

# Expansion Boosts GDHS Budget Need \$747,000 for 1966 Year

Like the Georgetown Public School Board's 1966 budget, the Georgetown District High School's budget climbed this year, influenced by an expansion program.

The budget was struck at \$747,624 at a special meeting Monday May 2. Last year's budget totalled \$638,138.

The 1966 budget calls for \$303,139 to be supplied by local taxes, 79.66 per cent of which is to come from Georgetown (\$241,480.53), and 20.34 per cent from Esqueping (\$61,658.47).

Last year the split was \$212,987 from Georgetown and \$55,394 from Esqueping.

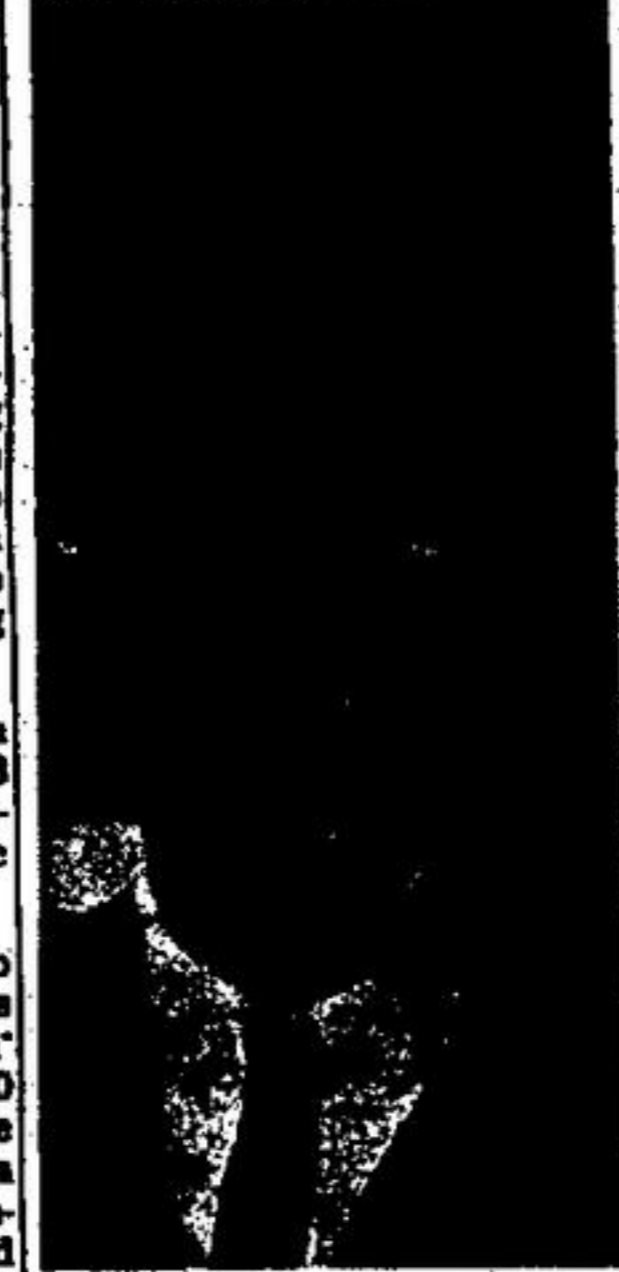
Instruction, the largest item in the budget, requires \$250,134. It includes salaries for day school teachers \$505,664, supply teachers \$8,000, and night school clerical and advertising \$470.

Here is the complete budget summary:

Instruction	\$520,134
Supplies (office supplies, text books, library books)	\$ 48,745
Board, Office Administration (board office salaries, advertising for teachers, insurances, etc.)	\$ 19,081
Principal's Office Administration (salaries, stationery, equipment, etc.)	\$ 20,290
Operations (caretaking, cleaning supplies, fuel, hydro, etc.)	\$ 69,375
Auxiliary Services attendance officer, health service, cafeteria expense, interest on loans, etc.)	\$ 14,050
Fees to other boards	\$ 7,473
Transportation	\$ 15,000
Capital Outlay	\$ 33,470
	\$747,624
REVENUE	
Surplus	\$ 33,470
Grant	\$390,000
Tuition Fees	\$303,139
Night School Fees	\$ 4,195
Rentals	\$ 300
	\$747,624

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## QUANBURY AG. SCHOOL GRADUATE



DOUGLAS QUANBURY  
Douglas Quanbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Quanbury of 17 Elizabeth St., Georgetown, is a 1966 graduate of the two-year Diploma Course at Western Ontario Agricultural School in Ridgeway.

## Convey Road Allowance To Adjoining Owners

During a meeting which lasted only forty minutes, Esqueping Council, Monday night passed a by-law officially closing the unused road allowance, on the east half of lot 27, and the east half of lot 28, on the 11th Concession, and authorized the conveyance to the adjoining owners.

Council also appointed a fence viewer, Don Lawson Lt 18 Con. 4, will replace R.W. Cunningham as fence viewer for the township.

E. Harrop was appointed to the Committee of Adjustments for 1966-67-68, and the township approved payment of \$200 to the town of Oakville, as the township's share of acquiring a piece of land at Hornby Community Park. They also authorized the Reeve and clerk to sign an agreement making the township half owners of the new piece of land.

# Hospital Auxiliary Hears Talk on Canadian Cuisine

The Hospital Women's Auxiliary held their annual dinner meeting on Tuesday, May 10th at the North Halton Golf and Country Club.

Mrs. D. Clark, 1st vice president and program convener introduced the guest speaker, Miss Sally Henny, of the Maple Leaf Flour Mills, who has recently been doing research on Canadian cuisine from coast to coast over the past 100 years.

