

# Three nurses graduate



**Irene De Vries**, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Henry De Vries, R. R. 4, Acton, graduated from Conestoga College's Kitchener-Waterloo nursing division on Saturday, July 26.

The De Vries family, her fiancé Dave Hyder and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Don Hyder were present at the ceremony which took place at the Kitchener-Waterloo Memorial auditorium.

**Diane Lynne Housfield**, daughter of John and Eileen Housfield, Church St., Acton, graduated July 26 from Conestoga College, Doon Nursing Division, affiliated with Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital. Diane is looking forward to working at Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital, commencing in September.

Attending the graduation ceremonies and reception were Diane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Housfield and friend Bruce Jewett of Markham; sister Debra and friend Jim Laws of Guelph; and Diane's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen of Glen Williams.



**Barbara McNabb**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. McNabb, 47 Cobblehill Rd., graduated from Conestoga College of Applied Arts and Technology, Guelph division, Delhi St., on July 26.

Convocation was held at Kitchener Memorial gardens. Attending were her parents, Jimmy, Marilyn, Murray, Merle and Barry McNabb, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blyth; Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McNabb of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britton; Mrs. H. Stultis and Mrs. D. McNabb, Rockwood; her fiancé Jim Mullen, Campbellville, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Mullen, Campbellville.



Diane Housfield

# Receives B.A. degree

**Lynn Nielsen** graduated from Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, at the age of 19 with her Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics and Psychology. She is presently working for Zehrs in Kitchener.

Lynn is a graduate of Acton high school and is the daughter of Paul Nielsen, Acton, and Mrs. Ella Nielsen, Copenhagen, Denmark. She had her 19th birthday in March.



Lynn Nielsen

# Parking limits delayed until reports finished

Halton Hills works committee decided Monday to consult the parking authority and the town planner before putting a two hour limit on parking on side streets in Acton.

cause the regional police are taking over in September. The committee decided not to make a decision before the Parking Authority and planner can submit reports.

# Residents get fence funds

Recently councillor Pat McKenzie asked the committee to look into the parking problem and committee chairman Joe Hurst reported that there is a problem on Willow Street and St. Alban's Drive.

Halton Hills has decided to go ahead and pay half the cost of fences for two Rosemary Road, Acton residents now that Halton Hills works committee knows they had checked with the town.

Dave Dawson and John Collins sent bills to the town recently for fences they built on their property which abuts town owned land.

When the item first came up two weeks ago the committee decided it would pay the bills at the end of the year if there was money left over, otherwise they would have to wait until 1976.

At the time the committee thought the men may have just heard about the town policy of paying half the cost of fences which abut town land. Members believed that all people who build fences in this situation and want money from the town should come to the works department for approval first.

Councillor Len Cox said Monday's works committee meeting that one of the men phoned the town and a secretary told him it was Halton Hills' policy to pay half the cost and that he should go ahead and con-

# Queens graduate



**Joe Petric** graduated from Queen's University, Kingston, in June with first class honours in music. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Petric, Lake Ave., and attended school here.

He was admitted to the University of Toronto for a Master's Degree in Musicology May 30. He is only the third accordionist granted candidacy at a Canadian university.

Solo: He will be giving a solo recital as a Canadian delegate at the International Accordion Symposium at Toronto in November. He will assist in the world premiere of a new Canadian work by Samuel Dolin, commissioned by the Ontario Arts Council.

He is one of the accordion players who will be performing the Bach Concerto for Harpsichord and Orchestra with the Toronto Chamber Players. Both of these works are to be recorded by the CBC.

# Bylaw will control unauthorized parking

Finance and personnel committee looked over a proposed bylaw on unauthorized parking on private or municipal property at their Monday night meeting in Georgetown. The bylaw is based on Oakville's and is recommended by the Halton regional police.

It details procedure to be taken following a written complaint concerning vehicles—abandoned cars on parking lots, for instance. Clerk-Administrator Doug Pritchard pointed out the complaint must be made in writing to the police. The cars will be towed away and impounded, probably on a garage lot.

Councillor Ernie Sykes grew philosophical about the bylaw.

He proclaimed "It's a further erosion of the individuality of municipalities! Bylaws are becoming regionalized... this is a forerunner of others to come."

Councillor Harry Levy agreed we're losing more and more of our own autonomy. We always do take the best from other bylaws, added councillor G. W. McKenzie.

Clerk-administrator Doug Pritchard pointed out Halton Hills doesn't have such a bylaw, and some changes were made in Oakville's wording.

# Noxious weeds cost town \$3,034

Members of Halton Hills finance and personnel committee Monday looked over lengthy lists of names of persons whose weeds had been cut, on authority of the weed inspector.

The bill for weed cutting came to \$3,034, all but six items recoverable through being billed to the owner.

Weed cutting was done following publishing of a notice that all noxious weeds must be cut.

Last year Treasurer Harry Henderson pointed out last year's bill

# Leaving the OPP

Cons. Murray McCrue is leaving the O.P.P. His resignation becomes effective August 1.

He has been with the force for 10 years, three in Acton and seven in Oakville. He lives here on Church St.

He was one of the officers honored as Citizens of the Year, and Actonians will send along best wishes in his new career.

# Summer off

There are no more meetings of the recreation advisory committee until September, unless especially called by members. Meetings will start on a regular basis again after the summer holidays.

# Acton Blvd., Peel St. dangerous intersection

Halton Hills works committee decided Monday to look into the possibility of either having a four way stop at the intersection of Peel Street and Acton Boulevard or else making Acton Boulevard a through street.

Committee chairman Joe Hurst said the intersection is dangerous and many people

don't stop at the stop sign on Acton Boulevard.

Both councillor Ernie Hyde and Hurst said they thought a four way stop would solve the problem.

Engineer Bob Austin said there are many accidents at the intersection because the stop sign is on Acton Boulevard and it should be on Peel Street.

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# Halton Hills on fire trucks

Halton Hills councillor Ernie Hyde told works committee Monday that he wants to see Halton Hills on all fire trucks and the names Georgetown, Esqueping and Acton removed. He was told administration committee is looking into having this done.

# A problem with diamond dust

The town will try and keep the dust down when doing work on school baseball diamonds this summer.

Councillor Mike Armstrong told Monday's works committee meeting that he has received complaints about the dust stirred up while works crews were working on the ball field at Joseph Gibbons school.

Engineer Robert Austin said dust isn't usually created except on especially windy days and that the diamonds can't be hosed down or have calcium put on them.

# Hair dryers at high cost

Finance committee school, at about \$200 each. The installation of the hair dryers had been approved, but the high cost of installing hair dryers at Acton high school was a surprise.

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What's doing in the North Halton Area!

**MAPLEHURST**

The Maplehurst Correctional Centre, the adult training centre in Milton, will be open to the public Thursday, July 31 from 7:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. During these hours, tours will be conducted. All those interested are invited to attend.

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