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BORN

HOY—In Georgetown, on January 26th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Melville Hoy, a son.

DIED

CLARK—In Toronto, on Jan. 27, 1917, at the residence of her son-in-law, W. A. Madden, 56 Marmaduke St., Ann Cooper, widow of the late James Clark, in her 73rd year, Interment in Caledon.

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

WEDNESDAY, EVE'G JAN., 31, 1917

IT IS TO BE HOPED that in their effort to economize this year, our Council will not overlook the fact that this town requires an increased water supply. This is a matter that effects the health, comfort and future welfare of the community and should not be neglected.

AFTER ONE of the most bitter political contests ever witnessed in a Dominion by-election, Hon. Albert Sevigny, the new minister of Inland revenue in the Borden cabinet, was elected on Saturday in Dorchester County by a majority of 276 votes over his Liberal opponent, Lucien Cannon.

THESE ARE DAYS when our Statesmen are carrying great responsibilities. A recent meeting held in Rome will no doubt soon begin to produce important results. On returning from this conference, the British Prime Minister, David Lloyd George, stated in a weighty speech some of the impressions that he had gathered while discussing with representatives of the other allied nations the progress of the War. Among other thing, Mr. Lloyd George said:—

"We looked all difficulties in the face, probed them and made arrangements to deal with them. There was no flinching, wavering, faint heartedness or infirmity of purpose. There was grim resolution that at all costs we must achieve the high aims with which we accepted the challenge of the Prussian military caste and rid the world forever of its menace.

One thing which impressed me at this conference is the increasing extent to which the allied people are looking to Great Britain, trusting her rugged strength, and her great resources. She is like to a great tower in the deep. She is becoming more and more the hope of the oppressed and the despair of the oppressor."

Canada has stepped forward to take her full share in this war as a part of the British Empire, and it must never be said that Canada did not stand by the Mother Country in the time of need. If our allies are looking to us, then we must see to it that they are not disappointed. It would be a source of bitter regret to us all, after the war is over, if we knew we had not done our best. Now is the time to act. Our King and Country look to us now. We must not fail the oppressed who are fixing their hopes upon us. Every eligible man should enlist.

Halton Board of Agriculture.

The Halton Board of Agriculture has just held some very interesting and instructive meetings at Hornby, Brookville, Norval and Ballinafad. The President, Mr. J. P. Griffin of Nelson, was present at all the meetings and proved himself a very efficient chairman. Mrs. Watts of Toronto, althoˈ suffering from a very heavy cold, addressed the Women's meeting in the afternoon and the joint meetings in the evening. Her pleasing manner and splendid address on "Our Influence in the Home" won for her a host of friends in Halton.

Mr. W. C. Shearer of Bright, by his able addresses on "hogs" and "poultry" proved that he has made a success of these branches of farming in his own home farm. He keeps Yorkshire hogs, holstein cattle and Brown Leghorn hens, and only the best of each breed are good enough for him.

Mr. A. J. Fellis, of Millbrook, spoke on "Soil Cultivation," "Sheep and Swine" and "Root Culture." This was Mr. Fellis' first attempt as a Board of Agriculture speaker but he is an able speaker and thoroughly acquainted with his subjects. With a little experience on the platform Mr. Fellis bids fair to be one of the Department's most influential speakers.

The attendance was very good. Ballinafad had the largest afternoon meeting with an attendance of 60.

Drummers' Snack Club.

The following are the committees for 1917:—

Billeting Committee—Jno Willoughby, Major Grant, John Allen, Frank Barber, (Chairman), John McIlean, Geo. Arnold, C. Adams, S. H. McGibbon.

Sports Committee—Col. Stanaman, C. A. E. Colwell, W. H. Reid, Jas. Hooper, T. F. S. Power, Geo. Griffith, W. Dore, O. Wilder, D. A. Mansell, D. G. McKeown, J. Curtis, J. L. Sheppard, Geo. McKenzie.