The first cook book printed in Canada was in French, followed in the early 1860's by an English version. Typical provincial dishes were influenced by the foods available locally and by the various ethnic groups who settled in the land.

It was interesting to note that the largest of these groups, apart from the British and the French, were the Germans, closely followed by the Ukrainians, while the third, the Italians, reached their immigration peak as recently as 1951.

Miss Henny also mentioned, that, strictly speaking, there is no Canadian national dish, but perhaps one will have been decided on for Canada's Centennial celebrations.

On behalf of the Auxiliary, Mrs. R. Thompson presented a bouquet of flowers and thanked Miss Henny for her talk, and also for the fifteen cook books, entitled: "The Art of Home Baking" distributed to the winners of a draw. These were won by Mrs. T. Beer, Mrs. E. Bodnar, Mrs. E. Bragg, Mrs. J. Cartwright, Mrs. T. Dean, Mrs. J. Duffield, Miss A. Hickey, Mrs. F. Hull, Mrs. J. Kirkwood, Mrs. L. MacDonald, Mrs. W. Pope, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. C. Sinclair, Mrs. R. Stephens, and Mrs. F. Tucker.

The Auxiliary President, Mrs. J. Crichton drew the attention of those present to the display of items which are available at the gift shop in the hospital, to the tray favours given to patients on appropriate occasions

and to the history book of the Hospital and Auxiliary since their founding. Mrs. Crichton also commented on her attendance, along with Mrs. G. Hewson, at the spring conference of Regional Auxiliaries at Hamilton last month.

Mrs. G. Sampson, Coordinator of Volunteer Services, announced a Garden Tea is to be held at the home of Mrs. T. Beer on Saturday, June 18th and hoped this would give volunteers an opportunity to get acquainted.

The dinner was convened by Mrs. A. D. Cartwright and her committee members, Mrs. J. Veitch and Mrs. F. Buchanan.



KERR'S COLUMN  
M.P.P. Reports to Queen's Park by George Kerr

A most important Bill to the farmers of Ontario has been introduced in the Provincial Legislature by the Honourable William A. Stewart. It is to provide for Crop Insurance and for protection against total or near total crop loss. This has become more necessary than ever before because of freak storms, severe drought or even excessive rainfall in recent years.

The Government of Ontario has provided assistance during these periods in the form of transportation subsidies for hay, bank guarantees, co-operation with the Department of Energy and Resources Management in the construction of farm ponds and during the past year, coupons for the purchase of livestock feed with extensions of utilization of the coupons, the last one being to May 31st of this year. In addition, guaranteed interest-free bank loans to a maximum of \$1,000 have been made available to farmers for the purchase of seed and fertilizer in the case of those farmers who have suffered 25% or more crop loss. All of these programs have been very well received and have been of considerable help to the farmer-producer.

However, an adequate crop insurance program is also needed. The proposed program will provide coverage up to 80% of the normal production of a particular crop. Protection is offered against such perils as drought, excessive rainfall, excessive moisture, flood, frost, hail, winter kill, wind disease and other pests.

Participation in the plan will be voluntary, but it will apply on a province-wide basis. A farmer will not be compelled to insure all crops grown on his farm. He may decide to insure only one particular crop and this will be quite permissible under the proposed policy. The insurance will apply to all normal crops such as oats, wheat, barley, potatoes and tomatoes, etc. as well as to forage crops such as corn, hay and pasture because over 70% of Ontario's agricultural revenue is derived from the sale of livestock and livestock products and it is essential that crop insurance be provided for such forage crops.

If the Legislature receives the approval of the Legislature and also some co-operation from the Federal Government, we will move as quickly as possible to bring the plan into operation with the intention that it will be applicable to some crops, at least in the Spring of 1967.

# Board and Doctors Voice Praise For Work of Nursing Director

Last Thursday evening members of the Georgetown Medical Association and the Hospital Board of Directors, honoured a Department Head, Mrs. Mary Manning, at a presentation.

Members of the two groups and their wives gathered in the Cafeteria to honour Mrs. Manning, who had served the Hospital, both as nursing supervisor, and for eighteen months as Director of Nursing.

Chairman for the evening, Les Clark, said that he was expressing the sentiments of the entire group in her departure, that she had been a great help in improving services and patient care in the Hospital. However, he wished her good fortune and continued success in her new field of work.

He then introduced Magistrate John D. Ord, Q.C., chairman of the Board, who spoke feelingly of the tremendous job Mrs. Manning had done, and as a token of their very deep respect, presented her with a cheque, from the Board, Chief of Georgetown Medical Association Dr. C. Alan Thompson, spoke next, reviewing the problems that she had faced during her time with the hospital, and said that it was his considered opinion that she had made a major contribution to developing and bringing her department to its present excellence. He gave her a beautiful silver tray, suitably inscribed, from Georgetown Medical Association. Mayor Joe Gibbons gave a few well chosen remarks and wished her well on behalf of the citizens of the community.

In her reply Mrs. Manning thanked everyone for the gifts, and said she would certainly recall Georgetown and her work here, that she had so enjoyed, many times in the future. The gifts would act as a tangible link to her associations with the doctors and board, and also of their many kindnesses to her. She paid high tribute to the Administrator, Fred Whittaker, and said it had been a pleasure to be associated with him in her duties.

After the presentations, the group enjoyed a social hour, concluded with cookies and coffee.

Mrs. Manning starts her new position the 1st of June. She has entered the field of psychiatric nursing at the Clarke Institute, in Toronto.

Left, Dr. C. Alan Thompson, Mrs. Mary Manning, and Magistrate John D. Ord, Q.C., chairman of the board, with presentations.

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