



Reading leads to space adventure

Members of the library reading club are travelling out of this world this summer.

The theme this year for the annual program is Close Encounters of the Future Kind. The program is designed to encourage reading among children during the summer holidays and to make it enjoyable.

The children are given a miniature paper rocketship with their name on it. As they read a book from the library and give a verbal report to librarian Margaret Merrin, they blast off on a journey through space, landing on the various spaceships and planets which decorate the downstairs children's room.

The children travel through space, reading to achieve their goal of 12 books throughout the summer. As they read they are awarded for reaching certain levels. After finishing three books the children are awarded book marks, six books gets them a button, nine books earns them a colouring sheet and twelve completes their summer goal of a poster and a trip to a theatre group performance at the end of the summer. All the prizes are decorated with the space theme.

Approximately 60 children are registered in the program. Organizers anticipate about half of those children will complete the twelve book goal. Some of those who have already completed one trip

around the universe will continue to read and make a return flight.

Eight year old Lisa McIsaac, who recently completed her space adventure says enthusiastically, "I love reading. This club makes it fun to read all summer."

Librarian Margaret Merrin said the program theme

changes each year. The emphasis is on reading at the youngster's own speed with comprehension stressed through the use of verbal reports.

As reading club members continue to travel through space they will be learning, and enjoying, their summer.

New CVCA planner

John Cottrill, former senior planner with the Niagara Escarpment Commission, has accepted the position of Land Use Planner with the Credit Valley Conservation Authority. Mr. Cottrill is filling the position left vacant when Donald Greer moved to the Grand River Conservation Authority.

A native of Richmond Hill, he graduated from Waterloo Lutheran University in 1971 with a B.A. in Geography and received his Masters in Environmental Studies from York University in 1976.

Mr. Cottrill will be responsible for the planning department entailing site inspections and comments on plans of subdivisions, severances, minor variances, by-laws and official plan amendments.

Infant program

Decision on a proposed infant stimulation program for Halton has been postponed until further information is available.

The Halton Regional Board of Health met with representatives of the Ontario Association for the Mentally Retarded to hear a proposal for a program to be carried out by community nurses of the public health unit and a special team which would be formed for the project.

The program involves assessment of development—walking, talking, for instance of children from birth to two years of age. Children who were found to be lagging behind would be referred to the team for further testing.

Rainy day fun for kids

Summer holidays are here... and there are bound to be rainy days. Here are some good projects to keep lively youngsters busy, from the synchro swim team cook book.

Play Dough
 1/2 c. salt
 2 c. water
 2 tsp. oil
 2 tsp. alum-preservative
 2 c. flour
 food colouring

Boil salt in water until dissolved. When cool, pour into large bowl and add oil, alum and flour. Knead for smooth texture. May add food colouring. Mix well until uniform in colour. If desired essence of wintergreen may be added to perfume the play dough. Makes 2 generous amounts and keeps very well if kept in tied up plastic bag (in fridge if long term).

Sue Robbins

Modelling Clay
 Cooked dough -
 1 c. flour
 1/2 c. cornstarch, blend with cold water
 4 c. boiling water
 1 c. salt

Pour hot mixture into cold. Put over hot water and cook until clear. Cool overnight. Knead flour until right consistency (about 45 min.). Colouring may be added with the flour. Keep in airtight container. If dough becomes hard, add more water.

Honey Pot Nursery School

Peanut Butter Play Dough
 1 c. peanut butter
 1 c. corn syrup
 1 1/2 c. powdered sugar
 1 1/2 c. powdered milk

Mix by hand all the above ingredients and store in plastic wrap. Children will have great fun mixing, moulding and then eating. It is a little greasy but tastes good.

Honey Pot Nursery School Finger Paint
 12 oz. box cold water starch
 12 oz. of soap flakes powder paint
 2 c. cold water

Mix together the starch and soap flakes. Slowly add the water while stirring. Mix and heat until it reaches the consistency of whipped

Rainy Day Restaurant Granola
 2 1/2 c. dry oatmeal
 1/2 c. powdered milk
 1/2 c. oil
 1 c. raisins
 1/2 c. honey
 1/2 c. of sunflower seeds, shredded coconut, chopped nuts, wheat germ

Mix together oatmeal, milk, oil, raisins and honey. Add any or all of the following: Sunflower seeds, shredded coconut, chopped nuts, wheat germ. Cook in a large skillet over low heat, stirring often of bake on a cookie sheet at 300 degrees F. for 1/2 hr. Store in a tightly covered container.

