



GRADE EIGHT CLASS at Fairview public school, Lowville, was honored at the graduation banquet in the school auditorium on Tuesday evening. Above are the graduates, with teacher John Hodge at left and principal Harold Speers at right. They are Linda Barclay, Barbara Buck, James Coulson, Morley Crewson, Mary Jean Coulson, Marlene Curtis, Beverley Dales, Gary Daniels, Stuart Dolbel, Terry Grant, William Gudgeon, Susan Hall, Betty Hume, Margaret Hume, Susan Johnston, Glen Kangas, Anne Lewis, Sandra Lunt, Marabel Martin, Sharon Mason, Marjorie McCormack, John Metzinger, Ann Odorica, Larry Pelletier, Doug Potter, Bonnie Powell, David Prudham, Allan Reid, Eva Rouse, Patricia Sunstrum, Brenda Twiss, Brian Vivian, James Watson, Ann Weir, Ruth Wilson, Webster Yake, Ian Montgomery, Jerry Kenney and Barbara Wilson. Seven of the students won awards for proficiency.

Ask Commercial Section

Table Petition on Main St. Rezoning

After more than one hour's discussion on Thursday of last week, the Milton Planning Board tabled a petition asking for the rezoning of Main St. West into a C-1 zone (commercial) because the board felt that the signers of the petition did not realize the consequences of C-1 planning. The petitioners and the board will have a public hearing to discuss the matter.

Board members explained they were not in favor of extending the present C-1 area because of insufficient parking space. Councillor Charles Wilson remarked that the people are not aware of what they are asking for, while secretary Ross Pearen said "they probably don't care what type it is, all they want is commercial."

Assessor Frank McNiven disagreed with councillor Wilson saying he thought they are aware and people buying these properties are also aware. He said some of these property owners have received "tempting offers".

C-2 Explained

Planning Consultant P. Alan Deacon, pointed out that 50 per cent of a lot can be built upon in a C-1 area, but in a C-2, also commercial, only 20 per cent of the lot can be covered by a building, which means the property owner would get less dollars for renting.

He added that C-2 is termed as a block development and the minimum frontage of property allowable is 400 feet.

Councillor Norman Pearce asked for a compromise between a C-1 and a C-2. He said a lot of people cannot afford to erect a new building and they would have to operate from their residences. The board agreed they must be careful to limit this type of business. Parking is the major problem, and Mr. Deacon said the people are probably thinking of C-1 parking which allows about two cars. He added, "The C-1 was a horrible compromise in that it didn't provide the parking it should have." The L.C.B.O. store is an exception because it has provided more parking than is required by the by-law.

From purely a planning standpoint, Mr. Deacon said, there is nothing to justify the major amendment to the by-law. He added, there had to be a demand for commercial development in that area before any zoning change. Councillor Pearce disagreed because he said there are persons in the area who want to go commercial. Mr. Deacon replied that the hard commercial core has insufficient off-street parking and the board must solve that problem in advance of any extension.

He mentioned the new shopping centre's parking lot would create more competition, because people drive rather than walk to shop these days, he said.

Attractive Offers

The planning consultant said "no reasons were given on the petition for the change." Mr. McNiven said two or three attractive offers for commercial property have been made in that area.

Okay Separation

The board approved a land separation plan which would permit the erection of a commercial building on the Base Line. A 100 foot wide strip owned by Edwin Harrop was to be sold to William Cook and Hayley Construction Co. The property will be west of Pyrofax Gas Ltd.

An application from Douglas Henderson for the construction of a caretaker's house on a 100' by 150' lot on the south side of Parkway Drive extension was refused, because the zoning by-

law would only permit the establishment of a golf course or a park.

Favor Plan

The board favored a plan of Trafalgar planning board to straighten out the borders of industrial land behind Oakview Developments and Halton Centennial Manor.

The plan calls for the rezoning of agricultural land to commercial, a portion of industrial to commercial and of agricultural to industrial.

