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Plenty of Gas Now

For Town: Seynuk

"We have more than enough natural gas to supply Georgetown and rwe can have gas piped to town in no time at all" said Anthony Seynuk, appearing before Georgetown council Mon-

day to request a franchise for his

company, Anthony Gas and Oil Ex-

by Roy Magloughlen, another comp-

any official, said that even the smal-

lest well on the McDonald property in the Scotch Block can supply the

whole present town with its gas re-

than any that could be supplied by

companies piping it in from the U.S.

be supplying Halton Natural Gas Co.

which has also requested a franchise.

Mr. Seynuk said he had never been

approached by that company and nad

made no commitments to or with any

company. Last Monday, council gave

two readings to a by law which would

give Halton Natural Gas a franchise,

subject to approval of the Ontario

Mr. Seyrik detailed his long years

Several Georgetown people invested

in his project in the early thirties

when he had drilled to 4,000 feet us-

ing makeshift equipment and stopped

short of the gas supplies which now

lar for dollar in the new company,"

cil's interest in considering Mr. Sey-

nk's proposal before any final decis-

ion is made and suggested that the

Anthony company interview the fuel

board and then come back to council.

Street will be investigated and the

weed eradicated when it is found.

Monday next month, August 1st.

Reports of poison ivy on Ontario

A civic holiday will be proclaimed

as usual in Georgetown the first

"Every investor will get stock, dol-

Mayor Armstrong expressed coun-

His gas, he said, would be chesper

Questioned as to whether he would

Mr. Seynuk, who was accompanied

WHAT COUNCIL DID

plorations Ltd.

quirements.

Fuel Board.

he said.

of searching for gas.

have been located.

WHAY .. COUNCIL ' DID

Mill Union Protests Remarks by Councillors

The air was cleared in council chamber Manday, if not in the Alliance pafemili district, when a delegation of union representatives appeared to protest statements made by councillors last week in a council discussion of edours from the company's mill

An apology for his statement that the mill should leave town if they eannot operate without a stench by Cr. Walter Gray, and explanation by Moove Stan Allen that he had been somewhat misquoted in his state. ments about mill wages were accepted by the delegation as evidence that bouncil, collectively or individually would be concerned at any thought of the mill leaving town.

"Councillors are human and tempters fly here as well as anywhere else." said Boove Allen, explaining that, while he is still interested in seeking a remady to overcome the odour, it is not his intention to see the mill closed or any worker hurt.

Tom Hill, union president, introduced the delegation which included William Engleby, honorary president, and vice president Bel Majuery, and several other members.

Mr. Engleby, acting as spokesman said statements made about mill wages were false and that while there is an obnoxious odour, people had built in the district knowing it was

"It doesn't do any of us any good to see such statements in the press, he said. "The company is trying to do something about controlling the odour and it will be solved in time."

Mayor Armstrong read a letter from Cr. Walter Gray, who explained that out-of-town business made it impos-

sible for him to attend the meeting. Since last week, said Mr. Gray in his letter, he had received information about the cost involved and in his opinion the cost is too great for

'him to pass remarks. "I withdraw my remarks," he continued, "and at no time would I support any measure to exert pressure on any industry for such an expendi-Sure with no revenue. I have faith that the Alliance management will do justice to the problem as soon as

they find it possible to do so." Mr. Engleby suggested that council salk with the mill management. "Last Monday we had a delegation of residents here and no one disagrees

that there is an odour," explained Mayor Armstrong. "The problem is to find a remedy and council decided to ask the town engineer to analyze the waste and see if he could help Yind a solution. I'm of the firm belief that the mill management is doling its best and will continue to do its best to find a solution. No action has ever been taken by council against the mill and I don't think any council will be ever doing so.

Alex Taylor, a delegation member, reminded council that the mill has been here a long time and employs 200 people and nothing should be done to jeopardize the employees' position. Mr. Hill said there is no bluff attached if a company considers closing a mill. Closing of the old lower mill of Provincial showed what can happen, he said.

