



# Millbrook 100 Years



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Millbrook this year is celebrating their birthday of 100 years. They wish to extend a warm welcome to everyone in visiting Millbrook and join in their schedule of events planned for their centennial year — 1979.



**Gordon McIvor Standing in Doorway of Old Mill,  
Great Grandfather of Millbrook Reve — Ken Blair**

Gordon McIvor built two flax mills, one at Mount Pleasant, another at Enniskillen and then an oatmeal mill in Millbrook. He built this mill and a brick residence on the lot where Miss Gillott's home now stands. From a boulder he cut and dressed the stone for his mill. In accordance with his wishes expressed before his death in December, 1909, this stone was placed at the head of his grave with the following words of his own composition engraved on it:

"Beneath This Stone  
There Lies The Bones  
Of Him Who Did It Dress  
His Work Is Done  
He Has Gone Home  
And Now He Is At Rest"

**Cricket in Millbrook**

The Millbrook Cricket Team was active during the years 1880-90. Some of the players were: W. T. Wood, H. M. Wood, B. Van Homreigh, Charles Needler, A. A. Smith, Henry Hunter, Joyn Beatty, A. B. Lefroy, Bruce Whyte, R. H. Edmunds, George Dean, C. H. Needler, L. Clarry, Thos. Stephenson, J. A. Vance.

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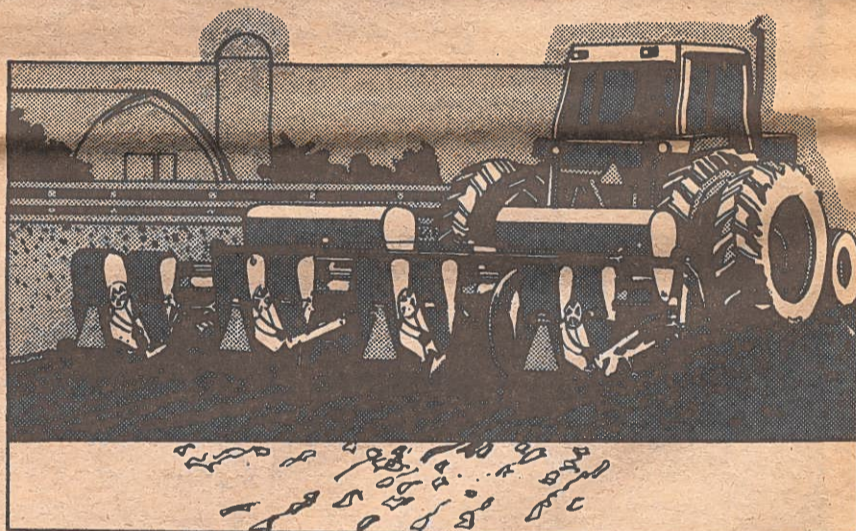
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# MILLBROOK CALENDAR OF CENTENNIAL EVENTS MAY - DEC. 1979

