



Christina McMillan, right, was honored Monday for 25 years of service to the post office. Mrs. McMillan, an Acton area resident all her life, started working as a postal clerk May 26, 1955 at the Acton post office. She has worked her way up to Assistant Postmaster and Rob Davis, left, Acting Postmaster for Acton, presented her with a plaque. Mrs. McMillan said she has enjoyed working in the post office. "It's been a lot of fun".

North 4th Line residents ask town for road repairs

"The last time lots 29 and 30 on the Fourth Line had road work done was when T.L. Leslie was Esquesing's reeve 50 years ago", Ralph Denny a Fourth Line resident told Halton Hills council Tuesday night.

He presented a petition signed by 62 residents of the Fourth Line on Lots 27 to 32 asking for reconstruction, improvement, gravel and hardtop.

The petition said no major work has been done since regional government was formed and most of the road has had no work at all for many years.

The residents asked for ditching, culverts and a large amount of gravel immediately, and the remainder on a long-term basis.

The petition pointed out traffic has increased greatly since the Ukrainian Youth Camp. There are several new homes beside the road. Many buses use the road. In addition stated the petition, residents of 32 houses on the Fourth Line travel the road to work.

Taxes paid on the five lots in 1979 were listed at \$43,265.

"The councillors all live on hardtopped or oilsealed roads and perhaps do not understand the cost of maintenance of vehicles that drive on roads in the condition of the Fourth Line", said the residents' brief.

It went on to claim the rural residents receive no benefits from the town, but their taxes help maintain roads and other benefits for urban residents.

"We feel discriminated against," said the petition. Councillor Harry Levy contended the rural people receive the same benefits as urban dwellers. "You don't have crossing guards, but you don't pay for them. Anything the urban residents have extra they pay for separately."

"Do you live on a mud road and arrive anywhere with a mud-covered car and mud on your trousers?" retorted Denny. He said two weeks ago the streets in Acton were being swept in the pouring rain. "We don't want sweeping just some gravel".

Councillor George Malby said he travelled the Fourth Line a great deal and termed it, for these five lots on the Four Line, the worst. He said potholes on the Third and Ninth Lines had damaged his car, and these were hardtopped roads.

Councillor Russ Miller and Pat Patterson called for a report from the engineer on what steps can be taken to alleviate the situation on the Fourth Line in the near future, and for estimates on ditching, culverts and gravel on a longer term basis. The motion

suggested the Fourth Line north of Highway 7 be referred to the budget review committee for next year.

Mayor Pete Pomeroy said there was no way the complete job can be done this year unless someone wants to remove a project from the budget and substitute this one. He said perhaps some remedial work could be accommodated this year.

Acton Arts and Crafts at Arts in Action

Laura Dittich, of the Acton Arts and Crafts club was at Arts in Action at Centennial School, Georgetown, last Wednesday evening.

The meeting was sponsored by the Halton Hills Arts Council and afforded arts-related groups a chance to discuss their purpose, activities, membership information etc.

Other groups attending were the Credit Valley Artisans, Georgetown Choral Society, Palette and Pencil Club, George-

town Little Theatre etc. Mrs. Dittich was on hand to answer questions pertaining to the club.

Ask town support disarmament

Halton Hills council has been asked to take a look at endorsing Operation Disarmament's call for global referendum to end the arms race.

Eldon Comfort brought the subject to Friday's Ward One councillors' drop-in.

Council was asked last year to endorse the global referendum for disarmament but simply received and filed the correspondence.

Comfort noted a poll

showed more than 70 per cent of Canadians want disarmament.

He suggested municipal endorsement to urge Ottawa to hold a referendum on the issue was a good first step to bringing lasting peace to the world.

More than 60 Canadian towns and cities have endorsed the disarmament referendum idea.

Acton's councillors are expected to take the subject up at Halton Hills council.



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BIA News

by Janet Fleming

Our student workers have begun the never-ending job of sweeping and maintaining the downtown streets. Flowers will soon appear in the many planters in the core area. We hope this year for a co-operative effort among merchants, residents and shoppers alike to keep Acton attractive.

