## New Democrats confident with Johnson



DISCUSSING PARTY POLICY are Don Wackley, Archie Brown, former federal NDP candidate, and Bill Johnson after Johnson's recent win at the NDP nomination meeting for the new Halton-Burlington riding. Wackley and Johnson were seeking the party's candidacy.

## Former Acton couple feted on Sunday

A well-known, former artistry of the feted couple's Acton couple was feted at an granddaughters. Red and anniversary open house white streamers and rosettes Sunday which drew crowds of friends and relatives to the Brookville hall from 2 to 4 p.m. in the afternoon and 7 to 9 in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jennings of Eden Mills were entertained by their children and daughters-inlaw on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary.

Married in 1935 at the Port Perry United Church parsonage, Ed and Edith (Wells) Jennings lived in Toronto for live years before moving to Acton in 1937. When first coming to Acton, Mr. Jennings operated a service station and garage on Main St. He and his family lived in the apartment above the business until it-was later converted into a bowling alley with the garage becoming the location of the I.G.A. store.

The Jennings sold the alleys in 1954 and moved to 110 Mill St. W. In 1959 the industrious couple moved again to operate a grocery store they had purchased at there to give them a hearty Haltonville, one mile below Brookville. Retiring in 1964, the Jennings sold the store to their son Ted and moved to Eden Mills where they have since become active members in the community.

Children Acton residents Mr. and Mrs. Jennings have four children, two girls Ena (Mrs. Jim Gibson), Edna (Mrs. Mitchell Kennedy) and two sons Ted and Jim. Both daughters and son Jim and their families live in Acton. Ted lives in Haltonville with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jennings have 12 grandchildren.

Of the 150 guests who attended the Sunday open house, most were neighbors and friends. Only one of those visiting was in the original wedding party. Mrs. Eva Magee is a niece from Toronto who attended the 1935

wedding as a guest. Brookville hall was beautifully decorated with the

LAKEVIEW

CENTRE



Peter Marks head of

committee with members

Golden wedding was celebrated Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jennings of Eden Mills, formerly of Haltonville and also former residents of Acton. They were also honored at a surprise anniversary party by members of their family.

(Photo by Jim Jennings)

#### Accidents in town A parked Chrysler owned

last Wednesday.

Milton's UAW hall.

involved in local interest

groups in the past several

Dumping) Johnson suc-

ceeded in stopping several,

provincially proposed dumpsites in the North

Halton area, Johnson has also

been actively involved as an

organizer of the Nassa-

gaweya Ratepayers Associa-

tion and recently succeeded

in acquiring better telephone

service for residents in the

Campbellville (854) telephone

"He's worked hard,"

continued Brown, "He's been

unpaid-and unwanted by

some people—but with his knowledge and background I

see no reason why he

shouldn't go to Queen's

Confident

I'm confident of that," says

Johnson of the recently

nominated Progressive

Conservative candidate.

"The people need a change,"

elaborated Johnson, "We've

spearheaded every major

reform in this province. You

name it and we've twisted

Queen's Parks arms into

"Mr. Dawkins, the school

principal, says Ontario's

school system is one of the

hest in the world," said

Johnson. "Anyone who says

that is either an idiot or has

never been out of Ontario.

The teachers aren't satisfied,

the students aren't satisfied

and the taxpayers are sure as

hell not satisfed when

they get their tax bills."

present day education

system-the Flowertown

"Blame the architect of our

moving on it."

"I can beat Gary Dawkins,

by Thomas L. Main; Acton received estimated damage of \$200 after being struck by a car driven by Terrance Myers in a Kingham Rd. parking lot.

Damage was estimated at \$360 following an accident on Crescent St. Cars driven by David James Hunter Acton and William Harold Manto: Rockwood were damaged. The Hunter car received an estimated \$250 damage while the Manto car received an estimated \$100 damage. The lawn at 102 Crescent St. was damaged to the extent of an estimated \$10.

### Peter Barrow, Len Bow, Dr. Gordon Askwith, Carolyn meeting in Milton. Dorothy Craig was elected Dutka, George Heym, Mel vice-chalrperson. Peggy Toews and Gail Varah. Acton Home

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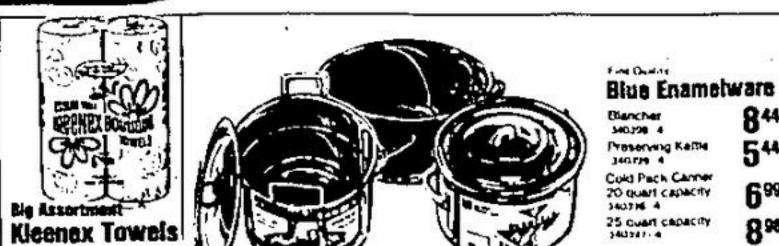
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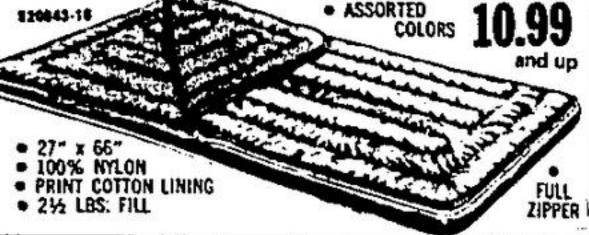






