



**AWARDS FOR BEST IN PARADE**

Georgetown Lions said thanks and congratulations to groups who entered prizewinning floats in December's Santa Claus parade with a dinner and

presentation of trophies Tuesday January 18. Many of the recipients had departed when this picture was taken. From left are Dick Licata with the award won by the

Shriners, Sheila Kirk representing the majorette group, Sheila Pantling representing the Brownies, and Alex Blackwell accepting for United Gas.

**Route Change Likely**

**Set May 6 as Date For this Year's Walk**

Eric Eamon was chosen chairman of the 1972 Walkathon, Miles for Millions. Mr. Eamon is the executive director of the Peel County YM-YWCA and named chairman at the orientation meeting which was held Thursday at the YMCA. Representatives from all of the groups involved attended the meeting, YOU, which means bird services, the group which receives the money, Oxfam and Aicaf. The date for the 1972 walk was set for May 6 but the group decided that changes may have

to be made on the route. Vern Breen was selected to take over the route and make it less hazardous for small children who will be participating in the walk. Reports on the route will be brought to the next meeting which was set for Feb. 23. The committee will also decide at the next meeting whether changes will be made in the forms. Separate committees were chosen to handle that problem. Over 15 people attended the meeting, representing Brampton, Bramalea and Georgetown.

**Drops Case**

**Dragway Won't Oppose Any OMB Decision**

The Golden Horseshoe Dragway has dropped its case challenging Esqueping Township to show why it should be regulated by the agricultural holding bylaw in Esqueping. Consequently an OMB hearing scheduled to be held here in February has been cancelled. Dragway lawyers have indicated they will abide by any decision the O.M.B. makes on their land between the Fifth and Sixth Lines north of Highway 7 which is now known as Toronto International Dragway.

The O.M.B. reserved decision on the dragway lands when it was alleged the dragway officials had not been properly notified of the first hearing in February, 1971 on the restricting bylaw. Another hearing, in June of last year, was called off when the O.M.B. ruled it was up to the township to prove why the strip should be zoned agricultural and classed as non-conforming.

Canada's farmers jointly have more than 23 billion dollars invested in land, buildings, implements, machinery, livestock and poultry.

**Rud's Busy Schedule**

**Phone Never Stops Ringing — Even on Sundays Says MP**

What's the normal weekly schedule for a busy Member of Parliament like Rud Whiting, who serves the federal constituency of Halton in the House of Commons at Ottawa?

In a year-end interview the other day, Mr. Whiting explained his "normal" weekly schedule when the House is in session and it works out to about seven days a week, 14 to 18 hours a day.

Monday mornings you will find the MP catching the airport limousine from Oakville, where he lives, to Toronto airport. He flies to Ottawa each Monday morning and is usually in his office in Parliament's west block by 12 o'clock noon. His secretary then has the mail ready and he usually spends a couple of hours going over the mail and dictating letters, before the House session opens at 2 p.m.

**WEEKEND BUSINESS**

He stays in the House until 4 p.m. then returns to his office to work out solutions to problems which have come up at home in the riding over the weekend. Whiting says he is often in contact with about 30 constituents on an average weekend at home, and much of this requires further action from the Ottawa end. His secretary usually stays until 6 or 6.30 p.m. getting out the mail while Whiting makes phone calls and has supper before returning to the House for the evening sitting.

