DUTCH DIVERS Margaret Kuyenhoven deft; and Josien Van Spronsen, both 17 and from Holland, demonstrate a hand-stand dive at the Lion's outdoor pool last Wednesday.

The two young women are visiting from Holland and depart today (Wednesday) for thei homes near Rotterdam.

Metcalfe ravine finished this week, Ballinger says

the ravine between Metcalfe they're sliding." Court and Delrex Boulevard will be completed at the end of this week, the town's deputy engineer. Ted Ballinger, told the works committee Monday.

The town is installing gabion baskets to check the flow of water out of the stom sewer exiting from under Delrex Boulevard into the ravine.

Coun. Ern Hyde said that the gabion baskets solve only one of two problems, that of checking the flow.

"We're not doing anything to lessen the slopes," he said.

Field work at the bottom of This is where the problem is-

He suggested a pipe carrying the water and covered with fill to a depth of ten feet or more would stop the

Town engineer Robert Austin said that water rushing down the ravine causes erosion and that to stop that, "you'd have to fill it level."

It never was the intent of the town, even if a pipe had been installed, to put that much fill

into the ravine, Austin added. Even ten feet of fill, a figure

mean that trees would have to be cut down, Austin said. Mike Armstrong, chairman of the committee, said gabion baskets are less costly than an

adopted by the committee for

the sake of discussion, would

enclosed pipe, does the job and makes the area look 'Yeasonably wild." The gabion baskets are constructed in a series of dams

which allow the water a number of vertical drops rather than a straight flow chich causes erosion.

The town engineer is to report to the committee Aug. 23 on the progress of the work.

FIRE ISSUE

New truck or tanker?

Controversy arose Monday from fire chiefs Ken Buikema between Wards 3 and 4 Fire and Mick Holmes after con-Chief Ken Buikema and sultation with the firefighters members of the volunteer firefighters association over the proposed purchase of a four-wheel-drive vehicle.

Buikema maintained the truck is badly needed for calls in rural areas, covering a 62 mile radius and to decrease the strain placed on the van presently used to transport manpower and firefighting equipment.

Bud Hyde spoke for the volunteer firefighters association opposing the purchase on the grounds that money could be better spent on a tanker.

"If we're going to put this on a priority basis, the tanker is a must," he told the general administration committee. "We've driven the van since 1967 and had good service from

He suggested the old van could be used soley for urban

Buikema contradicted saying in the past that the van required numerous brake repairs, recently needed new springs, experienced other me, nanical problems and was overloaded with equipment regardless of how it is redistributed.

"The first concern of firemen is to maintain their own lives," said Coun. George Maltby, "so if they feel strongly in favor of the tanker, dkay.

He voiced support for more leedback between fire chiefs and volunteer firefighters concerning budgets and lecisions.

"As a volunteer group, they need and deserve different attention than employees," Malthy believes.

The dispute concluded with a motion by Coun. Roy Booth to able the issue pending reports

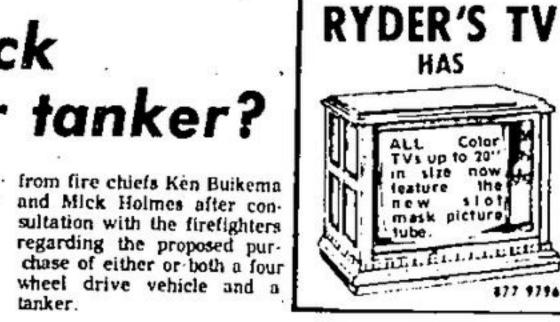
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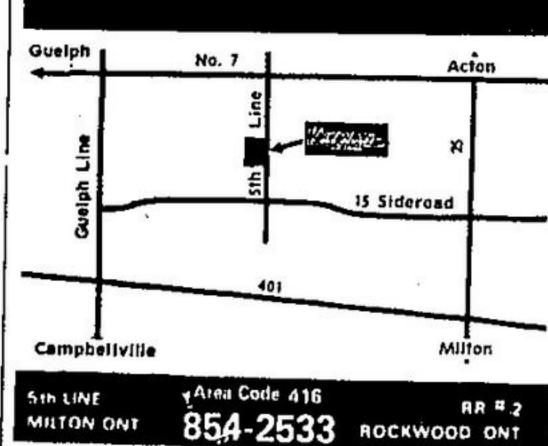
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Legion park improvements delayed

The improvement of Remembrance Park, Branch 120's project for the 50th anniversary of the Royal Canadian Legion, has met with another delay which will postpone the project until next

Thursday members of the Legion viewed the partially drained lower pond along with Mike Armstrong, chairman of the works committee and Ted Ballinger deputy engineer.

