

GEORGES CHINESE RESTAURANT:::47 WALNUT ST. FORT ERIE.

WILLIAM GEE(GEORGE) worked as a waiter in Skippy's Paradise Grill on Jarvis St. for a total of 6 years. His grandfather Chin Gian Wah worked in the kitchen. George leased the dinning room of the King Edward Hotel for two summers.

1950;;;

George purchased a lot on Walnut st. opposite the Peace bridge and built Georges Good Food Rest. When george died his grandfather took over then his nephews.

In 1979: an addit ion was made above the old Rest. to be used for living quarters.

1982; A One story modern addtion was added to the east side of the original rest, a good distance back from the roadway to provide parking in front. This went by the name of the JADE Room.

1994-1995;

The Peace Bridge Authority began it's plans for the construction of a truck holding area on the Canadian side of the bridge to speed up traffic. Eventually the remaing homes were sold on the foot of Walnut and from Archang the street became one way , west from Niagara St.

They intended to make Walnut St. completely one way. With the building of the new Peace Bridge Brokerage building on lwer Queen St. and the're routing of the truck traffic off the bridge up Walnut, it made it almost impossible for motorists to reach the restaurant, eventually cutting off customers. In Aug. of 1995 the P.B.A. finally purchased the Rest and it closed on Aug. 16th. 1995.