### PM, McTeer dominate campaign week

By MICHAEL HOLLETT Herald editor

A visit by Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau as well as another by the Conservative Party leader's wife, Maureen McTeer highlighted week three of the federal election in the Brampton-Georgetown riding which saw candidates working with an abbreviated campaign period because of the Easter holidays.

The Prime Minister addressed a noon hour rally Thursday at Brampton's Shoppers' World plaza on behalf of the

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local Liberal hopeful, incumbent MP Ross Milne, (See story page 181.

FANTASTIC CHEMISTRY Mr. Milne described the meeting as "fantastie, the

chemistry was great."

He said his only regret about the meeting is that there was not a bigger hall for the event so all those wishing to see, as well as hear the Prime Minister could have got in the auditorium. As a result, the PM's speech was piped outside of the hall to the overflow crowd on loudspeakers.

Over 200 people attended a Wednesday luncheon at a Brampton restaurant to hear Joe Clark's wife, Maureen McTeer speak on behalf of local Conservative candidate John McDermid.

Ms. McTeer spoke for about five minutes, urging those in attendance to support Mr. McDermid and join in his campaign. She then circulated through the crowd introducing herself, talking and shaking bands.

Mr. McDermid said the crowd was obviously impressed with Ms. McTeer and the Conservatives signed up a few workers with her speech. He said Ms. McTeer has accepted his invitation to speak at a similar function in Georgetown it's now just a matter of scheduling that will determine whether she will attend.

MOULTON IN GEAR

Brampton-Georgetown NDP candidate Dave Moulton finally got into the campaign full force as his leave of absence from his fulltime job began this week. One of his first acts as a fulltime campaigner was to distribute NDP literature at the Trudeau rally in Brampt-

Mr. Moulton also 'unofficially' opened his Georgetown committee room at 52 Main St. S. While the office is still being set up, Mr. Moulton's supporters will be staffing the office from 10 am until sometime in the evening weeknights. The committee room phone number is 877-5159.

PC candidate officially opened his Georgetown committee

School.

12:30 p.m.

expected to attend.



MAUREEN McTEER ATTENDS LUNCHEON

Brampton-Georgetown Conservative hopeful John McDermid (left) was joined by party leader Joe Clark's wife, Maureen McTeer at a campaign luncheon last Wednesday in Brampton.

About 200 people attended the noon-hour get-together and heard Ms. McTeer speak.

room which is actually a trailer, Monday in the parking lot of the soon to be opened Georgetown mall, beside the Alcott arena.

Mr. McDermid delivered a brief anti-Trudeau speech to the 20 Tory faithful assembled for the headquarters' grand opening and threw in a few words of encouragement to his workers.

OUST REGIME Mr. McDermid said his part is dedicated to "good government and ousting a regime that has been there too long.

"Another four years of Trudeau would be disastrous for Canada", he said.

Mr. McDermid spent the most of Monday and canvassing in Georgetown and Norval areas. He said that wherever he canvasses, voters are solidly anti-Trudeau, supporting either the PCs, the NDP or remaining undecided in the election.

He will not be back in this area again until next week. He

plans to spent approximately one day in seven campaigning in the Georgetown area.

Besides the Prime Minister's visit, last week was a relatively slow campaign week for Liberal Ross Milne. Like all three major candidates, he look Friday and Sunday off because of the Easter holiday. The incumbent MP's Saturday morning was tied up with constituency work and he spent the rest of the day campaigning in the Georgetown area.

THREE VISITS Mr. Milne will be back in Georgetown three times this week as he has evening canvasses planned for Wednesday and Thursday and, he also plans to spend all day Saturday campaigning in town.

Yesterday, NDP candidate Moulton canvassed the rural areas surrounding Georgetown with the help of wellknown local agriculturalist Morley Mills.

Mr. Moulton will be back in Georgetown Friday campaign-

ing at the GO station as well as canvassing local homes throughout the day.

Generally, Mr. Moulton says he plans to spend most Tuesdays and Fridays campaigning in the Georgetown area throughout the election. He will also be making himself available to voters in his Georgetown committee room,

WAS ENCOURAGED

Mr. Moulton said he is encouraged by the campaign so far, especially by the numbers of disgrunted Liberals and Conservatives that have been volunteering to help the NDP campaign.

Mr. Moulton said his campaign will be helped by the committee support of the Brampton and District Labor Congress. The local labor congress will supply the NDP campaign with a list of local union members so that they may be canvassed.

Communist party candidate Jim Bridgewood said he will begin door-to-door campaigning this week.

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candidates for the federal Brampton-Georgetown seat are

should catch a special all-candidates meeting being held at

GDHS during the daytime which is primarily for students. That meeting will be held on April 25 and will run from 10 am until

Georgetown voters will get a chance to hear the candidates

The meeting is sponsored by the local Jaycees and all

Voters who want an earlier look at the political hopefuls

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