

TWO OF NEW 'CROP AT FAIR



TWO OF THE 1963 car crop will be on display at the fair according to Fred Maveal, manager of the local Dodge, Plymouth, Valiant dealership. Of the Plymouth (above), a fact sheet says it is longer, has a larger trunk, styling changes, and made more durable with additional corrosion protection. It is now backed by a 5 year, 50,000 mile warranty.



A LONGER DODGE gives more interior space this year, has much the same improvements as the Plymouth, as well as fuel system and engine lubrication improvements. The alternator replaces the generator as standard equipment.

Seek Transportation For Area Children

Two delegations of four fathers requested bus service for their children when they attended Exsquiring school board meeting last week. Bus service was asked for a total of 20 children. Board members sympathized with the parents but indicated they couldn't foresee any immediate solution to the problem.

A delegation from Norval, headed by Joe Schertel and including Bruce Nixon and Albert Lechler, asked for transportation for a total of 19 children in their neighbourhood. During the previous meeting, the delegation was present, and submitted their request. At that time, they were told they would receive an answer after the transportation committee had an opportunity to study the situation. When the fathers were informed bus route changes to accommodate the children were impossible, the men returned to the Tuesday night meeting.

"Time to Act"

Spokesman for the group, Mr. Schertel stated private transportation had been provided in the past without any complaints. "When I received my last tax notice and saw the big increase, I decided it was time to take advantage of a service I was paying for."

Trustee Bill Lawson, chairman of the transportation committee, told the delegates the board was not obligated to provide transportation for pupils from the older established school sections.

"You have raised our taxes to provide transportation for children in the areas where schools have been closed," replied Mr. Schertel.

The board was informed the children in question had been driven to school by the parents and picked up after school for the return trip home. When asked how far the children were forced to walk, Mr. Schertel replied one and eight-tenths miles.

"Right to be Educated"

Trustee Shirley Armstrong, told the delegates and board to forget the tax part of the conversation as she noted "Every child has a right to be educated. Where are the busses travelling now?"

After a review of the bus route and suggestions for changes, chairman R. J. Cunningham enquired if the delegates would be satisfied in the event one-way transportation might be arranged. Mr. Schertel stated he was agreeable for the time being providing the board pursued possibilities of transportation to and from school.

Bruce Nixon suggested it was his opinion the ratepayers were not being used fairly by the board as far as their transportation problems were concerned. Mr. Lawson stated the delegates were being used as fairly as a lot of the parents with children going to school and cited instances where transportation problems occurred.

"What burns me up the most is that the High School students are picked up at their doors and practically out of bed and the school board builds gyms to build them up physically and yet the public school youngsters have to walk to school," Mr. Schertel said.

The board authorized chairman Cunningham to contact the Georgetown District High School secretary to see if arrangements could be made for the high school bus which travels down the line, to pick them up and deliver them to school.

Troubled Parents
Gordon Hume, R.R. 5, Milton attended the meeting as a one-man delegation requesting better transportation services for his daughter. He told the board the child had too great

"The children won't be here (at school) and I have made plans and after they are carried out you will hear from me."

Seek Water Source

"How dry I am," seemed to be the tune board members were humming Tuesday evening when they learned of the water shortage at Lamehouse school. The property committee was instructed to investigate sources for an additional water supply.

Solicitor Tom VanSickler was present to discuss the sale of abandoned schools in the area. Before any discussion took place, chairman Cunningham voiced his opinion the board should go into a committee of the whole (this excludes the public) a resolution sponsored by trustee Stanley Brown and seconded by trustee Bill Lawson was presented with Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Lawson and Mr. Brown supporting it. Voting in the negative were trustee Mrs. Armstrong and Mac Sprowl.

Consider Contract

Harold Moyer, attendance officer for Exsquiring, was present and asked if the board would consider hiring him when his contract with Exsquiring Council expired at the end of the year. Under present regulations, the attendance officer is engaged by council and is not responsible to the board. Members agreed to consider this action prior to the expiry of his present contract.

