

# Sitters Hope To Graduate Magnum Cum Talcum

by Bev Whatmough

A babysitting course, sponsored by the Georgetown Y is in full swing every Saturday morning from 10 to 12. On October 31 the session was Child Care and Food Rules, and its aim was "to instruct the babysitter on the fundamentals of child care and basic food preparation."

Mrs. Audrey Ruston was the instructor for this particular section of the course and assisting her was her daughter Melinda, age 18 months. Mrs. Pat Burroughs with baby daughter Tara, one month and Bonnie Bottomley with her son Derrick.

After giving the babysitters a brief talk on general baby and child care, including correct position for holding, diapering, and bathing the baby, Mrs. Ruston divided the class into two groups. One group watched Mrs. Bottomley while she prepared Derrick for his feeding. Although it was impossible to give Derrick a real bath, Mrs. Bottomley had a plastic tub and the equipment required for bathing a baby, and the babysitters were able to have some practice with baby and a 'dry' bath.

## CHANGING DIAPER

Mrs. Bottomley gave the group many suggestions concerning the care of a baby as she demonstrated how to change a diaper and how to hold the

baby and give him the bottle. Each member of the group was given the opportunity to assist in these jobs.

The second group watched the same type of demonstration given by Mrs. Burroughs and her daughter Tara. One of the many points covered by Mrs. Burroughs was the correct use of powder or cream when changing a baby. Mrs. Burroughs suggested each babysitter check carefully with the mother of their charges to find out what type of product she wanted used on her baby.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH

Mrs. Ruston addressed the whole group again after a short break for refreshments and covered some safety rules the sitters should know when dealing with young children. To illustrate this part of her lecture, Mrs. Ruston had a doll sitting on a table surrounded by some common hazards, including safety pins, a bottle of aspirin, small sharp toys that could be swallowed, a piece of thin plastic film that could suffocate a baby or child.

Mrs. Ruston also made some suggestions about food preparation for young children, such as keeping the menu simple and nourishing. She did feel that parents have the prime responsibility for leaving food for the babysitter to give to the children. However, if the parent did



## Doreen Stamp, Mark Kowall Married in Home Ceremony

In a November 6th ceremony at the bride's home Shirley Doreen Stamp and Mark Kowall were united in marriage, with Rev. Kelvin Johnson officiating.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stamp, 4 Churchill Cres., was given in marriage by her father. It was a double ring ceremony. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Kowall, Acton.

Mrs. Stamp designed her daughter's wedding dress, as well as that of another daughter Susan, who was maid of honour. The bride was in a street length dress of white velvet with high waist, trimmed with daisies at neckline and waist. She wore a floral headpiece, shoulder length veil and carried pink baby carnations. Susan wore an empire style dress of rose velvet with puff sleeves, a hairbow

tinged, to match her dress, and carried a nosegay of white poms.

The bride's brother Murray was groomsmen.

## CARNATION CORSAGE

At a reception which followed, Mrs. Stamp wore a blue

## Anglican Canon McMulkin Becomes

John H. McMulkin, a former rector of St. George's Anglican Church here is now Canon McMulkin. The appointment was made recently by Bishop W.E. Bagnall.

Mr. McMulkin left Georgetown three years ago for a new appointment as rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Hamilton.

## HORNBY

### Plans Tomato Growing, Builds New Greenhouses

When Peter Van Tuyl, who is 47 years old and lives in the Hornby area emigrated from Holland in 1948 he was employed in an office of a publishing company. He has now decided to change his occupation and build 27 greenhouses in the local district and grow tomatoes with the help of his two sons. The equipment and galvanized steel for the greenhouse structures are all imported from Holland. The construction which started three weeks ago is expected to be completed by the end of December. The company who supplied the materials sent a specialist to Canada to supervise their construction. Mr. Van Tuyl plans to have an official opening in January when horticulturalists from the University of Guelph and the Vineland Experimental Farm will attend.

The recreation committee of the North Halton Trafalgar euchre club held their weekly euchre party on Saturday night, November 14. There were seven tables of euchre in play with the prizes going to the following winners: Mrs. Lena Hamilton, Mrs. Harold Reed, Mrs. Tom Howden, Otto Marshment, Bill Thomson and Charlie Brown. The lucky draws were won by Mrs. Harvey Dunn and Clare Wilson. The next euchre will be on Saturday night, Nov. 21.

