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## Halton Has a New M.P.

With a countrywide endorsement of the Liberal party to direct federal affairs for another term of office, Sybil Bennett scored somewhat of a personal triumph by winning Halton for the Progressive-Conservatives.

A lot of hard work went into Miss Bennett's campaign. Personal calls on voters ran into the thousands, and she spoke at dozens of political gatherings as well as at scores of functions of a non-political nature. There can be no doubt that Halton is sending a Member to Ottawa who knows every nook and corner of the county and who has personally chatted with more people than she will ever be able to remember by name.

Her victory transcends political boundaries in Georgetown, for it is only on rare occasions that the town can boast of sending a local person to parliament. One person put it rather aptly when he said: "The election results pleased me equally well in the domin-

ion and in Halton." And we are sure that she will be a Member who will make her presence felt at Ottawa, for her career as a successful lawyer and her wide experience in public life, including a term of office as leader of a national ladies organization, and speaking tours in all parts of Canada, make her admirably fit for the job.

If the next parliament is made up of people of the calibre of the three who ran in Halton, then we can have no doubt that it will be a good one. Messrs. McPhail and Allen command the respect of everyone who has met them, and they fought a clean, hard campaign, untainted by any political shenanigans which sometimes impose in such cases. In any race, someone must be the winner, and we know that they too will be wishing Miss Bennett the best as she sets forth for a new field of endeavor in the capital city.

## Avenues of Progress

An extension of Ewing Street, currently under consideration by the town council, could truly be known as an avenue of progress.

Some traffic relief for the College View section of Georgetown has been a necessity for many years. Growth of the Smith & Stone plant, and steady enlargement of the two paper mills, plus considerable building of houses in that district has more and more taxed the John Street subway which was an inadequate highway to start with. While the district has three other traffic arteries, all have disadvantages. Ontario Street has an outlet on the highway at the extreme westerly limits of the town, but the road is narrow, hilly and dangerous. John Street continues down to Mountain View Road, but a steep hill and a dangerous railway crossing

makes it little used. Victoria Street provides another dangerous route through Canadian National Railway property, and here the roadway is usually bumpy, with several main line tracks to cross.

It is council's intention to continue Ewing Street across the river to meet Ontario Street. A culvert will be built, and the street will be paved when practicable, and this whole section of town will have an entrance way to town superior to anything at present in existence. The new road will also serve a proposed housing subdivision on Tom Hewson's property which adjoins the creek.


Like everything else, this will cost money and final cost will be in the neighbourhood of \$30,000. But it will be money well spent, and a true avenue of progress for a town which has grown so rapidly in a decade.

## Pot Pourri

Oddities still continue to make their appearance at the Herald office each week. . . . No, we don't mean the customers. . . . Last week, Mrs. Matt Lawr brought in a geranium with two perfect blooms, one white and one red, growing on the same stalk. . . . The Herald lost two tenants last week. Since early spring, two huge sparrow nests in the awning have made us roast on hot afternoons when we couldn't disturb the awning for fear of harming the young families. All seemed clear last week and the youngsters had ventured out into the world on their own, so reluctantly, but firmly, we climbed up on a high stool and pulled down the nests. Works of art, they were too, combined of an endless variety of string, paper, and feathers. We felt guilty as we burned up those hours of labour. . . . A local boy, Don Cofell, is head cook at Wigwagan, a large Muskoka summer resort. And another Georgetownner from many years back, Thomas Lake is working as a baker this summer at another summer spot at Britannia. . . . It's a small world. Friend

Tommy Lee, who visited us on Sunday, sold his paper in Ingersoll last year and now has a position in Montreal with the Canadian Bankers Association. Working as a secretary in the same office is a Georgetown girl, Ellen Maynard. . . . Mr. and Mrs. D. Dunk and family, who had been living behind the Oventte Bakery on Main Street, with Mrs. Dunk in charge of the shop, have moved to Acton. Mrs. A. S. Wilson, Queen Street, has replaced Mrs. Dunk at the Bakery. . . . Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Nicol, who have lived for some time in a house on the Miradon Farm property on the Check Line have moved to Toronto. New tenants of the house will be Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker, who have been living in Wilf Hunter's house on Queen Street since their marriage last month. . . . Driving around town on Sunday, we were amazed at the building going on. New houses are springing up on the highway, and there is considerable building in the Orr subdivision and in the district which lies over the white bridge. Georgetown is certainly growing. . . .

