



**OFFICERS INSTALLED** at Walker Lodge for 1968. Front row, left to right, Wor. Bro. E. G. Franklin, Immediate Past Master; Wor. Bro. C. D. Anderson, Installing Master; Wor. Bro. George Lee, Master; Bro. V. J. Patrick, Junior Warden. Second row, Wor. Bro. R. H. Elliott, Treasurer; V. Wor. Bro. H. L. Ritchie, Secretary; Bro. D. W. Van Fleet, Senior Warden; V. Wor. Bro. L. Lovell; Bro. Ray Mason, Senior Steward. Back row, Bro. M. Blow, Junior Steward; Wor. Bro. T. S. Newton, Director of Ceremonies; Bro. Alf Duby, Senior Deacon; Bro. Cal. McIntyre, Organist; Bro. C. L. Rogivaldson, Junior Deacon. (Staff Photo)

## Reports from boards, committees given at Nassagaweya meet

Reports from several committees and boards highlighted the year-end meeting of Nassagaweya Township Council.

Unable to attend due to illness, Duncan Moffat mailed a written report on the Acton High School Board.

The board had a 1967 operating budget of \$335,456, with Nassagaweya's cost averaging out to about \$269 per pupil annually.

Maurice Newton, representing the township planning board, noted that body received two resignations during the year from chairman Fred Benson, due to business reasons, and Grant Campbell, because of his health.

At present they have \$1,542.63 cash on hand, with an outstanding debt to Project Planning Associates of \$3,430.28.

An official plan was finalized during the past year, and the zoning by-law is almost completed, but there are still matters for clarification from Project Planning and the Ontario Municipal Association.

Two representatives were sent to meetings of the County Planning Association to discuss such issues as 10-acre lots.

Mr. Newton noted during 1968 the board plans to give attention to several issues, including allowance for roads on land separations, clarification of the authority in charge of exacting retribution for land separations, the review of Nassagaweya's rather stringent subdivision by-law, and establishment of a policy on the oddly shaped pieces of land left when crossroads and S-bends are straightened by roadwork.

The chairman also suggested the planning board could use better office accommodations for records and maps.

Committees of adjustment received 14 applications, one of which has been deferred until confirmation of the zoning by-law. Of the remaining 13, seven were approved and six were denied.

Nassagaweya School Board attendance officer Stan Norris, reported he made three calls during the past year.

It was later noted in correspondence appointment of a school attendance councillor will be up to the school area board, rather than council, beginning in 1968.

Roove William Coulter thanked Mr. Norris for his work.

A report on Acton Fire Area Board, which held only one meeting during the past year, was given by Jack Milne. The three-year agreement between Nassagaweya and the board expires at the end of this year.

Horace Blythe, representing the Nassagaweya Area Public School Board, reported the group has had a busy year.

Mr. Blythe arrived at the meeting immediately after touring the Brookville Public School addition with architects.

Hardtop paving will be done in spring, and another bus will be added January 1 to supplement the crowded transportation facilities presently used.

Although it was hoped building of the addition would negate the use of portable classrooms, one has already been pressed back into service to accommodate the load of pupils.

All rooms within the school, including two opportunity classes of 16 students each, are filled to capacity.

Since 1968 will be the last year the board is an independent body, Mr. Blythe suggested choosing of a site for a new school in the Campbellville area should be done soon.

## Former resident dies at 86 years

Charlotte Marsh, widow of the late John Thomas Marsh, of 15 Conway Road, Toronto 18, passed away at Green Acres, Newmarket, on December 29. She had been ill for the past four years and was 86 years of age.

She is survived by daughter Mrs. Gwyn Broughton, 15 Conway Road, Toronto; brother William, Walsall, England; sisters Mrs. Florence Holmes, Acton; Mrs. Emily Lloyd, Leicestershire, England; Mrs. Elizabeth Baggett, Yorkshire, England; one grandson, David Broughton, and great-grandchildren Kathleen and Auralie.

She was born at Walsall, England in 1881 and came to Canada in 1904, living in Acton from then until 1924 when they moved to Toronto.

Rev. R. McMurray conducted the funeral service in Acton on Jan. 2, and interment was in Park Lawn cemetery, Toronto.

The last couple of days of centennial year finally produced several requests to continue the "Centennial Picture Gallery" on the editorial page. So we'll keep it up as long as the pictures last, but we'd be pleased to receive some more. We'd like some groups such as school classes, and maybe more pictures of the district.

Deputy-Reeve William Hooy, congratulated Mr. Blythe and his board for keeping close to their budget for 1967.

