



# Sports forum

by bob burrill

Milton Tykes, Pee Wees and Bantams are still active and all will see action this week end. The Midgets have to be the big disappointment. They along with the Intermediates have been forced out of action.

The Midgets started off beating everyone they met and then hit a slump and there was no way for them to be revived.

For Doug McCutcheon and his Red Sox Intermediates it was a short season, but showed some improvement over last year and the year before.

Much of the improvement has to be attributed to the two Campbellville pickups, Ken Moore and Bill Elliott. They provided a consistent backbone to the Red Sox offence.

During the next week or so there is going to be a lot of driving done for the Pee Wees, Bantams, Juveniles and Tyke baseball teams. If you're available and able to take four or five youngsters to a ball game contact the coach and offer your services. Your co-operation would be greatly appreciated.

During the excitement and confusion of the game in Campbellville Sunday a black wallet with the initials J. R. C. was lost. It contained an amount of money, but more important than that was the sentimental value of the wallet. It was presented to the owner by the town of Milton after a championship game. Could the finder please return it to Richard Clement, Thomas Street, Milton.

## Creemore sluggers blast Milton Sox forced into early finish

"It is a little disappointing," coach Doug McCutcheon said after the Milton Red Sox had been knocked from the first round of the O.B.A. playoffs in two consecutive games by Creemore. "But man, those guys can hit that ball," he added.

It was true Creemore hit just about everything ace hurler Ron Rayer or relief pitcher Tom Ramshaw could pull out of the hat in Creemore Sunday afternoon. Creemore won the

second game 10-5. They scored one run in the second, one in the fourth and then a three run homer in the fifth put them well out in front. D. Scott hit a grand slam homer in the sixth to add four runs to the tally.

Their final run came in the eighth inning when Mullen doubled and Ellis knocked him in with another double.

Ramshaw came into the game to relieve Naylor in the fifth inning.

Milton scored once in the fifth, once in the sixth and three runs in the seventh for their five run tally.

Eddy McLeod opened things up for Milton with a single run homer in the fifth. McCutcheon scored the second run when he singled and Gervais doubled in the sixth.

Singles by Ron Patterson, Bill Elliot and Doug McCutcheon and a walk to Bill Currie scored three runs in the seventh inning.

Don Westbrook went the distance for Creemore and furthered his own cause with a three run homer.

For Creemore it will be on to the second series towards an Ontario title, and for Milton an early finish for the 1968 base ball season.

## Flyers enter finals beat Alliston, Perth

Nadalin Electric Juvenile Flyers are two thirds of the way to an all-Ontario Championship. They eliminated Alliston 2-1 in the second game of that series Wednesday and then continued their winning ways by eliminating Perth in two games.

They won the first one in a dramatic finish. The game went 10 innings. The lead sawed from one side to the next. Milton went ahead 2-0 in the first inning and Perth narrowed the score to 2-1 in the third.

Milton scored two more and

Perth took a substantial lead in the fourth when they scored four runs to lead 6-4.

A home run by Loris Faggion in the fifth and a run by Reid Frank in the sixth tied the game at 6-6. Frank replaced John Penson as a runner after Penson singled, and scored on a single by Keith Higgs and a sacrifice fly by Loris Faggion.

Reid scored the winning run in the 10th inning when he walked. Higgs doubled and Boughton singled.

Trev Houston pitched for

Milton, allowing six runs on 10 hits. Faggion was the power at the Milton bat with a walk, two singles, a homer, and a sacrifice fly that scored the tying run.

Milton capped the series in Perth Monday 6-3. They scored once in the first, once in the fourth, twice in the fifth and two in the seventh.

