

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

FIRST SECTION

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EIGHT PAGES

Flooded Out at Woodbridge Fixture Firm Locates Here

An industrial victim of the Woodbridge flood has brought a new industry to Georgetown.

The Wood-Way Manufacturing Co. is purchasing part of the old Provincial Paper "lower mill" from W. B. Ackerman, Toronto, who has owned it for some years. The building has been used for storage by the DellaVilland Co., and for a short time after Mr. Ackerman bought it, was used for production of metal office furniture and other equipment manufactured by the Ackerman firm.

The Woodbridge firm, which is headed by J. Ross Rogers, was put entirely out of production by the flood. It produces modern stores fittings and fixtures and the company is hurrying to get into production here as fast as possible.

Eleven Woodbridge employees will be coming here to work, and it is possible that the plant will eventually employ fifty people. Wood-Way is buying approximately half of the building—the 3-floor upper part so familiar to dozens of local men who worked there when it was the paper mill.

Prominent in County, Ontario Garage Closes

A veteran local businessman who was well-known throughout Ontario for his work with the Ontario Garage Operators Ass'n, Fred Sinclair, 56, was buried Monday in Greenwood Cemetery following the funeral service at the McClure Funeral Home.

Mr. Sinclair, who died in Hamilton Friday, had a relapse a few weeks ago after recovering from a serious heart attack which forced him to sell his business over a year ago. He had operated the White Rose Service Station on Main St. since it was established in 1936, and before that had a tire and vulcanizing shop on Wesleyan. Fred Maveal purchased the business, and since his recovery Mr. Sinclair had entered garage work again as a member of the Scott Motors staff.

Son of the late Duncan and Mary Jane Swindlehurst Sinclair, he was born in Erin Township and had lived in town since his marriage in 1919. He worked at Smith & Stone before taking over Frank Butterfield's business in 1923.

He was a zealous exponent of cooperation among garagemen and as president of Halton Garage Operators and a member of the provincial executive was a leader in securing legislation governing closing hours for gas outlets.

A member of St. John's United Church, Mr. Sinclair had served some years on the board of stewards.

He is survived by his wife Verlena Sinclair, five sisters and a brother, Mrs. George Scott (Carrie) of Erin; Mrs. E. D. Valliant (Florence) of Toronto; Mrs. John Bruyn (Ellen) Jersey City, N.J.; Mrs. J. Davidson (Tillie) King City; Clayton Sinclair, Limehouse; and Mrs. Robert Wilson (Sadie) of Erin. A brother William died in infancy.

Rev. G. M. McFarlane conducted the service which was attended by friends from Orangeville, Alton, Mimico, Rockwood, New Toronto, Acton, Guelph and Ft. Churchill, Man. Pallbearers were Fred, Gear and Norman Sinclair, Watson Winfield, A. C. Patterson and Arthur Benton. Flower bearers were nephews, Alex. Wilson, Douglas and Earl Davidson and Ronald Robson.

WHAT COUNCIL DID

Heslop Urges Action On Annexation Hearing

"I'm getting anxious about the Municipal Board hearing" said subdivider Rex Heslop, asking for a speed-up in the date for annexation hearing by which Georgetown hopes to absorb a thousand Esquesing acres in the Norval direction, at Monday's council meeting.

Mr. Heslop reminded council that his options on seven farms expire in a short time, and that he might be considerably embarrassed if annexation proceedings are delayed too long. Lawyer George Hewson said he would contact Harry Willis, Toronto lawyer who is also acting for the town, to interview the Municipal Board the next day.

