



Tom and Jessie Ware, Mill St. E., celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with friends and relatives in St. Alban's Hall Sunday afternoon.

## Wares wear well in 50 year marriage

For the Wares—Tom and Jessie—keeping busy is essential in their lives. "You have to keep busy," Mrs. Ware says. "That's why I believe I reached my 50th wedding anniversary," says Mr. Ware.

The Wares were interviewed in their cozy Mill Street East home the day after the formal family celebration of their half century of marriage. Some neighbors indicated they would be dropping by the Ware abode today for a visit because the Wares married, in Toronto, on the last day of an April 30.

All the Ware family attended the special open house at St. Alban's Hall Sunday afternoon. More than 125 guests signed the book.

Later when the immediate family arrived at the Ware's home, the place was not big enough to hold the people, observed Mrs. Ware.

The Ware's son, John and his wife Betty organized the open house. Grandsons Dave, of Bramalea, Tom and Ken, both of Guelph, and one great grandson Jeremy attended.

Tom was born in Darlington, England, however, he did most of his growing up in Campbellville, Jessica (nee Mann) was born in Acton. After they married, they lived for two years in Campbellville; then they moved to Acton. For a time they lived on Crescent Street.

Mr. Ware retired after 40 years of employment at Beardmore in 1968. For three years, he was kept on at the tannery. By trade he is a carpenter.

At home he says he likes to putter 'round by turning out wood work. Mrs. Ware enjoys crewel work. She makes pictures around which Mr. Ware makes frames.

"I think marriage is a never ending job. You've got to work at it," says Mrs. Ware.

The Wares received many gifts from friends and relatives. They also received plaques from Ontario and Halton Hills plus letters of congratulations from Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, Halton MP Otto Jelinek and Halton-Burlington MPP Julian Reed.

## Dublin W.I. Support Festival

Dublin Women's Institute recently met at the home of Mrs. Grant McMillan and made some plans for the coming W.I. year.

Realizing the value and impact on students attending elementary and secondary schools, the secretary was instructed to write a letter to the Halton Music Festival Committee urging them to again have a Musical Festival, the Branch offering financial support. Training and competition in music are believed to be valuable in students' lives.

## Acton 4H Elect new exec.

by Brad Ottaway

Thursday April 10 the Acton 4-H Club held its monthly meeting at the Acton Community Centre.

The meeting started with the 4-H pledge, and was followed by nominations for club officials. The voting resulted in this year's president being Karen Brown, vice-president Stephen Lasby, secretary Marie Murray, and press-reporter Brad Ottaway. Elmer Pemberton is a new dairy leader.

For each junior members' calf, record books were distributed, and calf identification sheets were given out to everyone.

These identification sheets must be at the Agricultural Office in Milton by May 1.

Special projects were then discussed and alternative topics were chosen. Each 4-H participant is to complete one special project, regardless of how few or how many clubs they have entered.

Marie Murray's participation and enthusiasm provided entertainment in any dull moment. The club is all fired-up and ready to go. Everyone is looking forward to another successful year.

## St. Alban's Plan fall visitation

St. Alban's Anglican Church is planning an Every Member Visitation in October to update the Parish list by contacting all known Anglican families and also newcomers, to outline to all the program offered by the Church.

Award Day, June 22, Anniversary and Pioneer Sunday, with Parish Luncheon; September 28 Harvest Sunday, with Bishop John Bothwell.

It is hoped a general feeling of fellowship and family will develop in a bond of brotherhood which the church professes. The following Committees have been formed: Proposal, Terry and Ken Grubbe, 853-0222; Communication, Marion Hunter, 853-1239, and Lois Turkoz, 853-2400; Special Events, Vic and Penny Bristow, 853-2237; Contact Bert Gould, 856-4297; and General Chairman Carl Rosenquist, 853-0915, all of whom would be pleased to hear from anyone with ideas or time to devote to this Christian effort.

Some of the forthcoming events at St. Alban's are: May 11 Confirmation, with Bishop Kenneth McGuire; May 25 Sunday School Picnic; June 8, Sunday School



Christopher and Jillian O'Neill were among the youngest shoppers at St. Joseph's rummage sale Saturday.

## Board fills staff gap

The implementation of Halton's Long Term Plan for education will be so complex, the Halton Board of Education needs another area superintendent.

The board cleared the way Thursday for the hiring of an eighth superintendent, though last September there was a move to trim the number to seven.

That figure was achieved a year ahead of schedule when area superintendent Rae Stoness was promoted to superintendent of instruction.

"Over the next year we're going to have an interesting time implementing the operational part of the Long Term Plan," Education Director Em Lavender told trustees.

Moreover, as it stands, the system is just maintaining its position, according to Lavender. "It's not possible to do the things we want done with less," Trustee Gary Morton said.

## P.O. B&E

Break and enter thieves took most of the stamps from the Acton Post Office safe overnight (Tuesday). Police and postal officials are investigating.

The post office was closed Wednesday, however, postal official H.R. Davis expects service to be resumed Thursday.

A dollar estimate of the loot will come after an audit. Some cash was also stolen. The break-in was discovered about 5 a.m. by clerk Vic Bristow.

## Council agendas available Mondays

Halton Hills council agendas will be available for the public and press the day meetings are held.

After a lengthy debate Monday night general committee decided to make the agendas, but not the staff reports, available to the press and public Monday mornings at the municipal office.

Discussion began with Councillor Russ Miller saying agendas shouldn't be available before the meeting because of the high cost of printing them. Councillor George Malby voiced the same concern.

There are no secrets in the agenda so it could be made available to the press and public at noon Mondays Councillor Walter Biehn suggested. Councillor John Macdonald supported Biehn's view, adding the agenda is a public information.

There are certain things the public and press shouldn't see before it is discussed by council so only the agenda, not staff reports, should be available early Councillor Harry Levy declared.

People who are interested in the affairs of council have every right to see agendas before meetings, Councillor Marilyn Serjeantson said.

Councillor Ross Knechtel said just because agendas will be out earlier doesn't mean people can come to council as a delegation without making an appointment first. The deadline for being placed on the agenda as a delegation will continue to be Thursdays.

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## Legion happenings

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The Annual General Meeting, Awards Night, Dinner and Election of Officers is this Monday, May 5. Please obtain your tickets at the bar.

Decorations Day planning is underway and it will be held June 1. We intend to assist other groups in the revival of this event and request participation from all members. Further details will be posted and those wishing to help please contact Comrade Pat Walde.

Please note that bingo is on Saturday, May 17, and not this Saturday.

The annual Dart and Crib banquet is this Friday, May 2.

Nominations for elections of officers are available at the bar. The numerous suggestions during the year would indicate that there is an avid interest in running a successful Branch 197. This is your opportunity to obtain full, practical participation.

We received a recognition from the Georgetown Jaycees for the use of our facilities during their annual Crazy Boat Race.

A beef Bar-B-Q is scheduled for June 26, during Back to Acton Days.

Looking ahead we celebrate our 50th anniversary as Branch 197 in March, 1981, so start saving up now.

Darts is officially over for this season but for those of you who claim that the season is never over there are still the odd players willing to make a foursome on Tuesday nights.

All the best of now,  
Yours in Comradship, Kevin Conroy.

## Health consultant named

A consultant on the subject of Health and Family Life has been taken on for a three-year term by the Halton Board of Education.

Sue Amos, who has taught in the Milton schools Martin Street and W.I. Dick was appointed by the board Thursday.

Ten applicants were interviewed by the board. Miss Amos has taught in the Halton system for 12 years.

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