Round Table

A number of board members were to attend the Trade and Industry Round Table in Hamilton. George Purdy, Glyn Roberts and Bud Nichols represented the board while Councillor Pearce represented council. Assessor Frank McNiven was going on a special invitation from Mayor Lloyd D. Jackson of Hamilton.



Norman Bird

Former Milton high school student Norman A. Bird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bird, R.R. 3, Georgetown, graduated from O.A.C. in mechanical engineering. He was active in literary and philharmonic activities, and plans to do post-graduate work at U of T this fall.

Social and Personal Notes . . .

You are invited to send contributions to this column. Just write down your social or personal items and drop them in at the Champion office, or telephone TR 8-2341.

Miss Kathryn Tufford and Miss Josephine Barr will spend the summer at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kress, Wendy and Kathryn, Heslop Road attended the Kress family reunion held in Attwood last weekend.

Roy Coulter, R.R. 3, Campbellville, flew from Milton to a meeting in Ottawa on Wednesday as a member of the Provincial Wheat Board.

Mrs. Margaret Taylor from Toronto is visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor, R.R. 6, Milton.

Mrs. A. Hamilton, R.R. 5, Milton, is a patient in Milton District Hospital and friends hope she will soon be quite well and able to return home again.

Friends will be pleased to know that Kenneth Newell who received a badly crushed foot in an accident recently, has now returned from hospital.

Attending the annual convention of Mayors and Reeves of Ontario, held at Cornwall this week, were Mr. and Mrs. Art Desjardine and family of Milton.

Miss Ada Turner of Glanworth, attended the Turner Reunion on Saturday and is visiting at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Hall of Milton.

Among those present at the Turner reunion in Milton on Saturday, were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall of Niagara Falls who were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Hall.

Wives and lady friends of the Lorne Scots pipes and drums have been invited to an outing at the Pig and Whistle Inn, Bronte this Saturday evening. Supper and dancing are on the program.

While in Toronto on Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Art Desjardine of Milton had a real honor. They reported they "rubbed elbows" with none other than Gina Lollobrigida in the Barclay Hotel.

Frank Walker, Hamilton, who was bugler for the 164th Battalion, visited old comrades in Milton on his return home from a month's vacation in Kentucky. Mr. Walker had to return home to enter Sunnybrook Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon A. Featherstone, R.R. 1, Milton, spent three days this week in Delaware Inn, Honey Harbor for the annual convention of municipal clerks and finance officers. Mr. Featherstone is clerk of Trafalgar Township.

Friends of Cheryl Hardy, Heslop Road, held a farewell party in her honor and presented her with a wallet on Monday evening. Cheryl left Tuesday evening for Bracken, Sask., where she will spend the summer with her aunt Mrs. Betty Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McDonough have returned from their motor trip to the Gaspé Peninsula and the Eastern provinces. Mrs. McDonough reported beautiful weather throughout the whole trip, and both enjoyed the wonderful scenery and pleasant driving.

Mrs. A. Neilson, Mrs. Stella Parton and Isabella Gordon are gradually recovering from injuries and shock they received following an accident on June 2 at the Bronte Junction of the Queen Elizabeth Highway. Mrs. Parton was crossing the highway on a green light when hit by an on-coming car, and the occupants of both cars were fortunate in not receiving more serious injuries.

Jack Taylor of Milton, owner of the Triangle Pet Bar, travelled to the Vito Bin plant in St. Thomas on business this week, and will go from there to Vineland, near Atlantic City, New Jersey, and Norwich, New York on a Veterinary Product sales training course. He returns July 4. Doug Prizeman of Winnipeg, who visited with the Taylors Saturday evening, is travelling with Mr. Taylor.

