

OBITUARY

JOHN CONWAY
The death occurred Christmas night of John Conway one of Millon's best men. Mr. Conway, who was 73 years of age, had been ill only a short time. He was a life-long resident of Millon, was married and lived at the home of J. W. Robinson, Martin street. Mr. Conway was in the grocery business for many years. He was an Anglican and a liberal. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon. A public service was held in Grace Church, conducted by Rev. C. W. Nettel, and was largely attended. Interment took place in Evergreen Cemetery—Chapman.

JOHN M. POLKY

John Baptista Polky, editor of the Orangeville Sun, died at Lord Dufferin Hospital on Dec. 31st, following a very brief illness from pneumonia. The deceased was the son of the late John and Mary Polky. He was born 64 years ago and attended the local and high school in Orangeville, taking over the Sun office at 16 years of age. Following the death of his father, who established the paper on January 1, 1880, he was one of the prominent newspapermen of the country. He has always resided in Orangeville with the exception of one year in Toronto, when he was quite a young man. Mr. Polky had been unwell many times in the last few weeks of his illness. He had two hobbies—horticulture and dumb angling. He was a Conservative and an admirer of the late Norman Colville Church. He was a bachelor, and is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Hays, Vancouver; Mrs. Andrew Peters, Lynn Inlet B. C.; and Mrs. J. A. Burton, New Westminster, B.C. The funeral took place on Monday evening and was largely attended. Interment at Mount Lawn Cemetery.

JOHN EDWARD HUFFMAN

The Christmas season was indeed saddened for Mrs. Elizabeth Huffman and her family by the news of the death in Montreal of their son, John Edward Huffman. As was his custom, he had planned to spend the Christmas holidays with his family and the word of his death came as a very severe shock to the family and friends. John Edward Huffman was the eldest son of Elizabeth and the late Lafayette Huffman, and was born in Esquimaux township, at the home of his parents, twenty-eight years ago. When a lad of a few years his father passed away very suddenly leaving his widow and family of four small children. Mrs. Huffman sold the farm and came to reside in Acton, where the family have been brought up. Edward was a dutiful son and always solicitous for his mother's comfort and welfare. Several years ago he went to Detroit and later to Pontiac, Michigan, where opportunities seemed most plentiful in the home town. He had been employed in the office of General Motors, and was Noble Grand of the I.O.O.F. in his native town. He had been married and as frequent as conveniently possible. Besides his mother he leaves one sister, Mrs. Gladys of Toronto, and two brothers, William of Georgetown, and Gordon, at home. To all of his relatives and friends of many friends gone out in their hour of sorrow. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon with a service at the home, followed by interment at Viewcrest cemetery, Acton.—Vive Press.

HEALTH REPORT

The following communicable diseases were reported by the M.D.H. to Georgetown Board of Health for December, 1932:
Diphtheria 0
Scarlet Fever 0
Measles 0
Chickenpox 0
German Measles 0
Mumps 0
Infantile Paralysis 0
Typhoid Fever 0
Whooping Cough 0
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis 0

A large number of Cottell's unemployed are now cutting wood on a co-operative basis, raising a cord for every two cords cut. The relief board will haul the wood to town and use its share to supply those not physically able to cut wood.

MAYOR MACKENZIE ENTERTAINS

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, PUBLIC AND HIGH SCHOOL BOARDS, HYDRO COMMISSIONERS AND TOWN OFFICIALS

On Tuesday evening Mayor Mackenzie was entertained at a dinner by the members of the Town Council, Public and High School Boards, Hydro Commissioners and town officials at his beautiful and commodious home on Mill Street. At about seven thirty the company sat down to a delicious turkey dinner, after which the Mayor entertained the guests with a social evening combined with the consideration of the financial affairs of the town. He called upon Messrs Harold Chase who is a past speaker of the evening, Messrs Gordon of Trillium and Mr. Ward of Millon. Mr. Mackenzie spoke at some length regarding the financial condition of the County generally and referred to the increased expenditures of the County during the past twenty years, until to-day the taxpayer is taxed almost to the hilt. He referred to the present condition of the County, the children's shelter, hospital accounts, Mother's Allowance, Old Age Pensions, Good Roads, and other county roads. The whole situation was a great problem and it was very hard to see how the County could be run. He referred to Georgetown's representatives at County Council, past and present, and the interests of the taxpayers. The Mayor next called on Councilor Cummings, Chairman of Finance, who spoke briefly outlining his policy in regard to municipal government in 1933. If he were elected the town would be in good shape, but they are not paid and we must practice every day. He called on Messrs Cummings, of any kind this year except one to the five bridge. He hoped to cut down expenditures to \$500 at the end of the year to wipe out old debts. He would like to see a revised budget, but it is not possible to do so. This means would have to be collected even if property were sold, and such a condition should be shown. No one talked such drastic action if it could be at all avoided. Economy should be practiced. Mr. W. W. Bradley, Chairman Housing Commission spoke regarding the finances of the town and the Housing Commission. The only way to get the money is to raise the property value. The Housing Commission was drawing on the funds of the town. The debt per capita for the Council to estimate but all possible was being done. During the past three or four years the town's equity in the houses had been increased considerably. The Mayor publicly thanked Mr. Bradley for his splendid work in straightening up the affairs of the Housing Commission. Mr. Bradley is the Manager of the Bank of Montreal, through the more information the tax-payer received regarding the situation. The Mayor from past statements it appeared that the Corporation in many years had related sufficient money by taxation to pay off bank loans but had paid them by consolidating debt. Financing Housing Commission was done on the town. The debt per capita at the present time is \$122. Smoke and social intercourse for four hours of the address made the end of a perfect day, when on motion of Mr. John D. Kelly, a hearty vote was passed to extend to Mayor Mackenzie, Mrs. Mackenzie and family for their very kind and generous hospitality.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Mr. IV—Hons. Jean Rumble, Arnold Brull, Mildred James, Margaret McLaren, Peggy Martin, Mrs. E. Kinsler, Mrs. O'Connor, Evelyn Henderson, Jean Coffin, Walter Bradford, and Alice Cowling, Great Millon, Violet Hanson, Isabel Richardson, Hazel Hainbacher and Joyce Hainzy, Ethel McHenry, Dorothy McInven, Robert Poirer, Franklin Chase, Lorraine Laitiner, Jessie McDonald, Ted Arnold, Harold Home, Evelyn Woods, Fred Carter, Arthur Armstrong, Mary Cook, Lorraine Wright, Flossie Smith, Cecile Hall, Jack Dean, Lorne Clark, etc.

