

# HALTON MANOR TO OPEN THIS SUNDAY

## Plan Dedication Service To Open Halton Manor

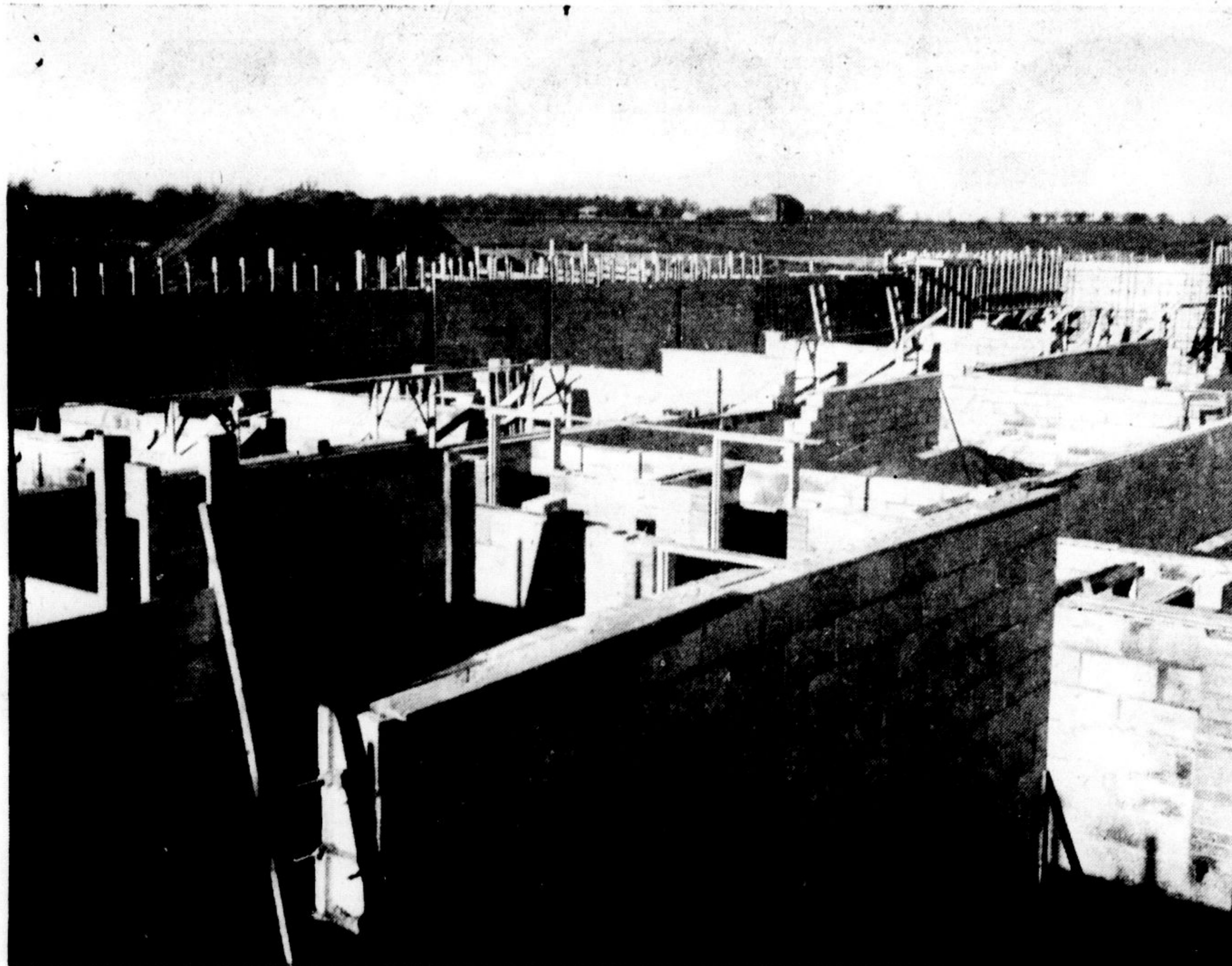
Warden of Halton County, J. M. Wickson, will preside at the official dedication ceremony that will open Halton Centennial Manor on Sunday at 2 p.m. The opening of the Manor marks another milestone in the progressive history of Halton in this, the county's centennial year. The two counties of Peel and Halton have maintained joint accommodation for their senior citizens at Brampton since 1909 but because of the rapid growth in both centres more adequate accommodation became necessary.

The brief service on Sunday will precede an opportunity for residents of Halton to view with pride the residence they have constructed for their elderly citizens.