"I have one company interested in a 10-acre plot in Georgetown's subdivisions," said Mr. Heslop, "and another company which is considering industrial plants for

ONTARIO HURRICANE RELIEF FUND

Acknowledged	\$4,089.57
Charles Dykstra	2.50
S. W. Orr	25.00
Ahan	5.00
Hamilton Construction	10.00
George H. Muckart	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. Joe Hall, Jr.	5.00
W. J. Copland	10.00
Employees of Provincial Paper Ltd.	330.00
Arts & Crafts of G'town	
Draw on painting donated by Jordanus van der Vliet	200.25
Ashgrove School	8.83
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Cromar	10.00
Miss Grace Broadfoot	5.00
J. R. Smith	10.00
Smith & Stone Fire Dept. (given directly at the Etobicoke Memorial Service)	25.00
Georgetown & Streetville Lacrosse Club	175.00
Peter & Hunter Lyons	5.00
Jesse Bradford	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. John Glynn	5.00
A. Friend	25.00
Dr. Paul Beer	100.00
A. A. D.	10.00
I. D.	5.00
John P. Girvan	10.00
Solomon Dewhurst	5.00
J. W. Bell	20.00
Mrs. R. H. Wright	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. G. C. Sandy McKay	5.00
GHS Student Council, Profit on bus to Red Feather Game	13.50
Georgetown Lions Club, Raffle on boat donated by Dolphin Craft	298.00
Contributed by members	
Holy Cross R.C. Church	
Mr. & Mrs. Girard Wilcox	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Pruneau	2.00
Felix Arsenault	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. T. Valk	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. L. Neelison	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. P. Drenters	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. F. Emery	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. P. Koopman	2.50
Douglas Tucker	1.00
Martin Myers	1.00
Lambert Scholeten	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. James Bus	1.00
Mrs. Wilbert Alexander	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ed. Tyers	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. D. Sargent	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. James Boyle	2.00
James Carney	5.00
Mrs. Geo. Hewson	10.00
A. Friend	7.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ben Boyle	2.00
P. C. Beckett	2.00
Mrs. Florence Curtis	2.00
Miss Anne Ryan	5.00
Wally's Auto Body	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Dwyer	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Dwyer	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Graham	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Golden	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Jas. Golden	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Golden	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Sydney Hulme	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Hulme	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Ken Hulme	1.00

Dolphin Boat Raffle Nets \$300 Flood Fund

Draw for a fiberglass cartop boat was an extra feature at the Lions Halloween masquerade Friday in the arena Rose Room.

The boat was donated by the local Dolphin-Craft Co. through generosity of Leonard Bell, who asked the club to take over ticket sale. They did with success, and almost \$300 was added to the local Hurricane Relief Fund. Ernie Curry, R. R. 3 was the winner.

Most dancers came in costume and it was a difficult task to choose winners. Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Bradbury were judged best couple and Joan Harrison topped the group for originality. Mrs. Eileen Wedge, Acton had the funniest costume. Spot dance prizes were also given, with Ron Deeth's Orchestra from Toronto playing for dancing.

LIMEHOUSE

Hot Supper, Euchre Sponsored by W. A.

The W.A. sponsored a hot supper in the hall on Wednesday evening, when about a hundred were served. Euchre followed, when winners included Mrs. F. Smith and S. Kirkpatrick, with Mrs. John Scott and W. Harding winning seconds.

The S. Wrights visited the W. Wrights, Erin, a week ago. Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Bourne visited for a few minutes at Malton with their son, Lt. R. P. Bourne, who was returning by plane from Camp Shilo, Man., to his unit at Camp Utopia, N.B.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards (nee Jean Wilde) who were married in the United Church parsonage, Milton, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Orillia spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hurt-Guerrens, Terry and Linda of Aurora, visited the James Nobles on Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. J. Hughes	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Jeffery	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. W. Lavole	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. John Koloski	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. E. Lavoie	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. E. Lorusso	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. H. Laws	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Murphy	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. F. Tucker	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. B. Wilcox	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Wilcox	5.00
Mr. Earl Wilcox	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. F. Lorusso	1.00
Mr. Dominic Lorusso	1.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Cummins	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. P. Spitzer	3.00
Mr. & Mrs. R. Beene	2.00
Mrs. Alex Brown	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Haarsma	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Lavole	2.00
Mrs. George Walker	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. B. Armstrong	2.00
Marie Armstrong	1.00

TOTAL \$ 5,885.95

"Ike" DeVries Flies To Pakistan Position



An exciting six months is ahead for a Georgetown man when Lykle DeVries, Jr. arrives in Pakistan this Friday.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. DeVries, R. R. 3 Georgetown, left Malton by plane yesterday, and will travel to Karachi by air via London, England.