MILTON

Mayor—Edmund Byer (recl.)
Mace—Jas. W. Klein (recl.)
Council—T. C. J. Maitland, W. L. London, Dr. C. A. Martin, J. Irving, E. M. Clouston, F. Patton, P. L. White, D. H. Hutchinson. The last three did not qualify. The council was three-fifths. The council was three-fifths. The council was three-fifths.

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HOCKEY NEWS

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Coming to the Gregory Theatre

"SMILE THROUGH" AND "PROSPERITY" ARE TWO PICTURES WELL WORTH SEEING. Norma Shearer in "Smile Through" directed by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer is a picture of the year. It is a picture of the year. It is a picture of the year.

PROSPERITY

"Prosperity" is a picture with a pure message. It is a picture with a pure message. It is a picture with a pure message.

NYVAL POPULARITY CONTEST RESULTS

Final results of Nyval Popularity Contest 13 p.m. Dec. 30th, 1932, at Dan's Drug Store:
BOYS' CONTEST
First prize, O.L.M. Bicycle—Arnold Brull, 2726 votes.
Second prize, Mike Wagon—Hobbe Hall, 1800 votes.
Third prize, four skates—Jimmie Louth, 974 votes.
Fourth prize, roller skates—Bill McNelly, 924 votes.
Fifth prize, doll—Jean Reid, 7103 votes.
Sixth prize, doll—Gwen Davis, 6360 votes.
Seventh prize, doll—Euse Coleman, 4384 votes.
Eighth prize, doll—Marjorie Kentner, 4230 votes.

GIRLS' CONTEST

First prize, doll carriage—Shirley Harrison, 1343 votes.
Second prize, doll—Margaret L. Brad-ley, 7360 votes.
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GREGORY

Friday, January 4th—"Dark Horse" a rapid fire action comedy, starring Billy Davis and Warren Williams. Comedy "Boudier Butler" Post News. Saturday, January 7th, matinee 3 p.m.—"Smile Through" a picture with rare pathos and beauty, starring Norma Shearer and Fredric March. Comedy "Boudier Butler" Post News. Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 10 and 11—"Prosperity" good-by blues, so long, good-bye; happy days are here again, co-starring Marie Dressler and Pully Moran. Comedy "Coke Cakes" Dinnerware night. Prices 10c and 25c. Coming "Smile Through" with Edward G. Robinson.

CARROLL'S QUALITY FIRST ECONOMY ALWAYS. ALL-BRAN 1 lb. 19c. SYRUP 2 2-lb. tins 27c. BEANS 5 pounds 10c. SOUPS 2 tins 17c. CAKES pound 10c. SOAP 10 lbs 34c. VENO'S COUGH SYRUP. Clark's Pork and Beans. TOMATO JUICE FREE. CARROLL'S ROLLED OATS 6 lbs. 21c. PRUNES 3 lbs. 25c. APRICOTS lb 23c.

ORANGES, per doz. 43c, 35c, 25c. COOKING ONIONS, 10 lb. 21c. Main Street Phone 357 Georgetown

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Important Changes in Train Service. Earlier Departure of Trains between Toronto, Hamilton, Burlington, Georgetown and Altonville. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 6th, 1933. Train No. 77 will leave Toronto 6:40 a.m., daily except Sunday 15 minutes earlier.