Prize Committee

W. Madill, P. A. Sommerville, John Willoughby, Geo. McKenzie, Russell Smith, E. McTear, W. Moon, C. C. Smye, Bert Groskurth, J. Charles Geo Campbell, D. A. Mansell, D. G. McKeown.

Transportation Committee—P. McIntosh, P. A. Sommerville, E. McTear, D. C. M. Keown.

Reception Com.—Jno Allen, chairman, Major Grant, J. Willoughby, Mr Beaumont, C. A. E. Colwell, C. Smye, J. M. Moore, Geo. Arnold, J. Cameron, The Mayor.

Publicity Committee—P. McIntosh, O. Wilder, B. Groskurth, R. J. Thurston, T. H. Gemmell, J. M. Moore, M. Matthews, R. G. McCrae.

Entertainment Committee—E. H. Bowles, Mr Gardner, H. Eckstein, W. Dore, C. A. E. Colwell, John Wildfong, J. Curtis, Geo. Smye, O. Wilder, W. V. Barber, Chas Smye.

Refreshment Committee—P. A. Sommerville, W. Madill, W. Moon, L. E. Flack, S. McGibbon, M. M. Matthew, J. Hooper.

Car Loads of Coal Oil

W. C. Anthony has just received his first car of a large shipment of the Best American Water White Coal Oil which he recently purchased. He is prepared to fill all orders of 5 gallons and upwards at 18c per gallon. Get your can moving right now.

Consecration of 76th Batt. Colours

The Colours of the 76th Batt. C.E.F., will be deposited in the Methodist Church, Georgetown, on Sunday evening the 4th February. The Rev. Dr. Chown of Toronto will deliver the consecration address.

The 20th Regt. Band will be in attendance. The Regiment will be represented by returned members of the 76th Batt., and a cordial invitation is extended to members of the C.E.F., discharged or otherwise.

Public School Board.

The Public School Board met on Jan. 17th at 7 p.m., with members present:—Messrs. N. Hunter, H. Kennedy, Dr. McAllister, J. Blair and J. A. Thompson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Moved by Kennedy and Hunter that J. Blair be chairman for 1917. Mr Blair declined.

Moved by Blair and McAllister that H. Kennedy be chairman for 1917. Carried.

Moved by Blair and Hunter that J. A. Thompson be secretary for 1917. Carried.

Moved by Hunter and Thompson, that the following accounts be paid:

D. J. Matthew, supplies	$16 50
Insurance	63 00
Hydro Light	60

Moved by Blair and McAllister that Hunter and Kennedy be the supply and repair committee for 1917. Carried.

Moved by Thompson and Blair that the board meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 8 p. m. in the board-room, or at the call of the chairman and secretary. Carried.

Moved by McAllister and Hunter that the board now adjourn. Carried.

County Council

The inaugural meeting of the County Council was held at Milton on Tuesday, January 23rd, in the Court House, at 2 p.m., with all members present, the Clerk in the chair.

The first item of business was the election of Warden. Reeve Little of Milton nominated Charles Headhead, Reeve of Nelson, and Reeve Turner of Trafalgar, nominated A. S. Forster, Reeve of Oakville. On a vote Mr Headhead was declared elected, eight members voting for him, and he took the chair.

Councillors Little, Joe, Forster, Hynds and Turner were appointed a special committee to strike the standing committee for 1917.

The council adjourned for one hour to allow this committee to do their work. When council resumed Mr. Hynds presented the report of the committee, which was adopted as follows:

Finance—Hynds, Hillmer, Little, Nicholson.

Roads and Bridges—Joe, Turner, Carton, Morden, Hynds.

County Buildings—Forster, Little, Turner, Heartwell.

Printing—Hillmer, Hynds, Heartwell, Dyne.

Education—Little, Standish, Dyne, Forster.

Special Communications—Nicholson, Heartwell, Morden.

Railways and Legislation—Carton, Joe, Standish.

Good Roads—Turner, Hynds, Forster, Joe, Nicholson, Heartwell, Carton, Dyne, Standish, Morden, Hillmer, Little.

The Warden is an ex-officio member of all committees.

A large number of communications were read by the Clerk.

