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## MACKENZIE GETS ACTON SCHOOL CONTRACT

### Ask Dept. Réconsider Complete School Here

Contract for building a new 7room high school at Acton was awarded to the Georgetown firm of J. B. Mackenzie & Son, when tenders were opened by North Halton school board at a Thursday meeting in Stewarttown.

a 4-room addition at Georgetown and a 2-room addition at Milton. The Mackenzie tender was the lowest of five submited and is for \$136,900.

After opening Georgetown tenders, it was decided to approach the Dept. of Education to ask if a complete new school could not be built here. Tender prices on the addition were considerably higher than the budget figure approved by. the Dept. and the five municipalities concerned, and the board can take no action without approval of extra funds.

A similar situation exists at Milton, where the tender prices were also in excess of estimates, but here the board decided to revert to the original plan for one room extra. New tenders will be asked on the

revised plan. Other tenders on the Acton school were: Lavern Asmussen, Kitchener, \$139,056; W. A. Brown, Humber Summit, \$142,930; Harry Wunder, Kitchener, \$146.300; A: Battaglia, Guelph, \$154,039.

Details of the Georgetown and Milton tenders were not made public because of the uncertainty of the situation.

A delegation will visit the Department tomorrow to discuss the Georgetown plan.

#### Three Queen's Scouts At Ottawa Jamboree

Last Friday evening three Georgetown Scouts, just home from a week's camping in the Haliburton Highlands, embarked by special bus for the Second Canadian Jamboree being held all this week at Ottawa. Joining a contingent of scouts from Galt, Preston, Ayr, and Guelph, which formed the 13th Ontario Troop, were Queen Scouts Don and Jack Livingstone and Ross McGil-

vray. Some 2500 Boy Scouts from all over Canada, as well as representatives from many other countries are camped at Connaught Ranges. The Jamboree was officially opened by Canada's No. 1 Scouter, the Gover- convention in the city this week. nor General, Rt. Hon. Vincent Mas-

sey, on Monday. A varied program has been planned for the boys during the week, hghlighted by an address by Sir Ian Bolton, president of the Scottish Scout Council, who is representing Lord Rowallan, chief scout of the British Commonwealth.

A 16-page tabloid newspaper is issued every day at the camp and also mailed to home addresses. The "Jamboree Daily News" is not mimeographed but a genuine printed publication. Ross McGilvray has been chosen reporter for Troop 13. It is also interesting to note that the newspaper editor is B. H. Mortlock, formerly with the Brampton Conservator, and now Executive Commissioner for publications at Canadian Scout Headquarters.

Coloured films of the entire Jamboree are being taken and will be available later to troops throughout Canada. The second Canadian Jamboree, the first one taking place in Ottawa in 1949, is carried on on a big scale with canteens, daily pressing service, church parades, etc., as well as side trips to Ottawa and other points of interest. The boys will return to their homes next Sunday.

#### Wallaceburg Wallops

#### Local Lacrossers

With only nine players in uniform, Georgetown N&Gs lost a lacklustre lacrosse game in Wallaceburg Saturday, when the home team ran up an impressive 37 goal total to

the visitors 4. Joe Louth scored half the Georgetown total and Doug Townsend and Russ Fendley got the other two goals. Local players included John Dutch in goal Junior Beaumont, Johnny Haines, George Gras--by, Bob Ezard and Fred Dickenson.

#### BON VOYAGE PARTY FOR MRS. RUSSELL

At a bon voyage party at the home of Mrs. H. Hurley last week, a number of friends presented a gift to Mrs. James Russell and expressed wishes for a happy trip to

the Old Country. Mr and Mrs. Russell sail on Friday aboard the S.S. Franconia bound for a holiday visit in England.

#### THE WEATHER

Just use your own adjectives to describe the heat of the past week. The week's average of 85 is 5 deg-Tenders had been called also for rees above the normal average for July. Will be nice to think about it though, in about six months from now when the thermometer is about 100 degrees lower than at present. -Ern Batkin.

