

Haldimand Proposes Taking Part Of Norfolk

CAYUGA (Staff) - Based on an "approach from outside Haldimand" county council Friday accepted a proposal that would have the county take in a portion of Norfolk County to the Blue Line Road.

The report was the work of a five-man county council committee set up to restructure Haldimand within its own boundaries after the county turned down a study report that would have had it

join with Norfolk. The Haldimand report makes two recommendations on restructuring - one to restructure within the county and the other, a "preferred alternate proposal" would take in Port Dover and part of Woodhouse Township in Norfolk up to the Blue Line Road.

The report was accepted with almost unanimous support. Only Hagersville Reeve John Kincaid and Cayuga Reeve Ted Powell dis-

sented. Both have been proponents of regional government with Norfolk.

Dr. Kenneth Mustard, a member of the committee, said it was felt that a unit composed of Walpole, Jarvis, Port Dover and Woodhouse was an easily delineated area because of the industrial expansion and that Norfolk could expand westward to make up for the area taken in.

This would mean Norfolk would have to

take in the area of Elgin County near Port Burwell where Dofasco has purchased land for a steel making complex, set to get underway sometime in the 1980s.

Noting that Haldimand had turned down the Haldimand-Norfolk Study report on establishing regional government in the area, while Norfolk had voted for it, Reeve Kincaid said it seemed the report "is asking Norfolk for some of its property. If I was

on Norfolk County Council and voted for the whole region and we turned it down, are you going to think they'll let us take a part of their county?"

Deputy-reeve Robert Gordon, of Caledonia, said the approach to Haldimand about joining the two townships and Port Dover, came from Norfolk.

Reeve Powell said he could not support the committee's report. "By doing so we are saying that we can't

operate as Haldimand-Norfolk and I think we can." He said it also "appears the committee has decided that we can't restructure without changing the county lines."

The report, which was read by Walpole Township Reeve Gordon Miller, committee chairman, recommends a two-tier system of government for the restructured area, with three area municipal-

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Victoria Day Celebration An Unqualified Success

Bright summer-like weather greeted crowds estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000 who jammed into Jarvis for the annual Victoria Day celebration and Calath-upian Parade.

It was one of the best days in recent

years for the celebration, except for strong gusty winds that forced the cancellation of the parachute jumping display.

But for the organizers, the Jarvis Lions Club, and the crowd,

the day was an unqualified success.

The parade got underway about 1.30 p.m. and took half-an-hour to pass any one point on its route down Main St. to the Jarvis Community Centre grounds.

There were several bands, including the Hagersville Secondary School Band, which will shortly be leaving for its tour of Europe. The band also provided the crowd with a short concert at the park after the parade.

While all this activity was going on, area ball teams were hard at it at the ball diamond with a total of nine games being played. The final game ended in an 11 to 11 tie between Fisher-