Mr Wilson, road superintendent, presented his report of work done during 1916

Thos. Harker was appointed to represent the council on the Board of Education at Oakville.

J. L. Hutt was appointed to the same position for Georgetown Board of Education.

George Andrew and Judge Elliott addressed the council re improvement of second line Trafalgar.

R. E. Young & Co., Toronto, were appointed county auditors for 1917.

Mr. Denyes, P.S. Inspector, addressed the council in connection with his report

The council adjourned and met again at 7 p.m. At the evening session there was a lengthy discussion over a communication from the Ontario Highway Commission stating that they intended to go before the Ontario Railway Board to see if they could not compel the County Council to contribute its share, about $14,000, towards building the bridge at Brosta. It was finally decided to employ counsel and fight the thing to a finish, the council contending that it was not a county bridge.

$75 was granted to the Halton Women's Institute.

A grant of $1,000 was made to the Sailors' Relief Fund.

Obituary

MRS. JAMES CLARK

After an illness that dated back almost eight years, Mrs. Jas. Clark died at the home of her son in law, Mr. W. A. Madden, Toronto, on Sunday. Mrs. Clark, who was born at Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, was for years a resident of Georgetown, where Mr. Clark died about three years ago. She was a woman who possessed those qualities of heart and life that win the esteem of many friends, and although she endured much suffering, her cheerfulness and patience were constantly evident. Deceased was the mother of six daughters. Two died in childhood, and one in girlhood, the latter when they resided at Acton. Those remaining are Mrs Knowles of Guelph, Mrs Madden of Toronto, and Miss Ina at home. Mrs Clark was a Presbyterian and always interested in matters of religion. The funeral took place yesterday when the remains were conveyed to the family plot in the cemetery at Guelph.

MRS. ELIZA HICKS.

One of the oldest and most respected citizens of Thornton, in the person of Mrs. Eliza Hicks, widow of the late Jno. Hicks, passed peacefully away on Jan. 23rd. Deceased was born in Cornwall, England, Sept. 29, 1835, being the only child of the late Thomas and Mrs. Simmons. She was married to John Hicks in 1852 and was the mother of 17 children, all of whom were baptised in the church in which she was married. She came to Canada with her husband and 13 children in 1872 and settled in Richmondhill. In 1875 they moved to Ivy, and in 1877 to Thornton where she resided until her death. Her husband died 21 years ago. She was a good neighbor and friend. The remains were interred in Union cemetery, Jan. 25th, the service being conducted by Revs. F. J. Dunlop, R. Summerville and T. J. Bow. Seven daughters and five sons remain, viz: Charles of Chicago, Mrs. M. Cline of Toronto, William of Thornton, Thos. of Toronto, Harry of Thornton, George of Georgetown, Mrs James Wilson, Mrs Stewart Wilson, Mrs Lydia Milligan, Mrs Harry Taylor, Mrs James Forbes, Mrs. Alex Wilson, Toronto. There are 46 grand-children and 21 great-grandchildren.—Com.

Card of Thanks

I hereby convey my most sincere thanks to the people of Terra Cotta and vicinity for their many kindnesses and sympathy extended to me in my recent bereavement, caused by the death of my brother Alexander.

Frank Denison, Terra Cotta

Baptist Church Anniversary.

There were large gatherings both morning and evening at the 70th anniversary of Georgetown Baptist church which was celebrated on Sunday last. The preacher of the day was Rev. Jas. Strachan of Galt, and he delivered two masterly addresses. In the evening he chose his text as follows:

John 4th Chap. 8,12. He said in part:

"Christ came to this world in an unexpected way. He lived as the religious people of that day never expected him to live. He represented His father, God, in a way and manner that was not acceptable to the people and they were not satisfied with him as the Son of God. We see very much the same. We are big people. We know a great deal in our spiritual way. Yet in comparison with the planets and the great things of life and nature, how small we are, how little we know; how humble we should be before God.