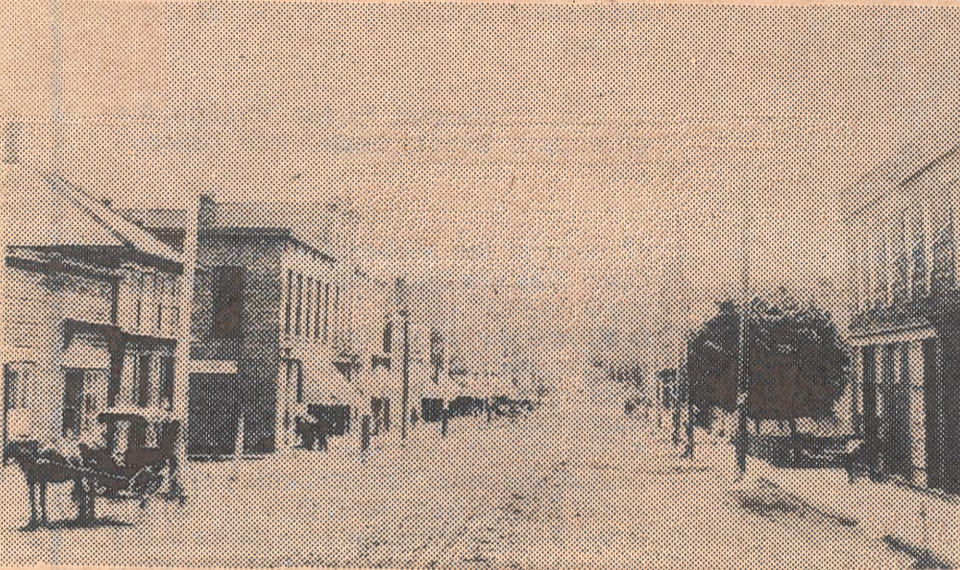
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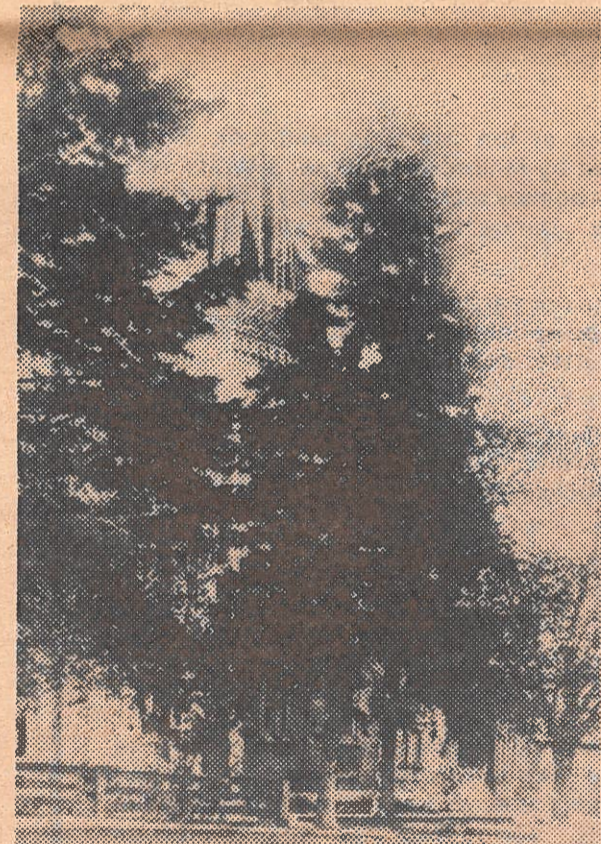
- Saturday, May 19th** 2nd Annual Soap Box Derby, sponsored by the Millbrook Recreation Committee. Starting in the morning on the main street of Millbrook (King St.) 10:00 A.M.
- Wednesday, May 23rd** Canada Night at the Millbrook High School at 7:30 p.m. Displays, Local History etc. Everyone welcome. Nominal charge. Ethnic food.
- Friday, May 25th** Dance at the Arena in Millbrook. Sponsored by the Lions Club — music by "Brandy". Dance to be held downstairs.
- Friday & Saturday June 8 and 9** Millbrook Merchants Centennial Sidewalk Sale.
- Friday Sat. & Sun. June 8, 9 & 10** 130th Annual Fair at the Millbrook Fairgrounds. Three day midway — Fri. evening tractor pull. Parade Saturday at 1:30 p.m. — Beauty contest. Livestock judging — horse shows. Sun. from 12 noon — American Saddle bred show English show — hunters and jumpers. Dairy goat show.  
Something for the whole family.
- Saturday & Sunday June 9 & 10** Millbrook Public School — 90th Anniversary Reunion. Open house at the school for all former students, teachers and anyone interested. Pass the word around to those who perhaps haven't heard.  
June 9-2 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
June 10 — 12:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.  
A history of the school is being compiled and any help or information would be appreciated.  
Please call 932-2733.
- Wednesday, June 13** Centennial Birthday Party — Free for everyone. 6:30 - 8 p.m. in the open air on the Main St. Huge Birthday Cake - coffee and pop - fun for all.
- Friday, June 22nd** Dance at the Arena in Millbrook. Sponsored by Millbrook Oldtimer's White Warriors hockey team - music by "Something Blue". Dance to be held downstairs.
- Saturday, June 23rd.** Millbrook Legion Branch 402 — Centennial Celebration — Street Fair and Dance — from 12 noon - 1 a.m. Games, Fun and Contests for all ages.  
Street dance with Terry Higgs "Up Country" at just 1.00 per person.
- Saturday, June 30th.** Auction Sale outdoors at Grace Presbyterian Church, King St. — at 9:30 a.m.
- Saturday, June 30th** Centennial events sponsored by the Millbrook and District Chamber of Commerce.  
11 a.m. Centennial Parade through the downtown. Bands, floats, free balloons etc.  
12 noon at the Millbrook Fairgrounds — Open Western Show (sponsored by Carl-ing O'Keefe)  
Old Tyme Market and Craft Show — featuring arts, crafts, produce etc.  
If interested in entering please call Mrs. Nancy Olan at 932-2644 or 932-2946.  
At the Fairgrounds there will be a beer garden and other refreshments available, and at 4 p.m. a Beef Bar-B-Q.  
In the evening there will be a dance in the downstairs of the arena — music by Marg Graham and the Westernaires.
- Sunday, July 1st.** Interdenominational Worship Service — outdoors near the Arena by the millpond at 7:15 p.m.
- Friday, July 13th.** Dance at the Arena in Millbrook. Sponsored by Millbrook Oldtimer's White Warriors hockey team — music by "Something Blue". Dance to be held downstairs.
- Saturday Aug. 4th.** Plans not yet finalized but the Arena Board will be sponsoring a beef Bar B—Q. Watch for further details.
- Saturday, Aug. 25th.** cornfest and dance in the downstairs of the arena. Sponsored by the Lions Club — music "Something Blue".
- Saturday, Sept. 1st.** Firefighters Field Day — sponsored by the Millbrook Cavan Fire Dept. for all Firefighters in Peterborough County. To be held at the Fairgrounds. Dance downstairs in the arena at night.
- Saturday, Sept. 22nd.** Centennial Committee — Old fashioned Field Day at the Fairgrounds — fun and games for everyone. Dance at night in the arena sponsored by the Millbrook Oldtimer's Super Bee's hockey team — music by Gary McCoy.
- Saturday, Sept. 29th** Donnybrook Sale at the Fairgrounds sponsored by Millbrook Minor Hockey.
- Saturday, Oct. 27th.** Halloween Dance sponsored by Millbrook Minor Hockey.
- Dec. 23rd and 26th** Millbrook Minor Hockey will be sponsoring tournaments.
- End of December** Centennial Committee will be organizing a Christmas Tree "Burn" to bring the festivities to a close.



Downtown Millbrook — Early 1930s  
People Visiting Millbrook To Do Saturday Shopping



Main Street Millbrook Circa 1907 —  
Note Horses And Buggy As Source Of Transportation



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# 90th Anniversary Millbrook Public School

This year is the 90th anniversary of Millbrook Public School and a reunion is planned to bring together former students and staff.

The building was opened in 1889. In 1923 an addition was completed, bringing the building to its present dimensions.

Classes from junior and senior first to junior and senior fourth, now grades 1 to 8, attended classes in this building. It was also an extension school accommodating forms 1 to 3, now grades 9 to 11.

When the addition was put on in 1923, students to fifth form, now grade 13, were able to get their education in this fine old structure.

In more recent times the school has been used for primary classes, Kindergarten to grade 3. This is the present function of the building, which may be short-lived.

The building is in need of some major repair and if the school board was to undertake these repairs, the entire building would have to be brought up to today's standards. This would be a costly venture.

The uncertainty of the life of the school was an important factor in the decision by the Community School Association to have a 90th anniversary reunion.

Much work has gone into planning this reunion. A history of the school is being compiled. Buttons depicting the school will be available and a number of old school desks will be offered for sale, some dating back many years.

