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announced this week.

study for two years there.

THIS IS THE UNIT that will carry Georgetown High School's red and blue through the 1961 football wars, under the guidance of head coach Lynn McLaren and assistant Keith Donald. Front row, I to r, J. Sweeney, D. Martel, R. Carey, B. Hyde, A. Frankruyter, J. Pennock; 2nd row: S. Bottomley, R. Lavell, G. Smith, B. Aikens, B. Harvey, R. Baird, G. Lee; 3rd row: J. McGill, G. Hillock, B. Campbell, J. Barnes, A. Marchand, B. Wrigglesworth; 4th row: P. Kitchener, M. the Village of Caledon on Dec-the home of the late W. T. Har-Marchment, B. Carney, G. Teeter, and J. Little.

Must Prod Government On Provincial Planning

Thinks Halton Doomed If No Action Soon

(an address by Mayor Ern Hyde, on a district radio station, September 23rd)

Today I would like to talk to you on a subject that is comparatively new here in Canada. So new in fact that it is ple. only in the last two or three years that it has had a name. and, in my opinion, eyen the name itself is inappropriate: Regional Planning

: Possibly some of you have heard of Regional Planning belt surrounding our Dominion - possibly some have already become concerned with the Capital, is being done on a cost problem. May I suggest to you now that each and every plus basis, that would not be one of us had better be concerned, and had better be pre-financially practical on a large pared to do something about it NOW, while there is still scale.

paint a mental picture of what rible example - look at the ted Kingdom is tackling the self would be a modern Utopia. I Niagara Peninsula, the oncewill keep it local, and use fam- upon a time heart of the peach Regional Planning or whatever That names, but this is only for and fruit industry of Canada, you want to call it, the purpose of illustration and I said once upon a time, be-

Properly Plann-Let us picture Georgetown as

a properly planned, properly population — a population that ing, will have gone forever from encouraging beginning, coupled could support all the services Ontario and we will import our with the tremendous personal that modern day living stand peaches from goodness knows interest that John Pearson of erds demand. Services such as where. good sanitation, good water sup ply, good progressive businesses to serve their needs, good. Agriculture is just one asschools and even a small col- pect, let us look at others. a good internal transportation would much rather drive from system, recreation centres, Georgetown to Acton, approxiparks, playgrounds, and a prop- mately 7 miles, than drive I er belance between residential mile in the city of Toronto. I and commercial and industry, mean today I would, but for the part of Higher Government. where the residential popula- how much longer I'm not too tion could support the com- sure, because it is not too hard mercial and man the industry, to visualize, with new homes. My hope here today, is that

residential. the most important points --- we handwriting on the wall. must frame this pretty picture. I'll just throw this in for. This is a challenge to all of ecattered with hamlets - a Los Angeles, California, and better can you lend your efrural area that could take ad- in his report stated that they forts - than in triving to preand at the same time serve the over roads, and now the only chosen. needs of the urban centre with thing left to do was to move milk, eggs, fruit, vegetables, the people out of the city so meat, and other items too num-they could build more roads. words, urban and rural, living population has grown so dense Father Dies, Was Now let us reproduce this fresh water supply is so criti Erin Carpenter together for the benefit of both in Greater Chicago and some pretty picture of George cal, that they, the City of Chi

Let us now look at what is it would affect the whole of actually happening, at this med Eastern Canada. scramble for bigness, this un- Let us go back to the local' Born in Erin Township, he controlled, slap dab, hit and scene. I honestly believe that was the son of Acquilla Peavoy miss muddle that prevails along if this part of the country is and Mary Fisher. He farmed the shores of Lake Ontario, allowed to proceed for the next for many years and for the past particularly in the big, big Me- ten years uncontrolled, without tre area - where thousands of Provincial Planning or Provin- 14 years had been a carpenter. acres of fertile ground have clas direction, that we here in Hr had lived near Erin for 13 been buildozed under to feed Georgetown will have no sem-years and prior to that resided the ego of the Powers that Be- blance of our present leisure at Alton where they have convinced the living standards, and will be public that milk comes from in a worse rat race than that! these funny looking things they big, big city today.

tors. Right now there isn't a value, nor am I opposed to 8 great-grandchildren. thirty mile strip along this led growth. Canada, because there just vincial Planning"

couldn't afford the price If you think this is an exag- Planning, should they then not DeForest and George Houre.

It is not a lack of know-how! or enthusiasm on the part of the personnel attached to the Planning Branch, because there I have met some of the most Studies Sculpture brilliant and dedicated civil At Royal Academy strictly a lack of legislation, and the lack of legislation is

Certainly our senior govern ments recognize the situation. but the over publicized green

Certainly our senior govern-Firstly, I am going to try to | geration, let me hold up a hor- ments are aware that the Uni-

With all of the foregoing. not to raise the ire of any of cause due to the lack of plan you might say, - where do we our neighbouring municipalit- ning it is well on the way out, fit into the picture? Just about and the real value of an acre one year ago, a meeting was of ground is not how, many held in Georgetown to discuss peach trees it produces, but the what is now known as Regional four or five subdivision homes Planning. This was the first of that can be built upon it, and several very successful meet soned urban centre, with an once this finally happens, the ings, with yet another arranged ultimate goal of 20-25 thousand peach industry, literally speak, for the very near future. This the Planning Branch of the Dept. of Municipal Affairs is devoting to this cause, may well see the establishment around us here of the first successful example of area planning. If this lege or university, good roads, Transportation I personally is accomplished, it will, in my opinion, have been accomplished the hard way. I say the hard way - due to the lack of post tive action and direction on

