

# One dead, 2 critically hurt in Thanksgiving Day crash

One man is dead and two people were critically injured in a three vehicle smash-up on Highway 7 just north of Georgetown

Thanksgiving Day. Roland Adams, age 64, of 214 Horsham Avenue, Willowdale, died in the crash which

occurred on the curve near the junction of Highway 7 and Trafalgar Road.

His wife Betty and another driver, Larry Breadner, 165 Kennedy Road South, Apartment 606, Brampton, are in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, with head and multiple injuries. They are listed as being in critical condition. Breadner is 22 years of age and Mrs. Adams is in her 60s.

A third driver, Robert Hesselink, 12 Temple Road, Georgetown, escaped uninjured. The mishap occurred at 4:45 p.m. Monday and Milton OPP and Halton Regional Police closed down the road, detouring traffic, for two hours.

The truck and Adams car were both destroyed, and wreckage, including a seat, from the truck was scattered all over the road. The Adams car ended up in a ditch beside the highway.

Georgetown Volunteer Ambulance attended the victims of the crash and Georgetown Volunteer Firemen were on the scene and cut people out of the mangled vehicles. They also remained on the scene in case a fire erupted.



THE DRIVER of the truck is in critical condition following a three vehicle crash Thanksgiving Day on Highway 7 just north of Georgetown.

Wreckage from the truck was scattered all over the road. The driver of the car escaped unhurt.



DON HILTS took this effective picture of the new lake created by the Guelph dam.

## Name Fact Finder in board-teacher dispute

A Fact Finder has been appointed to try and straighten out the contract dispute between Halton Separate School Board and its teachers.

The Education Relations Commission announced Friday Grant Gillespie, a Toronto educator, has been appointed as the Fact Finder in the case.

This is the second time the

board and teachers have had a contract dispute end up in the hands of a Fact Finder. A Fact Finder looked into separate teacher negotiations in Halton in 1975.

Halton Hills trustee and chairman of the board's salary negotiation team Hartley Sherk revealed recently the teachers want an increase of 11.7 per cent while

the board is offering 7.9 per cent.

The Fact Finder will prepare a report on the negotiations to this point which have been going on since early last spring and identify issues which have led to the impasse.

His report is expected to be submitted to both sides within 30 days and if a settlement

hasn't been reached between 15 and 20 days after that the contests will be made public.

The report will set out both sides position and may or may not contain recommendations on settlement terms.

If there is no settlement after the report is made public the parties can ask for binding arbitration, best offer

selection or the teachers can strike.

The Fact Finder process is one of the steps set out in Bill 100, provincial legislation governing board-teacher contract talks, to be followed.

Gillespie is a former teacher, principal, superintendent of schools and Director of Education for the Metro Toronto School Board.

He has served in the past as both a Fact Finder and mediator and assisted in negotiations in Peel, Brant, Middlesex, Waterloo, Simcoe, Nipissing, Kirkland Lake, Windsor and East Parry Sound. Gillespie will be assisted by Toronto Lawyer Belinda Kirkwood-Rabinovitch.



RICK GIBSON won second prize in the black and white category of the Free Press Photo Contest at the fall fair last month. His prize winning photo shows a leaf covered road leading to seemingly nowhere.

## Too much land, man gets no help

A Fourth Line man who wants to cut down his workload, didn't get much help from Regional Land Division Committee last week.

Bertram H. Archer, a 31-year resident told the land division committee that he can't look after part of his property on the north-east half of Lot 11. He would like to sever his lot. Part would go for a building lot, and part, about two acres, he would live on.

However, committee members recalled Archer making a similar plea three years ago, when it granted a severance of 1.4 acres. The committee would not be convinced a second time round. "At the last one, I said

cutting the acreage wouldn't cut the workload", committee member Bill Coats said.

The committee suggested Archer try convincing his neighbor to buy the land. It would not grant a severance for a building lot because it feared such action would increase the number of buildings along the line.

If we allow more separations, I'm afraid we'll encourage strip development", Coats said.

The neighbor, Archer said, probably would like land. But, Archer said, the neighbor would soon be in the same position as he, with no time to work the land.

