



boggy swamp area.

A TWO AND ONE-HALF ACRE AREA at Mountsberg workshop has been set aside as the temporary home of five roaming buffalo. The bison arrived in the area Saturday morning and will stay near the Halton Region Conservation Authority's Mountsberg workshop until their new 75-acre home below Rattlesnake Point is completed next year. The buffalo were brought to the area from the Elk Island Buffalo Preserve near Edmonton, by Conservation Authority superintendent Maurice Readhead. After being housed in crates for more than two days the frisky 300 pound beasts were happy to get out into the relatively open spaces. In this collection of photos Mr. Readhead is shown watching the animals. Although they presently weigh only 300 pounds each, the one male in the group of five will grow to around 1,600 pounds.

Mountsberg - - "Where the Buffalo Roam" Five shaggy brown buffalo ed to run free in the half bush, to Edmonton last Tuesday and ployee Ed Zurcher, who lives at to take close-up photos of the

charged madly about a two and half clearing at the workshop, travelled to the Elk Island buffa- the workshop, now has the job of bison. one half acre enclosure on Sat- Although they are only six lo preserve where he met the feeding and watering the buffalo. urday as four photographers months old, they weigh 300 lbs. beasts for the first time. He exwelcomed the bison back to the each but will probably grow to plained the animals, the plains Halton region. The buffalo, about 1,600 lbs. when they reach buffalo type, had already been brought east by the Halton Re- full maturity at 18 months of selected to go east. gion Conservation Authority, age. Conservation Authority of- During his brief stay in the will be staying in the fenced-in ficials are sure the bison will west, Mr. Readhead had an oparea at the Authority's Mounts- be a popular tourist attraction portunity to go buffalo chasing berg workshop until their new and they are hopeful they will in a pick-up truck and he re-75 acre home below Rattlesnake "multiply".

Point is completed next year. region Saturday morning after fence in 75 acres of land just to catch it." a train trip from near Edmon- below Rattlesnake Point and During the train trip back ton, Alberta, with Halton Region when the fencing is completed, east, Mr. Readhead watered superintendent Maurice Read- the animals will be moved to the and fed the animals which had head. Arriving at the workshop area. shortly after 10 a.m., the four The guardian of the bison a cattle car. Although he enjoyed females and a male were as pam- from Wednesday to Saturday the trip, Mr. Readhead suggested pered and popular as any Hol- was Mr. Readhead and he descri- "I didn't have any problems lywood stars as they were releas- bed his trip west as being "quite everything was well planned." ed from their crates and allow- interesting". Mr. Readhead flew Conservation Authority em-

The wild bison arrived in the men will start this winter to as long as an hour and a half

called "they'd have five trucks Conservation Authority work- chasing one buffalo and it took

been put in individual crates in berg and see the buffalo. The

Chased by Photogs Four photographers arrived buffalo coming right at him; he late on Saturday morning and wheeled quickly to get out of the were unable to take pictures when way and without looking ran the animals were being let out into a tree and was felled. Anof the crates. After asking per- other photographer witnessing the mission they were allowed to incident began to chuckle loudly enter the enclosure and attempt until he took one step too many

How to See Bison

Conservation Authority officials indicate that anyone is looked weary but the buffalo Acton. B. Richardson of Oakville welcome to come to Mountseasiest way to reach Mountsberg from Milton is to go to Campbellville, head west on Five Sideroad past Guelph Junction to the Town Line, turn right and go north about two miles. A sign on the lefthand side of the road marks the workshop area.

The Canadian Champion, Wednesday, Oct. 20th, 1965

225 Teachers Attend Workshop In Reading at Milton Oct. 14

The Halton Branch of the I.R.A. retain the knowledge they have held its regular meeting in the gathered. Milton District High School on Thursday, October 14. About 225 In the Junior division an interteachers from Burlington, Oak- esting workshop regarding "Readville, Georgetown, and Acton as- ing in the Content Subjects" was sembled to participate in the led by W. Clow of Milton, R. Ken-Workshop planned by the execu- nedy of Burlington and C. Grant

President W. Kinrade of Georgeleaders emphasized the language aries etc.

Set Stage

The auditorium was arranged with experience charts, art work and word pictures setting the new found ideas could be retainstage for Miss E. Guilet who pre- ed. sented a most informative address on the language approach to reading at the kindergarten and grade one level. Her many slides gave the audience a realistic view of the progress being made in this field in the Toronto geography and science. chools. At the close of the discussion Mr. Gordon invited everyone to observe the books on dis-

The Cafeteria was suitably arranged in advance by the leader Mrs. Patrick of Burlington so that ten groups could study the On one occasion a surprised information and the outline of cameraman looked up to see two procedure suitable for grades 2

Miss E. Musick of Burlington demonstrated how a class might locate information and use it to develop a study of Holland. Miss G. Robinson of Norval illustrated the importance of teaching and sank up to his ankles in a pupils to evaluate the facts they read. Organization of material After a chase for more than into outlines and summaries was half an hour the photographers discussed by Mrs. G. Benton of

were hale and hearty as ever. explained skills that help pupils

Junior Division of Oakville.

