THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

WEDNESDAY EVE'G, DEC. 27, 1916

## HONOR TO OUR IMMORTAL DEAD

Not ours, O Lord, but Thine the power
And glory of a world-wide State;
Prone in this dark and solemn hour
To Thee, who made our Empire great,
A people bow, before Thy shrine,
We pray—Forgive and keep us free,
Be with our sons in battle-line,
Defend our sailors on the sea.

And those, O Lord, the Younger Sons
Of ancient Britain's warlike race,
Who heard the thunder of the guns,
Nor paused, nor feared the death to face;

And those, the loyal, dark-skinned sons—
Whose hearts are white—for all we prize—
Who fought beside the Younger Sons
And held the heights that awful day.

Brave were our sires, and stout of heart,
Who won for Britain pride of place,
And nobly builded, part by part,
The wondrous fabric of our race;
Our mighty dead, the dauntless men—
Bred free beside the Northern Sea—
Great-hearted ones from dale and fen,
Who died to keep our Empire free.

And brave their sons, from strange, far lands,
'Neath flaming Cross and snow clad heights,
The splendid, stalwart, patriot bands
Who for her sake swept to the fight;
Who stormed the cliffs that fateful day,
And won for us a Deathless Fame,
And quelled not 'mid the bloody fray,
But dared-and-died for England's name.

Honor and honor! Honor give
To all the daring souls who fell,
Who fought and died that we might live
Who charged the very gates of Hell!
They rest where rolls the Aegean wave,
Until the final Trump shall peal,
In alien soil and wind-swept grave,
The young, the proud, the brave, the leal!

Call of the sea and moaning wind,
Lights shrouded in the dark of night,
Christ keep the men we left behind,
Who perished in the long-drawn fight.
Honor and honor. Honor all
Who fell—the Empire Flag o'erhead—
Who stormed the heights at Country's call,
Honor to our Immortal Dead!

Walter D White, in Sidney Herald.

## BY-LAW

No. 400.

To take a vote of the ratepayers of the Village of Georgetown entitled to vote on money by-laws on a question to be submitted whether the said ratepayers are in favor of having the municipality develop or acquire through the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, whatever works may be required for the supply of electric energy or power in addition to such electric power as is already supplied or can be obtained under the existing contract with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Georgetown deems it advisable to submit to the ratepayers of the said Village of Georgetown entitled to vote on money by-laws, a question as to whether the said ratepayers are in favor of having the municipality develop or acquire through the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, whatever works may be required for the supply of electric energy or power in addition to such electric power as is already supplied or can be obtained under the existing contract with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Georgetown enacts as follows:

1. THAT the following question be submitted to the ratepayers of the Municipal Corporation of the Village of Georgetown entitled to vote on money by-laws:

Are you in favor of having the municipality develop or acquire through the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, whatever works may be required for the supply of electric energy or power in addition to such electric power as is already obtained under the existing contract with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario?

2. THAT the votes of the said ratepayers shall be taken on this question at the following time and places by the Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks hereinafter mentioned, that is to say: on January 1st, 1917, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and that F. L. Heath shall be Deputy Returning Officer and Fred McNally Poll Clerk in Ward I and C. C. Rae Deputy Returning Officer and Percy Harrison Poll Clerk in Ward II.

3. A true copy of this by-law shall be published in the following newspaper on the day hereinafter mentioned, that is to say: In the Georgetown Herald on December 6th, 13th and 20th, 1916, and a true copy of this by-law shall be posted at Clerk's Office, Post Office, town Hall and Corner of Main and Mill Streets.

4. On the 27th day of December at his office in the Council Chamber in the Village of Georgetown at 12 o'clock noon, the Reeve will, in writing signed by him, appoint two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk of this Corporation, and one person to attend each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of the answering of the said question in the affirmative, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of the answering of the said question in the negative respectively.

5. The 1st day January, 1917, at the said Council Chamber in the Village of Georgetown at 5 o'clock is hereby appointed for the summing up by the Clerk of this Corporation of the number of votes given in the affirmative and in the negative respectively.

MADE, PASSED and ENACTED this 4th day of December, 1916.

