Algar to replace Campbell as Halton's chief of police

an Algar has been appointed Chief of Police of the Halton Regional Police Service. At a press conference held this morning (Wednesday), the Halton Regional Police Services Board made it official that Algar will replace outgoing Chief Peter Campbell effective Jan. 1, 1999.

Although responsible for the entire region, Algar is a self-confessed "old Oakville boy," who attended three area high schools and is proud of his Oakville

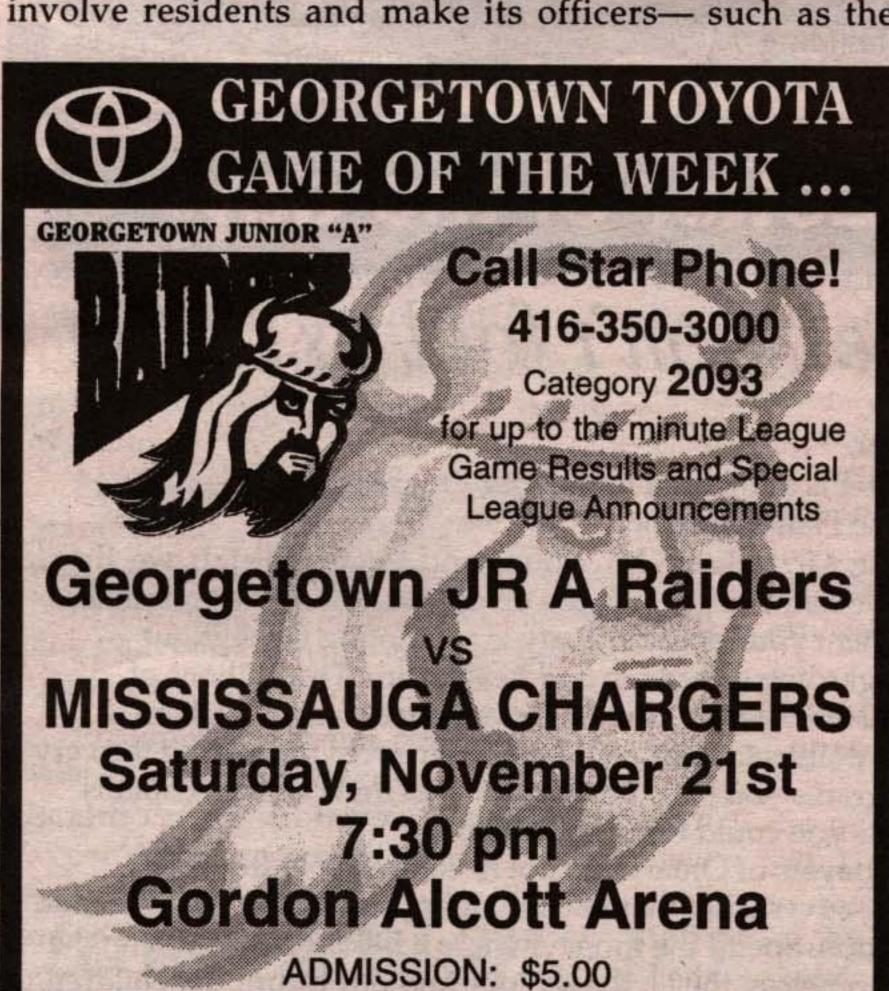
roots.

Algar was officially named Deputy Chief on Nov. 10, 1994 by then Halton Regional Police Services Board member Fred Oliver. Oliver was granted permission to read aloud to Algar the motion confirming his new post. The gesture was special since Oliver was Chief of the old Oakville Police Force when Algar first joined in 1968.

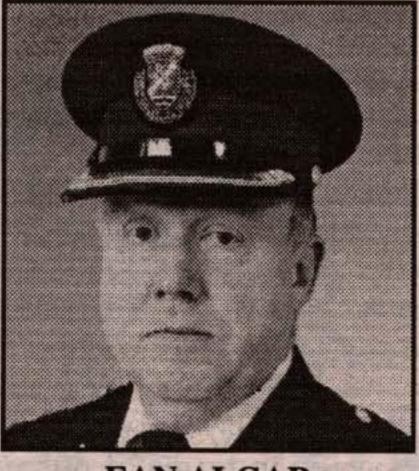
Since coming on board, Algar assumed a variety of law enforcement positions throughout the region. The result is a man with a unique perspective on Halton who has a stake in the community he not only works for but lives in.

