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Apple Auto Glass

Let the sun shine in, says Derek

ALMOST TIME-It is nearly the time to make use of your sunroof or to have one installed. If you want a sunroof consider visiting Apple Auto Glass at 360 Guelph Street in

Georgetown. Seen here is the owner and operator of Apple Auto Glass, Derek Hazelwood, who says his company carries only the best products. Sunroofs are guaranteed for life. (Herald photo)

Derek Hazelwood is concerned about the customers of Apple Auto Glass -- so much that he lives just blocks from his business at 360 Guelph St. in Georgetown.

Mr. Hazelwood has owned Apple Auto Glass for two years. Although the shop keeps regular hours, Mr. Hazelwood and Paul Philpott, the assistant manager, are available day and night for service. Their mobile service is free.

In the two years Apple Auto Glass has been open 80 per cent of their clients are repeat customers. "Most of our work comes from referrals of another customer or another business in town," Mr. Hazelwood said.

Apple Auto Glass specializes in autoglass and upholstery. They also install sun roofs, brake lights and carry a range of van accessories. Brake lights and sunroofs are guaranteed for life, Mr. Hazelwood said.

Friendliness and a quality product are stressed at Apple Auto Glass. That means carrying the best product possible and stressing friendliness. "I felt I could provide personal and friendly service that could not be found elsewhere," Mr. Hazelwood said.

Staff members at Apple Auto Glass have a good relationship with insurance companies. They main-

tain that relationship by keeping their prices and policies in line with those of insurance companies, Mr. Hazelwood said.

"We recommend that our customers phone their insurance agent before getting work done on

their car," he added. If there is a problem with an insurance company or a customer needs information on applying for a claim, the staff at Apple Auto Glass are committed to help.

Derek Hazelwood is committed to

his business, a business he plans to keep in Georgetown a long time. And at age 22 Mr. Hazelwood could be in Georgetown a very long time. He has already been in the auto glass business for seven years. It is a business "I was raised in," he said.

Entrance gate to Expo '86 made here

The P.G. Bell plant of Westeel Building Products, a Division of Jancoek Limited, has been located in Georgetown since the 1950's. Westeel acquired P.G. Bell in 1959. The plant has grown from an initial size of 10,000 sq. ft. to more than 60,000 sq. ft. The latest addition was completed in 1984 at a cost of \$1.5 million. It encompassed factory and office expansions as well as the complete re-cladding of the exterior of the facility. The cladding show cases two of the Westeel family of products: pre-painted roll formed siding and architectural porcelain.

manufacturing, drafting and promotion of architectural porcelain.

The strength of P.G. Bell's product line is witnessed by fourfold growth in sales volume since 1980. Indeed, during the recession, P.G. Bell was growing steadily. Its growth is assured by the caliber of the employees and their willingness to tackle new and different building projects.

Sealing buildings cuts energy costs

John Weir is the type of man who can keep you warm.

The owner of InsulSearch Limited in Georgetown, Mr. Weir specializes in the sealing of buildings to save energy.

From their headquarters on Mill Street in Georgetown, InsulSearch staff go anywhere to meet their client's needs. They pride themselves in finding energy saving solutions to both simple and complex problems.

Their duties include the air sealing of primarily industrial and commercial buildings. Some of the work they have done on buildings includes: George Kennedy Public School, Standard Products Ltd., Capital Ford and MeadowGlen Mushrooms and many others.

The firm also has found a unique way to insulate and seal log homes. They are specialists in urethane spray systems, caulking and weather-stripping. "We do anything related to tightening up buildings to make them more energy efficient," says Mr. Weir.

InsulSearch also insulates vans and their process indirectly controls rust and squeaking, says Mr. Weir.

The owner also does energy audits on buildings to assess where a firm may be losing money on heat loss.

The recent glut of world oil is creating a false sense of security in people, said Mr. Weir.

He is concerned that people won't be switching over to more energy efficient means while the price of fuel drops.

In ten years Mr. Weir predicts there will be an energy shortage and there will not be enough qualified businesses left to properly insulate and protect buildings from heat loss.

His company has developed a specialized system of insulation for businesses who require storage of perishables. Special material is layered from the floor to the roof.

"I find Georgetown a friendly and good place to do business and a good base from which to operate," Mr. Weir said. "Our location is close to airports and yet we're not lost in a big metropolitan atmosphere."

Mr. Weir is married with two sons. His hobby is photography (both underwater and on land). He was educated at Upper Canada College and at Trent University in Peterborough.

Grocery stores like their awnings

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Featured also are complete thermo broken solariums with tempered curved glass, insulated shading and 100 per cent leak proof design which are considered the home addition of the 80s.

A new addition to the company for the past few years is awnings.

The company does a large variety of awnings ranging from small window awnings which are retractable as well as permanent ones, to the popular patio awnings which range in size from 9'6" x 8' to 50' x 10'. They are also retractable with no poles and are self storing for winter months. They allow you to enjoy a more exciting and healthful outdoor living, protected from the direct sun and weather. The company does commercial awnings also, for example, all types of store awnings, factory and fruit market awnings.

These awnings are made from extruded anodized aluminum in reinforced section, die-cast aluminum and stainless steel hardware throughout. The fabric is a polyacrylic fibre and is guaranteed against fading, rotting, and shrinking.

