



MARRIED 50 YEARS, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jordan, 228 McDonald Boulevard, celebrated the occasion Saturday afternoon in Luxton Memorial Hall with their family. The happy couple are pictured cutting their anniversary cake.

Golden Wedding Anniversary For Mr. & Mrs. Hubert Jordan

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jordan, Acton, were the honored guests Saturday at a family dinner in St. Alban's Hall when they observed their 50th anniversary.

The former Laurina Ritchie of Luther Township, Ontario, and Hubert Jordan of Goodwater, Saskatchewan, were married February 23 in Arthur and spent the first 21 years of their married life farming in Saskatchewan.

In 1937, the couple came to Ontario and farmed around the Dundalk area before coming to Acton in 1942. Mr. Jordan worked for Beardmore and Co. from that time until his retirement in 1959.

During the family dinner at the Parish Hall, Mayor Les Duby and clerk-administrator J. McGeachie presented the couple with a golden ten service on behalf of the town. Halton M.P.P. George Kerr visited the couple at their home and presented them with a

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to say in French the words that came to mind.

The board heard a copy of a letter sent by Milton library board chairman Robert McKay, protesting the lack of elected representation from North Halton on the South Central Regional Library Co-operative.

Present were chairmen Lee, Mr. Copeland, Mr. McMurray, Mr. Pratt and Fred New, absent were Mayor Duby and Mrs. Franklin.

OBITUARY

George Harwood, 100 Was Born in Ireland

Centenarian George Harwood, who was born in Bellast, Ireland in 1866 died suddenly at Hamilton February 27 at 100 years of age. His 101st birthday would have been observed this Sunday.

He came to Canada at the age of two in 1868 and attended schools at Eden Mills and Sodom. He married the former Susanna McLeod at Sodom in 1892 and she predeceased him.

He was the owner of a transport business. Mr. Harwood had also worked as a foreman for Otis Elevator company with a repair group for 12 years and Leitch and Turnbull Elevator Works. Before moving to Hamilton he worked for a while at the former Johnstone Funeral Home in Acton. He was active in sports playing ball for Guelph and Fergus and was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the I.O.O.F.

He was the son of the late Moses and Annie Harwood. Besides his wife he was predeceased by two sisters Mary McLeod and Annie Hewitson and two brothers William and Robert. Also predeceased him were three sons Neil, Les and John. Left to mourn his loss is a daughter Annie Beatrice (Mrs. Frans Shaidle).

Funeral service was conducted Tuesday, March 1 by Rev. A. H. McKenzie at the Rumley-Shoemaker Funeral Home with interment in Fairview Cemetery. Pallbearers were grandchildren Frank W. Shaidle, George Leo Shaidle, Kenneth Harwood and Knox McCool all of Hamilton.

CYCLIST INJURED

Ronald Ervin Newell of R. R. 3, Milton, suffered facial cuts in a motorcycle accident Sunday afternoon in the Kelso Conservation Area near Milton Heights. Milton O.P.P. investigated and reported the motorcycle went out of control, throwing the rider off. The bike was undamaged.

Busy, Enjoyable Year

Senior Citizens Not Idle Citizens Second Annual Club Report Indicates

The second annual report of the Acton Golden Age Club, a concise report for the past year from March 1, 1965 to February 17, 1966, is respectfully submitted by Mrs. Donald Reed.

March 4: The new officers took office. There were 24 regular meetings and four executive meetings held during the year.

March 16: A busload and some curioards went to Guelph and were well entertained at a St. Patrick's party by Guelph Golden Age Club.

April 8: A busload went to Georgetown and were well entertained there.

April 15: Acton Golden Age Club of Senior Citizens voted to affiliate with the United Senior Citizens of Ontario, Inc. The Fair Board lady directors entertained with a skit and some of our members put on a parade of Easter bunnies.

May 20: A committee was appointed to see about shuffleboard at the arena.

June 4: Free tickets to the Lions "Acton Round Up" were given out. The Rotary Club provided necessary transportation to this wonderful show.

June 9: Almost a full busload of members went to the zone 13 picnic at Brampton. A few members also attended a picnic at Milton with their senior citizens.

June 24: A bus trip to Niagara was enjoyed.

July 26: The club enjoyed a picnic at W. M. McDonald's.

August 19: A committee was appointed to decorate a float for entering in Acton Fall Fair. Mr. Davidson donated the use of his tractor and wagon. The float won first prize of \$15 at the fair.

