

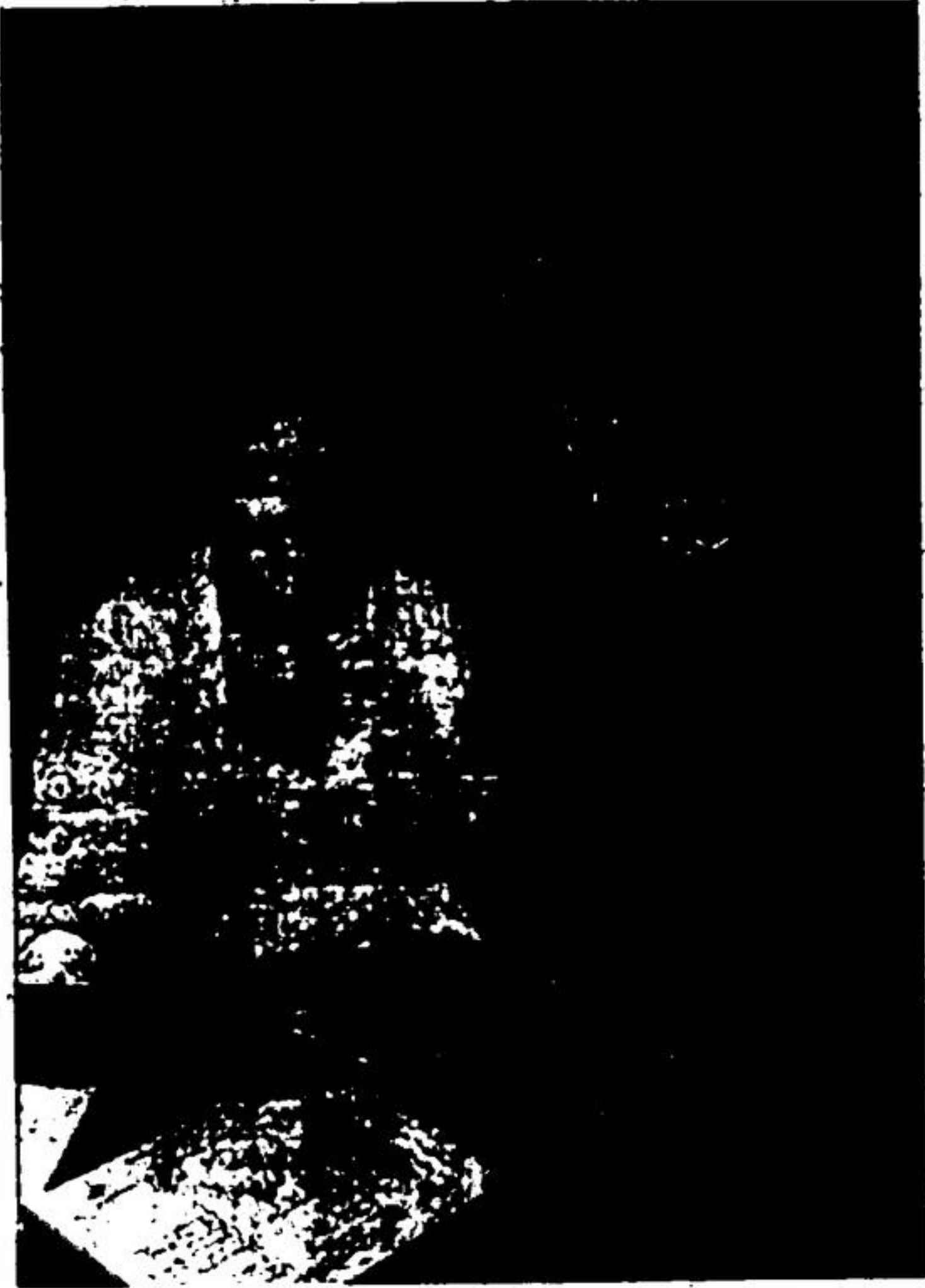
THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

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Ballinafad Church Wedding



—Dave Fulton, Guelph

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Acton, sign the register after their marriage in Ballinafad United Church. The bride was Dorothy Marie Warne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warne, R. R. 2, Acton, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, Acton. They are motoring to the west coast for their honeymoon.

