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MILTON A 'GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY' FOR YOUNG

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cian staff association, as well as on various committees. "My first day in my new office I saw 25 patients and it build rapidly such that I stopped taking new patients after six months. At my peak, I had well in excess of 2,000 patients."

Reflecting back on his four-plus decades of local practice — shared with wife Catherine, a lab technician who after raising the couple's four children came on board as the receptionist and office manager — Peers recalls a time when home visits were commonplace and the doctors' lounge was "always a beehive of activity."

However, not all of his memories are so fond.

On March 30, 1984 he had just come out of the emergency room when six teens were killed in a train wreck at the Derry Road crossing — right near the hospital.

"Two of them were my pa-

tients and one of the mothers happened to be at the hospital, on an in-patient basis. I went to assess the (crash) scene and then had to go back and tell this woman that her child had been killed."

But the good experiences far outweighed the bad. Topping the positive ones was a two-dreams-in-one day for the local doctor.

"Cathy was in labour with our fourth and last child and I said 'I sure hope this is a girl (having already had three boys) and I really wish I could have delivered at least one of my kids,'" recalled Peers, who delivered countless babies during his career — over multiple generations.

"The family doc had examined Cathy and determined her to be in early labour and elected to go home for lunch.

No sooner had he left than she noted the urge to push and I got my wish on both ... delivering my fourth child, a girl."

The retired physician fondly remembers his children's invol-



Graham Paine / Metroland
 Dr. Glenn Peers and wife Catherine are looking forward to doing some traveling after retiring from a 44-year career in Milton.

vement in local sports, Scouts and Girl Guides — with which Catherine was a regular volunteer — as well as the camaraderie enjoyed among his medical colleagues.

"The discussions were always stimulating and educational as we shared our patients experiences and treatment approaches. It's unfortunate now that most new grads don't seek out hospital-based practice and all that is involved, and the sense of community that it imparts."

So what will he miss most

about his lengthy career in local health care?

"My patients, who were trusting, loyal and understanding, and all my colleagues who were always helpful and supportive."

He and Catherine have plans to travel, but for right now are quite busy spending time with their five grandchildren and trying to get Glenn's golfing handicap 'back to where it used to be.'

He added, "It's only been a month (since retiring), so it's really just felt more like a vacation."

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