

Obituary

Ernest Millson

Involved and active in the community until a final week, A. Ernest Millson died Feb. 13, 1978 at Milton District Hospital.

Mr. Millson was a Milton resident in the 1920s as a bank accountant. When he completed his time with the Bank of Commerce, he retired to Milton 21 years ago.

Born at Gorrie, Ont. he received his education in Lucknow. He served with banks in a number of centres such as Niagara Falls and Hamilton where he played hockey as well. He came to Milton in the 1920s with the bank and then moved on to Stratford and Weston.

During his early years in Milton he was involved in amateur dramatic productions and sports activities. When he returned to Milton he continued his active involvement in community life. He served as secretary-treasurer of the North Halton High School District Board and on its dissolution, continued as business administrator at Milton District High School.

Regarded locally as one of the "founding fathers" of the

Milton Curling Rink on Millside Dr. he was instrumental in working toward construction of that facility. He enjoyed active participation in the sport.

A member of the Milton Lawn Bowling Club, he won the 1977 club championship. He served as an active member of St. Paul's United Church as an elder and as a member of the Committee of Stewards and Unified Board. He was a past master of Stratford Masonic Lodge 332.

Mr. Millson was an active worker for the Progressive Conservative party and he enjoyed fully the gardening that made his home so attractive.

While he had retired from the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce some years ago, he continued until his death as manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Campbellville for several days each week.

Mr. Millson was predeceased by wife Margaret Letitia Joynt and son Leonard. He is survived by his wife Kathleen Comper, daughter Eileen Glassford and daughter-in-law Beverly Millson, six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Feb. 16 from the McKersie Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. Lorne Brown.

Honorary pallbearers were George Joynt, Stewart Martin, Jack McLeod, Gen Wong, Richard Chan and Gordon Strain.

Pallbearers were grandsons Gary Glassford, Robert Glassford, and John Millson as well as Stephen Marr, Trevor Ling and Robert Reed.

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.



A. E. MILLSON

Christmas Seals up 4.5 per cent

All programs sponsored by the Halton Lung Association will be able to continue for another year, according to C. L. McFadden, Chairman of the Halton Christmas Seal campaign.

Total contributions amounted to \$91,028.14 which is a four and a half per cent increase over last year, he said.

The programs that will continue include Smoking Withdrawal Clinics, Conditioning Courses for Asthmatic Children and Adults, Asthma Day Camps, Educational Seminars in public and high schools, community colleges, libraries and hospitals, Pulmonary Function Testing industry, and answering requests for information literature films and speakers.

Mr. McFadden remarked

Pictures of Milton past, present shown

The regular evening meeting of the Halton Senior Citizens' Club was held Feb. 15 in Knox Church Hall. Mrs. Fred Edwards welcomed the members and guests. Mrs. Clara Price played for O Canada and secretary Dean Parrott read the minutes of last meeting.

After a small amount of business, Bob Laking introduced Len McNeil who showed a number of slides of Milton, past and present. The interesting pictures, the music and talk of "Our Heritage" brought back memories and was most appreciated. Mrs. Ed Parsons expressed the Club's thanks to Mr. McNeil.

With Mrs. Price at the piano, Happy Birthday was sung to Gordon Robinson and a birthday cake to honor his 80th birthday was a pleasant surprise. After God Save the Queen and the Mizpa benediction, Mrs. Ellen Reid and her helpers served lunch.

On Feb. 22 at the Legion Hall several members enjoyed the afternoon social time, playing cards and bingo. The help of the Legion Auxiliary Ladies, Mrs. Millie Thomas, Mrs. Millie Dance,

Stone Road mall opens

Stone Road Mall in Guelph today opened a \$10.5 million, 400,000 square foot addition and celebrated the opening with a visit from Flintstone characters.

