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Repor McDonald-At Hamilton in the 27th by the Rev. Wray L. Davideon, Amy Cole McDonald to Chas. E Ruddy, both or Georgetown.

Strion At the residence of his son-inlaw, Mr. A. Bennett, Edmenton Alta., J. J. Sutton termerly of Erin Two. ageal 90 years. A brother of the late William Sutton and uncle of Mrv. Clow

In Memoriam

and Mrs. T. J. Hamilton, of Erin.

STAPLETON - in memory of our dear son and brother. Chrence who passed away Dec. 31st, 1923, sadly missed. Not gone from memory nor from love, bon. Rut to his heavenly bome above, - Family

ARMSTRONG-In and aid loving meinor of our dear husband and father, Thomas Armstrong who departed this life Dec. 26th 1919. In Greenwood softly sleeping, Where the trees their branches wave

Lies a true and loving father In his cold and silent grave. Often do our footsteps wander To a grave not far away Where they laid our darling father

Stewarttown

No. 68 held at Stewarttown on Reeve; he had done his best to be Dec. 28rd the following officers economical so far as possible in were installed for 1925. Wor. Master .-- Bro.

Thompson

McCormack. Tyler-Bro. T. Smith

Limehouse

Community Hall on Christmas eve New Year. and all children were presented . G. Appelbe, Reeve elect, with candies and oranges by Santa thanked his nominators and said Claus. A splendid entertainment be would do his utmost to fill the followed and everybody had a roal position to which he had been good time. Councillor Wm. Gowdy spected, in the best interests of the

was chairman. Miss Lulu Jolley of Port Stan- the road commissioners' work and ley, and Miss May Jolley who is bow better value had been obtainattending Normal School in Tor- ed ander the new system of road brooms are there waiting to be us onto, were home for the holidays, building. He also explained, the ed. Come and enjoy the day with Mr. Wm: Gowdy, Mr. Douglas raise in the tax rate. In closing us. It's a great game. Gowdy and Miss Doris Gowdy Reeve Appelbe wished all a happy

spent Christmus at Guelph. spent Christmas at Mr. Doughty's, elect, said be appreciated the con-Port McNichol for Christmas.

of his sister, Mrs. A. Moredith. . | the bolishing of statute labor,

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCartney erg. 15 1925 and wished all the of Georgetown spent Christian Compliments of the season. with Mr. and Mrs. A. Meredith.

evening's meeting of the town happy and prosperous New Year. council. After adjournment May- Mr. Wm. Gowdy said the Counor Irving entertained the members, oil of 1924 had worked together in the town officials, former Mayors, the best interests of the township. Dr. R. K. Anderson, M.P. Da. H. He referred to the splendid work A. McColl, and former Warrens, of the road commissioner and E. F. Earl and J. F. Little at din- council matters generally. He was ner at the Milton Inn.

last Thursday evening an in- ad all the compliments of the stallation board consisting of Ex. season. Comps. M. S. Sproat, G. W. Me-Kenzie and J. M. Mackenzie instal- meet the ratepayers once more and ted the offices of St. Clair Royal congratulated the chairman, Clerk Arch Chapter, No. 75, G.R.C., Mil- Tracy, on the sentiment of good

Ex. Comp. Geo. Galbraith, Z. G. H. Robinson, I.P.Z. E. B. Graham, H. . E. Bell, J. W. B. Clements, T. Wm. Panton, S.E. W. T. Dales, S.N. Dr. J. L. King, P.S. J. P. Lecocq, S.S.

