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Hay Ride, Camp-Out Special Features for Harlem Visitors

Thirty five children from New York's Harlem, are here, spending a fine time during their visit to a Canadian small town. Most have been attending a vacation Bible school at the Georgetown Christian School, on the 7th Line in the mornings. They had an evening of baseball and soccer (an unfamiliar sport to most) one night at the church and adjoining school grounds. And they are looking forward to something new for city children, a hayride, next Tuesday.

Before they leave on the return journey next Thursday, they will attend a Wednesday picnic with their foster families here. Rev. A. J. Vandenberg and his congregation conceived this plan of inter-racial and international goodwill in conjunction with the Manhattan Christian Reformed Church. Some children are from families that are members of the church. Others have been associated with the youth activities at the church. Mrs. Agnes Cunningham, a church school teacher, accompanied them on the bus trip here and stayed a few days to sort out any problems which might arise. There were none,

other than a few slight cases of homesickness, to be expected among young people away from home for the first time. This week-end they will sample real outdoor life when, with their young hosts they will have a camp-out north of Bolton. Most of the visitors are living with town and suburban families, a few on farms. Bible school attendance is not compulsory, and some are seeing other parts of the province on vacation trip with their hosts. The Manhattan church has arranged previous trips to rural areas in the States, but this is a pioneer project in Canada, and for most children, their first trip outside their homeland.

Plan 22 Stores In Moore Plaza

When the Moore Park plaza on Main Street north is completed it will have 22 units and parking space for 220 cars, a spokesman for the builder, Eeron Construction, told the Herald Tuesday.

Phase two, on the south side of the first stage, is currently under construction and should be ready for occupancy within three weeks.

A laundromat, a restaurant and possibly a dress shop are slated to go in some of the vacant space.

Cyclist Hit, Suffers Head Injuries, Bruises

A 12-year-old Ballinsfad boy is in the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto recovering from a head injury suffered when he was knocked from his bicycle by a car Thursday.

Jeffrey Lee Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dear Thompson, R. R. 1 Georgetown, was turning into the driveway of his home at about 8:30 p.m. when the accident happened.

He was taken to Georgetown & District Memorial Hospital by ambulance in an unconscious state, and transferred immediately to Toronto.

He remained unconscious for a day and a half. His injuries include multiple bruises and a cut on his head.

'Special Weeks' Out Is Council Decision

Requested last week to proclaim conservation week, Georgetown council voted this and decided to stick only to such important ones as civic holiday, boxing day and daylight saving time.

"How much good do all these special week proclamations do, I doubt if anyone reads them," commented Cr. Wm. R. Smith.

"You're not far wrong, but they aren't my proclamations," said Mayor Emmerson. "I only do what council decides."

"I must rise in support of the Herald. I'm sure they are read like everything else in the paper," said Deputy Reeve Speight.

Cr. Ern Hyde said that the purpose of proclamations is being lost with so many special weeks being declared, and council agreed that in future only necessary ones would be advertised.

HIGH SCHOOL HAS 6 ONT. SCHOLARS

College Project Becomes Reality in Camping Park

When Bob Crawford of Norval did a study and layout for a camping complex as a project while he was in college at Guelph, he didn't expect that a few years later he would be putting his findings to practical use—but that's what he is doing today.

If all goes well the first stage of a camping park for trailers and tents on the Credit River near Norval's eastern highway entrance will be in operation before the season is out.

Mr. Crawford told the Herald this week of his plans which will eventually see a scenic camp grounds with 80 x 90 campsites, many of them with hydro hookups for cabin trailers.

In his initial year he hopes to be able to offer 25 campsites, ten with hydro and water.

Mr. Crawford has chosen Pine Valley Campsite as the name of the proposed area, construction of which started two weeks ago. Some roads are already in and campsites laid out.

The area is lightly wooded and in the valley though the entrance is built way up the Highway 7 hill on the east side of the village. Campers will drive in an 800 foot long lane to reach the site.

"We plan to stress seclusion and the scenic surroundings," Mr. Crawford told the Herald. The camping spots are larger than those found in most camping parks, and wherever possible the sites have been laid out in such a way as to ensure privacy for the campers.

He expects to start construction soon on a building which will house washrooms, with flush toilets, showers and dryers. There will also be a play area for children with sandbox, swings, etc., and a swimming pool.

A recreation area is also in the plans for the future, says the owner who told the Herald his aim is to build a camping park he would be happy to stay in. As a camper he has, in recent years, been keeping an eye for camp ground features he would like to include in his plans.

As a result he is tailoring his park for the camper who likes privacy, pleasant surroundings, clean and adequate facilities.

Head on Collision No Serious Injury

Drivers and passengers escaped serious injury in a head on collision on the 7th Line of Esquewaug at Stewarttown Friday.

North Halton OPP said Bonnie Cochrane suffered sore knees and Janice Cochrane a bump on her head when cars driven by Linwood Cochrane of 31 Langstone Crescent and Julius Salmon of Oakville hit head on just south of No. 15 Slideroad.

Damage was \$500 to the Cochrane car, \$400 to the Salmon car. The accident happened at 5:20 p.m. and was investigated by OPP Constable

and the knowledge that they won't be bothered by uninvited guests wandering the park after dark. To insure the latter, Mr. Crawford plans to have the front gate locked every night and each camper issued a key.

The area is being developed on six acres of land with room for expansion should it be required—and the way campers are becoming more and more discriminating in their choice of campsites, it probably will.

Students in Halton County who are convicted of drug offences in future will face automatic prison terms, county Judge Alan B. Sprague said in a stern warning from the bench this week.

