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Rosemary Shields from Glasgow, Scotland is spending the summer with her uncle and aunt Tom and Jean Shields, 540 Churchill Ave. We hope she is enjoying her stay in our town.

Congratulations to Deanna Odenbach, 110 Heslop Rd., who will be entering her first year at Brock University on a scholarship for Environmental Sciences. Deanna also won a silver

medal recently in ballet. Best wishes go out to her.

Karen Doherty, Heslop Rd., graduated from the Ross Macdonald School for the Blind on June 25.

Attending the graduation ceremonies were her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Doherty, Heslop Rd., her brothers and sister David, Patrick and Kelly Doherty, her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clements of Milton and

Mrs. Myrtle Doherty of Georgetown, her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. George Clements of Mississauga and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coulter of Milton.

Belated birthday wishes go to Tommy Shields, 540 Churchill Ave., who celebrated his 11th birthday on Thursday, July 3.

Renee Melanson, Martin St., celebrated her fifth birthday on Saturday, July 5. Attending her birthday party were Laura Lee, Cathy and Tommy Melanson, Kathy Stedman, Jamie Phillips, Michael Burt and Wendy Melanson.

Mrs. Lena Power of County Waterford in Ireland is visiting her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moloney, Glen Eden Ct.

This is Mrs. Power's first trip to Canada and we hope she is enjoying her stay in Milton.

Happy birthday wishes go to Kevin Corbett, 45 First Line who celebrates his seventh birthday on Thursday July 10.

Alice Lee from Glasgow Scotland visited with her brother and sister-in-law Tom and Jean Shields, 540 Churchill Ave. on the weekend.

Alice was accompanied by her sister and brother-in-law Agnes and Derek Holmes of New Toronto.

Many happy returns of the day are wished for Wendy Melanson, 627 Churchill Ave. who celebrates her sixth birthday on Monday, July 14.

Happy birthday wishes go to Paul Shields, 540 Churchill Ave., who celebrates his birthday on Friday, July 11.

Residents of Milton for the past 21 years. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gawronski and their family of 331 Martin St. moved this week to their new home in London, Ont. Mr. Gawronski will be working with the Ontario Ministry of Health drugs, and therapeutics division in western Ontario.

He is a former owner of a local pharmacy. They are well known here through church and hospital activities—she has been active in the hospital auxiliary and he was a member of the hospital board. Their friends wish them a fond farewell but hope Ed and Vi and their family will soon come back to visit again soon.

—There was no meeting of Milton Council scheduled this week as several members are away on holidays.



MEXICAN DRESSES at the Campbellville Opera Emporium are modelled by Saranne Lawson and Leslie Mason of Campbellville. The dresses look surprisingly at home in the old-time setting as customers model them before the full-length antique mirror in the upstairs gift shop. Designed by Georgia Charukas, the dresses were bought by the store's proprietor Anna Spencer during a recent trip to Mexico. Georgia Charukas, a talented, ex-American painter married to a Mexican, runs a studio where native women make the dresses on hand-turned sewing machines. All are cotton and most of the designs are of narrow stitched tucking. Much of the work is hand-embroidered with appliques and hand-crocheted lace.

Wedding

Finn - Bradley vows

Susan Bradley and Ronald Finn were married in a double-ring ceremony June 14 at 3 p.m. Father J. J. Murphy officiated at Holy Rosary Church. The bride carried a sterling silver rosary, an heirloom of her grandmother. Susan is the daughter of John and Lucille Bradley of 159 Martin St. Milton. Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Peddie of 81 Robert St. Milton.

The bride's sister Sharon was maid of honor. Her bridesmaids were MaryAnne and Maureen Bradley and Patricia Cairns. Their gowns were made by Sini Vander-vorst of Milton. Flower girls were Anne and Catherine Bradley.

