



ENTERING HIS SECOND election as Returning Officer for the Halton-Burlington riding, Roy Coulter supervises work done in the Milton Curling Club office he shares with his assistant Margaret Coulter, his daughter-in-law.

## Erin council plans improvements to roads

by Doris Fines  
Erin Township Council approved putting a seal-coat on three miles of township road this summer. This was talked over with Ed Barden, road superintendent, at Wednesday night's council meeting in Hillsburgh. This includes Mountainview subdivision about 3/4 of a mile, and 7/10th of a mile on the 9th Line below Erin, 9/10 of a mile on 5 sideroad from the 7 to 8th line, and 9/10 of a mile on the East Garafraxa boundary from 6 to 7th concession. The cost is estimated at approximately \$7.00 per mile.

A motion was also brought forward and passed, asking for a supplementary subsidy of \$28,000 on the purchase of a new truck.

**Donations**  
Council agreed to donate \$54 to the Wellington County Museum towards purchasing microfilms of old records and family histories from the Church of Latter Day Saints, Salt Lake City.

Also, a donation of \$50 will be given Hillsburgh Horticulture Society for the beautification of Hillsburgh, by planting trees and placing hanging baskets or tubs of flowers on main street.

Clarence Beatty will receive \$30 for one lamb killed by dogs.

Glen Creba gave a report

on the houses under construction in Glen Devon subdivision. Some are currently being bricked, and one family has moved in. 54 building permits have been issued so far this year, the same number as last year.

**Appreciation**  
A letter of appreciation was received from Mr. and Mrs. Lemm, to council, for applying dust control on the 9th Line, and improving the road condition.

Clive Beardwood was instructed to notify Don Robertson of council's decision not to support the motion rezoning the Huxley property, and the applicants to be informed of their right to appeal. The zone change was refused because the property is too small to build on.

**Dog licenses**  
Rebecca Mills, issuer of dog licenses, reported on her accomplishment to date, 950 dogs were tagged in the township last year. \$5 is the fee for the first dog, and \$15 for each subsequent dog.

The MTC sent excerpts of a letter received from Max Storey, with the complaints on the condition of all the roads in general, but they felt the township was doing the best they could.

Council agreed to accept the motion from Erin Fire Department to provide service to a designated area, with a 7 percent raise for 1977, and a further 7 percent for 1978, making a total of \$9,630 for '77 and \$10,304 for '78. Fourteen calls have been made so far this year.

A third reading of a by-law was made, authorizing Hillsburgh District Fire Department to provide fire protection to East Garafraxa Township for a designated area.

**Bridges**  
A proposal from Triton Engineering Services Limited was accepted, subject to MTC approval, for a complete appraisal of 12 bridges. This will be a detailed and complete appraisal of type and condition of each bridge, with photos showing sides and ends. They will point out any deficiencies noted, and study the costs, then submit their report to council. The Ministry's idea for this appraisal is to set aside money for needed repairs.

A Retirement Night is being held at the school in Erin for Donalda Switzer, who is retiring after 30 years faithful service teaching school. Open House will be Wed. June 15, from 7 to 8 p.m.

## 39 days of work prepare for 'X'

To most people, a provincial election means a steady stream of campaign promises and speeches, which end with an 'X' marked on a ballot.

For Roy Coulter it means 39 days of work.

Mr. Coulter is entering his second election campaign as chief returning officer for the Halton-Burlington riding, which includes Milton, Georgetown, Acton and part of Burlington. It's his responsibility to ensure that all goes well in the 175 polling stations in the riding, that the votes are tabulated correctly and that the laws under the Election Act are followed properly.

His duties include approving all polling stations, polling clerks, deputy returning officers and officiating constables, as well as training these people and swearing them in. This will number close to 400 people. While he is able to deputize others to do the swearing in, he must sign personally for each one. This part of his job will begin May 30 when he starts training the clerks and DROs. His work for the June 9

election began Sunday May 1, even before he received the writ which officially announced the election. He was notified by Ontario's Chief Returning Officer, Roderick Lewis to start the wheels in motion.

Concrete results from the weeks of planning and preparation he is involved in now at the election office in Milton Curling Club will begin June 4 and 6 when four advance polls are held. One each will be held in the Milton, Acton and Georgetown high schools, and in Champlain Public School in Burlington.

Schools are being used for all advance polls and many regular polls in this election explained Mr. Coulter, because they can accommodate handicapped people.

"It's not a hard and fast law, but we are told to use it wherever we can," he explained. "That's why there are not as many homes and churches being used this time, too many steps involved."

Mr. Coulter, a former president of the Milton Curling Club pointed out that

there are approximately 42,600 voters registered for the June 9 election, with more coming in every day. In the last provincial vote (1975) there were 38,000 in the Halton-Burlington riding he said.

A complete eligible voters' list will not be available until election night, he said, because of the rural areas in the riding. Any centre of 5,000 people or more is considered urban and the remainder is rural.

All urban voters must be registered to vote before the election, he pointed out, but rural residents who are not enumerated can still vote, if they have a neighbor present who will swear he knows them and that they live in the proper area.



TRADITIONAL bouquet for YMCA benefactor J.A. Murray was placed at his gravestone Sunday by Dave Hunter representing the Y board. The ceremony is requested in Mr. Murray's will.

## Ospringle

### Scouts, Brownies keep busy lately

By Doris Fines  
The Scouts went on a camping trip to Byron Bruce's farm. Here is a first hand account of the outing. "The First Ospringle Boy Scouts went camping Friday, May 20. We set up camp, cooked our meals, then set out to find the river. Some went swimming, others went fishing. We walked the long way back, and by the time we all got back to camp we had wet feet."

Marla Rivers, Sandra and Gary voiced their appreciation. The Rev. Gray Rivers of Burlington, spoke a few words, and gave thanks for the opportunity to meet together, and share the picnic lunch and social visit.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Moorhouse of South Porcupine, visited on the weekend with Mrs. Moorehouse's sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aitken. On Monday they were attending the graduation exercises of their daughter Louise Moorehouse, at Western University, London, Ontario.

Field day was held at Ospringle school on Friday. The weather was favourable, and winners proudly displayed their ribbons on the homeward way.

Grade 6 students have completed the swimming program at Victoria Road pool. Many pupils made excellent use of the time given them, and gained a much greater confidence in the water, responding well to the instructors.

Representatives from the YM-YWCA visited the school to acquaint students of the camps and summer programs to be offered.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferguson were hosts for a shower-picnic on their lawn on Sunday afternoon. Guests of honour were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ferguson. After they had opened the gifts presented to them, assisted by Mrs. Mike Ferguson and

### Youths spied at Brookville

Police are watching for youths who've taken to drinking on the south side of the refreshment stand in the Brookville Ball Park.

Police have received a complaint about a door on the stand being jimmied open. Nothing was stolen. Several youths from Acton and Milton have been seen drinking in the area.

School ends June 24 and students are counting the days.

### Canoe stolen

Thieves stole a 15 foot aluminum canoe from the north shore of Fairy Lake. The canoe, which was securely fastened to a tree on the grassy area, is marked with the letters VSM on the top of the seats.

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### Churchill is next

Another patch of construction is causing dust and detours in town. Work is underway now on the rebuilding of Churchill Rd. N. This project includes new

water and sewer lines and the lowering of hilly spots in the road surface.

Churchill will be ready to carry heavier traffic to the new high school in the fall.

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