

## Patterson in Ward 2 race

C. F. (Pat) Patterson, well-known Norval farmer and breeder of Hereford Cattle, will run for a local council seat for Ward 2 (Esquesing). He made the decision this week.

Mr. Patterson served on the former Esquesing Council for a few years, prior to the establishment of regional government.

He said he is concerned for the farmer and rural residents about the threat of municipal spending such as the million dollar municipal complex, and the prospect of an 8 per cent increase in most budgets for 1977. He said at this time of inflationary living restraint should be practised in all areas.

An active member of the community, Mr. Patterson is vice president of the Norval Community Association, and had helped organize all community projects.

As a farmer, he says he is well aware of the new Tax Reform Bill and its implications for both the farmer and the small rural land owner. He said he would support any move to change the bill.

Mr. Patterson came up through the ranks in the Swift Co. organization rising to



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vice-president and general manager of the chemical division, and a director of the Canadian company, at the time of his retirement.

He now farms at Locust Lane Farm, Norval.

He was a familiar figure in the sports world some years ago, as chief referee for the O.H.A. and for a shorter time senior referee for international hockey.

## Ask if change in OHC rents

At the request of Councillor Les Duby, Halton Hills council will ask the Ontario Housing Commission to explain any changes in the method of setting rental rates at Holmesway Place.

Mr. Duby said he had been told the rents have gone up. He said he always understood they were geared to income. He explained he was not absolutely sure rates had been changed but had received complaints.

## Axe falls for Domtar

The axe fell for 176 employees at Domtar Fine Papers Ltd., in Georgetown, Wednesday, October 27, leaving them in a state of shock.

The bombshell throws the employees, most of them with more than 25 years' service, and many in the 50 age group, out of work.

A notice was posted on the bulletin board, saying the mill would close February 25.

but in addition a letter was sent to each employee. Resident Manager, Jack Crichton made a point of coming in to each shift and talking to the employees.

## Don't need election this year

Milton Mayor Anne McArthur doesn't think there should be an election for mayor in Milton this year.

During an interview recently she expressed concern about the disruption an election could cause for the municipality.

She said she had been advised Halton Hills councillors had decided not to challenge Mayor Tom Hill this term because of the disruptive effect they felt it could have on the operation of the municipality.

"There's so much unfinished business. I've had a good effect in pulling the areas together. I ran last time on my ability to work effectively at the region and because I care for people. I'll use that again this time. I've worked hard for all of the people and I mean all of the people."

Mrs. MacArthur declined to make any comment concerning campaign strategy, platform or goals and objectives that she would strive for during the next term if re-elected. She said she feels it is too soon in the campaign to be addressing those issues.

The letter said the operation was no longer economically sound, compared to modern mills, that are also integrated with the manufacture of pulp and paper.

It said Domtar would try to place employees in other Domtar plants. An employee told this newspaper the choice offered was Three Rivers, Quebec, Cornwall, or some place in New Brunswick.



ONE OF THE FEW angels to venture forth during darkest Hallowe'en was Bernadette Rowsell. Dressed all in white with silver trim and wings, Bernadette outraced some witches and devils for treats.

## Magnuson reappointed

Police Commission chairman Glenn Magnuson, Georgetown, and member Bill Hourigan, Burlington, have been reappointed to the Halton Police Commission for another two years, by the Ontario Cabinet.

Judge William Warrender has not been reappointed. He told the commission Thursday that since judges can no longer receive any remuneration for sitting on police commissions he doesn't expect the province will be appointing any more. Warrender gave up the chairman's job earlier this year when Ottawa decided judges could no longer receive money for sitting on such boards.

At the same meeting Warrender said he expects legislation will be coming out of Queen's Park soon ensuring the future of police commissions with members of the public being appointed, minus judges.

Acton councillor Pat McKenzie said the committee also wants to discuss with the

commission representatives any other minor problems such as purchasing or accounting.

Christmas seals are in the mail this week. Donations go to the Halton Lung Association, with headquarters in Oakville.

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## Saxe opts for area seat



Stephen Saxe

Stephen P. Saxe, real estate appraiser and consultant announced his intention to seek election to the area council seat in his home ward of Esquesing (Ward 2).

Mr. Saxe stated that he had originally intended to seek the regional seat in the belief that Russ Miller, an area level incumbent, was not contesting regional office. As Mr. Saxe supports Mr. Miller's announcement to run for regional council, he does not wish to oppose him.

Mr. Saxe believes he has a contribution to make and that his experience and ability may be well utilized on area council.

## Levy seeks seat

(Continued from Page 1) members of council have been convinced that the proposal is not in the best interests of the residents of Halton Hills and has consequently been shelved for consideration by the new council. It is my intention to continue my opposition in the future.

Halton Hills needs a leader with a proven track record and the ability to keep the town on an even keel. After twenty years of active service in the area, including eight years as a councillor, I am confident that I can meet those needs and accordingly offer my services to that end."

