76 Fewer House Permits Issued as Building Declines

The number of houses built in million dollars, from a total in town in 1972 dropped to 54 this year from 130 in 1971 and 179 in 1970, according to the year end

building report. The total of all building permits dropped over one

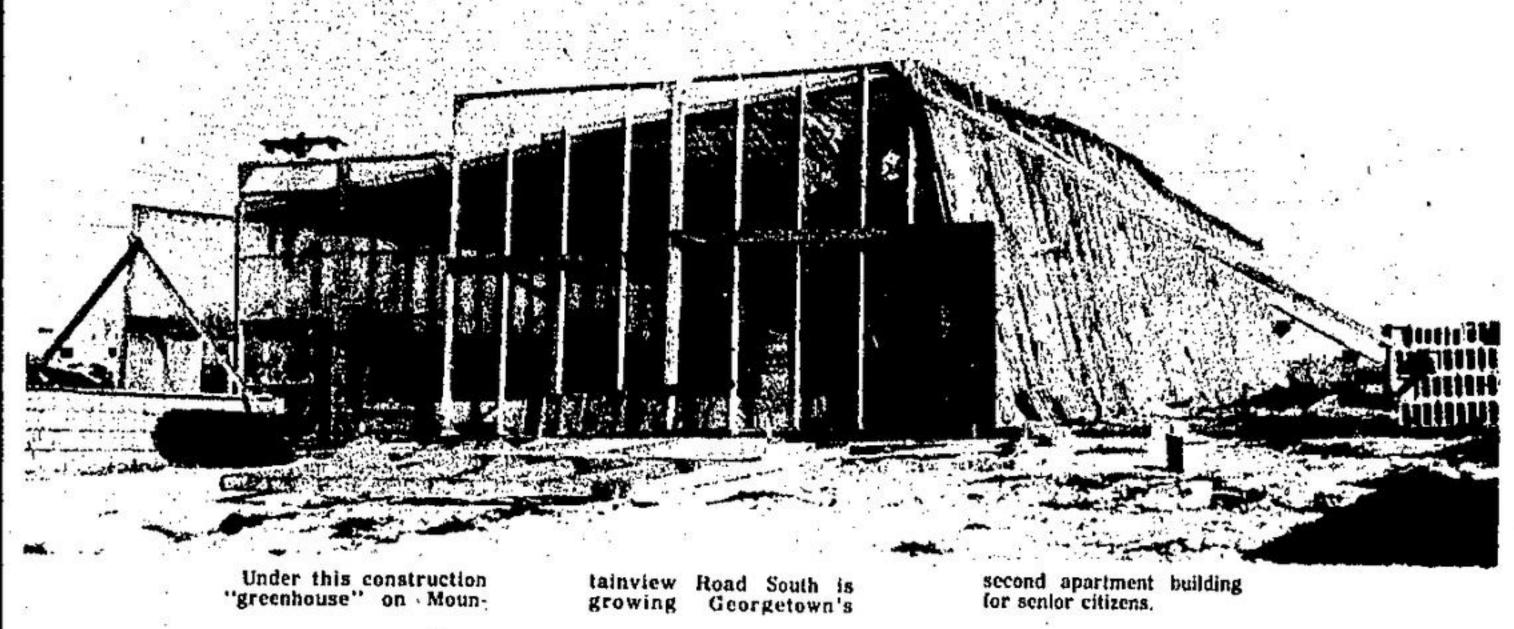
popularity rating of last year, mercial permits declined from increasing by five from 78 in 19 in 1971 to eight in 1972. Their 1971 to 83 in 1972.

1971 of \$5,350.851 to \$4,149,918 in industrial permits rose this year from nine in 1971 to 13 in Swimming pools kept their 1972, but the number of com-

was \$546,850.

mercial permits totalled \$28,900 in permits issued \$1,283,600 while in 1972 the total almost all for alterations. Lot December, always a slow the town were \$29,680.

