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## TROPHY FOR MOST SPORTSMAN LIKE



### NEW AWARD NAMED FOR ASSETTINES

DAVE LONG AND BOB TOST representing the Tykes Hockey League surprise Red and Jean Asseltine with a special award, the Red and Jean Asseltine trophy, to be presented annually to the most sportsmanlike player in the International Bantam Hockey Tournament. The presentation was on behalf of Tykes past and present and was made at Bantam Tournament opening ceremonies Thursday night. Red, who is chairman of the tourney, also originated the Tyke league for players under 8 years of age.

### Rent Sid-Mac Building for Extra-Municipal Offices

If the owners of the Sid-Mac building accept an offer made by council Monday night, some of the municipal offices will move next door to the new building.

Council voted to rent a portion of the building on a two year lease, with an option to renew for \$750 a month. The owner will install the necessary partitions.

Cr. Robert Francis explained that he considered a two year lease enough at this time, since the future of municipal councils is in doubt, and there was talk of a new municipal complex.

In reply to a question from Cr. W. Smith, Cr. Emmerson replied that heat, air conditioning, washrooms, and fluorescent lights were included. The mayor favoured the idea "since I've failed to convince council of the wisdom of putting on a second storey here."

The opposition to the motion from Crs. Fred Harrison and Jim Young arose when there seemed to be a doubt about going ahead with the new police building, if this space were rented.

Cr. Harrison said, "The police department has been criticized left and right. It was said they should be away from the rest of the offices. I'm in favour of a separate building looking like a house so we can sell it and get our money back." He concluded by saying "since the intent of this motion does not clarify whether it will affect a new police building, I will have to oppose it."

Cr. Roy Ballentine opposed it because of the cost, "no such cheaper space could be rented elsewhere."

Deputy reeve Speight claimed there would be a delay in the police building anyway since the area has to be rezoned. Cr. Young wanted to know why it should be rezoned when the building looks exactly like a house. "It has been done other places," he added.

Cr. Harrison pointed out it was in the same area as the ambulance garage and there had been no objection there. "Somebody is playing dirty pool," commented Cr. Young.

"I hoped the leasing of this property would solve the police

space too," opined the mayor anyway. "There is lots of space for the police out on the street, they the adjacent building (passed shouldn't congregate in there."

### Roger Smith is Opposition Leader, Model Parliament

The first secondary school model parliament in Ontario to have province-wide participation opened at Brampton Secondary School yesterday.

Georgetown District High School is represented by eleven members of parliament Robert Saxe, Lesley Buresh, Andy Spiece, Donald Young, Mark Erwin, Tony McAuley, Richard Enright, Roger Smith, Doug Stephens, John Riley and Alex Goudekting.

William Davis, minister of education, will be governor-general in the model parliament. Mr. Davis will attend parliament each day and today will speak at a dinner in the school.

Sponsor of the three-day parliament, is the inter-collegiate council for Halton and Peel, a federation of United Nations clubs in Halton and Peel Secondary schools.

The ICCHP tackled the province-wide program as its centennial project. Of the \$2,000 needed for expenses, \$1,500 was raised by students.

Two parties will sit in parliament, the National Party, in power, and the Dominion Party as opposition. Leader of the National Party is Brian Frank of Port Credit Secondary School. Opposition leader is Roger Smith from Georgetown District High School.

Speaker of the house is William Howitt of Central Peel Secondary School, deputy speaker is William Rogers of Brampton Secondary School and Dale Philpot of Port Credit is the director of the project.

Public school students from Peel and Halton schools will be pages.

The National Party was voted into power by an 84-78 seat majority as a result of elections held recently at Peel and Halton schools.

Of the 338 students participating in the parliament, 190 are students from Halton and Peel, Others, 148 in all, will come from Montreal, Toronto, Brantford, Tillsonburg, London, Scarborough, Timmins, Sudbury and Ottawa.

### Up Dog Tax Licences with Mayor Opposed

Two readings were given to the by-law upping the price of dog licenses from two dollars to four for a male, and from four to eight for a female, at Monday night's council meeting. The third reading was deferred for a week.

Cr. Ballentine stated the cost of licenses had been the same since 1936. "By increasing the price, 'Before this the people who have the dogs who will pay for the dog control to a large extent," he added.

Cr. Fred Harrison agreed saying, "Before this people who didn't have dogs, subsidized the people who did."

The mayor took exception to this saying that all ratepayers subsidize others to some extent.

## New Business Block For Main St. N.

### Building For Stores And Offices Will Be Constructed This Summer

A large business block will be added to Main Street this summer.

Sid Silver, president of Woodrex Ltd. has announced plans for construction of a commercial building, to house a number of retail stores and offices, adjoining his clothing store on Main Street north.

