



BETA SIGMA PHI SORORITY is celebrating its 48th anniversary this year. There are two branches of the group in Milton. Janis Coulter of Eta Phi (left) and Judy Wallace of Theta Tau display the new sign which welcomes visitors to town of Milton.

Sorority 48th anniversary

Beta Sigma Phi, a social, cultural and service organization for women will soon celebrate the 48th anniversary of its founding. It is the largest women's sorority in the world, with 12,000 chapters in existence totalling 250,000 members in 30 countries of the world.

Milton has two local chapters: Theta Tau and Eta Phi.

The organization is non-academic, non-political and non-sectarian. The keynote is friendship.

Chapters of five different degrees meet the growing needs of various age groups with each chapter adapting the plans for social, civic, service and cultural activities to fit the interests of its members and community.

Various large scale activities and conventions each year make it possible for chapters within a city or area to intermix with one another.

Internationally, the chapters have created several special funds. Locally, Theta Tau and Eta Phi undertake projects and activities which include:

- Assistance to organizations such as the Hear! Fund and Canadian Cancer Society with their yearly fundraising campaigns. This year Beta Sigma Phi helped organize the first-ever Daffodil Day project in the Milton area;
- Special fund raising projects, with proceeds to local charities, such as dances, craft and art shows, bottle drives, house tours, Mr. Dress Up—to name a few;
- Social events throughout the year to include the husbands and families of the members.

Chapter meetings are held twice monthly, made up of a short business portion, a cultural program or guest speaker as arranged by the members and social hour.

The aim and purpose of Beta Sigma Phi is to promote its motto of "Life, Learning and Friendship" and the chapters in Milton would be pleased to hear from any ladies in the community interested in making new friends and broadening their cultural and social horizons.

For further information, please call Mrs. Judy Wallace (878-3374) or Mrs. Susan Hammond (878-8972).

Egg McMuffins produce \$465 for Cancer Society

The Milton Unit of the Canadian Cancer Society held its first fundraising event Sunday netting \$465.

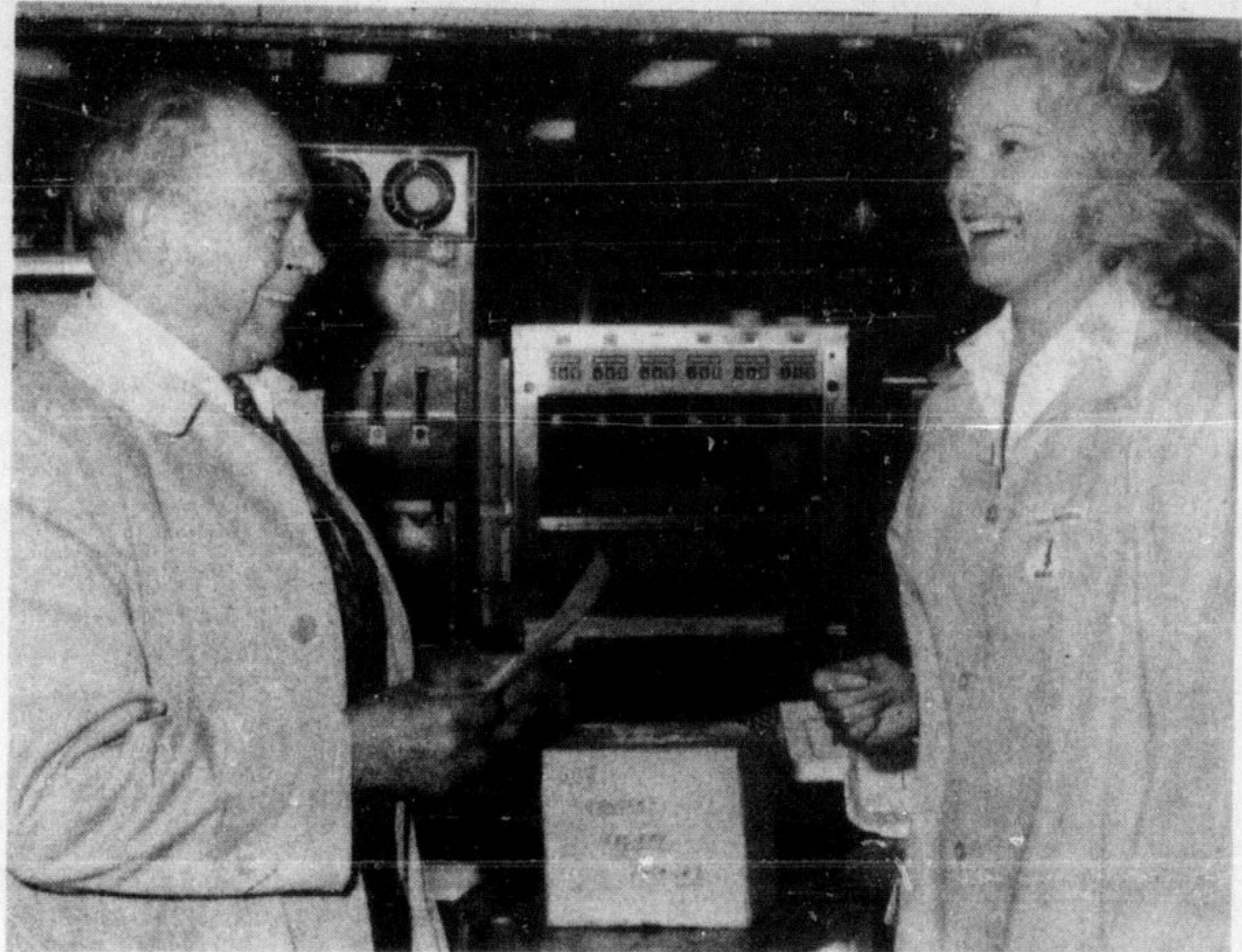
The annual drive to raise approximately \$21,500 began with an Egg McMuffin Day.