The number of permits for value was less than half of the month for building, was slower previous year. In 1971 com- than usual this year with only levies for the year collected by



Reviewer Says Alan Powell's New Book is "Mind Blowing"

Attacking Modern Mytha" described by Globe and Mail reviewer as "mind blowing book, deserving to be a best seller", is authored by Alan Powell, 35 Edith Street.

Aian, lecturer in sociology at University of Toronto, and specialist in urban sociology at and mass communication, did a thesis on Georgetown some time ago, in which he discussed Spadina victory started a whole trong neighbourhoods and urban neighbourhoods and urban social services and the urban social services and the new man of power called to be published within a year. Powell.

In Powell's words, "The long, serious book is available in the Book Shop on the new man of power called to be published within a year. The long, serious book is available in the Book Shop on the new man of power called to be published within a year. participate in the community, and how the town has changed to a public transit orientation. over the past 20 years as a result of its proximity to Canadian citizens". He was one and says he is deeply disturbed Toronto.

book "Smalltown, Ontario"

result, he became involved in guided urban politicians.
the "Stop Spadina" battle, and "It looks at old fashloned was chairman of the committee beliefs about urban housing, from 1969 to 1971 when the urban neighbourhoods and

oriented transportation policy town library.

In the last three or four years cording to the author, is an Powell's interests have shifted edited collection of essays on to problems of the city. As a some myths that previously

the way citizens in Georgetown movement away from a car Main Street and in the George-

On the Georgetown scene which led the way for all Powell also has strong opinions, of many behind the reform about the banks being the leaching at University of

Board of Ontario for failing to realize the decentralization of facilities is the only way Main Street can survive, "and the old and the new grow together", he

"The City-Attacking Modern Myths", is sponsored by the University League for Social Reform, which every year focuses on a project of intern-ational importance. The profits will go to the League for next year's project. The last book sponsored by the League was "Close the 49th Parallel".

Alan Powell had been Out of this has grown another sweep in Toronto's elections. leading agents in the destruct. Toronto for seven years, and Shelley St. had a houseful for book "Smalltown, Ontario", "The City Attacking Modern ion of our architectural was one of the first faculty Christmas. Their guests were which will be published within Myths" published by Mc. heritage on Main Street He members at the new February Christmas. Their guests were

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John Pignatell and sons Jack, Gary, Mike and Gerard of 3 Bard Lane had as Christmas and New Years visitors their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips of Uranium City, North Saskatchewan and Mr. and Mrs. R. Phillips Sr. of Toronto. Phillips Sr. of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rayner, of 29 Irwin Crescent unexpectedly met their old friends, Captain and Mrs. Peter Warkinton and daughter Gloria in church on Christmas eve. So they all returned to the Rayner home afterwards for a short visit. The Warkintons are now stationed at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Barry Reed of Elmira, her sister Iona Reed of Sudbury, her brother Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed and family of Georgetown and her other brother Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Reed and family, also of Georgetown. Also they had their son Howle and his new wife Pat Walker of Georgetown and daughter and son-in-law Vince and Arlene Hugli of **Burlington and Dorothy Simons** from Bermuda.

Lions Bring Sons, Daughters To Hear Police Constable

Members of the Georgetown Lion's Club brought their sons and daughters to the first dinner meeting of the New Year, Tuesday, January 2, at the King Wah Restaurant.

Constable At McQueen of the Georgetown Police Dept. spoke to the meeting on the topic of "The Law and You". He stated that "we live in a free country, providing no one infringes on the rights of others." He also quoted a judge who once said "any person can swing their fist freely, till it comes in contact with another person's nose, and

then it becomes an assault." Constable McQueen went on to say, "a younger person's prank can lead to disaster and this sometimes means another person's death - turn in a false alarm and the fire dept. may be that much longer in getting to a fire. The constable also spoke on the two kinds of law, civil and criminal both resulting in trials and possible im-

prisonment. The talk was followed by a movie on drugs and how they affect the brain and body. The film is narrated by Sony Bono of the Sony and Cher Comedy Hour. Groups who have not seen this film and wish to do so. may consult Constable Al McQueen at the Georgetown Police Dept.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Price, 4 Upland Court, and daughter Katherine had as Christmas weekend visitors at their home her sister Agnes Murray of Montreal and her friend Philip Sullivan also of Montreal.