Presently the company is expanding to Brampton at 25 Van Kirk Drive, Unit 2, where the new offices and show room will be. The company employs approximately seven people in the winter months to ten or eleven throughout the summer.

The company is involved with a large variety of shows like The Metro and National Home Show, The Pool and Patio Show and other similar shows, where they encourage all Halton residents to attend and stop by their booth to say Hi.

The business is family owned and run and the owners look forward to the opportunity to treat customers like one of the family.

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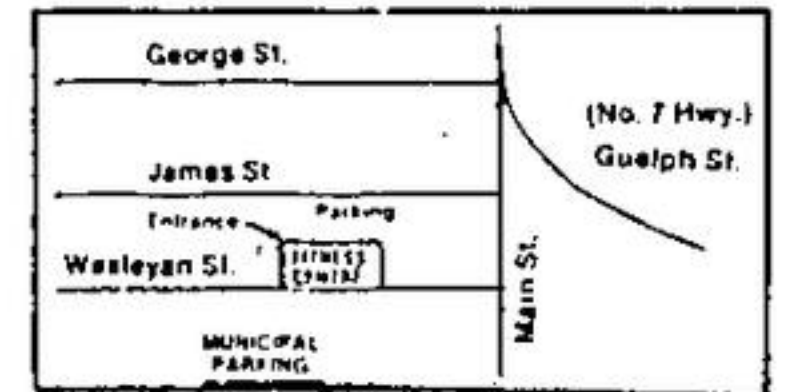
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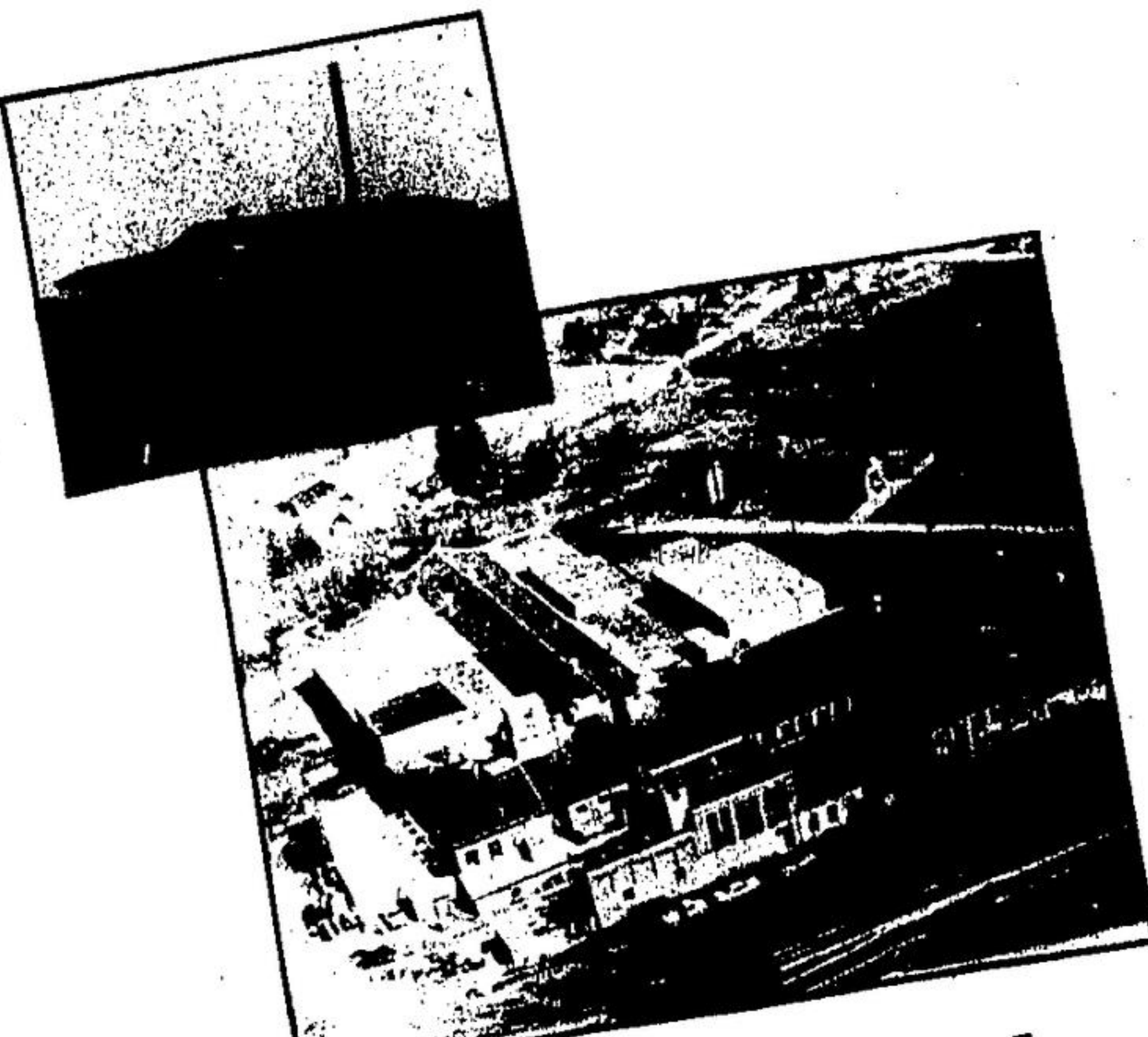
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