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Will Serve His Church as Viet Nam Missionary

A Georgetown minister and his family will leave for Viet Nam later this year to serve in the mission field in that country.

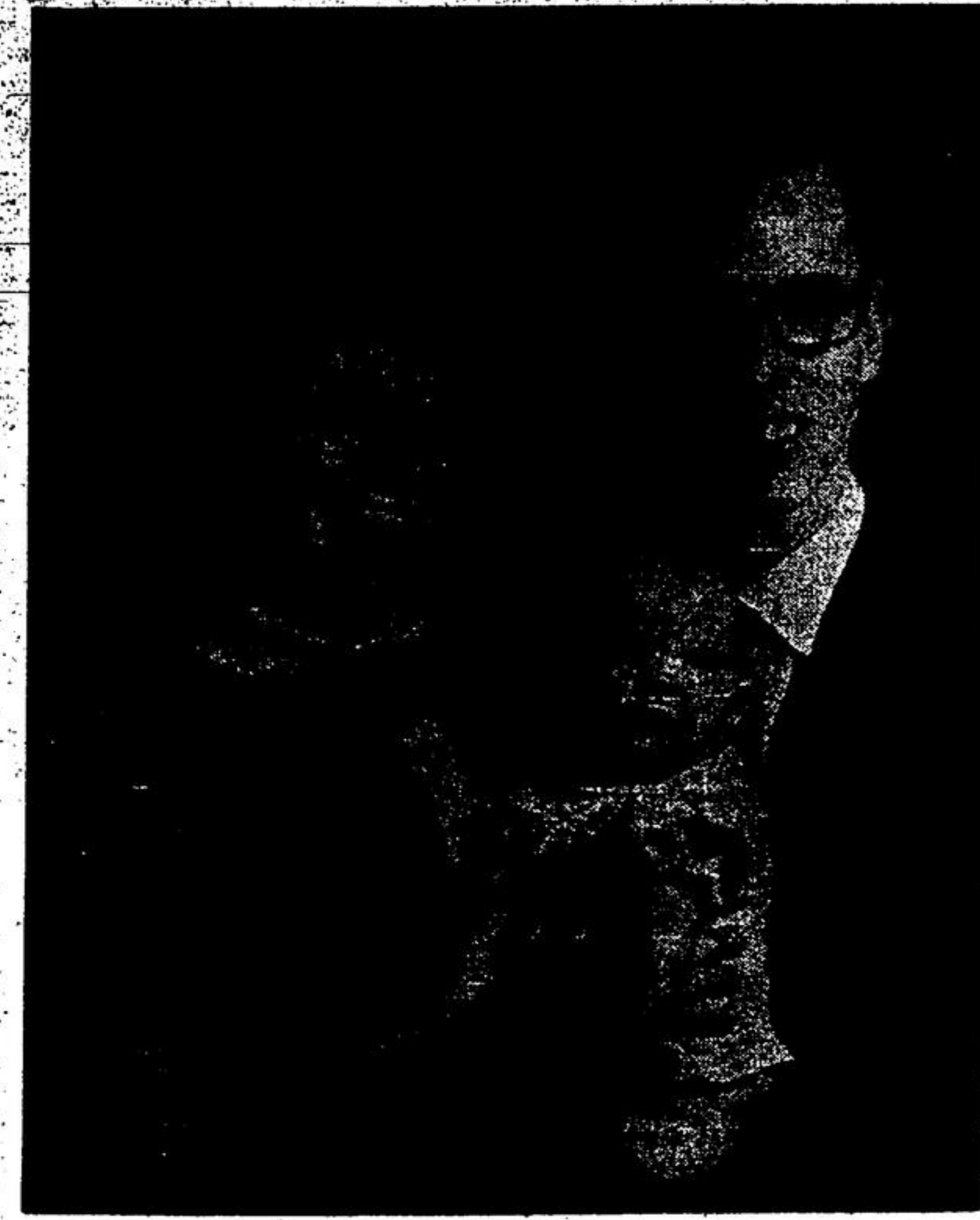
Pastor and Mrs. Paul Collins and Pamela, age six months, of 82 Maple Avenue West will leave in mid-August.