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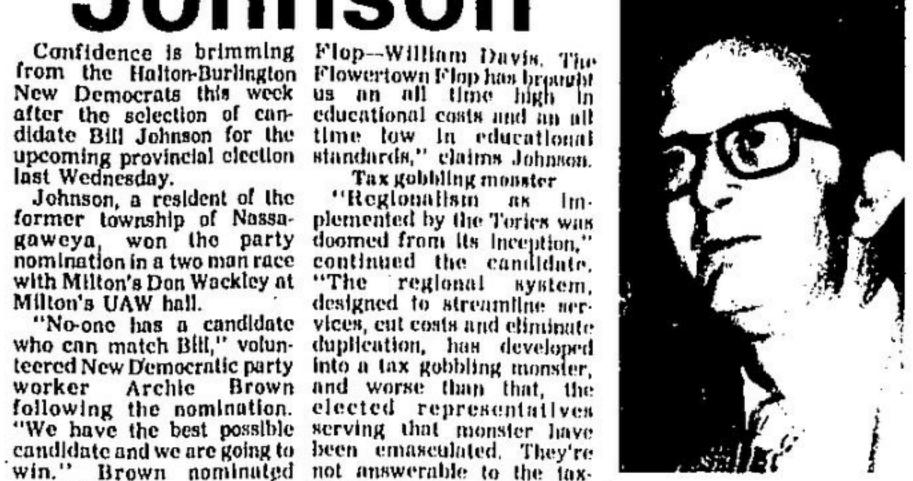
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formerly safe PC ridings . County saw Tory candidates proached the provincial beaten badly with Liberals government." save transmitted and the NIIP and elected and the NDP making buge gains in popularity,

nall, "the lame was regional government and the Tories lost."



DR. TED BOUNSALL MPP for Windsor East, was guest speaker at the NDP nomination meeting held in Milton.

(Group United Against Rural provincial government and lashed out at the Tories' inability to provide low cost housing. Johnson also noted the Tories have embarked on a "Clean up campaign" to improve their present image as for the Liberals, abandon regionalsim. "they're fence sitting as usual," comments Johnson,

> Like the man Speaking about Tory Candidate Dawkins, Brown stated, "I like the man, but I'm sorry to see he got mixed up with that crew," referring to the PCs.

else's thunder."

Tax gobbling monster

payer, they're answerable

Johnson also criticized the

Johnson has been actively only to the bureaucrats at

years. As one of the more environmental protection

vocal members of GUARD policies of the present

"They can be had," nomination candidate have a whole new campaign. this time we can win." nominated Wackley.

Wackley newspaper he was not disappointed losing the nomination, noting, "We've got a good candidate and we're going to win."

Labor critic Guest speaker at the NDP nomination meeting was former Miltonian Dr. Ted Bounsall, who is presently the labor critic with the provincial New Democrats. Dr. Bounsall attended Bruce St. Public School and Martin St. High School in Milton before earning his B. Sc. and M.Sc. degrees at the University of Toronto. He acquired his Ph.D. in London, England and was a professor at the University of Windsor

before entering politics. "These are exciting times politically," Bounsall told the nomination crowd of about 50. "For the first time in 30 years the provincial Tories are in trouble and they won't recover."

Tories scared By-elections in the past three years have the Tories scared, added Hounsaft, Two years ago by-elections in

of rentional." "In Huron," noted Bounperately looking for a way to improve their Image," commented the labor critic



"I thought they'd learned their lesson," he said. recalling the PCs had once stated present regional schemes would be seen through then they would

In the Stormont riding about a year later, however, "waiting to steal someone the issue was still regional government, explained Bounsall, "and a New Democrat was elected to Queen's Park in what was considered another "safe" Conservative riding."

Another by-election in Ottawa's Carleton East analyzed defeated riding produced similar results. In a good Tory riding Wackley of the Tories, "We a strong anti-Davis feeling was evident, a Liberal was elected and the NDP made a Georgetown's Albert Tocher gain of close to 4,000 votes.



Lack of response
"Davis and the Tories have there is the no-policy Liberal

"The Tories are des-

"The Tories are slipping

but the Liberals tried to hand

the election right back to

them with the national budget last Monday night," related Bounsult. "The Ontaria

Liberals are staken at the

No pulley

"The Liberals met in

Windsor recently for a policy conference," added Bounsall. "They decided to set no

policy," he toked. The outlook is bright for the

Halton-Burlington New Democrats, indicates

Bounsall. "There is no in-

cumbent in this riding, there

is an anti-Tory feeling and

federal Liberals"

managed to affront every "Don't wait until tomorrow," concluded Bounsall, "go out and knock government," says Bounsall, "And all they got was a lack on some doors tonight."

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