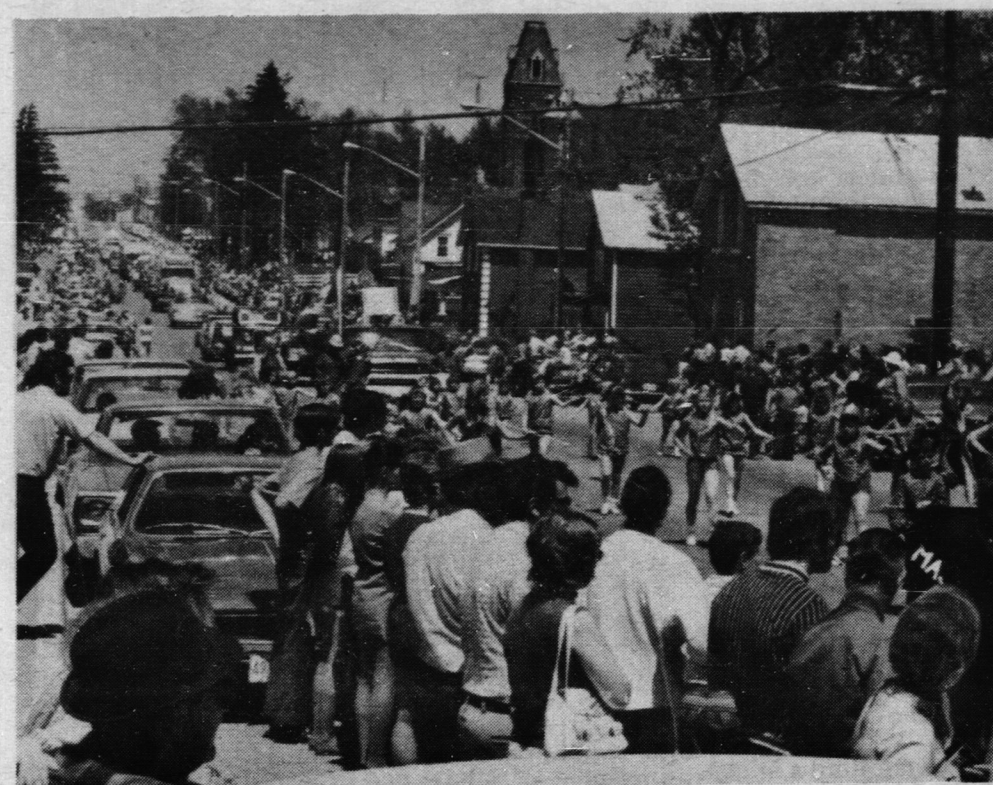
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Walpole Liberals Hold Organization Meeting

Friday, May 19 the Jarvis-Walpole Liberal Assoc. met at the IOOF Hall, Jarvis for their annual organization meeting, with some 30 persons in attendance. Gordon Miller, R.R.1 Jarvis, was chairman, extending a welcome to everyone and conducting the regular business.

He called upon Jim Gibson, the Haldimand-Norfolk president to act as chairman for the election of officers. When no one was nominated from the floor, that would stand, for the office of Chairman a nominating committee of Gerry Snyder, North

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Crowds estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000 gathered in Jarvis Monday to line the Victoria Day Parade route. A portion of the large gathering and several parade entries are seen here. (Staff Photo)

EMO Gets Enthusiastic Boost From Councillor

CAYUGA (Staff) - The Emergency Measures Organization received a big boost of enthusiasm in Haldimand County Council Friday.

Dr. Kenneth Mustard, Dunnville deputy-reeve, urged each of the members of council to return to their own councils and work towards establishing emergency plans to deal with civil disasters.

Dr. Mustard was reporting on a three-day course he attended at the EMO college in Arnprior on April 24-27.

He said the EMO had been established to provide emergency services in the event of nuclear attack, a situation that always has the possibility of happening as long as any country has nuclear

devices. The EMO is also working towards providing emergency plans in the event of civil disaster, such as floods, air crashes, possibilities that are real and exist at all times.

The EMO plans are set up to provide for the safety of citizens, to maintain the struc-

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One way to keep cool Monday was to help man the old Jarvis Fire Department water pump and then get sprayed for your efforts. (Staff Photo)

County Education Board Proposes Parkview Addition

CAYUGA - The Haldimand County Board of Education met for its monthly meeting on May 16 and the policy committee proposed an addition be planned at the Parkview Public School in Hagersville. The addition will provide for additional pupil places for the immediate increase in the Hagersville area.

In addition it will provide facilities to serve a larger area of the senior public school population. Although this is not

planned as a complete senior public school, it is a beginning.

The addition will include a general purpose room, kindergarten, library resource centre, industrial arts room, home economics room, change rooms, health unit and one regular classroom. The estimated cost of the project is \$425,000.

The policy committee made progress reports on the Anna Melick School, J. L. Mitchener and Hald-

mand Schools, Cayuga Secondary School and the Dunnville Senior Public School. These projects are either completed or nearing completion and final inspections are being arranged to satisfy the board that its instructions for the building have been carried out by the contractors.

The board was also informed that site development will take place during the summer months at the

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