Old photographs and other memorabilia will be on display for the open house Saturday, June 9 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, June 10 from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

All former students and staff are invited to attend. A tea room will be available

where people will be able to congregate and renew old acquaintances.

A visit to the school for this event is sure to bring back many pleasant memories that have been made here over the past 90 years.

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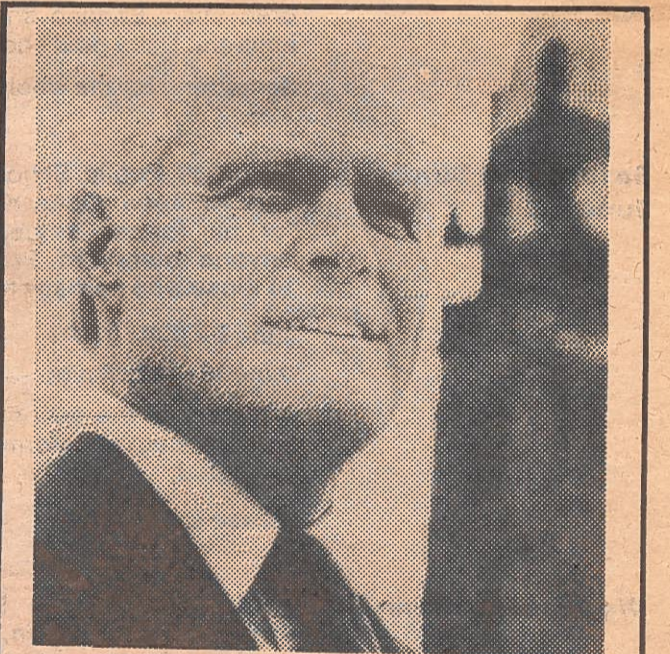
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# Millbrook—A Short History

Millbrook is the largest village in the township of Cavan and mentioned by many visitors as being one of the prettiest villages in Ontario. Surrounded by hills, beautiful trees and sparkling streams, many comfortable homes with spacious lawns and colorful flower gardens, add to its natural beauty. Over one hundred years ago, in 1816, John Dyell came from Ireland after serving under the Duke of Wellington at the Battle of Waterloo and established himself as the first settler in Cavan. Beside a little brook that farther on becomes Baxter Creek before it decides to merge with the Otonabee River, he built a grist mill; and the mill by the brook gave Millbrook its name.

In its earlier years Millbrook had muddy roads, board walks and frame houses lighted by tallow candles and small glass lamps burning a very inferior grade of coal-oil. Now there are brick houses, paved roads, cement walks and electric lighting.

Millbrook is situated fifteen miles south west of Peterborough and eighteen miles north of Port Hope, having excellent railway accommodation until a year ago. It was a very prosperous village and had many stores in all lines of business. It had two mills run by water supplied by two ponds. At Needler's pond was a flour mill and at McIvor's pond oatmeal was ground. The original Town Hall was built on the site of the present one and behind this was a drill shed. Paddy Latimer had a cooper shop and Walter Green a pump factory.

Before the years of 1881 and 1882 Millbrook's population was fifteen hundred but through emigration to Manitoba in those years

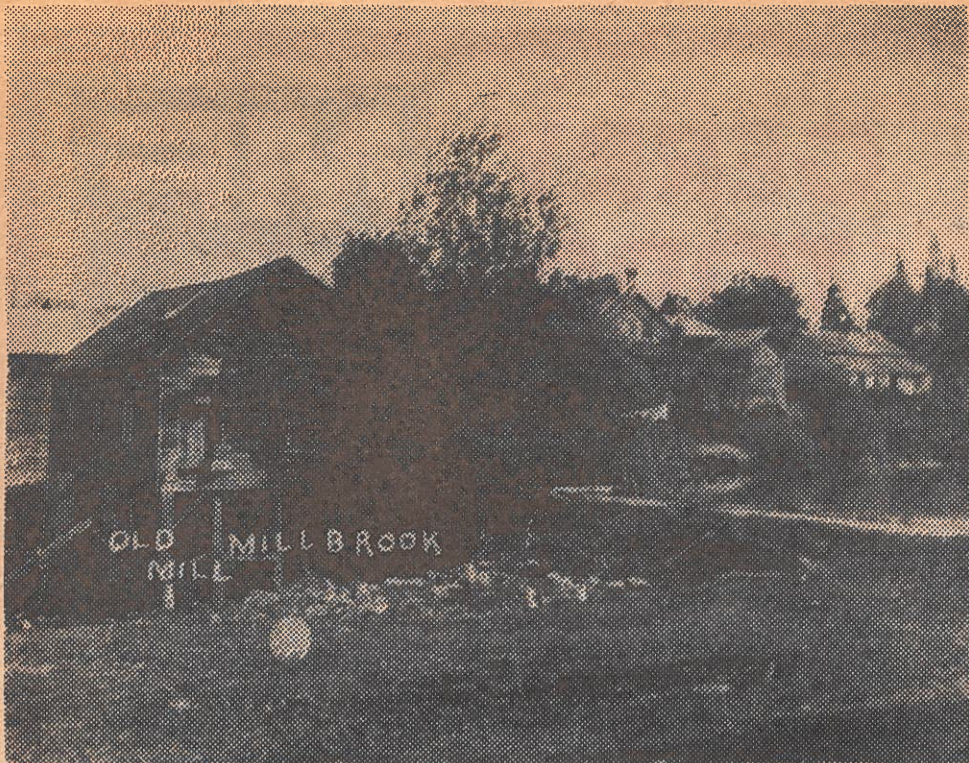
there was a decrease of several hundred people. A company known as the Sowdon Colonization Company and organized by Squire Sowdon, Archibald Wood, T. G. Kells and J. N. Kirchoffer settled a majority of the emigrants at Plum Creek, Manitoba. It was called Millbrook of the west and is now Souris. In 1882 Archibald McBean of Millbrook became leader of another company of emigrants who founded the settlement of Antlers, sixty-five miles west of Souris.

