HAPPY 25TH

It wasn't a Hallowe'en party, but a birthday party Thursday morning at the Halton Community Credit Union Ltd. in Moore Park Plaza. Cutting into the 25th anniversary cake were (left to right) founding president Jim Hackin, chairman of the board and Milton's mayor Gord Krantz and Halton Hills branch manager Jim Coleman. The Halton Credit Union started in 1957 among members of Milton's Holy Rosary Parish. Today, there are five branches and the credit union movement is very strong.
(Herald photo)

R.C. salary hike

Halton separate school board trustees voted themselves a couple of raises for the next three years Oct. 26.

Currently earning $200 a month for attending various committee meetings and the monthly board meeting, trustees voted to keep their present annual salary of $2,400 for 1982-83, but to double it to $4,800 for 1983-84 and add another five per cent raise to make it $5,100 for 1984-85.

The current rate of pay was set by the province and is based on enrolment. Under the old legislation, when a board has 10,000 students, trustees' salaries double to $4,800 a year. Although that legislation was rescinded this year, allowing boards to set their own salaries, the Halton separate board is going to follow provincial guidelines for another two years.
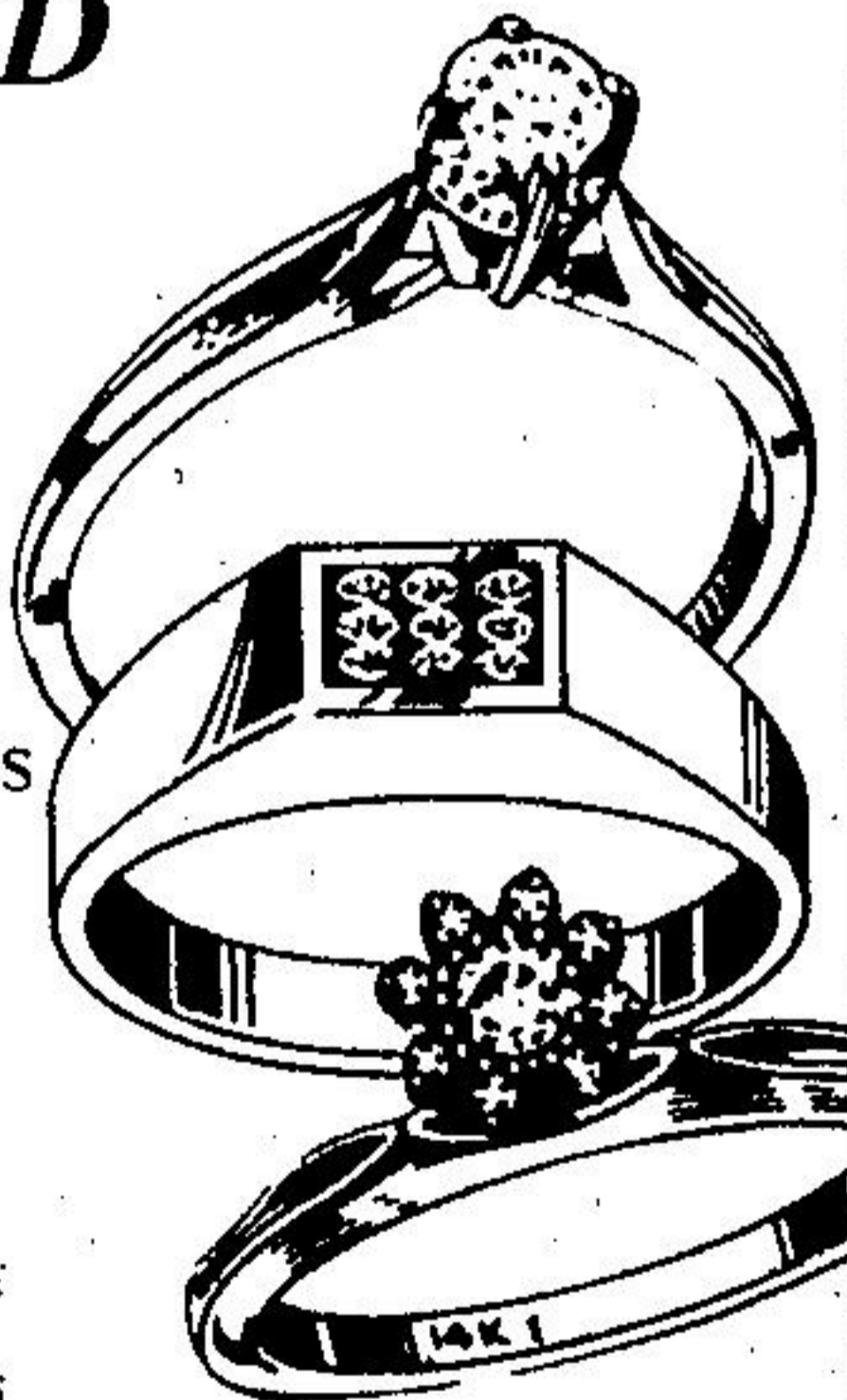
Advance polls popular

Well over twice as many voters turned out for last Saturday's advance polls in Acton. Georgetown and Esquesing for this year's municipal election than in 1980, an indication that more people are concerned about who will serve on council and school boards.

A total of 374 residents took advantage of the advance polls (held for people unable to participate in Monday's election).

At Acton's Trinity Church, 129 people voted, 56 at the clerk's office on Trafalgar Road and 189 at the town's Main Street office.

During the 1980 elections, 146 residents voted in advanced polls, 60 in Acton, 27 in Esquesing and 59 in Georgetown. What candidates were favored in the advance poll can't be released until after Monday.