L. E. FLECK, Reeve.
F. L. HEATH, Clerk.

## Notice

TAKE NOTICE the above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Georgetown on the 4th day of December, 1916.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the hour, day and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

First publication 6th day of December, 1916.

F. L. HEATH,
Village Clerk.

Council Chamber, 1st day of December, 1916.

## PLEA FOR A HALF NICKEL.

**It Would Be Handy in Making Change and Might Reduce Prices.**

The ham sandwich, which was once 5 cents, now frequently costs a dime. The same disturbing truth applies to other things in common life, both inside and outside of lunch rooms. There is no need of statistics from economists to inform us that the cost of living has advanced. Every spender of money knows it. Retailers are more reluctant to put prices up than is generally realized. They know that consumption decreases as prices advance. That means less business, and profits depend partly on large business. When more than the traffic will bear is charged the traffic falls off.

Change making is one of the items to up to date retailing. It must be done quickly if expenses are to be kept down. The young woman at the lunch room desk has not time to count pennies. She must deal in nickels, dimes and quarters if she is to maintain her astonishing speed and accuracy.

We need another coin. Three cent pieces were confused with dimes and were hard to use because they were not fractions of other currency. No one but a statistician thinks in decimals. The rest of us do our sums in fractions. Four three-cent-pieces make 12 cents, but there is no such coin. Eight of them make 24 cents, but the coin almost corresponding is worth 1 cent more. If three cent pieces were again issued they would not fill the bill.

With a half nickel it would be different. Half a nickel is a fraction of every coin from the mint. Were there such a coin 5 cent raises would not have been so common. If there should be such a coin many prices would come down.

## SAVING THE RUG.

**Tale of a Bottle of Ink, a Quick Witted Friend and Some Salt.**

While stopping at a new and expensively furnished hotel a guest spilled a bottle of ink on a costly velvet rug, light blue and pink in color. A friend who was calling on her at the time quieted her fears by assuring her that she would fix it so that not the slightest stain would be left.

First she had a quart of fine table salt sent up at once. Sifting the salt through her fingers, she covered the ink spot entirely. To all appearances there was nothing but a pile of fine table salt on the rug.

Over this she placed a heavy chair, cautioning the guest not to disturb it nor to allow the maid to do so. After promising to return the next afternoon to finish the job she went cheerfully about her own affairs.

True to her word, she made her appearance the following afternoon and, calling for a dustpan and whisk broom, removed the salt. There was not the slightest stain of ink on the rug. The salt, having carefully sifted on the spot, had slipped into the pile and absorbed all the ink. Of course the salt, except a thin layer on the outside of the pile, was as black as ink could make it.

This method of preventing ink stains is as effective as it is simple. The secret of success lies in acting promptly, having fine salt, sifting it on the spot so slowly and gently that it slips into the goods and allowing it to remain undisturbed until it is bone dry. Then it may be safely removed with a whisk broom and dustpan.—New York Sun.

### The Seismograph.

Though the man in the street might easily mistake a seismic disturbance for the rumbling of a traction engine or an explosion, the marvelously delicate instruments which record earthquake shocks are immune from such delusions. The recording pen of the seismometer ignores any local tremblings which have not a seismic origin, but the faintest real earth quakings, though they have traveled thousands of miles through the earth, set the pen tracing the telltale graph by means of which the seismologist calculates the place, time and magnitude of the happening.—London Chronicle.

### Our First Tariff.

The first tariff act in our country was signed by President Washington on July 4, 1780, near the very beginning of his first administration. Hamilton was the author of the measure, which provided for specific duty on some forty-seven articles and ad valorem rates on other groups of articles. The second tariff act was approved by the president in August, 1790.

### An Old Superstition.

It was a common superstition in ancient Italy that if a woman were found spinning on a highroad the crops would be ruined for that year. In most sections of Italy a woman was forbidden by law thus to spin or even to carry an uncovered spindle on the highway.

### Heard in Court.

"Your honor, I acknowledge the reference of the opposing counsel to my gray hair. My hair is gray, and it will continue to be gray as long as I live. The hair of that gentleman is black and will continue to be black as long as he dyes."—Boston Transcript.