Honey Pot Nursery School



TAMMIE QUESNEL is one of the 60 children registered in the Acton library reading club for the summer. The children are following an outer space theme and move from planet to planet as they read. Tammie starts her miniature rocketship around the universe after reading one book and giving a verbal report.

potatoes. Add tempera-dark colours—show up more effectively than light colours. Put saran over finger paint and then work with fingers or use on table top or arborite surface.

Honey Pot Nursery School

Sawdust Clay
 6 c. sawdust
 5 1/2 c. flour
 2 tsp. salt

Gradually add small amounts of boiling water. Blend thoroughly until mixture resembles stiff dough. Store in cool place in damp cloth, aluminum foil, etc. Keeps about one week. Nice texture and smell. It will harden and can be used to make heads.

Honey Pot Nursery School

Homemade Soap
 9 c. grease
 1 can Gillett's lye
 6 c. cold water
 1/2 c. borax

Dissolve lye in 6 c. cold water. Add borax and let stand 1/2 hr. Have grease lukewarm. Add lye mixture to grease. Stir 10 min. or until it drops from stick like honey. Pour into dishpan and allow to set.

It is very important to always pour dissolved lye into grease. Never put grease into lye.

M. Stone



KENNETH R. VOGELANG

Lou J. Dietrich, President of Lou's Bearings & Transmission Limited, is pleased to announce the appointment of Kenneth R. Vogelsang as General Sales Manager.

Mr. Vogelsang, who has been with the company in excess of ten years, is well known in the industrial bearing and power transmission supply industry, and looks forward to continued good relations with his many customers and friends.

The head office of Lou's Bearings & Transmission Limited is in Waterloo with a branch office in London, Ontario.

Lou's
 BEARINGS & TRANSMISSION
 510 Weber St. N., Waterloo
 (519) 854-1220
 1-800-265-8820
 1020 Hargreave Rd., London
 (519) 881-5800
 1-800-265-4661

