

### SOUTHWEST OXFORD

MAYOR — George F. Jakeman, John J. Nardalin.

COUNCILLOR-AT-LARGE (one to be elected) — Howard Cook, Norman Paton.

COUNCIL - WARD 1 (Southwest of Dereham, one elected) — Fred Franklin (accl.)

WARD 2 (Southeast of Dereham, one to be elected) — Ronald Keller, Frank Lohuis.

WARD 3 (northwest of Dereham, one to be elected) — Walter La Rose, Walter Wilson.

WARD 4 (northeast of Dereham, one to be elected) — Don Esseltine, William Fewster, George Nagle, Cecil Prouse, Charlie Shelton.

WARD 5 (west of West Oxford, one elected) — Cecil Wilson (accl.)

WARD 6 (east of West Oxford, one elected) — James Brown (accl.)

WARD 7 (Beachville, one elected) — Jim Riddicks (accl.)

### OXFORD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

WOODSTOCK (three elected) — Earl E. Church, Allison M. Hart, Gerry Wormald (accl.)

INGERSOLL (one elected) — Barry Hunt (accl.)

TILLSONBURG (one to be elected) — Matthew Alabastine, Gordon L. Deli, Paul W. Edgeworth.

BLANDFORD-BLENHEIM (two to be elected) — Gow Harvey, Andy Jarzebiak, Ralph J. Sparkes.

EAST ZORRA-TAVISTOCK (one elected) — John E. King (accl.)

NORTHWEST (North Nizorra, Thames or Zorra) (two to be elected) — Dr. W. John Dingwall, Audrey Gordon, N. Bruce McLeod, Wes Wallace.

NORWICH (two to be elected) — Jim Alexander, Muriel Bishop, William F. Hogg.

SOUTH-WEST OXFORD (two to be elected) — Murray Hutcheson, Leonard Reeves, Lawrence Stoakley.

WOODSTOCK SEPARATE SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE (one to be elected) — Jack F. Doyle, W. A. Thompson.

OXFORD SEPARATE SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE (one elected) — John Newman, Ingersoll, (accl.)

### OXFORD COUNTY ROMAN CATHOLIC SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD

WOODSTOCK (4 elected) — James P. Copeland, Helen Gyurki, William Pargeter, Lloyd Zinger (accl.)

INGERSOLL (1 elected) — Albert Boniface (accl.)

TILLSONBURG (two to be elected) — Ben VanDerGriendt, Frank J. Welsh (accl.)

BLANDFORD-BLENHEIM (1 to be elected) — Allan L. Masson (accl.)

NORWICH (2 elected) — Charles Mahu, Lawrence Trepanier (accl.)

SOUTH-WEST OXFORD (1 elected) — Maurice Benjamin (accl.)

EAST ZORRA, TAVISTOCK and NORTH-WEST (1 elected) — Harry Vader (accl.)

## 15 municipalities gone but names will live on

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### Free Press Woodstock Bureau

WOODSTOCK — The names of 15 rural Oxford County municipalities will live on in the registry office although they will be officially phased out of existence Jan. 1, 1975, with county restructuring.

Reeve Hartwell Baigent of North Oxford Township, which will become part of Zorra Township, told county councillors Tuesday that no provision has been made to change the designation of properties in the registry office or on a map.

He suggested North Oxford might be identified as the North Oxford District of the new municipality of Zorra Township.

Warden Perry Sibbick, reeve of Blenheim Township, which will become Blenheim-Blandford Township, said the names will remain the same at the registry office "but what takes place in the future, I don't know."

Gerry R. Staples, Oxford County clerk-treasurer, said there are still parts of Woodstock identified at the registry offices as part of West Oxford resulting from previous annexations.

"The registry office is pretty slow in getting around to changing things," Mr. Staples said. "It is a tremendous task to research all the properties and it would probably cost half a million dollars."

Reeve Robert Matheson of West Zorra Township suggested Concession 3 of West Zorra automatically become Concession 3 of

Ward 5. The wards will have to be learned, he suggested.

It will take a generation or two to get away from the names, Warden Sibbick suggested.

Reeve William Ducklow of Tavistock said a recommendation can be forwarded to next year's restructured county council that the name of the existing townships be used for specific geographic locations.

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# Oxford advance poll Saturday

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WOODSTOCK — Voters unable to cast ballots Oct. 7 in municipal elections in Oxford will be able to vote Saturday from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Elections are being held for council in eight municipalities in the new restructured county government. Elected officials will take office Jan. 1.

The new municipality of Southwest Oxford is the only one with more than one advance poll location — at the existing municipal offices at Beachville, Folden's Corners and Dereham Centre.

Woodstock has its advance poll at City Hall, Tillsonburg at the fire hall and Ingersoll at its municipal office.

The new municipality of Blandford-Blenheim Township has its advance poll at the Blenheim Township office at Drumbo; East Zorra-Tavistock Township at the East Zorra Township office at Hickson; Norwich Township at the existing North Norwich Township office, just north of Norwich; and the unnamed municipality in the northwest of the county at the Masonic Hall behind the East Nissouri Township office in Kintore.

Residents in East Nissouri Township,

Thamesford, North Oxford Township, West Zorra Township and Embro will also be selecting a name for a new municipality from three proposed names — West Nizorra, Thames and Zorra.

About 56,000 voters are eligible to vote in the election in which 118 candidates are seeking 61 positions for councils and Oxford County board of education. Positions on the Oxford County Roman Catholic separate school board were filled by acclamation.

Each municipality, with the exception of Ingersoll, has a mayoralty campaign. Mayor Gordon Henry won by acclamation Sept. 16.