

Site chosen in central Oakville for Sheridan Community College

Sheridan College of Applied Arts and Technology will definitely be located in Oakville, on Trafalgar Road immediately north of Queen Elizabeth Highway, J.A. Turner, chairman of the Board of Governors for the college announced at a press conference in Cooksville Monday morning.

Mr. Turner said the announcement of the location for the site had been withheld until all the land had been optioned. He explained the information had been withheld from the press until a leak occurred and the story was published last week. The information had been withheld to protect the taxpayers when it came time to buy the land.

The site is 140 acres of scenic wooded land on a hill across the road from Oakville's new municipal administration building and police headquarters. It includes the former Wallace estate. The site overlooks the Queen Elizabeth Highway, and lies south of the proposed Highway 403.

Although the first phase of construction is being built to accommodate 2,000-3,500 students, Mr. Turner felt the college would expand to accommodate closer to 5,000 day students and probably 10,000 extension students within five years of completion of the first phase of the building.

Oakville Mayor MacLean Anderson pointed out the setting for the school with its wood area, waterfall and pond in the southern portion of the 140 acre parcel had the potential for a unique

college in a rustic setting. He added the site would have excellent accessibility.

The school could be reached by way of the Q.E.W., Highway 403, and Trafalgar Road as well as the "Go" Transit line.

John Porter, president of the existing college in Brampton, said the site would serve both Halton and Peel counties better if it were situated in Oakville because of the central location lending itself to increased accessibility.

Mr. Turner did not rule out the possibility of a second community college serving the northern section of Halton and Peel counties, following the construction of the first one. "We will continue to study population trends and see what they tell us," he said.

Although he would give no exact or close estimate of the cost of the building, Mr. Turner has offered a guess that the cost would exceed \$10,000,000.

"The site of the new College is ideally located to serve the needs of the thousands of students who will attend. The road structure, bus and "Go Train" facilities, density of population and the close proximity to the Sheridan Park Research Centre were important factors in determining the permanent site for the college," Mr. Turner said.

At its next meeting, the Board of Governors will appoint an architectural firm to plan and develop the college campus.

Sheridan College of Applied Arts and Technology is unique in that the Ontario School of Design is affiliated with it. This means that the new campus complex will include all the facilities for the Applied Arts and Technology branches as well as a building and residence for the Ontario School of Design. It is expected that a construction of the new buildings will commence in the spring of 1969.

In the meantime, Sheridan College will carry on its program in Brampton and Lorne Park. On the main campus in Brampton, in the newly renovated college building, courses in Applied Arts and Technology are offered. The Ontario School of Design is in full operation in the College buildings in Lorne Park.

The official opening of the college will be held in Brampton, November 15 in conjunction with the installation of the President. This ceremony will be open to the public and there will be a second ceremony when the new school is built.

Right now, 29 students from north Halton are attending the college's temporary site at Brampton.

Proposal to merge A.P. Green Company

Stockholders of A.P. Green Refractories Co. will vote on a proposal to merge that Company into United States Gypsum Company at a special meeting to be held at Mexico, Mo., at 11 a.m. November 22. It is stated in a proxy notice in the mail to stockholders. Stockholders of record on Oct. 13 will be entitled to vote. The proposed merger has previously been approved by directors of both companies.

After consummation of the merger A.P. Green Refractories Co. will be operated as a wholly-owned subsidiary of U.S. Gypsum. William S. Lowe, President of A.P. Green, will become a member of the Gypsum Board of Directors.

Under terms of the merger, holders of A.P. Green common stock will receive one share of new \$1.80 cumulative convertible preferred stock of Gypsum for each share of Green common. Holders of Green 5 per cent cumulative preferred stock will receive for each share held by them 2.78 shares of the new Gypsum preferred stock. Cash at the rate of \$36 per share will be paid holders of Green preferred by Gypsum in lieu of issuing fractional shares of its preferred stock. Holders of the new Gypsum preferred stock will be entitled to cumulative dividends at the rate of \$1.80 per share per year and may at any time convert their shares into Gypsum common on the basis of .45 of a share of common for each share of preferred converted. The new Gypsum preferred will have voting rights of .45 of a vote per share.

Gypsum's new preferred shares will be subject to redemption, at the option of Gypsum, on and after Jan. 1, 1974, at \$38 per share, the redemption price declining 50 cents a year thereafter until it reaches \$36 a share. These shares will have a par value of \$1, but holders will have preferential liquidation rights in the amount of \$36 per share.

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READYING THE FIRST TANK of water to make this season's ice at the community centre arena Saturday. The arena is spic and span. (Staff Photo)

Discuss straightening of county's sideroad

Three representatives of Campbellville Gravel Supply Ltd. attended a special meeting of Nassagaweya Council Monday evening to meet with assistant engineer Paul Stevens.

Mr. Stevens, Council and the landowners, including D. MacArthur, H. MacArthur and W. Davies, studied detailed plans for the straightening of No. 5 sideroad (County No. 9) directly east of Campbellville.

Rough estimates of land acquisitions necessary for the project include 6.26 acres from Campbellville Gravel Supply 3.88 acres from Tullis Estates, 2.98 acres from Van Herman, and 2.16 acres from the Ontario Department of Highways. A total of over 16 acres is needed.

Negotiations will begin with landowners shortly, at an offered price of \$300 per acre.

Council went into committee of the whole to discuss the content of three by-laws, numbered 2367, 2467 and 2567.

By-law 2567 was passed and gave the road department a supplementary \$3,000 in expenditures on maintenance.