In the year 1876 the greater part of the business section of the village was

destroyed by fire. The fire started in a store on the north side of King Street just east of the Carveth residence (now Mr. Ford's). It destroyed all buildings on the north side of this street and then spread north on Tupper street as far as the Misses Hetherington's home where it crossed the stream and burned all houses as far east as T. C. Kells residence.

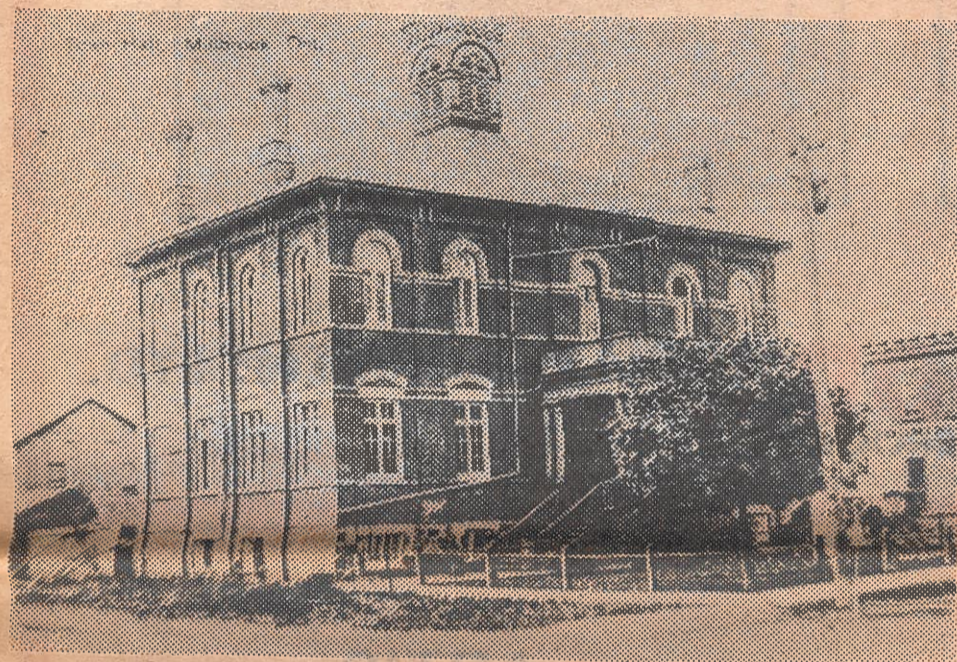
#### WATER

Millbrook is well supplied with water, having twenty artesian wells. Early in the 1880s the water system was installed in the majority of the homes.



## Original Old Mill

Foundation Of Millbrook And Early History



## Town Hall, Millbrook

In Earlier Days Served As The Boarding Quarters For Policemen

## The Waverly Inn

John Gillott, cabinet maker and funeral director built the large white brick block on King St., June 1878, first floor, three stores filled with the choicest furniture, the second and third floors up-to-date apartments. In the year 1914 the building was sold to John C. Kells, and named the Waverly Inn, and occupied by Harry Dunsford and son as a boarding house restaurant and accommodation for travellers. In the year 1916 the building changed hands again and sold to G. W. Sayles for a bakery and restaurant and sold in 1933 to Harold Bigelow, bakery, restaurant and hall for social evenings.

#### SONS OF ENGLAND

Millbrook Lodge was instituted on October 14th, 1898 with W. W. Gillott as President and R. E. Stanton, Secretary. Charter members were Thomas Robinson, Harold Stanton, Walter Brock, W. J. Payne, Amos Wragg, Martin Brock, E. M. Hicks, R. H. Hubbard, Walter Gillott, N. Lamp, G. E. Duncan, George Jackson, Alfred Raper, James Bullied, W. Brown and Bruce McPherson.



