

# United Way blitz goes door-to-door on Monday

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Working toward a goal of \$210,000, the United Way in Milton will begin a major residential fundraising blitz in town Monday.

About 400 volunteers from churches, high schools, service clubs and other organizations will knock on the doors of local homes for donations as part of United Way Month.

Pat Knight, executive director of the United Way in Milton, said she

hopes to reach the \$210,000 goal by the end of November.

"We seem to be doing well," said Ms. Knight. "We're a little bit ahead of last year at this time."

Last year, the United Way in Milton raised \$193,000 through industrial, commercial and private donations. Seven additional agencies are seeking funds from the organization this year.

The United Way in Milton currently provides funds for 23 local organizations.

They are: the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, the Multiple Sclerosis Society, North Halton Hospice, the Canadian Red Cross Society, St. John's Ambulance, Victorian Order of Nurses, Down Syndrome Association, Family Place, Halton Social Planning Council, Mil-

ton YMCA, The Centre, Milton Community and Information Services, Big Brothers, Crisis Centre, Halton Helping Hands, Parental Stress, Big Sisters, Community Resource Ser-

vices, Consumer Credit Counselling Services, Halton Family Services, Halton Recovery House and the North Halton Association for the Developmentally Handicapped.



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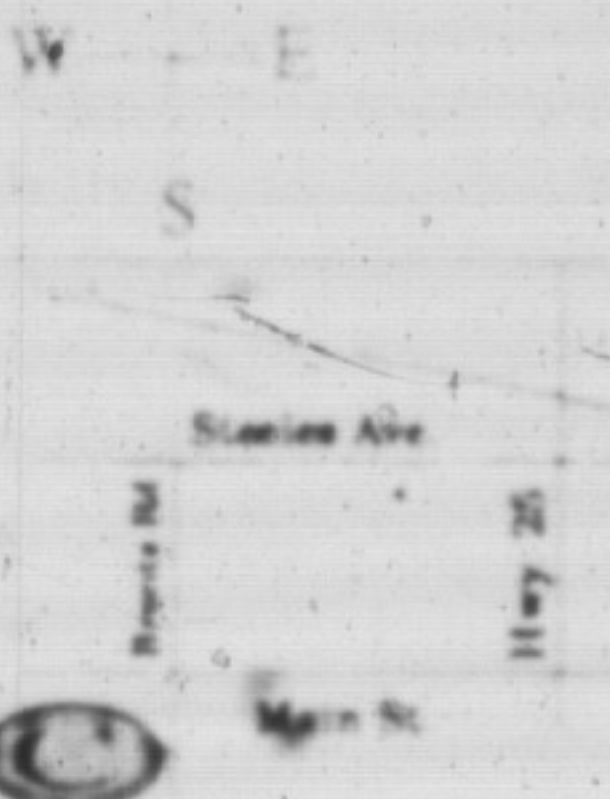
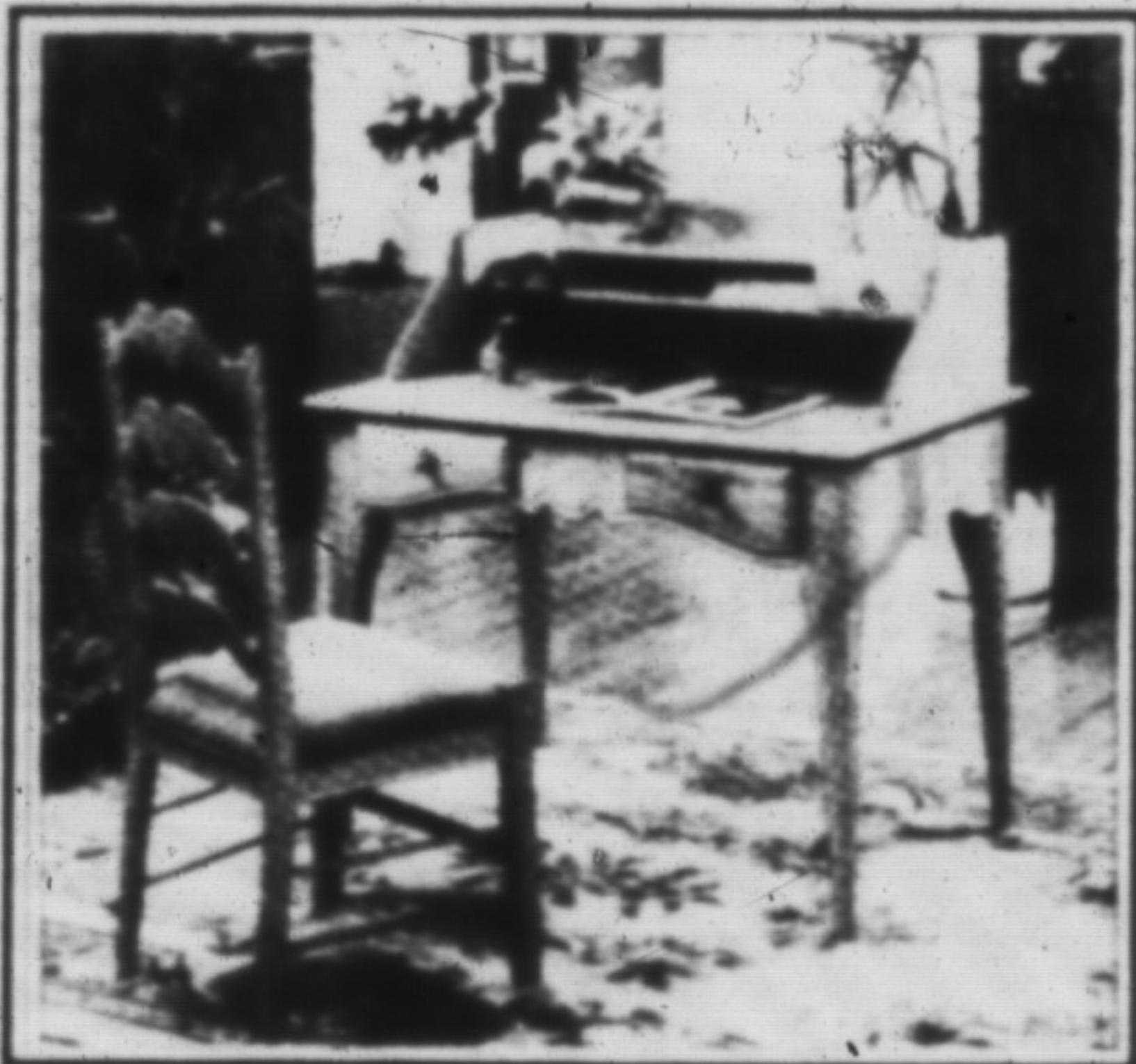
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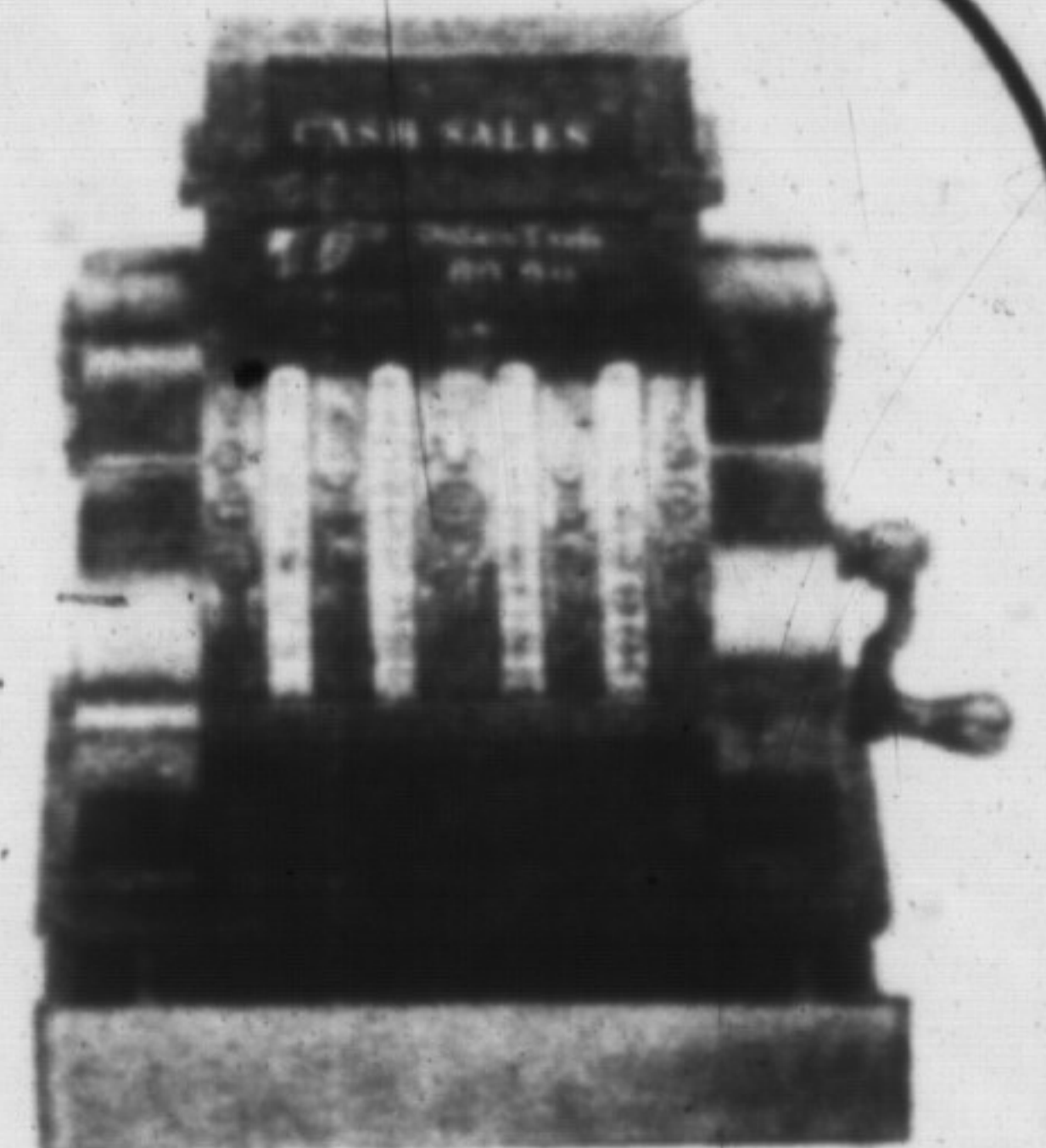
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Milton Mayor Gord Krantz (right) helps local United Way officials kick off the organization's fundraising blitz. About 400 volunteers will canvass Milton homes for donations Monday. This year's goal is set at \$210,000 after \$193,000 was raised in 1988. Raising the flag are (from left to right) John Austen, Pat Knight and Bill Johnson.



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