Publisher started at Herald

Herald Special
One of two brothers who
apprenticed with weekly newspapers in Halton Hills and
went on to establish their own
businesses, George Lake died

in Toronto recently.

Mr. Lake, who would have been 90 later this month, was born in Orillia, the son of Thomas and Mary Baker Lake. The family moved to Georgetown when George was

a youngster.
Two of the Lake children decided on newspaper careers and George began his apprenticeship with The Herald while Joe started a similar trade with the Acton

Free Press. Both headed north, Joe to start a weekly newspaper in Powassan and George in Timmins, following jobs in Hanover and Haileybury.

His newspaper, The Porcupine Advance, ceased publication some years ago, but the commercial printing business in Timmins is still conducted by his son, Merton.

Mr. Lake retired in the mid-1930s, moving to Thorn-hill, but continued to be active in the newspaper business as a director of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association.

His sister, Lucy Feller, 2

borough, died earlier this year at age 92, and he was predeceased by Thomas of Toronto, Ted of Orillia, Mary Stumpf, Elmira, Elizabeth Garvin, Barrie, Joseph of Powessan and a brother and sister in childbood.

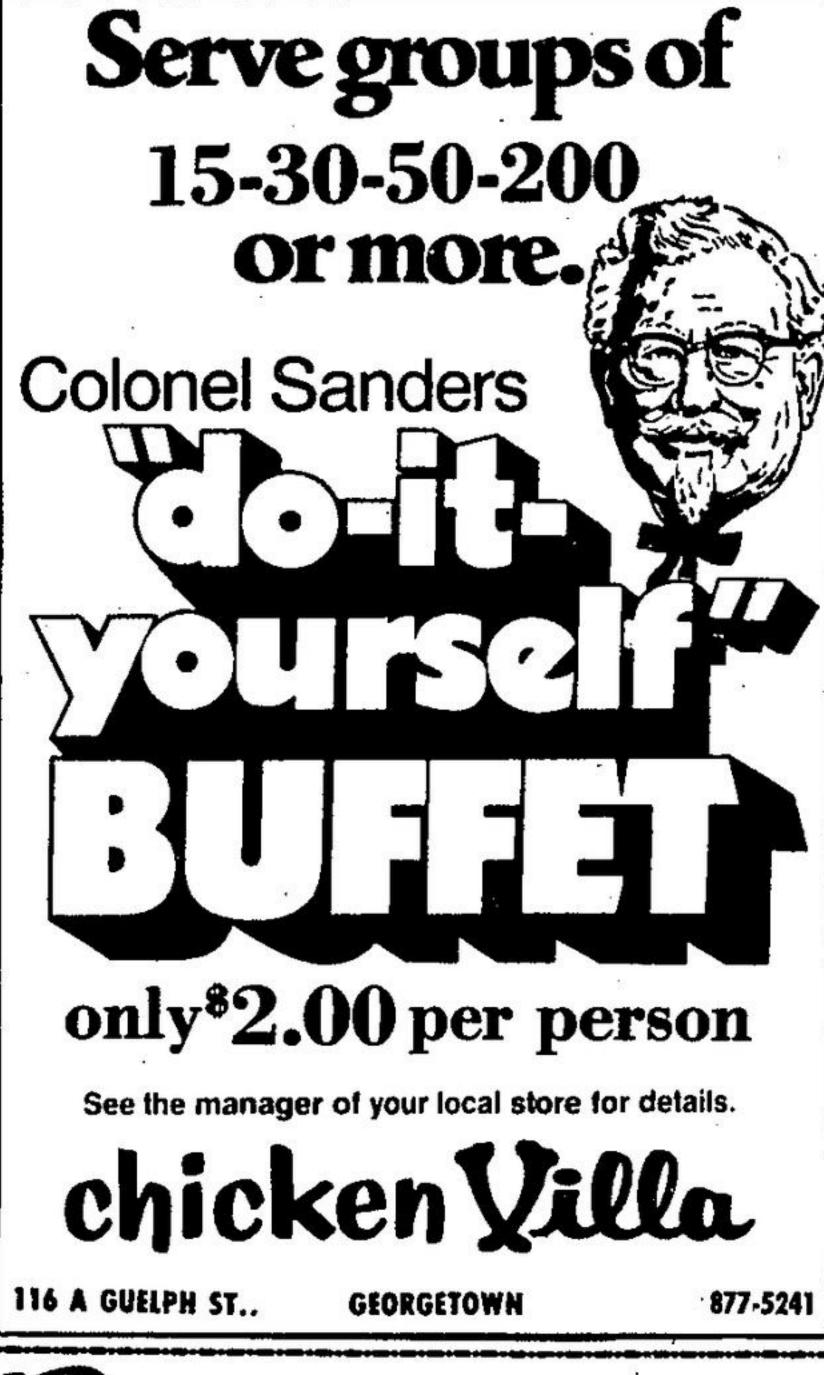
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King Street, is the last

member of a family of ten. A

brother, Charles of Peter-

He leaves six children, Merton of Timmins, Jack, Ronald and Mrs. Douglas Brown (Gwendolyn) of Toronto; Larry of Woodstock and Mrs. Peter Tobias (Kathleen) of Huntsville; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.





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