Day for Twins At Reid Farm

It was ladies' day at the farm of Gordon Reid, R.R. 2, Norval, last Sunday.

The Reids went out to the barn in the morning and were greeted by two sets of newly born twin halifer calves. It is considered unusual that two sets of twins would produce four ladies for the farm — to say nothing of two sets of twins on the same day.

"Usually there's a bull call in there somewhere," said Mrs. Reid.

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Week Will Stress Fire Prevention

A busy week - busy celebration of Fire Prevention Week in Canada is being planned by members of Halton County Fire Prevention Bureau.

The Bureau, comprising members of the county's five fire brigades in Burlington, Georgetown, Milton, Oakville and Acton, will work to arrange a "community observance" of the week, October 7 to 13. This year the new slogan of the special week is "Think About Fire - Whenever You Are."

On a company basis, the Bureau is distributing 1,000 placards. School treatment plans will be prepared, and about 10,000 more placards of educational literature. A poster contest is being sponsored for Grade Five students in every Halton school, and the boy and girl winners will be given a bouquet in their honour as well as personal trophies and a trophy for their school.

The Bureau also sponsors a blitz inspection of industrial and commercial buildings each year. The blitz blitz will be held in the town of Oakville, with several insurance company inspectors assisting Oakville firefighters to check stairs, egress and plants for possible fire hazards.

A church parade to one of the Oakville churches is being planned, and at least 75 firefighters representing the county are expected to take part. Arrangements are also being made to broadcast the fire prevention work through the public through newspapers, radio and TV stations, and on roadside billboards.

In conjunction with the county-wide program, each individual fire department is planning its own local observance of the special week. School drills, fire hall open houses, distribution of literature, class, lectures, demonstrations and fall fair displays will all be handled on a local basis.

Deputy-Chief George Bandy of Milton, chairman of the Halton Fire Prevention Bureau, made a strong plea to the people of Halton to assist the firefighters and help make Fire Prevention Week a success. "And remember," he said, "fire prevention is a 365-days-a-year job - everybody's job."

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Crickton, 5 Charles St. moved east last week, and travelled the Galtway scenic route in Quebec.

Miss Corvay Craig of Hagersville and Miss Joyce McLean of Perth spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Craig.

Able Seaman and Mrs. Robert Hutchison Dartmouth Nova Scotia, are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutchison, 13 Edith Street.

Mr. John W. MacArthur of Kingston was home for the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. MacArthur. He reports that he was successful in his first year C.A. exam and also in the two subjects tried at Queen's University during the summer.

LOCAL NURSES GRADUATE



JUDY BONATHAN



AGNES NELSON



LYNDA WHITMER

Three Georgetown girls received diplomas and awards from the Guelph General Hospital School for Nurses last Wednesday, Sept. 5th. Judy Bonathan, Agnes Nelson and Lynda Whitmer were among the class of 29 nurses graduating from the three-year course.

Lynda received a gold medal and a cheque from the Board of Commissioners, signifying the highest standing in General Proficiency in the graduating class.

Agnes was given the prize for bedside nursing, awarded by Dr. A. B. McCarter.

Lynda and Agnes plan to remain on the staff of Guelph General Hospital and Judy will be working in the Georgetown hospital.

The ceremony took place in Memorial Hall at the O.A.C. All three girls attended Georgetown High School.

Macintosh and children visited Scotland, England, Holland, France, Germany and Italy before returning home.

It's A Small World

It's a small world! A cliché perhaps, but for two Georgetown families, it really proved true this summer. In Heidelberg, Germany made famous in The Student Prince, Dr. A. Macintosh, while talking across the square, met Mrs. Alex Reader of Parkview Boulevard.

Imagine the amazement on both faces. With cries of delight and astonishment, they gathered the family together and were carried off to lunch with Mrs. Reader's mother who lives in Heidelberg.

Mrs. Reader had been visiting her mother for the summer. The Macintosh family had been touring Britain and the continent. While in Britain they spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ball, who were visiting there before continuing to New Zealand. This was a pre-arranged meeting, however, the one with Mrs. Reader was a complete surprise. Dr. and Mrs.

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