

## All about / People

Champion publisher Jim Dills, who pinchehits for holidaying news editor Bob Burt and contributes today's editorial page column, won't boast about it himself but "the little bird" who writes the People column wants to let you in on a little secret.

It was just 20 years ago that Jim Dills wrote his first personal "Jim's Jottings" column for The Champion. It was, at the time it was introduced in 1958, the first personal column to be written by a staff member. He kept it going for several years until dropping his weekly Jottings. This week he's revived it, thanks to Bob's holidays. Welcome back, Jim.

Municipal elections will be held this fall across Halton and the first two politicians have made formal announcements about their intentions. Both are from Halton Hills.

Mayor Tom Hill says he'll toss his hat back into the ring for the mayoralty seat in the November elections. He's been Mayor of Halton Hills since the new town was established in 1974 and before that was reeve, deputy reeve and councillor in Esquesing Township.

The other announcement came from Pat McKenzie of Acton, who says he's retiring this year after 12 years as a councillor, deputy reeve and regional councillor. "Council expects staff to retire at 65 and I am one who believes councillors should too," says Pat. He says local councillor Peter Marks stands ready to take his place on both Halton Hills and Halton Regional Council.

Had a note of congratulations to The Champion this week from former editorial staffer John Challinor who recently graduated from his journalism course at Ryerson and is working in the news department at The Mississauga Times.

John congratulates us on winning five awards in this year's Canadian Community Newspaper Association competition, adding "I appreciate the hard work and thinking that went into each and every issue," having worked for The Champion part and full time for a year. He notes his employer, The Times, also won five awards in the CCNA contest too.

Hillsburgh had a grand bluegrass jamboree on the July 8 weekend and the event received a lot of press coverage. Noticed a picture on the front page of the Erin Advocate last week, showed Don Clements of Milton dancing in a grassy field during the festivities.

Former Miltonian Warren Charlton was in town on the weekend, as guest speaker at the morning and evening services at Trinity Baptist Church on Appleby Line. He is currently pastor of Blair Evangelical Baptist Church. Welcome home, Warren.

Former Halton Regional Chairman Allan Masson's appointment as interim trustee in Georgina Township has caused quite a furor in the press. Some are calling it a political plum, his three days a week, \$150 a day job.

Masson was always known as a proponent of one-tier government and fate has now handed him his own one-tier government — on a golden platter. "It's a politician's dream, having a council of one," he quipped to one newspaper. Last week The Independent, Georgetown, commented "Despite the odor of pork barrel politics, we doubt if Queen's Park could have found anyone else better suited for the job" of pulling together a rural township where the last municipal election has been declared invalid and all the councillors were turfed out of office.



A MYSTICAL APPROACH to the MD Carnival at Valleyview Dr. Saturday was taken by ringmaster Valerie St. Denis in her fortune telling garb.

### Carnival raises \$9 MD funds

A Muscular Dystrophy carnival was held by Valerie St. Denis at her home at 402 Valleyview Dr. Milton Saturday afternoon.

She raised \$9,200 for the MD fund with the hour and a half carnival which featured gymnastics, clown and fortune teller, witch game, pie throw, fish pond and races.

About 20 children attended the event organized by Miss St. Denis. Other children involved in running the event were Laura and Nadine St. Denis and Heather Wilhelm.

### Steeles—5th Line

## Plant for painting leased cars

An industry employing 30 people to start, specializing in painting, and conditioning nearly new leased cars for the Chrysler Corporation, wants to locate on 80 acres on Steeles Avenue near the Fifth Line, extending back to Highway 401.

Solicitor Andrew Orr, acting for Frites Ten-Hope of Arndt-Palmer International Ltd., explained to Halton Hills planning board, there would be engine overhauls, just the painting and reconditioning of six month old cars, that have been leased.

Initial size of the plant would be 20,000 square feet, and the cars waiting for painting or waiting for auction when finished would be stored outside.