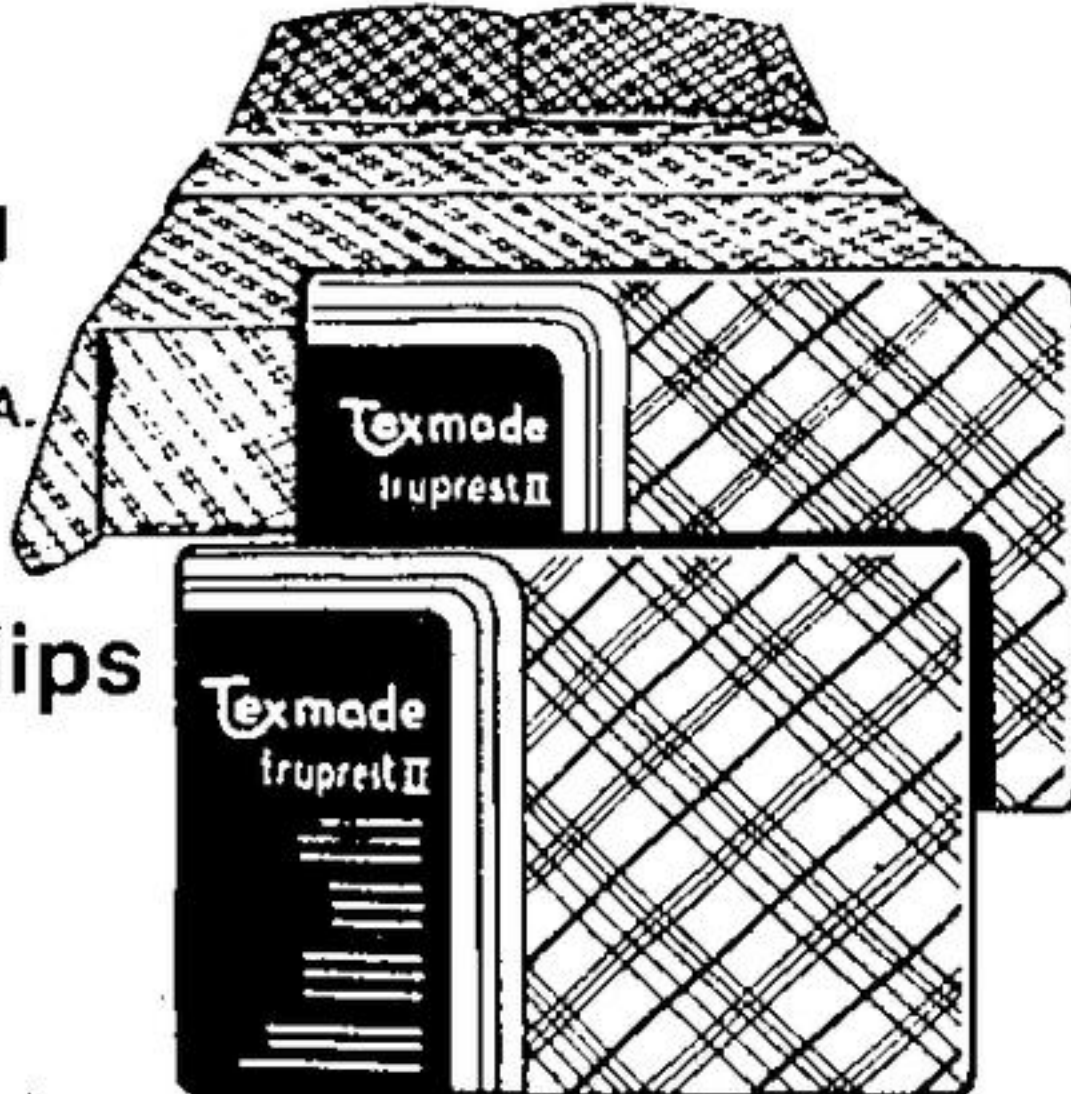
Home needs

From Our Home To Yours Great Zeller Values!

We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities.

Thursday Thru Saturday, Aug. 3-5

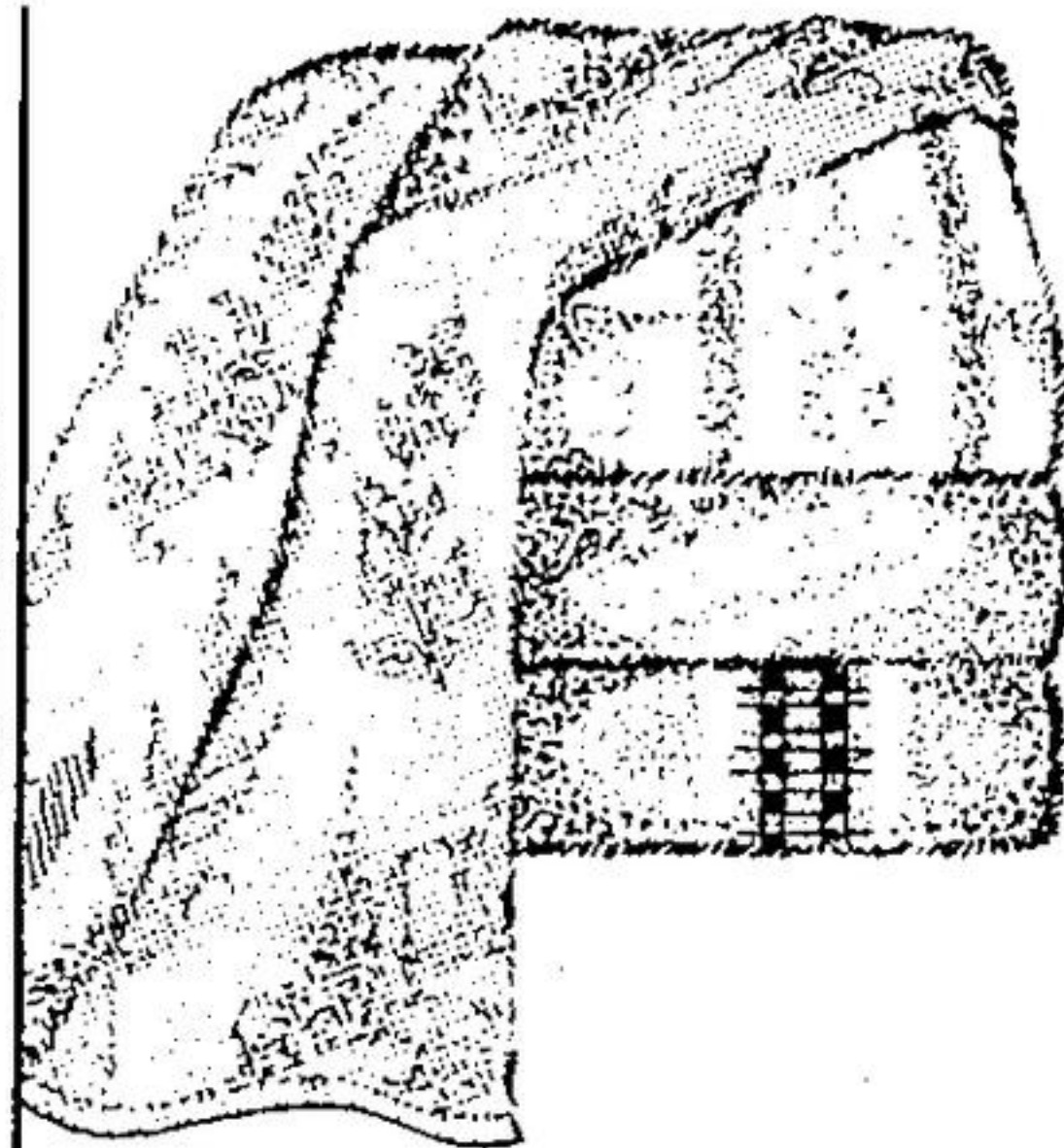
Twin Flat or Fitted
5.97 EA.