Choose Local Cadet Sails Today for Duke's Honor Guard European Tour

A young Georgetown army cadet who was chosen to spend the summer at the training school at Banff will have a further thrill when he is one of a guard of honour for the Duke of Edinburgh at the British Empire Games in Vancouver.

Bill Hardman, head cadet at Georgetown High School this year, is the fortunate young man. The honour guard comprises members of the three armed services, and it may be the same one in which another Georgetown, RMC Cadet George McClure, with the navy on the west coast this summer, will appear.

Bill will have the rank of lieutenant for the occasion. He is one of three members of his family interested in the army. His father Bob served overseas in the last war and brother Bud is with Canadian troops in Germany.

A Georgetown farmer who retired recently, Dean Leslie is sailing aboard the S. S. Scythia today to spend several months in Britain and on the continent.

Mr. Leslie will join a 28-day tour which starts from Antwerp, Belgium. The fifty members of the tour will travel from there into Germany, Switzerland, Italy and France, visiting major cities and seeing historic sites.

After the tour, he intends to spend some time in the British Isles on his own and will be returning to New York aboard the Queen Mary in November.

Mr. Leslie's farm in the Scotch Block is now owned by Bob Kelly and his father L. N. Kelly, officials of the Sportmen's Show.

LANDS FINE PICKEREL AT FENELON FALLS

In case she is too modest to tell, hydro superintendent Gerry McCallum reports a fine 23 1/2" pickerel caught at Fenelon Falls last weekend by Mrs. Phares Vannatter. It was one of the best fish taken from the lake this season.

Mr. McCallum knows first hand about the catch for he shared in the eating. With his wife he was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McCallum. His mother has been in ill health, and Mrs. Vannatter sent over a fish dinner for the family.

Horaby, Glen Play For Championship

Hornby and Glen Williams will meet later this month to decide the championship of the rural girls' softball league.

The teams ended the season tied for first place, each with 7 wins and 3 losses, and a sudden death playoff to decide the standing saw Hornby the victors. Hornby then went on to eliminate 3rd place Palermo in two straight games.

Final league standing was:

	W	L	T	Pts
Hornby	7	3	-	14
Glen	7	3	-	14
Palermo	6	2	1	13
Omagh	4	6	-	8
Haltonville	3	6	1	7
Norval	2	8	-	4

Coronary Fatal on Ottawa Vacation Trip

Vacationing in Ottawa, John S. Hughes died suddenly on Monday, Mr. Hughes, who had just arrived in Ottawa on vacation from his position at the A. V. Roe Co., Malton, suffered a coronary. He was buried in Greenwood Cemetery this afternoon following the service at the McClure Funeral Home.

Surviving are his wife, Wilena Kempher, one son Owen, a member of the Toronto police force, a sister, Mrs. R. E. Mayo, Toronto and brothers Frank of Norval and James of Toronto.

MRS. WILLIAM WARD IS 84 TODAY

Widow of a Georgetown bailiff, Mrs. William Ward is celebrating her 84th birthday today at her home on John Street.

WHAT COUNCIL DID

Gibbens' Parking Lot Provides More Parking

THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor—
July was indeed a dry month, with rain on only 5 days for a total of only .87 of an inch, which is over 2 1/4 inches below normal average for the month of July.
The minimum average for the month was 63 which is 3 degrees below normal, and the maximum average of 80 was exactly normal. But we can remember that there were some hot, sticky days in July.
Ern Hatkin

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
July 26	89	54	
July 27	87	60	
July 28	87	61	
July 29	71	59	.28
July 30	80	60	.00
July 31	82	57	.21
Aug. 1	78	52	
Average	83	58	.58

Shortage of downtown parking space may be alleviated this week, when an agreement for use of land owned by J. J. Gibbens is signed by the mayor and clerk acting for the town.

Monday night, councillors looked over the property and remarked on the generous gesture by Mr. Gibbens to use the land for the next five years at a nominal rental fee of \$15. This year he will net \$1.50 as taxes on the property are \$13.50. Cost to the town to convert the land, which lies behind a large business block owned by Mr. Gibbens, is estimated at \$50 for bulldozing and some fill. If the owner wishes to terminate the agreement before five years expires, he is to pay the town \$50.

All town oil contracts, presently held by Bill Bailey, Brampton, will be turned over to W. H. Kentner & Son, who have installed a local service, in view of the company paying heavy taxes in town.

New water mains will be laid on Joseph Street and Orchard Blvd. to service the new McNally subdivision.