By-laws 2367 and 2467 were amendments to earlier by-laws naming Fred Benson as planning

board and committee of adjustment member.

Murry Mahon was appointed to replace Mr. Benson on the township planning board while Douglas Beatty, already a member of the board was named to the committee of adjustment.

All three new by-laws were passed upon reopening of the meeting.

Committee of adjustment, which met Thursday, approved land separation applications from Edward J. Parsons and Miss Margaret Hubbard, but refused one from Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence on several grounds, including lack of sufficient area and frontage on the property.

Halton County Road committee will investigate means of improving visibility at the intersection of County Road No. One (the Guelph Line) and Nassagaweya Sideroad No. 30.

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Juveniles charged for garage theft

Three juveniles are to be charged in connection with break enter and theft last week from Green's Service Station in Campbellville, the Milton detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police reported.

Also among the 48 general offences reported this week are one female person charged with possession of stolen goods in the Woodstock area, one person charged with driving while impaired, and one person charged under the Liquor Control Act. The detachment recovered one stolen vehicle for another department. Several reports of mailboxes being broken into are being investigated.

Causes of the three personal

injury accidents in the past week are listed as failure to give the right of way, inattentive driving and driver loss of control. There were five property damage accidents and three personal damage accidents resulting in \$7,330.00 and four persons were injured. Five charges were laid as a result of these accidents. There were 125 convictions in magistrates court.

During the week of Oct. 15 - 21 inclusive personnel of Milton Detachment worked a total of 741 hours and patrolled 5,722 miles on area highways. As a result of patrol 25 charges were preferred, 34 traffic warnings were issued and 17 vehicles were safely checked.

Urge parents supervise child's Hallowe'en fun

Hallowe'en night is fun for the youngsters, but parents received a warning this week from Halton Fire Prevention Bureau about the fire hazards that can ruin the celebration.

The Bureau suggests that with proper parental supervision, Hallowe'en can still be a lot of fun. But your children should be warned of the hazards that exist.

Use a battery-powered light or flashlight instead of an open candle to light up your Jack-o-lantern, the Bureau suggests. Don't let your children play with matches, and make sure they wear fireproof costumes. These warnings are featured in the Bureau's Hallowe'en poster, being distributed throughout the county this month.

Other hints for a safer Hallowe'en:

Small youngsters going "trick-or-treating" should be accompanied by an adult or older brother or sister says the Bureau. Make sure the children wear masks and costumes that do not obstruct their visibility. And try to choose a light-colored costume. A child with restricted visibility, a dark colored costume and a busy road are the main ingredients for a "witch's brew of Hallowe'en trouble."

Don't leave a bonfire burning in the evening. Someone is sure to stumble into it during the exciting night of gathering treats. Older children should restrict their "trickin'" to harmless pranks, as Hallowe'en night is so

excuse for the costly vandalism and property damage that has marred the occasion in previous years.

"PASS THE APPLES"

When every pool in Eden was a mirror That unto Eve her dainty charms proclaimed She went undraped without a single fear, or Thought she had need to be ashamed. 'Twas only when she'd eaten of the apple That she became inclined to be a prude And found that evermore she'd have to grapple With the much debated problem of the nude. Thereafter she devoted her attention, Her time and money to her clothes And that was the beginning of convention And modesty as well, I do suppose. Reactions came about in fashions recent Now girls conceal so little from the men It would seem, in the name of all that's decent, Someone ought to pass the apples round again.

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--The Y program is running well with good attendance.

--Last week's frost finished off the flowers for the year.

--Teachers' convention Friday so the public school students get an extra holiday.

--Arrangements are being made for Remembrance Day services at Acton, Haltonville and Rockwood. The Chorallers will be singing at Brookville and Erin.

--The boys who've signed up for the job of cleaning store windows the morning after Hallowe'en are encouraging their friends to go easy with the soap this year!

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Golden Age Club already planning for Christmas

The ever forward-looking Golden Age Club are making plans for their annual Christmas Turkey dinner on Dec. 1 in the St. Alban's Parish Hall with the Ladies' Guild of the Anglican Church catering. Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Hargrave and Mrs. Winn were appointed as committee to look after the selling of tickets and contacting all the members.

The rhythm band has been practicing their numbers for the Zone Rally to be held Nov. 22 in Georgetown and they played some old favorites as a sort of preview with some new "instruments" recently purchased and contributed much to the pleasure of the evening and the audience felt their part of the rally program would go well when the time comes to present it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carpenter and Mr. Roher were introduced by Mrs. Fryer and they put on a variety program with guitar and banjo music and songs. Mr. Carpenter took tape recordings of some of the voices and played back a hilarious "Question - and - Answers" surprise.

It is hoped these busy versatile folk will find time to come again.

Mrs. Ferguson was convener for a nice lunch. It was decided to buy a coffee maker and a tea pot to make it easier for those helping in the kitchen.

Mrs. Hargrave is lunch convener for November with helpers Mrs. McCutcheon, Mrs. McAulley, Mrs. Shoemaker, Mrs. Creasey, Mrs. McHugh, Mrs. Warne, Mr. Warne and Mr. Creasey.

"Happy Birthday" was sung for Mrs. J. Lambert, Mrs. Fryer and Mr. Cutts. Mr. and Mrs. Cutts' wedding anniversary comes in October also.

Mrs. Nelson of Warkworth, Ont. and Mrs. Clifford Dismore of Chesley, Ont. were welcomed visitors.

Mrs. Gladys Wedge is still in hospital and many are hoping to cheer her up with cards. Her

address for some time will be: Chedoke General Hospital, Sanitorium Rd., Hamilton, Ontario.

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