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# SMOKE, FLAMES AND LOTS OF WATER

GEORGETOWN volunteer firefighter is almost engulfed by dense smoke as he leaves the apartment building at 41 Main St. N. which was completely gutted by fire early Friday morning. The solid canopy overhead is buckled by the intense heat.



GEORGETOWN HYDRO worked in cooperation with the firefighters. Here a fireman. directs a stream of water through an upper storey window from the bucket on the Georgetown Hydro Commission's "cherry picker" truck. Firefighters responded to the 5.30 a.m. alarm in minutes and were at the scene all day-

### Seventeen Flee Burning Building In Night Clothes

thes monients before fire gut- ferno.

ure was in a semi-demolished clothes. state prior to the blaze, the the entire building from the Williams farm house. downtown scene. The loss was

not insured. Razed were two vacant and went up in smoke. two occupied apartments and The children range in age worse if it hadn't been for the to give council control.

in the front of the building. The residents fled into the Fire Chief Erwin Lewis, Lewis told The Herald. street shortly before 5:30 aft- whose department worked at flames and alerted the other oc said yesterday that the extent building was later used by dio, clothing store, TV and apcupants in an upstairs apart of the damage in money had several smaller industries and pliance store; meeting hall and ment. They took shelter in the not been estimated.

Four adults and thirteen chil- police station across the road. He said he suspects the He already has a permit for dren escaped in their night clo- while firemen battled the in- source of the blaze was electri- one.

ted a two storey apartment | Georgetown Red Cross's dis- | Smoke was billowing out of out the school facilities in the block at 45 Main St., N. Friday aster committee under chair the front and rear of the build- area were already crowded and man Mrs. Mary Simpson R.N. ing when firefighters arrived. at a distance. They claimed The hundred year old struct- later provided all 17 with street An hour later the fire was at the School Board does not plan

start of a demolition project commodation in a Prince Char- a large crowd watched. that would eventually climinate les Dr. apartment and a Glen

sessions, furniture and clothing the last flame.

two vacant business quarters from 9 months to early teens, two aerial trucks made avail-They escaped unhurt.

its height and flames were another school in the area. They They have since found ac- licking through the roof while also stated the site does not

Smoke continued to pour from the charred interior long police chiefs statement that a Almost all their entire pos- efter firefighters had doused

> "It would have been much idea is to stop spot rezoning and able to us by the Hydro," Chief

> been the site of a candy comp-Originally the Creelman any, fish and chip stores, reststores. At various times it has instrument company.

### ASSISI SCHOOL

### Actress Rushed Hospital Play Cancelled

An emergency appendectomy on the star of the Little Theatre's production "Bonaventure" has forced the cancellation of the play, which was scheduled to start a four night run Wednesday, May 10th (yesterday). ed to hospital Tuesday, the day ing them of the requirements before opening night.

has been set for the production according to director, Chris

accepted by council Monday lots 62 and 63 instead.

adjacent lots 58 and 59. Balti- Aircoil's affer of \$4,735 for lots

more Aircoil wanted more than 60 and 61 a total of 4.7 acres

The deal was made possible

through the co-operation of W.

F. McNally, who owned the

Funnel Meter Money

Into Town Treasury

Even a town-appointed board

has to pay its bills to the town

find out after council's action

owed the town \$1,475 council n

paid, the money from the park-

ing meters will be credited to

salary, and it has never been done. He claimed they also ow-

ed for audit fees for three

and Young opposing.

Has Permit For

One Apartment

Refused Others

ed in the area.

Since the Parking Authority Reshuffle

decided that as of now, and Barbershop

continuing until the amount is Closing Hrs.

Monday night.

# **POSTPONED**

In a brief statement issued Tuesday, Ben Boyle, chairman of the Separate School Board, announced that the building of St. Francis of Assisi school has been postponed.

No date for the construction of the school has been set. The \$253,567 contract had been awarded to Whitney Construction of Brampton, for a school with eight standard classrooms, work and storage Over 200 Glen Homes rooms, and a large general pur-The site of the school is on To Get Mail Delivery

Pennington Crescent, running off Moutainview Road.

### Harley, M.P. for Halton. In a news release to the Ierald, Dr. Harley said that

Notices will be distributed to

Mrs. Betty Fisher, was rush-the patrons concerned informto be met in the way of mail A tentative date in mid-June receiving facilities.

sion of the letter carrier ser-land No. 3 Street.

Baltimore Aircoil Moving

"It was quite a gesture on

Council accepted Baltimore

and W.F. McNally's offer of \$8-217 for lots 62 and 63 a total

of 8.2 acres. This offer is condi-

Cr. Fred Harrison told coun-

McNally's part' commented Cr.