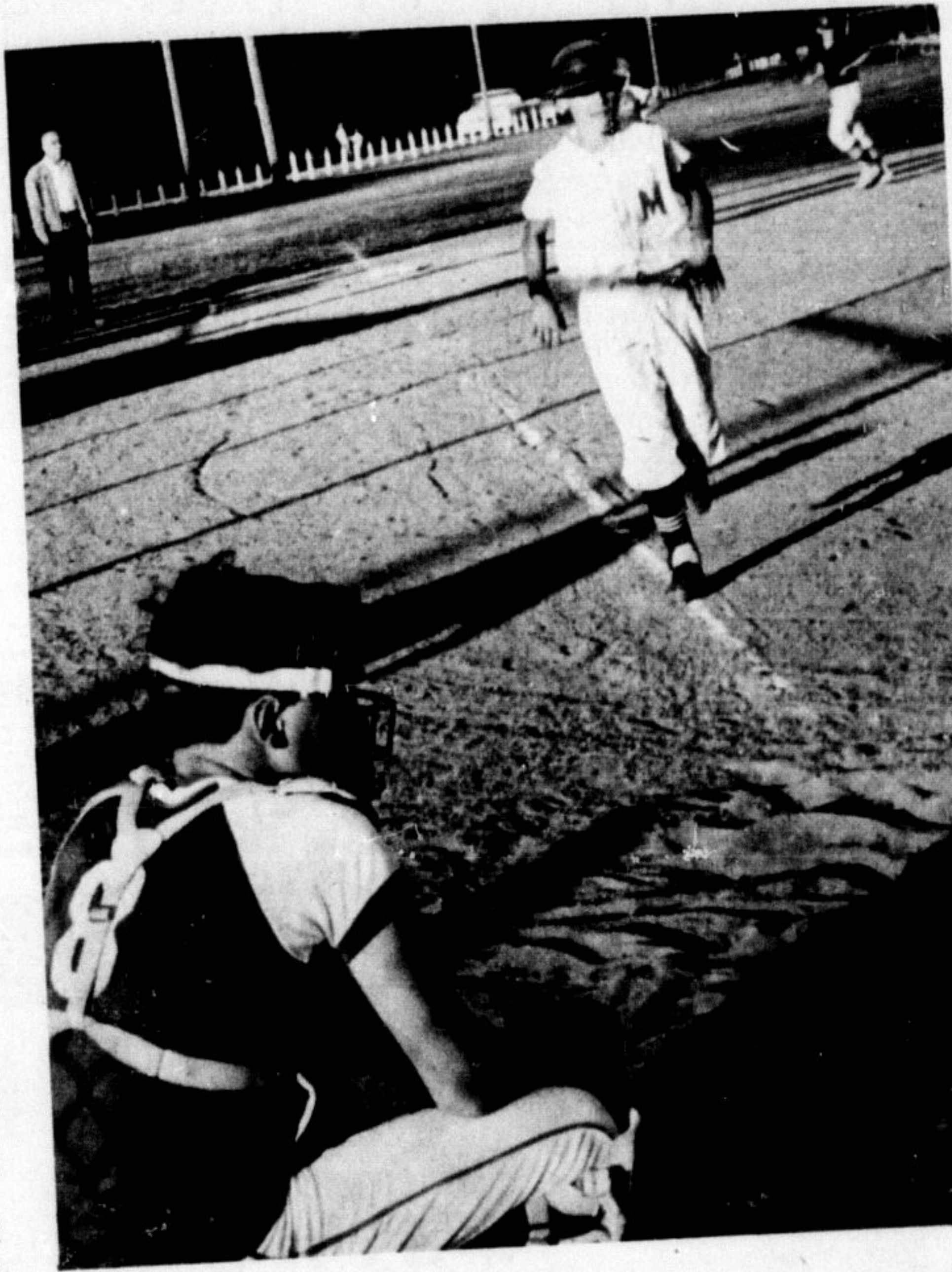
Perth scored once in the fourth and twice in the fifth. Houston pitched for Milton.

Boughton had two singles, Houston singled, Faggion singled, Naylor doubled and singled, Elliott singled twice, Frank singled and Higgs and Penson each singled.

## Glen Williams in first place

Glen Williams Bantam softball team tied Kilbride with a record of 12 wins and three losses during the regular season. But Glen Williams won more games than they lost against Kilbride and were credited with first place in the league on these grounds.

Glen Williams will meet Hornby A in the playoffs while Kilbride will go against Hornby B and Omagh will meet Drumquin in the first round of the playdowns of the Halton County league.



THIS IS ONE of 19 runs to cross home plate for Milton Pee Wees in their overwhelming defeat against Dunnville Wednesday evening at Rotary Park. The Pee Wees eliminated Dunnville in an away game Saturday.

