Halton Trustees Nix Move to Ban Teachers From Board

no part of banning teachers board.

another, thus creating masters." from sitting on boards of In an impassioned plea, problems of pollution and ville, and Ernie Bodnar of asked "Is there a trend for member belongs to the On motion contended there must enemy," he commented.

Georgetown, was defeated 16 to people paid by the public purse tario Trustees Association, and be a reason for the banning of He claimed as members of

The 20 member Halton education. At present, leachers now one to good roads, Goodin concluded by quoting said the O.S.S.T.F. was a by suggesting that anyone County Board of Education may sit on a board, provided automobiles etc. they could live from St. Matthew, by saying, provincial group with the becoming involved in certain made it clear they would have they are not employed by that in one area and work in "No man can serve two common goal of "divide and sections of the government has to give up something and so do

education, last week, when a trustee Goodin claimed many traffic, among others. He move in that direction by ratepayers felt teachers should claimed there was a conflict of Georgetown's trustee Ernie predicted more. "As such I resign their teaching role while Trustees G. E. Goodin, of Oak- not be on school boards, and interest when as a trustee, the Bodnar, the seconder of the believe it unwise to arm the serving on the board," he

to take over the system?" as a teacher belongs to the municipal employees from the O.S.S.T.F. he felt they
The motion called for He pointed out that in the past O.S.S.T.F. He asked where sitting on municipal councils, would be unable to serve on the legislation to prohibit teachers teachers lived in the area in would the loyalty lie. After and similarly teachers from salary committees, since they from sitting on any board of which they were employed, but quoting from many sources, sitting on school boards. He would be negotiating their own

RESIGN FIRST Bodnar sald he feared teachers in a speciality would confine their interest to that area. "Our representatives should be much broader, not

suffering from tunnel vision."

committee," he added,

he remarked.

He challenged 'democratic right', opposition by suggesting that anyone to give up something, and so do teachers. "I have no objection

In voting against the motion the 16 opposing trustees said the decision should be made by the voter at the polls, when a

salaries. "Every trustee should teacher is running for election be eligible to serve on every to a school board.

> Seizing on the comments, Georgetown high school teacher Tom Ramautarsingh president of District 9, O.S.S.T.F. referring to Bodnar's statements in which he termed teachers "enemies", said, "It is very fronic that he sends his children to the enemies. I really did not realize that I voted for a person who

Ramautarsingh branded backed the provincial govern- engineers, from municipal Goodin's statements about ment legislation which says a councils since there could be a added pollution and traffic teacher can run as a trustee for conflict of interests. conditions being the fault of travelling teachers, as "absurd

and ludicrous." Summing up, Ramoutarsingh said he felt the board should be spending its time more usefully by trying to improve the quality

Statement Says Ban Would Be Violation

A statement from District 9, any board of education Ontario Secondary Teachers' providing the individual is not Federation, on the move to ban employed by that board. teachers from sitting on school boards, terms it a violation of The O.S.S.T.F. takes the civil rights. The letter says position that the voter has the teachers are citizens and right to make the decision, and that I voted for a person who taxpayers and have the right to suggests that banning teachers looked upon teachers as sit on any board. District 9 would then be as logical as

president Tom Ramautarsingh banning realtors, lawyers,

of education and by lessening their responsibility to help the great number of classes improve the educational atwhich have over 40 students. mosphere in the schools," "These people (trustees) are concluded the district paid by the taxpayers and it is president.

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School Teacher is Winner Herald's Show Tour

picked last week from the drum

containing all entries deposited in 11 stores which participated in the contest. On February 22, she and her Stewarttown Senior School. daughter Susan will fly to

theatre tickets to hit London relatives during their trip.

member of the staff of Chapel Street public school. Daughter Susan is in Grade 8 at She is doubly happy to win the winners, 14 winners of weekly London, England, for 14 days, trip, having lived in London Their prize includes return air before coming to Canada. They

fare, hotel and transfers, seven will also be visiting with store where they were drawn.

similar trip. WEEKLY WINNERS Besides the grand prize draws received \$5.00 cash

vouchers, redeemible at the

Weekly winners were: James

Mackenzie Dr.; Mrs. A. Gelok, Mrs. Mellor, a widow, is a nett, 7 Campbell Gate, had a 1 Mill St.; William Treahy, 11 Carole St.; Wendy Worrall, 4 Market St.; Wayne Price, R.R.1, Limehouse; William Carter, 54 Regan Cr.; Kay Heller, 192 Mountainview Rd. N.; Mrs. G. Thomas, R.R.2; Norene Marchand, 57 Byron St.; Janet Davey, 17 Rosefield Dr.; M. Worrall, 4 Market St.