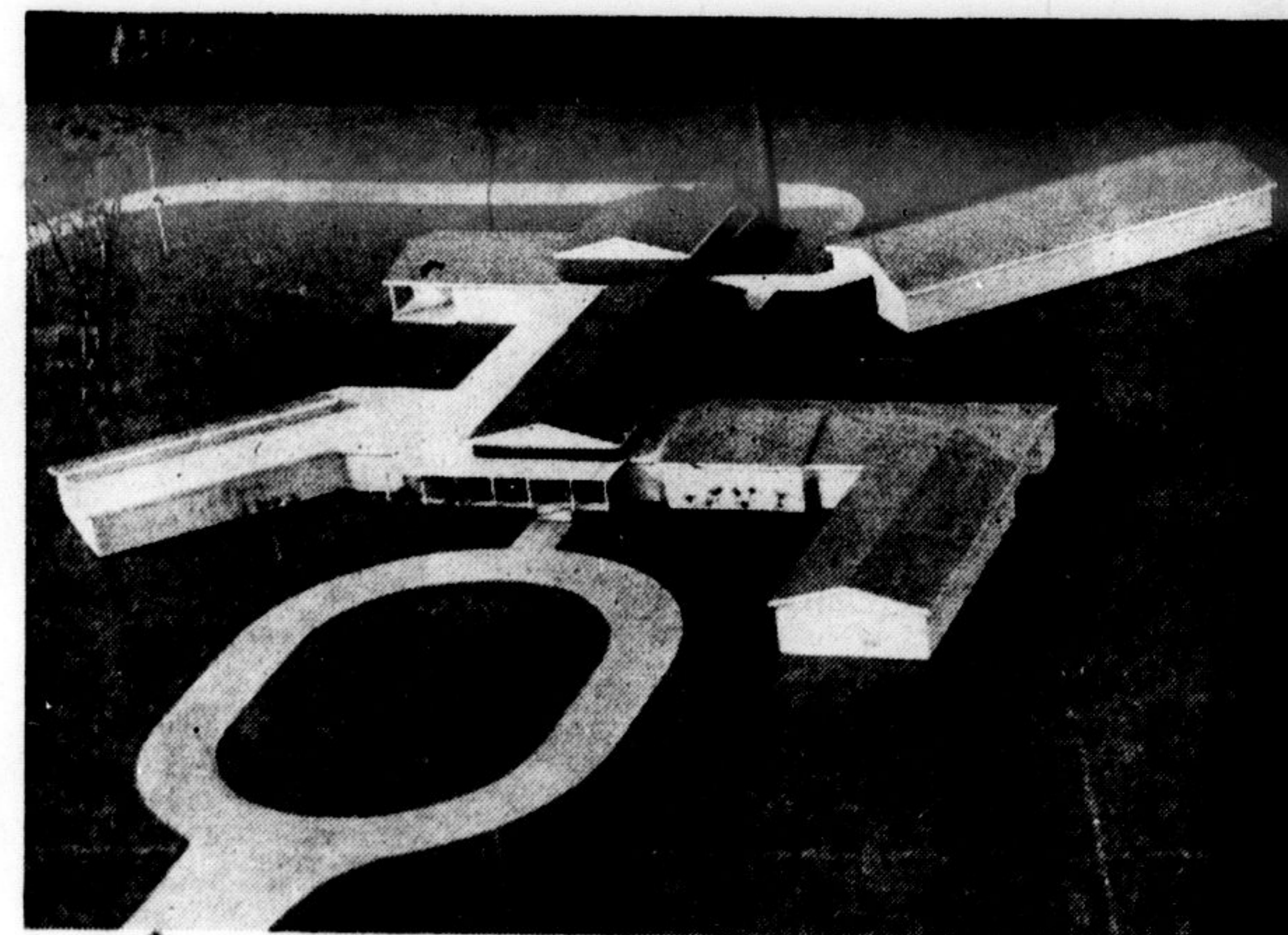
A scripture reading, a hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past," and a prayer of dedication will precede the introduction of the speaker by L. E. Ludlow, Supervisor of Homes for the Aged Branch, Department of Public Welfare for Ontario.

Honorable W. A. Goodfellow, Minister of Welfare for the Province of Ontario, will deliver the official address. The Benediction and "God Save the Queen" will conclude the Sunday service and the inspection tour of the five-winged building will follow.

In case of rain the inspection will be postponed until Monday and Tuesday afternoon and evenings, July 7 and 8. No residents will be in the Manor on Sunday but most of the staff will be on hand.