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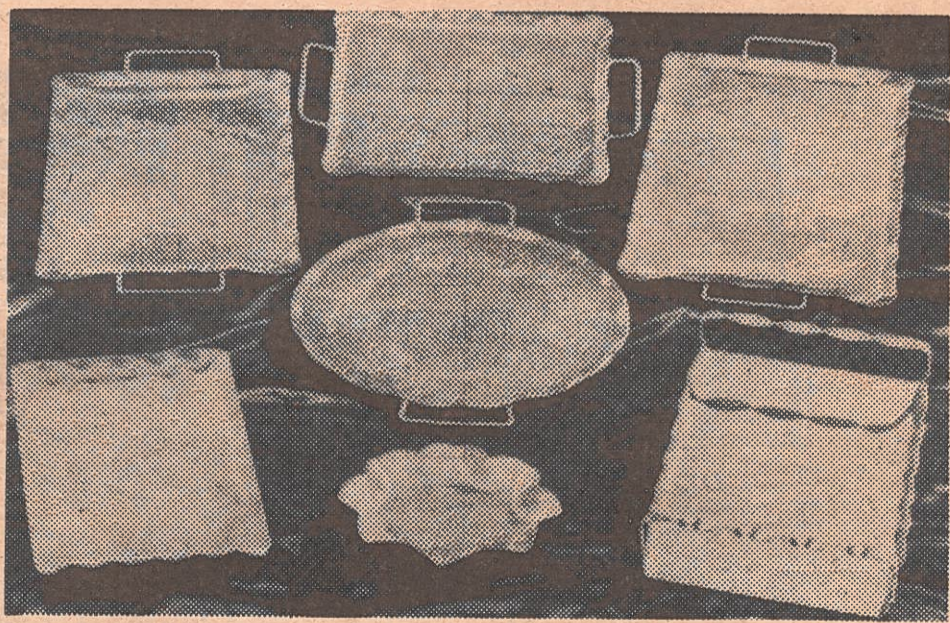
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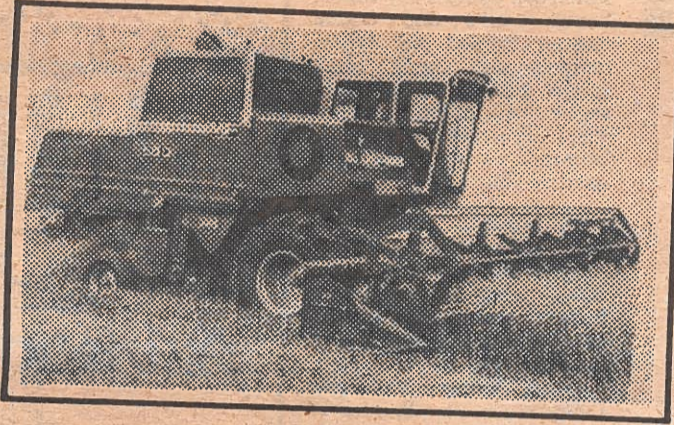
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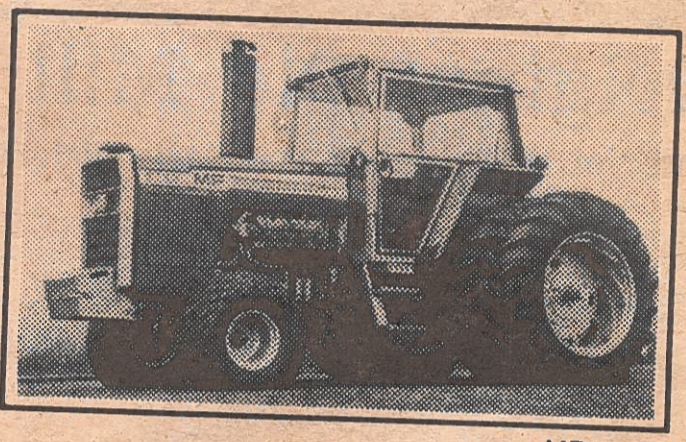
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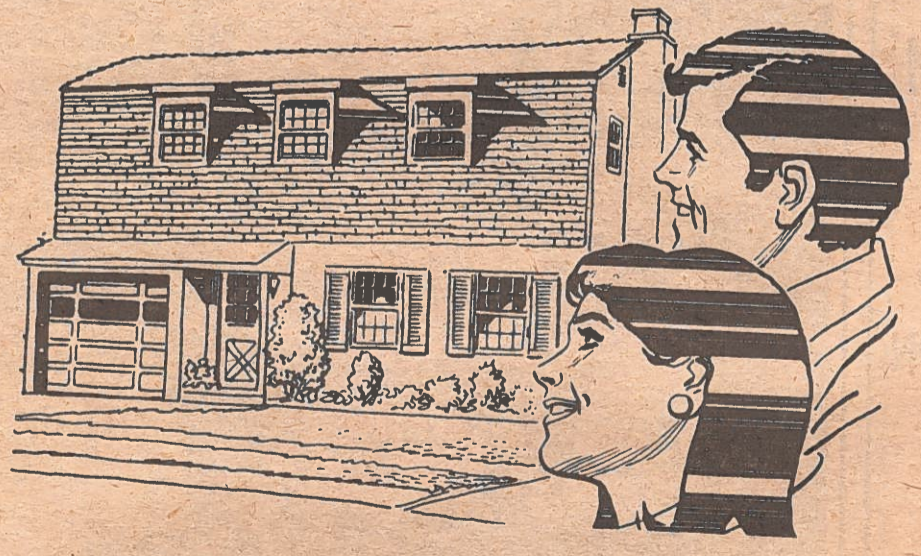
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# An Early History Of Millbrook

## NEWSPAPERS AND EDITORS

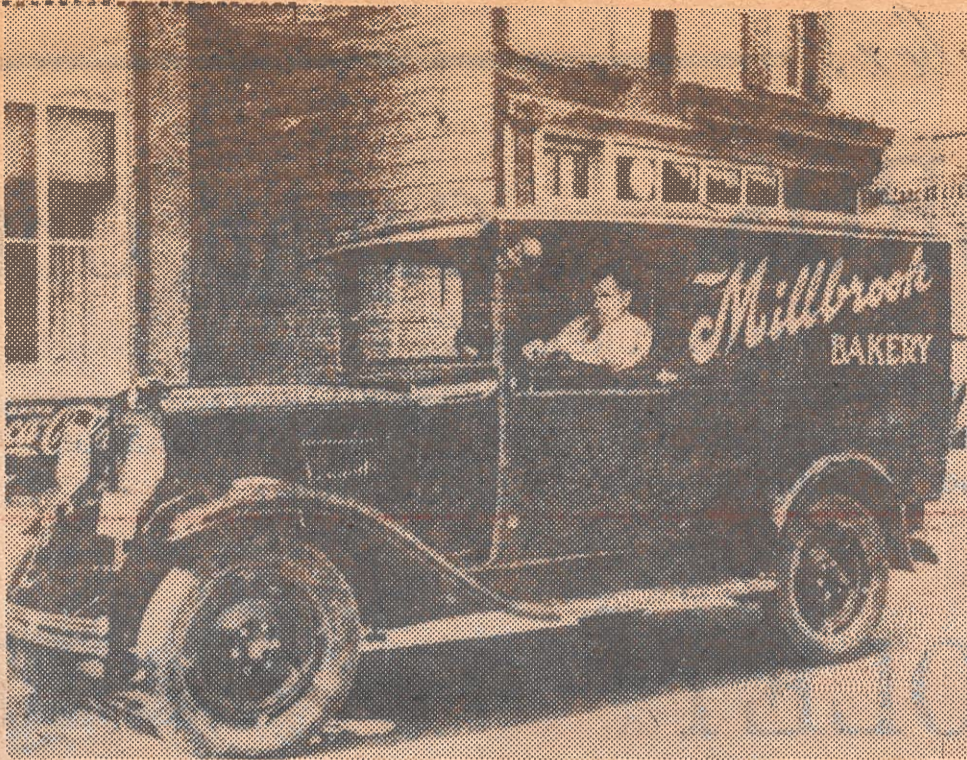
The first newspaper, the Millbrook Messenger, was published in 1862 by Alfred E. Hayter who came from England in 1857. Previous to Mr. Hayter the editor was a Mr. Rogers who had written a very good History of Canada. Succeeding Mr. Hayter as editor was R. R. Elliott; then T. W. Whalley followed by W. S. Given, in whose time the name of the paper was changed to The Millbrook Reporter. After the death of Mr. Give the business was taken over by Charles Richards and Son who changed the name to The Mirror. In 1936 Mr. Richards sold the business to Barringer Bros. of Peterborough and the paper was called Millbrook Mirror-Reporter.