McDonald's Restaurant donated the entire proceeds of the sale of McMuffins to the Cancer Society.

Eggs for the special event were donated by Sargent Farms of Milton.

Len McNeil, president of the Milton Unit of the Canadian Cancer Society, said he was pleased with the amount raised. The figure surpassed last year's amount by nearly \$100.

McDonald's also sponsored a contest to guess how many Egg McMuffin boxes were in a display stand in the restaurant. Winner was Leslie Bell of Lord Simcoe Ct. He guessed correctly at 75 boxes.



CAROL KERR of the Milton Unit of the Canadian Cancer Society, was busy promoting the Society's annual campaign drive. One of many visitors to McDonald's Restaurant on Sunday, April 1 to take part in Egg McMuffin Day was George Swann, this year's Milton Citizen of the Year. All proceeds from the sale of Egg McMuffins went to the Cancer Society.

Young mothers enjoy early courting songs

Wednesday an enterprising group of women from Knox Church launched a program for Young Mothers. In a pleasant atmosphere of candle tables, gingham clothes, and flowers—all pervaded with the aroma of fresh perked coffee—the program commenced.

(Sharon Reeves and Tana Saso) entertained the group in a unique manner. Sharon, complete with black moustache and 1900 Bowler hat, played all the old turn-of-the-century Courting songs. Tana, also dressed in period costume plus flowered and feathered hat, sang and acted out the old favorites. It was superbly performed and brought an enthusiastic response from the appreciative audience.

Following the entertainment Al Higgs Director of Parks for Etobicoke gave an informative talk on spring gardening. Mrs. Joan Lewis chaired the meeting and thanked the guests.

In the lower hall about 50 children enjoyed the baby-sitting service provided. The inspired steering committee of this venture was Joan Lewis, Joan Phillips, Susan Smith, Shirley Redpath, Pauline Brand and Gail Currie.

The Sitting Service was provided by Grace Vander Vlier, Ruby Armstrong, Edith Elliot and Irene Phelps.

Next meeting is Wednesday, April 25 at 9:30 a.m. Guest speaker will be Marion McDonald, home economist from Dominion Stores.

Theatre group forms

Attempts to form a theatre group in Milton have borne fruit.

Milton has a theatre group, thanks to a group of interested persons who have banded together.

The first meeting of The Milton Players will be held Sunday, April 29.

