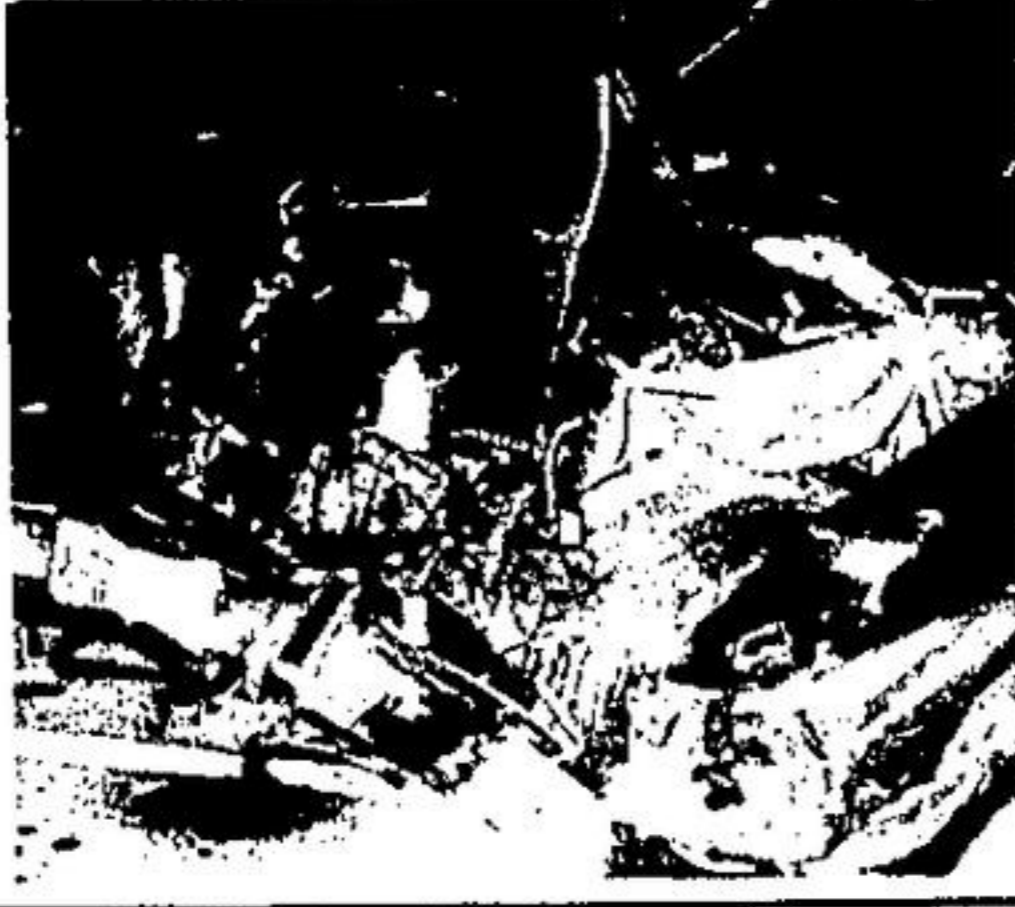


Two children remain in Guelph General Hospital after a Highway 7 traffic accident involving a small station wagon and a transport truck Friday night. The children, all members of the Oakley family of Storey Drive, are Tim, 8, who is in satisfactory condition with cuts and Tracey, 7, who has minor fractures. Tina, about 10, also went to hospital, for observation. Wayne Oakley, the driver, suffered fractured ribs and a fractured left arm. He was treated and discharged. Mrs. Catherine Oakley, suffered a gash over her left eye, according to Milton OPP. Two ambulances were called to the scene just west of Crewsons Corners. OPP estimate \$1,500 damage to the car. At about 9:20 p.m. the Oakley vehicle was westbound, while tractor truck driver Peter Forbes, R.R. 1, Acton, was backing his rig into his driveway. The truck's axle housing was bent and police estimate the damage to be about \$3,000.



New law prompts child-abuse team

The Halton Unit of the Children's Aid Society plans to create a child abuse team to cope with the expected increase in the number of such cases that will be referred to the society after the expected June 1 passage of Bill 114 by the provincial government.