### An Originator.

"My last painting."

"I never saw a sunset look like that."

"Well, what do you think I am—a mere copyist?"—Louisville Courier Journal.

### Picking a Pocket.

"Isn't pocket picking a difficult and dangerous art?"

"Yes, till you get your hand in."—Lamb.

### An Office Cushion.

If those of you who have a husband or brother or sister working in an office will go to the trouble of making a flat cushion for the chair of the worker you will find that it saves the trousers or skirt from getting shiny and also helps to retain the garment in form.—Good Housekeeping.

### Older Still.

"It makes a chap feel rather old to meet the grown son of a former college mate."

"That's so, but if he tries to make love to the grown daughter of a former college chum who'll make him feel older still."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### The Right Kind.

"Modern steamers are boating hotels."

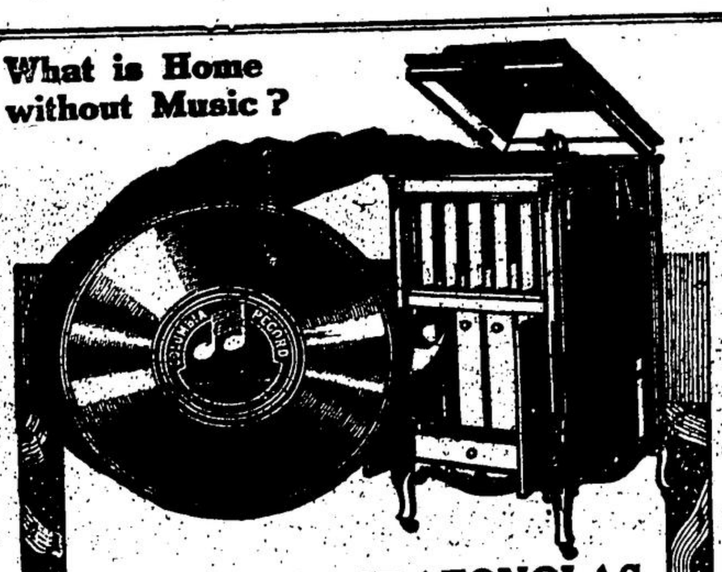
"Do they employ the bell buoys?"—Baltimore American.

### Corrected.

"We have a large ladies' waiting room in our new store."

"And none for the small ladies?"—Boston Transcript.


## What is Home without Music?



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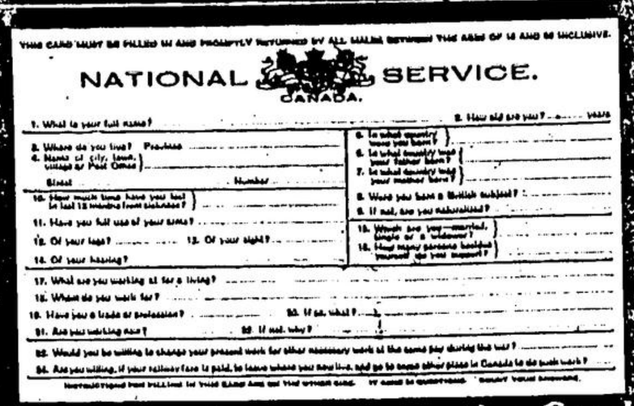


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January 4th and 5th, 1917

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All exhibitors must be members of the Halton County Board of Agriculture (Farmers' Institute).
2. An entry fee of 10 cents will be charged for each exhibit.
3. Two bushels of grain and one bushel of potatoes must be shown.
4. Exhibits must be in place by 12 o'clock on Thursday, Jan. 4th, 1917.
5. Each exhibit must be correctly named. Each exhibitor should also notify the Secretary as to how many bushels he has for sale.
6. Exhibits sent by express c/o Secretary will be exhibited and expressed back to the shipper.
7. Entries may be sent to the Secretary at Milton, or to the District Representative at Burlington.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Georgetown, Hornby & Esquesing and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

A. Robertson,
Post Office Inspector's Office, Toronto, Nov. 16, 1916.

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