## Rowley sparkles on Milton mound Bantams win first O.B.A. series

One hit pitching performance by Roger Rowley and a strong effort from the Milton Bantam team at the plate against Walkerton Saturday earned them the right to battle with Perth in the second round of the O.B.A. playoffs. Milton eliminated Walkerton two games straight, winning the first game 10-7 and the second game 11-1.

Rowley went the distance allowing one hit, striking 13 out, and walking four Walkerton batters.

Hopes for Rowley's no hitter weren't long in being shattered. Rowley walked Cassidy, the first man he faced in the first inning. He struck the second batter out and then Bogdon tripled to score Walkerton's only run and shatter Rowley's no hitter. Rowley then settled down and retired the sides with two consecutive strikeouts.

From that point on it was a rare occasion to see a Walkerton batter on base and none got farther than second sack.

Milton opened fire in the second by scoring five runs, and then adding one in the fourth, three in the fifth and two more in the sixth.

Arnold played outstanding ball in the field for Milton, robbing Walkerton of their only scoring chance in the fifth inning on Bogdon's long drive in left field.

Dave Heipel paced the Milton

attack with two doubles and two singles, R. Rowley had a double and a triple, Dave Harrison doubled and singled twice, R. Roberts doubled, P. Roberts tripled twice, L. Cargill singled and Bealieu singled for the Milton batting.

The Bantams open the second series here against Perth Saturday at 1 p.m. in Rotary park.

## Pee Wees set goal at Ontario championships

Milton Pee Wees wasted no mercy when they met Dunnville and defeated them 19-1 and eliminated them in the second game by a 9-6 margin.

The Pee-Wees who battled by Brampton and Oakville to win the Halton County crown have set their mark for nothing less than a provincial championship.

Coach Keith Burton said this would be the year for the Pee Wees to take the whole works. "We are playing real good ball now. The guys are at the age where they'll be dropping out of ball in the next year or so," Burton said.

He hopes to have them win the all-Ontario title, giving them a taste of the glorious victory and make them want to come

back for another year next season.

In Milton Wednesday, all but two players Bob Boughton and McCann had base hits. Even without hits Boughton and McCann got on base six times between them.

Fay pitched them to victory with 10 strikeouts Wednesday. He allowed one run on five hits and six errors.

Milton had 19 runs on 10 hits and two errors.

Wade Bekar pitched the second game and was fundamental in the win both at bat and on the mound. Bekar allowed six runs on two hits and three errors.

Bekar homered in the fifth inning to tie the game at 5-5 and mark the turning point of the game. Milton went ahead 9-5 in the sixth and limited Dunnville to one run in the sixth inning.

Glen Turner singled and doubled to lead the Milton batting order.

## Pitching is the name of the game says Hornby coach Bert Stewart

Pitching is the name of the game and if you have any doubts ask Bert Stewart, coach of the Hornby Midget softball team. Hornby leads a round robin series with Orangeville and Hillsburg.

They have one victory over each team, dumping the Hillsburg team with an 8-6 win Wednesday and edging Orangeville 3-0 Saturday.

Bob Robson threw a no-hitter Saturday against real tough pitching for Orangeville. Larry Bennett allowed only two hits as he went the distance against Hillsburg.

Both teams were held scoreless in the Orangeville game until the eighth inning when Robson scored on John Perry's double. Bousfield and Peacock scored in the ninth to pull the Hornby club out of danger.

Other hitters were Dave Peacock with a triple, Robson a single, Andy Trenes two singles, Keith Leriche and Dave Neelands each singled.

Bennett fired 17 strike-outs against Hillsburg Wednesday. It wasn't until the fourth inning Bennett settled down and really started firing.

Hillsburg scored once in the first, twice in the third, once in the fourth and twice in the eighth. Hornby hit once in the first, once in the third, three in the seventh and three in the eighth.

Robson hit twice in five trips

to the plate, Kudrassow homered and doubled and had two walks in five trips to the plate. John Cartwright doubled and singled for Milton in four trips to the plate.

Bennett, McLure and Perry all had hits.

