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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Wed Do It Too

President Lyndon Johnson's bombshell announcement Sunday that he would not be a candidate for the Democratic leadership this year, was unexpected by the experls. And yet many people in this country particularly, were not so surprised.

... No man in history has taken so much abuse as this U.S. president who was thrust Into office after President Kennedy's assassination, and whose path has been rockstrewn ever since."

His country became deeply involved In the Vietnam war, after being elected as the opponents of this. (His election for a second term leaned heavily on the fear that Republican Barry Goldwater would plunge the U.S. and possibly the world into another conflict.)

· He has been criticized, not only by political opponents of the other party, but by high_ranking Democrats as well, for U.S. foreign policy in Vietnam:

His attempt to pull the States away

from a financial crisis by higher taxes, foreign travel restrictions has been challenged by Congress.

He has been the butt of cruel satire, paricularly on some of the best watched television shows, to the point where no man could be expected to take this forever.

His decision to leave, politics can be taken at face value - his announced hesitation to leave his onerous task as president to campaign politically. Or one can surmize that he is the tired old man he seemed to be as he made his historic announcement on TV. Whichever it is, we think he has taken almost more than one man can stand and is wise to retire while he is still in good health.

The U.S. had one experience of a dy-Ing president holding on to office too long. Had President Roosevelt left office months before he died, and been replaced by a more vigorous individual, world history might have changed for the better in our part of the world.

Lots of Takers Here A Canadian statesman, while playing: With only a few men willing to face some part in world affairs, does not have the task of being president in the States, the same life and death decisions. He is in the same does not apply in Canada. the happy position of being able to criticize, There is a brisk race for the Liberal

IN THE MAIL BAG

several ladies' organizations for

We have not purposely left

out any names from our vote of

to suggest, to discuss, without having to feadership which, automatically, means bemake decisions which affect millions of Ing prime minister of Canada. There are people in all corners of the globe. nine or ten serious contenders, a few who He is able to concentrate much more stand little chance, and dozens of others on domestic issues. And our parliamentary who if they thought they could swing it, system is such that he knows his party has recent holidays. Daughter Kim would be in the race in a minute. a majority in parliament, no matter how The difference, of course, is that slim this may be, while in the States it

while Canada's job is important, it does not have the world problems which the pres-Idency entails.

Focus on Cancer

The current fund raising campaign of the Cancer Society is important in two ways - it raises necessary money for re-. search and it provides necessary help for those with the disease.

There are few miracles in research. Even the Banting-Best discovery of insulin did not take place without painstaking years of research.

Cancer is not going to be licked overnight, either, but if one looks back a dozen years, you soon realize that forward strides have been made, and somewhere over the horizon the disease can be con-

Many Talents, Many Hands

the 1968 Georgetown Internat, billetting of the boys.

without, that help, the Bantam would have been lost. .

and the Oddfellows for allow, cept our apologies.

ional Bantam Hockey Tournam-

Hockey week would not have

ing us to use their facilities to

feed the boys; the Town Council

to none and their donations to.

our printed programme enabled

us to produce a balanced bud-

get. The coverage and assist-

ance afforded us by 'The Her-

ald' was indeed in the best spir-

been the success it was.

ent a continuing success.

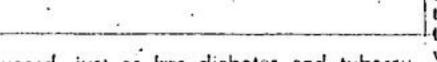
Dear Su:

Made Bantam Tourney Success

quered, just as has diabetes and tubercu-

The money raised in the cancer campaign goes to this necessary research. And some of it is used for such things as the transportation service which, because of Georgetown's fortunate position so close to the treatment centre, allows a patient to take treatment while still being able to stay at home and lead a much more normal life than to be hospitalized for weeks the resulting vote of confidence;

This, alone, is a good reason to share a dollar or two of your budget to help your own neighbours and friends.



went off to spend a few days ing. Only a man who is beleagwith her Mum in the city. And vered by women most of his there I was, all alone in the big waking hours can appreciate how I felt. I just decided to let ; possible for a president to be bucked at 'er rip, go the whole hog and tic rule that has been pounded every turn by a hostile congress or senate. For the first time in years, let the chips fall where they into me in 20 years. nobody to but me. Not a soul might. _ to tell me it was time to get up or go to bed. Nobody to tell me First morning I slept right marking exam papers. I delib-

to stop doing this, or start doing through. Until 8:30. I even lay grately let my whiskers grow that. Nobody to natter away there, grinning defiantly and while I was trying to read the said, right out foud "I won't get

HALTON EAST M.P.P.

freedom and peace during the

SUGAR

by Bill Smiley

Had a taste of utter domestic paper.

AND SPICE

Released From Captivity

JIM SNOW REPORTS

ON THURSDAY, March 23rd the Debate on the Speech from the Throne was concluded and in the government of 63 to 42.

the Budget Debate which is proceeding concurrently along with the consideration of the Depart. from groups from Halton East and frozen oyster soup for mental Estimates, for the 1963 Riding. '69 year, Currently under consideration are the estimates of FLAGPOLE CLIMB Highways.