### SIR JOHN A. McDONALD

Millbrook enjoyed the privilege of a visit by the celebrated Statesman Sir John A. McDonald on September 20th, 1877. He was met at the railway station by the band and citizens with flags and banners in welcome and then conveyed to the beautiful grove on Medd's Mountain. The procession was led by John R. Fitzgerald mounted on a white horse and followed by the band. In a carriage and team driven by John Dawson were seated Sir John, John Swain and John Thorn, the two oldest Conservatives of Cavan, and Richard Staples, President of the Conservative Association. On each side of the carriage rode the bodyguards who were George Moffatt, Bob McDonald, John Allen George Wallace and Ab. Hetherington.

### Sports (Continued) From 2A

A curling and skating rink was built on King Street in 1890. Dr. Ough was the first president of the Curling Club and some of the players of those days were: Dr. McKinnon, Albert Elliott, II. M. Wood, J. A. Vance, W. T. Wood, J. W. Walsh, David Hampton, John Steele, George Dean, L. F. Clarry, R. L.O. Lancashire, J. R. Eakins, John Dawson, John Allen, J. C. Kells, Chas Winslow, W. McIntosh, Dr. Nidre, A. A. Smith, George Hetherington, H. B. Allen. The King Street rink was later abandoned and in 1918 a Curling rink was built on Anne Street. Since that date Millbrook curlers have won several important events.



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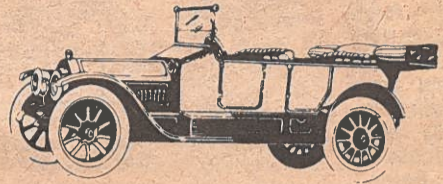
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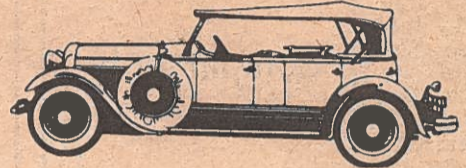
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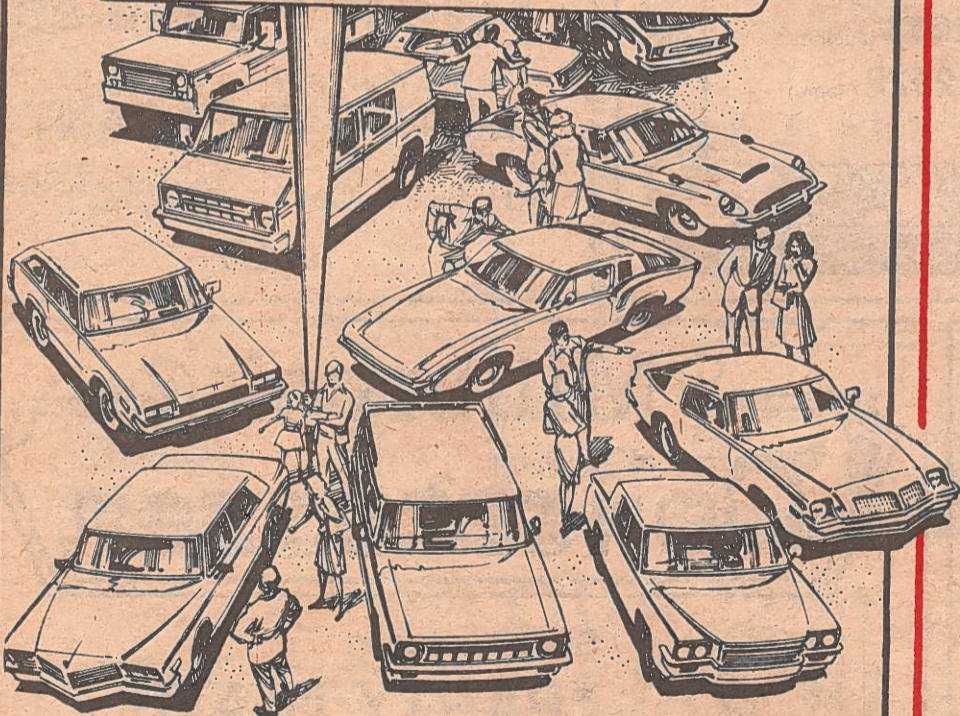
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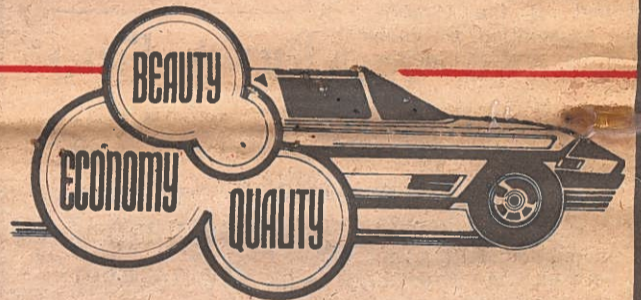


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**1979 FIREBIRD ESPRIT**

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**1978 OLDS-CUTLASS CALAIS**

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## Millbrook Historical Facts

### Private Hospital

In 1915 Dr. H. A. Turner opened a private hospital over his office and drug store, medical, surgical and maternity ward. It closed in 1936. The hospital was supervised by Miss Maud Finemore, Reg. N.

