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BORN

WILSON—To Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson (formerly Mrs. Andrew Warren) on Friday, Nov. 20th, a son, John Cyril.

COLMAN—In Georgetown, on Sunday, Dec. 6th, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Colman, a daughter—Jean Gertrude.

DIED

WANN—At Los Angeles, California, on December 8th, Mrs. Frederick W. Wann (formerly Mrs. Andrew Warren) aged 71 years.

BENHAM—At Kirkland Lake Hospital on Monday, Dec. 14th, 1931, Alphonse Benham, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Benham, aged 33 years. The funeral will take place from the home of his father, Market St., Georgetown, on Thursday, at 2:30 p.m.

RIDDY—In Georgetown on Tuesday, December 15th, 1931, Joseph S. Riddy, beloved husband of Annie Reid, in his 82nd year. The funeral will take place from the home of Mr. W. H. Wilson, James St., Georgetown, on Friday, December 18th, at 2:30 p.m.

FIFTEEN DAYS MORE

We thank the many who have paid their subscription to the Herald during the past few weeks. Your kind consideration is appreciated. There are quite a number of days left yet. Will those concerned please remit, before Dec. 31st. On Jan. 2nd, 1932, all arrears will be paid in full collection. Kindly attend to it NOW. Thanks.

OBITUARY

ALPHONSE BENHAM
The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Benham was received on Monday last when he was advised word that their oldest son Alphonse had passed away at Kirkland Lake hospital, following an operation for appendicitis. Deceased was 33 years of age and was born in Georgetown. For a number of years past he has been travelling for the International Harvester Co., and was one of their most esteemed employees. It was while on a business trip to Northern Ontario he was taken ill and passed away. His brother Clarence and uncle Mr. Wm. McMillan left for Kirkland Lake when they learned of his critical condition, but he passed away before they arrived. Deceased was a young man in the prime of his life, with a bright future before him and his death deeply regretted. He is survived by his father, mother and brother Clarence, who have the sympathy of many friends in their very sad bereavement. The remains were brought to Georgetown on Tuesday and the funeral will take place from his father's residence, Market St., Georgetown, on Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

MRS. F. W. WANN
Word came from Los Angeles, California, last week announcing the death of Mrs. F. W. Wann, who will be remembered by some "Herald" readers still in the city. Mrs. Wann was in her girlhood, Carrie Van Court of St. Louis and, after the year 1880 when she became the wife of the late Andrew Warren, her visits to the old Warren homestead on the 4th line were a real pleasure and joy to herself and her family. She was as to be in the home, by whom she became greatly beloved. She was a woman of rare qualities and her virtues being equally at home among the distinguished associations of a large city or more modest, but no less genuine following of old Cedar Creek Farm. Mr. Warren died in the year 1900 and a few years later, Mrs. Wann became the wife of Mr. F. W. Wann, and after his retirement from business, they went to California to reside. Here, Mrs. Wann died five years ago. The family of Mr. and Mrs. Warren are Andrew Warren Jr. deceased; Mrs. James and Mr. Van Court Warren of Los Angeles, where the burial took place. Toronto and Action friends sent a beautiful floral design in recognition of the useful life of one whom they greatly esteemed.

HOCKEY NEWS

At a meeting held at Oakville last Friday night, when Mr. Angus Dundas, president of the Ontario hockey association, was in the city, the season was drawn up as follows:—
Dec. 25—Georgetown at Georgetown.
Jan. 4—Georgetown at Milton.
Jan. 5—Oakville at Brampton.
Jan. 7—Milton at Oakville.
Jan. 11—Brampton at Milton.
Jan. 12—Oakville at Georgetown.
Jan. 15—Georgetown at Oakville.
Jan. 21—Milton at Brampton.
Jan. 26—Brampton at Oakville.
Jan. 26—Milton at Georgetown.
Jan. 29—Oakville at Milton.
Feb. 1—Georgetown at Brampton.
Jan. 1st and 2nd teams play off. Team finishing 1st has choice of dates.

