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BORN

MACKENZIE—At Georgetown, on December 18th, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mackenzie (Margaret Cardno), a son—John Alexander.

DIED

BROWN—In Georgetown on Thursday, December 17th, 1936, Edith P. Brown, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

DIED

JOHNSTON — In Georgetown, on Tuesday, December 22, 1936, William D. Johnston, dearly beloved husband of Adeline Thompson, in his 79th year.

The funeral will be held from his residence, Charles St., Georgetown, on Thursday, December 24th. Service at 3.30 o'clock. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

LAWLER—In Sarnia General Hospital, on Friday, December 18th, 1936, Mary Lawler, beloved wife of Walter C. Luman, aged 60 years.

OBITUARY

MRS. ADA BURKE

A former resident of Toronto for twenty years, Mrs. Ada Burke, widow of the late Frank W. Burke, and sister of Mrs. C. H. Barber, Georgetown, passed away at her residence in Cornwall, Ont., her native town, on Sunday, Dec. 13th. Educated at Bishop Strachan school, deceased was well known in Toronto. She is survived by a daughter, Kathleen; a son, Stanley, her mother, Mrs. George Weagant; two sisters and two brothers. Funeral services were held at Trinity Memorial Church, Cornwall, and the remains were laid to rest in Park Lawn Cemetery, Toronto, on Wednesday last.

MRS. W. C. LUNAN

After being in poor health for some time, Mary Lawler, beloved wife of W. C. Luman, passed away in Sarnia General Hospital, on Friday, December 18th. Deceased was born in Joliet County in Quebec in 1876. Later moving with her parents to Grey County in Ontario. She had resided in Georgetown for the past twenty-three years. The late Mrs. Luman was an Anglican in religion, and a staunch Conservative in politics. The funeral service, conducted by the Rev. W. G. O. Thompson of St. George's Church, was held at the family residence on Monday, December 21st. She leaves her husband and four sons to mourn her loss, Reginald of Barnlay Herbert, Edward and Harold of Georgetown, also three brothers and one sister, Harry of Holsevain, Man.; John of Ripley, Ont., William of London, Ont., and Mrs. Dan McDonald of Duntroon, Ont. The pall-bearers were Hume Currie, Job Board, Jack Murray, Arthur Reeve, William Bullivant and Gordon Cunningham. Interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery.

EDITH F. BROWN

An esteemed resident of Georgetown for the past thirty-two years in the person of Edith F. Brown, passed away at her home on Charles St., on Thursday, Dec. 17th, after an illness of three years. Deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, and was born on lot 4, 9th line, Esquesing, where she resided until coming to Georgetown. She was a member of the United Church and a true christian woman, esteemed by all who knew her, and her passing is deeply mourned by her family and friends. She was also a member of the Grenfell Mission. She is survived by one brother Albert Brown on the homestead and two sisters, Misses Birdie Brown, Georgetown, and Eveline Brown of Whitby. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, when the service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Overend. The pall-bearers were P. Kersey, Wm. Deans, W. C. Cunningham, T. B. Douglas, E. W. Cole and J. M. Moore. There were beautiful floral tributes from relatives and friends. The remains were interred in the family plot at Hornby Presbyterian Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We hereby express our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and sympathy extended to us in our sad bereavement by the death of our beloved sister and aunt—Misses Brown and Miss Helen M. Brown.

Two Hundred Guests Attend Warden's Dinner

PRESENTATION TO WARDEN GEO. CURRIE BY MEMBERS OF COUNTY COUNCIL

It was a happy gathering at the Warden's Dinner held at the Milton Inn, Milton, last Friday evening, when Warden George Currie, Reeve of Esquesing, was host to some two hundred guests.

A delicious roast turkey dinner with all the many accompanying table delicacies, was served to the accompaniment of music supplied by Frank's Orchestra, and the evening throughout proved one of the most enjoyable in the history of this annual event.

During the evening many complimentary remarks were made regarding Halton's popular and efficient Warden, Mr. Currie, and as tangible evidence of the esteem in which he is held by his colleagues, he was presented with a beautiful chair. The presentation was made by Reeve Geo. W. Thorpe of Nelson Township and Reeve John Irving of Milton.

The toastlist was as follows:—

"The King"—Responded to by singing God Save the King.

"Canada"—Proposed by W. L. Dick, K.C., County Crown Attorney, Milton; responded to by His Honor Judge Monro, Milton, and Hughes, Cleaver, M.P., Burlington.

