

George Taylor Hardware Acquires Toronto Firm

R. A. H. Taylor, President of the George Taylor Hardware Limited, announces the acquisition of controlling interest in White Hardware Limited of Toronto. This is an important step in the linking together of Northern and Southern Ontario.

The George Taylor Hardware Limited has been associated with the growth of Northern Ontario and Northern Quebec for more than 38 years, and maintain wholesale warehouses at Sudbury, North Bay, New Liskeard, Kirkland Lake and Timmins in Ontario, and Noranda and Val d'Or in Quebec. In addition to these, they also maintain sales offices at Toronto, Elliot Lake, Sault Ste. Marie, Cochrane and Hearst.

White Hardware Limited has been a leading wholesale hardware in Ontario for more than 30 years.

The White Hardware warehouse is considered to be the most modern hardware warehouse in Canada, and is located on Rexdale Boulevard, within two blocks of the Toronto By-pass, Highway 401, and less than ten minutes from Highways 27, 400 and Queen Elizabeth Way. This building was completed early in 1955, and created a new

concept in hardware materials handling.

The warehouse occupies nine acres, with an additional nine left for future expansion. It is 400 feet wide by 450 feet long, and is lighted by windows on three of the four sides. It is divided into two main areas. The shelf hardware area comprises approximately 20 per cent of the area. This part is serviced by a "U" shaped continuous-flow roller and belt conveyor system which takes the goods from starting point of the order through each shelf hardware department to the packing benches. The case goods section uses about 50 per cent of the building, and is serviced by a moving dragline in the floor, which pulls flat trucks onto which case goods are assembled. The balance of the space is devoted to shipping, receiving and packing.

Inside the main entrance to the building is panelled lobby and showroom which leads to the offices at one end and, at the other, to a second smaller merchandise showroom. This showroom is separated from the cafeteria by large sliding doors, which permit the combined area to be opened into one large room.

The office, showroom and cafeteria (which can seat 100 persons at a time, and has complete facilities for serving hot, full-course meals) are in a part of the building elevated slightly from the warehouse in order to utilize natural light through windows in all four walls. The office area is divided into one private office for the President, one used as a board and conference room and the remainder is a large general office. This general office contains low-partitioned offices along both walls for supervisory personnel, and a

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Mrs. C. R. Plaunt opened her home to the Northern Light group of the C.G.I.T. for their last meeting, at which the new mission study from the Friendship Diary was begun.

The girls have decided to visit the different churches in the town. They are also to write a story about a person who knew Jesus in Biblical times.

The group have been asked to provide refreshments for the Fellowship Hour in the United church, Sunday evening January 25th.

This is the beginning of Christian Youth Week and the girls have decided to wear their uniforms to school for several days during the week.

Mrs. W. Hopkins lead in the worship period and the meeting was closed with Taps.

Festival of Music

Many district children are working hard on the new numbers they will play at the 21st Annual Temiskaming Festival of Music.

The syllabus has been available for some time from Mr. S. Carr, Kiwanis Festival Committee member, and any person wishing a copy should drop him a line.

The Festival will be held in late April this year, and the contestants will find they have little enough time to reach the stage of perfection needed to qualify as a winner.

Snow Removal In Haileybury

Haileybury works department has gone on a blitz to clear all the snow that has fallen in recent weeks from strategic places and main streets in the town. Snow is being removed from around the schools as a safety precaution for the children and from around all of the public buildings to make them more accessible.

Councillor Chas. Camsell said that this was to be quite an expensive operation but the convenience gained by this would far outweigh the costs involved.

large central area for other staff. The I.B.M. machine room, catalogue and printing rooms are contained in other rooms in this part of the building. All are fully air-conditioned and soundproofed.

The warehousing and accounting operations are co-ordinated through the use of punch card accounting machines.

The three major areas of the business - buying, selling and cataloguing of all hardware merchandise (of which there are some 38,000 items), are accomplished by punched card machine procedures.

In late 1957 The George Taylor Hardware Limited acquired an 11 per cent interest in White Hardware. During 1958 the two firms co-operated in buying, cataloguing, warehousing and merchandising. Over the next several months, much time will be devoted to closer co-ordination of efforts with a view towards developing the service abilities of both companies.

Mr. R. A. H. Taylor has become President of White Hardware Limited, with Mr. Richard Chater as Vice-President and General Manager. Mr. D. H. Millar, presently Secretary-Treasurer of The George Taylor Hardware Limited, has become Treasurer and Director of White Hardware, and Mr. J. C. Murphy, General Manager of The George Taylor Hardware Limited, will become a Director of White Hardware.

The present policies of the Company will be continued, and it is anticipated that, with this acquisition, The George Taylor Hardware will be in a position to offer the utmost in service to their many customers.

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An accident involving damage of \$600.00 to a parked car occurred Saturday morning on Latchford Street. A car owned and driven by Arthur William Hearn of Haileybury skidded on the icy street and crashed into a parked car owned by the General Motors Corporation, causing damage amounting to \$600.00.

Hearn's car was damaged to the extent of \$400.00. Hearn was alone in the car and escaped injury.

The accident was investigated by Constable Leo Chivers.

Figure Skating

New Liskeard and Haileybury Figure Skating Clubs are hard at work on the figures and acts that will make up the 1959 edition of the joint skating carnival to be held in the New Liskeard Arena in March.

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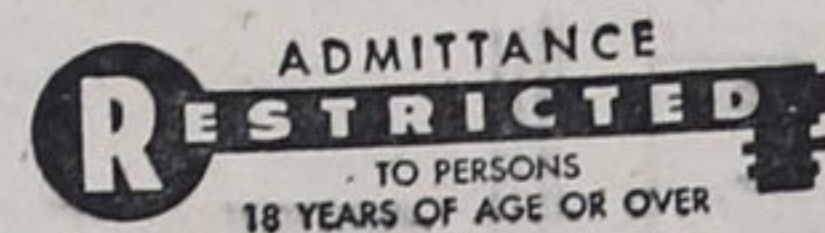
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