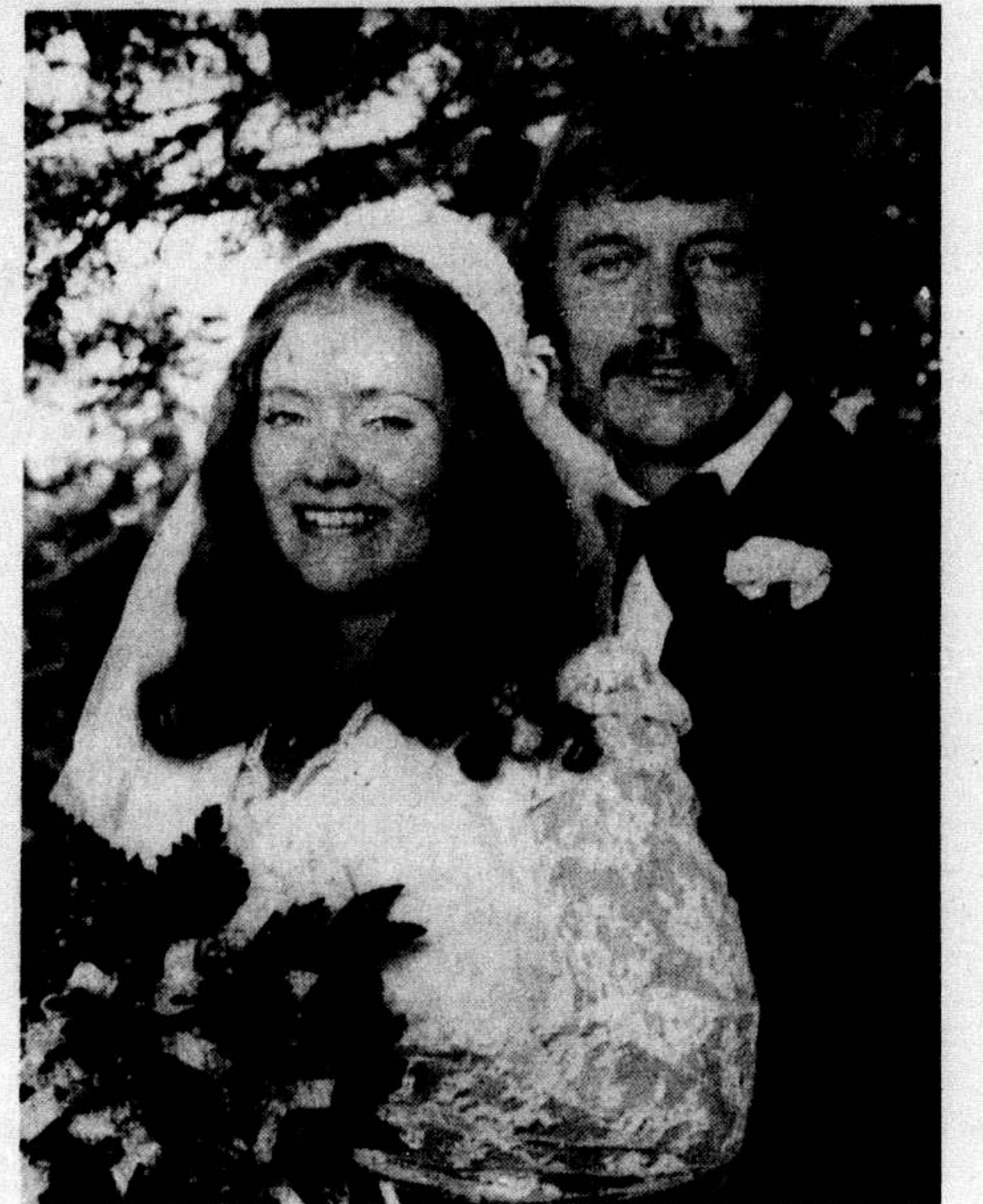
The brother of the groom James Finn was best man. Ushers were Douglas Naylor, Mark Bradley and Kenneth Syer.

Following the ceremony a dinner and dance for 155 guests took place at Holy Rosary Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Finn honeymooned in Muskoka following a stay at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto. They will live in Alberta.

Guests from Ireland. Special guests were Marie, Caroline and Clare Bradley, and Brendan McEvoy, of Lurgan, Ireland.