Norval

t'ommittee. - Champion

Norval Womens Institute will hold their monthly meeting at the Leslie and M. J. Carton. home of Mrs. Patterson, the Manse on Thursday, January, 8th. Mrs. Schrag of Brumpton will address

the meeting. An invitation is ex- | Increasing numbers of deaths tended to all ladies to be present. from carbon monoxide and lurance; ment in the Presbyterian Church the Provincial Department of last Wednesday night was largely Health a warning, particularly to attended. A splendid program motorists, to beware of the deadly was given by the children and fumes. Among the "don'ts" con-Cland Wade, Violinist, Andrew tained in the pamphlet is one, Cuthbert, Cornet, Brampion. Mrs. "Don't run a motor car in a closed Harvey McKinney, Miss Margaret garage." It describes the gas as Russell, and Mr. E. L. Greenwood, tasteless, colorless and almost od A splendid supper was served dur- orless, and its power over its vic ing the evening. Rev. Patterson time is exercised gradually and was chairman.

Esquesing Council By Acclamation

Reeve Hampshire Reilres-W C. Appelbe, Reeve, and Col. 6. O. Brown Deputy Reeve

There was a good attendance o ratemayers at Esquesing Township numbrations held at Stewarttown n the newly acquired hall on Monlay ternoon. It was quite evilent that the business transacted by the Council of 1924 was satisfactory to the ratepayers as little hest Methodist , burch on Saturday Dec. or no criticism was offered as the reports of the different committees were presented.

When the time for receiving nominations had expired Clerk J. A. Tracy announced the following candidates:-

FOR REEVE

W. J. L. Bampshire, proposed b E. Y. Barraclough and Alex Joe. W. G. Appelbe, proposed by Jas McDowell and Peter McGibbon. FOR DEPUTY REEVE Col. G. O. Brown, proposed by Walter-Lawson and Peter McGib-

FOR COUNCILLOR Thos. L. Leslie, proposed by E Y. Barraclough and John L. Leelio M. J. Carton, proposed by G. B Thompson and Jno. A. Brown. William Gowdy, proposed by R C. McCollough and T. H. Price. George Cleave, proposed by Geo

Currie and J. Alfred Thompson. J. Harding Price, proposed by H. Currie and James McDowell. Clerk J. A. Tracy was elected -Sadly missed by wife and family hairman of the meeting which followed and called on the nomi-

nces who spoke as follows:-Reeve W. J. L. Hampshire was pleased to have had the honor of ter. At the meeting of the L. O. L. representing the Township as face of public demands. The tax-A. es were high and would likely remain high for some years as there Dep. Muster - Bro. Alfred were increased expenditures in

Recording Sec.—Bro. S. C. Ten. House of Refore, etc., over which the Township had no control. He Fin. Sec.—Bro. G. B. Thompson had represented the township to Treas.—Bro. G. Standish. The best of his ability at County Chaplain-Bro. Norman Thomp Council and had hoped before the end of his career to occupy the Director of ceremonies-Bro. W. Warden's chair, but that now would mean a contest in the township. There was no issue or ill Committee-Bro. G. Appelber feeling between Mr. Appelbe and Bro. J. A. Tracy, Bro J. L. Stand bimself and rather than have an election for the Reeveship he

would retire in Mr. Appelbe's favor. He might at a later date be a candidate in the township. He thanked the ratepayers for the confidence they had placed in him in this group and should be a good A community Christmas tree during the past eight years and and entertainment was held in wished all a happy and prosperous

and prosperous New Year. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott of Guelph | Col. G. O. Brown, Deputy-Reeve Mr. Arthur Lane was home from | fidence the ratepayers had placed in him by electing him Deputy Councillor Will Edge of Water- Reeve of the township. He spoke down spent Christmas at the home regarding the collection of taxes, Miss Anna and Mr. Gordon good goads and the purchase of Meredith spent the holiday at the Ball in Stewarttown. He would do his best for the ratepay,

Mr. T. L. Leslie thanked bis nominators for again showing their to economize as much as possible during the year and spoke regard ing collection of taxes and pur-There was little to do at Tuesday chase of ball. He wished all a

orry to see Reeve -Hampsbire Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willoughby dropping out of Council as a more of Georgetown, attended the Golf able man could not be secured and and Country Club's dance on Fri- be bad done splendid work during bis years in the Conneil. He wish-