Mr. Collins, who came to Georgetown in October of 1966, established a Christian and Missionary Alliance Church here. He'll terminate the Georgetown ministry May 25.

In Viet Nam he will work with 140 missionaries of the Alliance. The church is well established there and growing.

Mrs. Collins, a registered nurse, worked at the Georgetown & District Memorial Hospital for a number of months.

The new pastor of the Georgetown Alliance Church will be Mr. David Phillips. He will arrive in mid-June.



Pastor and Mrs. Paul Collins and daughter Pamela. To Viet Nam in August

Car-Less City Planned East Of Georgetown

Promote 'New Look' For Downtown Shoppers

Idea which could give Georgetown's downtown shopping area a new look will be presented to businessmen at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

Sandy Mackenzie, Georgetown councillor, and Chamber past president, told attendants at the annual meeting last week that the Chamber is interested in promoting a more attractive commercial area and urged all merchants and building owners to attend the meeting details of which will be announced later.

The restoration expert has worked on similar plans in other communities and has an interesting story to tell, he said.

Another Chamber event, a golf day, is being arranged for the following week by Irwin Noble.

In an election of officers, George Mehm was returned as president of the Chamber for the next year.

WARDEN MARRIES

George Currie, Reeve of Esqueving Township and Warden of Halton County, and Mrs. Doris Hulls of Stewarttown were married in a ceremony in St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Hornby, Saturday.

Rev. Canon J.E. Maxwell officiated.

A wedding breakfast was held at the Mohawk Inn, Campbellville.

Reeve Currie lives at R.R. 2, Georgetown.

Bob Lane and Bob Gougeon are vice presidents Graeme Goebelle secretary and Ray Howson treasurer. Members of the board of directors are Connell Smith, Rex Heslop Jr., Alex Blackwell and Dick Licata.

New Minister For St. Paul Baptists



REV. BILL CAIRNS

St. Paul's Baptist Church on Mountainview Road S. has a new minister, Rev. Bill Cairns.

The church has been operating with student ministers since Rev. William Baxter left this charge some time ago.

A native of Belfast, Ireland, this is Mr. Cairns' second time in Canada. From 1955 to 1960, he was a minister in Yarmouth County, Nova Scotia, then returned to Britain where he was a minister in Birmingham, and also a hospital chaplain.

He is a graduate of the Irish Baptist theological college in Dublin. Mr. and Mrs. Cairns have three children, Janet, age 13, who is a Grade 10 high school student; Peter, 10 and Patricia, 5, who will be attending the School for the Deaf in Milton.

Mr. Cairns is looking forward to his new pastorate here, and is planning an extensive program of pastoral visiting in the St. Paul's area.

Satellite Town of 47,000 People North of Highway 7 Near Norval

Plans for a \$1 billion futuristic satellite city of 47,000 population just east of Georgetown were unveiled Monday night by architect R.P.G. Pennington, at Chinguacousy Council meeting.

The 2,200 acre site — owned by Ar-Jel Developments Limited Weston, — is bounded on the south by Highway 7, near Norval on the north by Sideroad 16, west by the Esqueving Town Line, and east by a line in the centre of the 4th and 5th Lines West.

An additional area to the west adjoining is in Esqueving Township.

Council, in approving the plan in principle, passed the presentation to planning board for its comments before taking further action.

The unique radial core community has been designed by Mr. Pennington to eliminate cars entirely from a central area which will house 25,000 people, schools, theatres and commercial development.

"This will be one of the first real attempts to cut down construction costs," he said.

"Land space needed for parking adds \$1,500 to every property built," he said. "It adds 12 per cent to construction, and 10 per cent to rents."

Golf Cart Transit

Transport within the radial core, which will have a central commercial and civic area, surrounded by medium and high rise high density residential properties, will be by electric golf cart type vehicles covered by plastic bubbles, or by commuter service vehicles — similar to the trains which carry passengers around the CNE — which will pick up and deliver

from all parts of the community.

"The first sod should be turned on this project within two years" said Mr. Pennington. "The first residents should be able to move into the central core six months later."

Just outside the central core will be a green belt to divide the high rise homes from single family dwellings.

