



William Knowles, left, and John Clements, centre, share a joke, while Jim Allan, right, looks on. (Photo by Trisha Banks)

Delhi Twp. closes road

Township of Delhi council passed a motion Monday night to have a dead end sign, and a barrier erected at the intersection of Cedar and Harold Streets, and the Golf Course Road at Turkey Point.

The closure would only be for the summer months, and is subject to approval by the Ministry of Transportation and Communications.

Members of the Turkey Point Property Owners Association were present,

and were represented by Tom Miller.

Members of the owners association asked to have the street closed to prevent cars from "roaming past their cottages at all hours of the night." Miller said the cars are continually stopping at the intersection, and then speeding away screaming their tires and throwing up dust.

"We have heard comments that if the road was closed we would be making a private driveway

for the residents on the road. We don't feel this is so. We have sat at some of the cottages and watched some of the cars and you would have to see it to believe it. If you knew these people you would know that they were not only looking out for themselves," said Mr. Miller.

Councillor John Harrison objected many times during the discussion as to whether or not council had the authority to close the road. Councillor Harrison said he could agree to the closing of the street in principle until council received word from its solicitor as to whether or not it had the authority to do so.

In other matters, council accepted the tender of John Wheelwright Ltd., Weston, for \$60,500 for general work in the construction of a new 50 foot by 126 foot public works garage on Argyle St., Delhi.

Plans for achievement day were discussed by Suzanne Szucs and Deborah Smith. A meeting to make props for the skit is planned for Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Gero served Puffy Dutch minicakes to the club. Mrs. LaCroix gave a review quiz on the subject matter learned during the project. The meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

TV violence must go

by Trisha Banks

Each one of us must weigh in our minds what violence in television prime time hours is doing to us and our children. Attorney General John Clement told the annual meeting of the Haldimand Progressive Conservative Association last Saturday night.

"I am opposed to censorship," said Mr. Clement, "but night after night on prime time television, we are subjected to shows about cops and robbers which depict violence as a way of life."

"It has been estimated," claims Mr. Clement, "that the average child views 13,000 murders on television alone by the time

he reaches his teenage years."

Mr. Clement told the Association that it becomes very hard for a teenager to differentiate between a crime on television and one in real life. "It becomes hard to transpose from fantasy to reality. We build up a tolerance to violence when it is such a part of our daily life. This tolerance makes us unconcerned in a real-life situation."

Mr. Clement also said, "Statistics indicate that violence on television influences people. There was a rapid upsurge in crime after the news coverage of the Mason murders and after a hijacker jumped to safety."

Mr. Clement told the Association that the individual viewer can do

something about the violence we are subjected to. "You can turn your television off changing the channel doesn't do much good because it's on every station - and you can write to the sponsor of the show in question. Tell them you do not like the kind of show they are promoting."

"Advertisers are trying to sell their products and if a number of viewers say they do not like the type of program they are promoting they will do something about it."

"We must respond as a government to the views of the people. I will be meeting with top advertising executives in the near future, and I would like to have a number of letters to show them," he said.

The Haldimand Progressive Conservative Association also elected a new slate of officers at their annual meeting. They are: President, Donald Duxbury; Secretary, David Wase; Treasurer, George Walker; Vice Presidents, Glen Ogilvie, Dr. Ken Vickers, John K. Pearl, Ted Powell, Hugh Simon and William Snowden. Other officers will be appointed by the president.

It was also explained that there would be a change in the riding in the near future. The executive appointed that night is more or less a caretaking executive "until the new one takes over."

The new Progressive Conservative election expenses act states that the riding of Haldimand-Norfolk will become one riding from Dunnville to Halton. Norfolk and Haldimand are to set up a new executive which will incorporate all people from both associations into a joint executive.

The meeting will be held within one month in Jarvis.

St. Williams Review

by Richard C A Fields

The St. Williams Lions Club Jackpot Bingo now stands at \$300 and may now go at any time. Attendance has been very good and someone soon is going to be the lucky winner. Bingo is held here in the Community hall on Wednesday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Telford of Hamilton were visitors on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Telford. Returning home with them was Sherri and Tammi Telford along with Leigh-Ann Putns. On Thursday morning Mrs. Gordon Telford took Conni home to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Earles of Walsh.

Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Telford were Mrs. Ray Earles and children; Sandy, Bonnie, and Connie; and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McBride and family; Brian and Joanne of Hamilton, and Fred Telford of Hamilton. Monday afternoon Mrs. Gordon Telford visited Mrs. Ray Earles from Walsh.

Willie and Libby Demming visited Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kungl and family at the weekend.

My sincere apologies to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Laupert for my mistake in spelling in the last column, it read - Bameanberg, and should read - Bamberg, Ontario. My apologies to all for this mistake.

Langton personals

LANGTON (C) - Mrs. Henry Pronovost of Cochrane is spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cote and family, while Mrs. Cote is a patient in Tillsonburg District Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfons DeLeemans have returned

from a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory and family of Thorndale were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ebert and Mr. and Mrs. Andre Deschamps and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenney were Sunday visitors

of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hash and Ken Roloson of Brantford.

The first \$50.00 jackpot at the Belgian Fair Bingo Tuesday night April 8th was split three ways between Mrs. Mariette Sinnesael, R.R. 1, Delhi, Howard Millard, Port Rowan and Mrs. Betty Long, Walsingham. Mrs. Irene Vermeersch, R.R. 4, Langton won the 2nd \$50.00 jackpot. The winner-take-all (\$82.00) was split between Miss Brenda Boughner, Langton and Mrs. Edna Moore, R.R. 1, Walsingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Rancourt and Jeff from St. Come, Quebec were weekend overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Long and family.

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Cutting costs with nature

A little help from Mother Nature can help farmers

On the farm front

According to Agriculture Canada information we have about 24 million acres of land under cultivation. The predicted population increase will take 6.5 million acres out of production by the year 2000.

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The Ontario Swine Performance Testing program is being expanded to include commercial herds. The weigh-probe work is provided free of charge by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food. Herd owners can make use of the program for the selection of gilts to be used in the breeding herd.

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Crop Insurance claims paid to date on the 1974 crop are over \$11 million. Claims paid in 1973 were \$3.6 million. Total premium income to the Commission in 1974 was \$7.4 million.

One half of this total was paid by participating farmers.

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Monday, April 21, is Corn Night in Haldimand. This annual spring event is held at Cowan Farm Supply, Dunnville, starting at 8:00 p.m. The program will include an address by Bill Long on incorporation and post-emergence application of chemicals. Feature speaker will be Prof. Ed. Gamble of the Crop Science Department, Guelph. A panel of local corn growers will discuss their experience with different kinds and makes of corn planters. Haldimand Soil and Crop Improvement Association invites everyone to join with them at Corn Night on April 21.

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From January 1974 to January 1975 the number of Haldimand dairymen decreased by 12 group 1 shippers and by 12 in the group 2 pool. In the same period production per farm per day increased by 60 pounds in the group 1 pool and by 37 pounds in group 2.

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beat the rising cost of fertilizer for forage crops.

Tests at Agriculture Canada's Research Station in Lethbridge, Alta., show that a mixture of 65 per cent alfalfa and 35 per cent brome grass requires almost no nitrogen fertilizer to produce a high-yielding hay crop.

Brome grass alone needed 150 pounds of nitrogen per acre to yield three tons per acre. The alfalfa-brome grass mixture required only 43

pounds per acre to achieve the same yield.

Alfalfa is a legume that converts nitrogen from the air into a form plants can use and thus effects a fertilizer saving.

Feeding crossbred steers

Agriculture Canada scientists at the Lennoxville Research Station in Quebec say the most efficient diet for raising dairy-beef steers is a fast-growth diet with a high protein content.

The researchers fed one group of crossbred steers a steady diet of two pounds of hay per day plus all the grain and protein concentrate they would eat.

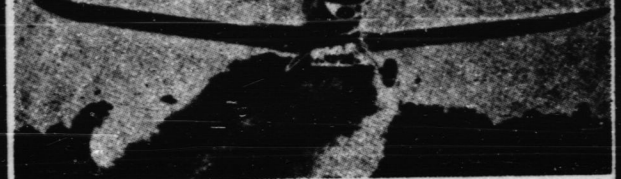
The others were fed four pounds of protein concentrate plus forage for one winter. They were then

put on pasture and fed two pounds of concentrate plus forage the following winter.

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