

**WHAT COUNCIL DID**

## Church Would Purchase Property on Maple Ave.

An offer to purchase property at the rear of Georgetown Dairy, Ltd. by Grace Baptist Church was turned down by council Monday. Previously, others had made offers for the property, with council finally deciding that no town land would be sold until a listing of all town property is made, and anything to be sold is publicly advertised. The church, which presently meets in the Odd Fellows hall, offered \$3,000 for the land.

An amendment to the zoning by-law, recommended by the Planning Board, will be prepared, allowing certain forms of business to be carried on in houses, such as household arts, insurance agencies, etc., providing no goods are displayed, and no advertising other than a one foot square sign attached to the house. A businessman is also restricted to using no more than 25 per cent of the house for business, and can employ no more than one other person.

School board chairman Ray Salter told council that the Park School is under construction and that the contractor hopes, if no unforeseen delays occur, to have it ready for opening in September.

Mayor Armstrong expressed disappointment with progress in a water exploration program for which an engineering firm was hired some time ago. He asked for a report from the company on what they have accomplished to date and cost to the town, for next Monday's meeting.

Lateness of the hour precluded reading of 23 applications received in answer to an advertisement for a police constable, and this business was left over until next week.

**FUNERAL SERVICE FOR THOMAS B. McALPINE**

Funeral service for Thomas Bain McAlpine, 84 of Limehouse was conducted on Thursday at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home by Rev. Alex Calder. Pallbearers were neighbours, Arthur Benton, William Mitchell, Allan Norton, Joseph Scott of Limehouse, and Wm. J. McDonald, and W. O. Moffat, Acton. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

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## Town Will Share Cost Subdivision Storm Sewer

Council agreed to pay half the cost of a trunk sewer to its point of entry in the Fobert subdivision on the former Moore farm, when the public works committee recommended this on Monday. A request by Mr. Fobert for installation of a trunk had been referred to the committee two weeks ago. The trunk line, according to town engineer Wm. Carr is the most economical way for both town and subdivider to service the property.

Mayor Armstrong, explained that the sewers which run along the property's highway frontage are not large enough or deep enough to serve the whole area. If a trunk were not installed, eventually there would have to be a pumping station, he said.

The project had majority council approval, though Reeve Sargent and Cr. Hyde declined to vote for the trunk line. The reeve said it is "putting the cart before the horse" to approve a sewer before a subdivision plan is presented, and that he could not approve a sewer line until there is a cost estimate. He was supported by Cr. Hyde, who said a large portion of the property could be serviced from Main Street.

Mentioned two weeks ago as a possible site for the Georgetown hospital, Cr. Gunn told council that the hospital board is now considering another site, although no definite choice has yet been made.

Several ratemakers brought problems to the meeting for solution. John MacDonald, Ann St., objected to the town taking some 800 feet of his property for a new road, when he had already lost property a year ago for a similar purpose. His objection was referred to the property committee.

## Plans Taking Shape for Annual Fall Fair Here

The directors of the Esqueping Agricultural Society which sponsors Georgetown's annual fall fair met on Tuesday evening in the Municipal Building to further plans for the annual fall show. President Wilfrid Bird was in the chair and secretary-treasurer Trevor Williams reported the prize list was in process of being finalized and any wishing advertising space in the booklet should contact him as soon as possible. The advance prize lists have already been in the hands of exhibitors and others for some time and it is felt that a larger number will avail themselves this year of the opportunity to show at this big event. Prize money is tempting and besides a large list of special prizes will be published soon. If you are a newcomer to Georgetown you are invited to take part in the fair this fall— which will be held on October 3 and 4.

A qualified list of judges for all the classes was selected at the meeting and some changes made in the cattle classes to bring them on a par with other fairs.

A change has been made this year in the midway for the fair, the T. Green & Co. Shows of Toronto will be on hand to delight both young and old with their rides, games, etc.

## Hanover Church Scene Cowan-Riehl Wedding

A couple who will make their home at 24 Queen St. were married on July 2nd in Hanover. Wedding principals were Florence Laura Riehl, daughter of Mrs. Laura Riehl, and the late Gordon Riehl, of Hanover, and Clarence Lorne Cowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cowan, Hanover. He is employed with Scott Motors and the bride is a member of the teaching staff of Harrison Public School.

Rev. Bruce E. Seebach officiated at the wedding which took place in Salem Evangelical United Brethren Church. Bouquets of pink anemones and white chrysanthemums decorated the chancel of the church and Mrs. Elmore Hallman was organist.

The bride wore a street length dress of white lawn, white hat and accessories and carried a nosegay of garnet and pink roses. Miss Margaret Allison, Kitchener, was bridesmaid, wearing a blue organza frock with matching accessories. She carried a nosegay of pink roses and blue carnations. It was a double ring ceremony. The groom's brother, William Cowan of Hanover was best man.

Receiving afterwards in the church parlours, the bride's mother wore a navy crepe dress, navy and white accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The groom's mother, who also received, wore delphinium blue lace with matching accessories and a pink rose corsage. Leaving on a honeymoon trip to Georgian Bay, the bride wore a navy and white ensemble and a corsage of white gardenias.

