



Photo by GRAHAM PAINE

Mountie gets his medal

RCMP Assistant Commissioner Giuliano Zaccardelli presents a 25-year service medal to retiring RCMP Sgt. Jim Jestadt of the Milton Commercial Crime Section. He was one of many officers honoured during an awards ceremony at the Milton detachment May 16.

Kingsbury says board should pay

By **TIM WHITNELL**
Special to *The Champion*

If a Milton trustee gets his way, five colleagues with the Halton Board of Education won't have to pay their hefty legal bills arising from a recent court case.

At the end of last week's board meeting, Tim Kingsbury issued a brief notice of motion likely to be discussed at the next meeting June 11.

Mr. Kingsbury is asking the board to approve an expenditure of \$34,596.25 (\$6,919.25 each) to cover the lawyers' fees incurred by five trustees in defending conflict of interest charges levelled against them by Burlington resident Dave Houston of the Taxpayers

Coalition. He believed the quintet violated municipal conflict of interest regulations by voting on the 1996 school board budget.

Milton's Flo Belford, Burlington trustees Joe Pavelka and board chair Linda Glover, Oakville's Penny Siebert, and Halton Hills' Ethel Gardiner all have spouses or family members who work for the Halton or Peel schools boards.

All of the conflict allegations were dropped by Mr. Houston in Milton court on March 3, 1997. The rationale was that Bill 104, the province's Fewer School Boards Act, addressed the group's concerns by barring school board employees and their spouses from becoming trustees.



Tim Kingsbury

MONEY WEEK

with Wally Hunter



Wally Hunter

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