

Then & Now

Thirty Years Ago

THEN . . . HERALD, OCT. 13, 1926

"Joy Bombs" a new Dumbbells show was playing a one-night engagement in Brampton . . . Low net winners in a 2-ball foursome at the golf course were J. B. Mackenzie and Gladys Sykes . . . Norval news notes reported "We are sorry to lose genial Donald Russell who is entering on new duties in Toronto

. . . The first anniversary services of the United Church had Dr. D. N. McLachlan, head of social services and evangelism as preacher and Mrs. Gladys Jones-Morgan as soloist. Mrs. Archie Black and Miss Jean Adams sang a duet and Miss Ermal Buck was organist . . . Members elected for the session of the church were J. W. Kennedy, Geo. Leslie, J. D. Godfrey, C. B. Dayfoot, Dr. A. McAllister, Thomas Bird, Dr. Reid, W. T. Evans, A. M. Grandy, P. B. Harrison, Alex

Maclaren, Ira Vannatter, Martin Near, W. H. Willson and James Cleave . . .

NOW . . . OCTOBER, 1956

The Dumbbells tried a revival a few years ago, but found television and cinemascope had outdated their brand of entertainment. Pat Rafferty of the old company still bobs up at the occasional garden party . . . The Mackenzie tradition of good golfing is still carried on by members of the late Mr. Mackenzie's family . . . Gladys Sykes, now Mrs. Croy Kennedy of Toronto may again be a Georgetown resident some day, as they own property here and plan to build a house . . . Genial Don lived up to his monicker by becoming a chain drug store owner and municipal politician in New Toronto . . . He is mayor of his municipality at

present . . . Mrs. Black now lives in Galt and Ermal Buck is now Mrs. Young of Toronto. Jean Adams, after training as a nurse, was nursing superintendent in a large Buffalo hospital, retired last year and came back to Georgetown to live . . . Death has depleted the session of the United Church. Of the 15 elected to session, Dr. McAllister and Messrs. Bird, Evans, Harrison and Maclaren are still active church members . . .

Twenty Years Ago

THEN . . . HERALD, OCT. 14, 1936

Jack Willoughby and Kathleen Gooderham were married in Toronto. A sad accident, when a homebound car from a dance in Erin struck a parked car on the 7th Line near Ballinad, took the life of

Alexander Stewart Mino, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mino and brother of Wilfred . . . Jack Presswood won a 28-mile bike race at Guelph . . . Milton won the opening high school rugby game with Bob Goldham getting Georgetown's only touchdown . . . Thomas Ellenton, blind weaving artist, won several prizes at the CNE, Ottawa and London Fairs . . . Dr. J. E. Jackson purchased the dental practice of the late Dr. Gollop . . . W. H. Kentner and Son purchased the fuel business of the John McDonald Estate . . . the Herald editor joshed: It will soon be time for candidates for municipal honours to secure two hats, one to throw in the ring and one to talk through . . .

NOW, OCTOBER, 1956

Mr. Willoughby is a partner with his father and brother in the real

estate firm for which Walter Fidler is Georgetown agent . . . Jack Presswood is employed at Smith and Stone, has given up bike riding in favour of a motor car . . . Bob Goldham perfected his prowess in another sport, hockey, became a big league star for Toronto and Detroit, and retired this spring at the peak of his career as a Red Wings defenceman . . . Mr. Ellenton died several years ago and Dr. Jackson, who moved from Georgetown, died a few months ago . . . The Kentners, adding fuel oil to their coal and coke business, are still in business . . .

Ten Years Ago

THEN . . . HERALD, OCT. 9, 1946

J. Arnott Early was appointed assessor for Georgetown . . . Bruce Reid and Alice (Lo) Costigan were married . . . Doug Townsend and Mary Appleyard were married in St. Alban's . . . Glen Williams . . . a \$5,000 debenture issue for resurfacing Queen Street was a major item of council news . . . Nelson Cooke, 61, a member of a pioneer family died . . . Audrey Grieve returned from a year's service in an English hospital with the St. John Ambulance Brigade . . . Prof. Lewis Rutledge, 61, of Queen's University engineering faculty, was buried in Glen Williams . . . Don Barrager, was planning to erect a dry cleaning plant on the old wading pool property at the foot of George St. which the town had agreed to sell him . . . Public School field day champions included Dolores Herrington, Ruth and Shirley McNally, Ivan Huffman, Ross McGill and Lyn MacNeale . . . "Can't remember a year in which there have been more phone book changes" is the Herald comment about issue of a new telephone book containing a total of 869 numbers . . .

NOW . . . OCTOBER, 1956

Major Early resigned his position to become manager of the Liquor Control Store, which position he held at the time of his death . . . Debentures come thick and fast in today's booming Georgetown, and a \$5,000 issue would hardly be subject for headlines in 1956 . . . Don Barrager changed his plans and located his plant behind Main Street, later moving to the present location on Main St. S., beside the Herald Office . . . Business has tripled for the Bell Tel., and subscribers are anxiously awaiting a new book to come out which will have hundreds of new and changed numbers . . . Ross McGill now lives in Newmarket; Ruth McNally graduated as a nurse this year at a Toronto hospital; Ivan Huffman lost his life in a highway crash two years ago . . .

Campbell-Stonjanovich Wedding in Hamilton

A double ring wedding ceremony took place in St. Nicholas Serbian Church, Hamilton, on September 28th when William Leslie Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Campbell, Hamilton, took as his bride Angeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Stojanovich, of Hamilton. Rev. George Nukelich officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in crystal-ette taffeta with a bouffant skirt. The neckline was trimmed with applied lace. A double crown head-dress held lace trimmed fingertip illusion veil and she carried red sweetheart roses.

Miss Josephine Dirito as maid of honour was dressed in yellow chiffon with matching feather headdress. Misses Theresa Durka, Diana Bodagan and Laurette Proulx, bridesmaids wore pale blue chiffon with matching feather headdresses. The junior bridesmaids, Melaina Stojanovich, Christine Dimitric, cousin of the bride, Gloria Latimer and Barbara Norton, cousins of the groom, were gowned in long pink taffeta dresses with overskirts of net. They carried bouquets of matching flowers and wore matching headdresses. The little flower girl Beverly Norton wore pale yellow taffeta with overdress of yellow chiffon and carried a yellow basket of roses. She wore a headdress of flowers.

John Gundzik was best man. The ushers were Roy Stojanovich, Thomas O'Connor and George Pan-chuck, brother-in-law of the groom.

The reception was held in the Serbian Hall. Receiving over 200 guests, the bride's mother wore rust and brown brocaded silk, matching accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. The groom's mother assisted, wearing blue grey taffeta with fruit wood lure and pink accessories. Her corsage was pink roses.

The bride and groom left on a wedding trip to the States, the bride travelling in a black wool suit with pink accessories and an orchid corsage. They will be living in Hamilton. The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Norton of Limehouse.

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