> Mr. M. J. Carton was pleased to will expressed in placing him in the chair sunually for so long. He had served in Council for neighboring township, was in favor of economizing so far as possible and if elected would work in the best interests of the ratepayers. He

wished all a baspy and prosperous J. R. Mitchell, Organistra, Mr. J. Harding Price was glad S. R. Bews, M. 4 V. In the present but was not a can P. D. Shorey, M. 2 V. Hiddate this year, probably some . R Peacock, M. 1.W time in the future he might ask W. B. Featherstone, Jan. the ratepayers for their support. Ex. Comps. E. B. Graham, G. W. Mc-best Reeves the to aship had ever Kenzie, and R. B. Galbraith, Executive had and he was sorry to see him retiring. He wished all health and prosperity during 1925. The Council of 1925 is composed

> R . fallows: -Reeve W. O. Appelbe. Deputy Reeve - Col. G. O. Brown Councillars -- Wm. Gowdy, T. L.

The Sunday School entertain | gas poisoning have- brought from with little sensation.

Hockey

Friday might last when fluetple and Georgetown played a tie game, 8 8 The game which was not a good exhibition of hockey, owing to the lack of condition of both thams, provided no small amount of thrills for the spectators. In the first period it looked as if the visttors from the Royal City were go-

but the Georgetown team soon do pelled that iden. At the end of the first period the score stood 5-5 The second period provided the only real bockey of the evening Quick but both teams persisted in hand ing out heavy body checks and us ing their sticks as axes. At the end of the second period the score stood 8 7 in favor of Georgetown The third period was a somewhat mixed up affair when Baker &

of Guelph humped Currie into the boards thereby starting a general battle in which players, managers, referee and spectators participated. The Guelph manager tried to take his team off the ice but the players, like good sportsmen, played to se the finish. Final score 8 8. In reporting the game the Guelph

Mercury has the following:-The Georgetown exponents of the great winter pastime were a & hard nut to ernek, and in the so cracking a few casualties were suffered by the locals. Baker got a nasty wack across the ankle. while Poole drew a game ankle and various other minor bruises. | 888

In the first period, Duncan, who , was guarding the net for the home | team, looked like the proverbial sieve, but he got in the way of guda a number of bullet shots la. 3

Georgetown-Forwards, Varey, Brush, Blackburn, Sinclair; defence

Macdonald, Buck, Bush, Currie; goal, Duncan. Guelph-Forwards, Baker, Leachman, Poole, Schonfeldt; defence, King, Brill, Etherington; goal, Heb-

In the Junior O.H.A. game at | Brampton last night Brampton defeated Georgetown by a score of to 8. The game was fast and olean throughout. Some of the Georgetown boys played their first real game of hockey last night and were troubled a little with stage fright, but will give a good account of themselves later on.

West Toronto will meet George town at the Arena here on Friday night, January 2nd, in an itermed iate fixture. This is the first game one. Don't fail to see it.

Ice Sports

CURLING CLUB NOTES All who are interested in curling. members of the Club and nonratepayers. He spoke regarding members alike, are cordially in vited to the Curling Rink on New

Church News

Rev. J. Is. Harton, the new pastor of the Baptist Church, preached his farewell sermons at Oshawa last Sunday and will open his pas torate in Georgetown next Sunday preaching morning and evening.