"Ontario"—Proposed by W. J. L. Hampshire, Milton, and responded to by E. H. Gilroy, Milton, and T. A. Blakelock, M.P.P., Oakville.

"County Council"—Proposed by Ex-Warden W. H. Marden, Oakville, and responded to by Victor Hall, Reeve of Trafalgar, Joe Henson, Reeve of Oakville, and Nelson Robinson, Deputy-reeve of Esquesing Township.

"Ex-Wardens"—Proposed by Reeve John Irving of Milton; responded to by Amos Mason, Acton, and Ernest Bradfield, Nelson.

"The Warden"—Proposed by Geo. Harris, Mayor of Burlington; responded to by George Currie, Warden of Halton County.

J. M. Moore was toastmaster of the evening.

Warden Currie thanked the members of Council for their very handsome gift which he would always cherish in fond recollection of his association with the members of Halton County Council. He appreciated the splendid support given him by every member of Council during his term of office and much credit was due the members as a whole for the efficient manner in which the business of the county had been conducted. It had been a pleasure for him to entertain them and other friends and associates at dinner, and he wished all health, happiness and prosperity during the coming year.

The singing of the National Anthem brought the evening to a close.

GLEN WILLIAMS

On Friday evening the "Brownies" of St. George's Church gave a concert in the town hall in aid of relief purposes. The Brownies, who were in charge of their Brown Owl, Mrs. W. G. O. Thompson, gave an interesting program, and was much enjoyed by an appreciative audience. At the end of the program, the Brownies presented their gifts at the manger.

The Sunday School scholars of St. Alban's Church held their annual Christmas entertainment on Monday evening, in the parish hall. An interesting program of recitations, carols and dialogues were given by the children. Mr. Joseph Beaumont with his usual generosity gave beautiful books, candies and nuts for all teachers and scholars. These were presented by Mr. Bludd, Sunday School Superintendent. Earlier in the evening, the children sat down to a bountiful tea, provided by the ladies of the congregation, and ice cream given by Mr. Joseph Beaumont.

The annual concert given by the teachers and scholars of the United Church Sunday School was held in the town hall on Tuesday evening. A splendid program was provided of carols, recitations and dialogues. The characters in "Henry's Mail Order Wife," did their parts exceedingly well, and it was very much enjoyed by everyone. The hall was filled to capacity. Bags, candies, nuts and oranges were given to teachers and scholars. Santa Claus making the presentation.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Barrie Clarke, in the recent death of her brother, Mr. Fred Davis. Mr. Davis, who had resided here for some time, passed away in St. Catharines hospital, on Friday. The funeral took place on Monday.

Esquesing Nomination

AT STEWARTTOWN, DEC. 28th—REEVE, DEPUTY-REEVE AND COUNCILLORS

Also School Trustees for Union S. S. No. 7, and S. S. No. 11

Esquesing Township municipal nomination will take place at Stewarttown next Monday, Dec. 28th, commencing at 1 p.m.

A new feature of the meeting this year will be the nomination of School Trustees for Union S. S. No. 7 and S. S. No. 11, at the same hour and place. This is in accordance to an amendment by Section 53 of the Public School Act.

Municipal matters regarding 1937 Council are unusually quiet in the Township and we believe the general feeling is that the old council will be returned by acclamation.

United Church Christmas Services

On Sunday morning, Dec. 20th, the Sunday School of the Georgetown United Church celebrated their annual White Gift service. The Sunday School occupied the centre seats and after the opening devotional service Mr Godfrey, the Superintendent took charge of the White Gift service. The theme centred around Matt. II., "And they, brought unto Him gifts—gold, frankincense and myrrh." At pre-arranged points in the program, two representatives from each class, brought their gifts and placed them around the manger-bed which occupied the centre of the platform. Albert McEwery, Bobbie Burns, Evelyn Neary, Bruce Kennedy and Bernice McDonald each contributed short readings, and the service was closed with a solo, "Away in a Manger" by Buddie Tod, and the dedicatory prayer by the pastor.

