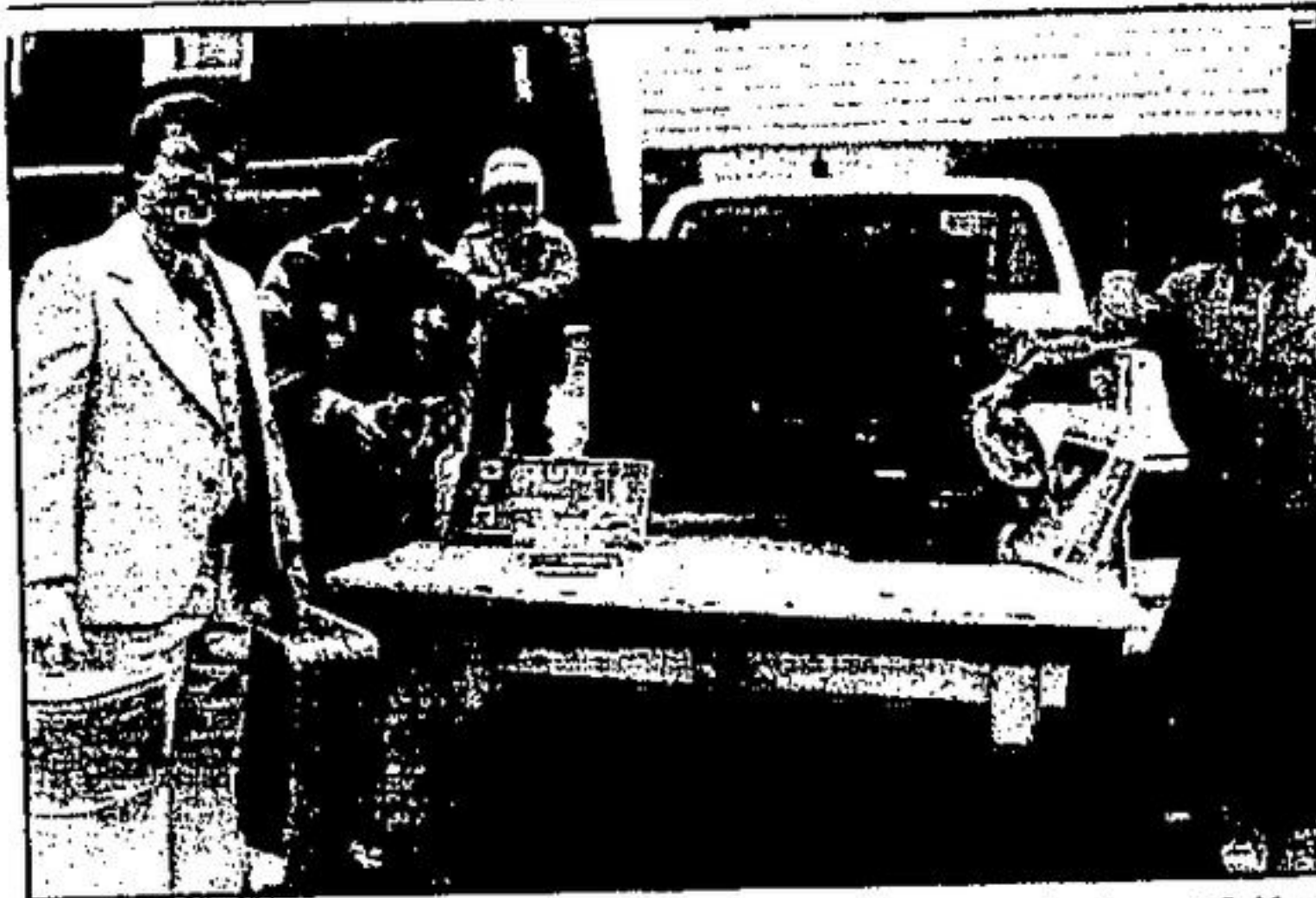




Not just another snake in the grass. This boa constrictor, owned by Frank Papillon, was a hit at the library Saturday morning. Holding the snake is Elizabeth Meyner. Visitors also watched a film on snakes.



A truckload of goods will be auctioned off at the Y's Men annual sale next Friday, May 8. Left to right Wayne Munro, Kevin Kenalty and Bev Jones start to unload some goods while Cameron Kenalty looks at a game.

Y's Men search auction goods

Got some old junk you want to get rid of? The Y's Men are looking for oldies but goodies for their annual auction, to be held next Friday, May 8 at the Curling Club.

Kevin Kenalty said the group is looking for anything that can be resold from appliances to furniture to household effects.

Those goods will be placed on the auction block, to be sold by auctioneer Max Storey. Funds received will go towards the YMCA and the Y's Men-sponsored, Santa Claus parade.

The Y's Menettes will be holding a rummage sale at the auction and provide refreshments. If you have any goods you wish to donate call Dawe Real Estate at 853-3790, Lakeview Centre at 853-1190 or 853-1512 for pick-up.

The auction starts at 6:30 p.m. and lasts until the final item is sold.

Golden anniversary celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. James Cecil and Helen Cripps (nee McMenemy) of R.R. 2, Acton, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary quietly on Sunday, April 25.

The couple were married in 1931 at Georgetown Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Cripps was born in Speyside and lived in Glen Williams. Mr. Cripps was born in Crewson Corners.

Helping them celebrate their golden anniversary were their children, Fred, Beatrice, Ida, Leslie of Thunder Bay, Gordon, Kenneth, Helen, Isabel, Sarah, Sandra, William and David.

The Cripps also have 21 grandchildren and one great-grandchild expected in June.

They lived in Acton before moving to their RR2 home 32 years ago.

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OFA presses for breaks for farmers

Ontario's Federation of Agriculture (OFA) will lobby for more economic breaks for farmers from government and bankers.

The OFA is organizing a conference on the general economic picture for this summer in Toronto, Queen's Park and Ottawa officials will be invited. Meanwhile the federation will establish a lobby to press farm issues on the province.

A slate of economic proposals was adopted as OFA policy. They include a call for an independent review agency which would screen farm bankruptcies.

Delegates, however, felt short of endorsing the demand by Wellington's Federation of Agriculture for the resignation of provincial agriculture minister Lorne Henderson.

The OFA tabled a vote on Henderson's resignation until July.

Wellington's call for the OFA to adopt a more militant approach to solutions also was watered down. The OFA may be prepared to organize a march on Queen's Park if such a march "would support OFA financial relief programs."

Since 1979 there have been five farm related bankruptcies in Halton and 14 in Wellington.

Across Ontario there were 122 farm bankruptcies last year compared to 64 in 1979.

Vandals broke into the Acton arena Monday night damaging tools with spray paint. Police say the vandals entered through a window and sprayed a quantity of tools with paint.

The Golden Age Club is holding a bake sale Friday at the Dawe Real Estate Office on Mill Street. Sale starts 10 a.m. and runs until noon. A draw for a quilt will also be made at noon.

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Two injured in crash

Two Guelph residents were taken by ambulance to Guelph General Hospital following an accident at Queen Street and Churchill Road Saturday afternoon.

Alex McDonald, 24 and his wife Roseanne, 23 received minor injuries when the accident with Greg Dodds, 17, of Rockwood occurred. Police say the McDonald vehicle was westbound on Queen when the collision occurred with the Dodds vehicle which entered Queen Street from Churchill Road. Dodds and his passenger, Susan Brain, 17, of Acton were not injured in the crash.

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