

# NEWS PARADE

Local News and Views

## WEEK-END SHOPPING SHOULD BE DONE EARLY, IF POSSIBLE!

Georgetown, like other towns and villages in Ontario, have large crowds on Saturday nights, most of whom leave their shopping until they are ready to go home. Most merchants agree with an exchange, which says in part: "We have heard many of the store proprietors express the desire that more shoppers should come to town in the daylight hours and give the storekeepers and clerks a better opportunity to serve them, which would be of mutual satisfaction to all. Those coming to town on open nights would confer a favour on local merchants by doing their shopping as early in the evening, as possible. Merchants appreciate patronage well as possible, but beg them to shop early and in daylight if at all possible."

On Saturday evening the lights were off on the East side of Main Street for some time, and no doubt much inconvenience was caused the storekeepers in trying to serve last-minute Saturday night shoppers. Remember to try and do your shopping earlier in the day if at all possible.

## FALL FAIR SOON TO SOLICIT DONATIONS

Members of the Esqueaux Agricultural Society Fall Fair Board will commence this week to solicit donations for the fair. The Executive Board plans well in hand for a good show in Georgetown this year. The program has been completely revised and it is hoped to have it off the press by late August, giving a month before the fair day for exhibitors to prepare. The fair this year is being held on Sept. 28th and 29th. Secretary Frank Birch, or any member of the Board, will be glad to receive your donations.

## HOUSEWIVES ASKED TO MAKE JAM AND JELLIES

A letter to the local branch of the Red Cross Society from headquarters, asks housewives to "fill every jar and bottle in your cupboards with jams and preserves. Help preserve our fruits and do your bit for our injured and communities. This is a patriotic duty to be observed by all women."

## "MINUTE MEN" IN ENGLAND PORTRAYED IN PUNCH

In the last issue of "Punch" to reach Canada, June 26th issue, England's "minute men" are portrayed in a cartoon working in their fields with a rifle slung over their backs and ready for any emergency. Georgetown is training a strong squad of "minute men," and while Col. Ballantine hopes their services will never be required, he also wants to be ready in case our country should be invaded by either Hun or Fifth Column! Besides the regular Tuesday evening drill at the park, classes in drill, map-reading and other military technique are being held at the town hall on Friday evenings.

## INTERDENOMINATIONAL CAMP BEING HELD AT LOWVILLE

A number of local boys took advantage of the camp held at Lowville last week under the direction of the Religious and Educational Council. The camp is interdenominational and well directed. This week a group of Georgetown girls, including Peggy Kelly, Joan Main, "Ticky" Mulholland, Eleanor Miller, Ruth Goldham and Susie Coiman are at camp. Miss Janet Henderson, who graduated as a dietitian from Macdonald Hall this summer, is one of the camp cooks.

## KEEP SAVING WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

The Acton Free Press, in urging the purchase of War Savings Stamps, says: "Keep on accumulating War Savings Stamps. They will make a nice little nest egg when Hitler's chickens go home to roost."

## NAMED PRESIDENT OF BANDMASTER'S ASSOCIATION

Percie C. Cox, until recently choir leader at the Georgetown United Church, and now bandmaster of the Petrolia White Rose Band, was last week chosen president of the Bandmasters' Association in convention at Belleville. Mr. Cox was instrumental in securing the 1941 convention for Petrolia.

## KERSEY REUNION HELD RECENTLY

The Strathroy Age-Despatch reports the reunion of the Kersey clan as follows:—

The 1940 reunion of the William and Edward Kersey branch was held in Springbank Park with members present from Watford, London, Windsor, Strathroy, Hagersville, Croton, Kincairdine, Millbank, Woodbridge, Weston, Port Credit, Bolton, Georgetown, Walkerville, Detroit, Dresden and Owasso, Michigan. Townley Lawrence, Toronto, past president, conducted the business meeting at which the officers for the 1941 reunion were elected as follows: President, Rev. George Kersey, Kincairdine; vice-president, Joseph Kersey, Woodbridge; secretary-treasurer, Rev. S. E. Stevenson, Millbank; sports committee, Lloyd White, Paris; Mrs. Kersey, Woodbridge; Freeman Kersey, Georgetown; Aileen Kersey, Bolton. The following were called upon to give addresses, Harry Burton, Port

Credit, Alec Lawrence, Weston; Geo. Kersey, Owasso, Mich.; Rev. S. E. Stevenson, Millbank. A birthday cake was donated by Mrs. William Gardner, Windsor, as a remembrance of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Hume, who died in her 100th year last year. Mrs. Sarah Hume was the last surviving daughter of the late Edward Kersey, who came from England around the year 1821.

