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... EDITORIAL COMMENT ...

Industrial Picture Brightens

Georgetown's industrial picture took a brisk upward turn last week with announcement of a large addition to Alliance Paper Mills, Ltd. which will considerably increase the productive capacity of the 45-year-old mill.

The expansion will help to alleviate a downward drop in the industrial-residential ratio. In the same Herald issue which contained the Alliance news, figures presented to council by the assessment commissioner revealed that industrial assessment in the town is at present 12% compared with last year's 15.5%, and that the residential ratio has been increased by that percentage. Large scale house building presently being carried on would tend to inflate this up-

ward trend, and the Alliance assessment will have a salutary effect.

Even more important is the boost in morale which such announcements create in a community. It is nice, certainly, to know that new industrialists choose our town as location for a branch of their industry. It is even nicer to know that firms like Alliance, Provincial Paper and Smith and Stone, established for many years, are fixtures in our industrial life and, when expansion is needed, it will be done right here.

Faith in Georgetown's future, expressed in such a concrete way by an established local firm, can have a far-reaching effect on prospective locators.

Downtown Parking

As editorials must, of necessity, be written the day before the Herald is printed, we have no indication of what might have happened at a Chamber of Commerce-merchants-mayor meeting last night. But regardless of what was discussed, or decided, only one answer is possible.

The meeting was called to discuss parking in the downtown business area which, always crowded, has become intensified more by the rapidly increasing population and which even the introduction of parking meters has not completely solved.

At present the town has created a large parking area behind the block of stores on north-east Main Street. It is on private property, and only a negligible amount of tax money has been expended, with which there can be slight quar-

rel.

A few years back, when downtown Georgetown had the only commercial section of town, some consideration might have been possible to carry this parking area to its conclusion—with pavement and lighting. Introduction of a second shopping area on the highway, and impending construction of another highway plaza, precludes any thought of this, for both these areas supply their own parking areas at no expense whatsoever to the public.

The end result downtown, if a large free parking area is to serve the public, can only be for merchants themselves to band together and rent or buy a property as a collective endeavour, and pay for any improvements necessary to make it attractive to the parking public.



Beaver Lumber

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BALLINAFAD

MINISTER, WIFE ATTEND YOUNG PEOPLES CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Murray McBride attended the Young People's convention for the Hamilton conference at Simcoe for part of the weekend. On Sunday morning, he was at Acton church while Rev. Ross Adams conducted communion service on this charge. The Young People's group met at the manse on Sunday night and the CGIT in the church on Monday night. At both these meetings the possibility of having a Halloween party for the entire congregation was discussed. Please keep the night of October 31st

free awaiting further announcement regarding this entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and family from Fergus visited on Sunday with the Smith family at the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stevenson of Buttonville were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Miss M. Young has been back in the village this week preparing for the sale of her household effects on Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Snow, a life long resident of this district died at his home on Sunday afternoon and the sympathy of the community is extended to all the family and relatives.

SIX TEACHERS ON STAFF AT HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

Holy Cross School, Georgetown's new Roman Catholic Separate School opened for its first term in September with a 6-teacher staff.

Principal of the school is Thomas J. Fitzmaurice, who with his wife and family is living at Silvercreek. Mr. Fitzmaurice is a graduate of Ottawa Teachers College, and came to town from St. Gregory's School, Toronto, where he was principal for two years. He has held executive positions on the provincial and District 5 Ontario English Catholic Teachers Association.



CLARE MERLO

Another former St. Gregory's staffer is Clare Merlo. A native of South Porcupine, she attended grade school in London and is a graduate of Loretto Abbey.



THOMAS J. FITZMAURICE



MRS. A. J. NORRIS

Mrs. A. J. Norris, who taught at Chapel St. Public School last year, teaches Grade 4 and music at Holy Cross. She previously taught in separate schools in Grey and Bruce counties and was principal at Linwood, teaching Grades 9 and 10. Mr. and Mrs. Norris live at 42 King St. E. and have two sons, Norbert, 16, and Raymond, 14, who attend St. Michael's Cathedral Choir school in Toronto.



BOBBIE KELLY

Bobbie Kelly, who comes from Ireland, is a graduate of Carysfort College, Dublin. For the past two years she taught Grade 5 in St. Gregory's School.



ELAINE LYCETT

Born in Toronto, Elaine Lycett is a graduate of Loretto Abbey, Armour Heights. Her past teaching experience has also been at St. Gregory's.

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Guest Speaker of the Evening will be **HON. LOUIS P. CECILE** Ontario's Minister of Public Welfare

STAN HALL, M.P.P. **STANLEY HALL MPP and SANDY BEST, MP** **SANDY BEST, M.P.**
 will give brief reports
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119th ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26th, 1958

Guest Minister:
Rev. Duncan H. McFarlane, B.A.
 Minister of Summerlee United Church,
 Lachine, Quebec

SERMON SUBJECTS:
 9.30 a.m. — "God's Hall of Fame"
 11.00 a.m. — "Day by Day at Our Best"
 7.00 p.m. — "The God who made us or
 The Gods' We Make"

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ANSWER: You are basically liable for any judgment rendered against you, and this is just as if you had no insurance unless something can be collected from the bankruptcy.

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