BAND NEWS

The Lorne Rifles (Scottish) Regiment Band will give a special Christmas band concert in the Theatre on Sunday, Dec. 20th at 8:30 p.m. with kind permission of the Commanding Officer. Program will consist of sacred music by the band, Hawaiian music by Marchmont Bros. vocal solo, duets, etc., by the members and others. Silver collection. Dr. A. I. Howard, chairman.
The Band Holiday number draw for prizes, pens, clipboards, etc., will be made in the town hall, Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, at 8 p.m. A musical program will be given by the band. Stub box at Watson's Drug Store.

WILLING HELPERS BIBLE CLASS

At the meeting of the Willing Helpers' Bible Class held in the Rectory on Tuesday, Dec. 15th, the following officers were elected:
President—Joseph Hall, Jr.
Vice-president—Frank Dewhurst.
Sec.—Thomas—Allen Walker.
Social and entertainment committee—W. Bradley, chairman; Nellie Green Minto Gargant, Isabel Collier, W. Oaplin.
Sick Committee—Ethel Hall, Ruben Bacon.
The Executive to consist of all members of committees.
A financial statement read by the secretary showed that the class had a very successful year, having a balance in Bank of \$11.30, after having paid for the present given to Rev. F. H. Wade.

BANK OF MONTREAL ISSUE NEW NOTES

A new issue of Bank of Montreal notes in denominations of \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50, and \$100 is now being placed in circulation. The issue is the first since 1920. The Bank of Montreal is pleased to issue its new notes and the first upon which the portrait and signature appear. In connection with the new issue, the Bank of Montreal has issued a series of 200 commemorative stamps. The stamps depict the various scenes of the life of the Bank of Montreal, starting with the founding of the Bank in 1817 and ending with the opening of the Bank's first branch in Montreal in 1820. The stamps are available in quantities of 100, 500, 1000, and 2500. The price of the stamps is 10c per 100, 50c per 500, \$1.00 per 1000, and \$2.50 per 2500. The stamps are available from the Bank of Montreal, 119 St. James Street, Montreal, P. Q., Canada.

ESQUEQUING COUNCIL

LAST MEETING OF 1931 COUNCIL—FASQUELLE-REED INSPECTOR'S REPORT
Stewartstown, Dec. 15, 1931. Council met pursuant to adjournment with Reeve Cleave in the chair and Council members present:
Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
Mullin—Currie, that the following accounts be passed and paid.
W. Nesbitt, charity \$14.99
J. Sanford, repairs to township building \$1.80
Municipality of Georgetown, to cost of Court session \$2.00
Corporation of Action, to cost of Clerk and Bailiff fees \$2.00
Rent of town hall for Division Court sittings \$17.50 total
Action Public Utilities Com. Grant St. lights \$5.00
Bell Telephone, 281-33, \$2.90; 32-11 \$3.25
Esher C. Thompson, court costs re taxes \$2.35
Simer C. Thompson, insurance on Township building \$2.50
Carried.

APPELLE—Wilson, that the treasurer pay the following accounts balance:
A. S. Wilson, one registered cow \$30.00
A. N. Stark, valuator 2 trips \$4.00
Fred Cole, sheep \$2.00
Bennett, sheep \$2.00
Peter McGibbon, valuator 3 trips \$6.00
Carried.
Wilson, Appelle, that the treasurer pay Mr. Campbell attending Judge's Court of Revision \$3.00; N. R. Thompson at revision \$2.00; Bennett, revising Voters Lists \$3.65—Carried.