DURING THE WEEK, second and third readings were: When two Elmira men settle given to several Bills, in a bet a few months ago it was cluding amendments to the Fa- the Canadian Cancer Society And exactly when I felt like it. mily Benefits Act, the General But came out as the winner.

Welfare Assistance Act and the

HIS HONOUR, the Lieutenant ure on Thursday, March 28 to Archie quit. Abner said he hove Bills which had received smoked. Abner was sure he'd your life. Went down and withwas given to Bill No. 35, an Act ed. Abner started feeling queasy made myself a big. fat roast respecting the marketing of cat- - Archie won. Abner tell beef and horseradish sandwich. tle for the production of beef, downright queasy. It was a big Washed it down with four cups This Act when given third read- pole.

Gerald 'Perky' Perkins ment many regulations with re- The wind was blowing real spoon in. gard to more uniform grading, cold when Abner made the asweighing and marketing of beef cent. Tucked under his arm as well as a voluntary, checkoff, was the flag of the Cancer Soc-This Tournamer! never has Funds for Needy Girls of five cents to fifteen cents lety which he unfurled when he seen and never will be a one or Funds for Needy Girls of five cents to fifteen cents lety which he unfurled when he per head of cattle for the pro- reached his objective.

> proposed construction program there cheering him on, as well parents realizing a profit of for the Ontario Department of as from the crowd that had

nounced increased assistance Co-Chairmen, George- The Guides in this company al- programmes for homes for the! the Alps was begun in 1338 and nament. Kinsmen Church once a month as a thank subsidy of 80 per cent up from Cider is the fermented Juice Leslie Clark Dave Hastings

maliciously dirtied every ashtray in the house. I refused to take out the garbage. I got \$5,000 per bed to encourage crumbs all over the kitchen the construction of such homes floor and just left them there,

SANTA

CLAUS

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up until I feel like it." And

Seven minutes later, instead

of the usual juice, toast and

coffee, I ripped the cap off a

bottle of beer and drank it

right there in the living room,

not the kitchen, with my bare

feet up on the best chair. It

gave me a glorious sense of

sheer freedom. And a headache.

But I didn't care. I read the

morning paper for 20 minutes

ted. Unheard of luxury! '

I read a novel instead

right through until noon.

lunch. With a wine sauce that

I never got around to cooking

Didn't eat until some crazy

At dinner time, I did the

hour. About 12.30.

It was a wild, delirious feel- straight without being interrup-

there was no argument.

SOME OF US ARE SLOW LEARNERS

by local organizations and menerunching happily around in tally retarded associations. them. I didn't even go down to I WAS PLEASED to welcome the basement and do the washand visit with a group of stud- ing. ents from the Esquesing Twp. I read Mad magazine. Elementary School at Stewartthrew a stack of exam papers town who visited the Ontario on the floor and kicked them Legislature Buildings last week, all over the room. I ripped up accompanied by two members of a couple of bills that came in the school-staff. It is always a: pleasure to have groups of our ON FRIDAY, we restrict into young people visit the Legislate. And I ate whatever and when

ive Buildings and I am looking ever I darned well pleased. Pea-

forward to many further visits nut-butter and jam sandwich

AIDS UNIT FUND

roast of beef cooked for me before the girls left. Had exactly what I wanted, pork and beans. About 6 p.m.

uced for the Ontario Housing agent Archie McKee was so kitchen looking for somebody Wages Act which outlaws wage could quit smoking for six Special mention to the four assignments within the Previmenths, he'd climb three-quar- pave me six months ago when ters of the way up the flagpole his wife had a baby. Searched out relentlessly and watched 3 on Main Street.

westerns on TV, including the of my special coffee the real

thing that you can stand a

as he got his feet back on the cer Society.

The first wagon road through

NEWS ECHOES

From the Heralds of 10 and 20 Years Ago

- Georgetown will have a two-mill reduction in tax re this year. A budget adopted by council last night ce for a 58 mill rate for residential properties, and for dustrial and commercial taxpayers, 51 mills. Home ow ers continue to benefit this year from a 3 mill provi cial grant.
- John Rambone, recently named rector of St. Alber Anglican Church, Glen Williams, will preach his fir sermon this Sunday morning.
- Last week, an additional 11,000 square, feet of selling area doubled the size of Silver's Dept. Store. The late addition is the largest in the store's thirty, years her It doubles both upstairs departments and adds a ch dren's department downstairs.