Correspondence was received from Royal City Ambulance, suggesting the township discuss with them establishment of an ambulance contract.

Nassagaweya will have one citizen named by council for a Centennial award.

Clark J.C. McIntyre will reply to the letter received, noting the township cannot possibly choose a suitable person and have the answer back to Ottawa by the end of 1967 as requested.

The recipient of the medal will be announced at some later date.

Read superintendent Grant McMillan reported the committee has a new sander ready for operation on Nassagaweya roads.

A by-law to authorize issuance of debentures of \$283,000 for the addition to Brookville Public School was passed, plus another, to fulfill the requirement of the Emergency Measures Act in regards to mutual aid and service in event of national disaster.

Council entered committee of the whole to study a report from the committee meeting of the personnel and office administration staff. Minutes of this meeting were amended.

The Reeve and treasurer were authorized to pay all road and general accounts on or before the year's end.

Mr. McIntyre was instructed to arrange a meeting with the Minister of Municipal Affairs to ascertain the cause of the delay in approving Nassagaweya's official plan and zoning by-law and to discuss recommendations concerning amendments to the planning act.

Halt County Jail Governor G. Ryder reports a Christmas dinner of roast turkey with all the trimmings was enjoyed by the prisoners.

**NOTICE**

May I take this opportunity to thank all in this area whom I have had the privilege of serving as a full-time dental surgeon during the past 43 years. The time has come when I must limit my practice to exodontia (extractions) and prosthetics (dentures) beginning January 1, 1968.

Your co-operation and understanding of this restricted practice will be appreciated.

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**DR. ALLAN J. RUCHANAN**

## Board rescinds original motion

The case arose of an experienced supply teacher who taught 17 consecutive school days in November and December.

The increase in the daily rate brings this aspect of salary in line.

Since the new chairman made the motion, he vacated the chair and the meeting was briefly chaired by Mr. Bristol.

As the veteran secretary insisted on procedural correctness, Mr. Bishop mused, "I didn't last in the chair long!"

Board representatives will attend meetings of the Canada Tax Foundation at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, January 12 and 13. Members expect to benefit from meetings on financing and to learn about the tax structure of the new area board.

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## Order new compressor for community centre

Acton Parks and Recreation committee, plagued by a sick refrigeration plant at the community centre, decided to "go for the bundle" and order a new compressor to replace the existing one at a special meeting of the two-hatted board last Wednesday night.

Cost of the new machine, ordered from J. L. Wilson Co. in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is \$5,750.

Chairman John Goy, authorized to do the buying, ordered the machine last Friday morning.

Area manager Harold Townsley hopes the new compressor is already on its way to replace its broken-down predecessor.

The committee met with John Wilson, a consultant from Wilson and Co., refrigeration plant specialists, at the emergency

meeting. Mrs. Wilson described the extensive and expensive repairs necessary to repair the old machine.

The machine would have to be moved to the company work shop for repairs, he said. Estimated cost for the repair job was \$1,500. Townsley said the refrigeration expert, there was no guarantee it would work properly. The machine would require a new piston, work on the sleeves and refacing of the head as well as any other damage which could have been done inside.

The compressor, part of a package deal bought from a brewing company when the arena was renovated, was already 12 years old when it came here.

Mr. Goy reminded his fellow committee members. It has operated in Acton for the past seven years.

The board was faced with the alternative of buying a new machine and putting the refrigeration plant in working order within two weeks or having the old one repaired and perhaps waiting as long as two months before repairs were made.

The committee visualized the effect a long wait for the repair job could have on the arena program before deciding on a new compressor. Also considered was the trade-in value of the present machine. According to Mr. Wilson, was worthless to his firm.

The new compressor, unlike the old one which required attention every time it burped, will come equipped with the latest in automatic controls. If it was ordered by Dec. 29 it would beat a projected price hike.

The committee's decision was unanimous.

In the same vein, the committee left a decision in area manager Townsley's hands as to whether the present 50 h.p. motor could be repaired or it would be necessary to buy a new one. Department of Labor regulations require a 24 hour watch over the present 75 h.p. motor and the committee elected to replace it with a 50 h.p. size so they would comply with regulations.

## Acton mayor at Mississauga

In his capacity as town and village president of the Ontario Municipal Association, Acton mayor Les Duby will attend the inaugural ceremonies for the new city of Mississauga on Friday, Jan. 12.

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## \$75 damage parked car

A hit and run accident occurred December 31, on Church St. when a parked car owned by Lloyd Murr received \$75 damage.

Mr. Murr heard the crash but by the time he reached his car the damage was done and the other vehicle had disappeared from sight.

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