

50th anniversary for Tom and Elva Gordon

Friends, relatives and neighbors gathered at the Acton Music Centre Sunday on the occasion of the 50th wedding anniversary of Tom and Elva Gordon, 79 Bower Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon were married on September 15, 1926 in the bride's home in Churchill. She is the former Elva Graff.

Mr. Gordon was born in Powassan and came to Acton with her family in 1921. She has six sisters and three brothers, with another brother deceased.

Mr. Gordon was born in Fredericton, New Brunswick. In 1916 he came west to Ontario and moved to Acton in 1921, two weeks after the Graff family. However, it was not until one year later that the two people met.

Offspring
Three children were born to the happy couple. John of Acton, Fred, R.R. 2, Acton and Arlene, Mrs. Robert Bruce, also of R.R. 2, Acton. Nine grandchildren also came into their lives.

For most of his married life, Mr. Gordon worked in the construction business and farmed. Mrs. Gordon has devoted her life to being a housewife. They are members of Trinity United Church, Acton.

Between 50 and 60 relatives sat down to a buffet dinner on Sunday. An open house was held during the afternoon.

All of Mrs. Gordon's brothers and sisters attended the anniversary party coming from Welland, Toronto, Victoria Harbour, Kitchener, Georgetown and Acton. Mr. Gordon's brother Harry, of Acton, also attended.

Ontario Premier William Davis and Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau sent their congratulations and best wishes through their representatives. Member of Provincial Parliament Julian Reed and Member of Parliament, Dr. Frank Philbrook.



CAROL-ANN Marzo and Rick Jenner were married July 10 at St. Joseph's Church, Acton. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ilio Marzo of Acton and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Jenner, Georgetown. They are living at 200 Churchill Rd. S. Acton. Photo by Wm. Stuckey

Pool manager triple assets

Acton's new pool supervisor, Elizabeth Binsfeld, brings to her first full-time job, triple qualifications.

The 24-year-old Toronto native graduated last spring from Seneca College's facilities management course at the King Campus. The two-year course is the only one of its kind in the province.

Miss Binsfeld has also earned the Red Cross and Royal Life instructors certificates. She added a national

lifeguard instructorship to the list too.

At York Borough's outdoor Fairbank pool, Miss Binsfeld was manager for three years during summers and after school. In winter she worked at an indoor pool.

She also was life guard and instructor for most of that time with Toronto Board of education.

"I'd like to carry on with the schedule and perhaps add

a few more events," Miss Binsfeld said about activities at the pool. She also said that she intends to move to the area. Cathy Ashley, who supervised the pool during the summer, will be there Wednesday evenings. Miss Ashley is carrying on with her studies at the University of Guelph.



ELVA GRAFF and Tom Gordon were married in the bride's parents' home in Churchill community on September 15, 1926. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday at the Acton Music Centre.

Cancer Society branch newcomers on exec.

The Acton Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society held their fall meeting at the home of Marion Patterson in order to make plans for the fall fair booth and educational display this year.

They welcomed a new member to the executive on Transportation, Mrs. Susan Kuechler, who will be working directly with Service To Patients chairman Mrs. Cathy McGillivray. They also welcomed a new treasurer, Hugh Patterson who will help direct in setting our annual budget and keep the books straight.

Members are raffling off a lovely handmade afghan this year instead of selling the usual hand-made items, in hope of raising monies to supply the very able knitters in Acton with more wool for the lovely items that are sent down to Princess Margaret Hospital to the patients.

They will be helping the Georgetown Cancer Society along with the Trinity Activity Group of Trinity United Church in, assisting

with the Swine Flu inoculations for the eight hour day.

There will be a Conference on Education to be held in

Toronto at the Prince Hotel on Oct. 2 and 3, and Education Chairman Marion Patterson will attend and report later.

In memoriam for member

Two minutes' silence were observed by members of Lakeside chapter of the I.O.D.E. in memory of one of their most active members over many years, Mary Hinton. A resume of Mrs. Hinton's activities was given; she has been a member since 1936 and had held office each year since 1945. This year she was secretary. Hazel Orr will replace her for the rest of the term.

Plans were made for entertaining residents at Halton Manor one evening later in September.

Hazel Orr gave a reading and there were two name games before lunch was served.