Responsibilities

and where the commercial and springing up along highways, a some of you may take up this industry could supplement and 30 mph zone from Georgetown cause, and that enough presrelieve the tax burden of the to Acton, from Georgetown to sure will be brought to bear. Brampton, and from Acton to on our Provincial Government, . So far, this is quite a pretty Milton. Just look in almost any so they will be forced to assume picure, but now comes one of direction and you will see the the responsibilities they are at present turning their backs on.

with a properly planned and what it is worth - recently a us -- from church groups to zoned rural area. A rural area traffic expert made a study of ratepapers' associations. Where' vantage of the Urban services, had built roads, over roads, serve the way of life you have

town and Esquesing Township cago, want to pipe the whole of Elwood Peavoy, RR 1, Erin - at Milton, Acton, Brampton, Lake Michigan to Chicago, This died recently in St. Joseph's and on and on throughout the may seem somewhat removed Hospital, Guelph, after a lengwhole of southern Ontario. | from Georgetown, but in reality the illness. He was in his 72nd

He leaves his wife Fearl bettles, and a cow is one of which exists in the heart of the Fines, sons Lloyd, Harvey and Delmar of Hillsburgh, Harry of see when they are lucky en- With all of the foregoing, let Guelph, Roy of Toronto, Thomeyeh to get to God's Country me state that I am not condem- as of Georgetown and daughning either the speculator who ters Gladys at home, Mrs. Stew-Right now there are thous has the vision to invest, or the art Russell of Acton and Mrs. ands of fertile acres lying farmer fortunate enough to sell William Martill. Woodstock. dormant - tied up by specula- his farm for ten times its farm There are 37 grandchildren and

hundred acre farm lying in a growth, but only to uncontrol. Funeral service in Erin' was conducted by Rev. E. D. Snelshore of Lake Ontario that has In my opening remarks I grove and interment was in realistic price tag on it. If suggested that even the name Coningsby Cemetery. Pallbearyou are a farmer at heart, and Regional Planning was possibly ers were Alvin Fisher, Elmer you want to farm to make a obscure and inappropriate. Fisher, Austin Fines, Gordon Mving, don't look to this part Should the name not be 'Pro-Fines, Ross Ferguson and William Henderson. The flower inn't room for you - you Our Provencial Government bearers were Lorne, Wilbert encourages Zoning and Town and Gordon Peavoy. Clarence

Orangeville, Caledon Now Have Dial Phones

The first switchboard was

crease in business to increase

Caledon System Dates to 1907

Sunday, September 17th ush-installed in the Stubbs building ered in a new era of telephone on the corner of No. 10 highcommunications in Caledon and way and the county road. Miss Orangeville. At 3 a.m. the Winnifred Vogan of Caledon, telephone systems changed now deceased, was the first opfrom manual to dial operation, erator. It was necessary after The change-over took less than the first year owing to the intwo minutes to carry out.

The dial tone replaces the the capital. The Consolidated "number please" of the tele Telephone Company then took phone operator. The old man-over and operated the system ual switchboard ceased operat-for a number of years. Miss ion, being replaced by the Mae Glassford of Caledon opnew dial switching equipment. erated the board for some time All telephone numbers in at a salary of \$18. per month, Orangeville and Caledon chan-until it was moved to the Sut-

ged Sunday. Telephone sub-ton house. In the spring of scribers received new all-figure 1914 the central office was numbers, consisting of the pre-moved to the Sutton House fix, 941 for Orangeville, and where the Sutton girls operat-The dial_cut-over was made sixteen years. It was the burwith virtually no interruption eau of information and com-

because normally there are few tance lines were installed to telephone conversations in pro-Orangeville, Erin and Bolton. Peter Jones, Georgetown gress at that time. History of Caledon

Telephone System name to the Caledon Municipal A public meeting was held in Telephone System. At this time Tomber 28, 1907 at which it was ris was purchased and the ofdecided to organize a company, fice moved. R. J. Speers and the prepared to put the jig-saw THE GEORGETOWN HERALD for the purpose of constructing family gave 24-hour service for and operating an independent 18 years with 430 subscribers. telephone system on a co-oper- At the present time there are lative basis. The company was nearly 700 subscribers.

nanced by selling shares. Each! Mrs. R. J. Speirs carried on January the share holders met for a year after the death of to study the progress of the her husband - one son Eddie. system and appoint their new who was night operator for a manager, directors, etc. while was killed while work-

The first board of directors ing on the lines. held a meeting in 1908 calling. In 1951 Mrs. Henry Mason Catherine Dillon, daughter of the project Caledon Telephone took over the operating for 2 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Dillon, Co. Ltd. with Rev. 5. R. Rob-years, followed by Mrs. Elmer the lack of interest, and the ap. R.R. I. Glen Williams, has been inson. Dr. Wm. Stubbs and W.: Richardson, as chief operator athetic attitude of we, he peo- accepted by Royal Academy of J. Warnock as chief promoters. There are now 8 lines to Oran-Art in London, England, it was Three men from Claremont, geville and two to Erin. Mrs. Alfred Howe, James Lott and Elmer Richardson with Edna A sculptor, Catherine will L. Thomslin took the contract Dodds and Islay Brown as opof building and Installing the erators carried on until the

October Bride is Showered in Glen Mrs. John Hancock, Jr., R R

Bell Telephone took over

September 17. new systems. Many of the local Some are very pleased with er folk just don't know.

Glen Williams, was hostes at a surprise miscellaneous shower for Miss Molly Virginia Sainsbury who will become the bride of Hank deBoer on October 7th. After the opening of the many beautiful and useful gifts, the evening was spent in men worked with them, digging the change-over, while the old- games followed by a delicious luncheon served by the hostess.

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