Forty new shops and services have been added to the existing 45 and the expanded mall includes a K-Mart, Miracle Food Mart and Sears store. A ribbon of 151 \$1 bills was cut by Mayor Norm Jary, Fred Flintstone, Barney Rubble and TV personality Big Al, and the ribbon was donated to the Association for the Mentally Handicapped.



ST. CLAIR CHAPTER, Royal Arch Masons No. 75, Milton, recently installed new officers for 1978. Ex. Comp. Robert Moreau is the First Principal for this year. Shown in the front row from left are director of ceremonies Harry Overend, second principal Ed Ramsbottom, first principal Robert Moreau, third principal Chris Burton, secretary Cliff Lewington, treasurer Stanley Chisholm, and master of the second veil

Phillip Howe. Second row, senior steward Peter Anderson, junior sojourner John Goulding, Scribe N John Hoekzema, principal sojourner William Whyte, master of the third veil Cliff Paul, master of the first veil George Clements, master of the fourth veil Vic Poelzer, and outer guard Ed Joyce. Absent was past first principal Bruce McKerr.

Brock principal says

Too many people go to university

Too many people are going through universities and not enough are going after apprenticeships in skilled trades, according to General Brock High School Principal George Cass.

Cass spoke to Milton parents about vocational school programs during a meeting at J. M. Denyes School Tuesday.

According to Cass, Canada will find itself in a position where the country can't fill jobs in skilled trades within the next few years.

"We're cutting back on the number of immigrants we are letting in the country and we aren't training our own people to fill positions in the skilled trades."

"The thing is, a lot of these people that are going to University would be a Hell of a lot happier in a trade," Cass said.

Referring to the prospect of a vocational school in North Halton, Cass said it would be a big advantage for students who have to spend up to three hours a day on school buses.

"Those kids should receive a high school credit just for riding the bus," he said.

Cass said the key to any delay trial

The trial of Edwin Alkerton, 48, of no fixed address has once more been delayed. Alkerton, charged with several counts of house break and enter in Halton, Peel and London districts, was scheduled to stand trial Feb. 20.

The court date last week was the third date set for the trial.

No new date has been set.

integrated system was the staff. He said the staff of integrated schools works with handicapped students all the time.

"They need to recognize a child with perceptual problems, instead of mistaking it for a behavioral problem."

Cass said integrated schools have more flexibility than segregated schools and

are able to offer more in the way of program.

He said it would be wrong to segregate vocational students in one wing of a school, away from regular composite students.

If the students are separated, two camps are formed and social problems would develop with vocational students being labelled by other students.

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MEET Otto Jelinek, M.P.

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All interested citizens are invited to attend an informal gathering to meet and hear 'Otto Jelinek' who is seeking the Progressive Conservative nomination for the federal riding of Halton.

Saturday, March 4, 1978
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Confirmation Sunday **Reed pitch**

The Rt. Rev. John C. Bothwell, Bishop of the Diocese of Niagara, will be at St. Luke's Anglican Church in Palermo on Sunday, March 5 at 11 o'clock to conduct the solemn and inspiring service of Confirmation of "the laying on of hands with prayer upon those that are baptized and come to the years of discretion," as stated in the Book of Common Prayer.

The fine confirmation candidates, who have been receiving instruction for many weeks, will be presented to the Bishop by the Rector, the Rev. W.S. Noble.

It is some years since a confirmation service has been held at old St. Luke's Church, and the Rector and the Churchwardens, as well as congregational members, are looking forward to making this service a time of true joy and thanksgiving; a time when those already confirmed will renew their own solemn confirmation vows, and a time when godparents, relatives, family members, as well as the many friends of St. Luke's within the community, will be made most welcome.

Halton-Burlington MPP Julian Reed showed a 20-minute film on resource recovery to Halton Regional Council during the meeting Wednesday.

Reed recently criticized the region for taking a narrow approach to the problem of waste management. He claims the United States has taken a positive stand and is determined to end its reliance of landfill by the year 1980.

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