

New council sworn in at inaugural ceremony

The new Halton Hills council officially took office Monday night after they took the oath of office.

Mayor Pete Pomeroy was sworn in by his brother-in-law Justice of the Peace Leo Archdekin, as he was two years ago when he first became mayor. At the completion of the ceremony Archdekin placed the chain of office around the mayor's neck.

Judge Kenneth Langdon conducted the

swearing in ceremony for the 12 councillors, three of whom were women. Until now there has never been more than two women on Georgetown or Halton Hills council, at the same time. The three women are Terry Grubbe, Ward One; Pam Sheldon, Ward Two; and Marilyn Serjeantson, Ward Three.

The other members of council are Mike Armstrong, Roy Booth, Russ Miller, Walter

Biehn, Ross Knechtel, Harry Levy, George Maltby, John McDonald, and Dave Whiting are the only two new Whiting and Sheldon are the only two new faces on council.

In bringing greetings from the Federal Government, John McDermid MP said he doubted the Prime Minister would do the same for him. Commenting on the number of councillors who were acclaimed, Mc-

Dermaid joked he was planning a meeting to find out how it is done.

Regional Chairman Jack Raftis said representation from Halton Hills right from the inception of regional government had been strong and unified. "If every other municipality had such people we would have more effective regional government."

Raftis noted Russ Miller is chairman of

the solid waste management committee, Roy Booth second time chairman of the planning committee, Mike Armstrong is chairman of the planning study in Georgetown and Acton, and Mayor Pomeroy is chairman of the administration and finance committee. "He's called the chairman of the deficit committee," Raftis joked.

He concluded by saying the citizens of

Halton Hills are well served at the region.

Letters of congratulations were read from both Otto Jelinek MP and Julian Reed MPP.

Rev. Chuck Beaton of Trinity United Church, Acton, gave the prayer of dedication and Rev. Peter Barrow, of Knox Presbyterian Church, Georgetown, gave the closing prayer.

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The program was closed with another Hymn.

The President took charge of the business portion, welcoming the large turn-out.

Besides the secretary's and treasurer's reports, reports were on the Sale and the bake and craft sale and on Stewardship Sunday.

The Cooper Contest netted \$66 with Jean Jackson's side being the winners.

Election of Officers for 1981 was held and Mrs. Robertson showed her slides.

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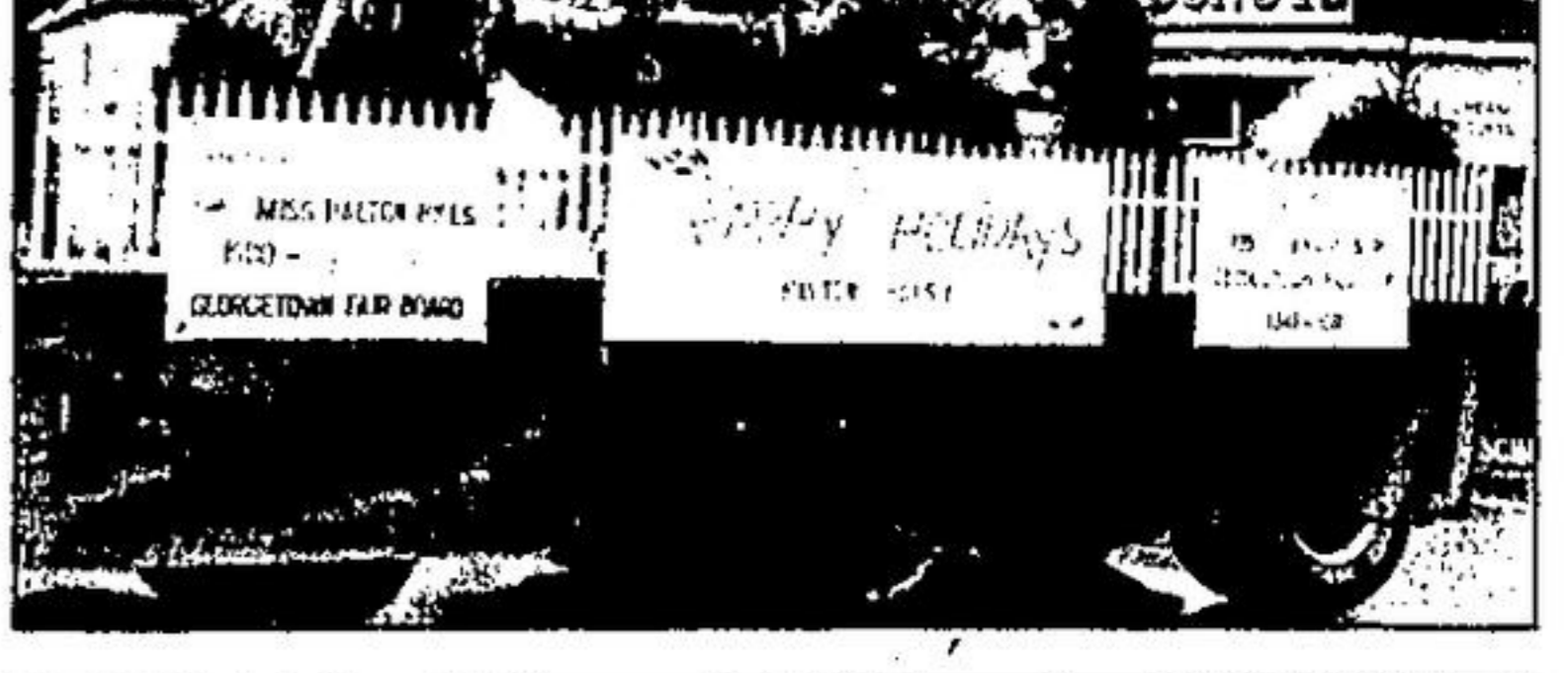
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