A brief exchange of words between road chairman Norton and Reeve Allen resulted in a defeated motion to move some hydro poles on Chapel Street for road widening. The reeve opposed moving the poles until next year when the actual paving is done and the funds can be taken from the debenture issue. This year, cost of moving would be in current expenses. Mr. Norton was supported by C. McGilvray and Sargent in maintaining that the poles should be moved at once, to allow the road to settle before paving.

Reopen Grocery Store On Main Street North

Closed for some time because of Mrs. Dorothy Swan's illness, the grocery and confectionery store on Main Street North will be reopened Friday by her brother-in-law Archie Girard. The store was operated for many years by Mrs. Swan and her mother, the late Mrs. Loud. Mr. Girard will call his place of business North End Grocery and Confectionery. Mr. and Mrs. Girard, their son Teddy and daughter Mrs. Cecelia Jones moved into the house adjoining the store last week. They were operating the present Dickerson store on Water St. when they left town twenty years ago, and have since lived in Paris, Collingwood and Cathart.

Spitzer-Leslie Wedding Saturday at Holy Cross

Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan officiated on Saturday morning at the wedding in Holy Cross R.C. Church of Margaret Mercedes Leslie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Leslie, 42 Main St. S. and Benno Spitzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spitzer, Limehouse. The bridegroom is an Avro employee and his bride is employed at Smith & Stone.

The bride wore white nylon with lace overskirt and jacket, a pearl studded Juliet cap with fingertip veil and carried white carnations. Her attendants were her sister Kirstin Leslie as maid of honour and Miss Daphne Wong, Toronto, as bridesmaid. They wore blue nylon ballerina gowns, with matching tulle headpieces and carried nosegays of red carnations.

The groom's brother Herbert Spitzer was best man. Ushers were his cousin George Spitzer, and Mr. D. Wrong, Toronto. Mr. Leslie gave his daughter in marriage, Mrs. William Carney was organist and Mrs. Robert Beeny soloist.

Receiving afterwards in the parish hall, the bride's mother wore night blue taffeta and black accessories and the groom's mother navy blue crepe and lace, with navy accessories.

Leaving on a honeymoon trip to the states, the bride wore a blue linen suit, white accessories and a corsage of pink sweetheart roses. Mr. and Mrs. Spitzer will live in Limehouse.

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BAND PLAYS AT LEGION CONVENTION

The Lorne Scots Band, under the leadership of WO1 Alf Perrott, paraded as a feature of the dominion convention of the Canadian Legion in Toronto on Sunday. They played for the march past when General Crerar took the salute.

BALLINAFAD

Closing Exercises End Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School for children of the three churches was held last week at Churchhill with an attendance of about fifty. The junior class was in charge of Mr. Russ, assisted by Mrs. Russ and Marie Kerr and the primary class was taught by Shirley Thompson with Beth McEnery, Shirley Kirkwood and Helen Allan as helpers. The theme of the study course was "Jesus increased in wisdom and in favour with God and Man."

On Friday night the closing exercises of the school were held and the handcraft and work books were on display. The children sang a song of welcome. This was followed by a film showing the Leslie Bell singers in their practice sessions. The worship service led by Mr. Russ with the junior class each telling some incident in the life of Jesus. A bible quiz was conducted by Shirley Thompson, among the primary class, this was followed by several more action songs. Mr. Russ then showed another film entitled "The Bee Hive" which gave us all an interesting picture of the different activities of a swarm of bees. Mr. C. Kendry expressed the appreciation of the parents to Mr. Russ and all who helped to provide this time of happy fellowship for our children. Cookies and sandwiches were served by the Churchhill ladies to close a pleasant evening.

Mr. R. Peoples of Peterboro was guest speaker at our church service Sunday morning. He took as the theme of his sermon "The Importance of God's Word" and added much to the service with singing a solo "Calvary Covers All."

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lawr, Jean Peter and Shirley Kirkwood are spending a week at Victoria Harbour.

David and Mandy McKay of Clonville are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. ...

ASHGROVE

Institute Ladies See Shakespeare Play

The season is getting along. Wheat is pretty well all harvested. Soon the binders will be cutting the spring crop and it's quite noticeable how the evenings are closing in.