Reduced Prices! EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1st, 1933. All our prices on PARTS and ACCESSORIES and LABOR are materially reduced, in some cases as high as 30%. Here is one example. All 4 Cylinder Cars—Grind, valves, including refacing valves and valve seats with special equipment, clean distributor, clean carburetor, adjust timing, check battery and lights. Former Price was \$5.00. NOW Only \$3.50. Prices on all other cars in proportion. Speight's Garage A. R. Spaight Brake Specialists Georgetown Phone 278w

SCOUT NEWS

Christmas Eve saw the conclusion of the scouts toy shop for 1932. Despite the inclemency of the weather the boys called forth, led by Scoutmaster C. Davis and R. Pittwater, T.I., and delivered their toys to over twenty Georgetown families. The troop is very happy to have been able to cover so much territory and the fact that they were able to do this is tribute to the generosity of many citizens of the town. During the evening the scouts were able to do a good turn when they came upon a young man in distress. The gentleman in question, who was holding a roast of meat under a tree, was in a daze. He had been drinking and was unable to get home. The scouts took him to the home of a friend and he was able to get home safely.

HOW FARM PRICES COULD BE RAISED

A few years ago when we sold our wheat for 100 cents on the bushel, the British market and transferred sterling to Canadian currency \$10 would give the Canadian farmer 100 cents. Today, due to the difference in exchange, \$10 gives our farmer only 87.50. It works the same for all exporters. The Canadian farmer is responsible for maintaining their currencies on a par with sterling \$10 gives the farmer 100 cents in his own money. The same amount in their respective currencies as it did several years ago. That is, each farmer should receive the equivalent of \$10.00 for the same amount of produce which would give the Canadian farmer 100 cents. Now Australia and the Argentine are keen competitors of ours on the British market. How does this matter of exchange affect them? Instead of losing by it, they profit tremendously. Because their currencies are depreciated, not only to a par with sterling but far below it, \$10 sterling gives the Australian farmer the equivalent of \$100 in his currency, and the Argentine farmer receives almost as much. How can the Canadian farmer possibly compete on a world market under such a handicap? Moreover, since the price of export commodities on the world market, the price of those commodities selling on the home market, this exchange handicap is responsible for holding the price of major farm products approximately 30 per cent. lower than it would be if we had parity with the pound sterling. A writer in the November issue of the Winnipeg Free Press, discussing the men in responsible positions in trade circles, brought out the fact that, if our Canadian dollar were on a par with the pound sterling (1) the price of a 1200 lb. export steer on the Winnipeg market would, at that time, be increased by \$20.00; (2) the price of a bushel of wheat would be increased by 10c; and (3) the price of a bushel of corn would be increased by 10c per hundredweight—\$130 for a 300 lb. hog. As immediate depreciation and expansion of our currency would remove this unfair burden placed upon our farmer, it is the writer's opinion that very materially in their struggle to meet payments on debts which have accumulated on which interest is being charged, they were hurried several years back, and the return of the farmers' purchasing power would enable them to pay their debts. The writer would in turn revive merchants' business, increase the tonnage on our railways, and factories running, less unemployment, raise government revenue, and decrease the expenditure for unemployment relief.

CORRESPONDENCE

APPEAL FOR CO-OPERATION. Toronto, Ont., Dec. 28, 1932. Editor Herald, Georgetown, Ontario. I am through your news columns, permitted to thank the people of your district for the way they have, under the name of the trying conditions of the past twelve months, and frankly, sincerely, to invite them to co-operate in the Government's effort to get the country ahead of us in an even greater measure of confidence and co-operation. This is no time for playing politics. Governments are far too busy endeavoring to save the country, to concern themselves with party politics. Only through co-operation, not the co-operation of any political party in particular, but the parties and tolerance and fair play of all right minded people regardless of creed; whether they be farmers, dealers of agriculture, or our ship riders out the storm and be brought safely and securely into port again. While we cannot demand that the Government, the Government, at the helm, we can at least appeal unreservedly and unashamedly for the contribution from our people. George S. Henry, Prime Minister of Ontario.

CHURCH NEWS

St. George's Church. Rev. W. O. C. Thompson, Rector. First Sunday after the Epiphany; Holy Communion 9:30 a.m., Matins 11 a.m., Evensong 7 p.m. St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams. First Sunday after the Epiphany; Holy Communion 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 3 p.m., Evensong 3 p.m. Baptist Church. Sunday school 10 a.m. lesson: "Jesus Feeds the 5000." Public worship and preaching service 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. A. M. Prith, pastor. Young People's Union, Monday 8 p.m. Knox Presbyterian Church and Establishment. Here we are at the New Year. Let us remember it to keep it holy. This is the year that the Lord hath made; come let us rejoice and be glad in it. United Church. Rev. R. W. Humley, Minister; Mr. M. L. Laidlaw, Organist. Public worship and Bible classes; 11 a.m. morning worship, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, 7 p.m. Evening service. Friday 8 p.m. Preparatory service in the church. The Session will meet at 7:45 p.m. in the Men's Class Room. Rev. Mr. Aitken of Ballinacraig will preach. All are welcome at the service.

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