

Town Works Employees Seek Labour Union Status

Georgetown may have a new labour union this year.

On Monday, council was informed by the Ontario Labour Relations Board that a hearing would be held in Toronto on June 4th for certification of the National Union of Public Service Employees as bargaining agent for men employed in outside work and in the water pump station eligible to join the union. Nine of the thirteen town employees eligible have signed cards indicating their desire to join the union.

The town solicitor was appointed to attend the meeting to represent the town.

The information led to a discussion in which Cr. Erri Hyde said he thought council should take steps which have been considered for some time to replace all labour at the waterworks building with automatic controls for the wells and reservoir. This could probably be done for half the yearly labour cost, he said, and while council has as yet made no decision, it was discussed long before the labour union question came up and should be known by the men now. Delaying action could cause a situation like the firemen on diesels later, he fears.

Cr. Fred Harrison asked about the status of town employees who have not been hired by a council motion, and was told by the mayor

that some two years ago council decided any permanent employee should be hired by motion, but that the town foreman has authority to engage temporary help without such action.

At Cr. Harrison's suggestion, the town clerk was asked to report next Monday on this matter.

A report from building inspector Joseph Gibbons said all property owners in the Girard Store area have been contacted and no objections have been raised to planned alterations at the store, so he is issuing a permit to Mr. Girard for the work.

Complaining that dogs running at large on Roway Dr. are a menace to shrubs and gardens, George P. Stephens suggested council check dog control more closely. Mr. Stephens said the trouble occurs in the early morning, and the police committee was asked to contact the Humane Society and suggest some early patrols.

Merchants have drawn to his attention that a car parked on a road leading from the highway to the new town parking area has blocked the entrance at times, the mayor said. Council decided to instruct the police to see that the road is kept clear.

SEEK TEACHERS FOR NIGHT SCHOOL COURSES

Some new classes were planned for the 1958-1959 season along with the favourites of previous years when Georgetown night school committee met on May 20, at the home of Miss A. Lash Miller.

The committee has found several teachers among newcomers to Georgetown and the vicinity and discussed the possibility of finding more unknown talent among us. Such information would be greatly appreciated.

The final list is being held open for a short time in hopes that anyone who knows of teachers of possible new and exciting courses will get in touch with principal J. L. Lambert at the High School; Instruction Committee convenor, Miss Jean Ruddle at TR. 7-2803; the secretary Miss Dorothy Stone at TR. 7-3432, the chairman Mrs. J. Glynn at TR. 7-3888 or an other member of the 1958-59 committee.

Rev. John Rathbone Made Anglican Deacon At Ordination

Rev. John Rathbone, first full-time rector of St. Alban's Anglican, Glen Williams, became a deacon at an ordination service in Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, Mon. May 18th. He was one of five Trinity College students so ordained by Bishop W. E. Bagnall.

A large representation of his new parishioners at the Glen attended the service, at which Vicar Montgomery, visiting in Hamilton that week, was a distinguished visitor. Mr. Rathbone's wife and children, as well as many other relatives were present to witness the happy event. Rev. William Bothwell, Anglican chaplain at the University of Toronto preached the sermon.

The ordination is a preliminary step to Mr. Rathbone becoming an ordained priest. He will complete his studies at Trinity this coming year.

Richardson Joins Crest Group Plans Grand Opening Friday

After many weeks of planning and hard work, the formal opening of Richardson's Crest Hardware will take place this Friday and Saturday.

A family business since James Richardson came here from Pickering in 1929, the store has been completely renovated. A partition which formerly divided the store in two has been knocked out, new counters and display racks have been installed, along with fluorescent fixtures. The green and white colour scheme adds a bright new exterior to south Main Street with the attractive Crest sign flush with the building, and a lighted sign overhanging the street.

The Crest organization, which Richardson's has joined, is a group of independently owned hardware stores across Ontario of similar type to grocery and drug store or-

Social & Personal

Mrs. Edgar Eyles of Buffalo, N.Y. was visiting yesterday with friends in town.

Miss Bella Wheeler of Hamilton spent Tuesday in town where she visited with several friends.

Connie Lou Allen spent the week end with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Jack McEnery, Silvercreek.

