



**CONTRACT FOR \$802,280.08** was signed Wednesday evening of last week by officials of the County of Halton and architects Shore and Moffat, for the construction of a 132-bed addition to Halton Centennial Manor, Milton. Alf Tilbey, right, represented the company while Warden John A. Milne signed for the County. Looking on at left are manor superintendent Stanley Allen and county clerk Garfield Brown, while in the rear are Reeves John Goy of Acton, Doug Sargent of Georgetown and George Currie of Esquesing, all members of the manor board. Board chairman Reeve William Card of Oakville was absent for the ceremony. Work is to begin immediately and is expected to be completed by February 1, 1960.



**HALTON FIREMEN** took a night off to relax on Friday and enjoyed a dinner, dancing and cards at the annual Halton Mutual Aid Fire Services Association banquet in Milton fire hall. The Milton firemen's ladies' auxiliary catered and about 100 were on hand for dancing later. All brigades were represented and Warden John Milne was chairman for the banquet. Shown during a friendly game of euchre are vice-president Mutual Aid Jack Harlow and his wife, Mutual Aid president, Grant Bray and his wife, Acton chief Jack Newton and his wife and Social Chairman A. E. Clement and wife.

### Review Plant O.K. Schedule

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Holiday periods shall be at the discretion of the commission. All employees will be given the opportunity of presenting three choices for their holidays, and the allotment of the specific time shall be at the discretion of the commission. All supervisory personnel shall report to the chairman when leaving on holidays and immediately on return.

Holiday schedules must be in the hands of the commission by May 1 of each year and the holiday periods shall be from June 1 to November 30 of each year.

The following accounts were approved for payment:

Waterworks Accounts	
Thompson Motors	8.85
Canadian Brass Ltd.	24.25
Blackwood Lame Co.	0.00
Niptone Motors Ltd.	129.00
	177.40
Hydro Accounts	
Petty cash	33.27
J. B. Wood, insurance	25.01
Thompson Motors	5.55
H. G. Barlow Co.	32.70
Dunroths Ltd.	271.00
F. Terry, postmaster	100.00
G. H. Wood Co.	37.88
Jensen Electric, Man.	5.17
H.E.P.C. of Ont.	100.13
Toronto Star Ltd., adv.	47.00
	699.13
Sewerage Accounts	
F. Toth, books	7.35
Harlock Schultz Co.	91.07
Sanfax Co.	201.50
	299.92

### Board Lowers Budget

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Members agreed to think it over before making any decision.

In his report to the board, Principal G. McKenzie of the Robert Little school asked that an orientation week for new teachers be held before the fall term starts this year. On the initiative of trustee Tom Watson, the board carried a resolution that travelling expenses and board be paid for the eight new teachers during an orientation week to acquaint them with staff procedure.

Mr. McKenzie informed trustees that both rural and urban North Halton Music Festivals would be held in the Robert Little school auditorium in April. He also asked permission to salvage several pieces of old blackboard from the building to be torn down.

**Creates Confusion**  
A discussion on the present method of procuring supplies for caretakers and the confusion it was creating prompted the board to pass a resolution requiring all caretakers' supplies to be requisitioned by the caretaker and principal before being given to the board for approval.

Trustees turned down Principal E. Smith's request for four tables and 18 chairs for reading purposes in the M. Z. Bennett school, explaining they must co-operate with council by cutting out all frills in their budget.

Supplies to the value of \$1,794.31 for the Robert Little school and \$1,300 for the M. Z. Bennett school were received and accounts passed for payment.

Press representatives were asked to leave before a highly confidential report from the inspectors on the M. Z. Bennett school was read to the board.

### Cancer Society Campaign Nears

A total of 2,601 cancer dressings have been provided to patients by the North Halton Unit of the Canadian Cancer Society, officials reported this week as they completed plans for the approaching campaign. It was also pointed out that transportation assistance has been given as well as a program of research which the local unit has supported with \$4,500. Present campaign plans call for the distribution of literature on cancer in an effort to increase the awareness of citizens toward the disease, and also to collect donations to assist in the continuation of the work.

### Music Festivals In Acton, District

There's plenty of harmony in the public schools these days. The cause: the upcoming county music festival. Here in the north there are both urban and rural festivals. The urban festival will be held all day long at the Robert Little school on Wednesday, April 22, followed by an evening's program here on Friday, April 24. Adjudicators will be Keith Barber of Georgetown and Dr. G. Roy Fenwick of Toronto. Rural contestants will start with two preliminary competitions at Knox church hall, Georgetown and Brookville Hall on Tuesday, April 14. Adjudicators will be Miss Monica Barnard, Oakville and K. Asher, Oakville.

The final will be held on Tuesday, April 21, at the Robert Little school with E. J. Ferguson of Baden as adjudicator.

Viscount Mack, Canada's first Governor General, continued in office for only one year after 1867; he had been Governor-General of British North America for the seven years preceding Confederation.



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