## Car Wrecked, Man Injured in Car Roll

Two men, one a Simcoe resident the other from R.R. 2 Barrie were rushed to hospital following an accident on No. 7 Highway at Silvercreek on Wednesday, July 2nd. The men William Van Brocklin of 100 Main St., Simcoe, the driver of the car, and John Green of R.R. 2 Barrie were released after being treated for minor injuries.

The accident occurred almost opposite Silvercreek Service Station when Mr. Van Brocklin's car, a late model Buick coach, crossed the highway and struck the east ditch after rounding the wide sweeping curve at the several times and clipped off a hydro pole before coming to rest on its roof. Damage to the vehicle was estimated at close to \$2500.

Mr. Van Brocklin suffered head, face and shoulder lacerations and Mr. Green had injuries to multiple bruises. They were taken to Guelph General by Georgetown Volunteer Ambulance Service.

The accident occurred at 7:25 Wednesday night and was investigated by Sgt. William Bennett of the Milton Detachment OFF.

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## Will Engage Architect For 5th Public School

Initial plans for a fifth Georgetown public school took form at Monday's council meeting when school board chairman Ray Salter asked approval to engage an architect and proceed with preliminary plans.

Mr. Salter explained that the board wants to be in a position to move as fast as possible when building starts on 582 planned houses in the vicinity of the Sykes Tool plant. The board is considering a two-story building, he said, possibly 10 rooms to start, and eventually 16 to 20 rooms.

Cr. Harrison questioned whether land given by Delrex Developments is large enough for such a school and said council shouldn't have to be in a position of having to buy extra land. Mr. Salter said the board had approved of the land set aside for schools (three properties approximately 7 acres each) using a figure of 7 students per house, although the figure is running somewhat higher in Delrex, and semi-detached houses had not entered the picture at that time. The 2-story structure is being planned, he said, not because of a land shortage but because the board feels a school that large would be more efficient in that design.

Cr. Hyde and Elliott said they can see no rush to engage an architect when no house building has started, and voted against engaging an architect at the present time. Cr. Sykes, who earlier this year had criticized the school board for not moving fast at times, said he is happy to see the board

**PICNIC CLOSES TERM AT CHINGUACOUSKY SCHOOL**

Parents, children, and teacher Mrs. Lillian Carney, of S. S. No. 2, Chinguacousy West, gathered at Terra Cotta playgrounds for a picnic dinner on Friday, June 27th.

After a delicious dinner, Mrs. Carney presented each of her grade 8 pupils with a certificate and a book in honour of their graduation. Those presented were Gloria Trolley, Judith Clark, Donna Ostrander, Lenore Dolson, Lena Egeyram and Robert Copely. Also a presentation of a silver dollar to Gloria Trolley and Iowen MacDonald for perfect spelling in the past school year.

Mrs. Eric Leslie conducted a full afternoon of games, contests and races which were enjoyed by all. Later the children enjoyed swimming in the pool.

**HOTSPURS WIN TWICE**

With B. Sheppard and B. Allen the big guns for the winning team, Brampton Hotspurs took the junior soccer league last week.

On Saturday, Sheppard scored 4 and Allen 2 in a 6-3 win from the Jets, with John Adams getting both local games. Monday, the Hotspurs blanked the Wolves 7-0, with Sheppard and Allen scoring three each and Mike Cann one goal.

## Runaway Car Sends Shoppers Scurrying on Friday Night

### McClure Clan Gathers 237 at Stanley Park

The McClure clan reunion was held at Stanley Park, Erin, on June 28th with 237 members registering.

The clan sat down to a catered dinner at 12:30 with Vince Mountford leading in a singsong. Grace was sung and then The Queen. President Hyatt McClure welcomed the gathering and called on various members from a distance to speak. A minute's silence was observed in memory of those who had died since the last reunion.

There were various prizes given to celebrate the day. Heather Jane McClure, Woodbridge, was the youngest baby; Andrew McClure of King, the oldest man at 87. Miss Sadie McClure, Brampton, the oldest lady at 83. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wardlaw, Vancouver, had come the greatest distance. Mr. and Mrs. Witherspoon were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on this day. The largest family was that of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McClure, Chatham.

The new president, Harold McClure, Georgetown, gave a short address. John McClure, Georgetown and Bruce McClure, Brampton were in charge of the sports. Prize-winners included: girls 6 and under, Cheryl Haggerty, Mary Dolson, Molly McClure. Boys 6 and under, David Steen, Stephen Dolson, David McClure. Girls 8 and under, Joan McClure, Boys 8 and under, Bobby Garton, girls 10 and under, Margaret McClure, Boys 10 and under, Jim Archdekin, girls 12 and under, Joan Bailey, Boys 12 and under, Robert J. McClure, girls 13-16 Ann McClure, boys 13-16 John McClure, married couples Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McClure. There was also a hard fought tug-of-war. The reunion dispersed about 5 p.m.

