



Italian-Canadian helping hand

Members of the Milton Italian-Canadian Club have come forward to lend a hand in preparing the Milton Drop-In Centre in the basement of the Lido Restaurant building. The club donated the expert services of its members as a community gesture, which was very much appreciated by the group hoping to have the drop-in centre ready to open soon.

Music teachers plan May music festival

By Jane Brush
Milton Music Teachers' Association is planning its second annual music festival. The Teachers' Association is a non-profit organization comprised of private music teachers in Milton and the surrounding area. The group was formed to encourage and develop musical appreciation within the town. The music festival will be held the week of May 11 in the Halton Centennial Manor auditorium. "The Manor is being very co-operative and the Milton Music Teachers' Association is very grateful," says Susan Phillips, a member of the organization. While last year's festival was made up of only piano, this year's promises a greater variety with instrumental and vocal classes being added to the program. Van Geest House of Pianos is supplying the festival with a concert grand piano in return for a display of pianos which will be located in the auditorium. Judges for the festival have been hand-picked by the festival committee. Mrs. Pickering, a piano teacher in Etobicoke, will be returning to judge the piano part of the program, while Peter Hughes, conductor of the Burlington and Oakville Concert Bands will look after the instrumental. The winners of each class will be awarded a medal. Although the festival is a non-profit event, there will be a slight charge to the public to cover expenses. Deadline for applications is March 15 and the entry fees range from \$3 to \$5 depending on the class and the level entered. For application forms call Barb Kneale at 878-2432. Information on the music festival can be obtained from the festival committee—Sharon Reeves, Kate Mock, Susan Phillips, Edith Young and Joyce Hayward.



They meet again

Former Milton Artisan Gerda Neubacher was at Delacourt's to personally sign her newest collector plate "The Aeroplane." Gary Williams, who purchased the Neubacher home in 1979, dropped by to purchase one of the plates.

No time to relax our vigilance - HRCA head

Development and population growth is closing in on the areas controlled by the Halton Region Conservation Authority and renewed vigilance will be necessary to keep the watershed intact, states re-elected HRCA Chairman Brock Harris. Mr. Harris, unopposed in Wednesday's HRCA inaugural meeting and election of officers, said although the last 25 years of watershed conservation by HRCA and its predecessors has been admirable, no relaxation can be contemplated. "One should not become complacent and rely on past achievements as a measurement for future needs. "The next 25 year period will be an even more demanding period of time on the resources of our watershed. "The desirability for economic growth, greater populations, urban expansion, the competition for the use of our renewable resources as well as non-renewable resources, demand that the conservation authority, the member municipalities and the Province of Ontario have an obligation to ensure that the Halton watershed will have all of the benefit in the future that we often take for granted today," he said.

Mr. Harris said it was the co-operation between levels of government which has been the strength of HRCA and that strength, of the past 25 years, has "collectively merged."

"This strength will no doubt be put to test many times in the future and it will be our responsibility, as members of the conservation authority, to realize that our decisions are not decisions just for today, but decisions that will reflect the position of resource management in our watershed in the year 2000."


Mr. Harris noted 1981 is the 25th anniversary of the HRCA. It was started on its way on Dec. 20, 1956 through an Order-In-Council which established the Sixteen-Mile Creek Conservation Authority. The Twelve-Mile Creek Conservation Authority, formed in 1958 was joined to the first



Oldest members honored. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tonelli of Milton, the oldest members of the Italian-Canadian Club of Milton were among the recipients of new club pins at a social evening Saturday. ICCM Queen Valerie Citton pins Mr. Tonelli, who is 79 and has lived the past 58 years in Milton.

Money missing

Halton Regional Police are investigating the theft of \$113 in coins taken during operating hours from Milton Laundry-eze at Milton Mall Friday night. The machines were apparently pried open sometimes between 11 p.m. and midnight.



Invitation to Public Forum with OTTO JELINEK
HALTON MP

WHEN: February 12, 1981
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