SENIOR COMMENCEMENT

GRADS RETURN FOR AWARDS AND LAST FAREWELL

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS Paul Baker (left), Robert Fisher, and Carolyne Hallett received their prizes from George town High School principal J. L. Lambert at the annual Senior Commencement Friday. *Below, the audience stands while* the Academic Procession of grads, staff and board members (centre) enters. Prior to the Commencement a Graduation Dinner was held in the school cafeteria, where 80 attended.

Peter Jones Photo

Claim That Wintermeyer Weak Causes Halton Liberal Furore

"If the Liberal party in the province is to be strong, we must have a strong leader. I feel in the last Liberal election we had a weak leader," a member of the faith told a gathering at the annual Halton County meeting in Milton, Wednesday, Nov. 27th.

After his statement pandemonium broke loose among more than 69 members, with two threatening to disassociate themselves from the meeting.

Sam Woods, of Burlington, nonplussed, said he would repeat his statement that the provincial leader was a weak one and it mainly was through him that the last election was lost. "He was weak and misguiding," he added.

Claude Kewley of Georgetown said he wanted the statement struck from the records at once as the comments were entirely unfair to John Wintermeyer.

"By what means does Mr Woods think that the leader of the Liberal party is decided by the voters of Halton County. I resent his remarks and I disassociate myself from this meeting," said Maurice Manderson, Q.C., of Georgetown.

Kept Talking

Continuing, Woods told the gathering that Halton, one of the important ridings, demands a vital and determined leader. "This is a democracy and I refuse to be silenced. I want it go on the record that I am of the opinion the last leader was weak and misguided."

"We need a strong and vital leader and there is no reason why such a man does not exist here in Halton. Let's go out and find him."

Manderson said there is still a good two years before a new party leader will be chosen. "This is entirely premature," he added.

A member of the audience said that if the party adopts an attitude that the choice of a leader can be put off the party will never have a leader. "He added. "Who knows we may have another Kennedy in our midst."

Joe Henrick, Burlington, said he thought Manderson's statement had validity and the party should wait until a new candidate demonstrates his ability.

"Never have we had a more inspired leader than Mr Wintermeyer. He dissipated a personal fortune to run for the party. He has been a great force and he still can be," shouted Keakley.

He said it was an outrage to attack the ex-party leader this way. "He took the party when it was at its lowest ebb in history," remarked Keakley.

Continuing he said: "If the leadership of the party is of such concern to Mr Woods he should be aware that a leader rises. He is not picked. A leader will rise in spite of any obstacle. You cannot create a synthetic leader. One of the reasons we faded in the last election was that we went too far to the right. We lost contact with the people. This was the reason we lost the last provincial election.

There are plenty of potential leaders in Canada. There is a candle quality to leadership that cannot be created. There is doubt."

Earlier a motion to propose to hold a general meeting early in 1964 to support the provincial leadership campaign, sparked the controversy.

An amendment to the motion to be the Lower to be considered by the next executive was defeated.

New Executive

Next order of the meeting was a choice of the new executive. President is Derrick Mason, Oakville. 1st Vice Mrs Dorothy Mullin, Burlington. 2nd Vice, Joe Hendricks, Milton. Treasurer Jack Blakelock, Oakville. Secretary Mrs Marie Hargraves, Burlington.

When he gave his address the new president told his audience: "We should be king makers in the next selection of candidates for provincial election. We must be prudent and choose wisely," he warned.

One problem, he said, is that there are two distinct municipalities in the county, with both of them self-contained. He said Burlington and Oakville should in reality be separate ridings. Burlington Mayor Owen Mullin had attempted to weld them together, when he ran for office, he said.

Choose Winners in Baby Picture Contest

Six children who had their pictures taken by Photographer Ed Reducha during the three days of free baby portraits at Gougeon Household Furnishings, Main St. S., will be given colour portraits for being chosen winners of the Baby Contest that coincided with the offer.

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First prize winners will receive 8 x 10 colour portraits, second prize winners 5 x 7 colour portraits, and third prize winners 3 x 5 colour portraits.

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Mrs Spiteri, 3 John St. West, Georgetown.

