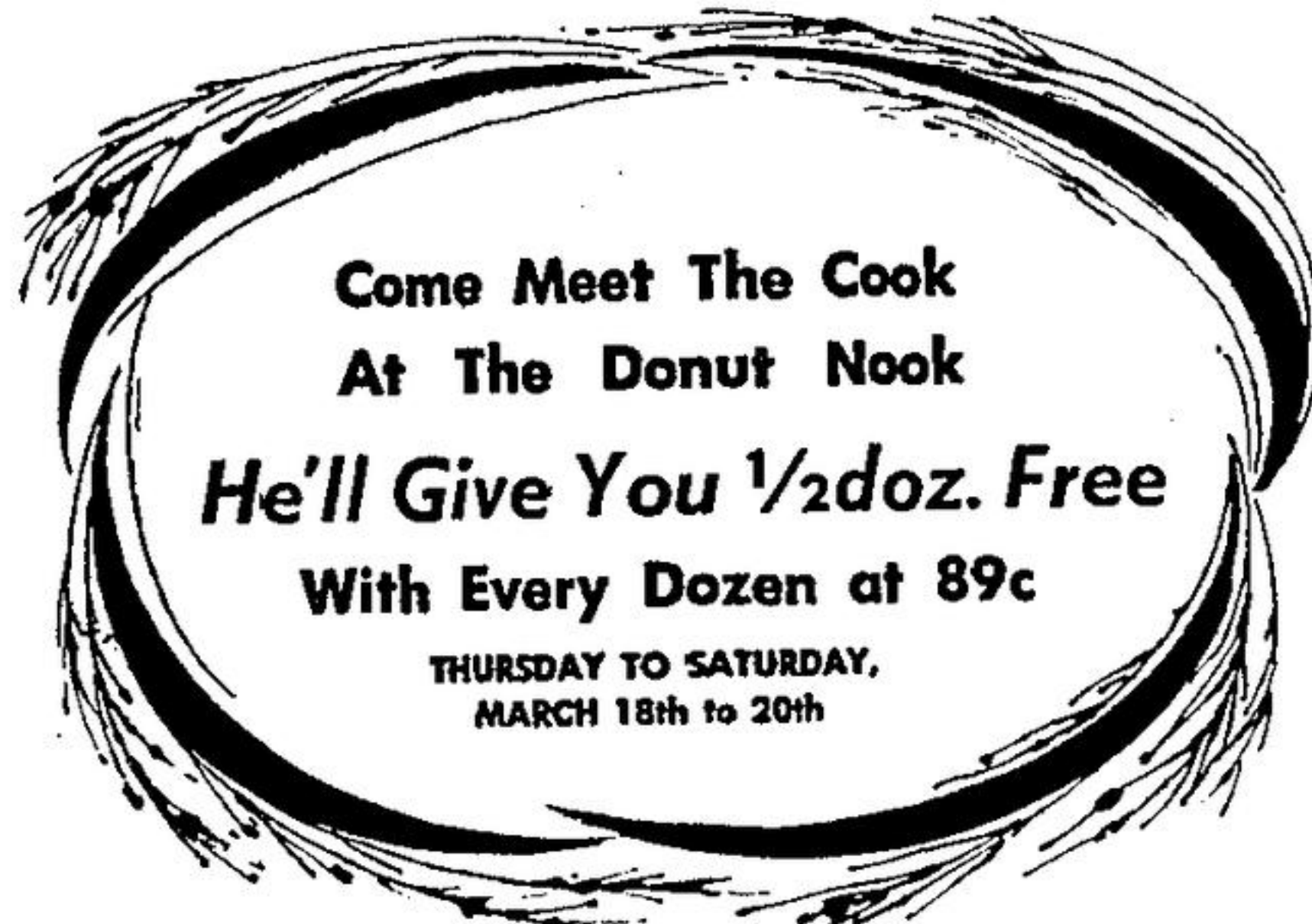


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Hilton Not For Fun, Just Water Control

If and when Hilton Falls Dam project is completed it will be strictly for water control, representatives of Halton Region Conservation Authority told Milton Council and Planning Board last week at a joint meeting to discuss the flood control report on the west half of the 16 Mile Creek.

After hearing the statement, secretary to Milton Planning Board, Ross Pearen wondered aloud, "That's what we thought Kelso was for when it was constructed."

HRCA Manager Murray Stephen said the purpose of Kelso had changed and its prime purpose was recreation now, but there was no chance of the same thing happening at Hilton Falls.

Wynfield Horse Winner

Nune's Pocoweed, a quarter horse from Roy and Joan Ianson's Wynfield Farm at R. R. 3, Georgetown, was the winner in the Trail Class at the second annual Quarterama Horse Extravaganza at the C.N.E. grounds recently.