He has signed up with an English firm, Photographic Survey Corporation, to join a research group which will make a soil survey in Pakistan.

A 1954 graduate of the Ontario Agricultural College, he has been associated with his father in operating their Check Line farm since graduation in June.

THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor: The month of October was above average this year—the maximum average was 52 which is 5 degrees above normal, and the minimum was 39½ being 1½ degrees above normal. There was rain on twenty days in October, and the Grand Total of 9.81 inches is over 3½ times normal average. Did you see the first trace of snow about noon on Saturday?

Date	—Ern Batkin		
	Max.	Min.	Rain & Snow
Oct 25	71	36	
Oct 26	72	42	.12
Oct 27	49	38	.02
Oct 28	55	24	.07
Oct 29	50	36	.03
Oct 30	49	26	.02
Oct 31	47	25	—
Average	56	33	.26 S. trace

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Turner were guests at the Metcalfe-Turner wedding in the Anglican Church, Bolton a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gordon and family visited his parents on Sunday before Dr. James Gordon leaves for Winnipeg to rejoin his unit.

Over fifty children in costume called at some places Saturday evening in celebration of Halloween. Other signs of the date were few we are proud to report.

Mrs. Sinclair and the A. C. Patersons spent Sunday at Weston.

WHAT COUNCIL DID

U.S. Firm Buys Ten Acres for Factory Site

Bulldam Seems Certain As Loan By-law Passed

Purchase of a bulldam type of machine for garbage disposal seems definite after Monday's council meeting.

A by-law, approved by the Municipal Board after an initial two readings by council, which calls for borrowing \$12,000 for its purchase, was unanimously endorsed in its final reading. Two councillors, Thos. L. Lyons and Irwin Noble, who previously opposed the idea, were influenced by probable town growth and by possibility of Provincial Paper disposing of their waste clay by the new system, in changing their minds.

Three new Board of Parks members are Ivan Crabtree, Harold McClure and Art Scott, replacing retiring members W. G. Bell, J. J. Gibbins and Fred Chapman. Clarence King, Dick Licata and Bob Lane are other board members.

A 6" water main will service new houses on Lorne St. running down from Churchill Crescent, at a cost of \$900.00.

Option on a 10-acre property in Georgetown is being taken up by an American electronics firm.

Alex. Maclaren, who owns property along the south side of River Drive, and who gave the company an option in July, received word this week that the deal would go through.

The transaction will add a modern factory, employing some 30 skilled or semi-skilled workers to the local industrial scene. Company officials, who interviewed Cr. Doug Sargent, industrial chairman, and other town officials when they were in town last summer, promised a building which would be an asset to the landscape in the predominantly residential area in which it will be built.

LOCAL FIREMEN AT KINGSWAY SERVICE

Six local firemen attended a memorial service in Kingsway-Lambton United Church Sunday when 1500 people jammed the church to pay respects to five firemen drowned during the flood in the city.

A \$25 cheque from the Smith & Stone fire brigade was given to the collection taken at the service for the fund which will assist families of the victims.

Social and Personal

Mrs. J. S. Rankin is visiting with her sister in London.

Tom Hewson and Ivan Elliott are in Detroit this week, where they will attend the advance showing of new Dodge and DeSoto cars.

Mrs. John Lenz went to New York City last week to meet her husband, home from a visit in his Austrian homeland. They visited with relatives in the city before returning to Georgetown.

Recent guests dining at Terra Cotta Inn include Mr. and Mrs. John Gunn, Mr. O. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Starret Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Miss Dorothy Parkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Egbert C. Reed.

Gordon Bowers and Mel Beaumont, of Ray Bowers Motor Sales Ltd. are spending the next few days in Detroit and Windsor. They will have a tour of the Chrysler plant and view the company's new car models at a special advance showing.