Mrs. Alf Collins, Guelph Street, spent last weekend in Kitchener with Mr. and Mrs. George Blyth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Graham of Uxbridge and Mrs. W. J. Roe, R.R. 1 Georgetown visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowen of Gorrie over the week end.

Mrs. A. Restivo, a former town resident who now lives in Hamilton was in town yesterday visiting with her brother, Dick Licata, 52 Main St. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNally, 37 Market Street spent a few days in Belleville last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Harrington.

Dr. and Mrs. William Kerby of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, were guests last week with his brother, Dr. Jack and Mrs. Kerby, 18 Market Street. They came east to attend the dental convention in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Verdec and their children Richard, Norman, Margaret and Valerie were renewing acquaintances with friends in town last week after an absence of eight years. Now living in Edmonton, Alberta, they are planning a move to Calgary soon. They came east to attend the funeral of Mrs. Verdec's father, a retired Baptist minister.

William A. Devereaux of Halifax, N.S. was a week-end guest with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devereaux, 9 Parkview Blvd. He was attending the convention of the Engineering Institute in Quebec City, and flew east from there for the visit.

ganizations. The new store is planned on a semi-self serve basis.

The store location was originally a branch of the Merchants Bank. It became a hardware when the late John Kennedy was burned out farther down the street, passed from his ownership to Graham and Clements and then to A. Cordingley, who sold out to Mr. Richardson and moved to Warton. Mr. Richardson had a grocery store in Pickering before coming here. His son Walter joined him in the business in 1930, and after the war, son Kenneth also became a member of the organization. Another son, Harold was also in the business here for a time but returned to Pickering, and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson also have a daughter, Mrs. Fred Maveal of town.

William A. Edwards Streetsville Electrician

A Streetsville resident for most of his lifetime, William Andrew Edwards, died on Tuesday, May 20th at his home there. He was the brother of Walter Edwards, 35 Edith Street.

Born in Toronto, the son of Robert Edwards and Rebecca Lyons Edwards, he received most of his schooling there, later moving to Streetsville where he was married in 1920. He was employed as an electrician with Bry electric.

He was a Mason, and fond of most sports, taking a special interest in soccer, football and hockey. Funerals were held on Thursday, May 22nd at the Lee and Kaiser funeral home, Streetsville at 2:30 with interment in Trinity Cemetery. He leaves his wife Christina Edwards, and three children Vera (Mrs. J. Stoutley) Streetsville, Blanche (Mrs. L. Hughson) and Herbert of Toronto, brothers Jack of Toronto, Walter of Georgetown and sisters Ethel (Mrs. L. Rice), Detroit, Olive, (Mrs. P. McFadden), Elba (Mrs. F. Powers) of Chicago and Alice (Mrs. H. Card) of Oakville.

HARRISON TEACHER



SANDRA FOX
Sandra, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Fox, 4 Ontario St. and the late J. Fox, was successful in completing her year at Toronto Teachers' College and has accepted a position in Harrison Public School in September.

Lawn Bowlers Enjoy Game as Season Opens

Georgetown lawn bowlers opened their bowling season Saturday evening with a fair turnout at the green on Edith Street. Old and new members joined in a friendly game after which lunch was served in the clubhouse by the lady bowlers.

The regular men's club opened with doubles on Monday night, while the ladies got their season under way on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance. Mixed doubles have been scheduled for Thursday and on Wednesday, June 4th the intercounty league comprising Acton, Rockwood, Guelph and Georgetown opens with Acton visiting here.

SIX MILE CUB HIKE ENDS AT ANGLER CABIN

Forty two Cubs of the second Georgetown Cub pack completed a six mile hike Saturday. Meeting at St. George's Anglican Church the Cubs made the long hike to the Anglers and Hunters Cabin at Hickory Falls, with their leaders Jim Schofield, Jim Sargent, Harrison Wood and Gilbert Preston.

There they were entertained and made welcome by some of the club members who served a lunch and showed an educational film. They returned home late in the afternoon in cars supplied by Anglers and Hunters members and parents.

Mrs. Brandford's Team Bowling Club Winners

A mixed bowling team captained by Mrs. Cyril Brandford were presented with a trophy emblematic of the Mixed Bowling League of Georgetown championship Saturday night when the league held their banquet in Limehouse Hall. The presentation was made by the president Len Sunnucks.