Ministry Ready to Mrs. Maureen Mellor, 9 Shows, an Avis rent-a-car for Cleaveholm Drive, is the winner of The Herald's London Casino, and Stool Super Show Tour contest. Mrs. Mellor's entry slip was TEACHER Mrs. Mellor's entry slip was TEACHER Mrs. Mellor's entry slip was TEACHER TEACHER Shows, an Avis rent-a-car for the second time a trip winner has come from George-town. Gilmore, R.R.1; Mrs. D. Gilmore, R.R.2, Acton; P. Lindsay, 227 Vodden St., Brampton; Jim Buckwald, 30 Mackenic Dr. Mackenic Georgetown By-Pass

Regional Government

What the People are Saying

Tuesday, January 23, a packed auditorium heard over-governed, each little town, Ontario's plans for regional municipaltiy having its own government in the West of government. Regional Metro Area. The proceedings government will break down were telecast on channel II and reported in last week's Herald. This week The Herald sampled public reaction to the proposal, as to whether it would be good

for Georgetown. "The greatest thing that has happened to Georgetown in 25 years. There is too much services together, I feel the

"I wouldn't like to see the pear. Three miles outside of It will give all the small towns Sargent Rd.

a say in things we are not in favour of. We should stay as an

the old steel bridge, now used

as a footpath, will necessitate

the power struggle" .- John Gilmore, 24 Queen Street.

"If the trend in cost is going to be anything like the cost of schooling in the area, I vote 100 percent against it" .- Ed Peters, 31 Byron Street.

"If they lump all the public

where I lived 25 years ago in advancement in industry and Paisley, Scotland, there was a the availability of entertasmall town called George- inment. It will also produce a

Will Be Reconstructed

bridge at Norval, roughly Fatality Was Third between the existing bridge and

Four Norval Roads

"I'm in tayour of it. We are Sparks, 69 Pennington

"We will loose our grass roots Halton Golf & Country Club most interested that it does not government and our iden- would be the most acceptable. come within the town bountity".-William A. Johnson, Nassagaweya Township. "I think it's a good idea. You feasibility study, and that the Halton golf course."

policing under the regional from their request. system".-Doug Civil, 19

governments. We should fight it

town".-Mrs. Gordon Miller, 81 more adept group for the public for Halton and the proposal to done this spring. argent Rd. to go to, and receive a faster make one community of The project was approved "I'm afraid we would not get response".—John Whitney, 12 Georgetown, Acton, and most and budgeted last fall, but was of Esquesing and Nassagaweya delayed when an Ontario Hydro

desperately".-Lindsey Gunn. Widening of Guelph Street. Advance Green R.R.3, Georgetown. Widening of Guelph Street. Advance Green The Herald invites your the hill where it joins Main oplnion on regional government Street North will probably be At Maple Ave.

"We will get more done, there Townships. Write to The Mail strike vetoed removal of hydro individual town".—Mrs. Bessie being a larger area and larger Bag or phone in a concise poles carrying high tension pock 38 Rexway Drive. group of people. Mrs. Helen comment to 877-2201. wires along the highway.

soon as possible, in preparation for the widening.

of the widening.

plan includes replac- make a survey to see if an ement of most of these, with advanced green for the south trees up to four inches in turn onto Maple would be

The Minister replied that daries, and particularly, that it controls cannot be placed on a does not cut across the North

Discussing this at a works

members of that committee

"It could be either south or

can't deny the small com- department is ready to proceed. The committee will advise munities will have better if Georgetown eliminates this council to have the department proceed with its study.

"I don't like it. We will lose our identity".-Mrs. John Highway Will Be Gintock, 53 Market Street. "I wouldn't like to see the Ballinafad. Service will become too impersonal".—Mrs. Ria Kroezen, take power away from the local Adams, 3 Moultrey Crescent. "It is Bill Davis' scheme to Widened This Spring

have it avoid the present town committee meeting Monday,

discussed last year, council preference for the suggested

munications that a route south north as far as I'm concerned,"

of town limits and west of North said Cr. Ern Hyde. "We are

When the bypass was indicated that there is no strong

Georgetown council favours a

informed the Minister of route.