September 4: The ladies held a successful bake sale in Simpsons-Sears order office.

October 21: Thirty members of Georgetown Senior Citizens' Club met with us for an enjoyable evening, even though the meeting had to be held upstairs without the piano on account of dampness in the basement following continuous rains.

November 14: We accepted the invitation to join with the Baptist church for evening worship. We enjoyed their delicious lunch after the service.

November 24: A busload attended the zone rally in Streetsville. Some members gave numbers to ward the program. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson were representatives at a centennial projects meeting.

December 16: We partook of a Christmas turkey dinner prepared by the ladies. The men helped with the tables and decorations and helped serve and clear up afterwards. A program followed. No business was conducted.

January 6: Between 60 and 70

members of Guelph Golden Age Club joined with us and put on part of the program. No business was conducted.

January 20: Some of the ladies put on a very well received play. A beautiful quilt made by the quilt committee was on display and tickets on it were given out to sell for the draw to be held on it at a later date.

During the year, two small draws had been held — one for a felt bag and one for a pair of pillowcases. These had been made by the members who had donated them — and won by club members.

Special Occasions

Throughout the year one couple had celebrated their Diamond Wedding Anniversary, and three couples had celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversaries, including the president and his wife. These were all given flowers or plants from the club.

Two members had passed on to their reward. Their immediate families were sent tributes of plants.

Many of our members spent periods in various hospitals, or

Several Showers For Bride-to-Be

Mrs. Harvey Patterson (nee Lorraine Bennett) was entertained on several occasions before her marriage.

Miss Jan Spanelli and other nurse classmates gave her a miscellaneous shower. Games were played and the bride received many lovely gifts, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Beautiful gifts were presented to Lorraine at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Ernie Gray of Acton. Following a few games, the guests were served a lovely lunch by the aunts-to-be.

The "kitchen" was the theme for a shower given by Mrs. Russell Patterson of Acton. Miss Carol Patterson had a few games. Assisted by her bridesmaid, Lorraine opened many lovely gifts.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Doug Hendsbee, of Milton, gave a miscellaneous shower in her home. Many beautiful gifts were received by Lorraine. Following the entertainment, lunch was served.

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Name Chaplain At U. of Guelph

Rev. Ritchie McMurray has been appointed by the Bishop of the Diocese as chaplain to Anglicans at the University of Guelph. The appointment became effective January 1.

The part-time appointment includes running programs, counselling, conducting some services and acting as advisor to the existing students' organization, the Canterbury Club. He is chaplain to Anglican members of the staff as well as students.

Because of the rapid growth of the university, different denominations have been pressed to administer to their own members on the campus. Rev. William Young acted as university chaplain for many years and is still there, full-time. There is now a full-time Roman Catholic clergyman and a part-time Lutheran, as well as Mr. McMurray.

McMaster University has had a full-time Anglican clergyman for the past four years, Mr. McMurray points out.

Sniff, Sniff — Spring?

A venturesome groundhog was out sniffing for spring one day last week, and Mrs. Clarence Cole phoned the Free Press to ask our readers could add their hopes to the groundhog's!

The ministers in Halton were all asked to encourage the members of their parishes to avail themselves of the opportunity to have TB tests and X-rays. Early detection of the disease is important.

IN MEMORIAM CARDS

In reply to many requests, The Canadian Cancer Society has made available "In Memoriam Cards" which may be used at the time of a bereavement.

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OMSHIP INFO

Informational pamphlets explaining details of the scope and benefits of the Ontario Medical Services Insurance Plan, together with application forms, are now available at the local branches of the chartered banks and throughout Ontario.

Under the Plan approved by the Ontario Legislature last week, a standard medical insurance contract will be available to residents of the Province regardless of their age, present state of health or financial means.

Arthritis research in Canada is an integral part of the world-wide movement to conquer arthritis.

Weekend Retreat

A retreat for the men of this diocese is being conducted Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Canterbury Hills, Ancaster, by the Rev. Ritchie McMurray of St. Alban's. The retreat is a period of rest, study, reflection and prayer, with emphasis on relaxing from the turmoil of everyday life.

The Rev. Loughton Binns will be taking services Sunday morning at St. Alban's.

Erin high school curlers came to Acton Monday after school to play Acton curlers at the arena. Erin won.

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