The 7th meeting of the Hornby North Chain Gang was held at the home of Mrs. Tom Bousfield, on Monday, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. The meeting was opened with the 4-H pledge and the secretary's report read. The roll call Why I chose my free choice article and the colour, was answered by the ten members present. The girls worked on the incomplete work in their recraft books. A short discussion was held on Achievement Day with the topic on Colour Schemes in Harmony. The press reporter for this meeting was Lorraine Cooper.

Belated anniversary greetings are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald MacPherson who celebrated their wedding anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barker and daughter Mary Ann of Streetsville, visited on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Garry Hamilton.

Larry Rutledge of Clinton, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rutledge of the 9th Line.

Birthday greetings are extended to the following who are celebrating their birthdays — Yvonne Brown on November 17, Mrs. Earl McMillan on Nov. 18, Doug Leslie, Gregg Stemmann and James Glen Barnes on Nov. 23, Robert Rutledge on November 22, Mrs. Jack Nixon on Nov. 23, Mrs. Martin Southwood and Mrs. Albert Marchment on Nov. 24.

The recreation committee of the Boyne Community Centre held a euchre party on Friday night, Nov. 13. There were 17 tables of euchre in play with the prizes going to the following: Mrs. Myrtle Cunningham, Mrs. Muriel Galbraith, Jack Robertson and George Brownridge. The lucky draws were won by Mrs. Fannie Evans, Mrs. Archie Service, Cameron Marshall and Clare Ford. A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge and a social hour enjoyed. The next euchre will be held on Friday night, Nov. 27.

Clifford Break returned home last week from Germany where he enjoyed two months of landscape work and sight seeing. — Mrs. Jim Hamilton

## Need No High School Additions Until 1973

The Halton County Board of Education voted to provide for a 500-pupil school addition in the board's 1972 budget.

In reviewing the capacity of Halton schools, assistant director of education, E. S. Lavender, said that the schools can handle the anticipated number of high school students with present and under-construction schools, until about 1973.

He recommended the board provide for the 500-pupil addition in the 1972 budget, but said the location of the addition would be determined at a later date.

## BIRTHS DECLINE

In a report, Lavender stated: "The decline in birth rate that has produced a decline in kindergarten enrolments over the last two years will have ultimate significance for the secondary schools, but natural growth of Halton County and the increased retention rate in secondary schools will tend to offset the effects of a decline in birth rate."

He said the 1973 addition will likely be needed in the west education area of the county.