Mrs. P. A. Freeman of Markham, Ont. (formerly Annie McCowan of Milton) and Mrs. A. Galbraith, also of Markham, returned to Milton for a short visit recently and called on friends, also relatives Mrs. Jim Galbraith and Tom Galbraith of this district. While visiting at the Champion office, Mrs. Freeman recalled many of the names of former residents and business folk whom she had known when she resided here over 50 years ago. Her last visit to Milton was at the time of the Centennial when she attended the reunion. Mrs. Freeman remarked on the great changes which had taken place in Milton and was amazed to hear that there are now three large public schools and a new high school here.

Land Use Study In N. Burlington

A detailed building and land use study is this week being conducted throughout the northern section of Burlington, by eight students employed by the Burlington and Suburban Area planning board. It is hoped that by the fall, a complete master plan of the whole town can be prepared, showing rural and urban land use as well as shopping, economic, recreational and social influences on areas.

Farmers and homeowners in the northern area were being interviewed by the students this week with questions of where they shop, work, find recreation, and market their products. The group is also studying age groups, schooling areas and types of housing throughout the area.

Union Returns C. Hayes Prexy

In an election on Wednesday of last week, Clifford Hayes was returned as president of the Local 4970, United Steelworkers of America, at P. L. Robertson, Milton.

Other officers are vice-president Don McLean, financial secretary J. L. Cox, treasurer, Alfred Hachey, guide Syd Childs, guards Ken Lewis and G. C. Lewington, trustees, Mel Hood, Harry Smith and Max Bradbury.

Two Committees
Grievance committee members are Andy Caves, chief steward of mechanical and maintenance; Russ Arnold, shipping; Harry Smith, production; and members J. L. Cox and Hugh McDonald.

Negotiating committee members are Harry Smith, Robert McGinnis, Jack Arnold, Max Bradbury and president Hayes.

179 Kilted Dancers Here Sat. In Ontario Dance Championships

The Ontario Highland Dancing Championships to be held at the Milton fair grounds Saturday will display 179 kilted dancers in the seven to 19 years age bracket, according to Tom Cumella, local representative of the provincial Highland Dancing Association.

All Day Show
The big show will run from 9 a.m. until late in the afternoon. The dancers will compete in five

Disturbed People Common in Africa

The Afternoon Auxiliary of Knox W.M.S. held their last meeting until September, on Tuesday, June 14. The president, Mrs. Bell, chose a short message on "Thoughts and needs in Africa" as her opening theme. The hymn "Where Cross the Crowded ways of Life" was sung, and the roll answered by the 14 members present.

The April and May minutes were adopted as read. Reports on the expense fund, and the bale were given by Mrs. Scott and Mrs. McMillan respectively. All correspondence on hand was read and immediate business taken care of.

Padre's Paper
Mrs. McMillan in charge of devotions read the 19th and 20th verses of Matthew, the 8th chapter, after which she read a most interesting paper written by a padre at the O.A.C. in Guelph, entitled "Loose ends account for much in Life's Confusion". Mrs. Agnew led in prayer. Miss M. Elliot gave the good thought, and the singing of hymn No. 582 "O Master let me walk with Thee" followed.

"Disturbed" Key Word
The topic, Changing Ways of Life in Africa was dealt with by Mrs. Yates, as she told of one great problem that has been created in that country by the existence of so many very large cities. The churches and missionaries are laboring diligently to lessen many of the adverse conditions, such as unemployment, poverty, and spiritual want. Many of the African people are so very disturbed, continued Mrs. Yates, that "DISTURBED" is a key-word among the laborers of God in Africa.

Okay Five Lots On Bell Street

Milton Committee of Adjustment Tuesday evening approved relief from the zoning by-law for Loudoun Home Builders, on five lots on Bell St.

The allowance reduced the square foot minimum requirement by 248 feet from the original 7,500 square foot rule. It was noted the lots conformed with all other requirements of the by-law, and the subdivision was registered before zoning by-law was approved.

types of traditional Scottish dancing, the Fling, Sword Dance, Sailor's Hornpipe, Irish Jig and Chartreuse. Points will be awarded in each class and the top point getters will be declared Ontario champs. Winners will later compete at the C.N.E.