Six BIA representatives are currently registered to attend the Ministry of Housing sponsored forum entitled "Ontario Renewal—Action for the 80's" to be held at the Royal York Hotel from June 9 to June 13. Anyone interested in learning from these informative sessions should contact Larry Greaves at 853-2741 as soon as possible.

Positive change within the downtown remains our ultimate objective. As a result of co-operation with Halton Hills Council towards this end, a meeting for the Acton BIA, Georgetown BIA and town staff will be held in the near future to schedule plans for a study to assess the potential for all aspects of renewal in the next few years.

Tenders have been received for the work to be done on the Willow Street South parking lot. This summer should see the final completion of this lot!

The Board of Management is presently considering several promotional schemes that will benefit the shopping facilities of Acton and, most importantly, the residents of the Acton area. More information on these ideas should be available for the next column.

Finally, parking within a downtown area is always a problem for communities. Did you know that one Bostonian has suggested acquiring an unused aircraft carrier which would park 1,500 cars inside? The 1,000 foot long deck would become a landscaped park. This novel idea was reported in "Downtown Idea Exchange," a newsletter dedicated to downtown revitalization.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS THE ONTARIO WEED CONTROL ACT

as it applies to persons in possession of land within the Town of Halton Hills.

Unless noxious weeds are destroyed by JUNE 23, 1980, and as often as necessary throughout the season to prevent the ripening of their seeds and dispersal of their pollen, the Town of Halton Hills may enter private property and destroy these weeds. The costs will be charged against the property owner and collected in the manner of Municipal Taxes.

Goatsbeard, Thistles, Chicory, Poison Ivy, Ragweed, Wild Carrot, and Milkweed are among the weeds considered noxious, and must be destroyed wherever found. Complaints regarding Dandelion and Goldenrod will not be accepted as these are not considered noxious under the terms of the Weed Control Act. Anonymous complaints will not be accepted.

KEITH LESLIE, Weed Inspector
Town of Halton Hills 877-4841
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Aid for offenders?

Halton Hills has been asked to come up with work for offenders who are sentenced to perform community service work.

Volunteer probation officer Eldon Comfort attended the ward one councillors' drop-in to discuss community service orders from the courts and how the municipality can assist with them.

Councillor Terry Grubbe, who is also director of Acton Community Services Centre, provided Comfort with a list of local agencies who could use help, such as Helping Hands.

She also said she would discuss the subject with town staff to see if offenders ordered to do community service work could help the municipality.

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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS
SPRING CLEAN-UP

The Town of Halton Hills in co-operation with the Regional Municipality of Halton has arranged for temporary container facilities at the former landfill site on Armstrong Avenue, Georgetown, to receive spring clean-up refuse transported to the site by private citizens.

The facilities will be available for use on the following dates only:

Saturday, May 31, 1980	9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, June 3, 1980	12:00 Noon to 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, June 5, 1980	12:00 Noon to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 7, 1980	9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Use of the present container facilities for bagged refuse only will continue to be available to private citizens on and after the above dates.

Telfer Packaging Appointments

D.C. McConachie J.S. Lyons J.C. Millar P. Roy Woolfrey

The appointment of four new senior representatives to the marketing department of Telfer Packaging Limited has been announced by C. Kenneth Clements, General Sales Manager.

Donald C. McConachie has 40 years experience in the packaging industry including both production and sales management at various levels.

James S. Lyons has been engaged in the packaging industry since graduating from the University of Guelph (B.A. Economics). Jim has considerable national accounts experience.

James C. Millar has been in the packaging industry for 20 years and has held senior sales and sales management responsibilities. He is a graduate of Ryerson Institute of Technology (Business Administration).

P. Roy Woolfrey has a depth of knowledge in graphic and structural design and mechanical packaging acquired over 30 years in the industry. Roy's experience includes 18 years in folding cartons with national accounts.

The new appointments reflect the broad expansion in capabilities at Telfer Packaging. In the past six years, Telfer has completely modernized its equipment and capabilities... with new gluing lines, new die-cutters, new folding and printing equipment, including a six color Roland press.

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