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Holiday Visitors Here and There

Mrs. Robert Martin o. 10 Churchill Crescent spent Christmas Day visiting her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Martin and children Patricia, Lisa and Daniel of 53 Sargent

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McAusland of 17 Norton Cres. were visited at home on Christmas Day by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson and daughter Angela and Mrs. Edward Patterson Senior. For New Years Eve the McAuslands went to Gore Township to spend the evening at a party at Mr. and Mrs. John Keerie's home. On January fifth they received a visit from Mr. McBain and his mother Mrs. McBain enroute from Detroit to their home in Scotland. A party was held in their honour that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Me-Cormick and family of 68 McIntyre Crescent were visited at home for the Christmas weekend by his sister Mrs. Jean Stole of Marmora, On Christmas Day Mrs. Stole's son and family Mr. and Mrs. Doug Stole and family of Cooksville also visited. On Boxing Day they all attended an open house party at Mr. McCormick's brother Mr. Wilbert McCormick at Camphells Crescent,

Mr. and Mrs. Ken DeRose, 1 Margaret St. welcomed their daughter and son-in-law the David Reids and grandchild Deborah from town, his mother Mrs. DeRose from Toronto, also son Gerry and his wife Terri from Toronto for Christmas celebrations.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian McCorry and daughters Kelly and Julie of 17 Prince Charles Drive went to Lefroy to visit her brother Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter and family for Christmas Day. Also visiting the Porters were Mrs. McCorry's father Mr. T. Porter and sister Cathy of Port Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Majuery and children-Marty and Angela of 41 Ontario spent Christmas Day with her parents Mr. and Bill Martin Cheltenham. Later they visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Larry Majuery Senior of Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hill, 10 McNabb, had a happy Christmas Day with their son Bob, wife Nancy and their children Brenda, Lynda and Darrin in Oakville. Bob and Nancy and the family were here with their parents for New Years. Mrs. Mildred McDonald of Montreal was also a welcome

Mr. and Mrs. James Mills and children Kathryn, Howard, Robert and Tonl Lynn of 230 Mountainview entertained at home on Christmas Day. Their guests included her mother Mrs. A. Bushby of Ajax, her aunt Miss Jessie Day of Ajax, her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Daly and family of Scarborough, Reverand and Mrs. John Bushby and family of

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGrath and children Michael, Cathy, Tom, Paul, Gerard, Margaret and Barbara of 17 Irwin Crescent had as guests at their home on Christmas Day, her sister Mr. and Mrs. B. Stolte and family of Scarborough and her mother Mrs. E. Anderson of Toronto. On December the 30th a family reunion was held in Toronto at the home of Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs Michael Mooney and sons John Patrick and Michael Francis of 85 Irwin Crescent had as guests over the Christmas weekend her mother Mrs. Vi Patrick and his parents Mr. and Mrs M F Monney all of Kitchener. On New Years weekend the Mooneys visited Mrs. Patrick Il Kitchener.

Mrs. R. Partington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawrence of 34 John St. W. were very happy to be visited by her sister Debbie Burns of Camp Borden and her older sister Sharon Burns and her boyfriend Al Katzburg of Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Rainbar and children Steven and Janet of 7 Irwin Crescent went to visit her mother Mrs. Bernice Bradley of Unionville for a family Christmas dinner.

of 18 Prince Charles Dr. were happy to welcome their daughter Sharon home for the holidays from Glenn Miller where she is a teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Preston

Preston Jr. of 94 Confederation St., Glen Williams, spent Christmas eve at home with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Preston and family from Kitchener and their daughter Susan Preston from Brampton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Peer and children Danny and Penny of 42 hagan Drive has dinner at the . Town and Country in Toronto with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Peer Sr. and his sister. Mr. and Mrs. R. Frazer and family on Christmas day.



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