On Wednesday morning, July 28th thirty Women's Institute members and seven visitors left Ashgrove corner at nine o'clock by bus and arrived at Stratford at eleven. They had lunch and then at 2.30 went to the Shakespearean play and saw "The Taming of the Shrew." Afterwards all went to the basement of Knox Presbyterian Church where they were served a delicious dinner. Before leaving they toured Queen's Park. All the ladies agreed it was a grand day's outing and the success of it goes to Mrs. Percy Leslie and Mrs. Leslie Giffen who planned ahead and made the necessary arrangements for everyone's comfort throughout the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Anderson and children Peter, Virginia and baby Robert from Montreal have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruddell. Master Jim Peddie of Milton is with his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pickett.

Velma Lane Marries Local Hockey Star

Raiders' hockey star Rene Martin and Velma Lane were married in Acton Friday evening at a ceremony performed by Rev. R. H. Armstrong in Acton Presbyterian Church manse.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lane, Georgetown and the groom, a Smith and Stone employee, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donat Martin, Callander. For her wedding, the bride wore a powder blue silk shantung dress, with white accordion pleat insert, white straw hat and white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Her attendant, Mrs. Fred Lawrence wore darker blue silk shantung with bertha collar and full skirt, navy accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Mr. Lawrence was groomsmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin will be living in Georgetown when they return from a honeymoon trip.

WINS \$50 PRIZE IN LACROSSE DRAW

George Ward of town won the \$50 lucky draw prize offered in a fund-raising raffle by the N&G lacrosse club. The draw was made at a recent game in town.

STEWARTTOWN

Mrs. Lawson has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter, Norval.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were visitors for the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant of Toronto.

Congratulations and best wishes for a happy and successful life to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cook (Jeanine Humphreys) who were married in St. John's Church Saturday afternoon.

Visitors with Mrs. Bally at the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bally, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Bally, Dawn and Stephen of Islington.

GLEN WILLIAMS GUILD PRESENTATION TO RECTOR

A presentation of lawn furniture was made to Archdeacon and Mrs. W. G. O. Thompson last night by members of the junior altar guild of St. Alban's Church.

The archdeacon spoke to the girls at the meeting about their duties as guild members. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Thompson by president Betty Lucas and the refreshments featured a birthday cake with 70 candles in honour of the archdeacon who is retiring the end of August.

Elaine Pries Becomes Mrs. Carl Petterson

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hewitt Petterson, who were married here Saturday in St. George's Anglican Church will be making their home at 1261 Lake Breeze, Port Credit, after a honeymoon trip in Atlantic City and the eastern states.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petterson, Oakville, is employed with the Port Credit Weekly. The bride, Elaine Emma Pries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Egmont Pries, 12 Victoria Crescent, is a member of the office staff of the A.V. Roe Company at Malton.

Summer flowers decorated the church and Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson officiated. Jack Crichton was organist and soloist Glenns Doherty sang the Lord's Prayer before the ceremony and O Perfect Love while the register was signed.