Mr. Levy was first elected to Georgetown council eight years ago, and served as chairman of finance, works and administration committees in the former Georgetown council.

As a councillor for Ward Four, after the establishment of Halton Hills council, he has served as finance chairman for the past three years.

He has chaired the International Bantam Hockey Tournament for the past ten years and is a life member of the Kinsmen Club. In addition he is a past president of Georgetown and District Scout Council, and chaired Georgetown's 50th anniversary celebration.

Mr. Levy moved to Georgetown 20 years ago, and lives with his wife Rosine on Heslop Court. He is Comptroller of Roofmart, Brampton.

In Acton Mr. Levy says that although Acton has a quarter of the voters, he expects to spend about one-third of his time here, getting to know people better. He hopes to be

## Congested streets

The roadways at the post office and Mackenzie Lumber are two very congested areas these days, with the detour of Mill St. traffic onto Bower and Church.

## Christmas closing in

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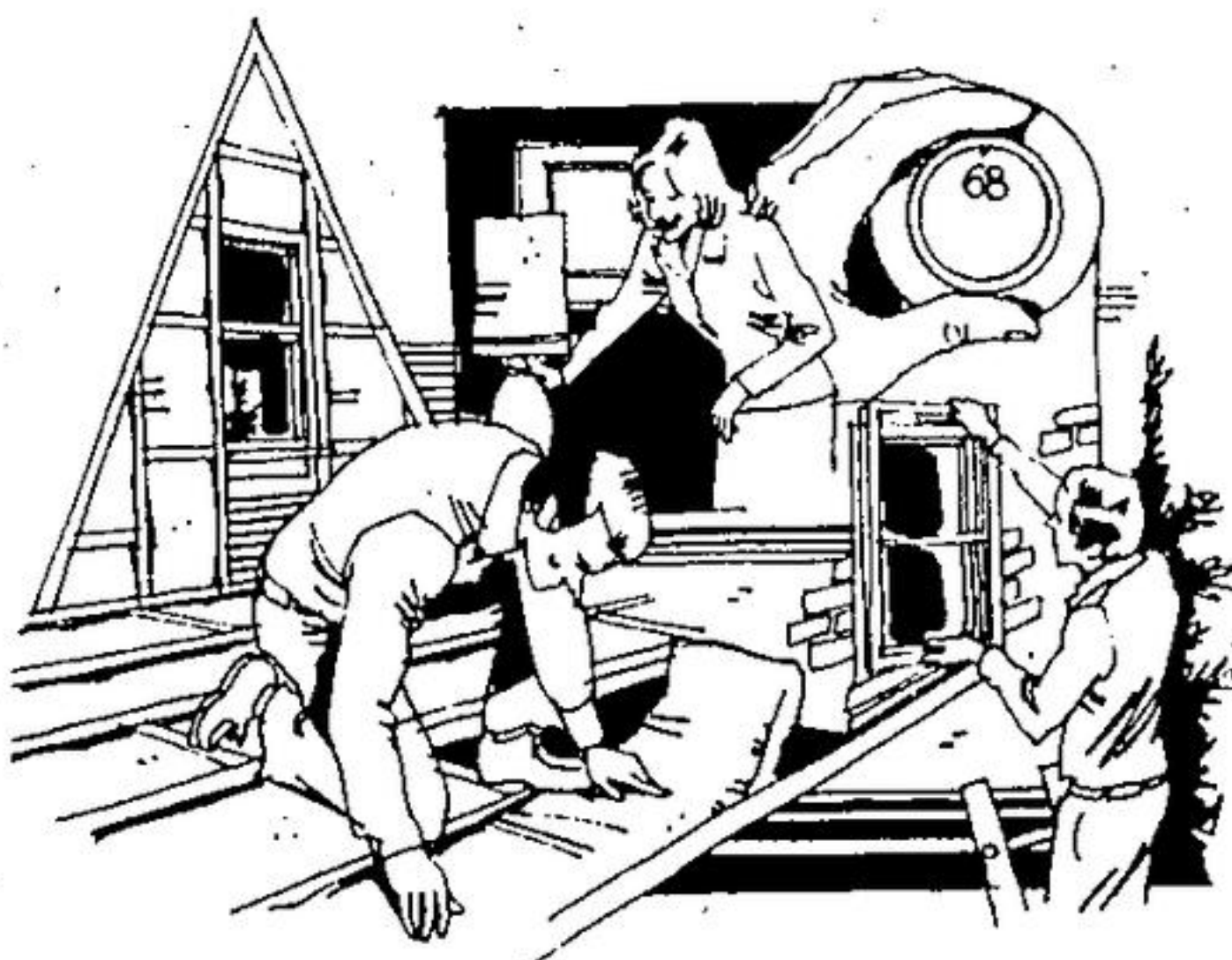
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