In the past, Algar has voiced nothing but the highest praise for officers in the field and those concerned residents who work with the police to ensure that Halton remains safe and secure.

He is also a staunch proponent of community policing and is proud of the strides the service has taken to involve residents and make its officers— such as the







EAN ALGAR



PETER CAMPBELL

village constables— part of the districts in which they serve.

Algar, now a Burlington resident and married

father of two, spent several years specializing in drug enforcement before the Oakville force was absorbed by the regional body in 1974.

Three years later Algar was promoted to sergeant. In 1981 he made staff sergeant and was transferred to Burlington. A year later he was promoted to inspector and was soon back in Oakville. His star continued to rise—staff inspector, staff superintendent—before he was named Acting Deputy Chief of Police Administration in May 1994.

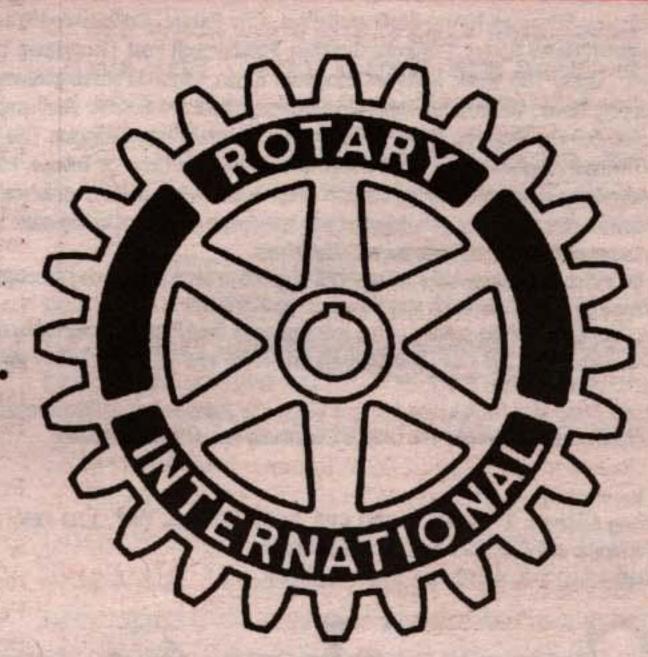
As Deputy Chief, Algar was responsible for everything from human resources, finance and training to communications, records and building services. At the same time, he studied business administration at McMaster University.

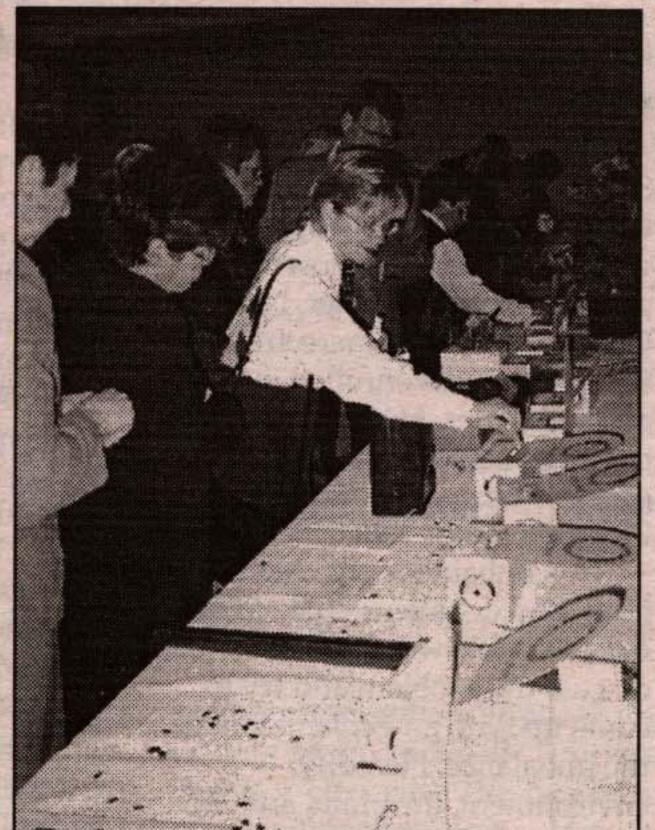
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