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#### Social and Personal

Mrs. Bill James is spending this week in Orangeville with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hambleton.

Mr and Mrs. Jack Young, who are living at Red Rock near 'Port Arthur, have been visiting in town with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kean and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Young.

Visitors in town last Thursday, who called on several old friends were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Makin, Mrs. Samuel Kirk and Miss Mabel Moore of Toronto.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Feller on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lake of Timmins and Mr. and Mrs. George Lake, Langstaff.

Falling at her home on McNabb Street on Monday, Mrs. Jesse Brandford sustained a broken hip. She is convalescing in Guelph General Hospital.

Miss Norma Thompson will be returning this week from a trip to the west coast with Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ostrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern Thompson, with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Graham of Burlington, are away on a vacation trip to Athens, Wisconsin, where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Magwood and son Peter of Sussex, N.B. have been visiting with her sister, Miss Yvonne Adams and other relatives. Dr. Magwood is attending the veterinarians

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McCumber have returned from a motor trip to visit with relatives in Virginia. Accompanying them were their sonin-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haun of Toronto.

**ENGAGEMENTS** Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Moffatt Mc-Hardy of Fergus announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret Fleming to James Craig Alexander, son of Mrs. Alexander, Georgetown and the late Mr. John Alexander. The marriage will take place on Saturday, August the fifteenth at three o'clock in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Fergus.

#### MRS. A. C. COLLINS DIES IN TORONTO

A patient in Toronto Western Hospital for several weeks, Mrs. A. C.

Collins died on Sunday. Mrs. Collins had been a resident of Ann Street, Georgetown, for several years. The former Violet May Wiley; she is survived by her husband.

The funeral service is being held tonight at the McClure Funeral Home, and interment will be made tomorrow afternoon in Zion Cemetery, Malone, Ontario.

#### Cleveland Resident Charles Dick Dies

A district native, Charles R. Dick died yesterday in Bayview Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio, succumbing to a stroke which he suffered the week

Surviving are his wife, three brothers, Clayton Dick, Georgetown, Peter Dick, Brampton, and David Dick, Cleveland, and one sister, Mrs. G. A. Kennedy (Bessie) of Milton. A sister, Mrs. Peter Fisher of Toronto predeceased him.

The funeral service will be held on Friday and interment will be in Cleveland.

-All children welcome to the Lions picnic, Thursday afternoon, in Stanley Park, Erin.

#### BRIDE AND GROOM EBENEZER WEDDING



Living in Milton after their wedding in Ebenezer United Church are Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson Bousfield. The bride, Eileen Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen, R. R. 2, Rockwood, was a stenographer in K. M. Langdon's office in Georgetown before her marriage. The groom is the son of Mr. .and Mrs. Nelson Bousfield, Campbellville.

### Social and Personal

Miss Georgina Hurley of Toronto, is visiting this week with her grand- bara and John are vacationing at parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hurley, Norland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baxter of Creemore spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weston, who returned with them for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McDonald and

daughter Gale were visitors last week in Powassan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

Mrs. James Patton, with Marilyn Arthur and Jimmie, visited in Cadmus with her brother and sister-inlaw, Mr. and Mrs James Payne and

Mrs. F. E. Russell and son Donald of Sarnia and Mrs. Roy King, Jean and Sheila, of Toronto, spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. R. C. Adams.

Ruth McBride passed her Grade 8 piano exams with honours in the recent Royal Conservatory exams in Guelph. She is a pupil of Kenneth R. Harrison, ARCT.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deans, who are vacationing at Orkney Beach. Atherley, will be joined there next week by Miss Frances Deans and Mrs. Ted Beam and daughter Nancy

of Toronto. Beverley and Donald Clark, who have recently moved from Wanstead to Wyoming with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark are visiting this week in town with the McGilvrays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. McLeod of Port Arthur were visitors last week with Mr and Mrs. Don Barrager. Mr. McLeod, who is secretary-manager of the Port Arthur Legion branch, were wartime buddles in the RCAF.

