



BUILDING PERMITS IN EAST KILDONAN REACH NEAR MILLION MARK

The construction of new homes and a school in East Kildonan in the first six months of 1949 almost reached the \$1,000,000 mark. J. W. Battershill, municipal engineer, announced Tuesday. This is just double the previous high set during the same period last year.

The construction from the first of the year to June 30 consisted of 149 residences and the new school for the Parish of St. Alphonsus. The total value amounts to \$914,250. This more than doubles last year's January to June

St. Alphonsus Parish Building \$60,000 School

Construction of a new six-room school for St. Alphonsus Parish was started this week. The building, which will measure 56x88 feet, will be erected at 345 Munroe ave., between Roch and Brazier. Besides the classrooms there will be an office and library.

It will be built on concrete piers, and will be solid brick. The building will be hot water heated. It is planned to have the new school occupied in the fall.

The cost of the two-storey building will approximate \$60,800.

The contractors are Peter Letch Construction Ltd. and the architects Green, Blankstein, Russell and Associates.

TO CRACK DOWN ON SIDEWALK RIDERS IN EAST KILDONAN

Bicycle riding on sidewalks in East Kildonan is going to be curbed.

At the regular meeting Monday night council instructed the police to check bicycle riding on the sidewalks, as it was considered menace to public safety.

The decision was made as result of two accidents within the municipality recently, and brought to the attention of the meeting by Councillor Suttie. He stated child on Greene ave. had been "caught behind the ear" by the handlebar of a speeding sidewalk rider, and the other accident took place on the highway. He contended that many cyclists appeared to have no discretion about speed

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