

Bus decision opens door

Halton parents of elementary school children may be reaching for yard sticks if they want bussing.

Halton Board of Education administrators are taking a wait and see attitude regarding the meaning of last Thursday's board decision to grant bussing to some Burlington children.

The decision went against the recommendations of the staff.

"How big is the implication? I'm not entirely sure," said education director Em Lavender. He did say that one thing is for sure, "measurements will become more precise."

Under the board's transportation policy, there are guidelines for decisions. In determining if children are eligible for bussing the distance of one mile was set for Kindergarten and Grade Ones. If they lived fur-

ther away from the school's property than a mile, they may get a bus ride.

Until Thursday the administration had some leeway in making its decisions.

Board officials used their traditional method of driving the route, and measuring with an odometer. The City of Burlington measured two routes and one was just more than a mile (1.077) and one was just less than the distance.

Schueler Crescent parents went one step further. They hired a consultant who determined that both routes were beyond the one mile limit.

There was a push by Acton parents to get bussing for youngsters going to Robert Little School a couple of years ago. That was a border line case and board of Education superintendent of finance Bruce Lindley said there

were nine others in the Burlington area alone.

Lavender observed that the way trustees were tackling the question leaned towards "arbitrary, almost automatic inclusion" for bussing.

"The administration chose to bring in a de-

Sludge analyzer

Regional Council will be asked to approve \$26,273.48 to purchase a special machine which analyzes contaminants in sewage sludge.

The Atomic Absorption-Atomic Emission Spectrophotometer had been part of the Halton Public Works budget but it was cut due to constraints to try and trim the regional deficit.

After a plea at the committee by Councillor Russ Miller, that to not buy the machine would be a betrayal to Halton's farmers, the committee

put the unit back in the 1980 budget as a priority.

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Marie Cocklin, a member of the Eglington and Caledon Club from Ballinacree, looks quizzical about the route for the annual fox hunt at Docking Farms, on the Eighth Line, Halton Hills.



Hugh Woods shows two members of the hunt club the route they'll take across his Docking Farms area behind the hounds in pursuit of Bre'r Fox.

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NOMINATIONS
THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MILTON
1980 MUNICIPAL AND SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

Notice is hereby given that Candidates may be Nominated for the following offices by filing with the Returning Officer at the Town of Milton Municipal Offices, 251 Main Street East, Milton, Ontario during his normal office hours, a Nomination Paper in the prescribed form:

Such Nomination Paper shall be filed during the period commencing on:
THURSDAY, October 16th, 1980 through FRIDAY, October 17th, 1980 between the HOURS of 8.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.
MONDAY, October 20th, 1980 between the HOURS of 8.30 to 5.00 p.m.

Nominations may be filed for the following offices:

THE TOWN OF MILTON
MAYOR—To be elected at large and serve as a member on both the Regional and Town Councils.
2 COUNCILLORS—To serve on both the Regional and Town Councils. One such Councillor to be elected from the combined Wards 1 (Trafalgar), and 3 (Nassagaweya) and one such Councillor to be elected from Ward 2 (Milton).
8 COUNCILLORS—to serve on the Town Council only. Two such Councillors to be elected from Ward 1 (Trafalgar), Four such Councillors to be elected from Ward 2 (Milton), and Two such Councillors to be elected from Ward 3 (Nassagaweya).

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF HALTON
2 MEMBERS—One such Member to be elected by Public School Supporters from the combined Wards 1 (Trafalgar) and 3 (Nassagaweya) and one such member to be elected from Ward 2 (Milton).
1 MEMBER—To be elected by Roman Catholic Separate School Supporters from Combined Municipalities of Halton Hills and Milton.
NOTE:—As the Town of Milton is combined with the Town of Halton Hills to elect one Member to the Board of Education for the Regional Municipality of Halton to represent Roman Catholic Separate School Supporters in the respective Municipalities, Nominations for Candidates for the said Member will be received by the Returning Officer of the Corporation of the Town of Milton at the Milton Municipal Offices, 251 Main Street East, Milton, Ontario, between the hours of 8.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m., Thursday, October 16th, 1980 through Friday, October 17th, 1980 and Monday, October 20th, 1980 from 8.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF HALTON
2 MEMBERS—One such member to be elected by Separate School Supporters from the combined Wards 1 (Trafalgar) and 3 (Nassagaweya), and one such member to be elected from Ward 2 (Milton).

THE MILTON HYDRO-ELECTRIC COMMISSION
1 MEMBER—to serve the Commission from Ward 1 (Trafalgar).
2 MEMBERS—to serve the Commission from Ward 2 (Milton).
1 MEMBER—to serve the Commission from Ward 3 (Nassagaweya).

All of the above offices are for a Two Year Term. Candidates are required to submit Nominations on the prescribed forms only. Such forms may be obtained from the Office of the Returning Officer, Town of Milton, Municipal Offices, 251 Main Street East, Milton, Ontario during normal office hours.

Notice is also given that the Municipal Elections Act, 1977 provides that a Nomination Paper:—

(a) Shall be signed by at least ten electors whose names are entered on the preliminary list of electors or who have made application to have their names included on the list and who are entitled to vote;

(b) Shall state the name and address of the candidate in such manner as will identify him and the office for which he is nominated; and

(c) Shall state the name and address of each elector signing the nomination paper and, where the office for which the candidate is nominated is a member of a school board, that such nominator is a public school elector or a separate school elector, as the fact is; and

Take Notice that the nomination paper shall state for which office and in which ward or area, except those running at large, the candidate is proposing to be nominated. And Further Take Notice that where the candidate is running in a ward or area his nomination paper must be signed by people on the Polling List of Electors in that specific ward or area.

And Further Take Notice the onus is on the person nominated for election to an office to file a bona fide nomination paper.

R. Main,
Returning Officer
Town of Milton

Dated this 3rd Day of October, 1980

The names of the Candidates Nominated will be posted in the lobby of the Town of Milton Municipal Offices as they are received.

Following hounds

The weather, with a hint of rain or snow, didn't deter 60 riders who participated in the ancient sport of fox hunting at Docking Farms on the Eighth Line, Halton Hills, recently. Although riders rarely see a fox, the hounds follow a scent cast prior to the hunt and it makes for an exhilarating day in the fresh air, preceded by the traditional stirrup cup.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MILTON
1980 Municipal and School Board Elections
Corrections to the Preliminary List of Electors

The Preliminary List of Electors including all persons entitled to vote at the 1980 Municipal and School Board Elections, has been posted in the Office of the Returning and Revising Officer at the Town of Milton Municipal Offices, 251 Main Street East, Milton, Ontario on the 14th day of October, 1980. The final date for filing complaints regarding the List shall be October 22nd, 1980.

A copy of the Preliminary List of Electors has also been posted at the following locations:

Ward 1 (Trafalgar)
Drumquinn Store
Boyer Community Centre
St. George's Church, Lowville

Ward 2 (Milton)
Milton Library
Milton Post Office

Ward 3 (Nassagaweya)
Campbellville Post Office
Brookville General Store

Electors are requested to examine the List to ensure that their names and relevant information are correctly shown therein.

Complaints in the nature of requests for additions or corrections or deletions from the List may be made by an Elector completing and filing a form obtainable at the Office of the Returning and Revising Officer. All requests will be received by the Returning and Revising Officer at the Municipal Office, above mentioned, commencing on Tuesday, October 14th, 1980 through to Wednesday, October 22nd, 1980 from 8.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m., excluding Saturdays and Sundays.

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