



GROUND BREAKING

CONSTRUCTION ON Maple Ave. Baptist Church corner of Edithville with a ground breaking ceremony held on the new site last Thursday night. Mayor E. J. Hyde at the controls. Rev. Bruce Woods, Henry J. Gorman, George Ian Cass, William Ganton and Harold Page. The new church will be located near Georgetown Dam. Peter Jones, Georgetown.

Hospital Auxiliary Sponsors Exhibit of Oil Paintings

Now that the summer is over, attention is given more attention to the inside of the home. A new picture for your walls would do much to brighten the decor.

On Friday, September 23, the Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital Women's Auxiliary are sponsoring an Art Exhibit and Sale of Paintings at the Knox Presbyterian Church Hall from 2:00 pm to 9:00 pm. For just 50 cents you will be able to spend a pleasant afternoon or evening viewing the work of two local artists and one New Brunswick painter.

Mr. J. J. Newman is already quite well known to patrons of the Women's Auxiliary Art Show because of his participation last year, but others may be interested in a resume of his artistic background. He began his study of art in Canada with P. S. Challenger, R.C.A. and the late F. H. Hodgson, R.C.A., O.S.A., helped him in many ways. He studied in Paris at L'École des Beaux Arts under Xavier Briquand and Paul Chabon, M.F.A. In London, England, he studied privately under Leonard Richmond, R.O.I., R.B.A. and Leonard Walker, R.O.I. In Brussels, Belgium, he took a summer course under the late Sir Frank Bramwell, R.A.

The second artist, Mr. Ger and Schamp of Hill-hills, N.B. also exhibited last year and like those of Mr. Newman, his paintings won much interest and admiration.

Since coming to Canada, Mr. Schamp has exhibited his work in Halifax, Montreal and other centres. He is a member of an active group of painters at the Montreal Society of Art and at present is studying with the famous artist school in Westport, Conn. He studied at the University of Amsterdam and travelled to many parts of the world. He has done most of his paintings from memory. In Holland his contact was with the prominent Dutch painters Vincent and Jan Hoeberma and Van Leruwen and the Bergen N. Holland group. His water colours have won wide acclaim both in Holland and the Maritimes.

Mr. Frank Black is a new exhibitor this year, although not new to Georgetown. He was born in England, moved to Bermuda and thence to Canada. At the time of the 1st World War he was apprenticed as a commercial art with a Toronto publishing company. He left to enlist in the army but after his war service, resumed studies at the Ontario College of Art and the Art Students League in New York.

Love for the sea took him back to Bermuda several times, after studying marine painting with Emil Gruppe and Stanley Woodward in the U.S.A.

His paintings have been frequently exhibited since 1929 at the Toronto Art Gallery, O.S.A. Show, the R.C.A. in Toronto and Montreal and at the

Many Employed on Local Bank Staffs

The Canadian Bank of Commerce bank staff will be reduced to seventeen when Vern Bowman accepts a promotion to assistant accountant which will accompany his transfer to a West Toronto branch shortly.

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Church, Town Officials Turn First Sod of New Church

On Wednesday, September 24, a heavy international "cut" bulldozer tipped into the earth to mark the first turning ceremony of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church. Behind the controls and driving the bulldozer was E. T. Woods, Mayor of Georgetown. Standing and sitting with him was Councilman Lee Cass, Rev. Bruce Woods and members of the church board. The occasion marked off an important milestone in the history of the Grace Baptist Church which has taken on the name of Maple Avenue Baptist from the location of its property.

The ceremony began with an invocation by Mr. J. J. Woods who has been a resident of Georgetown for over twenty years. Rev. Woods then read a portion of Scripture taken from the Prayer of Solomon when he dedicated the famous temple of the Old Testament. Mayor Hyde was called upon to give a few words for the occasion. Noting the progress of the church and commending the congregation for their recent advances, he said, "This new church building will not only be a place for the spiritual strengthening of the youth of Georgetown, but it will appreciably beautify the area and add to the landscape of our town."

The short but impressive ceremony came to a conclusion when Rev. Woods called the church board and representatives of the council to the bulldozer for the actual turning of the sod. After a slight pause for flashbulbs and pictures, Mr. Beer, contractor for the excavation backed the bulldozer down the slope and turned it over to Mayor Hyde, who opened up the throttle and scooped out the first few yards of top soil.

The ceremonies over, the congregation on hand for the program, retired to the parsonage for a service of praise and thanks for the achievement of the day.

High School Graduates Further Their Education

The teaching profession will claim five of fourteen former Georgetown High School students who successfully completed their Department of Education grade 13 examination last week.

Currently attending Lake Shore Teachers College are: Marylin Burt, Margaret Eason, Gillianne Kinnier, June Lyon and Walter Neutel. Top student, Carolyn Biehn, has enrolled in an Arts course at the University of Western Ontario, and Elizabeth Sloan is taking Chemistry at McMaster.

Tom Barber and John Lez are both registered for the Of-fee Candidate course which started this week at Camp Borden and Verna Prickett and Jacqueline Test are taking business training at Guelph and Toronto. Three other graduates, Mike O'Brien, Walter Poultrop and Jack Robertson have made no immediate plans but hope to resume their education in the late fall or next year.

Mrs. Clayton Wilson Hostess to W.M.S.

Mrs. Clayton Wilson was hostess in her living room home on the Ashgrove Subdivision to the ladies of the W.M.S. on Tuesday afternoon, September 23. The program opened with the meeting with a hymn and prayer. Secretary Mrs. Cecil Wilson read the minutes of the June meeting, the Sunday school service in July and the picnic held in August, and said the Roll which was received by a Roll verse or a "touch of some."

Plans were made for our Thanksgiving on October 24 when Mrs. Sandy Bieg will be the speaker. Sister secretaries Mrs. Frank Knittel mentioned two quilts which will be ready to be completed around middle of October. Discussion was given by Mrs. Frank Wilson with Scripture read by Mrs. Harvey Nelson. The new study book "Into the World" by Mrs. G. B. Dick as she told us this is to be an historical study, it concerns a unity in which a was in which all Christians can work together for the betterment of the world.

She was assisted by Mrs. Florence Gilfen and Mrs. Fred Wilson. Prayer for our senior members by Mrs. W. Burt. After singing "Be Still, O My Soul" and prayer. The meeting closed with a social hour.

Happy Birthdays wishes to Mr. Fred Wiegand, Mrs. Cecil Wilson and Paul Dick who celebrated on Wednesday, September 23. Mrs. Burt all have many, many more Birthdays.

Congratulations and all best wishes to Norman Bird, who was married on September 23rd and Ralph Cunningham, September 23rd. Their means face of our boys have walked the matrimonial road this year. Good luck, boys, you have taken a wonderful step.

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WEDNESDAYS

4:30 p.m. — Catechism Class (Grades 7, 8, 9)

THURSDAYS — YOUNG COMMUNICANTS GROUP

4:30 p.m. Girls' Instruction — 7:00 p.m. Boys' Instruction

Payment of 1960 TAXES

The third instalment of taxes is due and payable at the Municipal Office Georgetown, on or before ---

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