According to a spokesman for the group, a decision will be made then on their first production.

The group is still seeking more members to help in both on-stage and behind-the-scenes capacities.

Anyone interested can phone 878-4039 or 878-8685.

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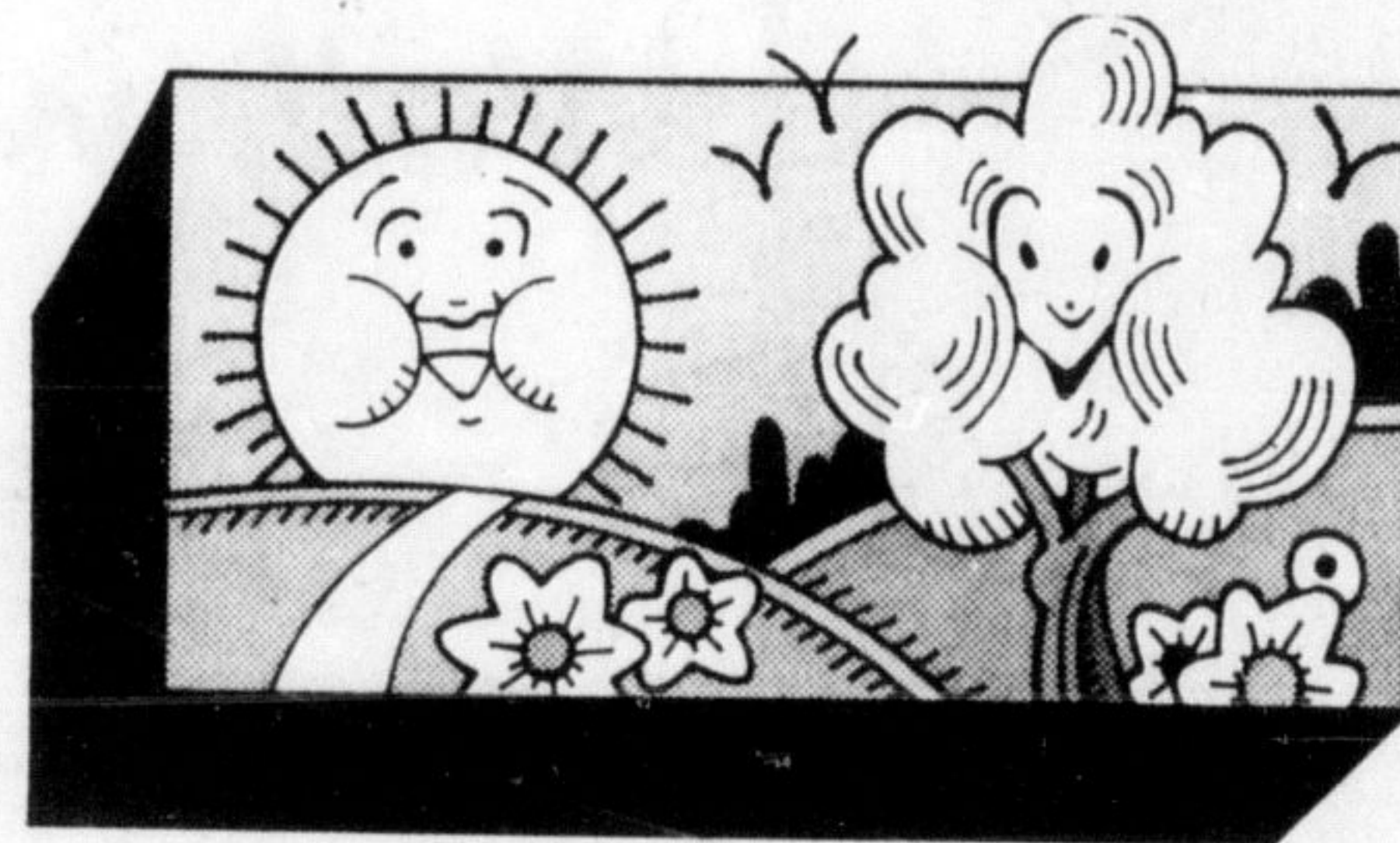
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