

31 New Teachers Joining Town's Public School Staff

The Georgetown Public Schools teaching staffs will include 31 new faces when school resumes in September. A release from the Halton County Board of Education's North Education Centre at 59 Rexway Drive in Georgetown indicates the staffs will be augmented by 12 first year teachers from elementary teachers' college, 14 experienced teachers from outside the system, and five transfers from within the Halton area.

Thirteen teachers have resigned from Georgetown schools, and two have retired.

First year teachers at George Kennedy will include Miss Sandra Allan, Miss Vickie Lee Beaumont, Geoff Isard, Miss Jill Kemshhead, Miss Heather Ryan, at Centennial, Miss Marsha Wilson, Norbert Gabet, Hugh Graham, Dennis Patrick, at Harrison, Theodore Rympa, Miss Elizabeth Shortill, and at

Park, Miss Marilyn Thomas. New experienced teachers: at Harrison, Fred Allcock; at Centennial, Stanley Cathrae, Jack Gudgeon, Joanne Wellwood; at Chapel Street, Larry Ciglen; at Park, Mrs. Leslie Ann Ciglen, Mrs. Arlene Hipkins; at Wrigglesworth, Mrs. Margaret Elliott and at George Kennedy, Miss Anne Gellatly, Mrs. Ginette McMullen, Mrs. Lois Makovnyk, Mrs. Alice Ogden, Manley Sadler and Mrs. Diane Stuart.

Transfers: Judy Bassett, from Pineview to George Kennedy; Ethel Gardner, from Milton Heights to George Kennedy; Marjorie Elliott, from Stewarttown to Wrigglesworth; Kathy Bowman from Speyside to Wrigglesworth; and Anne Rudy from Stewarttown to Park.

Resigned: Chapel Street, Mrs. Shirley Borland; George Kennedy, Miss Carroll Hopkinson, Mrs. Jean Horton, Miss Verda Kinzie, Mrs. Sandra Morrow,

Rabies Incidence Light in Halton

Although there was a single case of rabies in Halton two weeks ago, rabies incidents are 'very light' in the area at this time of year, says D. W. J. McCabe, head of health in animals services.

The veterinarian said he is called to frequent suspect cases

which don't turn up as being rabies. Rabies cases increase during September and October when foxes start roaming the country. Dr. McCabe said there were no rabies cases in May. His report contrasts sharply with Oxford County where residents were warned Monday to avoid contact with animals after records showed a marked increase in rabies cases in the county.



LACK ONLY VALEDICTORIAN

When some Georgetown kindergarten classes ended their term last week they did so in style. Wearing a mortarboard and holding her 'diploma' little Gail McCosh of Harrison public school is a typical 'graduate' from the first year. Only the absence of a valedictory address separated the kindergarten ceremony from its college counterpart.

IN THE MAIL BAG

Interesting Programs Planned for Freeschool

77 Maple Avenue W., of elementary psychology may be involved.

Dear Sir: Since its inception a few weeks ago, Freeschool has been making steady progress. We would like to spread the word through the Mail Bag section of The Herald that Freeschool will be holding its meetings every Tuesday, commencing July 8 at 7:30 in Room 6c of the Cedarvale Community Centre building.

We are endeavouring to provide Freeschool participants with a varied and interesting programme, in the limited space of eight Tuesdays in July and August. We have chosen four main topics for discussion, each topic to be reviewed on 2 consecutive Tuesdays. The schedule then, appears thus:

Tuesday, July 8, 15 - Communications - an examination of the effects which the modern Mass Media have on the way in which we think and act.

Tuesday, July 22, 29: The Mind Sciences - This course will explore the ways in which thinking patterns are developed from birth onward, chiefly in the educational system; a bit

Tuesday, August 5, 12 - Canadian Society - A look at Canada from diverse points of view, including geography, history, sociology, politics, and contemporary trends in global society.

Tuesday, August 19, 26 - The Arts - This promises to be a very informal session on contemporary trends in art, music, literature, theatre, and so on. Everyone likes to think himself an expert on the arts, and so he may be at this seminar.

The above serves as a small indication of the learning experience available through Freeschool. We hope that enough people in Georgetown are interested in the concept, and will plan to attend at least one of the forums. By supporting Freeschool, you will, in a small way, be helping to pave the way toward changes for the better in our educational system. With the help of the people of Georgetown, Freeschool may become a permanent addition to the local educational scene.

Yours truly,
Tony McAuley

Blasts Council, Lack Action In Safety Recommendations

250 Delrex Blvd. Dear Sir: Almost a year has passed since the formation of the Municipal Safety Committee, shortly after the tragic drowning of a small boy in the flooded excavation on a building site in the East End of town.

At the insistence of Halton Hills Ratepayers Association, Council at that time hurriedly authorized and approved selected volunteers, six in all, to the Safety Committee in an effort, so I believed to calm down irate local residents so shocked by the death of this very small boy. A death that could have been avoided by proper enforcement of the Township bylaws. At that particular time the enforcement of Construction Safety Regulations was and still is the responsibility of Halton County. One man holds the position of Construction-Safety Inspector - therefore it is virtually impossible for him to efficiently police his area, weekly visits to Georgetown are not sufficient particularly with the large amount of residential construction in progress at present.