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Manitoba Says Canadian Authoress

Martha Ostenso Gave Best First Novel of Year that Setting

novel submitted during the past year; mon to the farmer the world over, toba. Review and Famous Players-1.38ky World to the richer loam of the new. went into the lake district of Maniwith the farmers of the Western Prairies and portrays the romance

of one whose ambition to soar beyoud the black loam led to dramatic More than 1,500 manuscripts were submitted. The judges state that Miss Ostense's was so far superior that no other story seriously rivalled

A brief sketch of ber life and the circumstances which inspired her novel, as related by Miss Ostenso, follows : "Where the long arm of the Hardangerfjiord penetrates farthest into the rugged mountains of the coart of Norway, the Ostenso family has lived in the township that bears its

name since the days of the Vikings. The name means 'Eastern Sea,' and was assumed centuries ago by an adventurous forbear who dreamed of extending his holdings over the mountains and through the lowlands of Sweden eastward to the very shores of the Batlic. Although his dreams never came true, the family name recalls it and the family tra- in it like pail and funeral and alone, to the city and learned of the Curtis dition of land-holding has persisted and urly words, too, like laughter Brown contest. It was with diffiunbroken; the part of the land that and cake and scratch! What strange dence and reluctance that I was perberders the lovely fjord is still in its sounds the new words made to me, suaded by friends, who thought well Possession, handed down from cliest son to eldest son.

"My father, a young son, was free lowns, I learned that it was fon to it for consideration. At best, I felt, to indulge his roving disposition A make things with words. It was while it it were as good as my friends said, few years after his marriage to my living in a little town in Minnesota it might not be wholly ignored. mother he decided to emigrate to that I became a regular contributor

up in the mountains, remote from my literary trial-balloons at the rate on men of beredity and environment the softening influence of the coast of eighty cents a column. In the to decide the responsibility for what towns. At their home it was, near public school of that little town there ever merit my story ma, have. The the little village of Haukeland, that still bancs, perhaps, a large print of blood of the Norsemen! The Seven I was born. This, the first of many a rural scene in a respiendent frame. Little Towns? Perhaps-I do not small towns in which I have lived, is with a next name-plate at the bot- know. No-but I have my own very known to me only through hearsay, tom of it. That also came from the unscientific opinion. It won't bear for when I was two years old we which, in recognition of an essay stating, but this much may be said came to America.

The story of my childhood is a ton, placed me abreast of Emerson. ects and South Dakots. Towns of I bade good-bye to the Seven Little believe th."

Miss Martha Otenso, who was the fleid and prairie all, redblent of Towns. My father's restless spirit IVI awarded the \$13,500 prize and the soi; from which they had sprung drove him north to the newer counroyalties on the book for the best first and eloquent of that struggle com- try. The family settled in Maniin a contest organized jointly by a struggle but transferred from the "It was during a summer vaca-Dodd, Mead & Company, Pictoria: Ostensos and Haukelands of the Old tion from my university work that I

old school teacher from Manitoba, about them-those seven mean, yet that northern civilization. The story Miss Ostenso's novel will be serial- glorious little towns of my child- that I have written lay there, waiting ized, filmed and published in book bood! In one of them, on the dun to be put into words. Here was the fort; in 1925. The story, which is prairies of South Dakota, I learned raw material out of which Little called "The Passionate Flight," deals to speak English. What a lovely Towns were made. Here was human



Corporation, is a twenty-four-year- They should have a story written toba, well towards the frontiers of nature stark, unattired in the convention of a smoother, softer life.

A thousand stories are there still, to "My novel lay back of my mind for several years before I began to write it. In the intervals of those years, spent as a social worker in a creat city, I often compared the creaking machinery of skyscraper civilization, with the cruder, direct society of the frontier. Slowly, as my work among the needy brought me nearer and nearer to the heart of the city, the border life began to be 'limned clearly against the murkfer background of my work-a-day "A year ago last summer I re-

turned to Manitoba. The approach to remembered scenes renewed my nterest in my story, the character stood out clear-cut at last and I made the first draft of the novel. "I was not satisfied with the result and laid the manuscript aside, with no definite purpose regarding it. It language I found it to be, with words was not until spring that I returned of the early draft and its possibili-"I leave it to the scientists and

to the Junior Page of the Minne- pseudo-scientists who argue inter-"My mother's parents lived high apolis Journal, and was rewarded for minably about the relative influence tale of seven little towns in Minne- "When I was fifteen years old, impossible, beautiful things that I

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