Currie—Appelle, that the treasurer pay to George Leake the sum of \$42.00 for his honor for 1931, \$40.00; Mullin—Wilson, that the treasurer pay the road sheets as presented by the Road Commissioner \$1319.40—Carried.
Currie—Wilson, that the treasurer pay R. B. Mumma, chairman of the 1932, \$40.00; I. M. Bennett, stamps \$3.33—Carried.
Wilson—Mullin, that the treasurer pay E. G. H. Barron, meetings \$20.00; mileage \$4.00, total \$24.00
D. Y. Barron, meetings \$20.00, mileage \$4.00, total \$24.00
Dr. R. T. Paul, meetings \$20.00, mileage \$2.00, total \$22.00
Dr. R. T. Paul, meetings \$20.00
Dr. R. T. Paul, attending annual meeting Provincial Board of Health \$2.00; Reuben account \$1.50, total \$3.50
Wilson—Mullin, that the treasurer pay John Silingsby, dog tax refund \$1.00 uncollectable; Sidney Morris, dog tax refund \$1.00, wrongly assessed; John Ismond, dog tax refund \$6.00, wrongly assessed; Jas. Miller, dog tax refund \$2.00, wrongly assessed—Carried.

Currie—Wilson, that the treasurer pay the following: C. G. Cleave, meetings \$30.00, total \$110.40; com. \$105.00 total \$1154.40; George Currie, meetings \$33.00, mileage \$2.00, total \$35.00; W. A. Wilson, meetings \$39.00, mileage \$2.00, total \$41.00; Mullin—Wilson, that the treasurer pay \$14.40, com. \$80.00, total \$130.40—Carried.

Currie—Mullin, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to provide for holding Municipal Elections for the year 1932. The by-law be now read a first time—Carried.
Wilson—Appelle—That by-law to provide for the holding of Municipal Elections for the year 1932, having been read a first time, be now read a second and third times and passed. A. R. Foster, acting as clerk, be authorized thereto—Carried.
Currie—Mullin, that report of township Weed Inspector be filed—Carried.
Wilson—Appelle, that the Reeve now vacate the chair and that it be taken by Mr. Geo. Currie—Carried.
Wilson—Appelle, that the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to Reeve Cleave for the courteous and impartial manner in which he has conducted the meetings of this Council during the past year—Carried.

To the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Members of Esquequing Township Council:
The annual report of the Weed Inspector of the Township of Esquequing is herewith presented. According to the Weed Control Act the Weed Inspector is required to inspect all roads, including county and township roads, public and private property. This has been done by your Weed Inspector and my findings are set forth below:
Provincial roads—In good order.
County roads—Fair.
Township roads—Your Road Superintendent has taken the weed problem very seriously and most of the roads were in first-class shape. The township roads on the whole compare very favourably indeed with the county roads. Many of the roads require brushing before effective work can be done.
Railroads—The C.N.R. was the only offender.
Public lands—One school, one church and five cemeteries required attention; to this I might include one other—the Provincial gravel pit on con. 3, above No. 7 Highway.
Private lands—By far the most fruitful source of trouble. In most cases one warning was sufficient to remedy the trouble; others required more force. In only one case however was it necessary to return the charges to the property owner.
No growing crop was cut by order; a number of requests to cut crops for hay was made and the majority complied.
Summary:
Number of complaints 43
Number of acres ordered cut 54
Acres of growing crop destroyed by order 0
Acres of growing crop requested to be cut approximately 11
Acres of land with no crop ordered cut, approximately 300
Acres of land with no crop requested of cut, approximately 60
Respectfully submitted,
William Brown, Weed Inspector.

HALTON'S REPUTATION UPHELD

Halton County has been known for a considerable length of time as the home of good seed both applying to cereals and to the character of the people. The performance of the Halton County entries in the seed section of the Ontario Provincial Fair just held at Guelph, has amply supported this theory. The following is a list of some of the prize winners and their "deserve" congratulations on the way that they upheld the reputation of Halton as a good growing area:
1st—Frank Wilson, Georgetown.
2nd—Earl Wilson, Georgetown.
3rd—Joe, Wilford, Milton.
In Field Crop competition, Barley—2nd—Joe, Wilford, Milton.
3rd—Earl Wilson, Georgetown.
5th—Frank Wilson, Georgetown.
In Field Crop competition, Oats—1st—Earl Wilson, Georgetown.
2nd—Earl Wilson, Georgetown.
Alfalfa—In the open Alfalfa classes: Thos. Brownridge, Georgetown, won two first and the championship of the class; Earl Wilson, Milton, won 1st; James Cunningham, Hornby, also stood 8th in this very strong class.