2nd Mrs J. Ross, Cedar Springs Motel, R.R. 1, Georgetown. Mrs W. V. Moorehead, 26 McIntyre Cresc., Georgetown.

3rd Mrs L. Keller, R.R. 2, Georgetown. Mrs D. Edmunds, 16 Victoria, Georgetown.

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Georgetown Lady Injured Car-Gravel Truck Collide

On Wednesday evening at 4.30 p.m., an accident occurred at the 8th Line corner and the No. 10 Sideroad when a car driven by Mrs Ann Gazdala of 30 Henry St., Georgetown was in collision with a gravel truck driven by Lewis Bradman of R.R. 2 Milton. Mrs Gazdala received a bump on the head and a bruised knee. Damages to the car were estimated at close to $600. Dust from a previous truck was believed to have caused the accident.

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The South Trafalgar Euchre Club held a party on Saturday night, Nov. 30th at the North Trafalgar Community Centre. There were ten tables of euchre in play with the prizes being won by the following: Mrs Roy Bread, Len Kuenzig playing as a lady, Mrs Grace Kuenzig, Rob Jepson, Wilfred Raine and Freddie Workman Jr. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs Frank Hall and Mrs Fred Workman.

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The many friends of Margie Shea will be pleased to hear she is feeling well again after being shut in with a case of chicken pox.

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Mr. and Mrs. Les Rutledge visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wallace of Blyth. Mrs Rutledge is pleased to report her mother Mrs Wallace is improving from a recent illness.

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Birthday greetings to Mrs Howard Bradley, who is celebrating her birthday on Wednesday, Dec. 4th.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reid on the birth of their son on Monday, Nov. 25th, at the Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton. Weight 8 lbs. and 1 oz. A brother for Davin, Barrie and Annette.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cantelon on the arrival of their first grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. John Cantelon. Name Sean Norman.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Brown (nee Beverley Sammit) on the birth of their daughter, Yvonne, Mar. 1 weight 6 lbs. and 1 oz.

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Birthday greetings to Mrs Fred Workman who was celebrate her special day on Dec. 3rd.

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Once again the residents of the Halton Manor were treated to a most enjoyable afternoon when the Horsey Women's Institute held a birthday party in honour of those who were celebrating birthdays in November. Mrs Stan May opened the meeting with the Institute Ode. Mrs Jack McCarron conducted the rest of the afternoon. Mrs M. J. Bryan was lead on the program and read an article on the Golden Years, which was very inspiring to all. Mrs Fred Bird was called on to read a poem on her poem accordion and was followed by Mrs Gladys Featherstone who played on and she treated the residents to some lovely slides of the Kelso Dam Expansion Project, starting along the Niagara and on a bus trip to see the Albion Hotel collapse. Mrs Ada Hall played the piano and Mrs Hesse Bird of Stratfordville finished off. Blessed be the Tie That Binds and The Queen. A delicious lunch was served which included sandwiches, cookies, birthday cake and coffee.

The head table was decorated with a lovely floral centre piece and a large birthday cake decorated with pink and white roses. Seated at the head table were six of the residents who were celebrating birthdays and Mrs S. May and Mrs J. McCarron cutting for those who were celebrating birthdays were given out by the members and were greatly treasured and appreciated. Mrs Roy W. Bird and Mrs Cecil Patterson assisted Mrs McCarron on the cake, for the occasion.

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A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Plant on Sunday, Dec. 1st in honour Mrs Nellie Plant of Brampton who was celebrating her birthday on Sunday and to celebrate Arthur Plant's who celebrated his birthday on Dec. 2nd. On Monday, the parts were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Plant of Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Plant, Miss Geraldine Plant of Brampton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Plant and Mrs. George Hampton.

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Friends attending a surprise birthday party at the home of Mrs Elmer May on Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Lees, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hepburn, Mr. and Mrs. W. Clive, Mrs. H. Wragge, South and F. Forster.

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The Eden Lake Chapter YPS met on Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mason. The meeting opened with a hymn and prayer. Informal. The business period followed. As there was no guest speaker Rev. W. Boyer of Lowville, a former Mr. Sec. Bible, meet and closed with a hymn and prayer followed by a delicious lunch served by the hostess.

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