Mr. Sunnucks also made presentations to Mr. and Mrs. Lou Tracey for perfect attendance and Mrs. Glen Britton for low score. The winners of a lucky draw were Jim Roe and Ernie Miller.

Mr. Sunnucks also made presentations to Del Wallace treasurer for the past year and newly elected executive includes Sid Hulme president, Del Wallace secretary and Jack Sunnucks treasurer. Four teams comprise the league and 24 members were present at the turkey supper catered to by the Limehouse W.I. Dancing to the music of George Glassford's orchestra completed the evening.

Mrs. Tyers President of Catholic Women's League

The members of Holy Cross Catholic Women's League held their annual meeting with election of officers on Tuesday, May 13th in the Church Hall. The new executive is Mrs. Ed Tyers, president; Mrs. Gerard Wilcox, vice president; Mrs. Reuben Neale, secretary; Mrs. Fred Tucker, treasurer. The four conveners are Mrs. F. R. Perego, Mrs. Van Blaricum, Mrs. J. Kiteley and Mrs. J. Pignatelli.

The balance of the meeting was spent in discussing and making plans for the annual bazaar which will be held in the church hall on Friday, October 24th.

Social & Personal

Diane Golden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Golden, 9 Dufferin Street, entertained at a party on Friday the 23rd the occasion was her eleventh birthday. Her guests enjoyed a birthday supper, games and dancing. Those attending were Ingrid Langebeck, Carol McGilvray, Patsy Cook, Gloria Turnbull, Pat Hyde, Linda Hamilton, Heather Hayes, Sheila Robertson, Peggy Martin, Dorothy Page and Carol Marchant.

Brenda Faye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eason, 5 McNabb Street celebrated her seventh birthday with a party last Wednesday afternoon. Her guests were Sherry VanWyck, Jane Schenk, Doreen Porter, Brenda Manning, Agnes Lorensen, her godmother, Mrs. Floyd Vary and Michael Payne who kindly arranged the games. Eleanor Chaplin was unable to attend owing to illness.

Ann Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sutherland, 60 Prince Charles Dr. celebrated her seventh birthday with a party last Thursday afternoon. Her guests were Janet Cioke, Susan Corbett, Jo Ann Fanta, Paula Embro, Ruth Kennedy, Martha Kropff, Janice Laforet, Judy Norton, Lorraine Seckington, Claudia Teague and Ann Marie's brother Billy.

PHARMACY GRAD



BILL MacCORMACK
Standing twelfth in a class of 81, Bill MacCormack received first class honours in his final year in the faculty of Pharmacy, University of Toronto. At convocation today, he received his B.Sc. Pharm. degree. Mr. MacCormack, who will be manager of MacCormack's Drugs, is following in the footsteps of his father, the late E. V. MacCormack. With his wife, the former Charlene Day, and baby daughter Debbie, Mr. MacCormack lives at 52 Queen St.

PARENTS ATTEND VESPER SERVICE FOR NURSES

The graduating class of Guelph General Hospital nursing school had a Vesper service Sunday at St. James Anglican Church, in Guelph. The service is part of the graduation exercises for the class which will receive their diplomas in September.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Lindsay, 11 Emery St. whose daughter Barbara will graduate and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Crabtree, 7 Parkview Blvd. whose daughter Sue is in the graduating class attended the service. Barbara's sister Miss Mary Lindsay also attended.

WHAT COUNCIL DID Needs More Water So Industry Doesn't Come

An industry which was looking over Georgetown locations has decided to go to Pickering Township, Reeve Doug Sargent told council Monday. Decision was made because the town could not supply a three million daily water gallon, he said. There are a couple brighter prospects at present, he said, which are in the "talking" stage.

Queried by Cr. Harrison about sidewalks in the Sunbeam area, road chairman Walter Gray said he is waiting a cost estimate from the engineer and will present a report to council when he receives it. Meanwhile, council okayed 825 feet of sidewalk replacement on Academy Road, Edith and Church streets continuing a program which will see many such improvements this year.

Deputy Reeve Gray said he also hopes to present a plan for improvements at the dangerous Mountatview - River Drive intersection next Monday. He has been told by the county engineer that \$3,000 is available from the county for the work.

In future, council decided to have the town foreman notify the clerk of any damage to town property in the course of building construction, and the clerk is to bill the damage to the proper person.

