

# Remembering Trafalgar

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Preserving the past is what it's all about for the Trafalgar 200 committee, a group of Halton history-minded residents who have been planning events to celebrate the 200th anniversary of Trafalgar Township.

Much of Oakville was once Trafalgar Township and covered the area starting at the lake from Winston Churchill Boulevard and Burloak Drive north to Steeles Avenue.

With development set to begin in the area, now is an important time for gathering of information that may otherwise be lost.

Although much of Oakville's history has been preserved through Oakville's Museum Erchless Estate and Bronte's Sovereign House, the areas north have not fared as well.

"We have the opportunity to expand and bring into current focus the life, events and people that made up that part of the township," said Elise C. Cole, local history librarian with the Oakville Library.

As part of the kick-off for events that will take place starting next year, the Trafalgar 200 committee, working with the Oakville Library has arranged for a special scan day.

Taking place on September 21, staff at the library will help interested residents scan their documents and photos of Trafalgar Township memories to included in a historical archive that will preserve the past and help connect newcomers and the young to their community.

"There's a rich heritage from the settlers of this time period. Preserving the documents was very important," said Michelle Knoll, chair of the committee.

As well, on September 23 a Family Day Historical Celebration will be held in Palermo. The event will include ghost walks in the pioneer cemetery; a farmers' market, crafts, historical displays and schoolhouse on site will also be set up in the one-room tradition.

The scanning will take place at Oakville Town Hall at 1225 Trafalgar Road in the atrium. To volunteer with driving or for more information, contact Michelle Knoll at 905-257-9080. For more information about Trafalgar 200, go to [www.trafalgar200.ca](http://www.trafalgar200.ca).

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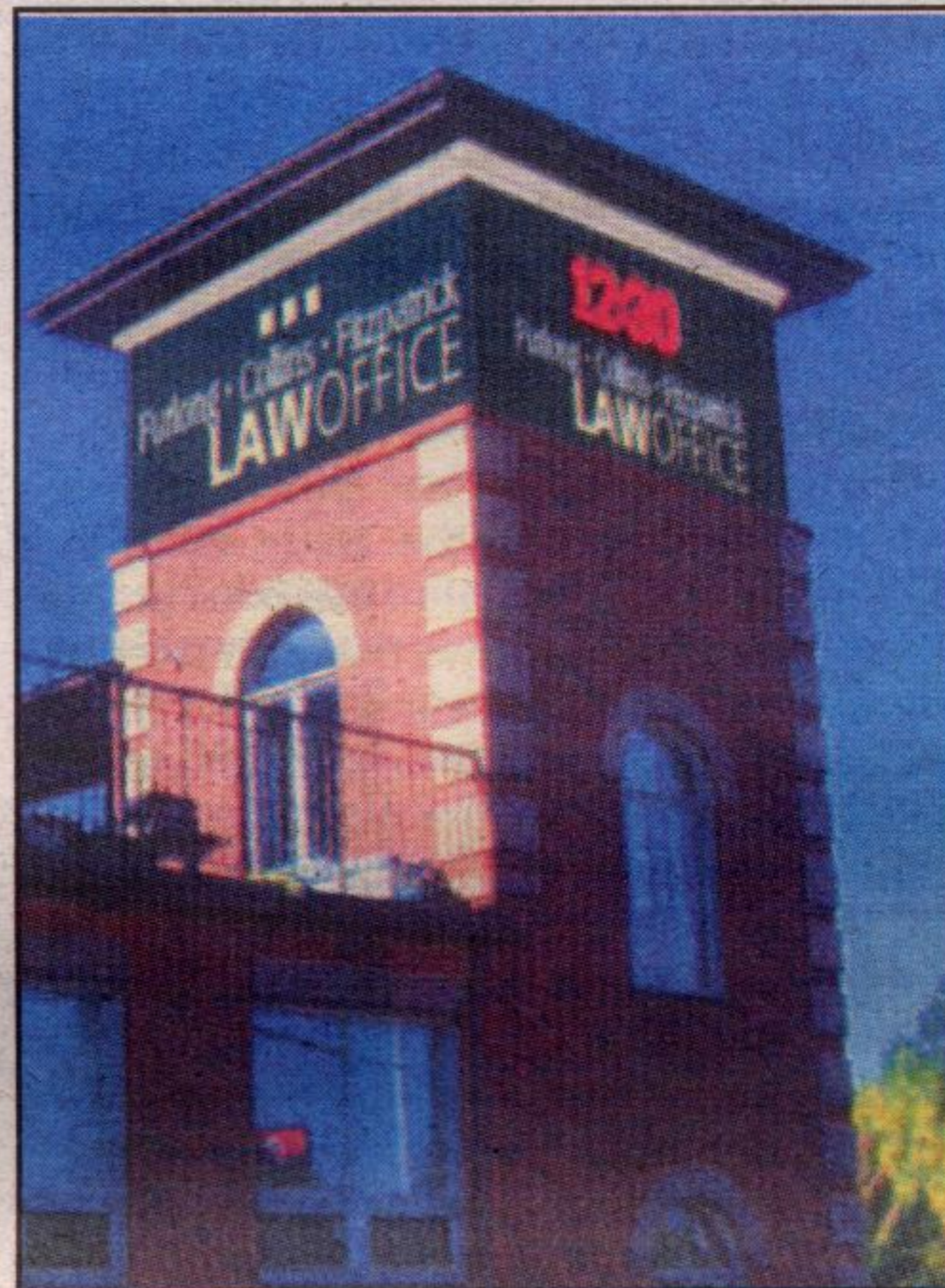
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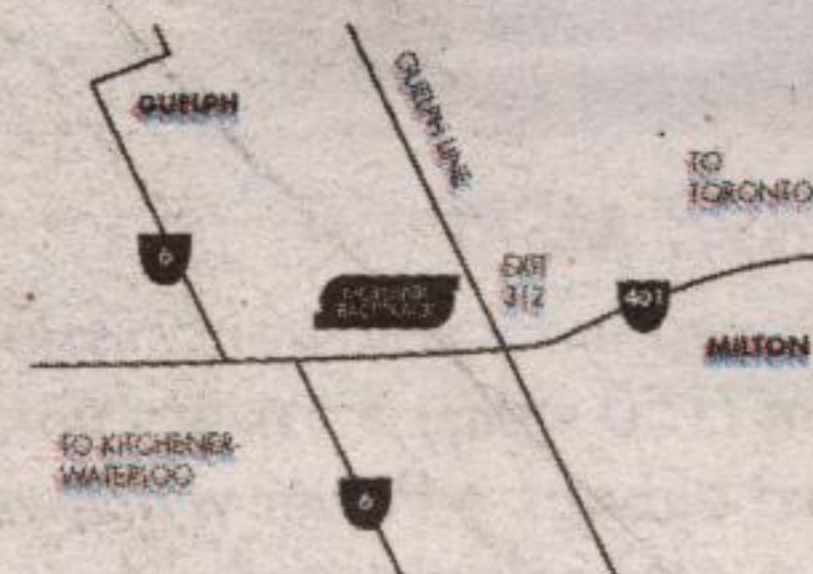
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