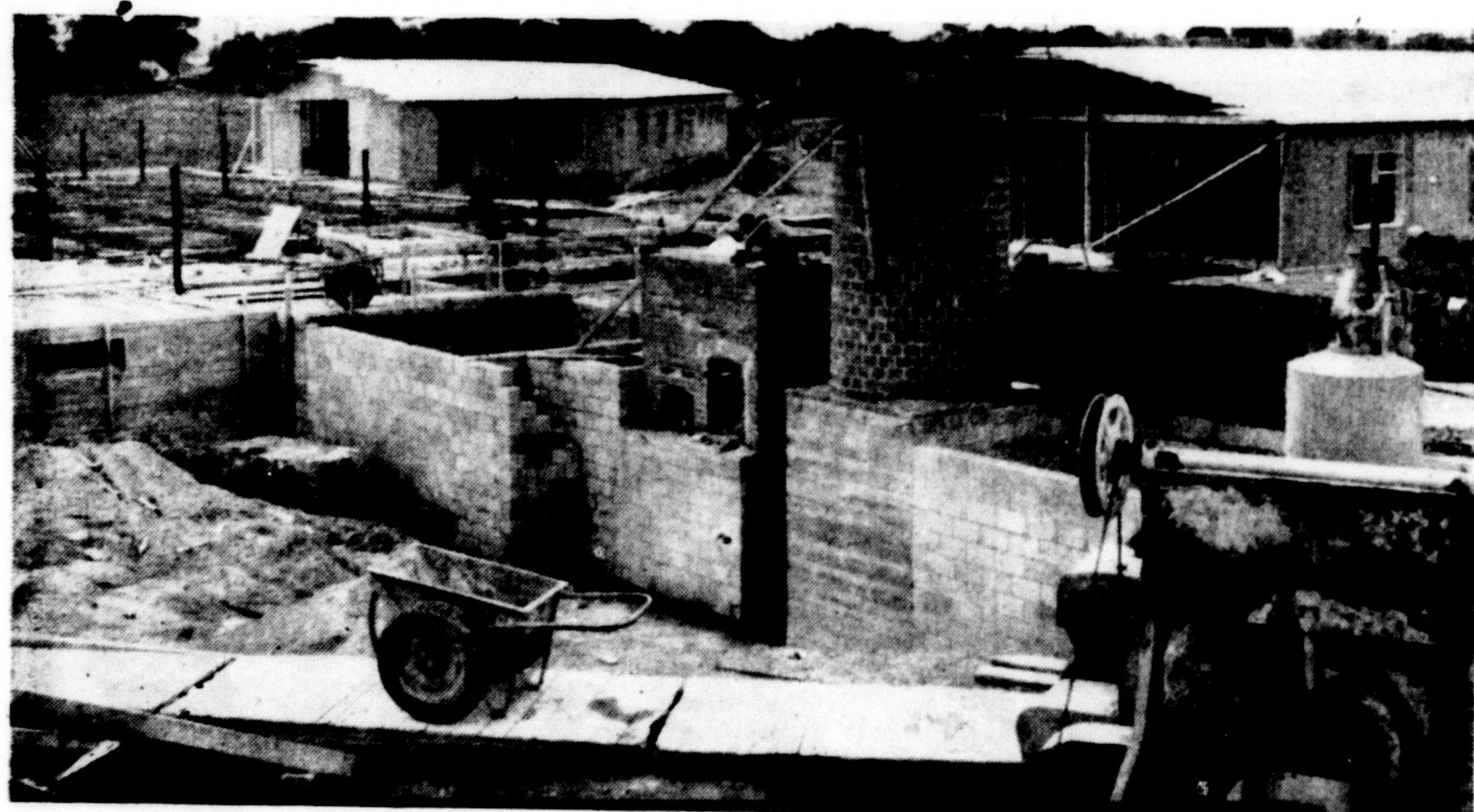


**THE FIRST CONSTRUCTION** of the Manor took shape like this in 1950 with foundations in. The dedication program this Sunday is scheduled to start at 2 p.m. Halton Centennial Manor was constructed jointly by the County of Halton and the Province of Ontario to fill the urgent need of accommodation of Halton's senior citizens who had previously been accommodated in the Peel-Halton Home at Brampton. In keeping with the growth of the counties, accommodation at Brampton became inadequate for both Peel and Halton.



**A PHOTOGRAPH** of the architect's model shows the Halton Centennial Manor as it was envisioned by the Building Committees that proceeded on the construction of the County Home. The building is designed to accommodate 95 residents with accommodation for men and women as well as married couples.