- Georgetawn Reiders with the Ontario Chempionsh tucked under their belts, head for bigger things th week-end when they meet Dolbgau, Quebec, in a beof five series for the Eastern Canadian Intermediate h ckey title. The Dolbeau Castors took Bathurst, Ne Brunswick, Papermakers, In three straight games .e. should provide formidable opposition for Ralders, wh won the Ontario crown by beating out Markham ...
- Georgetown Labour Council has elected its first officer They are president Joseph Hall Sr., 1st vice presides Ernest Hyde, 2nd vice president Duncan Tost, secretar A. J. Williams, treasurer W. Collier, trustees Roy No. ton, J. Yost and Stanley Allen.
- Sammie Fong, propreitor of the Golden Gate Cafe, h. sold his business to Mr. Fred Len of Cobourg. This the second change of ownership since the original ow er, Harry Chu sold out about six years ago.
- · Gail Malcolm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Malcoln Riverview Crescent, had a narrow escape from drown ing on Sunday. Playing in the flats behind her home she was reaching for a stick in the river from the Ev ing St. bridge, when she toppled in. A neighbourhed boy, Billy Hancox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hancos went to the rescue and pulled her to safety.

was exactly when I felt like It, and paddling around in my with no nagging. It was about jamas and smoking like a dies 1.30, as I recall. And it was truck. about 4.30 , when that snack On the third morning,

For the rest of the day I not only threw convention to the hllarious, quite. Oh, the free braced her heartily. And x wind, but flouted every domes dom was still there. But so was even more surprised wh were the dishes and crumbs I followed her about all mon and ash-trays and exam papers, ing, babbling away about rot And nobody else. I must admit ing. a small surge of pure rage went through me because nobody had

wore off and I went to sleep.

cleaned the place up.

cleaning lady aprived. She Next day wasn't so wild or a little taken back when I e

There's nothing like freedp Wives should go away leave their husbands alone I didn't just give up, though. a few days, once a year. I went right on dirtying dishes would save a lot of marriage

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On behalf of the Kinsmen their capable feeding arrange- who helped during the Inter- Corporation Act and the Ontario; hooked on cigarettes that he to talk to. Development Corporation Acta couldn't quit if he wanted to. That night I carried right on Second and third readings were And to prove this, Abner Margiven to an Act to Amend the tin said that if Archie Mckee with my oray of freedom. Had a brandy and a clgar somebody

Club of Georgetown, may we ments, and to Donna Moores national Bantam Hockey Tourntake this opportunity of thank and her helpers; as well as the ament. Without your help ing the many groups and indiv. many houseowners who opened would never had been the suciduals for their help in making their doors to look after the cess that it was.

'The referees under the lead to referee, these being Paul Ro-Inasmuch as this was the first many clean-up boys under the Bowden and Junior Beaumont. time that the Kinsmen Club had direction of Don Fendley, the Thanks to the referees who came was specially appreciated and bulance Brigade, all provided travelled many miles at his own

The "Chief"

and the Cedarvale Board for al- been and never will be a one or lowing us the use of the Com- two-man affair but it is due to munity Centre. The arena the unselfishness of many that town company held an 'action This Act does not call for the' board gets our thanks for their this Tournament is amongst the sale' recently to raise money introduction of a beef marketing miss an opportunity, so as soon cooperation. They bent over foremost in the country.

backwards in seeing that our. We salute the people of Ge. This event was a great sucevery wish was their command, orgetown and to each and every- cess with the ponny items don- able to include in my report the from Archie McKee who was The patronage received from one of you, we say a sincere ated by the Guides and their the local merchants was second "Thank you' for a job well done. Yours truly, Harry Levy,

over the world.

Fred Harrison,

Thanks to Refs From the Chief

March 31, 1068 that these bouquets should be Dear Sir: directed to Jessie Hayes and the!

This is a letter to all referees

Many thanks to you all.

We want to thank the Legion thanks. If we have, please, ac-Guides 'Action Sale'

for the world friendship fund. | plan.

eight dollars. The company had Highways and the projects gathered. He turned over the a great deal of fun at the sale which are included within the \$31.76 he collected to the Canand also were pleased to know Halton East Riding. that the money will go to needy girls in the Guide movement all 'THE GOVERNMENT has an-

Bantam Hockey Tour- ers in St. Andrew's United creases include an operating Club of Georgetown you to the church members for the former 75 per cent and a of the apple, while fermented Mylos Cilson John McClements free use of the church buildings. Capital Grants Programme of pear juice is called perry.

Vocational Training Act whom It started last summer when I just let the old dishes pile outlined procedures with regard non-smoker Abner Martin, the up anywhere. Didn't even put to establishing Boards of Re- President of the Elmira Branch them in the sink, In fact, view pertaining to these Acts, of the Canadian Cancer Socie speered at them a couple of 'Amendments were also introd- ty, suggested that real estate times as I walked through the

men who took a week off work ince of Ontario. ership of Gerry Perkins, the binson, Kent Robinson, Mike Governor attended the Legislatorganized and operated the teenagers who manned the tic- from Acton, Hespeler, Milton, which had received Abner was sure bold Tournament, the help received ket booth and the St. John Am- Guelph and to Brian Lewis who third reading never last. Archie never smok- out as much as a by-your-leave we are the first to admit that "assistance without which we expense to help out.

ing and royal ascent will impled

Girl Guides of 7th George- motion of botter beef in Ontario I EXPECT next week to be ground, he took a collection

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And when I went to bed, I

Did I go to bed then. Not on

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