"The smell has been there for years, as stated," said Reeve Allen, "and when the mill took action there was no kick for 4 or 5 years. Now. because of complaints from the Conservation Commission, they have been forced to build dams and I receive complaints from people who never smelled it before. My complaint isn't entirely against the mill. It's also against the council of that day and the engineer who said our sewerage system would take care of mill waste."

Mr. Allen, who is a former president of Smith and Stone union, said it is certainly not his intention to take any action which would be harmful to the working man for whom he has always fought.

"There has been no thought at any time of the mill leaving town," said Cr. Garfield McGilvray. "I haven't the answer to end the odour, but I think cooperation between mill and town engineers will get somewhere."

Mayor Armstrong thanked the delegation for taking an interest in an item of importance.

"Everyone is trying to do their best and I think the solution will be found", he said as the discussion concluded.

Council reviewed expenses to June 30th and compared them with the budget. Most departments are operating around budget level, though finance minister McGilvray warned that there would have to be some "tightening up" as the year progresses.

If there should be a hitch in the highway resurfacing plan, which would be paid by debenture, and the town should have to find money from current revenue for the extensive tree trimming being done, it would stretch the budget pretty thin, he said

which he ity swimming pool Town engineer Douglas Wilson re-

THE WEATHER

And it is still hot and humid! Average_temperatures are above average for July - just how much more of it

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Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
July 11	80	52	
July 12	79	48	0 <u>2</u> 2
July 13	83	42	
July 14	91	53	,06
July 15	84	65	.03
July 16	87	64	.26
July 17	85	65	Trace
Average	84	56	.35

Local Man Saves **Boy from Drowning**

A York Township boy owes his life to a Georgetown man, Archie McGilli-Vray, 2 River Drive, who saved him from drowning in a gravel pit pool 'Monday night.

Vacationing with his family on the Ambrose McCormick farm at Caledon, 15-year-old Pat Harris, son of John J. Harris, 716 Jane Street, Toronto, was bathing in a shallow pool formed in

a gravel pit and alid into a deep slot. Some other youngsters who were with him ran to tell Mr. McGillivray, who was operating a power shovel nearby. He plunged, fully clothed into the water, and managed to drag him to safety. Artificial respiration was applied by Mike Elik and John Nesbitt of Orangeville.

Mr. McGillivray lost his wrist watch when he dived and a small amount of loose change in his pocket. His prompt action was responsible for saving young Harris' life.

Frank Wood Honoured Orange Life Member

At the July 12th meeting of Loyal Orange Lodge 245, Wor rBo. Frank Wood was honoured with a life membership certificate.

Past County Master Lou Samson presented Mr. Wood with his certificate and spoke highly of his work in the order. Other visitors were Past County Masters Beaty, J. Wilson, and C. Brooks and District Deputy Master James McLennan, and they also had words of praise for Mr. Wood who is himself a past county master.

District Master Ernie Rawson introduced the visiting members and also spoke a word of praise to the local True Blue and Orange lodges and the county as a whole for the splendid turnout at the celebration in Shelburne on July Oth.

Cooksville Edges Cotton's Teams Play Here Tuesday

Last Friday night in Cooksville, Cotton's were defeated 4-3 in the last half of the ninth in a thrilling ball game. Cotton's, who have lost two games this year, both to Cooksville were outlucked rather than outplayed. Poor base running cost them two

With the game a scoreless tie in the last half of the fourth Cooksville scored three runs on three hits and an infield out. In the fifth inning Cotton's got one run back when Blake Inglis singled and scored on Barrager's triple. Cotton's tied the game up in the sixth when Inglis and Fenning singled, advancing a base on a pass ball, both scoring when Rene Martin doubled to left. In the eighth and ninth Cotton's had two chances to take the lead but Barrager left third too soon on an outfield fly and Martin missed home plate on the same kind of a play an inning later.