Parliament adjourns at 10 p.m. then he calls home to his wife and his answering service in Oakville to see what messages may have accumulated through the day. He'll often spend the morning writing letters, making phone calls, or attending committee meetings. The public accounts committee, of which he is vice-

**MORNING MEETINGS**  
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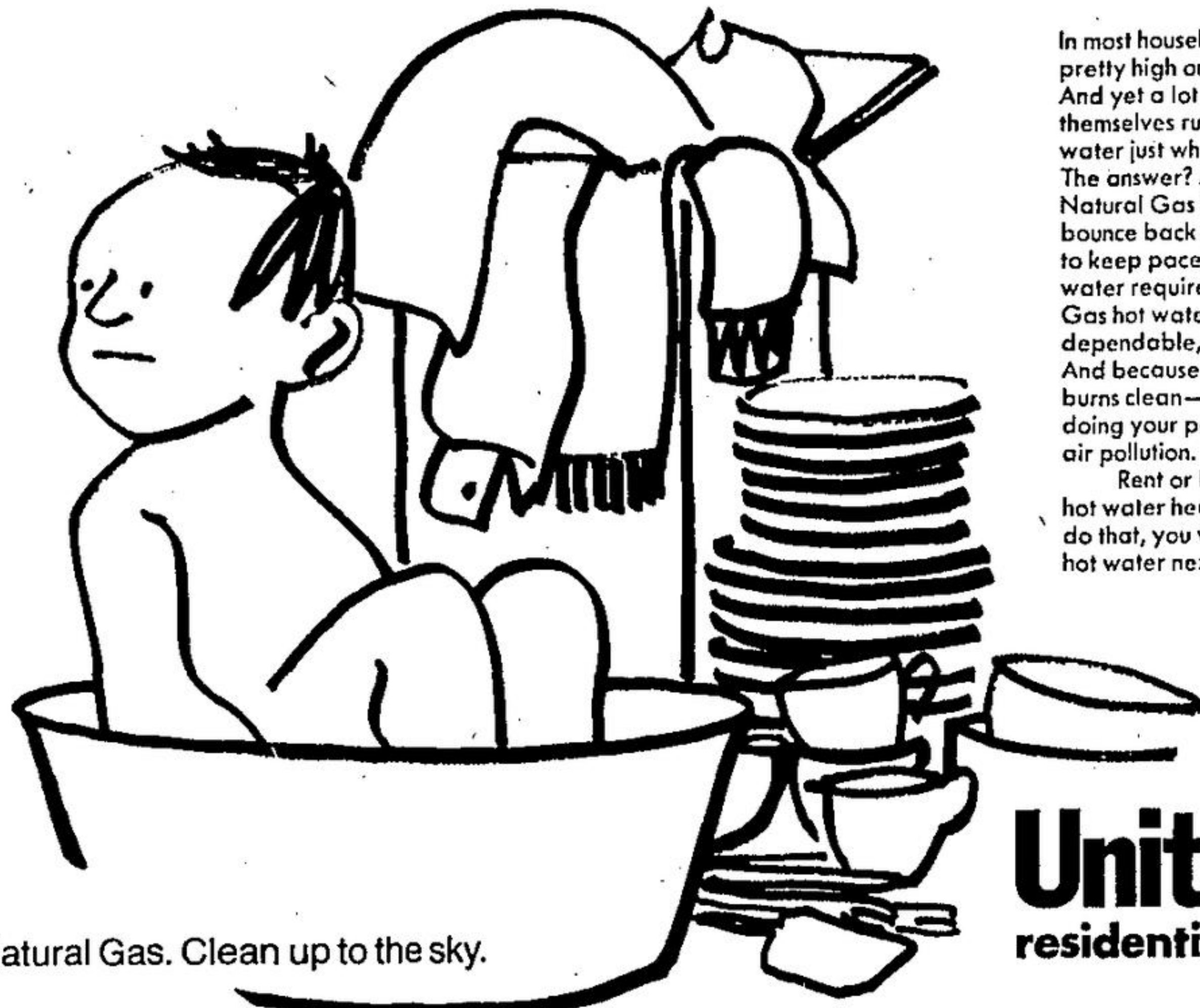
The new lean pork of today can be roasted to a lower temperature than formerly, says the Ontario Pork Institute. Internal temperature of 170 degrees on a meat thermometer produces what some believe is a more flavourful, juicier roast with appetizing results. If soup has been made too salty, grate a raw potato, add it and cook the soup for a few minutes.

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