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MARK END OF PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE WITH GRADUATION DINNER

CHapel Street Public School's graduating class marked the end of their years as public school pupils at a graduation banquet in the Branch 120, Legion Hall Tuesday night, June 8th. Prior to the dinner they gathered in Remembrance Park for this group picture. In the back row from left to right are: Michael Broomhead, Peter Francis, Ose Poulsen, Eleanor Chaplin, Shirley MacPherson, Lynn Johnston, Cheryl Armitage, Patricia Wright, Dobra Willson, Velma Kerr, Linda Peacock, Susan Bagley, Richard Hux, Frank Anderson, Archie Martin and Edward Clarke. Front row, Ricky Bowers, Norman Ferguson, Anne Golden, Vicki Chappel, Cherry Jepton, Janet McClure, Jeanette Riggs, Donna Farmer, Lynn Wylie, Clary Bydeveate and Frank King.

New Federal Boundaries Split Halton in Three

Georgetown is still in Halton riding after the federal electoral boundaries commission for this province tore up the old constituency map and put it together with drastic changes — but it's a vastly different riding from the one that returned Dr. Harry Harley to parliament in the last general election.

In fact Halton County has been ripped in three with part in each riding of Halton, Halton Wentworth, and Wellington.

Georgetown is included in Riding No. 21 on the electoral map released this week, a narrow rectangular district which includes the town of Oakville (old Trafalgar Township) the Township of Equesting and the Township of Erin in the south east corner of Wellington County — total population 75,524.

Burlington (old Nelson Township) has been grouped with the Town of Dundas and the Townships of East Flamboro and West Flamboro — total population 73,690.

And Nassagaweya Township in the north-west corner of Halton has been grouped with the Town of Paris, the Township of Dumfries, the City of Guelph, and the Townships of Eramosa,

Guelph, Puslinch, and Beverly as Wellington Riding — total population 68,612.

The revisions wipe out 43 of the present 83 ridings, create 47 new ones, and revise all but two of the others.

Deadline Past, Cut Weeds Or You'll Be In Trouble

June 15th was the deadline for cutting those weeds, warns Weed Inspector Paul Anderson. Taking a section of the town at a time, he drives around looking for noxious weeds.

He admits that most of his "tips" come from irate or allergic neighbours, who do not appreciate the foliage growing next door.

Should the weed inspector find a lot overgrown with weeds, he politely asks the owner to cut them. However, if the warning is ignored he sends in the town mower to do the job, and the cost is added to the owner's tax bill. The charge for the mower is six dollars an hour.

"We try to enforce the regulations quietly and politely," says Mr. Anderson, "and that's the way it usually works out. The biggest headache for the inspector is vacant land, or land owned by some people from out of town."

Attend Reunion of Infantry Regiment

Mrs. Wm Kirkwood was hostess for the May meeting of the Women's Institute with four visitors and nine members present. The meeting was opened with the Ode, Mary Stewart Collet and the Hymn of All Nations. Final arrangements were made for the bus tour on June 9th when the ladies enjoyed a trip to Hamilton and Brantford. Mrs. Don Brown gave the motto — the best things in life

Assessment, Population Both Up In Halton Over 5 Percent

Halton County's assessment now stands at \$288,949,081 and the population at 135,559, county Assessor Ford Rogers reported to County Council, Tuesday afternoon.

Oakville	\$128,006,292	43.04%
Burlington	113,438,040	39.53%
Georgetown	15,968,769	5.56%
Equesting	10,480,918	3.65%
Milton	9,380,820	3.27%
Aston	7,247,359	2.53%
Nassagaweya	4,336,883	1.51%

These figures represent an increase over last year of \$15,833,262 or 5.64% in assessment, and 6,448 or 5% in population.

According to the equalized assessment by-law, the assessment of the seven municipalities is as follows:

are free. Mrs. I. Marshall read current events, and Francis McLean played a piano solo. The Health Convener, Mrs. Jamieson, gave a reading on prevention and treatment of different diseases. The meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem and Institute grace. Lunch was served by the hostess and social committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Toronto visited over the week end with their daughter, Mrs. H. Sales and family.

Parents and sister of Mr. George Bates from London were visitors at the manse on Sunday and on Monday Mr. and Mrs. Bates attended a family gathering of Mrs. Bates family in St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Given attended a reunion and picnic of the Highland Light Infantry in Galt last week end.

We extend sincere sympathy on behalf of the community to Mrs. Dave McNery whose father passed away recently in Guelph hospital.

The men are working at the church this week putting on a new roof.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyle, 21 Parkview Blvd., had as their guests over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emery and their daughter Johanna, from Phoenix, Arizona. The Emerys are former Georgetown residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Berg of Montreal will be spending a three week June vacation in Scandinavia and Britain. They will visit in Norway with relatives of Mr. Berg and in Sweden with those of Mrs. Berg. Mr. Berg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eiling Berg of Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark, Wyoming, former residents of Georgetown, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary, with a family party for 20 at their home on Sunday, June 8. Guests included son Don and daughter Beverly, Sara, Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Margaret Clark, also of Wyoming, Mrs. Clark's father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peart, Guelph, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Clark, Grimby, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Francis, Tavistock.

The family of Mrs. Edith Smith of St. Catharines gave a buffet supper on Sunday, June 13, on the occasion of her eightieth birthday. She was presented with a portable TV. It was held at the home of her younger son, Lloyd W. James and family, Markham. Members of the family present included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brochu,

and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Harris, R. R. 2, Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Keop and Mr. Howard James, St. Catharines, and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Bates and Connie, Milton and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keop and family, Kitchener.

Prior to her marriage on May 19th to Glenn Higgins, Susan Simpson was guest of honour at two showers. Mrs. Kay Davidson and Miss Maureen Williams were hostesses at miscellaneous showers.

Also elected to the executive were Logan MacDonald — Past President, Wm. Park — 1st Vice President, Mrs. Jean Dunlop — 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Judy Westbrooke — Secretary, and Jack Anderson — Treasurer.

Solos and duets by Mrs. Milree Armstrong and Bill Hrush, directed by Ken Harrison provided entertainment for the teachers, the inspector, the school board, and their wives.

Mrs. Belanger Pres. Public School Teachers

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Grade 12 chemistry students at Georgetown High made outstanding marks in the recent departmental test.

One hundred and three of the 106 students who wrote passed the test. And the grade average in Georgetown was 73% compared with a provincial average of 62%.

Georgetown's average is believed to be one of the highest in the province this year, and speaks well for the standard of teaching in the subject.

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Important Notice about Old Age Security

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If you were born	You should apply	Your pension should begin in
Dec. 1896 to August 1896	June 1965	January 1966
Sept. 1896 to Dec. 1896	July 1965	January 1966
January 1897	August 1965	February 1966
February 1897	September 1965	March 1966
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SIMILAR CHARTS COVERING FOLLOWING YEARS WILL BE PUBLISHED LATER.

How to apply
You may obtain an Old Age Security application form at your local Post Office. Persons who are not in Canada may obtain an application form by writing to the Regional Director of Old Age Security in the capital city of the province in which they formerly lived.