In the evening the Choir of the church, directed by Mr. W. Laird, gave a very beautiful Christmas drama "The Heart of Christmas"—the message being that Jesus is the heart of Christmas, and to make a true Christmas His spirit must permeate all our thoughts and gifts. The Innkeeper, who had no room for the Christchild, the shepherds and wise men who sought the Christ, the humble and patient Joseph and Mary, the group of needy people to whom the joys of Christmas are denied, all in colorful eastern costumes passed in vision before the eyes of the hitherto thoughtless and somewhat selfish president of a Sunday School class. Awakened at last to the unchristian character of their Christmas—she calls the executive of the class together and they plan to revise their own ways and that of their class. The parts were taken exceptionally well and the presentation was most impressive. Those taking part were: President of the class, Miss C. Lyons; executive, Miss B. McDonald, Miss I. Bersey, Mr. S. Trethewey, Mr. F. Overend; innkeeper, Mr. T. Brown; shepherds, Mr. J. Evans, Mr. B. Maclaren, Mr. B. Kennedy; wise men, Mr. J. Maclaren, Mr. S. Maclaren, Mr. A. McDonald; the needy group, Mrs. Vannatter, Misses Betty Speight and Isobel Richardson. The ladies of the Choir, as Christmas spirits, sang sweet carols, solos being taken by Misses Mattie McDonald and Marian Overend. Miss Maude McDonald at the organ, played softly the Christmas hymns.

On Monday evening, December 21st the Christmas supper and concert for the Sunday School was held. Tea was served at 7.15, after which the guests repaired to the church auditorium and enjoyed greatly a series of lantern slides on amusing Christmas topics. At 8 o'clock the program began in the Sunday school room — a very enjoyable one, provided by members of the various classes and by the C.G.I.T. group. Santa Claus appeared at the close with oranges for everyone and the evening ended with prayer by the minister.

ASHGROVE

The Bright Star Mission Band met last Sunday afternoon with a record attendance. Miss Marion Miller was in the chair and Miss Joy Ruddell at the piano. Mrs. J. Bellhaddy took the devotional story and Miss Edith Wrightsworth, the study chapter. Our next meeting will be held in the Christmas holiday.

Suitable gifts and generous donations were received at the White Gift service in the United Church, Dec. 13th, which were forwarded to all People's Mission, Hamilton.

A lovely Christmas service was held Sunday morning in the United church.

Yuletide Greetings

An old-fashioned greeting in the good old-fashioned way . . . . a Merry Christmas and a holiday season full of health, happiness and a goodly store of good cheer to you and yours!

Wm. KING

Phone 27 BUTCHER Georgetown

CORRESPONDENCE

TRESPASSING ON RAILWAY

Georgetown, Ontario,
Dec. 21st, 1936.

Dear Mr. Editor:

About two years ago you gave us space in your paper for the purpose of advising the parents of Georgetown of the dangers and penalties connected with trespassing on property of the Canadian National Railways. Our warning at that time served its purpose and, except in one or two cases where court action was necessary, the practice stopped. We are again, however, faced with the same problem.

The Canadian National Railways have advised us that some of their trains have had to come to a stop before reaching the station in order to avoid hitting children walking on the tracks. These children paid no attention to the bell and whistle. They apparently did not realize the danger they were in, or else they were deliberately causing inconvenience to the train crew. In either case a very poor home influence is indicated.

The Canadian National Railways will do all in their power to avoid accidents. We, The School Board, will do all we can through our teaching staff to teach safety to the school children of Georgetown, but we must have the co-operation of the parents in order to obtain any results. We realize that parents cannot follow their children around to keep them out of mischief, but we believe that, if the children are properly taught at home, they will at least avoid the more dangerous practices, even if they do get into a bit of mischief now and then. Walking on railway tracks is very dangerous and if kept up will lead to the death of some young boy or girl. But, there will be no danger of anything like that happening if the children keep off railway property. We ask the parents to help us protect the lives of the children of Georgetown.

We understand that the C.N.R. police are patrolling the railway property in the vicinity of Georgetown with a view to preventing accidents, and will prosecute in Police Court the parents of any children found walking on the tracks.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for your assistance in this matter, we remain.

Yours very truly,
Georgetown Public School Board.

SOME EGGS

Editor of the Herald.

Dear Sir:

Noticing your description of a gigantic egg laid by a Milton hen, published on Dec. 9th, I am forwarding this clipping, taken from The Globe and Mail of the same date:

"A hen in Cape Province, South Africa, laid an egg 8 inches long and 7½ inches in circumference, inside of which was another egg, and inside that another."

I also wish to say that about a year ago one of the farm magazines (I cannot remember which) published a list of about eight or ten large eggs laid at various places, the largest of which was approximately the same size as this South African egg.

Yours truly,
Frank Southern,
R. R. 2, Georgetown.