Mr. Silver acquired the property last year from John Cordaro, with the proviso that it be vacated and the present building demolished by the end of May.

The new building will have an 85 foot frontage overlooking the new Sidmac building across the street, constructed last year by Mr. Silver and Sam

Mackenzie, of Mackenzie Construction.

Originally the Crochman Knitting Machine factory, the building later was used by several smaller industries and stores with apartments on the two upper floors.

At various times it has been the site of a candy company, a fish and chip store, restaurant, barber shop, photo studio, clothing store, TV and appliance store and an instrument company.

Another new building is planned to the north by Halton & Peel Trust Co. which has purchased the old Christian Reformed Church as a site for a new branch of the firm.

### Tell Urban Board That Georgetown Wants To Stay

Names drawn from a hat Monday night at council meeting, will ensure at least one member of council will attend the North Halton Urban Board meeting, for the next three months. Mayor Gibbons' name was drawn first, then Cr. Young and Cr. Emmerson.

A letter from J. McGeachie, secretary of the Board, asked council if they intended to continue as members of the Board "We should make up our minds" said the mayor, "the two municipalities have the right to an answer."

Reeve William Hunter claimed that no-one really wanted to pull out of the Board, but that the date of the Board meeting always clashed with a committee.

"The Urban Board meets every third Wednesday, and so does a committee," stated the reeve, "if they could change it to the second Wednesday, it would be more convenient."

Cr. Jim Young, past chairman of the Board, felt the Board served a useful purpose by exchanging ideas and problems.

"We insulted these people," commented deputy-reeve Arthur Speight, "we didn't even attend when the meeting was right here in our town. I think we should arrange amongst ourselves that somebody goes."

Council approved the sending of a letter to the Urban Board asking them to change the date, failing this, at least the member whose name was drawn from the hat will be the town's representative.

### Heart Attack is Fatal for High School Commercial Head

A senior member of the staff of Georgetown District High School, George Blair Armstrong, 46, died suddenly from a heart attack early Sunday morning, March 26.

Mr. Armstrong, who lived at 18-Hewson Crescent, came to the high school as commercial teacher in 1951. With growth of the school, he became department head and was in charge of the secretarial division at the time of his death.

He had also assisted with sports and cadet instruction at the school, particularly in target practice with the cadet corps.



BLAIR ARMSTRONG

Born at Navan, near Ottawa, he was the son of Mrs. Margaret Armstrong of Guelph and the late Mr. Armstrong. His parents moved to Drayton when he was a child and he attended public and high school there. He was employed in Kitchener with the Sunshine-Waterloo firm when he joined the army during World War 2 and served 4 years with the Royal Canadian Artillery.

After the war he attended the University of Toronto, graduating with his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1950 and from the Ontario College of Education in 1951.

Mr. Armstrong leaves his wife, Jean (Toni) Warrington, three sons, Gary, Randy, and Rodney; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Armstrong, Guelph, and nine brothers and sisters, Mrs. William Nixon, (Isobel) of Scarborough; Mrs. Ron Saunders (Jean) of Brampton; Mrs. Murray Jack (Ruth) of Drayton; Mrs. Ronald Kells, (Phyllis) of Burlington; Mrs. Claude Litt, (Bobby) of Exeter, Mrs. Cal Christie (Janice) of Erindale; Ralph of Aylmer East, Quebec; Norman and Barbara of Guelph.

Funeral service on Tuesday in Knox Presbyterian Church was conducted by Rev. Norman Young and Rev. Alex Calder of Peterborough and interment was in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Earl Sanders, Harry Lee of Kitchener, Ronald Kells, Reg Broomhead, Ron Owendon and Elmer Walker, Flower bearers were Terry Lane, Larry Allen, John Golden, Richard Pearson, Allan Sturtard and Finlay Arnold.

### DISCUSS BLOOD CELL FINDINGS



### PITTSBURGH RESEARCH DIRECTOR VISITS HOSPITAL

DR. S. SOLOWAY, Director of Research at the Fisher Scientific Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., talks with Dr. C. Greifeneder of the Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital's laboratory over a cup of coffee in the hospital cafeteria. Dr. Soloway visited with Dr. Greifeneder last week to discuss her work on the International Committee on standardization for many of the blood cell measurements. Dr. Soloway hopes to be able to take advantage of the results of the research in hospitals.

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### STRANGE GOINGS ON



### HERE'S ONE FOR RIPLEY - LIGHTS WON'T SHUT OFF

THESE FLUORESCENT LIGHTS being held by Doug Wood and son Del are glowing even though they're not connected to any power outlet. The lights that won't shut off are just part of the weird goings-on at the Wood house where visitors are surprised to hear music coming from the waterpipes, and can catch the latest news by putting their ear to the fence. The Woods live at the base of the CBC radio tower at Hornby from which power leaks are the source of all the ghostly happenings.