**LIMEHOUSE**

**PLANNING SCOUTS, CUBS ORGANIZATION AT LIMEHOUSE**

Monday evening, July 7th, a meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Findlay of Limehouse for the purpose of forming a committee to organize the Cub and Scout movement in Limehouse. This is sponsored by the school association.

A "provisional committee" was formed consisting of Mrs. Edward Findlay as chairman, Charles James, secretary-treasurer and Edward Findlay, as vice chairman. It is hoped to form a regular committee in the fall but this provisional committee was formed to look after the summer activities for boys. District Commissioner Dave Dills is helping with the organization of the group, for the summer.

**Approval for erection of a garage at his home was given to Mervyn Cook, 5 Normandy Blvd., subject to written approval from the adjoining property owner.**

## Robinson-Alexander Wedding Vows in Norval United Church

Norval United Church was decorated with tall standards of white, pink, and blue carnations, gladioli and delphinium on Saturday, July 5th, when Mary Louisa Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Alexander, of R. R. 1, Norval, became the bride of Gordon Russell Robinson, son of William Robinson and the late Mrs. Robinson of Snelgrove.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a full length gown of cloud white nylon organza and Swiss embroidered medallions, the bodice was fashioned with a long torso silhouette accented with leafy embroidered medallions to the portrait neckline, offset with matching applique lace motifs trimmed with sequins and swathed with draped folds of organza, the short sleeves were shirred and the skirt was very bouffant. Her waist length veil fell from a small crown of matching material trimmed with pearls and sequins. She carried a cascade of red roses and white stephanotis.

Three sisters of the bride were attendants, Mrs. Jean Reid was matron of honour and Jessie and Margaret were bridesmaids all gowned alike in short Solar Blue silk organza over net and taffeta, the bodices were long torso silhouettes with portrait necklines edged with matching embroidered medallions and swathed with bias folds of organza, the short sleeves were shirred and the skirts very bouffant. They carried pale carnations.

Ted Robinson acted as groomsmen for his brother, Bill Robinson, another brother was an usher and the bride's brother Ernest was an usher.

Rev. J. McDermid officiated at the double ring ceremony and was

A 1948 Dodge, driven by Henry Duklar, of Copetown in Wentworth county, ran wild on Main Street during the Friday night shopping rush last week when the car's brakes failed at the base of the Main St. north hill. The brakes gave way at the intersection of Main and James Sts. as Mr. Duklar attempted to slow down on approaching the heavy traffic in the business section. The runaway car left the road opposite Maveal Motors and coasted the length of the block on the sidewalk finally coming to a halt against a light standard at the intersection of Main and Wesleyan Streets, opposite Herrington Paints. Luckily none of the scurrying shoppers were struck by the vehicle.

Mrs. Duklar, a passenger in the car, was taken to the police station where she was treated for shock by Dr. O. M. Brewster. Mr. Duklar told police that the brakes were in good working condition before the incident occurred. There were no charges laid. Damage to the left front fender, bumper and headlight, amounted to approximately \$100 as a result of the accident which occurred at about 8:10 p.m. Cst. Ted Scott investigated.

## Saleslady 54 Years Lyla Armstrong Retires

Main Street shoppers said goodbye to a veteran saleslady of fifty-four years service at the end of June when Miss Lyla Armstrong, 7 John St. E., retired from the staff of Garner's Store.

Miss Armstrong began her career of satisfying shoppers wants with the R. C. Adams store where she worked for nearly six years. She then became a member of the John McBean store staff, working there until the business was sold to G. L. Garner in 1950.

In her many years of service Miss Armstrong has seen many changes on Main Street, the dirt road changed to pavement, buildings added, old ones torn down or renovated to keep up with the changing times such as parking meters instead of hitching posts.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner entertained members of their staff and Mrs. Olive Reid when they honoured Miss Armstrong with a dinner party at her home, 18 Chapter Court, on June 30th and presentation. To quote Mr. Garner "Miss Armstrong has been a valued and trustworthy employee." It is doubted if there is anyone in Georgetown who can match Miss Armstrong's service record.

It is hoped by her many friends, fellow workers and people whom she served so faithfully that she will enjoy many years of well deserved leisure.

## IN RECOGNITION OF LONG SERVICE



**LIEUT.-COL. ARTHUR KEMP**, commanding officer of the Lorne Scots (Peel, Dufferin, and Halton Regiment, Militia), look on as Lieut.-Col. John R. Barber of Georgetown, Honorary Colonel of the Regiment, officiates at recent regimental investiture ceremonies at Brampton. Receiving the Canadian Defence Decoration for long service are Major R. G. Hardie of Cordova Ave., Toronto, commander of A Company, Port Credit; Bandsman Charles W. Landsborough of Acton, a cornetist; Lieut. R. H. Marchington, Acton, C. Company, Georgetown. An overseas, world war II veteran, Major Hardie has been with the Lorne Scots since 1938. Bandsman Landsborough has had 24 years with the regiment. In the Lorne Scots for 10 years, Lieut. Marchington served overseas with the RCAF, and took COTC training.