In the afternoon 90 members of the Kersey clan participated in the sports program conducted by Tobias Kersey, Strathroy, assisted by Freeman Kersey, Georgetown, and Misses Aileen and Jean Kersey, Bolton. The oldest woman present was Mrs. Gardner, Walkerville; oldest man, Jonathan Kersey, Dresden; youngest child present, Lawrence William Burton, Woodbridge; family who came the farthest distance, George Kersey's family, Owasso, Michigan.

## NO NEED TO GO NORTH TO SEE A WOLF

When Mr. Ernie Rogers was working in his fields on "the mountain," just north of the town, he was suddenly surprised to see a full-grown, genuine wolf, running through the hay quite near to him. Mr. Rogers said there was no mistaking the animal—which was large as a collie dog, with a long tail. While it is some years since wolves were reported in this district, sheep farmers can take warning, as there may even be more, and their favorite sport is preyed on a defenceless sheep.

## CHAIN LETTERS HAVE AGAIN BEEN BANNED

Chain letters which have been circulating recently containing war savings stamps have been banned by the Government. While the government appreciates the attempt by citizens to help in the war effort, the chain letter method opens up an avenue for fraud, as the stamps are readily obtainable and who knows for what the money may be spent. Any letters that are found going through the mail may be confiscated. So if you receive one and did not send it on, you have some satisfaction in the fact that the practice is an illegal one.

## IN OUR MAIL BAG

Georgetown, July 24th, 1940.  
Mr. Editor

Dear Sir:—May I take a little space in your paper to record the activities of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion since war began. Donations have been given as follows: Red Cross \$25.00, Canadian Legion War Services \$25.00, Salvation Army \$5.00. Cigarettes and parcels have been sent to the injured boys overseas—these parcels containing all articles useful to them. Wool is purchased and the members have social working parties where the knitting, etc. is done, also each member giving a gift to be placed in boxes. The Province of Ontario Ladies' Auxiliaries have decided to give the Government a fully equipped ambulance to which our members have subscribed \$75.00. This ambulance is to be presented in August.

Our means of raising funds has been with eucare and raffish. At this time I would like to thank all those who have in any way helped us to obtain such splendid results. The efforts of all members have been wonderful—the membership is around 40. This organization is an auxiliary to our Legion, all of whom are boys who served in the first Great War, and our duty is still to help them in every way and also now to do whatever we can to aid in winning this great conflict and help cheer and comfort this army.

With many thanks,  
Yours very sincerely,  
L. Blanche Grieve, President  
Ladies' Auxiliary Canadian Legion,  
Branch 129, Georgetown.

## Saturday Night Accident Puts Out Main St. Lights

Driving along Edith Street on Saturday night, a car driven by Newton Ruddell was unable to make the turn at Maple Avenue, and crashed into a hydro pole, snapping the wires and putting out the lights on the east side of Main Street. It was some time before the power could be restored, and merchants on that side of the street were forced to do business by candle-light until the line was fixed.

Mrs. Ruddell, only passenger in the car, was slightly injured. The car was damaged and was removed to Speight's Garage for body repairs.

## POTATO PLANT GROWS 8" IN A WEEK

Since last week, the potato plant growing in S. P. Chapman's garden, which measured 4" last Wednesday has increased to 8" and seems to be out-to-break-all-vegetable-records.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Samuel McMaster and son wish to thank the neighbours and friends for their prompt actions and ready help during the loss by fire of their barn last week.

A lie, whatever the guise it wears,  
Is a lie, as it was of yore,  
And a truth that has lasted a million years  
Is good for a million more. —Olson

## DIED

**HURST**—In Georgetown, at his summer home on the 7th Line, on Tuesday, July 23rd, 1940, Samuel Hurst, beloved husband of Lillie Field, Mrs. Jas. Henderson, Mr. Percy Hurst and Mr. Ernest Hurst, in his 64th year. The funeral will be held from McClure's Funeral Home, Maple Avenue, Georgetown, on Thursday, July 25th, service at 3 o'clock D.E.T. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

**RIGGS**—In Toronto, on Monday, July 22nd, 1940, Agnes Preston, beloved wife of Albert Riggs, aged 69 years. The funeral will be held from the Jerrett Funeral Chapel, 1141 St. Clair Avenue West, Toronto, on Wednesday, July 24th, 1940, at 2 p.m. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

## "OVER OUR FENCE"

### ACTON

#### Reception for Mrs. Stanley Norton

Mrs. Chris Swackhamer entertained recently for Mrs. Stanley Norton, the former Oral Chalmers of Acton. The guests were fellow-employees of the Mason Knitting Mill. Mrs. Norton was presented with a beautiful silver dish and an autograph book. She, in turn, made a presentation to Miss Helen Cook, another guest, who is leaving Acton.