Door-to-door mail delivery to vice the Glen Williams Post Of- Market" will shortly more than 240 homes and businesses in fice located in Wheeler's Gen- double its size, according to Glen Williams will start as soon eral Store, will be closed and Bruce McLaughlin, president as 80 per cent. of the patrons replaced by a sub post office of Metropolitan Halton Develinstall mail boxes it was an which will provide all the usual opments. nounced Tuesday by Dr. Harry facilities for the transaction of postal business," says the re-

Market Will Be

Shopping Mall

The 240 points to receive the Honourable Jean-Pierre door-to-door delivery are locat-Cote, Postmaster General, has ed on the fillowing streets: authorized the extension of mail Alexander, Back St., Beaver Mountain St., Park St., Prince Ravine St. Tweedle St. Street No. 1 and Street No. 2.

service by letter carrier will be Georgetown Police Department provided to ten families resid- in April according to a statisti- 13 regular unoccupied house "Concurrent with the provi- ing on Ravine St., Guelph St. cal report on the department's checks.

### Metropolitan Halton Planning Additional 55,000 Square Feet

The Delrex market centre the plans cali for an additional now known as the "Georgetown 55,000 square feet. been signed with several new

tenants including a food store and another bank.

Architects are hoping to con-The present shopping area struct an enclosed mall, east of covers 45,000 square feet, and the present shopping area.

### \$1,124 Taken in Eleven carrier service frem George. St., Credit St., Erin St. Guelph town. St. Karen Brive, Main St. Thefts Says Police Report

\$50 and five thefts of amounts injury. In addition, group mail box under \$50 were investigated by operation in April just releas-

> The report said the value of property stolen totalled \$1,124.-

A total of \$3,957.00 in fines From Works Dept. was imposed in the report per-**Operation To Georgetown** iod. \$2058.50 under the Highway Baltimore Aircoil Canada two lots and asked if these two they have run out of space. The Ltd., manufacturers of cooling were available. Mr. McNally a- Ilrm plans to be in operation systems, with plants in Mary- greed to sell to Baltimore Air- by January 68 with a staff of for parking violations.

land, California, and Bramp coll at the same price he bought fifty to start. The first build Number of charges laid, total ton, had their offer of purchase them from the town, if the ing project will cover 34,500 leed 199, and arrests 10. There and 95 complaints investigated. Cr. Harrison rated the firm

'Class A", but Cr. Ballentine it accidents and one non-report- the end of the year. Half will able (under \$100 property da- be paid in 1967 and half in 1968

Six thefts of amounts over mage) resulted in one personal

There were 21 premises found insecure in routine checks and

Preliminary agreements have

Miles travelled by cruisers totalled 8,842 in April.

Council regretfully accort-Traffic Act, \$715. under the ed the resignation of Alf Col-Criminal Code, \$280 under the lins from the works force, Mon-Liquor Control Act and \$104 day. In his letter of resignation under the Municipal by-laws. Mr. Collins thanked the present There were 302 tags issued and past coucils for their co-operation during his twenty years

His resignation is effective

were also 5 summonses served Friday, May 12th. Council voted to credit him Six reportable motor vehicle; with the balance of his pay till

## William French Resigns as ed with the McNally-Baltimore Principal of Senior School Air-coil sale.

will be moved up here since tawn's only sentor public school bard accepted the resignation William French has resigned.

corrected him and rated

'Class Triple A'

pal at Park Public School for school from Wrigglesworth meeting. two years before shifting to school. Centennial School at the start of the current term tendered Two readings were given to a the town's account, rather than by law governing the closing

turned over to the Parking Au- hours of barbershops. The barthority as it has up until now. bershops will remain closed He will take a position with ald Grigg will be transferred Jeanette Smith, Mrs. Marie The mayor explained that Thursday night but open Friday the Lakeshore Teachers' Col-Parking Authority was supposed till nine and close on Saturdays lege.

to pay half the police cadet's at five. The third reading was deferr- Park School will replace Mr. Another transfer will see Mrs. B. Allan-were granted permaned at Cr. Ballentine's request. French at Centeninal.

his resignation at a Georget wn years in Georgetown Public Longstreet, Mrs. Frances Hun-Public School Board meeting School system to accept a ter, Mrs. Norma Smith, Thomas teaching position in Esquesing, Hunter and Angus Elliott. Mrs. Jean Mackison and Don Mrs. Sandra Morrow, Miss

cil the whole Brampton plant. The principal of George ! At the same meeting the Kennedy school in September. of another member of the Cen- and granted permanent contennial School staff, John Lenz, tracts to seven others now Mr. French, who was princi- who transferred to the senior teaching here at the same Hired were Mrs. Mar-

He is terminating his four garet Perrott, Mrs. Winnifred

to the Centennial school staff Brooks, Mrs. Dorothy Moffat, from other Georgetown schools Miss June Cunnington. Mrs. II. B. Allan, principal at in September at their request. Judith Westbrooke and Howard V. Kinzie joining the George-lent contracts.

High School Inspection



er one of the adults discovered the scene for over 12 hours, Knitting Machine Company, the aurant, barber shop, photo stu- LORNE SCOTS 'C' COMPANY (Georgetown) commanding officer, Captain Frank Ching, presents the Best Boy Cadel award to Cadet Major Bill Adcock during high school cadet inspection ceremonies in the Georgetown Armoury. Mary Ellen Stockley was named Best Girl Cadet.