



The 1928 Bickle pumper of the Mississauga Fire Department has become a familiar sight at parades in Peel County. Promoting the annual muscular dystrophy campaign this trip out are (left to right): Stan Huntington,

Al Thompson, Jimmy Weaver and Tim Hill. The truck kept at the Clarkson-Lorne Park fire station, is no longer in active service although its pump is in good running order.

## Woollard leaves the door open

The NDP Peel South vote of 8498 was 35 more than its 1965 vote in the same area. "But the big jump in population meant a drop in our percentage in Peel South from 23.1 percent in 1965 to 16.4 percent this election," said the Rev. Keith Woollard NDP candidate in the recent election.

The Liberal percentage in the riding only edged up 0.2 percent, the Conservative up 5.5 percent. Seventy-eight percent of the riding's voters

went to the polls, 4.3 percent less than Peel's peak response in 1963. That year the NDP got 16.7 percent.

Across the country the NDP held against the Trudeau tide, electing 23 members compared to 22 in the last house, with 17 percent of the popular vote against 18 percent in 1965. Conservatives joined the Liberals to defeat Tommy Douglas in Burnaby-Seymour, but the NDP won back from the PC's the Saskatchewan seat

Tommy lost in 1963 (Regina) and the seat M.J. Coldwell lost in the Diefenbaker sweep of 1958.

In Ontario, although the party lost some seats, its vote was higher than in 1965 and equal to its vote in 1967, a strong voter base from which to build.

"How do you feel?" is the question some supporters have been putting to Rev. Keith Woollard. His answer: "Disappointed, but not disheartened. I've not

had either a heart transplant or a head transplant. I'm all set for our quiet steady work of building for 1971 and 1972."

He is asked: "Will you run again?" His reply: "I never say 'never', but there are up-and-coming younger men in Peel South who would make excellent candidates."

The New Democrats are planning fall youth activities, social events, special events and are also getting ready for leadership conventions.

## 'No interest conflict'

De Carlo Bros. Ltd. were told they could not engage the services of G. V. Kleinfeldt and Associates for the development of their subdivision at Streetsville council's meeting Tuesday night.

Kleinfeldt and Associates were recently signed under contractual agreement to work for the city as engineering consultants. Streetsville Council believes the proposal that they also work for a private subdivider "could create a conflict of interests."

Mrs. Hazel McCallion said, "If we ask our own engineers to look at their own engineering it is quite obvious they'll come up with approval."

Speaking for the subdividers, one De Carlo brother said, "We respect your engineering abilities enough" to request the city engineers' services, but that De Carlo Bros. would not press the issue.

Kleinfeldt and Associates have already done planning consultant work for the subdividers, it was disclosed.



Pat Newman, 16, of 2234 Fifth Line, Mississauga, received her gold cord and pin at a ceremony June 27 in Christ Church, Clarkson. The Erindale Secondary School Grade 11 student was the first member of the First Clarkson Land Ranger Company ever to be awarded the honor.

## Not worth it.

BRAMALEA — Robert Nevarra of Malton was fined \$75 and costs on a charge of theft under \$50.

Nevarra appeared in magistrates court in Brampton Thursday, on a charge of theft of a tree from Meadowland Nurseries, R.R. 3 Streetsville

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