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TODAY'S QUOTE: Great minds have purposes, others have wishes. Little minds are tamed and subdued by misfortune but great minds rise above them.
 —Washington Irving

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Cancer Society celebrates 50th



Whitney Jackson, 5, enjoys a piece of the cake given away by members of the local unit of the Canadian Cancer Society Saturday at Milton Mall. The group is celebrating its 50th anniversary. On hand to cut the cake (above) made by Susan Prescott were (from left) Eileen Martin, education chairman; John Stewart, society president; Carol Kerr, campaign chairman; Ruth Garber, patient services; Sharon Hughes, volunteer; Catherine Hughes Daffodil Days chairman from Beta Sigma Phi sorority.



The last bunch of daffodils was sold to Eileen Needham (left) and her daughter Jennifer on Saturday. John Stewart, president of the local unit of the Cancer Society, shows his appreciation. The society's Daffodil Days fundraiser ended Saturday. So far the month-long campaign has raised \$8,000.

Rural hall rental fee will be double that of Meeting Hall

By ROB KELLY
 There was a brouhaha over Brookville Monday night. Town councillors, meeting as general committee, clashed over proposed fee schedules for the new Nassagaweya Community Centre as opposed to fees to be charged for the Meeting Hall adjacent to council chambers. Predictably, the rural politicians lined up against their urban counterparts. Although outnumbered, the rural councillors gained a little ground.

Town leisure services director Larry Arbic presented councillors with a fee structure which would see \$5 charged for using the small meeting room in the soon-to-be-completed Meeting Hall, including kitchen privileges. In Brookville the same thing will cost \$10 with a three-hour limit, or up to \$20 per day. Also in the urban area, the Milton Historical Society was included in a list of groups proposed which could use the Meeting Hall for free. The Nassagaweya Historical Society,

was not proposed as exempt from payment in Brookville. In fact, no group was proposed as exempt. Town administrator Roy Main said the time may have passed when Milton can afford to let anybody use any facility for free. "I really think we cannot continue to give them away free. It's easier to raise a fee once one has been established." Obviously acting on that principle in his report, Mr. Arbic, who reports to Mr. Main, said "In Brookville, the

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Turner promises backlash if road plan is approved

By ROB KELLY
 Nassagaweya resident and grassroots activist Garth Turner has two warnings for those who would change the face of Campbellville:
 One, he's willing to fight all the way to the Ontario Municipal Board to stall or reverse Halton region's plans. Two, Milton councillors at both the local and regional level can expect some tough slogging in the fall election if they turn loose regional roadworkers on Campbellville's country avenues.

Mr. Turner slammed municipal and regional councillors for insensitivity and said they may feel the backlash at the polling booth in November. "If politicians ignore this they do so at their own peril. Some people will be working pretty hard to unseat some politicians."
 Mr. Turner characterized local elected officials in general as "a hostile, confrontational group of people."
 "My whole experience at the Milton and Halton levels has deeply turned me off councillors at both levels. They're an extremely hostile group of people who do not like the little guy in the political process."
 Asked if he was moved enough by his experiences to run for office municipally himself this fall, Mr. Turner replied, "Let's not leave anything out at this point."
 Mr. Turner was honing the points he will present to the regional planning and public works committee today (Wednesday) when they meet to consider road reconstruction through the heart of Campbellville.

development plans through due process last month. Originally the region had battled with Mr. Turner and his Committee to Save the Guelph Line in a give-and-take struggle that saw bruised feelings all through the bickering factions in the village and within Halton region, both at the staff level and among elected officials. Villagers from both groups had input on the regional plans. In December, an open house was held to glean residents' comments on the

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An extensive list of street and landscaping modifications proposed could see turning lanes installed at the main village intersection of Campbell Ave. and Guelph Line. Parking facilities along the roads and adjacent to the park surrounding the downtown pond are to be expanded. Drainage capacities are to be upgraded with a storm sewer system.

Controversy
 Development of Campbellville's core has become a source of serious controversy over the last year. The sleepy rural village has grown to be a busy weekend tourist attraction, with small shops and restaurants dotted over picturesque winding roads nestled along the Niagara Escarpment.
 Mr. Turner, who operates a Campbellville business and owns the building in which several others are located, has vehemently spearheaded opposition to regional plans. Bert Walton, a longtime Campbellville businessman who also operates a village concern, champions the regional designs.
 The two have clashed in the past over the issue. It appeared in the fall as if differences would be smoothed out in a general move toward compromise tacitly supported by all sides in the debate.
 But anger spilled over again among Mr. Turner and his supporters when they perceived the region as steamrolling their

Gypsies blamed for thefts

Police report they received two reports from Campbellville residents of women entering their home unlawfully.
 Police say the women in question are likely "gypsies."
 "We believe they are gypsies," said Inspector Len Graham with the Halton Regional Police. "They float through here all the time and they operate in the same manner in each incident."
 In most instances, Inspector Graham, says senior citizens are victimized. The women (who range in age from 30 to 60-plus) will generally find a home owned by senior citizens and enter through an unlocked door.
 While they are there they will proceed to take what they can and when they are confronted they try to confuse the owners by telling them they are looking for someone or that they are there to buy some chickens.
 Police say the women usually succeed in confusing the owners enough to give them enough time to flee.
 Inspector Graham is encouraging anyone who may have seen the "gypsies," which he describes as being of East Indian descent, to contact police immediately. In cases where the gypsies have entered your home, he recommends the police be contacted immediately.