Bill 114 will require anyone who suspects a case of child abuse to report it to a society. There will be a \$1,000 fine for any professional, such as a teacher or doctor who fails to report a case of abuse.

According to the society's newly elected president, Mike Whyte of Burlington, the society will have to increase its staff to cope with the larger number of cases that will be brought to its attention.

"We plan to set up the child abuse team because there will be a larger number of referrals from the professional area," said Whyte. "They will report any suspected cases because they will have an obligation to do so."

Whyte said the society has allocated funds in its budget outline for the year and this will be presented to the Region.

to be available to all three or four professionally trained people and a supervisor who will be available at all times to deal with the child abuse situation but who will also assist the society in other capacities, Whyte explained.

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Sulphur grinding company building near CNR line

A new \$125,000 chemical processing company is under construction on Eastern Avenue near the railway tracks.

Holly Industries is building a 650,000 square foot one storey building this summer. Holly Industries is a spin off of Aldert Chemicals Ltd., of Willowdale, in Metro Toronto.

Aldert's manager, John Meyer, said in a telephone interview Tuesday Holly Industries will grind minerals, mainly sulphur, from the western provinces. The sul-

phur is a by-product of the petroleum industry. The product is sold to agriculture, rubber and match industries, said the manager.

Holly Industries will employ specialized equipment in the processing. Mr. Meyer said there may be a few jobs available, though the company is not using

Cpl. Al Leishman retires from force

Corporal Al Leishman, a 28-year veteran of the Ontario Provincial Police, retires May 31.

Born and educated in Acton, Cpl. Leishman has served the last 21 years at the Barrie OPP detachment. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Can Leishman of Acton.

He is active in sports during his years in Acton, employed at the Wool Combing Corporation of Canada, located in the industrial centre at the foot of Frederick St. He joined the OPP in 1951, serving seven years in Huntsville before being transferred to Barrie. He was promoted to corporal soon after the move there.

Cpl. Leishman and wife Hazel live in Oro Township with their son, Drew. The Leishmans also have a daughter, Allana Brown, who lives in the Ottawa area.

An active member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Barrie, Cpl. Leishman says he intends to increase his church activities upon his retirement. He also wants to spend more time

labor intensive machines. Perhaps one operator will be hired and later on a few other workers, he said.

"We have taken all the precautions concerning clean air and safety," Mr. Meyer assured. "We want to be good neighbors."

Holly Industries is building on the south side

golfing and fishing.

The retiring corporal said he joined the force because he "admired it" and he has enjoyed his police career.

of Frank Heller and Co. Ltd. tanners.

Once the plant is established, it will also package prilled sulphur—pallets—for agriculture. The product is sold to such firms as United Co-Operatives. The packages will be shipped by local truckers Mr. Meyer said.

The single storey block building will have a tower beside it, according to Halton Hills building inspector Doug Sargent.

Aldert Chemicals Ltd. has been in the wholesale and distributing business in Ontario for a number of years, Mr. Meyer said. Mr. Sargent also said the land is being leased from CNR.



Tories . . .

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including Acton, Limehouse, Milton and much of Oakville. The former Halton riding included Georgetown and Erin.

The Conservatives and Liberals tied in poll number 262 at the Legion. The poll includes much of the Lake Avenue area. Tories and Grits attracted 64 ballots each. NDP got 32.

Churchill Road North and Arthur Street area in poll 271 and Bovis gave Jehinek the biggest margins. Churchill-Arthur gave the Tory a 93-vote margin while the Bovis tide was 107.

Back in 1974 Philbrook ousted Tory Terry O'Connor with a 1,766 majority. The Liberal got 23,359 votes.

Jehinek last ran in Toronto's High Park-Humber Valley riding five years ago when he slipped into Parliament with a 370 vote majority. He previously held that seat with a 1,903 margin.

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Orville Brown would like to set a few people straight on the financial purpose of the Acton Hydro Electric Commission.

At the commission's monthly meeting last Thursday, Mr. Brown said many people were complaining about the high costs of hydro, even though the local group was making a profit. People do not realize, Mr. Brown said that to make money, you have to have money.

Treasurer Bob McArthur pointed out their small profit of last year could be wiped out in one electrical storm.

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