Visitors this week with Miss Ethel Ethel Gilmer who is home for the summer vacation from her teaching position at Jane Laycock School near Brantford are Mrs. E. B. Hitchcock and Master Reg Emery, both of Brantford.

Oliver Whitmee were in Toronto on Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Knell. The Knells, former Georgetown residents, have just moved to the city from Ottawa. Mr. Knell's mother, Mrs. Murrell of London, England, is visiting with them at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Finlay, Bar-

Mr. Arnold Bennett of Port Colborne is visiting with his sister, Miss Sybil Bennett, Q.C., at present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holden are vacationing this week at their cottage at Lake Cecebe, near Burks Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dwyer of St. Catherines were visitors in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Barrager and family were in Kincardine on Saturday to attend the wedding of his niece, Wilma Ruth Barrager and Donald Richardson of London. Another niece, Margaret Barrager of Aurora, who was soloist at the wedding, is visiting in town with them

Two showers have been held by friends for Joan Bradley whose marriage to Noel Richard Butterworth of Weston takes place in St. George's Church here on August 1st. a linen shower at her home on Murduck Street, and in Norval Miss Mary Carney entertained at a pantry shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Lawr have returned from a two week vacation wich they spent travelilng to Montreal and north to Lake Nipissing and Algonquin Park. On Sunday they visited in Moorefield with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Shore and in Drayton with Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and family.

Mr. and Mrs W. G. Bell with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moss have re-Balsam Lake. While there they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davidson of town, also some friends from Lindsay and Toronto.. The Davidsons also entertained at their cottage at Fencion Falls.

Recent guests at Valley View Cabins, Huntsville, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Hunter, included Mr. and Mrs. William Gibbs and Mrs. George Herrington and Mr. son Bud, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Lawr, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Noble and Ann Lorraine, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Duncan, Mrs. George Campbell, Miss Luena Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Grey of Norval, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Reg Houre of Acton.

WHAT COUNCIL DID

### Seek Debenture Issue For Sidewalk Repairs

#### Allen on Platform As Coldwell Speaks

Halton CCF candidate Stan Allen was on the platform with other district candidates in the federal election, when party leader, M. J. Coldwell spoke on their behalf at a rally in Hamilton Monday night.

Also a speaker was Robert Thornberry, former member of the Ontario legislature, who is a relative of Mrs. John Hepburn, Glen Wil-

#### Brampton Man Wins Garden Party Tires

Fred Bacon, Brampton, won set of four tires, and Peter Schipper, Georgetown a new bicycle in a lucky draw conducted at the Lions garden party in the park on Thursday. An extra draw for a pail of lard donated by master of ceremonies Vince Mountford was won by Wes Brennan.

The Lions had a perfect night for the show, although attendance was somewhat below expectations. Heading the entertainment were the Videoettes and dancer Zena Cheevers, along with magician John Giordmaine, comedian Duncan Cowie and a troupe of acrobatics. Proceeds of the show will be given to the Lions Sarnia Tornado Fund.

Club president Jack Gunning introduced the show and spoke briefly from the platform before the gentertainment began.

Ivan Crabtree was chairman of the committee which arranged the evening, and Godfrey Collier had charge of the lucky draw.

#### BALLINAFAD

#### "Stop Worrying" Theme Of Institute Paper

A thoughful address on the motto "Don't work all your life to make a livfng, but work to live all your life" was given by Mrs. Wilfred Burt at a meeting of Ballinafad Women's Institute. Mrs. William Kirkwood was hostess and the pre-

sident Mrs. Thomas Gibson presided. Worrying becomes a habit that will spoil your life, said Mrs. Burt, and we should live for today and not worry about tomorrow. minds exaggerate and we imagine things worse than they are, which builds up our worries.

Many people are living frustrated lives because things have not gone right, she continued, and hope has turned into hopelessness, faith into doubt, and courage into despair. The future appears drab and to 4th. some, not worth living. Many find themselves in a circumstance not to their liking. Youthful ambition to become doctors and nurses, finds them farmers and housewives, and if they are unhappy they contribute to the general unhappiness of the

God gives the cure for all this in one word -- contentment. We can only be happy when God takes over management of our lives and Mrs. George Chaplin was hostess at - contentment becomes a predominating factor. Earthly fortunes are not necessary for happiness. It is our minds that must be enriched for contentment.