No action has yet been taken on Cr. Hyde's suggestions that a \$100 deposit be required when a building permit is issued and damages collected from this deposit, pending advice from the town solicitor whether it is legal for the town to do this.

Asked by Ken Priddy for financial assistance on behalf of a group which is planning a soccer league for boys, council asked Cr. McGilvray to get in touch with Community Centre officials to see if this could not be coordinated with that organization.

A letter was filed from the committee for Home Mail Delivery in Tilbury, a group which is claiming it is an injustice for some towns to have such a federal service and others not.

Load limit for the Ann Street bridge was set at three tons rather than the five tons decided last week by council.

VISITOR HERE WILL SING IN SUMMER MUSIC FAIR

Miss Irene Byatt, well-known Canadian singer, who lent her talents to the grandstand show for the hospital fund on Saturday in Georgetown Park, will be one of the stars appearing this summer in Music Fair at the Dixie Plaza.

Miss Byatt, who frequently visits friends, Mrs. Muriel Adams and Mrs. Betty Jamieson, 82 Guelph St. has been chosen for the role of Dolly Tate in Annie Get Your Gun, opening musical in a 12-week season on June 23. The Dixie shows will play two weeks each, alternating with a similar project near Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Bill Henderson Heads Businessmen Bowlers

Bill Henderson was returned as president of the Businessmen's bowling league on Wednesday, May 21st when they held their annual election of officers and closing banquet in Limehouse Hall. Shirley Burt is again treasurer and the lineup of captains remains unchanged with Mrs. Bill Henderson, Kay Tyers, Oly Dyson and Bob Harris returned as team heads.

The president presented the trophy to the winning Royal Bank team and the individual awards to Bob Harris for high single, Bob Allen for high triple and Hank Chapman for high average. Mrs. Wm. Henderson won high single for the ladies, with Eleanor Spitzer taking high triple and Kay Tyers, high average.

Other teams in the league include the Bank of Commerce, Singer Sewing, and Buck's Fine Foods. The banquet was catered to by the ladies of the Limehouse W.I.