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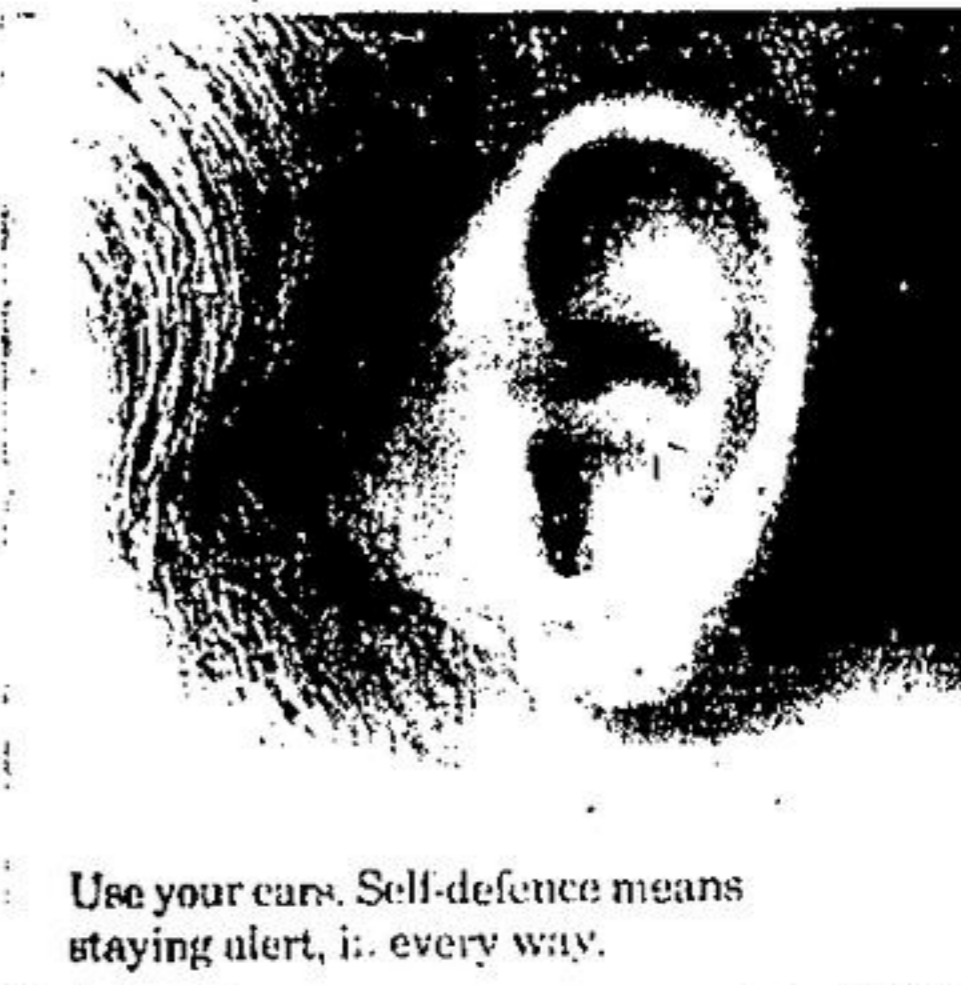
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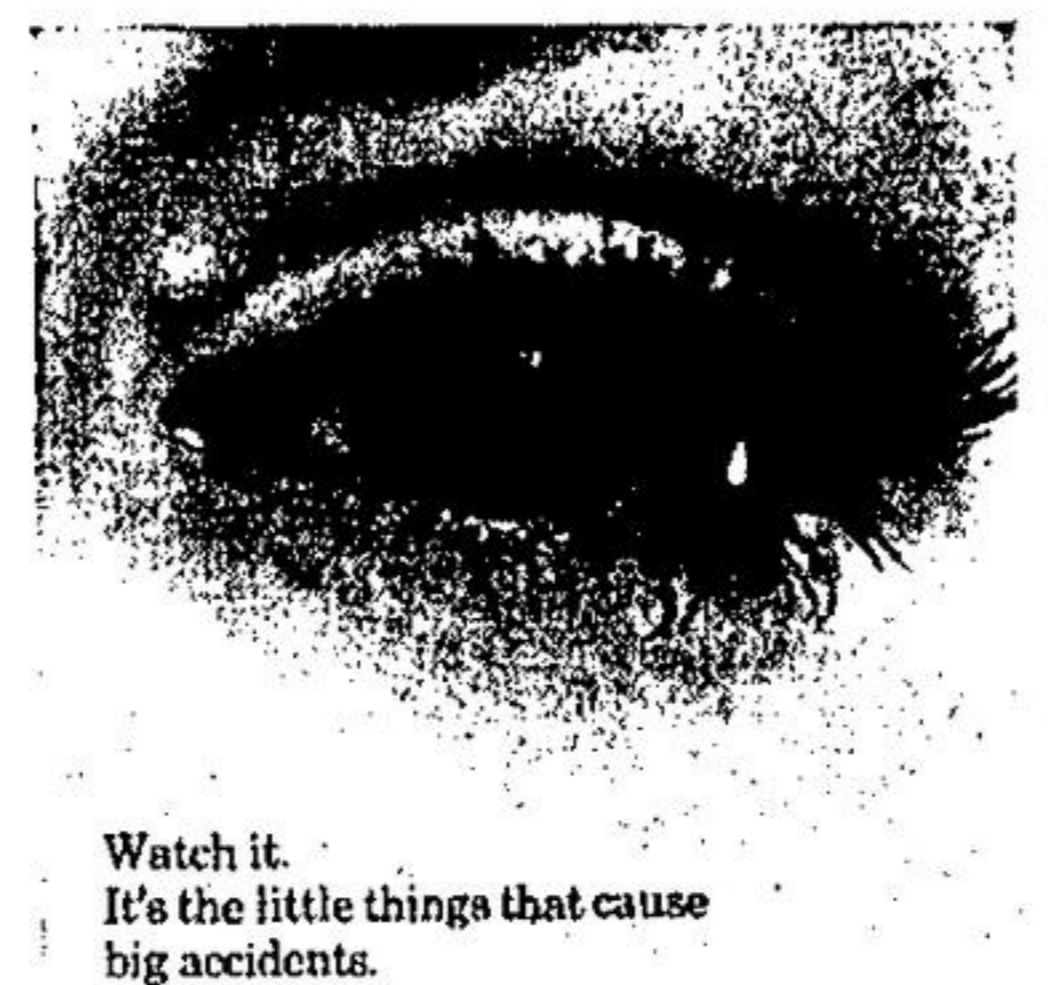
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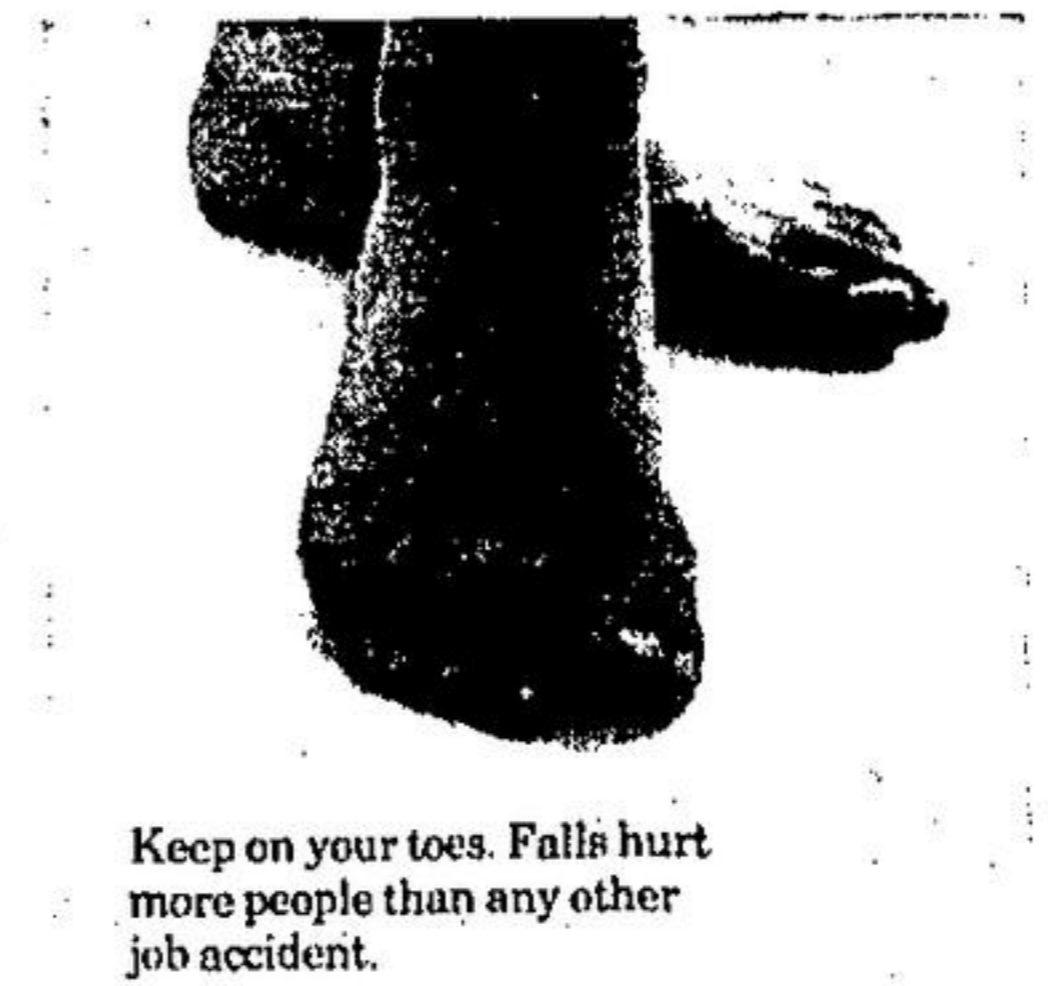
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Mrs. Paul Burroughs shows baby sitting scholars how to change a diaper.



Philip Mulder helps one of the "volunteers" with lunch.



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Mrs. Bonnie Bottomley watches student sitter in action

velvet sheath and pink carnation corsage, and Mrs. Kowall was in beige crocheted knit with a corsage of rust mums.

at Innwood Manor, Mississauga. He is employed with Picker-X-Ray and she with Capitol Records.

For a honeymoon trip the bride wore a white lace pantsuit and purple coat with white fur collar and cuffs.

School friends and relatives attended a shower given for the bride by Darlene Cullbert and Cathy McDonald at Miss Cullbert's home. Her aunt, Mrs. Johnson, was also hostess at a

shower with relatives and neighbors attending. Fellow employees at Capitol Records had a luncheon shower. The groom was presented with a \$500 of money by his fellow employees.