## CHURCH NEWS

**St. George's Church**  
Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson,  
Rector.  
Eleventh Sunday after Trinity:  
  
Sunday School 10  
a.m. Holy Commu-  
nion 11 a.m. Even-  
ing 7 p.m.

**St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams**  
Eleventh Sunday after Trinity:  
Matsins 9.30 a.m.

**Georgetown Baptist Church**  
Sunday, August 16, 1953  
10.00 a.m. Church school.  
Services of worship 11.00 and 7.00  
conducted by Mr. Sidney Johnson,  
Past President Baptist Convention  
of Ontario and Quebec.

**St. John's United Church**  
Rev. John M. Smith  
Norman Laird Director of Music  
Sunday School 10 a.m. - Pictures  
on Amos.  
Morning worship 11 a.m. - Rev.  
Royal E. Newman, Paris. The con-  
gregation of Knox Presbyterian  
Church will worship with us.  
Junior worship 11 a.m.

**Knox and Limehouse  
Presbyterian Churches**  
Rev. Alex. J. Calder, B.A., B.D.  
**Knox Church**  
10 a.m. Church School.  
11 a.m. Worship in St. John's  
United Church with that congrega-  
tion.  
**Limehouse**  
No service this Sunday.

**Holy Cross R.C. Church**  
Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan  
1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays:  
Mass at 11 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sundays:  
Mass at 9 a.m.

**Norval Pastoral Charge  
United Church**  
Rev. C. C. Gilbert  
Norval - 10 a.m.  
Glen Williams - 11.15 a.m.  
Home Church - 7.30 p.m.

**Zion Tabernacle**  
Rev. F. M. Fletcher  
Services each Sunday at 11 a.m.  
and 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday School - 9.45 p.m.  
We welcome you.

**Norval and Union  
Presbyterian Churches**  
Rev. G. Lockhart Royal  
**Norval**  
10.00 a.m. - Praise Service  
**Union**  
10.00 a.m. - Sabbath School  
11.15 a.m. - Praise Service

**Norval, Hornby, Stewarttown  
Church of England**  
Rev. J. A. Maxwell, B.A., L.Th.  
**St. Paul's Church, Norval**  
7.30 p.m. - Evensong  
(Except 1st Sunday of the month  
11.00 a.m. - Holy Communion)  
**St. Stephen's Church, Hornby**  
11.00 a.m. - Morning Service  
(Except 1st Sunday of the month

3.00 p.m. - Evensong)  
**St. John's Church, Stewarttown**  
10.00 a.m. - Morning service  
(Except 1st Sunday of the month,  
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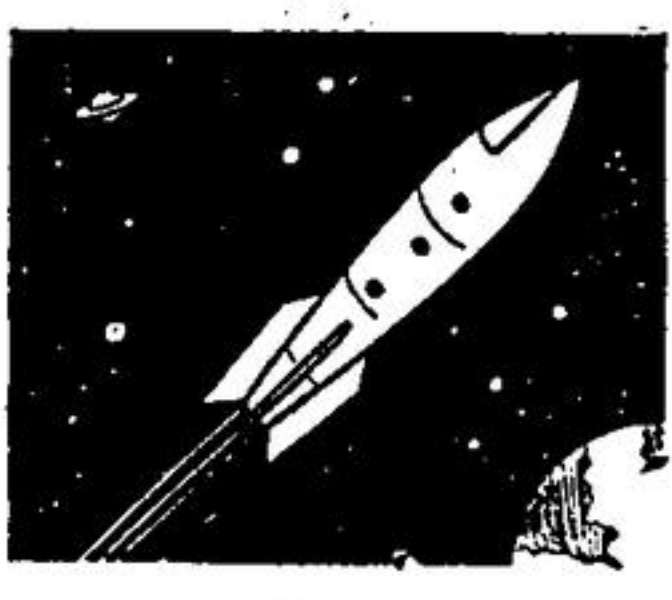
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