The meeting at the park was called by Coun. Ern Hyde who had suggested that removing the boards from beneath the bridge over the lower pond would improve the water flow and thus eliminate weeds

which are choking the bottom. Hyde did not attend that meeting. He told the works returned from a month of committee Monday he went by touring the Western provinces. the park earlier in the day and They visited Vancouver noticed that it had not yet been Isaind, Mel Addy's sister in

seeing was the ugly exposed camp. bottom of the pond with water The Given's daughter and slugishly moving through Agreement among Legion president, Denny Wright, chairman of the improvement project, Norm Ward and and Ted Harrison was reconsider traffic lights at manimous that draining the three Georgetown locations lower pond was not what the was requested by the works legion wanted.

· GABION BASKETS steadily dropped over the years and the swamp from which the pond gets its water across the street has only a four foot wide creek coming into the park, the legion committee felt narrowing the channel with gabion baskets to about 15 feet from its present 25 feet width would increase the water flow and keep weed growth down.

But Ward said, after the scene had been examined that "instead of a 25 foot wide stagnant pool, you'll have a 15 foot wide stagnant pool.'

"We're trying to make a river out of a stream and we can't do it," Ward said.

Wright said the Legion may reconsider the idea of piping water underground and having fountains. But whatever is decided, the legion is hesitant about putting out money for something that is not permanent, he added .--

Ballinger suggested at that meeting that filling in the slopes of the pond, then adding a three foot wall of gabion baskets to make the pond 15 feet wide along with cleaning the bottom would be enough to tide the project over until next

Ballinafad visitors and vacationers Many Ballinafad residents son-in-law June and Dirk Jansen, their two children.

community include Mr. and

Mrs. Griffen Jones of Garson

and Mr. and Mrs. Aneurin

Gould of South Wales They

The works committee

delayed approval of a pylon

sign outside the offices of

Johnston Carney Ltd. at 232

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opposed in principle to the

construction of the sign, the

councillors wanted assurance

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are on vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Given met them in Calgary, and accompanied them to the Calgary Stampede. They also visited Miss Nancy Snow, a nurse emdrained, "then I forgot about Hainey, British Columbia, and ployed by a hospital in Red former resident of Ballinafad Deer, Alberta, took in the Mel Addy, who works in a What Coun. Hyde missea British Columbia lumber Zoo. Saskatoon Fair and Winnipeg Recent visitors to our

Traffic study

Legionnaires Harold Badham A traffic operation study to committe Monday.

The committee will ask Halton Region to reconsider As the water table has traffic lights at Mountainview Road South and Sinclair Avenue: Mountainview Road South and Campbell Gate and Delrex Boulevard and Maple

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Fill for the project would be available from storms sewers which are going in on Draper Street nearby the park on James Street. But at Monday's meeting of the works committee, Ballinger said he had second thoughts about the

shaping the slopes and laying sod would cost about \$2,600. As new ideas," Ballinger said. and trucks carrying the fill taken place at the park, he would drive over the grass, said.

resodding yet nothing concrete would be achieved, he said. The park would not be presentable for the Remembrance Service in November,

he said. "It's getting late in the

"Perhaps the best idea is to He said the filling operation, let it go until next year...thing about it more and get some there has been a wet summer No real engineering has

spent a week at the Smith

Helde and Claus Wotzel of

West Germany were guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eckert and

Mr. and Mrs. Murray

Jamieson and their little son

moved to Deep Itiver where

Murray is taking a month-long

training course. Upon its

completion, he will be

stationed at a hydro office in

Recently, the Jamieson

family was visited by Elsle

that no more pylon signs would

be erected as there are a

number of tenants in the

building besides Johnson

Town engineer Robert

Austin suggested one large

sign with all the tenants names

family.

Douglas Point.