Schools will be built adjacent to the greenbelt "allowing" said Mr. Pennington, "every child living in the central area to get to and from school without ever crossing a highway."

Senior citizens will be specially catered for, in an area close to the city's core, close to what Mr. Pennington hopes will be a commuter GO train station on the existing CNR tracks, "so that the senior residents will be able to take an active part in everything that is happening."

A three acre-covered market will be in the central area, as will an arts centre consisting of live and movie theatres.

A golf course and considerable open space is planned to give the residents room in which to relax.

Properties planned will range from townhouses to a luxury home section.

"My clients are ready to go," said Mr. Pennington. "We would like council's permission to start negotiations immediately with township officials and staff."

"In this way we can assure that our thinking is completely co-ordinated with the proposed development of the entire township."

"We will need all the advice, opinions and assistance we can get and our clients are most anxious to proceed immediately with studies and negotiations to result in a stimulating new breed of development in which the Township of Chinguacousy Ontario, and Canada, may be justifiably proud."

Mr. Pennington said his proposals were "not just for the next 10, 15 or 20 years but for a 100 years or more."

"We feel it is impossible for us to project ourselves too far into the future."

EXPLAINS REGIONAL PLAN

Georgetown Will Benefit Greatly, Says McKeough

The annual meeting of Georgetown Chamber of Commerce was particularly well-attended last Wednesday, when the dining room at North Halton Golf & Country Club was full.

The meeting drew a capacity audience to hear about Ontario's plan to amalgamate Halton and Peel counties into a new regional government. The plan, at present, calls for Georgetown, Acton and a portion of Esqueving to become one town, with its own municipal council and one member of a regional council.

They got it first hand from Darcy McKeough, Minister of Municipal Affairs.

How long it will take to inaugurate the Halton-Peel government depends on how readily it is accepted, he said. It has taken seven years in Lincoln-Welland to iron out wrinkles and reach legislation stage. He said he has been misquoted as setting November 1st as a deadline date. Rather, he said that if the plan is to be adopted by 1971, this is the latest date for a proposal to be finalized. If not, it must wait for another year or two.

A municipal system devised 120 years ago is not the most appropriate for today, he said, and the government wants to update this with larger units. In these they seek to retain a sense of community, a balance of interests, while having an adequate financial base.

Georgetown will benefit particularly, he said, because it is the largest growing community in Halton. The natural drainage pattern is towards Peel, and major transportation routes head that way.

The program depends for success on participation of each individual who will live under its jurisdiction, he stressed. Reeves of the two counties have formed a committee which meets with his department for discussions, and to relay the feelings of their municipalities.

The program is tied in with other reforms, he said. Property assessment is being taken over by the province this year. Local taxation is unfair and inefficient

and a change is being studied. Consolidation of small bodies into large is being promoted everywhere — county school boards being a recent example.

Several points were clarified in a question period following

Hope Oxfam Total Will Reach \$110,000 in Walk

John Nash, president of the Oxfam walk committee is hopeful Oxfam will be richer by \$110,000 when local walkers bring in the money they raised two weeks ago.

Before the walk Nash predicted \$100,000 would be the figure but now thinks the total will be closer to \$110,000 because more people participated than he expected.

Final Oxfam statistics show 5,500 people took part in the May 3 walk.

Puppet Show Plays Four Performances at Library

Two hundred enchanted youngsters watched the fascinating antics of witches, knights, and one-eyed rats, in a completely new world of puppet theatre, during the four shows presented Saturday in the Georgetown Public Library.

The spell was cast by a band of roving puppeteers, who double as librarians in every day life, and the whole program and cost is sponsored by the South Central Regional Library System.

The librarians, Moira Cowie, Leon Bell, Anne Anderson, Myrna Pruder, Judy McAnanama and Ida Reddy, from Burlington Hamilton and Dundas, presented the puppet show 'Mother Hutch' and a film and song by guitarist librarian Anne Anderson, about the unfortunate old lady who swallowed a fly.

Youngsters from three to ten, and a few mothers and fathers, sat wide-eyed and open-mouth-

ed, watching the first live entertainment many had seen. Some of the younger ones gradually edged closer and closer obviously wanting to touch these improbable speaking dolls.

