



ACCEPTS KEYS TO CAR CLUB PRIZE

Mrs. Betty Browne accepts the keys to her new 1971 Pontiac won the Canadian Legion Branch 120 car club draw February 26th. Making the presentation is Pete Masson of Masson Motors. With Mrs. Browne is her husband Ed Browne.

Cost Halton \$22,000 for Outside Pupils at Brock

A Department of Education regulation is costing Halton taxpayers about \$22,000 yearly, claimed Halton Board of Education trustee Bill Priestner, at last week's budget session.

An item in the board's 1971 estimates for yearly revenue allowed \$49,500 in tuition fees paid for 45 Wellington and Wentworth County's students attending Halton's General Brock High School.

"Dept. of Education fee regulations allow no consideration for the cost of special education," charged Priestner.

"The Halton Board can only charge these two boards the \$1,100 average cost of educating one student rather than the \$1,600 it actually costs at General Brock."

Administrator Bruce Lindley said that he's written to the provincial education department outlining the problem.

If students under the jurisdiction of one board attend a school in another area such as General Brock, tuition fees are paid by their own board to the school's board.

ESTIMATES

Estimates for 1971 revenue as presented to the board last week are calculated according to the amount of provincial grants, municipal levies, tuition fees and other sources. At the elementary school level the provincial grant is \$368.08 per pupil for a total of \$21,065,109. That amount represents the board's total expenditure.

The municipal levy for 1971 is \$307.22 per pupil, a total of \$9,551,307 for elementary schools. That amount is 45.34 per cent of total expenditure, a decrease from last year's 50.11 per cent. The provincial grant at the secondary school level totals \$849.45 per pupil or \$10,170,000 which is 55.41 per cent of the board's total expenditure.

IN THE MAIL BAG

Pupils' Performance Shows Small Schools Important

15 Tweedie Street
Glen Williams

Dear Sir:
On February 25, I attended the North Halton Association for the Creative Performing Arts Area One Variety Night, and after reading and hearing of the possible closing of the smaller schools such as Norval and Campbellville, I would like to mention the performance of these schools, Norval in particular.

As you probably know, Norval has no gymnasium, but these 'underprivileged' students man-

aged to put on a fantastic display of gymnastics, and in my opinion, their performance was just as good as any of the other participating schools.

I also noticed that some of these 'rerouted' Norval students appeared in the Stewarttown Senior Choir, and their performance was also nothing to be scorned at.

As we walked through the halls of Acton District High School, viewing the art and crafts displays a few more of the Norval students' efforts were seen, along with some ex-Norval students' work.

Surely if these children and their teachers can put as much effort into an evening, as the larger schools, they deserve a chance to walk instead of travelling miles to school each day, and be able to say "this is my school" even after they graduate, which by the way — some of them have done in past years.

I attended Norval school for seven years and certainly do not feel that three rooms hindered my education.

I would be proud to have my children be graduates of a small country school, where the teachers do have time to give individual attention if needed, as I do not feel that this is possible in the large, modern schools of today.

Mrs. Robert Taylor.

DID YOU KNOW?
George Washington was the first U. S. president to use a veto.

World War II Veteran Served With Provosts

Funeral service for Robert Marlin, a World War II veteran who served overseas with the Canadian army for five years, took place on February 27 at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home. He was 58.

Mr. Marlin had been missing from his home at 10 Churchill Crescent, since the end of January. His body was found on February 25 when a Mackenzie Lumber Company employee went to a remote corner of the firm's James Street yard to get some material.

It is believed that he was walking through the neighbouring ambulance building property, slipped on an embankment and struck his head on a lumber skid as he fell and was knocked unconscious.

He was a native of Belfast, Ireland, where his mother, Mrs. Benjamin Martin, still lives, and attended public and high school there. He came to Canada in 1929, lived at Norval and Acton and, since 1940, in Georgetown. He worked on farms at Norval, Ashgrove and Hornby, then at the Beardmore tannery in Acton, and for 31 years was a Smith & Stone employee.

He joined the Lorne Scots in 1940 and went overseas with the regiment, and served with the Canadian Provost Corps until the end of the war. Fond of music, he could play several musical instruments. He was a member of Branch 120, Canadian Legion.

He leaves his wife, Margaret Freestone, whom he married in St. George's Anglican Church in 1938; one son Daniel, a member of the Mississauga police force; his mother in Ireland, a brother David Martin of Victoria, Australia. A brother Benjamin Martin, Jr., of Belfast, predeceased him.

Funeral service was conducted by the Legion chaplain, Rev. Kelvin Johnston. Pipe Major Merv Allan of the branch pipe band played the lament and George Barrett sounded the last post. Pallbearers were Harry Bottoms, Gordon Browne, Henry (Bus) Hale, Lloyd Boyd, Russell Stephens, and John McCarthy. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

IN THE MAIL BAG

Didn't Win Bid, Thanks Supporters

Oakville, Ont.

To The Editor:
I would like to take advantage of your letters to the editor column to thank the many people in Georgetown who supported me and helped me in so many ways in my recent bid to win the Liberal party nomination for Halton East.

To all those people who made phone calls, held coffee parties, made signs, baked cookies, attended meetings and gave me encouragement, I would like to say a very sincere thank you. I also appreciate the many phone calls and letters which I have received since the convention.

Naturally, I am sorry that I did not win the nomination. But I am very proud of the way we conducted our campaign and the contribution we made to the success of the convention.

— David Butler



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THE CHURCH WITH YOU IN MIND

Henry Klooster, 50 Abitibi Employee

A machine operator with Abitibi Provincial Paper Ltd. for 18 years, Henry Klooster died on March 2 in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

Born 50 years ago in Holland, he first lived in Glen Williams when he came to Canada, and eleven years ago moved to Silvercreek. He was a member of the Christian Reformed Church. He was the son of Mrs. Zwaan/Je Klooster and the late Klaas Klooster.

He leaves his wife Lois, and seven children, Mrs. Andy Brons (Rita) of Stoney Creek, Bill of Binbrook, Henry of Oshawa, Mrs. John Holleman (Janet) of Truro, Nova Scotia, George, Jack, and Joyce, at home; three grandchildren, Willie Klooster, Henry Brons and Brenda Holleman; and his mother in Holland.

Funeral service took place in the Christian Reformed Church on March 5, conducted by Rev. Al VandenPol with interment following in Fairview Cemetery, Acton. Pallbearers were Jack Kuzimcor, B. Dekker, John Lendeboom, Klaas Kamings, Frank Routhout and Harold Bennett.

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Institute Meets at Mrs. Benton's Home

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. A. W. Benton on Thursday afternoon, ten attending. President Mrs. Frank Brown opened with a verse "Take Time to Think, and with Mrs. Houghley at the piano. The More we get Together, was sung and the collect was repeated in unison.

Considerable correspondence brought discussion regarding fall fair displays and a donation was voted to the school festival request for funds.

Roll call was answered by a current event. Several ideas were brought out concerning our fiftieth anniversary this year. The hostess served lunch afterwards. . . .

A number of our ladies have started some lovely hand-hooked rugs. Twelve are attending classes conducted by Mrs. F. T. C. Brown and Mrs. Goodwin. . . .

The third 4-H meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Lindsay. There were two guests — Virginia Snider and Mrs. Car-

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