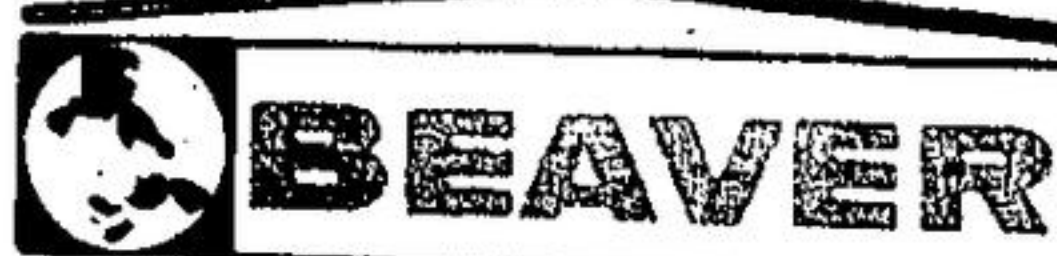
Table and Chair Set
3 pc. set, Cherry Tree Frame, hanger bolts and corner plates.

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Moto Sport 8
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Clothing aid needs space

Clothing Aid, a free service of clothing to anyone in need, is looking for a new place to set up shop.

They had to move from Alec Johnson's store in Acton, where they had been allowed to locate for the past three months, because the store is rented.

They have found storage space in Georgetown and will continue to help people in dire need from there, but need a spot to operate where the public can see them.

In the time the agency has been in existence they have served about 50 families and feel there is a need in the area to continue.

A spokesman for the group who want to remain anonymous, said they appreciate Mr. Johnson's kindness in letting them have the Acton Store, and are now calling for both space and volunteers. Anyone who can help is asked to call 877-3616 or 877-7126.

Microfilming

Funds for two projects under the Local Initiatives Program have been granted in the Halton riding by the Ministry of Manpower and Immigration. It was announced by Dr. Frank Philbrook, Halton M.P.

The first is to the Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital Association to support the microfilming of patient medical records. The total cost of the project is \$10,790. The LIP request was for \$9,453, which was granted in full. It will provide employment for three workers for a total of 69 man weeks or \$7,935 in wages.

The benefits to the hospital will be to alleviate storage space problems, speed record retrieval and make possible storage that is safer and more secure. Document space alone will be reduced to two per cent of the present requirement.

December 2 is the expected starting date of the project, with completion by May 9, 1975.

Group home
The second request for \$12,430 was also granted in full to Grace House, Inc. It will involve a maximum of four workers for 21 man weeks and total wages of \$11,115, out of a total project cost of \$19,330.

Grace House Group Home provides housing accommodation for six to eight adults who, for reasons of health or life situations cannot make it on their own. It also assists the residents through group experience to develop skills, confidence and a desire for self-sufficiency in a "caring" environment.