The Safety Committee has brought forward recommenda-

tions to council that the town engage a full time Safety Inspector, their view being that there is enough money to keep such a person fully occupied, especially if his duties were to include the enforcement of the Construction Safety Act together with the Trench Excavators Protection Act.

This council, like the previous, has somehow let slip the wild promises they made during their election campaigns and have, I must say, turned into truly great politicians. They have become past masters at 'passing the buck' delaying decisions and above all they have lost sight of the fact that they sit in council as representatives of the electorate and should at least hold the safety of the voters next to their heart. But no! They have been too busy voting themselves an increase in salary, pushing up the mill-rate and making themselves a nuisance in general.

What sort of men and lady have we put into office, who value the dollar more than the lives of our children.

I wonder councillors do you ever think about that small boy

Relatives Have Shower for Bob Wrigglesworth, Fiancee

Fifty members of the Wrigglesworth - Giffen clan gathered at the North Trafalgar Recreation Centre on Friday evening, June 27, to honour Robert Wrigglesworth and his bride-to-be, Christina McIntyre with a miscellaneous shower. The hall was decorated with pink and white streamers and wedding bells. Mrs. Wilbert Cleave read two very appropriate readings. The program was followed by a shower of many useful and beautiful gifts. The bride to be was assisted on opening her gifts by Mrs. Peter Forgrave who read the gift cards and Mrs. Susan Scott who placed the gifts on the table. Mrs. Charles Thomson made a lovely bride's hat of a variety of coloured ribbons and bows. The fathers, Mr. James McIntyre and Mr. Ernest Forgrave each gave a speech of good advice. A delicious lunch was served which included a large cake which was beautifully decorated with Robert and Christina inscribed on the top. Following lunch Mrs. McIntyre invited everyone to a Trousseau Tea which will be held on Saturday, July 5. During the evening Mrs. T. A. Leslie was honoured with a lovely gift for her birthday which she celebrated that day. Everyone extended birthday wishes to Marion.

The congregational picnic of Eden United Church was held on Sunday, June 29, at the Hornby park. Rev. Keith Hawkes asked the blessing prior to a delicious picnic lunch. A program of sports prepared by Mrs. Ian Break and Mrs. Garry Hamilton followed. Girls races 6-9, Brenda Bell and Monica Sweeney; boys 6 to 9 Timmy Hawkes and Wayne Cordingley; girls 10-13, Debbie Fries and Dayle Cordingley; girls 14 and over, Laurie Fries; boys 14 and over, Garry Hamilton, ladies shoe kick, Linda Coulson; ladies shoe scramble, Donna Break; Sack race, Dayle Cordingley; men's soda biscuit contest, Rick Rutledge; wheelbarrow race, Debbie Fries and Danny Hawkes; Ladies pie plate contest, Janet Drummond; four legged race, Gwen Rutledge, Mary Hamilton and Laurie Fries; nail drive, Mrs. Lorne Ella; guessing contest, Mrs. Jim Hamilton; watermelon contest, Judy Bell. A peanut scramble and ball game concluded a full afternoon of sports.

On Saturday night at the Flamboro Speedway, Jim Plant of Hornby in his Orange Blossom Special placed first in the third race and seventh in the feature race. Following the races they enjoyed barbecued chicken at the Court Cliff Park at Carlisle prepared by Mr. and Mrs. George Smillie.

Mrs. Rogers of Parry Sound visited for a few days with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Bell of Winston Churchill Blvd.

The general meeting of the Hillcrest United Church women was held on Wednesday evening, June 25, in the church. The president, Mrs. Clifford Wrigglesworth, welcomed the ladies to the meeting which she opened with a poem. Final arrangements were made for 55 children from the Fred Victor Mission to spend a day in the country at local farms on Aug. 7. They will also be treated to a picnic at the Hornby park. The devotional period was in

charge of Mrs. Ward Brownridge and Mrs. John McNabb and was opened with the singing of Hymn 386. Mrs. John McNabb was in charge of the Scripture reading, 1st Corinthians, Chapter 13, Verses 1-12. The motto was given by Mrs. Ward Brownridge and the closing hymn 388 was sung.

The program on literature was in charge of Mrs. Jack Ruddle who read parts of two books called "The Crippled Tree" and the "Immortal Flower" written by Han Suyan. Mrs. Charlie Austin extended a vote of thanks to the program committee. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Austin and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Vern Pickett. Mrs. Lew Sampson read the correspondence. Two weddings were discussed and also the Milk Producers lunch. This will be the final meeting until September. Lunch was served by the Friendship Unit and a social hour enjoyed.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDowell and family in the death of a dear mother and grandmother, Isabelle McDowell, who died on Friday morning, June 27 following several months of illness in the Milton District Hospital. She was the beloved wife of the late Clebert McDowell.

Birthday greetings to the following celebrating their birthdays Mrs. Bill Sparling on July 5; Harry Lee on July 6; Roy Ellis and Sammy Sammit on July 7.

Mrs. Jim Hamilton

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