

Welfare costs jump 35% over 1991

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 only paid \$4.3 million for welfare in 1992. But that was \$180,000 over the approximately \$4.1 million regional government had anticipated, Ms Menard acknowledged.

From January of 1992 to year end the number of monthly claims only climbed nine per cent, Ms Menard pointed out, from 3,337 cases to

3,611. "That's not a bad increase in a year that was economically pretty poor."

In terms of the unemployment that has led to massive increases in welfare claims, Ms Menard was guardedly optimistic. "We're starting to see some movement in the labour market."

The 40,150 cases in 1992 represent an increase of approximately 34 per cent over the 29,983 in 1991. In 1990 Halton recorded 17,396 welfare claims.

Halton's caseload crept up slightly from 3,337 in January of 1992 to 3,452 in March, then began a slow decline from April to bottom out at 3,142 in September. Since then the numbers have been moving up again. The 3,611 cases in December represented a new high.

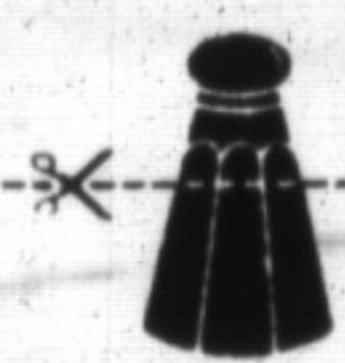
Tell public school board how to spend its budget

The Halton Board of Education is still looking for public input during its budget process.

The public is invited to write to or appear as a delegation before the board's finance committee to discuss priorities and how the money should be spent. There will be opportunities for questions and answers at the meetings.

Submissions are being accepted during January by the committee. For more information call 335-3663, extension 3261.

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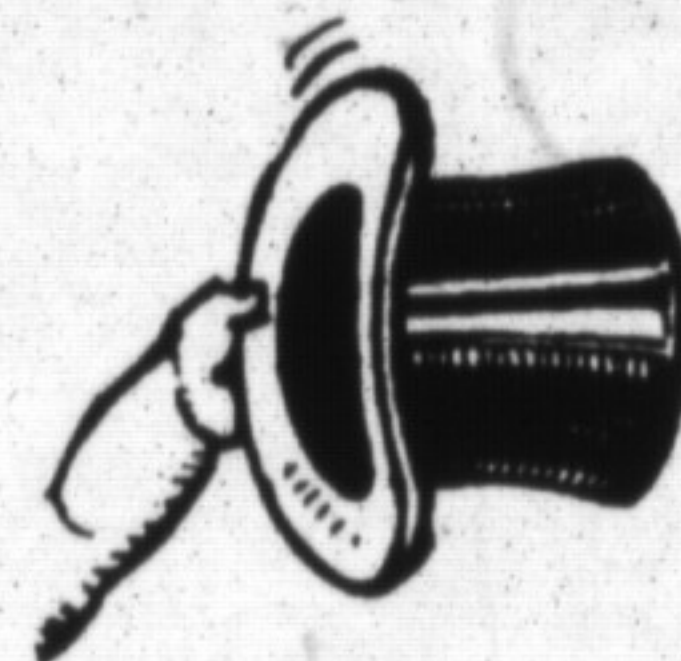
Do you have a beef with P.O. Box delivery?

The Milton Chamber of Commerce wants opinions from local merchants on postal service in town.

Is 10 a.m. too late for delivery of mail into the P.O. boxes? If you have a beef, drop a note off at the Chamber office at Martin Street and Steeles Avenue or write P.O. Box 52, Milton, L9T 2Y3.

Or, send responses by fax to 878-4972.

MILTON DISTRICT HOSPITAL FOUNDATION



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to the many friends of Milton District Hospital Foundation who donated close to \$24,000 for the Buy a Bulb Campaign. Proceeds will be used toward the purchase of a Holter Monitor for the Cardio Respiratory Department. Also thanks to the Canadian Champion, The Flora Shop, Mr. Daye Phillips and the Milton Choristers.

Milton District Hospital Foundation
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MILTON GOSPEL HALL

306 Ontario St. N.
 878-2022

10:00 a.m. — Breaking Bread
 11:45 a.m. — Sunday School
 6:30 p.m. — Gospel Service

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading

"Jesus said, Come onto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."
 Math. 6:33

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139 Martin St., Milton
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Mass Times:
 Sat. - 7:15 p.m. Sun. - 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12 noon

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SERVICES

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Thursday 10:00 a.m.

