

WHAT COUNCIL DID

**Purchase Town Truck  
From Maveal Motors**

Maveal Motor Sales got the nod from council Monday when three tenders were opened for purchase of a one-ton truck for the town. Council decided on an International at a price of \$2159.

There was little interest from any dealer in taking in the present truck on trade, and council are undecided whether to sell it or keep it as an auxiliary for street sanding and similar jobs.

Council okayed a request of the Hospital Committee, that Mayor Armstrong sign letters which are going out with lottery tickets for the draw on a house donated by Delrex Developments, John Ord, appeared for the hospital committee to suggest this, saying he felt the public would have more confidence in a project if it had such endorsement from the town council.

Requesting that the town share costs with Sunbeam property owners of beautifying the district with trees, Sid Hardie was told that there is talk of a horticultural society being formed, and such an organization might adopt this as a project.

**Council, Wives Have  
Dinner, See Home Show**

Members of Georgetown Council entertained their wives last Wednesday when they went to Toronto for dinner at the Seaway Hotel, then attended the Home Show at the CNE grounds as guests of Rex Heslop.

They were particularly interested in viewing the display which Delrex Developments had in the show. A familiar Georgetown scene was eye-catching, a large 4 foot coloured picture taken from the 9th Line bridge at Hungry Hollow. Delrex also had on view plans showing houses and industrial sites in the new part of Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Heslop entertained the group at their home when they returned to town.

Asking for permission to erect oil and gas storage tanks at the rear of their highway property, Halton Co-Operative Supplies were given no answer until the town planning committee investigated.

The hospital committee was granted use of the park on May 21st, when they are planning a gala day to launch hospital fund raising.

The town will donate \$200 to a Legion-sponsored fireworks display, which will be held that night.

**At 103, Has Marriage Tips**

Advice for married couples who want to stay that way: Don't get into an argument before breakfast.

This word to the wise comes from George Hemstreet, a man who has stayed happily married to the same woman for nearly 75 of his 103 years. Mr. and Mrs. Hemstreet are Canada's oldest married couple.

Mr. Hemstreet took time out from preparations for his 103rd birthday party last week to pass on this added advice to younger couples.

"Don't marry someone that you're not completely satisfied with, and then try to change them later."

"Condition yourself to each other's wishes: don't expect too much from each other."

**Don't Nag**

"Don't nag. Have a strong will, speak your piece and forget it. Don't be selfish."

"Marry someone who is like yourself: someone with similar interests." (The Hemstreets both went to the same United Church in Milton. They both taught Sunday school classes during courtship.)

About before-breakfast arguments, George Hemstreet explained:

"It's easy to argue on an empty stomach, but it's hard to forget it. It's a poor way to start a day. We had two girls. It depends how



**MR. AND MRS. GEORGE HEMSTREET**  
No real secret for their happy and long marriage

many children a man and wife need. No "Real Secret"

Mrs. Hemstreet said she and George had no "real secret" for their happy and long marriage. "We were too happy to wonder why. We just fell

in love and stayed in love," she said. She'll be 101 on May 22.

The Hemstreets have a formula for long life, too. In their combined 204 years they never smoked, drank or drove a car.

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**Trapped 3 Hours  
Car Plunge in Credit**

Presence of mind of Marion Stoddart, 16 of Georgetown saved her life and that of Norman Kidd, 21, Inglewood of the 1st Line, Caledon when their car plunged through a bridge washout Friday night, into nine feet of water in a branch of the Credit River.

They spent three hours waiting in knee-deep floods and waiting for rescue. They were trapped on an "island" formed when two bridges washed away, and had to be rescued by boat.

The car with the two young people still in it was swept 50 feet downstream before it came to rest against the timbers of a bridge which had been swept away. Here the front end began to sink, dragged down by weight of the engine. Marion had the presence of mind to warn Kidd not to roll down the front windows, then under water, and they scrambled into the rear seat and out a rear window into the icy water.

They climbed into shallower water and managed to reach the road where the water was only a few inches deep. They began walking south, but unknown to them a second bridge over another river branch had been washed out and they would not have seen it in the darkness.

Fortunately, a car was approaching from the opposite side of the river. The driver spotted the demolished bridge and stopped. He saw the couple wading towards the river, called to them to stop and went for help.

The driver, Charles Fleming, Alton went for help at the service station of Fred Billings at Highway 10 and the Inglewood road.

The young couple were left alone knee-deep in water, for three hours before their rescue. Although they were not in serious danger, they were trapped between the two washed-out bridges and the only way they could be reached was by boat.

Inglewood fire brigade was called. Two brigade members, Stewart Neely and Jack Cameron borrowed a boat and headed for the river. With aid from others, they effected a difficult rescue.

Kidd said his car dropped and was whisked sideways without a second warning. He praised Miss Stoddart's presence of mind, in stopping him from opening the window in the submerged car.

By the time they were brought to safety, the road approaching the spot was becoming impassible. P.C.'s W. Ferris and G. Hickingbottom of Port Credit OOP travelled by cruiser as far as possible and then continued by jeep toward the spot to offer help.

**Anglican Ladies at  
Diocesan W.A. Annual**

A number of members of the local Anglican Woman's Association attended the annual diocesan meeting yesterday and today in Hamilton.

Bishop W. E. Bagnall was celebrant at holy communion in Christ's Church Cathedral, and the sermon was given by Canon Cecil Swanson of St. Paul's Church, Toronto. Music was provided by the liturgical choir of the diocese directed by Rev. H. F. Thomasson.

In the afternoon life members of the W.A. assembled at the parish hall and were guests of Mrs. W. E. Jackson, wife of the dean of the cathedral.

The evening session convened at the parish hall of the Church of the Ascension under the chairmanship of diocesan president Miss Georgina Checkley. The speaker, Mrs. R. H. Soward dealt with the future pattern of women's work in the church. A short play by the educational committee was presented.

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