Mrs. Snow gave a report of the Burlington district annual and of the ACWW directors' meeting in Milton. Plans were made to attend a plastic demonstration at the home of Mrs. Gibson this week. Mrs. William McLean, convener of the meeting on Agriculture read a poem entitled "A Farmer's Creed."

Mrs. Morgan Groves played a piano solo and Mrs. Chester Burt, speaker for the afternoon, gave turned from two weeks vacation, at helpful advice on flower arrangement. She brought along six beautiful bouquets picked from her own garden, the outstanding one being a Coronation basket.

The next meeting, on August 6, will be held in Ballinafad Hall.

#### REED HUNTER PASSES FIRST YEAR OSGOODE

J. Reed Hunter has successfully passed his first year law examinations at Osgoode Hall, Toronto. Reed graduated last year from

Queen's University, Kingston, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. He will resume his studies in Septem-

Mayor Armstrong Chairman McGilvray differed on whether sidewalk improvements should be paid for out of current

revenue or by debenture. The matter came up for discussion when Joseph Gibbons requested femoval of a tree which blocks his Church Street driveway. The mayor said there was not enough funds in the \$20,000 road budget to even cut a tree down and suggested the possibility of putting sidewalk repairs already made in a debenture issue which would also cover further side-

walk improvements. The mayor was supported by Cr. Norton who said there are two particularly bad stretches on Victoria Street and behind the public school which should or dealt with this

McGilvray - We allowed money for sidewalk work. Why try to get back what's already spent. We've got plenty of new debentures coming up already for schools, fire hall and

Norton - We need sidewalks. The one behind the school is in

terrible shape. Mayor - We've spent \$18,500 of our \$20,000 road budget and we're going to have a deficit because of sidewalks which are capital im-

McGilvray - There's no use setting a budget if you're not going to

go by it. Mayor — We didn't set a budget for new construction and that is what sidewalk work has amounted

Norton — If you had to watch three or four hundred people ruining people's lawns on Victoria St. because the sidwalks are not fit to walk on, you'd agree something must be done. It's a deplorable sit-

McGilvray —I'll agree to putting

that on debenture. Hale - We're going to have a deficit so I'm in favour of debentures.

Mayor - If we debenture the \$5,000 already spent we can balance our budget. We can't repair any more walks unless this is done. MacDonald - People behind the school are paying taxes the same as anyone else and they are entitled to sidewalks.

Petch - I've kicked about debentures, but it looks as if we have no alternative. I'd rather raise the tax rate than issue debentures, but we can't raise the rate this year.

oring it, the Municipal Board will be asked for approval of a debenture issue for sidewalks. Chose six of eleven who applied as

tenants of the new fire hall apart-

ment, and will interview them at

With the majority of council

the next council meeting on August Will write to 97 delinquent water taxpayers, telling them water serv-

ice will be discontinued unless im-

mediate payment is made.

Approved a new 6" water service on Market Street and Valleyview Road to service new homes in the Orr subdivision.

Made \$25 grants to the soccer club and the intermediate and juvenile ball clubs.

Left in the hands of building inspector George Adams the question of issuing a building permit for a house for which plans have not been submitted in accordance with the by-law.

Regarding a new sidewalk which will be built along the street parallelling the Smith & Stone plant, the company agreed to pay for a new one if company expansion requires it to be moved in the future.

Proclaimed Monday, August 3rd as Civic Holiday in Georgetown.

Granted permission to the Odd-. fellows and Rebekahs to use the park for a garden party on August

When interviewed by Jack Lavole and Norman Brown concerning cars and motorcycles using the race track when it is wet, council decided to put snow fence up to discourage this and will consult a solicitor about passing a bylaw to keep them off the track. The police will be asked to keep mr eye on people contravening this arrangement.

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