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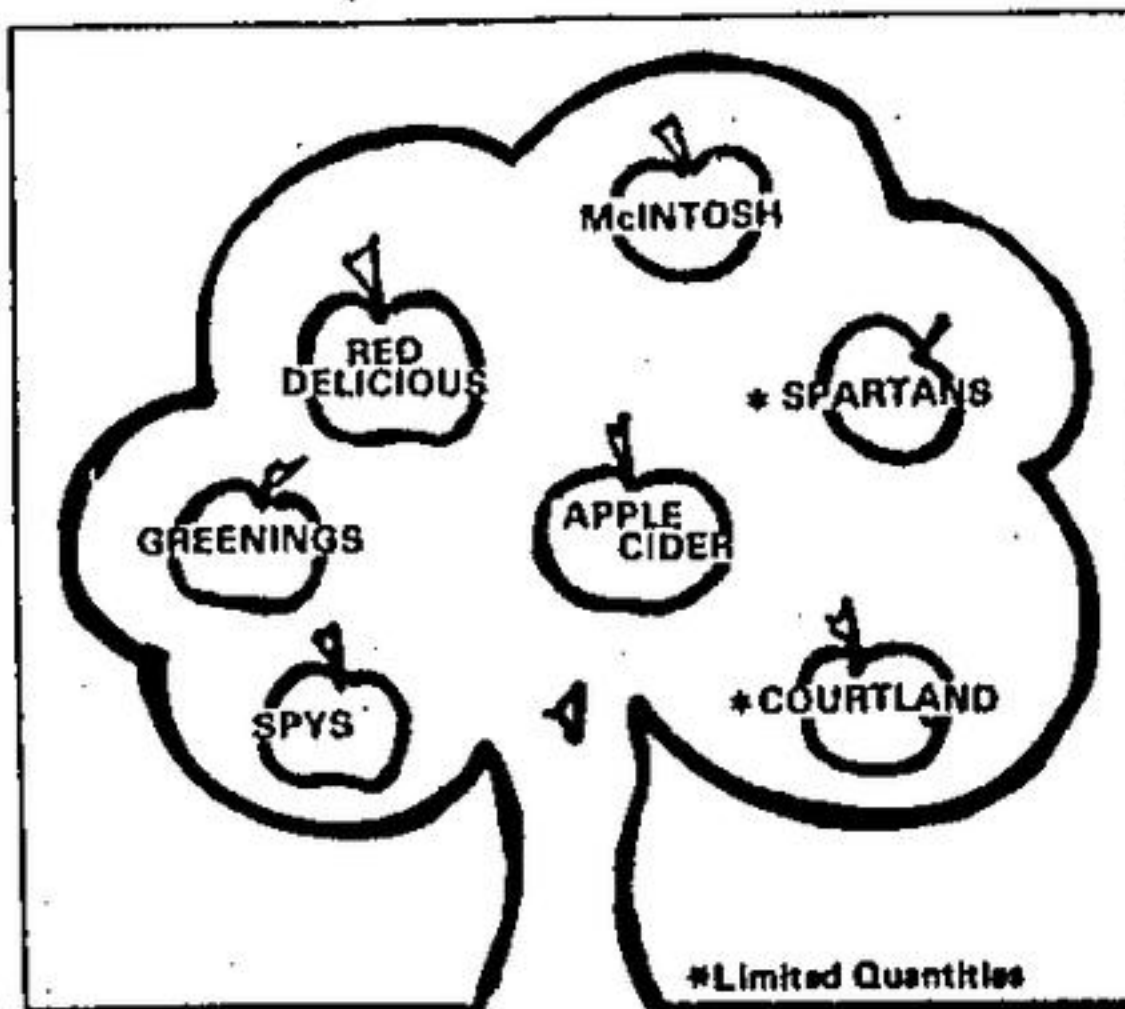
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AND WHEREAS such losses are still increasing year by year;

AND WHEREAS humanitarian and economic considerations imperatively demand that improved fire prevention measures be undertaken to prevent this economic waste and tragic loss of life in order that the town's prosperity may be maintained;

AND WHEREAS it is desirable that the attention of the public be directed to the extent and underlying causes of the preventable loss of life and property by fire and to the best and most practicable means for its control and that a specific period of the year be set apart and properly designated for the dissemination of such information;

NOW THEREFORE, by and with the advice of the Council for Halton Hills, we proclaim the week commencing Sunday, October 9th and ending on Saturday, October 15th in the present year as

## "FIRE PREVENTION WEEK"

and we recommend to all our Citizens that at some time during that week as may be found most practicable:

1. All buildings be carefully inspected by their occupants and all conditions likely to cause or promote the spread of fire be removed.
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