

Acton man, 25, killed in two-vehicle collision

An Acton man is dead after a pickup truck and tractor-trailer collided at an Erin intersection early Tuesday.

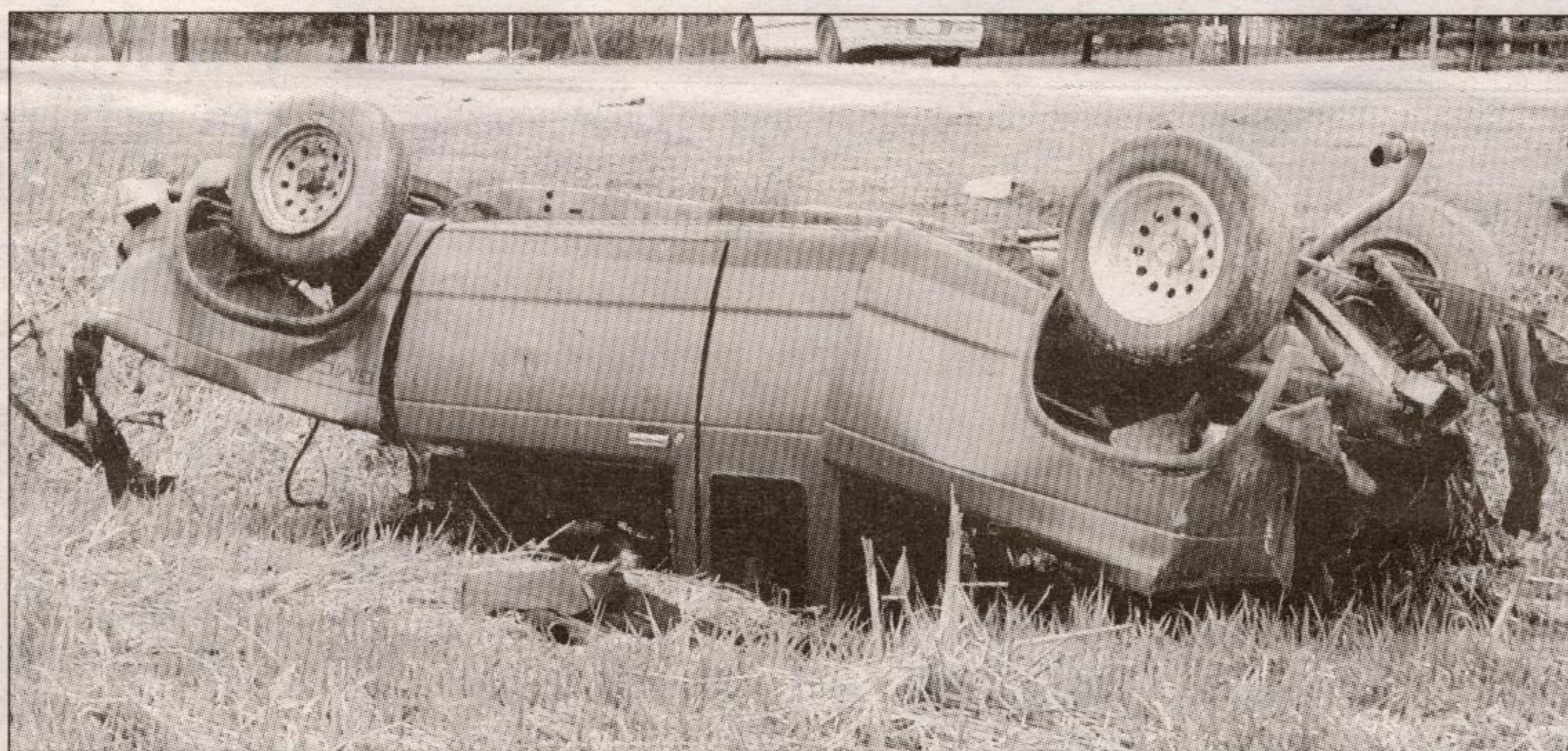
Wellington County OPP report that Michael Burrows, 25, of Fifth Line was killed instantly in the accident at Wellington County Rd. 24 (Trafalgar Rd.) and Five Sideroad in Erin Township.

