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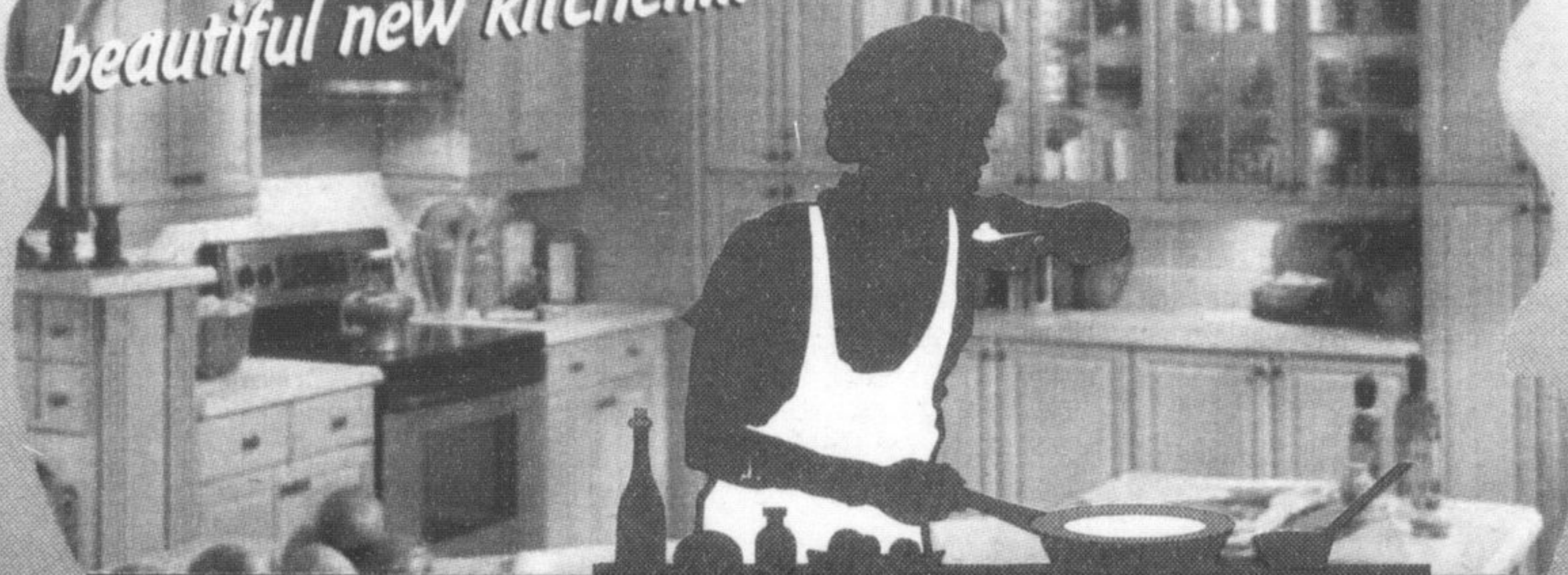


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It's our 2nd Annual
Ugly Kitchen Contest

In January 2004, Milton Home Hardware Building Centre ran the first "UGLY KITCHEN CONTEST". What fun we had, as the momentum grew and more and more North Halton residents shared their ugly kitchens and wrote wonderful descriptions to accompany the pictures. It was at this time we learned there are a few aspiring poets amongst us.

As the entries arrived in the store we saw many kitchens from Milton's last building boom of the mid-seventies. Kitchen design trends were consistent. Cabinet doors with an oak veneer on particle board were a popular builder style. Dark colours in a mahogany stain and a golden oak were favoured. Many cabinet doors had the handles mounted in the centre of the door. The cabinets were usually assembled on the job and fastened direct to the walls with no backs on them. Post formed no-drip countertops with a raised lip and four inch back-splash were a standard feature. Butcher-block maple-look laminate was hot. Colour selection in laminate was much more limited than what is available today. We saw many farm kitchens from Acton, Georgetown and Campbellville that were very likely dry kitchens converted in Grandma's time. Great Grandpa may have built these kitchens himself.

Our judges had a difficult time choosing five finalists, from the one hundred and twenty-four entries. After much

deliberation we had our five, and into a hat they went. Mayor Krantz made the draw. Linda Bailey of Milton now has her dream kitchen. Beautiful Lexington Maple cabinets from Woodcrest designed to make her space more efficient and maximize her storage space, complimentary laminate countertops and laminate flooring were chosen. A.G.E. above the range microwave, Kindred Granite sink and Moen European style faucet added to the makeover. Beautitone paint in a new fashionable colour pulled it all together. Congratulations again Linda. Enjoy your kitchen!

Get out your cameras and sharpen your pencils. Milton Home Hardware Building Centre is doing it again! Contest starts January 3rd, 2005 and closes February 13th. So, don't delay, get your entries in. We anticipate another enthusiastic response. Good Luck! You could be our next "UGLY KITCHEN CONTEST" winner.



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