"Truprest II" Sheets and Slips

By "Texmade". Canadian-made 50% polyester/50% cotton guaranteed no-iron for life. Check design in brown or blue.

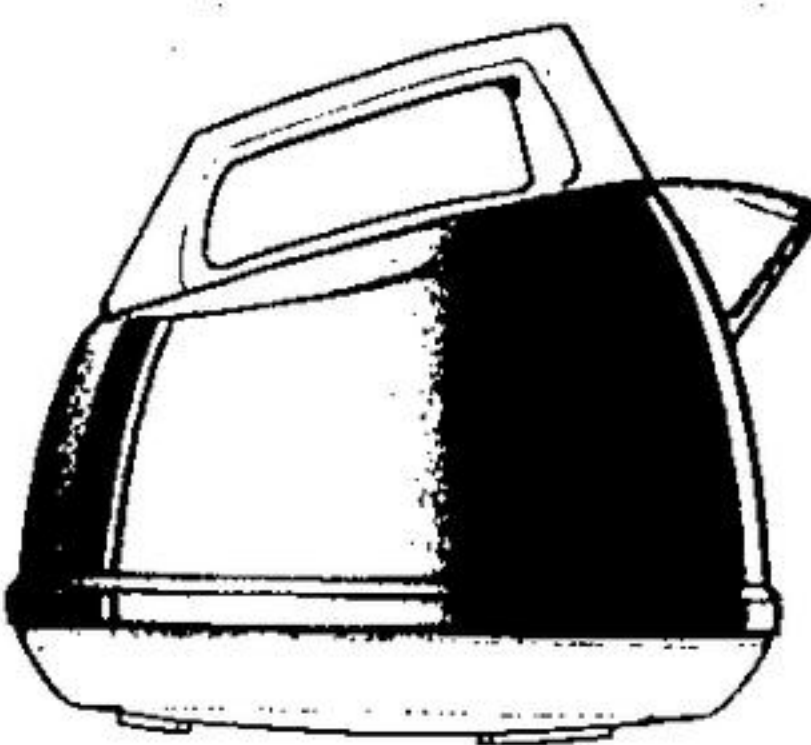
Double Flat or Fitted **6.97** EA
 Queen Flat or Fitted **9.97** EA
 Pillow Slips **3.97** PR



1.97 EA.

Jacquard Bath Towels

Specially priced! Wide choice of colourful floral and geometric patterns in absorbent 100% cotton with hemmed ends. Approx. 20" x 40". Limited Quantities.



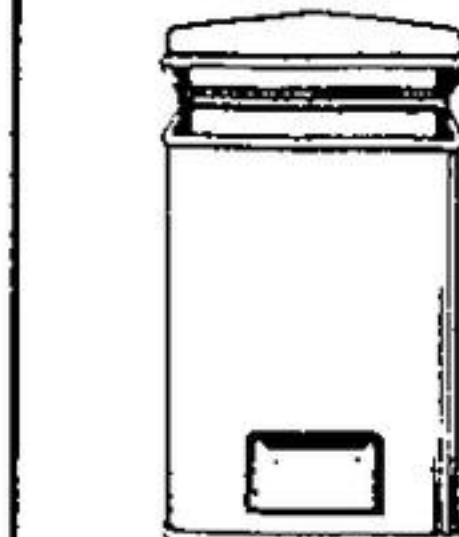
14.97 EACH

2-Qt. Electric Kettle
 "McGraw Edison" features vapour/boil control, removable cord. Chrome finish with avocado trim.