Showers for the couple were given by Audrey Helson, Lenore Warner, Dorothy McCabe, Jean Peddie, Joanne

Arthur, Judy Finn, Janice and Maureen Bradley, Mary Syer, Jean Wright, Mary Chapman, and the groom's Clarke, Sharon, MaryAnne mother and sisters.



RONALD AND SUSAN FINN are shown following their wedding June 14 at Holy Rosary Church. Susan is the daughter of John and Lucille Bradley of Milton and Robert the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Peddie of Milton. The couple will live in Alberta. (Photo by William Stuckey)

Joyce Beaton

The marathon move

We changed houses this past weekend in what must surely be considered a marathon move.

It was all to be so organized. Everything packed and labelled correctly. Screws, fasteners, etc. attached with tape to the appliance to which they belonged.

We were to start Friday afternoon and have everything ready for the van Saturday. A screw-up in the booking arrangements for the rental truck necessitated a move from Campbellville to Milton during the hours of 8 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m. Saturday.

Picture it. Put yourself in our place by imagining someone announcing to you "we're moving today—everything out of the house and onto the truck NOW." It couldn't have been worse if we were sneaking out in the middle of the night to avoid the landlord!

Like moving an army. Thank God for teenagers with strong backs and good senses of humor. As my husband organized from the old house, I directed traffic at the new.

It took three truckloads to move the small army (we have a family of seven) to its new location. By Sunday the rooms were in order, the drapes on the windows and the pictures on the walls. I can't stand living out of boxes and things might just as well be where they belong as leaning up against the wall.

We now have to rent a truck again to take the garbage we moved with us to the dump. There wasn't time to sort out and decide what we didn't want to keep. It all came on the van and now it's sorted and ready to be disposed of.

Forgot poor father. I'm told my parents moved 13 times during the first six years of my life. I don't know how they did it! In those depression days rents were cheap and houses easy to come by. If you saw one you liked better down the street, over you went.

Apparently my mother forgot on one occasion to tell my father we were moving that particular day. He came home from work to find the place vacant and no forwarding address! He had to find out from a neighbor where we were!

I'd have loved to be in the same boat as he was this weekend. It would have been great to walk into the new house with everything in place.

There's only one good thing to be said for moving. It's a great excuse to clean up the place and throw out the accumulated junk.

Lunch, music, games at Wilson reunion

The fourth Wilson reunion was held at Pinegrove School, Halton Hills, recently. The first reunion was held in 1969 when the grandchildren of the late Hannah (Gastle) and John Wilson met and decided that these reunions would be held every two years.

Spencer Wilson (who lives on the homestead) presided over the buffet luncheon and the business meeting. An electric organ had been transported to the site and music was supplied by Marvin (Fox) Berry and Johnny and Ria Wilson. Silence was observed for the cousins who had passed away since the last get-together; they were Guy Bussell, Jack Featherstone and Glenn Martin.

A lively afternoon's sports was convened by Johnny and Ria Wilson, and Marilyn and Graham Reeve.

Young and old. A prize went to Clayton Wilson as the oldest cousin present, to Darryl Hyatt as the youngest; to Lorna (Bussell) Ellis of Clinton for coming the farthest.

Following are the officers for the 1977 reunion: President George Wilson, vice-pres. Marilyn (Wilson) Reeve, sec.-treas. Bruce Berry, social Glenna (Bussell) Cook, Doreen Winterton, Ethel and Kay Wilson.

Sports Stan and Edna Hyatt, Rich and Bev Winterton; reception Ina (Fox) Featherstone, Vera (Bussell) Martin; registrars Glenna Ellis, Joanne Wilson; nominations Guy and Eunice Wilson, Reta (Fisher) and Albert Hunter; finance Lloyd Martin, Lloyd Fisher.

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MERRY-NOBLE—Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Milton are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Nancy to Harold Merry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Merry of Hornby. The wedding will take place at Grace Anglican Church, Milton, on Saturday, July 26, 1975, at 7 o'clock.

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