CROSS AND CROWN R.E.P. OFFICERS INSTALLED

On Thursday evening, Dec. 17th, Cross and Crown R.E.P. 197, Georgetown, elected the following officers. They were installed by P. W. P. F. Woods, assisted by P. W. P. J. Wilson.

I.W.P.—Sir Kt. J. Long.
W. P.—Sir Kt. T. Olven.
D.P.—Sir Kt. W. Pearson.
Chaplain—Sir Kt. F. Jenkinson.
Recording Reg.—Sir Kt. R. McCartney.
Financial Reg.—Sir Kt. J. Wilson.
Treasurer—Sir Kt. F. Wood.
Lecturers—Sir Kts. J. Hall and R. J. Graham.
Censors—Sir Kts. W. J. Lindsay and R. Buchanan.
Standard Bearers — Sir Kts. J. Brown and V. Bradley.
Pursuivant—Sir Kt. G. Blick.
Committee—Sir Kts. C. Brooks, H. Dobbie, E. Hodge, C. Smith, H. Bradley, C. Davis, J. Fox.

HALTON CHAPTER R.A.M.

On Friday, Dec. 18th, Rt. Ex. Comp. John F. Marr and his installing Principals, installed the following officers of Halton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, at Georgetown:—George Dobson, Z.; D. P. Crichton, I.P.Z.; L. G. Marchment, H.; George Ford, J.; D. P. Crichton, S.E.; Alex. Kerr, S.N.; John D. Kelly, treasurer; Rev. W. G. O. Thompson, D. of C.; N. H. Tuck, P.S.; Robt. Addy, S.S.; Frank Sykes, J. S.; Arthur Robinson, sentinel; Walter Lawson, 4th V.; Thos. Elson, 3rd V.; Sam McKenzie, 2nd V.; Harry Goldham, 1st V.; Wallace Thompson, auditor; E. C. Thompson, auditor.

Following installation a banquet, presided over by Ex. Comp. George Dobson, was served in the Lodge Rooms and a very pleasant social hour spent with members and visiting companions.

LEGION ACTIVITIES

Following is the program for the week end at the Legion Rooms:—

Bingo—Saturday, Dec. 26th. Win a chicken for the New Year. Door prize, turkey. Admission 35c tax included.

Legion Christmas Tree—Thursday, December 24th, 7.30 p.m. sharp.

BALLINAFAD

Mrs. Blake Vannatter visited with friends in Toronto last week.

Miss Tone Oakes of Brighton spent the week end with Mrs. Richard Shortill.

Mr. Jim Weatherstone of Toronto visited with friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McInenegy spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Omar Sinclair of Milton.

The Snow family are the last ones to fall victim of the measles.

GREGORY THEATRE

Christmas Day, matinee at 3
"HIS BROTHER'S WIFE"
directed by the man who made "San Francisco," starring Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck.

Comedy "Echo Mountain." Fox News
Cartoon "Little Jimmy."

Saturday, December 26—"PICCADILLY JIM"
a merry movie, starring Robert Montgomery.

Comedy "Grand Slam Opera."
Cartoon "Porky Rain Maker."
Matinee at 3 p.m.

Tuesday and Wednesday, December 29 and 30
"IT'S LOVE AGAIN"
brilliant musical, starring Jessie Matthews.

Joe Palooka comedy "Joke's on You."
Cartoon "Alpine Yodeler."
Sport "Finer Points."

Midnight Show New Year's Eve, commencing at 11.45.
Fun and favors for all.

Season's Greetings

AT this season of the year we pause to thank our patrons and friends for their patronage and good wishes. In turn we wish them every success and happiness. For the future we pledge ourselves to strive ever to serve in more complete and satisfying ways.

A MERRY XMAS TO ALL

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

At this glad season of the year we renew again the remembrance of our happy relationships in the past. We wish all our fellow townsmen and friends, a very merry Christmas and an abundance of good cheer throughout the coming year.

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Mince Meat 2 lb.	25c	BOLOGNA 2 lb.	25c
CHOPPED Kidney Suet 2 lb.	25c	NO. 1 GRADE ONTARIO Turkeys	29c lb.

We Wish All Our Customers and Friends A Very Merry Christmas.

ERWIN & GOLDHAM — PHONE 1

CHRISTMAS

Gift Suggestions

For Car Drivers

HOT WATER CAR HEATERS $5.85 to $16.50

ELECTRIC ENGINE HEATERS Knight or Coldwell $5.25 to $6.75

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