Misses Jean and Margery MacKenzie were hostesses at a pantry shelf shower last Wednesday in honour of Miss Margaret Pasmore, Toronto, who will be a November bride. About 15 of her Georgetown friends were present to enjoy the pleasant social evening.

Brian Wicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wicks, celebrated his sixth birthday with a party at his home Saturday. His guests were Janet Chamberlain, Carol McGilvray, Elizabeth and Leslie Hansen, Neil Young, Shawn Tost, Paul Hayward, Hobby Footitt, Terry Lane and Brian's little brother Ross.

On Saturday, Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Linton, entertained at a Halloween party to mark her seventh birthday. Her guests were Carroll and David Farnell, Ellen Biehn, Linda and Debbie Hyde, John and Douglas Penrice, Villija and Jo-Ann Ridout, Mary and Barbara Evans, Bobby Alcott and Frances' brother Richie.

Health Nurse Explains Work to School Group

Public health nurse Joyce Nevitt spoke about her work as nurse for Halton Health Unit and answered pertinent questions at a meeting Monday of Georgetown Home & School Association in Wrigglesworth auditorium.

The program also included two educational films and Graham Farnell explained the Elmer safety pennants which will soon be in use in local schools.

Miss Austin's class at Chapel School and Mrs. Harold Henry's kindergarten class at Wrigglesworth won the pictures for having the largest representation of parents present at the meeting.

Mrs. R. D. Wiggett has returned to her home in Kirkland Lake, after visiting for the past four months with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Barber at the Valleyview Apartments.

Five sisters of the groom were among the guests at the wedding in Brampton last week of David Edmunds and Ruth Ann Gougeon. They were Mr. and Mrs. W. Ayton, Islington, S.Sgt. and Mrs. E. W. Powell and son, Petawawa, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Brown and daughter Janet, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. A. Haughe, Kerwick, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Teggart, Weston.

Mr. Thomas Leslie, Victoria St., who has been in Guelph General Hospital for two weeks is recuperating nicely. He suffered a heart seizure and a slight stroke. Friends who called to see him Sunday and who also visited in town with Mrs. Leslie were Mrs. J. Arnam and Russell Moore of Barrie, and Mr. and Mrs. William Sawyers and son Aubrey of Collingwood.

Mrs. Frank Knox, Toronto, who is the former Gwynneth Williams, was entertained before her marriage at a cup and saucer shower given by Miss Ruth Watson at Fudge House, and a linen shower by Mrs. Peter Knox. In Glen Williams, Mrs. Jack Lucas and Mrs. Robert McMaster had a pantry shower, and the staff of the Simpson-Sears general office in Toronto also had a shower and presented her with a Lazy-boy chair.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nodwell announce the engagement of their daughter, Muriel Jean, to A. E. William E. Brooks, Kingsport Tennessee. The marriage will take place November the sixth in West Palm Beach, Florida.

LIMEHOUSE

House Badly Damaged In Saturday Fire

Halloween night festivities, in Limehouse were marred by a serious fire which caused extensive damage at the home of Tom Sutton near the community hall.

The fire, of unknown origin, broke out in the back part of the house, and Mr. Sutton fought the blaze himself until Georgetown firemen arrived.

The entire back section of the frame-house was razed, and extensive damage was done. By smoke and water to the rest of the building and the contents.

There is insurance coverage on the house, but none on furniture and clothing.

Firemen did a good job in confining the fire to one area. It did not menace the nearby home of Lt.-Col. K. M. Bourne at any time.

Timleck-Robinson Wedding Group



The wedding party poses in front of St. Mark's Anglican Church, Orangeville, after the ceremony which united James Timleck of town and Gwen Robinson of that town. Left to right are: Ushers Barry Timleck and Lawrence Timleck, Pt. Credit, groomsmen Roy Green, the groom and bride, the bride's sister, Mrs. Hazel Craig, Fay Webb and Jean Boyce, little Jacqueline Timleck flower girl in front.