Burrows was driving a 1986 GMC Sonoma pickup truck eastbound on Five Sideroad at approximately 6:30 a.m. when he failed to

stop for a stop sign at the intersection of Wellington County Rd. 24, said police. The truck was struck by a 1994 International tractor-trailer heading southbound.

Police report Burrows, who was traveling to work at the time of the accident, was ejected from the pickup. The driver of the tractor-trailer was not injured.

Five Sideroad and Wellington County Rd. 24 in the area of the accident were closed for about four hours while police investigated.



A 25-year-old Acton man died instantly when his pickup truck, above, was struck by a tractor-trailer at an Erin intersection early Tuesday. Photo by Jill Beshiri

Around town...in pictures



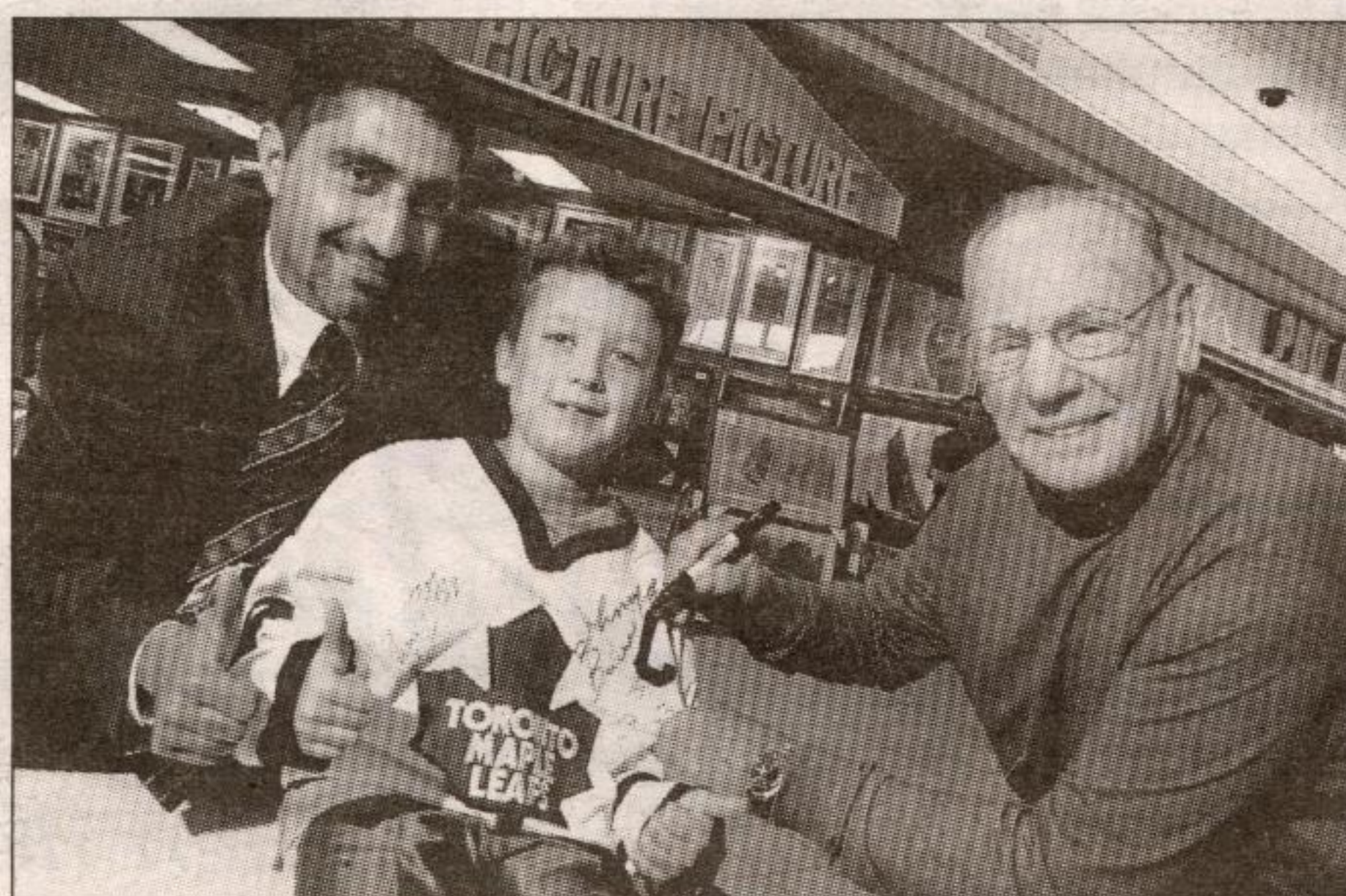
NOT DANDY: Kathy Dorbeck, organizer of Healthy Options for People and Environment's (HOPE's) Dandelion Day and Cooper Dorbeck, 13, were among the disappointed dandelion hunters who found the weeds were in short supply Saturday at Cedarvale Park. Photo by Stephen Uhraney