TRUE BLUE'S ELECT OFFICERS
At the regular meeting held in the Lodge rooms last week the following were elected officers of Halton's True Blue No. 382, the oldest existing Y.M.W.M.—Sister Mrs. Semple W.M.—Sister Mrs. F. Braby. Officers for the year 1932:
1st—L. Thistle, Georgetown.
2nd—Sister Margaret Braby.
3rd—Sister Flossie Blair.
Treasurer—Sister Mrs. H. Dickie.
Chapter—Sister Norma Noble, D. O.—Sister Edith Francis.
Conductor—Sister Beulah Robinson.
Committee—Mrs. F. McMillan, Mrs. A. Lewis, Mrs. W. Roney, Mrs. R. Buchanan, Mrs. V. Keston.
The officers were installed by D.D. G.M. Mrs. Wamsey, assisted by the Past Masters Miller and Seddon of Oakville.

It was the 10th anniversary of the organization of the Lodge and a beautiful birthday cake illuminated with ten candles adorned the table at the delicious luncheon which was served at the close of the lodge.

FIREMEN'S CONTEST DRAW AND BAND CONCERT
There was a good attendance at the town hall last Friday evening when the Lorne Rifles (Scottish) Band played a concert for the benefit of the winners of the prizes in the lucky number contest were announced. Deputy-Chief W. H. Long was chairman of the evening and announced the lucky numbers which were drawn by the children. The winners were as follows:
1st Prize, 11 tube Philco radio won by Arthur Parr, St. Mary's.
2nd Prize, 5 tube Philco radio won by A. L. Thurston, Georgetown.
3rd Prize, clock, won by Master Billy Armstrong, Georgetown.
4th Prize, set, won by Mrs. Norwen Miller, Baden.
5th Prize, electric iron, won by Whalley Fire Brigade.
The Committee in charge, Chief Tuck, Dep.-Chief Long, Fred McCarty, A. Roney, H. Savings, and A. R. Foster, are to be congratulated on having successfully conducted the contest and in any way assisted to make the event a success.

CORRESPONDENCE

Editor Herald:
Considerable comment has been made to members of the Lorne Rifles (Scottish) Band lately, as to where the money goes that is made by lucky number draws, etc. For the benefit of those who are under the impression that this money is divided, we wish to state that never has one dollar been given to the members. Since we organized on July 1st, 1920, we have purchased over one thousand dollars worth of new and second-hand instruments, all of which are being used by valuable men, and paid the bandmaster's salary and expenses from said funds until now. With regard to part of the money won at the C.N.R. No one ever heard or saw where George Young gave his winnings to the city of Toronto. That was part of the money over to the Corporation of Georgetown? We could have lost a lot easier than we can now, now does any reasonable thinker and person criticize us for taking part of our winnings?
R. R. Magloughlin,
A. L. Thurston, Organizers.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER

Editor Herald:
Last year there was an appeal for funds for the Christmas Hamper Fund to provide Christmas baskets for distribution to those who might not otherwise be provided with Christmas dinners. The distribution was kindly undertaken by the Women's Institute. The response from citizens and organizations was most gratifying and there may be those who feel that they would like to assist in this year's appeal. The Local General Relief Committee have appointed the undersigned to accept contributions of money or goods which will be turned over for distribution of Hampers. Contributions should be in the hands of the Committee not later than Monday afternoon, Dec. 20th. All contributions will be acknowledged through the Press. Georgetown has responded generously to the numerous appeals but we feel that there are those who would wish to contribute to this worthy object to brighten the homes and bring cheer to the children.
J. R. Mackenzie, Mayor
H. Burns,
H. R. Milman, Treasurer.

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