



YOUNG ADMIRERS

Great grandsons and daughters gathered to wish Mrs. Mabel Hurley a happy 95th birthday in Georgetown Saturday. (From left) Leanne Clarke, 11, David Grant, 8, and Michael Grant, 11, were three of the five grandchildren Mabel can claim as kin. She lived in Georgetown before World War One and stayed until about three years ago when she moved into a nursing home in Aurora.

Tom Gibson

Meet the principal

By ROBIN BAKEWELL
Herald Staff

One of the things Tom Gibson enjoys most about his job as principal of Howard Wrigglesworth Public School is "working with a terrifically dedicated staff such as I have here."

Mr. Gibson immigrated to Canada from Altrincham, England at the age of five. During the late 1940s he received his teacher's training at the Toronto Normal School. "Whether or not that meant everyone who went there was normal, I don't know," he said. He indicated his interest in the teaching field after having some "very influential teachers in high school," coupled with the fact that he liked the idea of teaching.

In September of 1949 Mr. Gibson entered the teaching profession. He had taught in Barrie and North York before arriving in Halton County as the principal of Martin Street School in Milton. A middle school at the time, it was part of the Milton School Board.

SIX YEARS
Mr. Gibson came to Halton Hills in 1975 and was principal at Joseph Gibbons Public School for six years before his present position at Howard Wrigglesworth. He is now in his third year as principal at that school.

As principal of the school Mr. Gibson enjoys the overview of the whole school rather than a one class situation that some of the teachers may see. "I like seeing the development and progression of the kids," he said. Even the administrative work of his job appeals to Mr. Gibson although "there's an awful lot of paper work."

One of the biggest changes Mr. Gibson has seen in the education field is the tremendous expansion the system went through when it seemed money was no object. "Now with the economic restraints, teachers are doing as good a job as ever because of their desire to do a good job," he said.

TRAVEL
Mr. Gibson's outside interests include travel and photography. "I have been involved with Horizon Tours since 1967 and have taken tours to the East and West coasts," he said. Presently taking a photography course at Sheri-

Highland Games June 9

The bagpipes will blow again as the Halton-Peel Highland Games return to Georgetown's Fairgrounds Park June 9. The games received town permission Monday night.

There'll be the usual colorful parade starting at Remembrance Park in the morning. If you follow the bagpipes along James Street to Main Street then Park Street, you'll find yourself in the Georgetown Fairgrounds with hundreds of practising bagpipe players.

Main Street will be closed off for the duration of the parade.

To remind you the games are coming soon, there'll be nylon banners over the east and west ends of Guelph Street two weeks prior to the games day.



dan College, Mr. Gibson would like to travel with his wife, Ruth, after his retirement. Mrs. Gibson is an artist who works with oils, watercolors and ink. He feels that during their travels they could both enjoy their hobbies.

The Gibsons have four sons and almost four grandchildren. "I may have another grandchild right this minute," Mr. Gibson said referring to a near addition to the family. Their youngest son is studying science at Western University.

Ambulance service Apalled, confused: unlikely in Acton

By MAGGIE HANNAH
Herald Special
A meeting with ministry of health staff has provided some interesting information for Coun. Dave Whiting who wants better ambulance service for Acton.

But the meeting is unlikely to result in efforts to establish a separate ambulance station here.

Coun. Whiting said ministry figures show the Georgetown ambulances serving Halton Hills were called out 1,400 times in 1983. Of that number, only 167 calls were dispatched to Acton. Response times to those calls ranged from 12 to 14 minutes.

If the patient is conscious and specifically asks to be taken to a Guelph hospital or if a doctor at the scene directs the attendants to take the patient to Guelph, then the ambulance can go there.

Falling those interventions, the ministry forces ambulances to take patients to the closest hospital. For Halton Hills that means Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital, Coun. Whiting said.

The establishing of detailed information on computer in Mississauga will make it much easier for dispatchers to get ambulances to their correct destination in rural areas of Halton rapidly, he said.

The computer will tell the dispatcher, for example, that a Halton Hills caller might be at any of three locations if he gave his address as the Sixth Line. It could

be the Sixth Line West in Peel Region, it could be the Sixth Line of Halton Hills, or it could be the Sixth Line of Milton with an Acton rural route.

—Courtesy Guelph Mercury



NURSES WEEK

A score of 81 out of 100 isn't anything to sneer at when it comes your health. As part of nurses week, community health nurses set up a booth last Wednesday at the regional building on Highway 25 and conducted lifestyle assessments. Halton Hills Coun. Jake Kuiken scored 81 on the computer fed questionnaire that asked questions about body weight, smoking, diet, exercise, moods and stress, nutrition, occupational health, alcohol, auto safety and preventive care.

(Herald photo)

By MAGGIE HANNAH
Herald Special
Two members of the legislature are "appalled" and confused over an award by the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board to the husband of an Acton murder victim.

Jack Johnson (PC - Wellington-Dufferin-Peel) is "appalled" at the size of an award by the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board to an Erin man whose wife was stabbed to death in their Acton home Oct. 22, 1981.

Julian Reed (Lib. - Halton-Burlington), in whose riding the murder was committed, said he can't understand the rationale for the board's decision. Mr. Reed said in an interview last Tuesday he may question the award in the legislature.

Kevin Oates received \$3,182.23 to cover expenses resulting from his wife's death. His daughter Amy, 6, received \$2,000 to be held in trust until she is 18.

The board refused a claim by Mr. Oates' son Shane, 3, on the grounds he was too young. The board also refused a claim for lost wages submitted by Mr. Oates' mother, Lorraine Oates, who has given up full-time work to take care of the children.

"PALTRY AWARD"
Mr. Johnson said the "paltry" award should be reviewed. "Those



JULIAN REED

children have to go through life without a mother."

"I'm terribly concerned about our society and the way we treat victims of crime compared with the way we treat criminals."

Mr. Reed also said he will support Jack Johnson in his efforts to help the family.

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NOTICE OF ROAD RECONSTRUCTION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 298 and 301 of The Municipal Act, being Chapter 302 of The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1980, that the Council of the Town of Halton Hills at its meeting to be held in the Council Chambers, Municipal Administration Building, Trafalgar Road, at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, June 4, 1984, will consider the passing of a by-law for the road reconstruction project set out below:

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Reconstruction of Meadvale Road and Westcott Road in their entirety.
Plans detailing this project and the proposed by-law are available for viewing during normal business hours at the Engineering Department Office, Trafalgar Road. Any inquiries should be directed to the Engineering Department at 877-5185.
The Council will hear in person or by his Counsel, any person who claims that his lands will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applied to be heard. Persons wishing to be heard should notify the office of the undersigned.
DATED at the Town of Halton Hills this 4th day of May, 1984.

K.R. Richardson, A.M.C.T.
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1/2 c. melted butter
1 tsp. cinnamon or grated orange rind.
— For flour topping, mix flour and sugar; cut in butter until coarse crumb is formed. Mix about 1/4 of the crumbs with chopped fruit.

— Spread in well-greased baking dish; cover with remaining crumbs.

— Sprinkle with grated orange rind, if desired.

— Bake in moderate oven, 350°F. 30 to 40 min. or until browned. Serve with cream if desired.

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