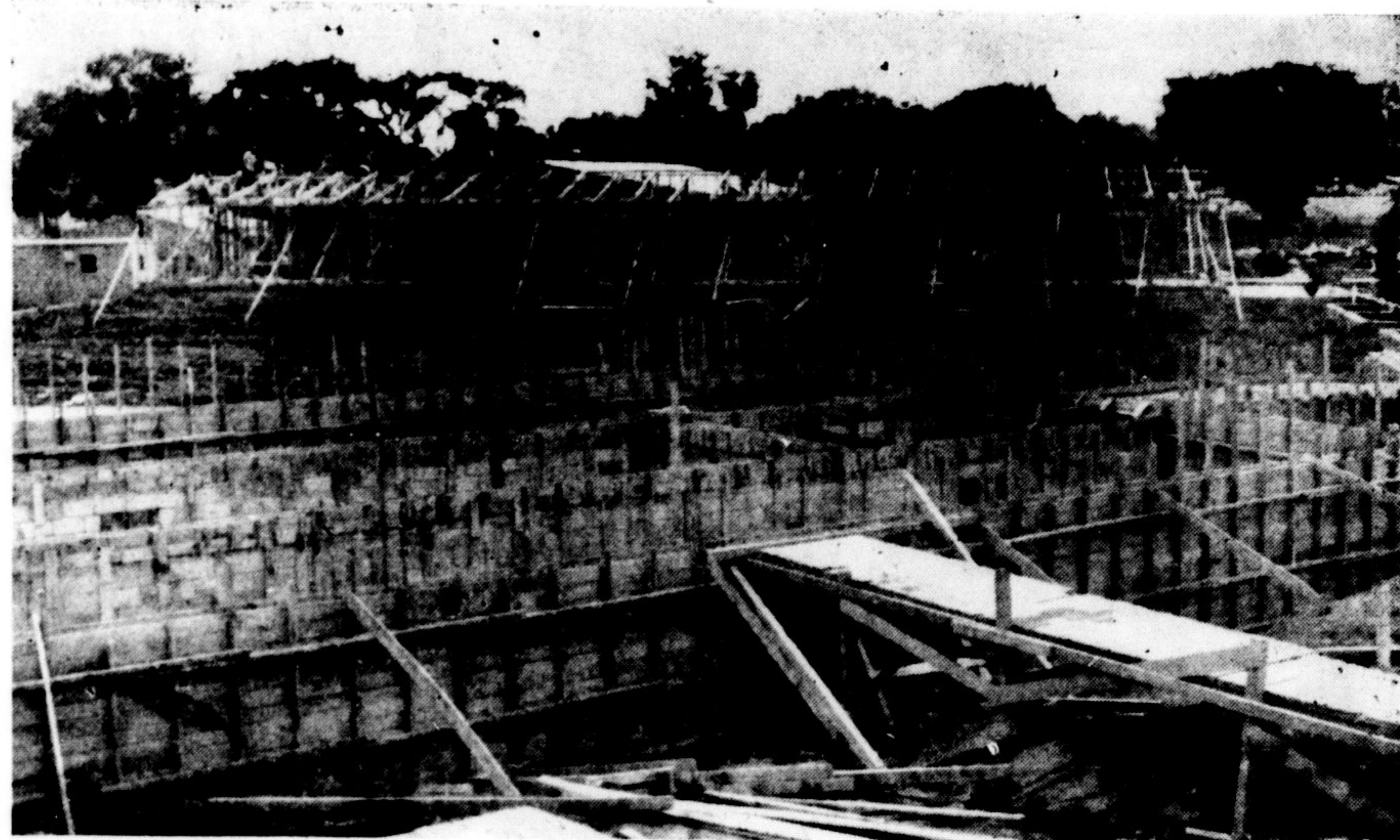
SERVICE AT 2 P.M. SUNDAY, JULY 6, AT HALTON CENTENNIAL MANOR ON No. 25 HIGHWAY, ONE HALF MILE SOUTH OF MILTON ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE HIGHWAY.



**ANOTHER SECTION** of Halton Centennial Manor is pictured here in July 1951 when the foundations were completed and construction was taking place above ground. The Manor was built under the direction of county council building committees since 1949 and this year's committee, headed by Reeve R. J. Hargrave, sees the completion of the project. Following the official opening the building will be turned over to the Board of Halton Centennial Manor under former Warden K. Dick which will administer the affairs.



**MR. AND MRS. Eric W. Clarke** were appointed Superintendent and Matron for the Manor. Mr. Clarke was a former Major in the Salvation Army. For the past five years they have been Superintendent and Matron of the Salvation Army Eventide Home for Men in Guelph.



**DURING JULY 1951** construction by the James Kemp Company looked something like this with framework fitting into place and foundation forms in. It is expected there will be in the neighbourhood of 10,000 citizens on hand Sunday to view the official opening and dedication ceremonies when Hon. Goodfellow will be the guest speaker. A trip through the manor will follow the ceremony.

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