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Twenty-nine miles in length, the commuter route would link Georgetown, Brampton, Brantford, Malton and Weston with downtown Toronto. It would also run directly alongside the Woodbine Racetrack and Toronto International Airport.

Items found along the route will be in the hall at that time for the losers to retrieve.

The South Central Regional Library Board devised the touring puppet show to fill two purposes — to entertain the children, and to show the public how a library can be used as another function rather than a book lending library.

"We hope we can encourage library boards to have their own puppet theatre, performed by high school students" said Dundas librarian Mrs. Myrna Pruder.

The show, originally scheduled for the winter vacation time, was washed out on account of plumbing difficulties. As a result of the large turnout then, tickets were issued this time for four separate shows.

Consider GO Train to Link Georgetown, Metro

A feasibility study tabled in the Ontario legislature last week by Honourable George Gomme Minister of Highways included information on a GO train transit route which would link Georgetown with Toronto.

The route would utilize the Canadian National Railways right of way to provide a diagonal access from central Toronto to the northwest Metro outskirts where none exists.

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Their delegations left Toronto for the Budapest, International Fair, May 12. Other such groups leave for Hong Kong, Thailand, Singapore, and Australia May 23; for the International Hospital Equipment Medical Engineering and Services Exhibition in London, England May 29; and for the Barcelona International Samples Fair in Spain also May 29.

At both the Budapest and Barcelona exhibitions, the Province of Ontario will show fairgoers a multi-screen presentation of Ontario scenes, many of which have been taken from the province's academy award winning film "A Place to Stand."

\$3500 Acre Reasonable Today, Says Mayor

"A good deal in this day of high land costs" Mayor 'Steamer' Emmerson, termed the \$3,500 an acre price for the five and a half acres in Moore Park for a public school site at council, Monday.

Council agreed to transfer the right to buy the land at this price to the Halton County Board of education. The price was originally set in 1965, when an agreement was signed with Townwide Investments to proceed with the Moore Park Development, now the agreement, one of the clauses limiting the price to the \$3,500 per acre has been assumed by Wimpey Homes.

Cr. Ern Hyde claimed it was not up to the corporation to buy the land, now that the Halton County Board of Education is in operation, but since land was earmarked for a school site, it was mandatory to give them the right to buy at the same price.

However, as a precautionary measure, the phrase "if the land is not used for school purposes, it must be sold back to the town at the same price" was added to the motion.

"I have an urge to let them know what a good deal we're giving them," commented Cr. H. Levy, "but of course I'm just thinking out loud" he mused.



GIRL OF THE YEAR — This is Mrs. Gail Jackson of 287 Delrex Boulevard. She was chosen Girl of the Year by members of Zeta Alpha Chapter, the Georgetown Division of Beta Sigma Phi sorority for her outstanding contribution to the chapter during the past year. Selection was made by secret ballot. Mrs. Jackson is chairman of the chapter's ways and means committee. Zeta Alpha chapter, which has been in existence less than a year has a membership of 22 and is one of Georgetown's fastest growing organizations.

Bogus 'Tens' Spotted By Two Local Banks

Counterfeit money has turned up in Georgetown banks.

Monday, six bogus \$10 bills were turned over to police by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce branch in the Georgetown Market, and one \$10 bill was discovered at the Commerce's Main Street branch.

Six were in deposits from local businesses, and the seventh in a deposit from an out of town garage.

All bear the serial R over E 3687435.

The counterfeit bills are also distinguishable by the lack of white sparkle dots in the Queen's eyes, the colour of her face is unusual, and the planchettes, those little greenish dots, are printed on ink-On good bills, the planchettes, tiny confetti pressed into the paper, can be scratched off with a pin.

The seven tens have been forwarded to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Program Chairman For Rose Show

L. M. Brown, Georgetown optometrist, was program chairman for the spring meeting of the Canadian Rose Society at Toronto's Civic Garden Centre. Members heard W. J. Keenan, a grower for fifty years, and recently invited to be a judge at the Geneva rose trials. Mr. Keenan has 280 rose bushes in his own garden, and he showed slides of some of his prize winners.