ONCE A HUNTER The poodle was once an English hunting dog. The carefully trained animal sniffed along the ground at night and located quarries which put up no fight. Moving in with a shovel, its master bagged them—truffles.



DAVE ROBERTS

## Roberts receives award

Dave Roberts of Victoria St., Milton, was named the most deserving player at the Billy Harris-Dave Keon Hockey School last week.

The trophy is presented each week to the boy the instructors feel deserves some special recognition for his efforts at the week-long school.

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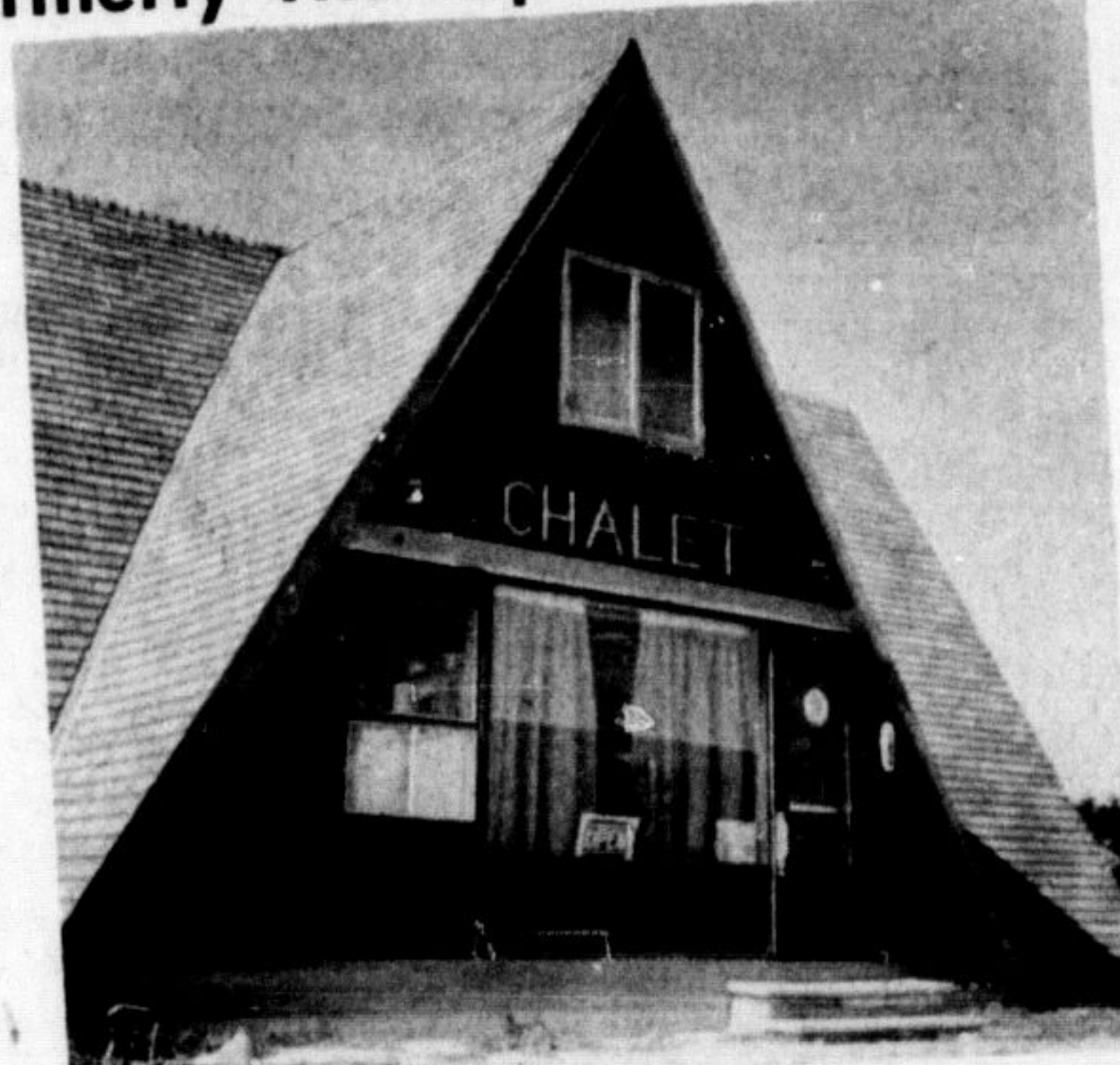
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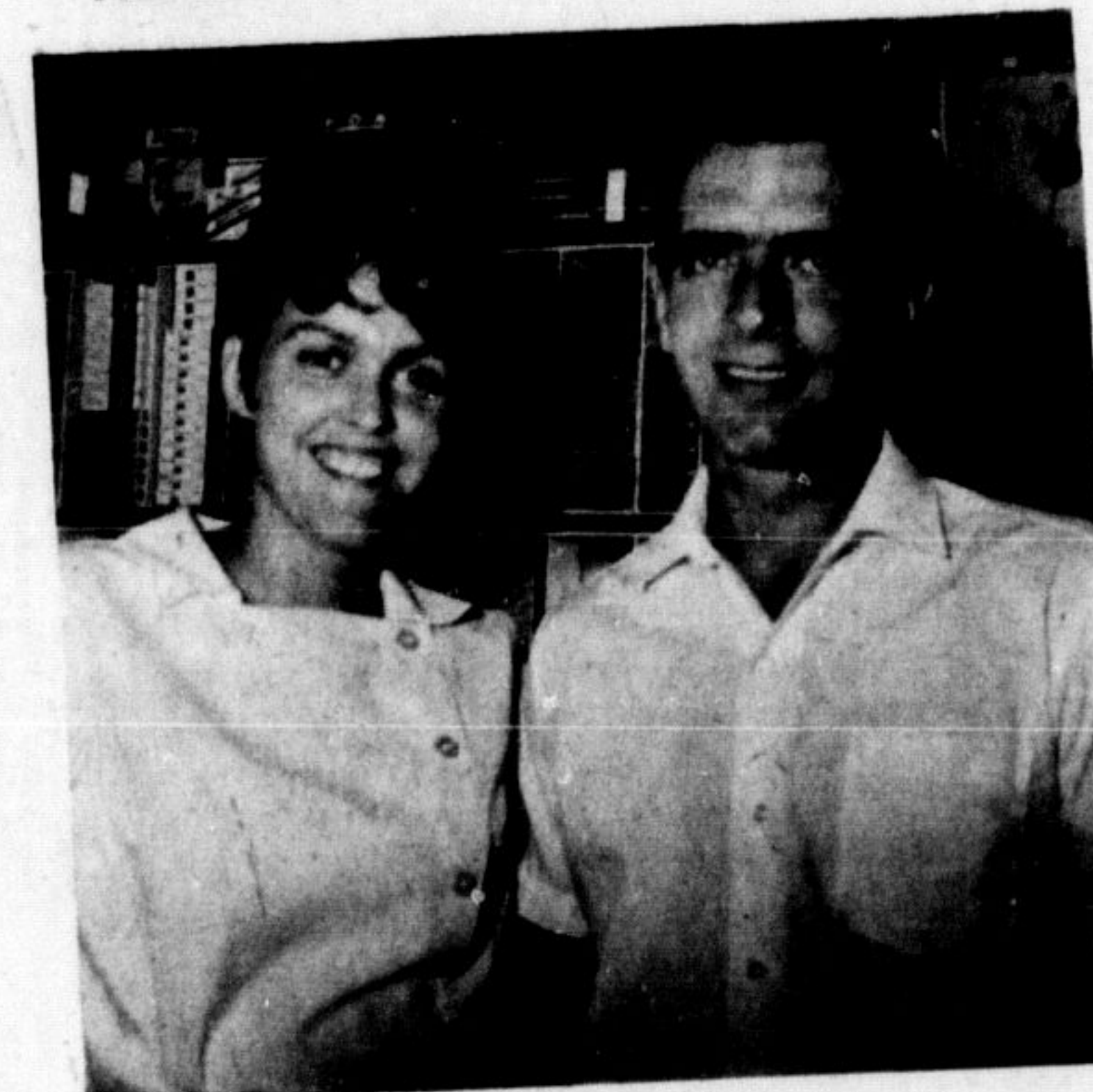
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