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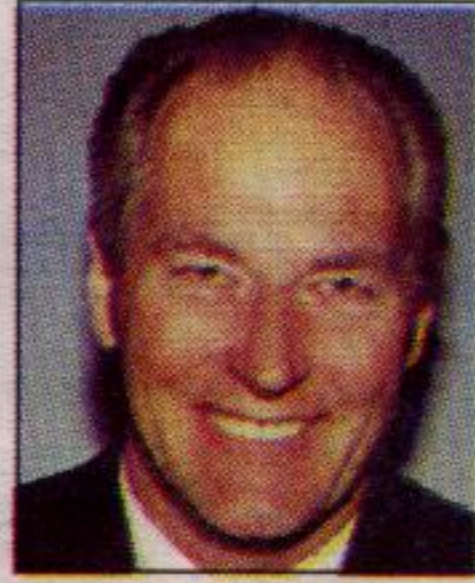
The legislative page program provides outgoing and high achieving Grade 7 and 8 students with an opportunity to work in the legislative chamber of the provincial parliament in Toronto.

This program receives hundreds of applications each term. Since 1995, five students from Halton have served as legislative pages. Most recently, Megan, a Grade 8 student from Centennial Middle School and active volunteer in Georgetown, participated in the program.

Over her term of duty, Megan shared in the legislative process, acted as a messenger in the legislative chamber and met with politicians and officials to learn how laws are made and how the Province of Ontario is governed.

Teacher Joanne Cournoyer-White and her Grade 8 class surprised Megan on her last day at Queen's Park. The whole class came to the Legislature to watch proceedings from the public gallery and congratulate Megan

QUEEN'S PARK REPORT



Ted Chudleigh

on a successful session at Queen's Park.

Pages are special members of the chamber, but it is even more special when the page is from your own riding.

Megan was an excellent ambassador for Halton and I wish her, Centennial Middle School, and every student in Halton, all the best for a successful school year.

—Ted Chudleigh is the MPP for Halton



Walk nets \$2,500

The second annual St. Catherine of Alexandria Catholic School D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) Walkathon was held recently and students raised more than \$2,500 in support of the program. Students and teachers from Grades 4-8 participated in the 2km walkathon. In March, Grade 6 students will participate in the program as presented by the Halton Regional Police Service.

Submitted photo

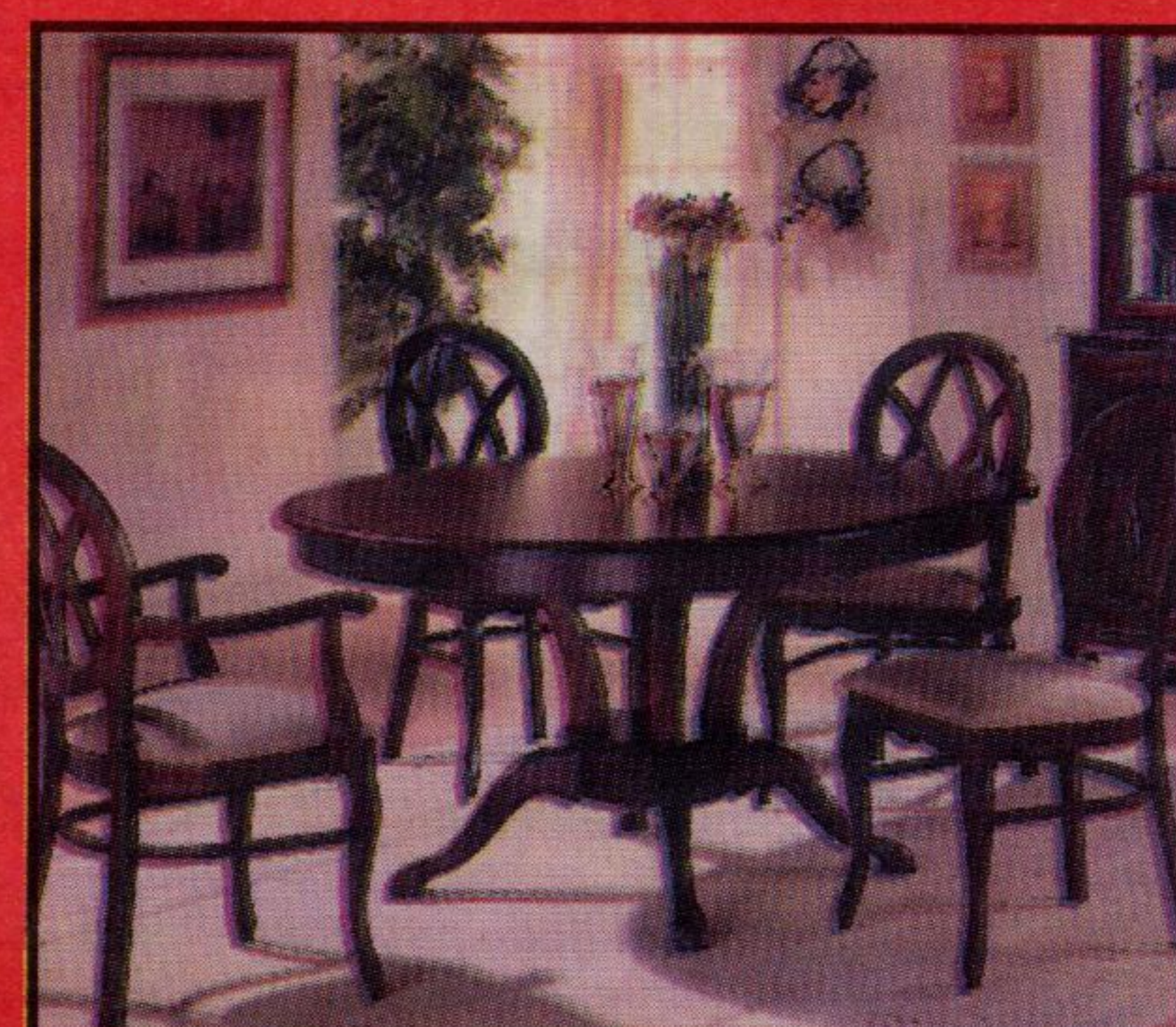
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