Cooksville won the game in the last of the ninth when with one out a single and a double put men on second and third and a fly to the outfield scored the winning run:

Next Tuesday night Cooksville and Cotton's play in Georgetown Park. Come out and see the first and second teams in action. Batteries: Cotton's: Patterson and

Chappel; Cooksvil	lle, Mille	r ar	id N	lilne.
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Cotton's		3	7	0/
Cooksville			6	1
Brampton Distric		•	1	
League Standing.	Wor	L	tso.	PHL
Cooksville		-	1	12
Cotton's			2	12
Brampton			3	8
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is working. Several major water. leaks have been repaired, he said, and he is giving the Lions Club a

PLAN TO LIVE IN ALBERTA



-Cordon Campbell, Brampton

Leaving on their honeymoon after their wedding in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Norval, Mr. and Mrs. William Newns wave to friends. Mr. Newns and his bride Maureen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Needham, Marwood Farm, will soon be leaving to make their home in Leduc, Alberta.

SILVER WEDDING IN NEW TORONTO

A silver wedding anniversary of local interest was held in the form of an "at home" for John and Ella Russell during the evening of July 12th, at the home of his brother, Donald R. Russell in New Toronto

Following a family dinner at the Dutch Sisters on Lakeshore Rd, they were at home to friends from Mon treal, Fergus, Georgetown, Belfountain, Toronto, Norval and other places. As it was a beautiful evening it was possible to serve guests on the lawn which faces Lake Ontario, and friends were enabled to linger and have an old-time visit

Mrs. Russell's sister, Mrs. Mabel Kindree, and her sister in law Mrs. Alvin Arnold poured tea Misses Ann Kingsley and May Stratford, Toronto. assisted in serving guests

JUVENILES WIN AGAIN NOW FIVE STRAIGHT

Still the team in minor baseball circles. Georgetown Juveniles won their fifth straight game. Thursday when they played Milton in Georgetown

The game was a tight one all the way, with Georgetown winning 3-1 The locals got two runs in the 2nd and added another in the 7th, while Milton scored their only run in the 4th. Beckett was robbed of a shutout by Hannant's hit in the 4th.

STAFF ADDITIONS AT **BOTH LOCAL BANKS**

There are several new faces in the local banks so thought readers would be interested in having the Herald review the staffs for you.

In the Bank of Commerce we have Mr. Jack Hart, manager, Mr James Alcorn, Mr Robert Burke, Mr James Baverstock, Mrs. Fred Helson, Mrs. Donald Rand, Jessie Wilcox, Mary Lindsay, Mrs. Kenneth Faulkner, Pat. ricia Vance, Mary McDonald, Marilyn Warnes, Jean Muckart Betty Greig and David Hart have joined the staff for the summer.

The staff at the Royal is Mr. Bob Daron; manager, Mr G Gopsill, Gerald liatt, who has been transferred from Lions Head, Bert de Vuyst, Gerry Scott, Arlene Reeve, Shirley Burt and Beth MacGillivray, whom we understand is leaving to work with the Varian Associates

TWO FIRE CALLS TO SWIMMING POOL SITE

MR. AND MRS. DONALD SCHENK

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schenk pose at a reception in Stewarttown

Schenk, who is associated with his father William Schenk in oper-

ating Credit-Valley Bottling Works, and his bride, Muriel, daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spence, are living at 24 Queen Street.

Hall following their marriage in 6t. John's United Church. Mr.

Burning brush at the community swimming pool site behind the arena brought firemen twice yesterday

when the fire got out of control. They extinguished a grass fire in mid-afternoon and at supper time a small prefab office, erected earlier in the day by contractors Milne & Nichols caught fire. There was minor damage to the building.