Judge Sprague was sentencing four youths on charges of possessing and trafficking in drugs.

Three Burlington high school students were each given two-year suspended sentences because this was their first offence, and they had already had a taste of jail while awaiting sentencing.

A Georgetown youth was sentenced to six months determinate and twelve month indeterminate in reformatory. He had a previous drug conviction.

Judge Sprague noted that these were the first cases before this court involving high school students in Halton county.

"The use of drugs," the Judge said, "seems to be the 'in' thing, but the users are not aware of the serious consequences of their conduct, either legally,

Grass Fires July Oddity

Just like the weatherman, the grass fire season has completely disregarded the calendar this year.

During the past week, Georgetown firefighters doused two grass fires and a brush fire, a part of their jobs which usually disappears after a few hectic weeks in the early spring.

Last Wednesday they doused burning grass in the Industrial Park near Sinclair Ave., Sunday it was a grass fire in the area of the old Kentner coal sheds, and Tuesday night a brush fire on the 8th Line north of town.

Friday night, a cooking oil fire damaged a new stove and floor tile and did some smoke damage in the home of Mrs. Aileen King, 32 Normandy Boulevard. Her daughter, Cathryn, alone in the house at the time, smothered out most of the flames and was credited by firemen with preventing a more serious blaze.

Last Wednesday night's siren sent firemen to the corner of Boxway and Guelph where a

Grade Thirteen Grads Include 16 First Class Honours Students

Georgetown District high school has six Ontario scholars this year. For obtaining over 80 per cent in their final year, they each get a government award of \$150.

Douglas Stephens, 64 Prince Charles Drive, was top student with 91.4 per cent, and Mary Pedverse, R. R. 1, had 85.3 per cent.

Others in the awards list — James Henderson, 17 Hewson Crescent, 83.7%; Ronald Dubien, 293 Delrex Blvd., 82%; Linda Carey, 34 Church St., 81.4%.

and Richard Fogal, R. R. 1 — 81.1%.

Another ten students obtained 75% or better for first class honours.

They are Mary Armstrong, R. R. 3; Stephanie Cook, 12 Byron St.; David DeSylva, R. R. 2; Norval; Leslie Hansen, 47 Maple Ave. W.; Karuna Egek, R. R. 3; Christopher Logan, 85 Moore Park Cres.; Jane McNally, 22 Market St.; Mrs. Phyllis Miersma, 11 Tweedle St.; Glen Williams; Terrence Mills, 70 Maple Ave. W., and Ann Marie Quabury, 17 Elizabeth St.

Drug Charge Conviction Means Reformatory Term

Physically, mentally or otherwise found in possession of marijuana.

Judge Sprague said that the students in the county had better "get the message" from these trials that in future sentencing greater stress will be laid on the deterrent factor.

"A prison term awaits those who do not heed this warning," he said.

The Georgetown youth was convicted on two counts of possessing marijuana in Oakville and Georgetown. He pleaded guilty at his trial last month.

He was on probation from a previous drug conviction in Brampton in December.

Shortly after this police found marijuana in his parents' home. The Oakville charge was laid after he and two other youths were stopped in a car and

Suspended Sentence

The two other youths, were each given six months suspended sentences.

The three Nelson High School students before Judge Sprague were all arrested last February after several months of investigation by undercover RCMP officers.

Jail Terms

Crown prosecutor Stanley Dudzic sought jail terms for the three students, noting for the judge that in 1969 there will be more than 4,000 cases under the Narcotics Act across Canada.

He said the judge "must consider the community and the deterrent factor" in passing sentence. The 4,000 cases in 1969, he said is a drastic increase from the 1,500 cases two years ago.

Judge Sprague said the three accused are all students "with their whole career ahead of them." They have no previous records.

Prosecutor Dudzic said outside the courtroom after sentencing he was "very unhappy they weren't put in custody for the summer."

Mrs. Samuel Bonfield Resident Since 1911

A district resident since 1911, Mrs. Samuel Bonfield, 88 died on June 12 in Georgetown hospital.

The former Hester Jane Churchill, she was born in Swanage, England, the daughter of Robert and Alice Gould Churchill. She lived in Huttonville and Glen Williams when she first arrived in Canada, moving to Georgetown in 1913. She was a member of the Baptist church.

Mr. Bonfield died in 1944 and she leaves one son Robert, 145 Main Street North; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Last member of Lher family she was predeceased by two brothers and two sisters.

Rev. L. E. Wilton conducted the funeral service at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home and interment was in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Frank Van Wecck, Steve Eason, Joe Martin, Clarence Spence, William Ritchie

Week-End Camp For 3rd Cub Pack

Cubs from 3rd Georgetown Pack enjoyed a weekend at Wilcox conservation property recently. Their campout is full of fun and such activities as hiking, a scavenger hunt, soccer, water bucket denching plus campfires.

They were visited on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. George Waldrum. The Cubs were accompanied by their Cubmaster Gordon Van Horn assisted by Jim Young and son Peter.

Three cheers went up for cooks Mr. and Mrs. Albert Potter and Mr. McDonald.

IN THIS ISSUE Only names of students who have a 'clear pass' in all subjects are included; students with even only one failure are not included.



New friendships are being struck during the visit of 35 children from Harlem. Kneeling, from left, are Robbie Pitner and Suzie Fournier. Standing behind, from left, Michael McFadden, Cynthia McFadden, Ingrid Smeitink, and Maxine Cole.



Though not compulsory, many of the young visitors from Harlem are attending a vacation Bible school at the Georgetown Christian School. — Adams Photography