Successful Recruiting in Acton  
Over 60 men from the Acton district are now enlisted with the C.A.S.P. A call for recruits by the Lorne Scots a week ago Tuesday brought 70 applications. Only a few of these were needed, and they have gone up for medical examination.

#### Wedding

At a recent ceremony in Guelph, Vera Mary Rawlings, of Acton, was married to Wilfred Ernest Matlocks. The bride, who wore figured blue sheer, with navy and white accessories, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rawlings. After a honeymoon in Muskoka, the couple will live in Acton.

Vacancy Filled on P.U.C.  
John Lambert fills the position on the Acton Public Utilities Commission made vacant by the enlistment of Gordon C. Smith. —Acton Free Press—

### MILTON

#### Bad Fire at Hornby

For the second time within a few years Joseph Ferrier had his home destroyed by fire. Mr. Ferrier, caretaker of the CBL tower, was away from home at the time. A neighbour, Murray Bridgen, noticed the smoke and gave the alarm, but the most that could be done was to keep the fire from spreading to other buildings, and the Ferrier house and contents were completely destroyed.

James Armstrong, son of Mayor Armstrong, has accepted a position on the office staff of the Bank of Toronto. James Kennedy has also taken a similar position with the Bank of Commerce.

#### War Savings Stamps

Sale of stamps for the special performance at the Princess Theatre in Milton, amounted to \$353. The theatre was filled to capacity, and many who arrived late had to be turned away. —Milton Champion—

## CONFLICTING OPINIONS

This week we ran across two opinions which take entirely opposing viewpoints. From the Health League of Canada, an organization which includes in its membership many prominent Canadian doctors, and provincial ministers and deputy-ministers of health comes the following warning regarding pasteurization of milk: "Pointing out that disease germs take no time out for summer vacations, Dr. Gordon Bates, General Director of the Health League of Canada, issued a warning that all milk, especially that given to children, should be pasteurized in the interests of health preservation."

"The fact that a child is on holiday is no sufficient reason for a lowering of safeguards as regards diet," said Dr. Bates. "He still needs a full supply of fruit, vegetables, eggs, meat, fish, cheese and milk, and it is of the first importance that the milk be pasteurized."

"When the ready purchase of commercially pasteurized milk is impossible, Dr. Bates explained, the fluid may be processed at the cost of but little time and trouble in summer home or camp. The milk, he explained, should be heated in a double-boiler to a temperature of about 145 degrees F, then allowed to stand at the back of the stove for 30 minutes at a temperature of not less than 143 degrees. It should then be cooled rapidly to 45 degrees F, after which it is ready to use."

"Guesswork as to temperature is not sufficient, Dr. Bates added. A kitchen thermometer should be used during the heating."

Opposing this viewpoint, the Ledger, a weekly newspaper for farmers, published in London, Ontario, is in the midst of a campaign AGAINST the very thing which Dr. Bates urges. Publishing an account of the results of animal feedings on raw and pasteurized milk as presented to the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Ledger says: "The animals (rats) were fed good diets, the only difference being in the kind of milk. Those with raw milk had better weight than those with pasteurized."

"This gain was small, but it was so definite that the animals were dissected to see if they could learn why. They discovered what they termed milk injuries to internal organs in the pasteurized fed animals."

"The hearts of the latter had a slightly flabby appearance compared with the raw milk drinkers. Adrenal glands were paler in color and had small areas of apparent atrophy. The livers were paler. The skeletal muscles, which are those that attach by either one or both ends to bones, were likewise paler."

Continuing in this view, the Ledger attempts to tie up pasteurization with an increase in heart disease over the past generation, and lays blame for the introduction of enforced pasteurization upon a "sordid union of political-medical-commercial forces."