NATURE WALK: The Toronto and Caledon Bruce Trail Clubs held their annual spring hike Sunday. Walkers were invited to attend the free guided trail tours, which began at the Limehouse Memorial Hall. Norm DeMelo of Georgetown and daughter Rachel take a moment to check out Mother Nature's handiwork. Photo by Shawn McAlpine

JOHNNY ON THE SPOT: Junior March 10, was thrilled to meet Toronto Maple Leaf legend Johnny Bower during an autograph session Saturday at Dr. Anoop Sayal's dental office in the Georgetown Market Place.

Photo by Stephen Uhraney



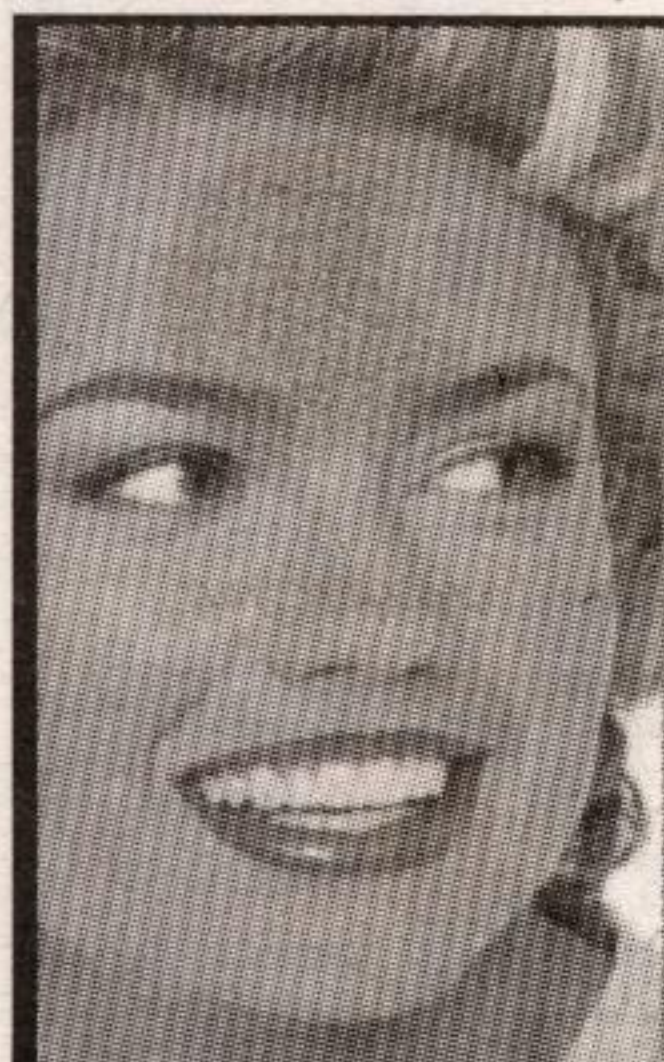
MISS MANNERS: Judi Johnston Vankevich of Vancouver, otherwise known as The Manners Lady, had the gymnasium rocking as she visited George Kennedy Public School Monday to give the students a taste of her high energy one-hour program teaching kids various social skills, including the value of good manners and adhering to The Golden Rule.

Photo by Ted Brown



POWER OF SPEECH: Heather MacKinnon obviously learned something in researching her speech. The St. Francis of Assisi student won the Halton Catholic District School Board's north division public speaking competition. The Grade 8 student's speech was on the fear of public speaking.

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