



Track and field champions at Jarvis Public School last week were Front - Cathy Dosser, Kristine Rungis and Karen Doughty; Back - Kevin Saunders, Neil Wilson and Bill Clifford. (staff photo)

## Water And Sewers

### Over 1,000 Sign Petition

Over 1,000 Hagersville residents have signed a petition for better water and sewer services in the village.

And at a meeting of the Hagersville Businessmen's Association Tuesday, mer-

chants chose three persons to discuss the question with H - N MPP James N. Allan. Association chairman Bill Courtneage, member Mac McKellar and Town of Haldimand regional councillor Lyle Furry

will explain the village's wish to obtain water from Lake Erie and have their present sewage facilities expanded.

There are approximately 1200 eligible voting persons in the village. The Record was told, and well over 80 per cent of that figure have signed the petition. This was the merchant's goal.

Mac McKellar told the group he had never seen a petition so enthusiastically received. The provincial government will consider Hagersville's population figure, the number of adults and see that almost everyone in Hagersville wants better water, he said.

Also at the meeting, the association agreed to hold a Buy In Hagersville and Sidewalk Sale days August 22, 23 and 24th.

## Lottery - Disaster Aid

A Provincial Lottery to aid municipalities hit by natural disasters is being recommended to the provincial government by City of Nanticoke Council.

Councillor Harry Scott of Waterford brought in a motion at last week's council meeting asking Queen's Park to institute the provincial lottery, "the proceeds of which would provide a fund to lessen the unexpected financial burden thrust upon those

municipalities visited by natural disaster".

He charged the "Dollar for Dollar" policy employed by the Government of Ontario is in many cases inadequate to offset the harsh financial demands on a disaster struck municipality.

He suggested the provincial lottery as a viable solution.

Copies of the motion will be sent to Premier Bill Davis, Jim Allan and all municipalities of Ontario.



Hendriks graduates in a Health Care Aid course are (Front) Ruth Sherk, Sheila Rush, Mary Foster, Kathleen Hanson, Ilene Fulsom (Back) Rae Maggio, Willy Major, Kathryn Jackew, Pauline Yacobino and Grace Fledderus. (staff photo)

## From Province Region Wants Greater Financial Assistance

Haldimand - Norfolk Regional Council wants more than half a million dollars in assistance from the province for 1974.... Or, "the taxpayers in Haldimand-Norfolk will be faced with abnormal increases in taxation".

In a brief to John White, Minister of Treasury, Economics and Intergovernmental Affairs, the region said it is readily apparent that costs due to Regional Government are

going to increase dramatically.

"Until the assessment relative to the Stelco Industrial complex comes into play in 1977 - 1978, these increased costs will fall as a burden on the assessment of the two former counties," it said in asking for extra monies.

Council expressed particular concern with the increased cost of Regional Council, additional personnel, plan-

ning and development, water and sewers, road networks and garbage disposal.

Salaries of councilors were set at \$6,500 for 1974 resulting in an increase of \$58,000 over the cost of both county councils for the calendar year of 1973.

Additional personnel (excluding the planning department) will result in additional costs for the nine months of \$82,000.

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Leader of the provincial Liberal Party, Robert Nixon, (left) talks with Dr. David Marshall, federal Liberal candidate in the N - H riding, after the Liberal nomination meeting in Simcoe last week. Three of Dr. Marshall's children stand in front of him. (staff photo).

## Hendrik's Workers Graduate

Eleven Hendrik's Nursing Home employees became the first graduates of Mohawk College's part-time Health Care Aid course last Wednesday night.

At a graduation ceremony in the Legion Hall, Lawrence Ogden, chairman of the Saltfleet campus, expressed appreciation to Elizabeth and Peter Hendriks for their interest and concern in staff development. The Hagersville Home was the first the college became involved within their specially geared geriatrics course.

He said the course's

purpose was to impart knowledge and skill, while placing particular emphasis on people. It is important for

the aged person to see and perceive they are not being neglected; shown that they are

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## Candidates' Night

Area residents will have an opportunity to question Norfolk - Haldimand riding candidates in the July 8th federal election on pertinent issues of concern in Kohler Monday night. Meet Your Candidate Night, sponsored by the Haldimand Federation of Agriculture, will begin at 8 p.m. in the Agricultural Centre.

Local candidates are Norman Walpole - NDP, Dr. David Marshall - Liberal and William Knowles - PC.

Make it a point to come out and hear what your candidates have to say ..... or don't have to say. Only informed voters make an intelligent choice.