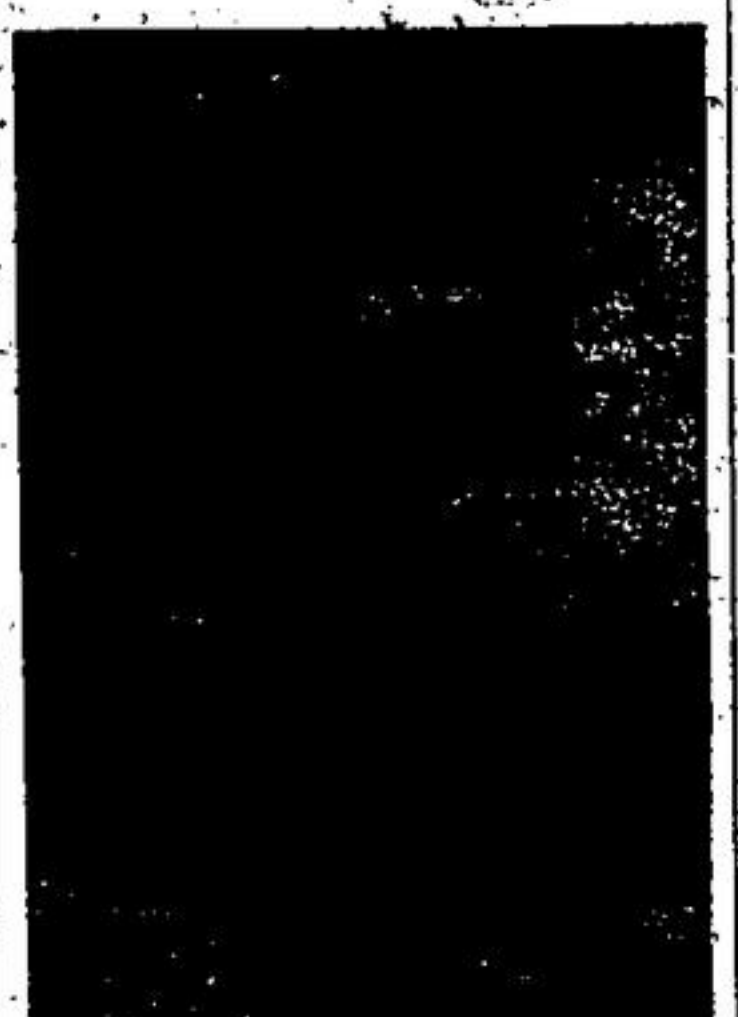
AT BABA'I CONFERENCE

Last weekend Mrs. Davina Barber, 9 Churchill Crescent, attended a conference of the Beha' World Faith in London which reviewed the highlights of the International Conference held early in May at the Baba-Temple in Wilmette, Ill. She was the guest for the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Ab Tost, formerly of Georgetown.

WHAT COUNCIL DID

Council Nixes \$8,000 Man Retain Part-Time Engineer

BUSINESS GRAD



GEORGE McCLURE
George McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McClure, 83 Maple Ave. W. received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration on Saturday from the University of Western Ontario, London. He is a 1957 graduate of Royal Military College, Kingston.

Sod Turning Ceremony for Anglican Rectory

The sod was turned at a ceremony Sunday evening for a new rectory for St. Alban's Anglican Church, Glen Williams. It is the first stage in a building program which will eventually see a new parish hall and a cloister which will house the church, rectory and hall into one building.

The ceremony followed an outdoor service of evensong conducted by Rev. John Rathbone, with the choir participating and a large congregation of parishioners. The sod was turned by four of the senior members of the parish, Mrs. Percy Wagstaffe, Mrs. Mary Cooper, Joseph Eason, and Edward Bludd.

Contract for the rectory has been awarded to the local firm of Hawes and Nelson.

Roland Haines heads the building committee, membership of which includes George Sargent, Doug Townsend, Jack Lucas, Bill Korzack, Harry Tracey, Tom Beaumont, Arthur Beaumont, Henry Lorrman, Tom Hill, Gordon Hills and Mr. Rathbone.

LONG SERVICE MEDAL FOR TOWN SOLDIER
On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Collier, 47 Normandy Blvd. attended an investiture at the Provincial Parliament Buildings in Toronto at which Sgt. Collier and other members of the armed forces were presented with their long service medals by the Lieut. Governor, the Honourable Keller Mackay, after which a reception was held in the Lieut. Governor's suite for the recipients, their wives and friends.

Sgt. Collier is with the Lorne Scots Militia.

Hear Reports, Elect Officers At First Baptist Annual Meet

The annual business meeting of the First Baptist Church was called to order on Wednesday evening May 14th following a turkey supper in the church basement, served by the Women's Society. Reports from all departments showed a year of progress with an increase in church membership.

The interim pastor, Dr. R. J. Bean led a devotional period and musical numbers were sung by Mrs. Donald Hancock and the choir. A number of coloured slides depicting the activities of the congregation during the past year were also shown.

During the year the church suffered a great loss in the departure of Rev. A. J. Barker, B.A., B.D. to the Hanover Baptist Church, but has been sustained and led under the very able ministry of Dr. J. R. Bean, who is the professor in Christian History at Crozier, Seminary, Chester, Pa. Dr. Bean is currently doing research work at McMaster University, Hamilton, and will be with First Baptist until the end of June. At present the church has not called a minister.

Officers elected for the coming year at the meeting include; on the Deacon's Board, Elmer Carter, 14 Maple Ave. W.; Watson Winfield, 25 Churchhill Cres.; Oliver Whitnee, R. R. 4 Georgetown and Earl Clements, R. R. 4 Georgetown. Norma Thompson, 19 Guelph St. is clerk and Douglas Cole, Guelph St. is church treasurer.

Members of the finance board include; John Emmerson, 16 Victoria Cres.; Dick Weiton, 53 Maple Ave. W.; Watson Winfield, 25 Churchhill Cres.; Don Livingston, 101 Main St.; Douglas Cole, Guelph St. and Ern Thompson, 19 Guelph St.

A new gas heating unit and a building to house the unit were added to the church during the year and a men's Brotherhood organized.

FIREMEN DISTRICT CHIMNEY FIRE
Firemen yesterday had little trouble in dousing a fire at the home of H. Wilson on the 6th Line at No. 15 side road. The fire originated in the chimney at about 6:45 p.m., however damage was negligible.