Pride: Halton 4-H Club member Chris Edwards shows off her piece of work, a macrame owl. The 13-year-old Georgetown girl was one of many taking part in the annual display of 4-H Homemaking Club projects Wednesday evening.

Achievement night draws 12 4-H clubs, 116 members

By Karen Campbell The 4-H Achievement Program was held for the Region of Halton at E.C. Drury School, Milton, to conclude the fall project, "Your Corner of the

Twelve clubs involving 116 members completed the project.

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Award recipients in the program were: Cheryl Howard, Campbellville, Leah Pocock, Palermo; Darlene Ross, Ashgrove Susan Bousfield,

Block; Wendy Georgetown Koperdread. Ballinafad, who received Provincial Honours for

wart, Hornby South who was presented with her Advanced Honors Certificate and pie server for successfully completing eighteen clubs.

Mrs. Donald Lindsay President behalf of the Women's Institute, and congratulated members on their achievements.

Mrs. Lindsay also presented Anna Edwards, Halton Women's Institute Bursary; and Madeline Austen, Campbellville, with the Dr. Ethel Chapman Scholarship.

A report of the Provincial Homemaking Club Conference was given by Barb Treviranus, Ashgrove. Later Lozinski Ballinafad, gave a report on the CNE Program.

Certificates of achievement and silver spoons Georgetown, with the were presented to club



4-H achievers: Recognition was paid to members of the Halton 4-H Homemaking Clubs Wednesday evening for their work over the past year. Awards were presented, from left to right, Lynda Speck, Wendy Chaplin, Darlene Ross, Lydia Koperdraad, Susan Bousfield, Leah Pocock, Marion Patterson, Donna Stewart and Cheryl Howard.

Low grant may close youth home

Sheridan Youth Home

officials are at a stand-

By John Challinor Although highly regarded by the Province, a regional detention and observation centre serving Halton and Peel may close because of a lack of provincial funding.

ago in the abandoned nurses residence of Milton's Halton Centennial Manor to assess juvenile offenders brought before family court judges faces a \$24,000 cut in its proposed \$303,000 1981 bud-

Sheridan Youth Home **Executive Director John** Cox says the Ministry of Community and Social \$279,000 in 1981 towards the operation of the home.

Last year the ministry which completely sub sidizes Sheridan Youth provided grant operating

\$25,000 increase in the grant does not allow for current staffing requirements needed to meet the demands put on the home by the Children's Aid Society and the judical

Faced with possibly having to reduce the number of counsellors at the home to 10 from 12 in order to maintain salary Sheridan's board directors will probably terminate operations in March because a staff cut will "jeopardize its quality and level of ser-

Mr. Cox contends that his staff are currently underpaid by "at least \$3,000" in comparison to other workers in their

"The whole emphasis of the program will shift to a role of caretaker or benign jailer and will rethe degree of security to the neighboring community," he

Sheridan staff are required to make daily appearances, prepare reports, cook, do laundry, clean and maintain the building, school, guard and transport the uveniles.

children Sheridan Youth Home

Correction

A photo in last week's Champion from the Bethel United Church bazaar was incorrectly identified as being from Presbyterian

Mr. Cox estimates that still in budget negotia-Sheridan Youth Home, Stablished two years BIC DIASTS

ex-director

range in age from 12 to 16 come from Peel.

the centre for about 10 directors and ministry

Burlington Mayor Roly selection committee.

years and have stayed at

days, on average.

been discussing how to find a replacement. To date, 43 people have responded to an announcement that the position is

But Mr. Bird said he was dissatisfied with the who he said "was only effective in the last few

wanted to be personally and Christmas.

When Halton Region involved in picking the icks another Business next business development officer and volunto' council members on a

He added he didn't Since the resignation of want the new man to Bill Marshall Oct. 20, interfere in Burlington's regional senior staff have bids to attract new in-

> The selection would also be done with the Regional Chairman and Acting Administrative Officer.

> The management consulting firm which is currently reviewing staff effectiveness at Halton Region has advised that there be no advertising for the post between now

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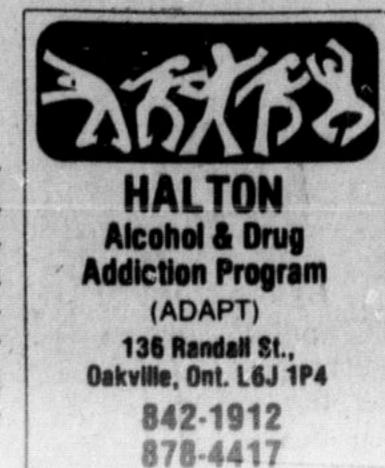
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tions and recent com-munications from the has handled this year about 70 per cent of them home to the ministry have yet to be acknow-Mr. Cox says the im-

between the ministry and his board of

light of a recent ministry report prepared by Funston, Murphy and Associates which states that "this program is probably the best behaviour management for children in observation and detention in the province."





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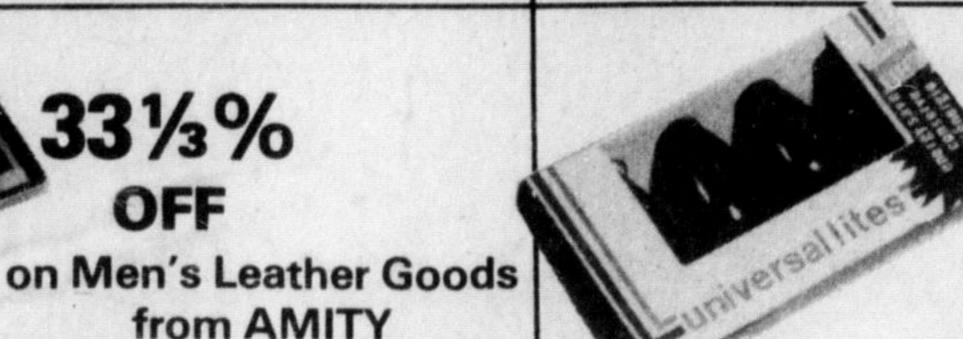
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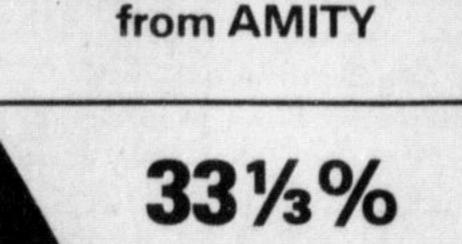
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