Mr. Clow introduced the night's town welcomed the group and ex- subject "Dr. Schweitzer, and his plained the arrangements for the Doctrines". Mr. Grant then promeeting which took the form of ceeded to outline the sources a Reading Workshop. The theme where information on Dr. Schfor the regular grades was "Read- weitzer could be found. He gave ing in the Content Subjects" and a short talk on the value of using the kindergarten and grade one reference books, films, diction-

Mr. Kennedy continued to show how to evaluate this newly found information and how to use it. Mr. Kennedy also explained how

Intermediate Group The intermediate division was

under the able chairmanship of Mr. Balkind, principal of Limehouse P.S. The teachers were divided into three groups, history, Mr. Foster of Oakville was in

charge of the geography group. G. Wagar presented the approach to be used in history and Mrs. Simchick explained techniques used in the teaching of Science. Each group was asked to discuss: (a) The training of pupils to obtain information; (b) The

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evaluation of material; (c) The methods of organizing; (d) The procedure necessary to develop skill in retention.

The teachers were welcomed to the school by R. C. Hunter, B.A.

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Milton Seeks Regional Jail Hold-Up

town representative on county lock-up. that municipality. He observed, sion.

day, urging delay for the find- constantly. For Milton, he sugings of the Plunkett Report. gested this could mean three ex-Deputy Reeve A. Ledwith, a tra officers plus the cost of a

council, reported attending dis- Councillor C. Menefy expresscussions with Peel County on the ed his feeling the town had little possibility of a joint jail with say in the outcome of the deci-

however, it appeared an impend- Reeve C. A. Martin recalled ing county vote would put Hal- negotiations were undertaken ton in with Hamilton and Went- with Peel last year but were broken off by the Department

Opposition to the establish ed a jail shared with Hamilton gested Halton co-operate with ment of a regional jail by Hal- and Wentworth in the Water- Hamilton and Wentworth. "Peel ton in conjunction with Hamil- down area could increase great- is the natural group to associate ton and Wentworth, ws express- ly local police costs. He explain- with, but I feel negotiations ed Monday by Milton Council- ed a town is required to have a have gone too far with Hamilton lors who ordered a letter to lock-up and when prisoners are to break them off now," he concounty council, meeting the next there, an officer must be on duty cluded.

Worked for Oakville

Councilor B. Best wondered why the decision should not await the Plunkett report and vet the county, who approved the preparation of the report, were now negotiating with municipalities not even involved in

the report, on a regional jail. Councillor Best suggested the regional jail and the OWRC plan Councillor C. Johnson suggest- of Reform Institutions who sug- for piping water from the lake to Brampton would have far more impact on the Plunkett report than Milton's annexation, yet neither of those projects were stopped and Milton's an-

nexation was. He concluded that the provincial government didn't seem to know where it was going when the Department of Municipal Affairs calls for a report on Halton and Peel and the Depart ment of Reform Institutions is forcing Halton in with Hamilton and Peel on a regional jail.



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the hospital. mittee two applications for wat- under construction there. The er service outside the town boun- building permit for that — \$7. daries. It was agreed no action would be taken on the applica- mittee a letter from K. Jensen tions until town solicitor D. A.

annexation proceedings had not improve the drainage as part of the widening program. proved true.

• Received a letter from the John Milton Chapter I.O.D.E. expressing concern over reports of dissatisfaction in the rental of the high school. The letter said the Chapter wanted to emphasize the complaints did not originate with them and they were quite The boy, believed to have been satisfied with the arrangements. Councillor Best who raised some questions on the subject at a previous meeting emphasized he had asked for information from the High School Board on rental arrangements and conditions. "If close to the side of the road. a Board can't be asked for that it's time they could," he empha-

E. Clement and the fire brigade Stanley Gibbons since the motel for their work in instruction at planned on Main St. was not proceeded with. Council was told • Referred to the water com- a self-serve car wash was now

Referred to the street com-

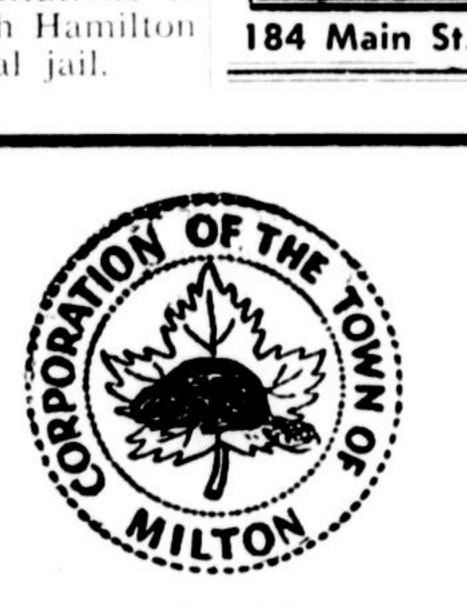
and A. Falk of Milton Tire Ser-McConachie reported on wheth- vice and Milton Laundromat er the town should or should not asking why Mill St. should be appeal the annexation applica- widened and curbs put in in front of the property. The let-• Called for a recommendation ter suggested if it was the plan from R. V. Anderson and Associ- for the whole town as in front of ates for a trunk sewer line from a number of service stations namthe treatment plant north along ed, they would not mind, "but if the Sixteen to the C.N. bypass it is only to provide a couple of north of town to serve the area parking places for shops nearby, included in the town's annexation who do not have any parking or report. Estimated cost of the re- access to parking, we feel it is a port was \$300. Councillor C. Fay very discriminative decision." A objected noting the land was not drainage problem raised in the in the town. Earlier arguments, letter was to be studied by the he suggested, that water and committee. Works superintendsewer service work would affect ent B. McKerr outlined plans to

Child Hit

A young boy received a bump on the head and other minor injuries this week when he darted out on a street in front of a car. playing in leaves at the side of the road, was not injured ser-

Police ask parents to make sure their youngsters don't play

Use your car ash tray — not sized. The clerk reported a let- the roadway. Prevent forest fire.



are reminded that