Bible Study — Tuesday 7:30 p.m.

Prayer Group — Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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876-2298

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Mr. Robin E.W. Foster, Youth Pastor

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 1993

9:45 a.m. Training in Truth

Sunday School for all ages

10:45 a.m. The Appointment With God, "MATTHEW, MARK, LUKE & JOHN & THE 3 LITTLE PIGS"

Nursery Care (Ages 0-2)

Children's Church (Ages 3-9)

6:30 p.m. Evening Evangelistic Rally "HOW TO HAVE A HAPPY MARRIAGE"

Nursery care (Ages 0-2)

Kid's Club (Ages 3-5)

Kid's Praise Choir (Ages 6-12)

WEDNESDAY (7:00-8:15 P.M.)

Adult Prayer & Bible Study

Nursery Care Provided (Ages 0-2)

Kings' Force (Ages 3-10)

Lighthouse Jr. High Ministry (Ages 11-13)

THURSDAY JAN. 21, 1993

Women's Ministries

FRIDAY NIGHT (7:30 P.M.)

Fortress Sr. High Ministry (Ages 14-19)

SATURDAY (8:30-9:15 A.M.)

Saturday Morning Prayer Meeting

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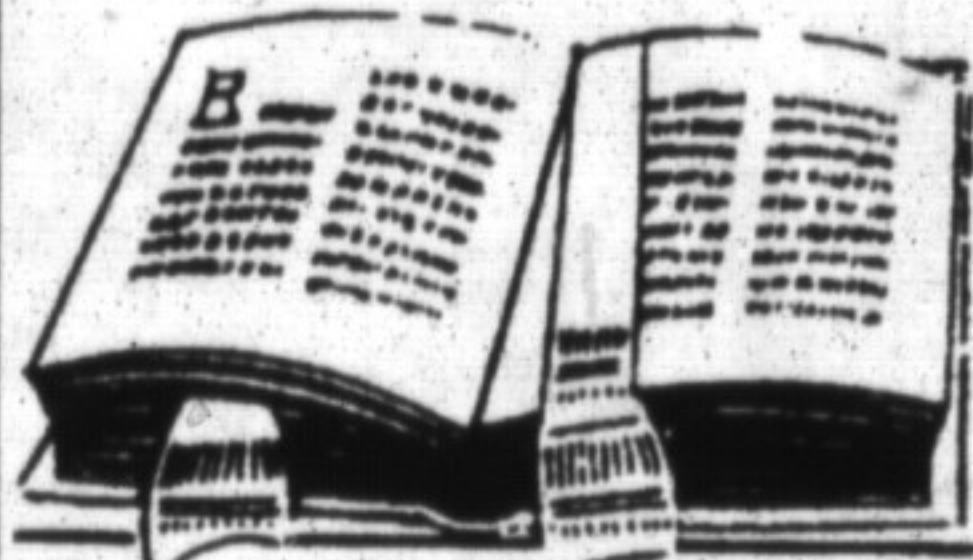
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BAHA' FAITH

"The sign of love is fortitude under My decree and patience under My trials."

- Baha'u'llah -



ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

123 Main St. at James
 Milton, Ont.
 878-8895

Rev. Robert Hyde Rev. Elaine Longland
 Director of Music - Judy Hunter

Sunday, January 17, 1993

10:30 a.m.

Epiphany II

Morning Worship & Intergenerational Service

Sermon Title:

"You Are ... You Shall Be"

Week Of Prayer For Christian Unity

Nursery care available during service

Movies - Jan. 21, 7:30 pm

Life After Death Series: Tues. 7:30 pm

Sanctuary is Wheelchair Accessible from James St. parking lot - A friendly welcome awaits you

Milton Bible Church

Meeting at Sam Sherratt School
 649 Laurier Avenue (at Holly)

THIS SUNDAY

10:30 am Celebration in Praise
 Message "I love you forever"

10:30 am Children's Ministries
 Nursery Available

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Pastor Jim Demarsh

Wheelchair access and washrooms provided so that all may come and worship.
ALL WELCOME