Three things stand out in our text as surprises. First, the great opportunity Christ had as a teacher with such a multitude, yet Jesus thought of feeding not preaching to them. So in the tremendous events transpiring around us to-day we too must change our conceptions of many things in our religious life if we would serve in the best and most effective way. We must also know that nothing is really secular; everything is sacred to God. Everything is placed for us time by God, and righteousness is just putting things in their right places and finding a true balance, a proper adjustment, a right relation with God and with man.

How may we feed the multitude? Not with so many penny worth. Jesus did not minister to the multitude only in a material, and we must reach man through ordinary things of life, for Jesus worked out his idea of God through his simple ministering to men. These are days of a clear call to right living. We expect a new Belgium, a new France, new in all the conflicting nations—what do we expect of Canada. We may expect our chastening of blood, in blood, that spiritually we may not perish. What are we doing? You know what Belgium was. You know what sat at England's heart. You know where France was. I do not see that we are changing except in a commercial sense or a business way. Men and women it will not do for us to come to church once a week and think that it will do. Jesus must have the throne and have His way in every affair and part of all our life. All things are sacred when looked at from standpoint of service. God yearns for the soul and waits for us to come back, and the time is crying out for consecration. We all stand in or out of the church—as called into the work of God. It is an appeal to your manhood and your womanhood to live in the Kingdom of Jesus Christ with him enthroned in whole life, and we should never take Christ for ourselves. Our religion has no place for selfishness. In every life there's a cross and a throne. When I am on the throne, Jesus is on Cross; when I am on the cross, Jesus is on the throne. Then as there can be no neutrality in this thing, a man may waste his life or he may use it for Christ.

We are deciding about going to the trenches in Flanders and if not, we wait to be one who gives himself unreservedly to right and to God, to bring men unto the Kingdom of Christ. He did not preach to the multitude, because He thought is a better way to reveal Himself through His pity and His love.

The second surprise was, that Christ could do so much with so little. He gave 5 loaves and 2 fishes to 5,000 men and fed them. We may think we are not able to do much—think of the five loaves and 2 fishes—what may He not do with you. Under Christ's power and influence the good is spreading, feeding the multitudes

I wonder what the Disciples thought when privileged to be bearers in this miracle. If we suffer in His work, we suffer with Him, if we die at it we die with Him. What about the fear or even the apparent failure. So take first grip of Christ my brother and consecrate thyself to him.

The third surprise, the idea of conservation that Jesus had. What's the fragments? They gathered them, 12 baskets full. It means you and I can't afford to waste our lives. We shall have to give an account and there is nothing small, nothing trivial; God requires an account. Every child, are they not in a sense born of God—a soul—though clothed in rags and poverty—are they not His? You have no right to treat them other than you would treat the Christ. What a change if everyone acted like that. Think of the waste in our industrial life, waste, doing as little as we can do, getting as much as we can get. Think of the waste of life in Flanders, lonely young men whose career is cut short of fulfilment; who is responsible? We are all responsible in some measure. Here and everywhere the world will never be brought to Christ until we have the spirit of Christ in everyone. Can't you think what your life may mean with Christ. Can you think what a sacrifice in Him the world has known and still going on. Can you think what further sacrifice there may be if we go on as we are. Are we going to run life our way or His? The loaves and fishes show us."

Rev. Mr. Truax of the Methodist church assisted at the morning service, and Rev. R. F. Cameron of Knox church in the evening.

The special music rendered by the choir was much enjoyed by all present.

Executor's Sale

The undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction at Norval, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 1917, at one o'clock

The following Goods, Chattel and Real Estate of the late E. W. Gollop, of Norval.

Stylish Hackney driving mare 5 yrs; mare, aged; driving horse, 4 yrs. old; Jersey cow, fresh; heifer due Feb. 28; 7 set single harness, new; set of double driving harness, new; set of double driving harness, slightly used; 2 set single driving harness, slightly used; 2 saddles slightly used; single plow; set iron harrows; handle garden drill; light waggon; buggy; sulky; pleasure cart, canopy top, nearly new; two seated bob sleigh; cutter; cutting box; cider press; about 5 tons of good hay; a quantity of sugar beets

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