Highway 7 bypass, but would

Transportation and Com-

A further major improvement may be made at the Maple Avenue and Highway 7

Council has now asked the hydro to relocate the poles as

SOME TREES

Last year, traffic lights were installed there. And later, a left turn lane onto Maple from the eastern highway approach, was in-

While this has partly solved the congestion problem at the Present sidewalks will not corner, often there is a pile-up have to be replaced, but a of traffic turning onto Maple. number of trees will be victims The highway department has told town council that it will

CARNIVAL ROYALTY



Leslie Mitchell was chosen queen of the Georgetown District High School Winter Carnival, Saturday night. She will reign over the events of this week at the school. See High School Insights page 5.

MRS. MAUREEN MELLOR AND DAUGHTER SUSAN ARE THINKING SHOW TOUR.

FLIPPED OVER FLAPJACKS

Christine Butchart smothers a plate of pancakes in syrup at the Georgetown District High School's Winter Carnival breakfast at the



school Saturday morning. The pancake breakfast was the first event in the week's program. Below, Lorne

right of way. A portion of Highway 7 east of the existing bridge will be

Hegstrom savors the flavour.

rebuilt and returned to here for deliveries and maintenance. Noble Street will be feet southward to the new highway location: CONNECTION

A new connection to the highway will be built on the road that serves C. Morton, L. Straub, and the Riviera Club, with the entrance to the highway opposite Noble Street.

"I can only see it as an advantage to the municipality", said acting reeve Len Coxe, "as it will cost us nothing and result

as a footpath, will necessitate the reconstruction of roads in At Same Intersection Esquesing council accepted The intersection of 17 Cotta, which occurred January

the proposal of the Ministry of Sideroad and Fourth Line West, 20. Transportation and Com- which Chinguacousy wants Looking into accident records munications, Monday night, at examined by the county of the intersection shows, Council meeting, where four engineer, does not show a police besides the Foster accident, roads will be reconstructed, record as fatal as described by two in 1969. But none in 1971 or with three to be returned to the one of the councillors.

municipality and the fourth, a Chinguacousy Councillor either in the years mentioned, part of York Road from Shea's Murray Judge said last Wed-Chinguacousy Police Chief garage to the river will be nesday that there had been six Ken Sider said there were retained as part of Highway 7 fatal accidents there in the last collisions, maybe even half a two to three years.

The most recent was that of at other places, but not

Mrs. Carol Foster of Terra fatalities. Esquesing for maintenance. A Body Identified As turning circle will be installed tenance. Noble Street will be extended approximately 100 Janice Montgomery

> propped against a fence in the Saskatoon. Georgetown area five months Police had circulated the by Dr. James Purvis of the use to investigators.

Society of Forensic Odontology Insp. W. R. Bennett of the Provincial Police Criminal Investigation Branch pieced in better roads for everyone in together different things and the area".

An autopsy showed she had finally on "a hunch" sent the been shpt in the head.

The body of a woman found dental chart of the woman to

1972. And no other can be traced

ago was positively identified dental chart to all dentists in last Thursday as Janice Ontario and published it in the Montgomery, 22, of Saskatoon. Ontario Dentists' Journal, but The identity was confirmed this had proved to be of little

Laura Montgomery of New who compared the teeth against Westminster, B.C. the woman's dental records from Saskatoon. mother said "If she was murdered I want to know why and who did it".

OHA Nixes Raider Rebuilding, Club Retains Allan Eagleson

Georgetown Raiders have occupies a lower berth. could cost them the four ex- help Raiders too much. Oakville Oak players they OHA Rule 171 states that picked up when that club members of a disbanded team

confused, but this much is Ralders. On top of that, Raiders known. Some OHA executive have an even stronger claim on apparently feel the Oakville the four players in question, foursome would make Raiders Craig Brush, Tim McNell, Ivan too strong for the Niagara Fournier and Jeff Nicholson. District Intermediate A League since Oakville Oaks and in which the team currently Raiders were affiliated.

NHL player representative A Raiders club spokesman Alan Eagleson going to bat for said the OHA has not been able them this week in their latest to make a claim that the four dispute with the Ontario are illegally on the Raider Hockey Association. This one roster - only that they would

collapsed a few weeks ago. become free agents which The situation is somewhat makes them eligible to join

OHA suspended the foursome late last week and at press time they had missed three games. This is third straight year that Raiders and OHA have been at odds. The previous

differences involved a playoff protest from Dundas which the OHA upheld with a strange ruling, and then some wierd playoff scheduling with Brantford and charge that veteran Raider king pin Blake inglis was suddenly an import: Raiders, employing what

amounted to a pre-Christmas (Continued on Page 2)

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