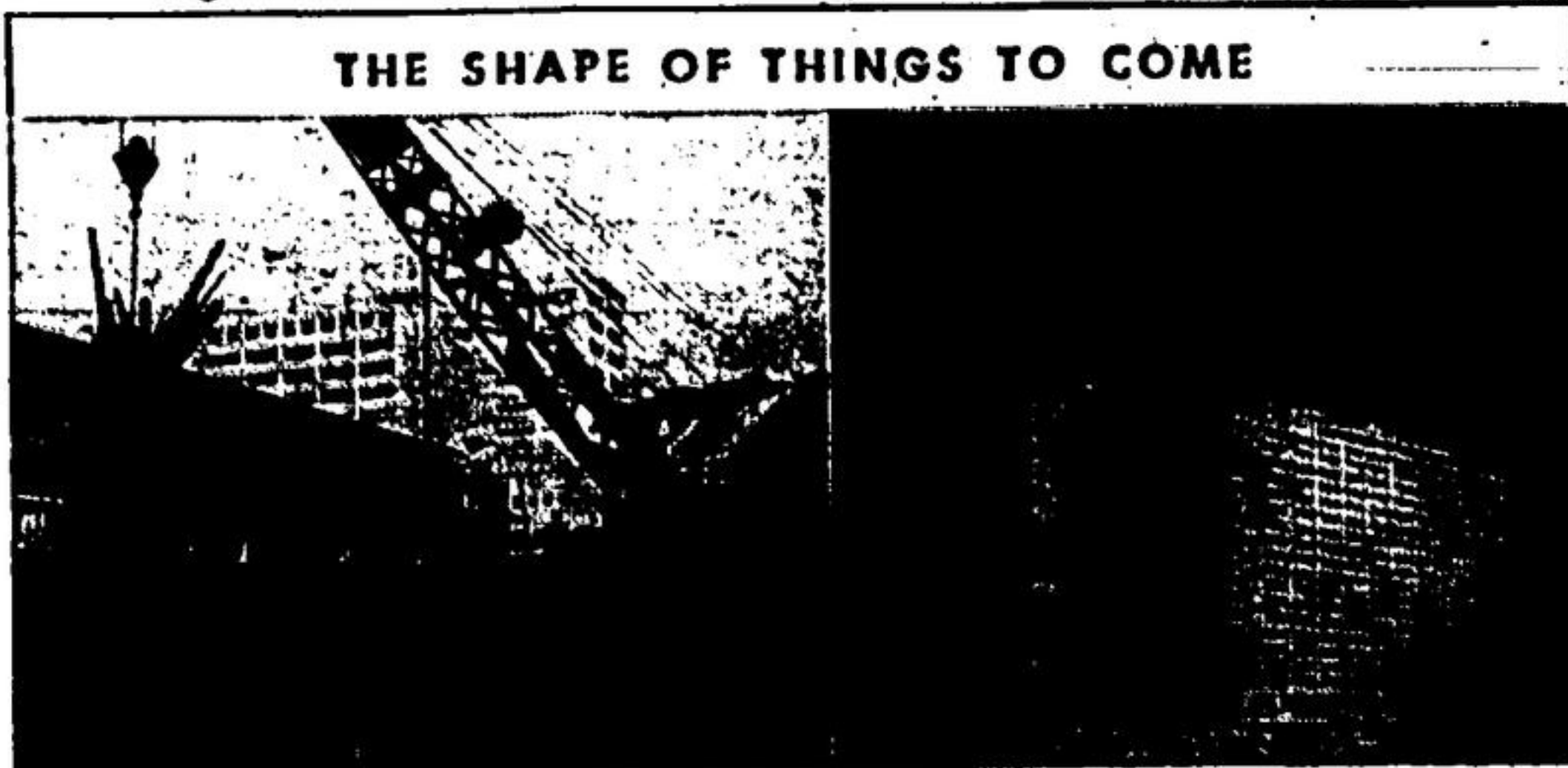
The bride wore french chantilly lace over white taffeta. Her gown was styled on princess lines with a halter top and fitted long-sleeved lace jacket. A matching lace cap studded with rhinestones and pearls and a tulle illusion veil completed the ensemble and she carried red roses and Stephanotis.

Attendants were the bride's sisters, Mrs. Fred Lawrence, and Miss ...

Fran Pries and the groom's sister, Mrs. Stuart Smitheram. They wore taffeta waist-length gowns with lace bodices, taffeta and lace hats and lace mittens, identically styled in mauve, yellow and green and each carried a bouquet of bronze mums. Another sister of the bride, Gail Pries, and the groom's niece, Deborah Dennison were flower girls. They wore white organdy dresses, little lace tiaras and lace mittens and carried nosegays of tea roses and sweet peas.

Mr. Pries gave his daughter in marriage and the groom's brother Robert Petterson was best man. Ushers were the bride's brother, Wayne Pries and the groom's brother-in-law Stuart Smitheram.

The bride's table at the reception, in the Oddfellows Hall was decorated with summer flowers and candles and centered with a 3-tiered wedding cake. Receiving, the bride's mother wore dove grey taffeta, black accessories and corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore deep tan, natural accessories and yellow rose corsage. For the honeymoon trip, the bride wore a blue linen suit, white accessories and corsage of red roses.



THE SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME

Power cranes, picks, shovels and human muscle went into action recently to clear the way for the construction of the Canadian National Railways new 20-story hotel in Montreal. The busy scene above, left, shows the demolition of a temporary traffic bridge at the Central Station site. At right is a sketch of what the large hotel, with its more than 1,000 guest rooms, will look like when it is completed in 1957. Between the hotel and the International Aviation Building is a 22-story office building which the railway proposes to erect. The area is expected to develop through private capital into a magnificent shopping, theatre, office and apartment centre, larger than New York's Rockefeller Center.