6.97 SET

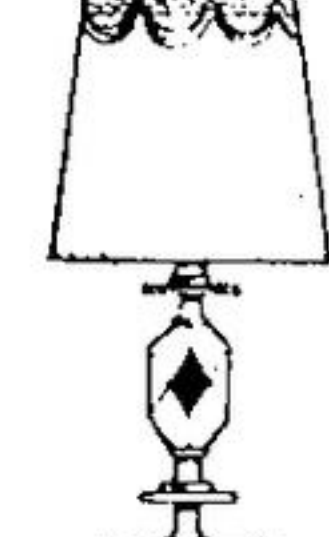
24-Pce. Flatware
 Non-tarnish stainless knives, forks, teaspoons and soup spoons in "Rosemere" or "Cadiz" patterns.



5.97 EACH
 Step-On Can
 Metal with plastic liner. White, goldtone, avocado.



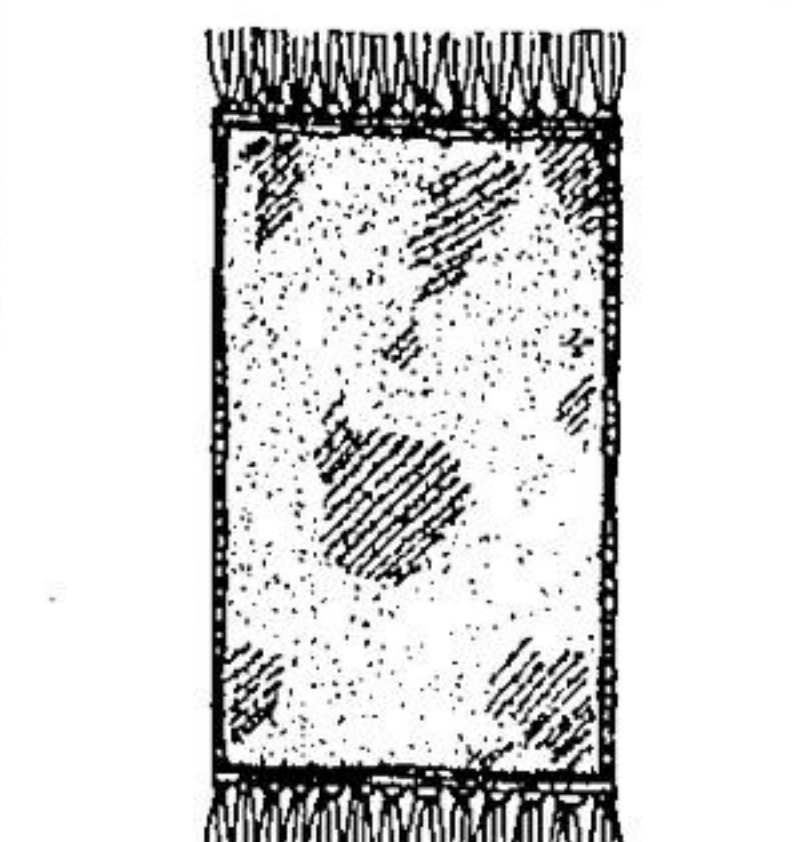
8.97 EACH
 Chrome Chair
 Felt padded vinyl cover in patterns. Chromed or phenol-finish.



5.77 EACH
 16" 'Jewel' Lamps
 Crystal, ruby or emerald tone base. White plastic shade.



50¢ PACK OF 10
 Zellers Garbage Bags
 Sturdy, 26" x 38" plastic bags with ties.



1.97 EACH
 15" x 27" Fringed Mats
 Specially priced! Tufted accent mats with non-slip backing. Serged sides. Assorted colours.



75¢ PACK
 "Glad" Freezer Bags
 Heavy duty, 1 1/2 mil plastic. Pack of 10 large or 20 medium size.



2.97 EACH
 Garbage Can
 5 gal. Durable lightweight plastic with locking lid.



77¢ 125 ML
 Hair Net Spray
 "Flex" "Revlon" non-aerosol weatherproof formula.



99¢ PACK OF 5
 "Atra" Blades
 Twin blade cartridges for the Gillette "Atra" razor.



4.97 EACH
 Auto First Aid Kit
 "Johnson & Johnson" kit to carry in your car.



1.47 BOX OF 100
 "Band Aid" Strips
 "Johnson & Johnson" plastic strips.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH WHAT'S COMING THROUGH The Acton Free Press

Zellers
 The "GET-IT-NOW" Card Master Charge and Charge also accepted

ZELLERS MILTON MALL
 55 Ontario Street South
 Open Monday-Friday 9:30-9:30 • Saturday 9-9 • Phone 878-8178
 Zellers Has Low Prices... No Mistake About It.