

**Haldimand County School Photo
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Our photo this month is from Dunn Township; S. S. # 1 Dunn at Port Maitland has been closed since May of 1952, when the children were moved to Grandview School in Byng. It was roughly across from the Dunnville Airport and immediately south of Fuzzie Featherstone's. It is the present day home of Samuel and Nancy Dass. Nancy would very much like the loan of a good photo of the school. Can you help her out?

This photo was loaned to me by Geraldine Mehlenbacher nee Austin, daughter of Parke Austin. There remains some confusion about this picture. One of the children cannot be identified. I have a concern about the date that Geraldine offers as to when it was taken, - a bit later than 1930-31. I should just trust her, after all she was there and I was not. I base my date on knowing the age of some of the older children and find it difficult to believe they were still in public school on the date Geraldine suggested. Until recently Geraldine had not put the names of the children on it, yet she can name everyone but our one lost child. That again should teach me to listen to my elders! If only I could get to Edinburgh Square in Caledonia to check the school registers. Oh, well hopefully the strike will be over soon.

On the last Wednesday of each month we will have a vintage school photo from Haldimand County. If you have any photos, you would lend me, please drop me a note. Hopefully you will be able to name the children, but if you can't maybe one of our readers can. William (Bill) Arthur Warnick 180 Rosslyn Ave. South HAMILTON, ON L8M 3J5 e-mail wwarnick@cogeco.ca Phone 905 531-4350.

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Moss, Betty Jenkinson, Deloris DeVeccio, Isabel Aikens, Irene Hornibrook, Emily Spray, Thelma Wolf, Geraldine Austin, Verma Borbath, Jean Martin, Eileen Aikens, Ethel Grills, Leo Siddall, Wilf Franklin, Claudia Borbath, Agnes Borbath, June Siddall, Cleve Meyer, 2nd Row; Max Moss, Ernie Spray, Tom
Stokes, Pina Borbath, Hazel Spray, Elwood Vaughn, Laurence Splatt, Unknown Child, Donald Diette.



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