A. T. Armstrong first baby born, 1918, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Armstrong. Last baby born, 1936, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Dawson. There were 350 babies born in the hospital during the twenty years.

### Milk

Since January 1922 milk has been delivered to the citizens by W. I. Larmer and W. J. Fallis. Fully attested Government herds of Holstein and Jersey herds of cattle.

### Creamery

In 1924 the Dominion Hotel was sold to the Jeffrey Bros. of Port Perry (Arthur and Howard Jeffrey). With some repairs they used the building for a creamery and in 1936 the building was taken down and an up-to-date creamery, office, and all necessary equipment on first floor, and two modern apartments on second floor. Mr. T. A. Campbell, contractor.

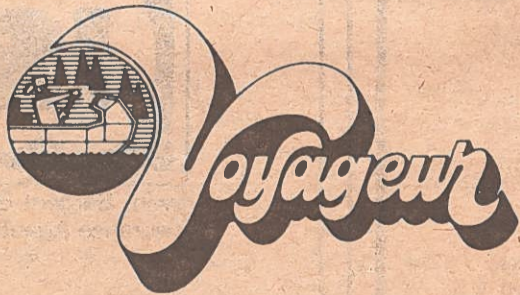
### The Militia in Durham County 1812-1936

The first regiment of Durham Militia May 31, 1793. The central figure in our history is Robert Baldwin, he was Lieutenant of the County and first Colonel of the Militia up until the

year 1825. There was only the 1st Regiment active in Hope, Clark and Darlington townships. The second regiment was organized in 1825 and was localized in Cavan, Emily, Manvers and Cartwright townships.

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Millbrook Town Hall was built in 1877, owned jointly by the Township of Cavan and the Municipality of Millbrook. The Village could boast of a brass band in the early seventies and when the Town Hall was built the citizens and band gave a special concert for all the residents of Millbrook and Area.

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The market for their product is primarily national, although they have and do from time to time ship products to other countries notably south Africa, great Britain and the United States. In Canada, they have gone against the industry trend, nearly all the giftware manufacturers market their products through jobbers or distributors. But Millbrook industries employs its own salesman (or manufactures agents) who call directly on the retail stores from Nanaimo on Vancouver Island in the west, to St. Johns and Cornerbrook in Newfoundland. They carry all Millbrook stock finished in their plants for all Canadian sales.

Their accounts vary from the large departmental store complexes such as Simpsons Sears, Eatons, The Bay, Simpsons, Woodwards etc. In major Canadian cities, to small outposts in the north west territories. Many of their customers are independent business men operating gift, jewellery, and stationary stores in smaller communities.

Millbrook industries, established in 1948, is located on the outskirts of the village of Millbrook. It employs at least 18 people minimum, and during peak season employment will vary between 30 and 40 people. Most of the employees live in Millbrook or on nearby farms.

Their plant is comprised of approximately 6,700 square feet of Manufacturing space and 300 square of office space and showroom. In rectangular terms this is a building about 140 feet long by 50 feet wide. Some of the manufacturing space is devoted to warehousing but the remainder is divided into three shops. The first shop is the forming and fabrication shop, the second is the buffing shop and the third the packing and shipping area.

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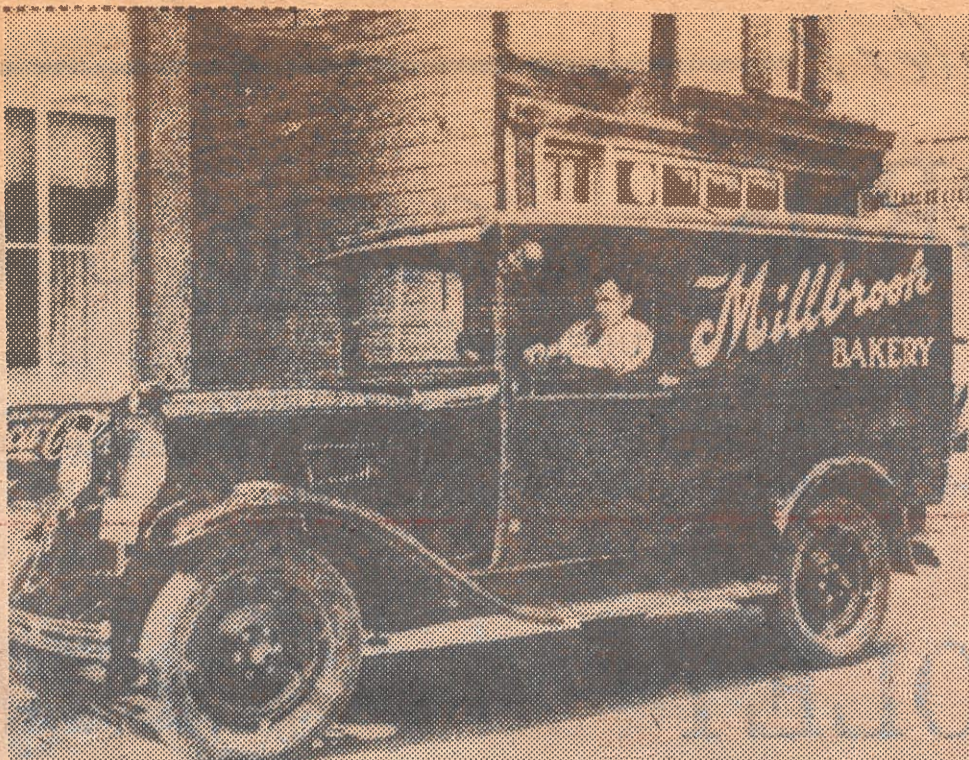
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# An Early History Of Millbrook

## NEWSPAPERS AND EDITORS

The first newspaper, the Millbrook Messenger, was published in 1862 by Alfred E. Hayter who came from England in 1857. Previous to Mr. Hayter the editor was a Mr. Rogers who had written a very good History of Canada. Succeeding Mr. Hayter as editor was R. R. Elliott; then T. W. Whalley followed by W. S. Given, in whose time the name of the paper was changed to The Millbrook Reporter. After the death of Mr. Give the business was taken over by Charles Richards and Son who changed the name to The Mirror. In 1936 Mr. Richards sold the business to Barringer Bros. of Peterborough and the paper was called Millbrook Mirror-Reporter.