We should be interested in hearing some opinions from our readers concerning this pasteurization problem. Personally, we have always believed that pasteurization is a good thing, in that it gives assurance of the destruction of many harmful germs in milk. If it does the harm that the Ledger claims, all efforts should be made to repeal the pasteurization law. If not, the Ledger should be made to retract its statements.

## ELORA PRINCIPAL TAKES TRAINING COURSE

Mr. J. W. Grimmon, principal of Elora High School is spending the summer taking an officers' training course at a training camp in London, Ontario.

THREE FREE LESSONS  
— in —  
**DRESSMAKING**  
NO OBLIGATION WHATSOEVER  
— at the —  
**Singer Sewing Machine Centre**  
21 Queen St. W. BRAMPTON Phone 696

**Proclamation**  
**CIVIC HOLIDAY**  
**Monday, August 5**

Whereas the Corporation of the Town of Georgetown have in former years set aside the first Monday in August as a Civic Holiday;

And whereas the members of the Municipal Council to comply with the desire of the citizens, have decided that the 5th day of August, 1940, shall be observed as such;

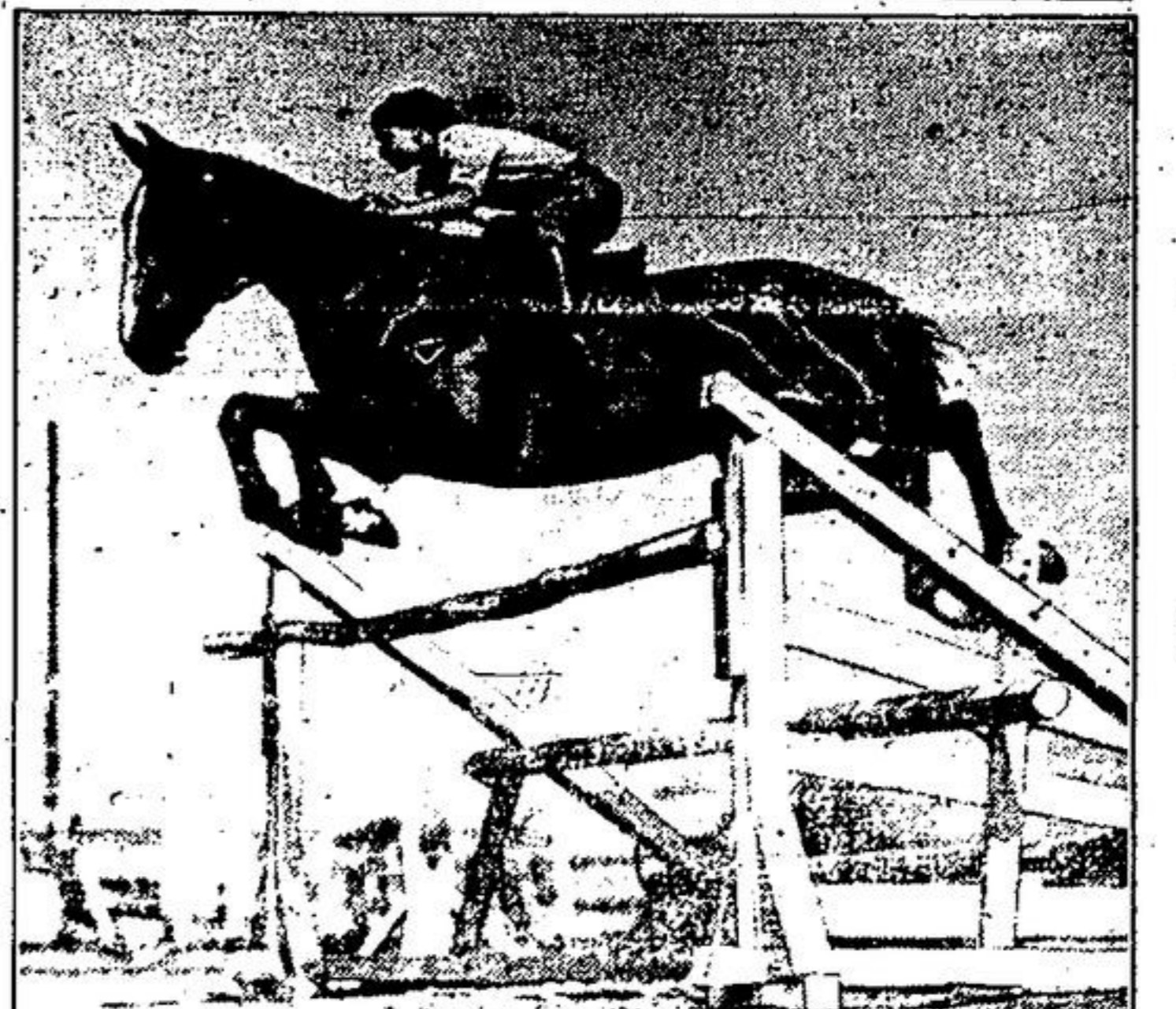
Therefore, I do declare Monday, August 5th, 1940, a Civic Holiday for the Town of Georgetown, and I respectfully request all citizens to govern themselves accordingly.