A good attendance is expected and a refreshment booth will be operating on the grounds. Competitions will be held in front of the new grandstand.

Brian T. Mullally Real Estate Broker

A new Milton real estate broker began in business this week, following the passing of his examinations last week.

He is Brian T. Mullally, 109 Wakefield Road, Milton, who has been living in Milton for the past year. Mr. Mullally was working as salesman for the J. M. Hopson firm in Oakville for about four years prior to starting out on his own.

Rotary Convention In Words, Pictures

A word and picture report on the Rotary International Convention at Miami recently, was given by club delegate Earl Mongraw at a noon meeting of the Milton Rotary on Tuesday.

"Building bridges of friendship" was the convention theme with delegates from countries around the world attending the event. Indicating the size of the conference, Mr. Mongraw noted the convention auditorium would seat 20,000.

Rotary Goals
He reviewed the pageants, speakers, Rotary International goals and the election of officers for the coming year.

During the business session of the noon luncheon, members were urged to form a park work party to complete park clean-up and the event was arranged for Tuesday evening.

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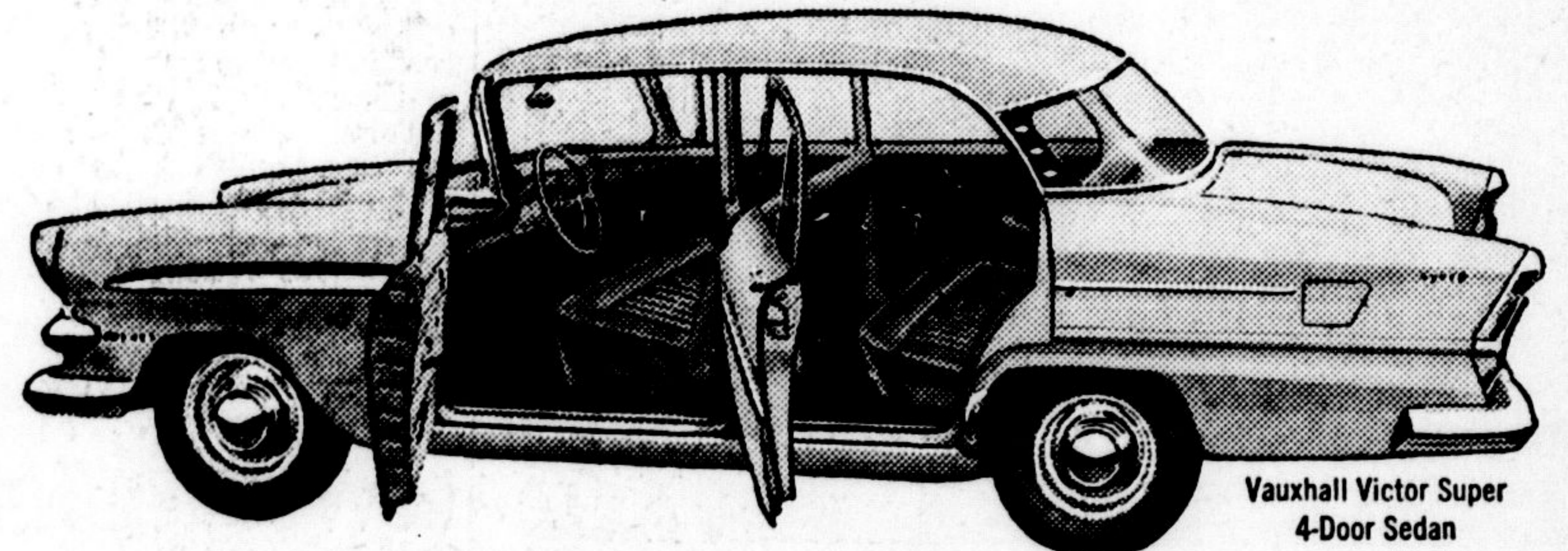
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