



MOVING DAY for the staff of Halton came Friday when they started to move out of the second and third floors in the Abbey Life building in Burlington to the new location five miles down the road near the intersection of Highway 25 and the Queen Elizabeth Way. Moving a box of papers are Chief Administrative Officer E. C. Reid, (left), clerk's department staffer Betty Richardson and deputy clerk John Byrne.



A LOT OF WORK remains to be done at Halton region's new office building, as these workmen testify. Construction debris litters the interior and exterior of the new office. The bright green building is located near the intersection of the Queen Elizabeth Way and Highway 25.

\$4.3 million

## Oak CNR underpass receives approval

Halton Public Works Committee approved a \$4.3 million plan to build an underpass under the Canadian National Railway lines on Bronte Rd. in Oakville, at its meeting Wednesday, Oct. 25. The approval was made on the recommendation of Public Works Director R. W. J. Moore after a presentation by consulting engineers W. Strok and Associates Ltd. Moore said the underpass had been scheduled to be built when Halton was still a county. However, with the formation of the region and the CNR's inability to decide

where it was going to locate a station in the area, work on the project was withheld. Now that the CNR has built the station further down the line, work can get underway. Moore said the underpass is necessary on account of the heavy traffic crossing the railroad. The current lights are inadequate, he said. The region's cost in the project is \$700,000 with the balance being covered by government funding. Moore said it is necessary for the committee to approve the plan in order for the

regional clerk to advertise the work and to allow the solicitor to prepare a by-law authorizing the widening and construction as required under the Municipal Act. "The proposed construction involves a four-lane, fully urban roadway with sidewalks and street lighting as well as a bicycle path," Moore said. "Provision will be made at the underpass structure for future widening to six lanes." The section of Bronte Rd. affected is between the Queen Elizabeth Way to the north to Speers Rd. to the south.

### Omagh

## Traces history of Pres. church

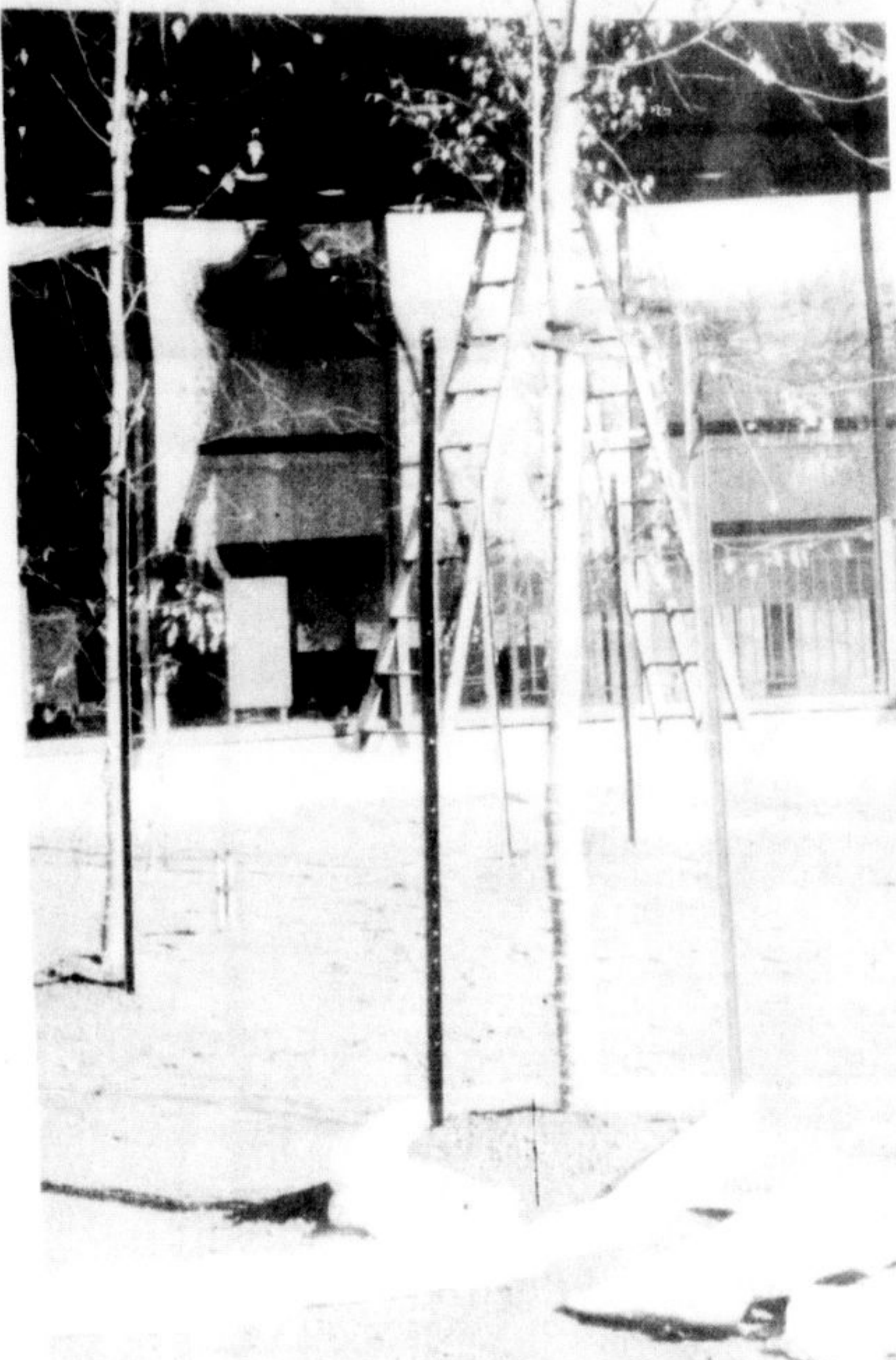
By Mrs. Cecil Patterson  
A large number attended church worship on Sunday, Oct. 29 at Omagh Presbyterian Church with Rev. R. Lewis, B.A., B.D. in the pulpit. The responsive reading was led by David McCann. The choir sang an anthem "In The Garden". The children in the church gathered at the front for a brief story which was based on Hallowe'en. Hallowe'en really means "Hallowed Evening" and is the day before All Saints Day,

Nov. 1, and an important day in the history of the Presbyterian church. Mr. Lewis in his sermon spoke on the Reformation which took place in the year 1517, and was led by Martin Luther, John Calvin and John Knox. These men suffered much for the cause. The Presbyterian church started as the Church of Scotland and for 461 years, has stood firm in the belief in the sovereignty of God. Mr. Lewis confirmed that

he had accepted a call to Hopedale Church and that Sunday Nov. 12 would be his final Sunday as the minister of Omagh. Mr. Lewis extended congratulations and good wishes to Mrs. George Peacock, a senior member of the church who was celebrating her 91st birthday, also get well wishes to Mrs. R. Brownridge and Henry Vanderdeen. Birthday greetings to, Paul Howden, Douglas Peacock, Mrs. Gordon Robinson and

Michael Kubinec. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ford on their 40th wedding anniversary on Nov. 5. Miss Anna Peacock of Toronto was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents, Fifth Line.

—Next Boy Scout paper drive is Saturday, Nov. 18



BARE TREES stand in a yard littered with construction debris in front of Halton's new regional building. Although unfinished, the building now houses regional staffers who moved over the weekend.


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