Georgetown Community Swimming Pool

Georgetown Lions Club Boy Scout Ladies' Aux. Milk Bottle Collection,

Grade 4, Chapel St. School Grade 5, Chapel St. School Howard Wrigglesworth School Chapel Street School Baseball game, Lions vs.

Rotary Jim Turnbull

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The Herald social column is well filled these weeks. Tell us shout your visits and visitors and help the Herald to be interesting every week.

WANTED . . . PERSONALS!

WHAT COUNCIL DID

SERVICE CHARGES, RESTRICTIONS CONSIDERED FOR SUBDIVIDERS

DINNER PARTY HERE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A surprise 50th anniversary party was arranged by the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Snelgrove last Tuesday when family members attended a dinner party at the home of their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bell, Main Street South.

The Snelgroves, who live at 37 Cortland Ave., Toronto, have been residents of the city since moving from Catalina, Newfoundland thirty years ago.

Celebrating with their parents were Mr. and Mrs. Raiph Snelgrove, Barrie; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snelgrove, David and Leslie, Leaside; and Mr. Snelgrove's cousin, Mrs. Walter Knight, Windsor. Another son, Herbert Snelgrove, Barrie, was unable to

Construction Starts on Georgetown's Community Swimming Pool

Construction has started on a \$50,000 community swimming pool project which is being sparked by Georgetown Lions Club.

Toronto contractors Milne & Nichols have been awarded the contract and preliminary work is in progress behind the arena where the pool will be located.

A fund campaign has been launch-

ed and a total of \$6,450 is in the bank as a start, with donations being solicited to raise this to at least \$50,000. The Lions procured the location and prepared plans and specifications, and they have been aided substantially by the fire department in clearing the land, by Don Ford who mowed grass and weeds and town engineer Douglas Wilson, who is doing the surveying.

LEGION AUXILIARY PICNIC AT TERRA COTTA PLAYGROUND

On Saturday, July 16th, the ladies of the W.A. Legion Auxiliary held their picnic at Terra Cotta Playground. About eighty were taken to the park by bus and car. Tea, coffee and ice cream were supplied by the Auxiliary for the picnic supper.

. Next public holiday which has been. proclaimed is Civic Holiday. Stores will close that day, August 1st.

Subdividers will be paying a much larger share of town services when they build if legislation being considered by Georgetown council becomes

Monday at the council meeting, preliminary readings were given to two by-laws which have an important bearing on future subdivisions. The legislation is essentially the same as in the town agreement with Delrex Devclopments, with the addition of a charge for engineering services of up to 5 per cent when the town deems it necessary to obtain engineering ad-

The by-laws were submitted by council's town planning committee which is headed by Cr. Doug Sargent. One by-law will control the proportion of industrial and residential property in subdivisions of 5 acres or more, limiting house building to 60 per cent of the assessment of the subdivision. A subdivider would be allowed to proceed with building on 25 per cent of the residential lots and

pensating industry. A possible loop-hole in the by-law is plugged with a clause which gives council the right to decide if a subdivider is contravening the by-law by splitting a large acreage into a number of 5 acre sections.

then would have to produce a com-

In subdivisions under 5 acres, the council will require a \$300 payment per lot as a service charge.

The second by-law requires subdividers to supply a number of necessary services at their own expense. Roads, sanitary sewers, sidewalks, watermains and street signs must all be supplied and, if necessary, storm sewers. Dralnage easements must be given the corporation where necessary, also.

A fee of up to 5 per cent for engineering services is also a responsibility of the contractor.

The town will not take over the services installed until 50 per cent of the buildings are erected.

As a gharantee that the subdivider will live up to his obligations, he must deposit sufficient money with the town or post a bond sufficient to cover all costs of services before proeceding with any construction.

Questioned whether the new by laws will affect Delrex, Mayor Alm strong sald the town's agreement with the firm would obviate the by-law applying to that subdivision. However, he said, it will regulate what have Delrex, such as the George Cleave and Russell Hepburn farms, which were not included in the town's

agreement'

A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O