He explained there would really be only 52 of the 80 acres used, since Hydro have taken over the 28 acres. He pointed out at first only 20 acres would be needed, but said due to the increase in car leasing the remainder would be used shortly.

Mr. Orr said a site plan would be prepared showing the shrubs, bushes, trees and landscaping, as well as a protective berm around the property. He said Mr. Ten-Hope's option on the land expires in November and they would like to have all the approvals by then, since there is a large amount of money involved.

Mr. Ten-Hope told planning board his company had been under contract to Chrysler for the last ten years. He said there are branches in Calgary and Montreal.

"These are not junked or derelict cars," Mr. Ten-Hope emphasized. He said they have between 2,500 to 5,000 miles on them and are no older than six months. He said they will not accept cars with more than \$400 damage, and simply "ding out" a few dents and paint them. He said the auctions, at present, are open only to Chrysler dealers. He said their present lease expires in November next year, and he would like to start building as soon as possible.

The applicant pointed out the location near Highway 401

## Students pass in music exams

The following is a list of successful candidates, in examinations held recently by the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto in Milton. The names are arranged in order of merit.

Grade VIII Piano—Honors, Michele Dredge; Kim Kerr; Kelly Corp; Alan E. Forde.

Grade VII Piano—First Class Honors, Joan Baerg, Pass, Judy Willoughby, Margaret Willoughby (equal).

Grade VI Piano—Honors, Maria L. Liut; Andrew Innes; Evelyn Thompson; Deborah J. Barstow.

Grade V Piano—Honors, Angela Herensberger; Laura P. Burridge; Elspeth White; Ruth A. Brown; Wendy Heinrich; Pass, Nola Van Rooyen; Carolyn Marshall.

Grade IV Piano—First

Class Honors, Martin K. Barstow; Honors, Paul E. Rowan, Marie Y. Thomson (equal); Michael Phillips; Stacie Sopinka; Heather M. Hadley.

Grade III Piano—Honors, Tammy Kerr; Barbara Croall; Thomas Nash (equal); Pass, Kathy McLean.

Grade II Piano—Honors, Valerie Bouwman; Karen Vollmer; Pass, Jennifer Smith; John J. Lawrence; Cheryl Krohnert; Carolyn Dills.

Grade I Piano—First Class Honors, Barbara Nash; Vivian Pastega (equal); Sharon A. Gainer; John Pastega; Honors, Lianne Timbers; Blair Richardson; Pass, Beth Sovereign.

Grade VI Singing—First Class Honors, Joan Fox.

## Guest parliamentarian makes hospital rounds

Milton District Hospital had a visitor from Sweden Thursday morning.

Swedish parliamentarian Karin Flodstrom, accompanied by her husband Ove Flodstrom, made the rounds of the Milton hospital as part of a tour of Ontario and Quebec hospitals.

Mrs. Flodstrom is a member of a Swedish regional council and planning health committee.

A Swedish government grant permitted her to study health in Canada, Czechoslovakia and East Germany this summer.

There are not too many differences between the Milton hospital and a hospital of comparable size in Sweden, she noted.

Mrs. Flodstrom said she

was impressed with the hospital, and stated it offered similar facilities to those found in community hospitals in Sweden.

She was escorted on her tour of the hospital facilities by administrator Brian Brady.

She did note that, unlike Sweden, Canadian hospitals offer their health services to a variety of age groups in one hospital. In Sweden, many hospitals cater to specific age groups, treating children and the elderly in different hospitals.



KARIN FLODSTROM, a Swedish parliamentarian, paid a visit to Milton District Hospital on Thursday, as part of her two week tour of hospitals in Quebec and Ontario.

## Trafalgar Rd.

Widening and reconstruction of Trafalgar Road between Ashgrove and Stewarttown was approved last Wednesday by Halton region public works committee.

The committee also approved four land purchases in connection with the future widening project.

In total the region will buy land from 30 owners at a total price of about \$145,000.

Purchases from Valentia Farms, William P. Corley, William F. Corley and H. and C. Lampe were approved as well as an easement agreement with the Ministry of Transportation and Communications.

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