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Town engineer Robert Austin said that part of the pond could be filled with fill from Draper Street and the trucks carrying the fill could enter the park from James Street so as not to cause

damage. He recommended the use of "turf stone" something like concrete blocks which are set in banks to stabilize the earth yet allow grass to grow through the stone.

Provin of Milton.

Manitoba.

The committee moved to proceed with filling the west

Sharon Kanusek is enjoying

a holiday with her parents in

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side of the pond with fill from

Draper Street and meeting

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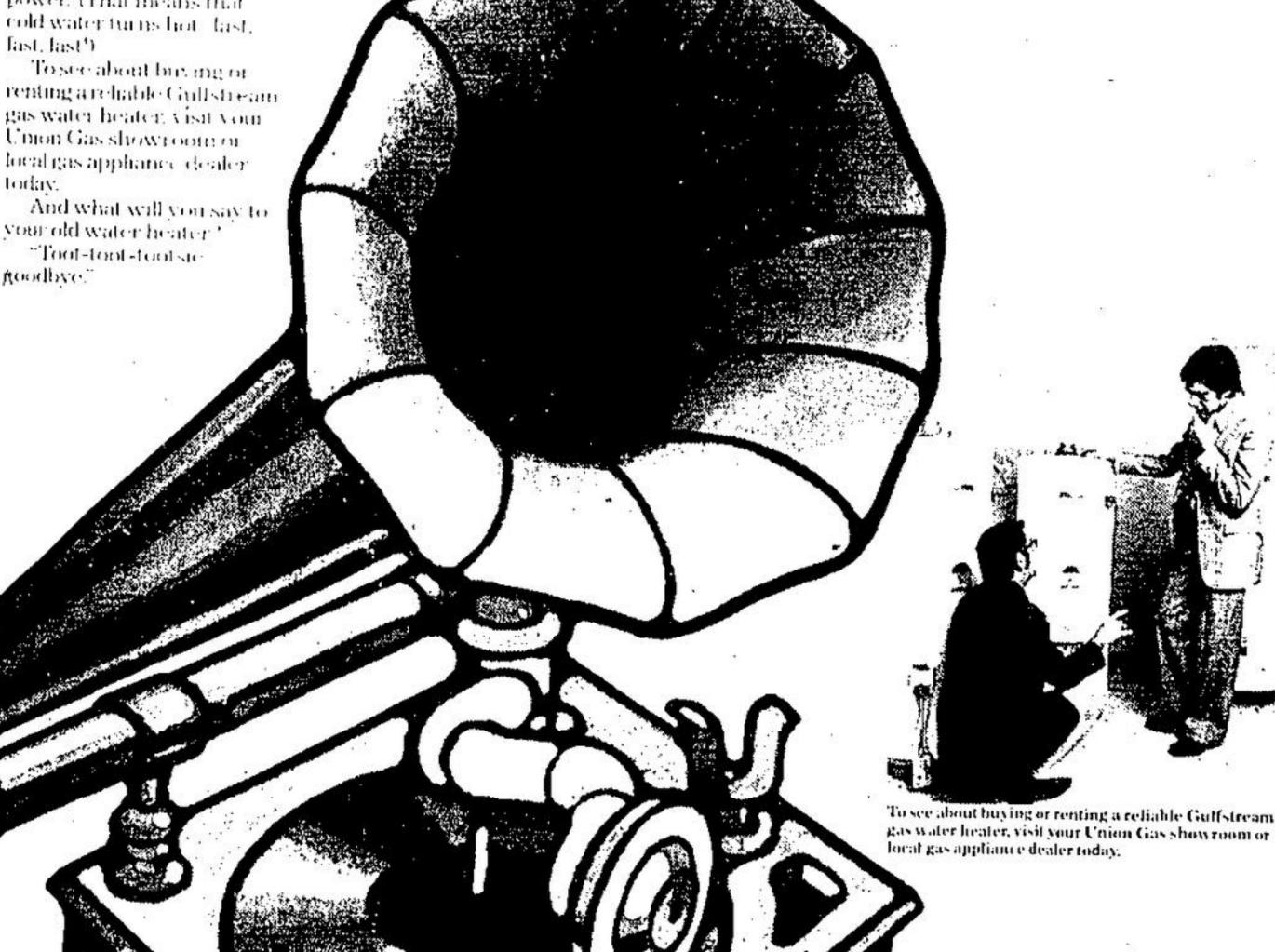
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