More than 15,000 people attended the various functions which ranged from horse auction to Queen contest.

CHORAL SOCIETY "NOTE WORTHY"



THEY LOVE TO SING

Music director Charlie Crimes directs members of the newly formed Georgetown Choral Society during a recent rehearsal. Forty people who love to sing, just for the fun of it, have already joined the aggregation which meets every Tuesday in the music room of the Georgetown District High School. Since formed the society has been singing a variety of songs ranging from folk to religious. They plan to make their first public appearance in June.

105th Birthday For Halton Manor Resident

Halton County staged one of its biggest birthday parties on Saturday to honour the 105th birthday of Simon Henry Baverstock, a resident at Centennial Manor home for the aged.

Birthday greetings were delivered by chairman of the Manor Board, Thomas Hill; Warden of Halton County F. G. Oakes; Director of Homes for the Aged Lawrence Crawford; and James Snow, Halton East MPP.

PRESENTED WITH SCROLL
 Snow presented Mr. Baverstock with a scroll signed by former premier John Robarts and the Government of Ontario. Born in Petrolia, Mr. Baverstock is the oldest resident in Halton County. Records at the Halton Centennial Manor list his birth as March 4, 1866.

Mr. Baverstock has always been active on the land. He spent 13 years in Sarnia gardening and running a team of horses. He also spent 41 years working in the bush near Elmvalle as a woodcutter and lumberman.

NINE YEARS AGO
 He came to the Halton Centennial Manor with his wife nine years ago. Two years later Mrs. Baverstock died.

The Baverstock family still includes four sons and one daughter, 23 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren.

The birthday celebration was staged by the Halton Centennial Manor, under the direction of administrator Stanley Allen.

Guests included approximately a dozen of the family's friends as well as many of the 350 Manor residents.

ADVISES CLEAN LIVING
 Though white haired and hard

GLEN HOUSE DAMAGED



FLAMES LEFT PORCH SKELETON

This was all that was left of a sun-porch on the back of the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hooker, 7 Mullen Lane in Glen Williams, after flames were finished with it last week. Heavy smoke damage throughout the house resulted.

Made Many Improvements As Cemetery Chairman

When Mr. and Mrs. George Greenwood Cemetery was landscaped, and a modern chain link fence constructed around it.

The board's centennial project was construction of a utility house and apartment near the main entrance.

Mrs. Leah Mogg, 40 Regan Crescent, has been appointed by council to replace Mr. Muckart on the board. With Mr. Licata as chairman and Harry

He was actively involved in several important projects. While he was a board member of the King Street section of Harry Moss.

DEAD ELMS ON 401 FALL IN WINTER WORKS PROJECT

Elm trees ravaged by Dutch Elm disease, an eye-sore along 401 Highway, are being felled by work gangs recruited from Manpower and Welfare Agencies from Dixie Road to Highway 8.

Men from Acton, Georgetown, Milton, Burlington and Oakville are among the crews who are divided into six teams for cutting, trees, cutting it into four foot lengths, stacking and burning brush.

They are paid \$2.54 an hour for a 40 hour week. They are clearing dead elms out a quarter of a mile from each side of 401.

RATHER HAVE WELFARE
 Some of the men enjoy the outdoor work and are glad to be working, but others admit they would rather be on welfare.

Reason? They receive less money working than they get on welfare.

One worker has said the provincial government, which organized the bee under the supervision of the engineering department of the Department of Highways to combat unemployment should make up the difference between his welfare cheque and the one he receives for working.

FOR THE ASKING
 What do they do with the wood? Apparently, it is there for the asking.

Wood burning home owners are bringing in pick-up trucks and loading up for fireplaces.



Dr. Bouchard still makes house calls.

The tiny village of Rock Island, Quebec, gets an annual average snowfall of 100 inches. And the temperature can sit below zero for weeks.

So when Dr. Gilles Bouchard's patients can't get to him, he goes to them. By Volkswagen.

They say around Rock Island that it makes folks feel better just seeing his little red VW chugging about the countryside.

But for him, a Volkswagen is more a necessity than an eccentricity. In fact, it's just what the doctor ordered.

His practice covers 500 square miles. And what with churning through drifts along snow-choked backroads in winter, or slogging through mud and

slush in the spring, he logs 15,000 miles a year.

And while travel by Volkswagen isn't the fastest method known to man, we were delighted to hear that a bug can still win a race with the stork.

One sub-zero morning, a baby was on the way 20 miles from town. But the doctor wasn't. His other car, a big fast sedan, wouldn't start.

What to do?
 "In spite of the cold, the bug started right away," says Dr. Bouchard.

"And I made it just in the nick of time."

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