There were 35 members at the meeting in the Legion hall, Tuesday of last week.

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Mrs. Schroeder lost control of her car striking a parked car in a driveway and run-

ning into a retaining wall, police said.

Damages to the two vehicles totalled \$3,500 while the wall received about \$300 in damages.

Mrs. Schroeder suffered minor injuries and was treated at the Acton Medical centre.

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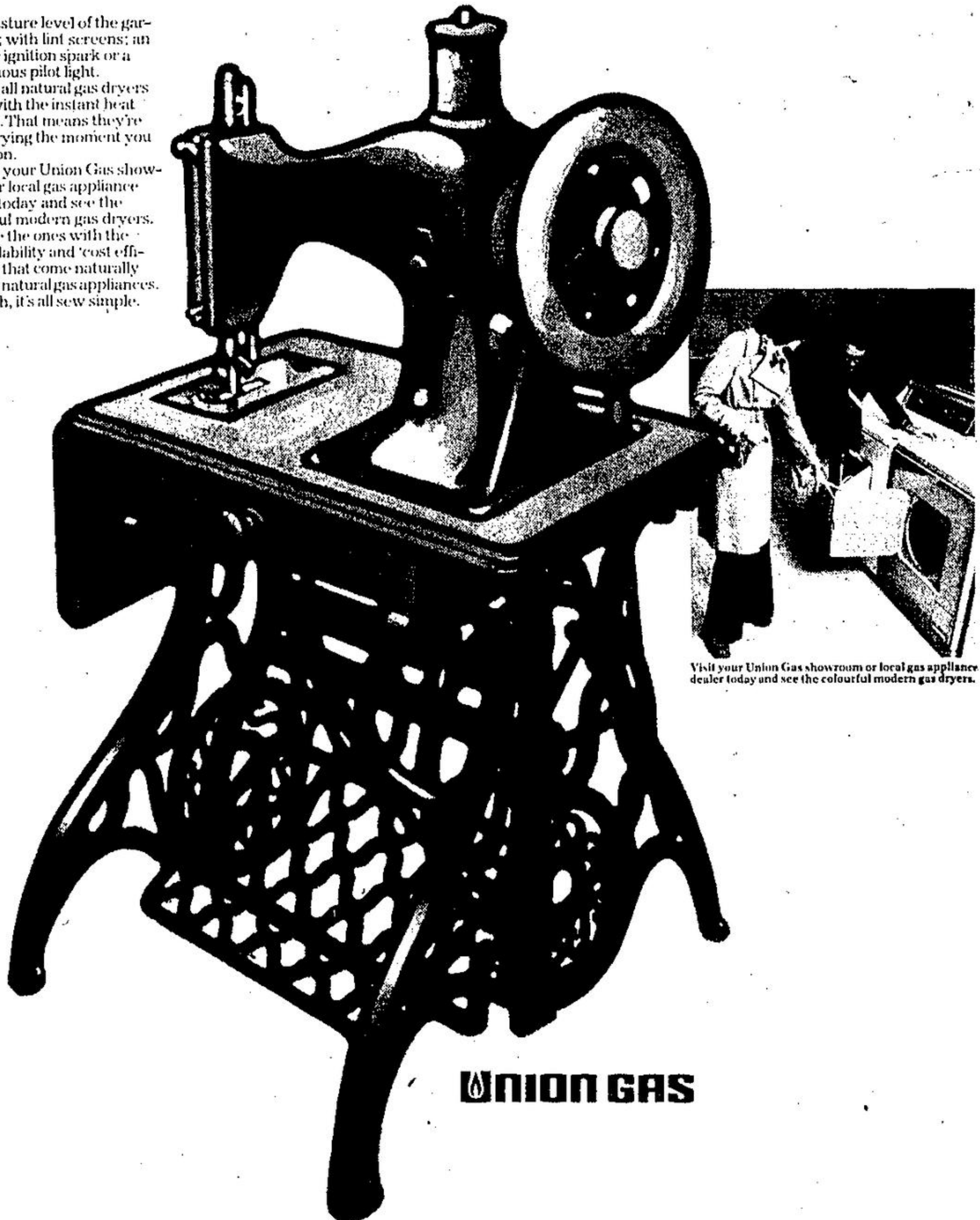
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