**JOSEPH GIBBONS, Mayor.**  
"GOD SAVE THE KING"

**You too can SERVE— by SAVING!**  
**BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS**

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

SHOOTING REAL ACTION



From this angle, motion is rapid and shutter speed must be high—but a slower shutter speed can be used if you shoot from a greater distance with the subject moving almost directly toward you.

THERE'S a tremendous thrill in taking pictures of genuine fast action—racing automobiles, motor-cycles, speedboats, horses, athletic events and sports. Indeed, many enthusiastic amateurs find that this is the most zealous aspect of their camera hobby.

To picture real action, you need a camera with a speedy shutter, and a correspondingly fast lens. With modern high speed films, the fast lens is not as necessary as it used to be—but a fast shutter, with speeds of 1/300, 1/400, or 1/500 second, will always be a necessity if you specialize in this type of picture taking.

On the other hand, if you just take action shots now and then, and don't have a camera with an extremely high-speed shutter, there are certain tricks you can use. . . . and these will often help you get sharp action pictures, even though you are handicapped by a slow shutter.

For example, look at the picture above. The action is almost "broad-side" to the camera, or at a right angle to it. Naturally, from this angle, the motion is greatest, and a shutter speed of at least 1/500 second is needed. But if you stood quite near the track, farther up, so that the horse was coming almost directly toward you, the motion would appear less rapid. From that angle, a shutter speed of 1/200 would yield a reasonably sharp picture, if you caught the horse at the peak of the jump.

Remember that rule: when the action is coming toward you, motion is less, and a slower shutter will serve. By proper choice of position, therefore, you can overcome your handicap in many cases, and improve your percentage of successful pictures.

Here is another hint. In many games and sports, there are momentary pauses. A player will halt to turn—yet still retain a good action pose for a split second. In these pauses, if you're alert, you can capture many a fine action shot.

So even if you have a slow camera, don't be discouraged. A model with fast shutter is best, but that will come in time . . . and meanwhile, if you're alert and seize your opportunities, you can garner plenty of worth-while action pictures.

John van Gulder

**Dominion SPECIALS!**

**J A M** STRAWBERRY with Pectin 27c  
or RASPBERRY—32 oz.

**Pork & Beans** CLARK'S 3 20 oz. tins 25c

**GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** 2 20 oz. tins 19c

**CLARK'S IRISH STEW**, 15 oz. tin 2 tins 25c

**CLARK'S PORK SAUSAGE**, 14 oz. tin 23c

**CLARK'S BOILED DINNER**, 16 oz. tin 19c

**VINEGAR** BULK  
White or Blended Gal. 39c

**PRAIRIE NUTS** PACKAGES 9c and 19c

**KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES**, 8 oz. pkg. 2 for 15c

**PEANUT BUTTER** (bulk) 2 lb. for 25c

**CLARK'S Tomato and Vegetable SOUP** 2 tins 15c

**CLARK'S Assorted Sandwich Spreads** 3 tins 25c

**JELLIED ORANGE** 2 lbs. for 25c

**GINGER ALE** DOMINO 30 oz. Bottle Plus deposit 10c

**BREAD** WHITE or BROWN Sliced—24 oz. 2 for 15c

**Graham Wafers** 2 12 oz. pkg. 25c

**FRUIT SPECIALS**

ORANGES	doz. 25c & 29c	LEMONS	doz. 29c
GRAPEFRUIT	5 for 25c	BANANAS	3 lbs. for 25c
CABBAGE	head 5c	CAULIFLOWER	home 15c
Wax or Green BEANS	lb. 10c	RADISH	5c
HEAD LETTUCE	5c	CELERY	5c

Gooseberries — Red Currants, Raspberries — Blue Berries

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