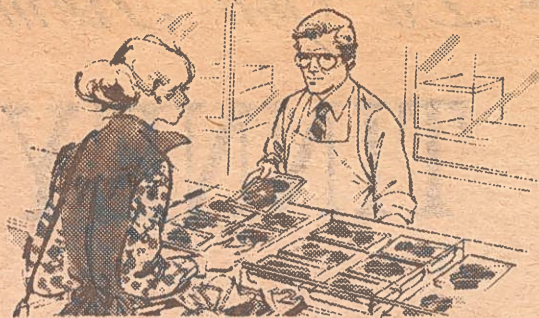
Millbrook Circa 1928. Jean Mitchell, Baker Worked For G. W. Sayles — First Official Baker In Millbrook

### SIR JOHN A. McDONALD

Millbrook enjoyed the privilege of a visit by the celebrated Statesman Sir John A. McDonald on September 20th, 1877. He was met at the railway station by the band and citizens with flags and banners in welcome and then conveyed to the beautiful grove on Medd's Mountain. The procession was led by John R. Fitzgerald mounted on a white horse and followed by the band. In a carriage and team driven by John Dawson were seated Sir John, John Swain and John Thorn, the two oldest Conservatives of Cavan, and Richard Staples, President of the Conservative Association. On each side of the carriage rode the bodyguards who were George Moffatt, Bob McDonald, John Allen George Wallace and Ab. Hetherington.

### Sports (Continued) From 2A

A curling and skating rink was built on King Street in 1890. Dr. Ough was the first president of the Curling Club and some of the players of those days were: Dr. McKinnon, Albert Elliott, II. M. Wood, J. A. Vance, W. T. Wood, J. W. Walsh, David Hampton, John Steele, George Dean, L. F. Clarry, R. LO. Lancashire, J. R. Eakins, John Dawson, John Allen, J. C. Kells, Chas Winslow, W. McIntosh, Dr. Nidre, A. A. Smith, George Hetherington, H. B. Allen. The King Street rink was later abandoned and in 1918 a Curling rink was built on Anne Street. Since that date Millbrook curlers have won several important events.



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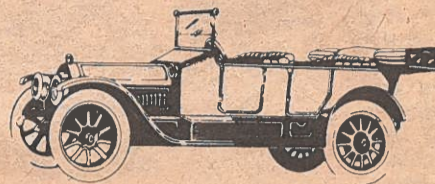
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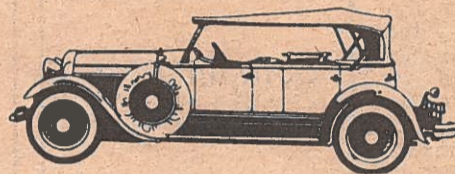
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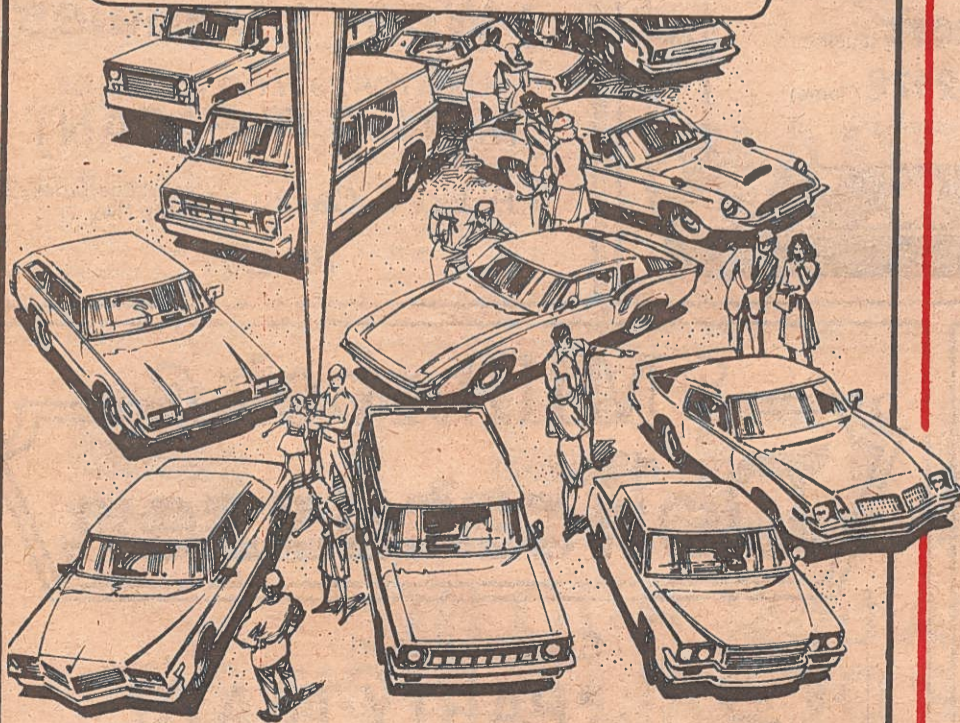
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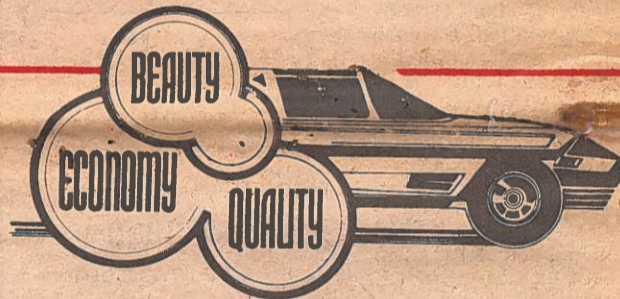


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