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Georgetown Fall Fair Friday and Saturday

Attractions Promised as 95th Annual Event Scheduled this Week-End—Friday Night Dance, Midway, Potato Race, Baby Show Among the Highlights.

Only a few days now till Georgetown Fall Fair, which will be held on Friday and Saturday, September 12th and 13th in Georgetown Park.

On Friday, the Fair Grounds will be a buzz of activity, as exhibits are arranged and last-minute preparations made. The committee is determined to make this a steady-successful event, which has been taking place now for the past ninety-five years.

Officers and Directors
Heading the list of officers of the Esqueving Agricultural Society, which sponsors the show, is President Herbert Cleave, with Spencer Wilson and Cecil Chisholm as 1st and 2nd Vice-Presidents. P. W. Cleave and Frank Petch fill the offices of treasurer and secretary, while the lengthy directors' list includes the names of: T. L. Leslie, G. W. McLintock, Walter Gray, Lorne L. Mullin, W. C. Anthony, Craig Reid, John Bird, James Fisher, T. J. Brownridge, Nelson A. Robinson, Harding Price, Clarence Anderson, Garfield McGilvray, W. C. Cunningham, and Oscar Lersch. Lady directors are: Misses M. Gault, C. McCullough, Elsie Bird, Eva Chisholm, Mrs. W. E. Nodwell, Mrs. H. Cleave and Mrs. Spencer Wilson.

Hughes Cleave, M.P., of Burlington, is honorary president, and L. E. Fleck, honorary first vice-president, while Mayor Joseph Gibbons, Douglas C. H. Wright, John Bingham, W. A. Wilson, Reeve of Esqueving, and G. H. Guthrie, of Toronto, are honorary directors.

Friday Night Dance

The first big attraction of the Fair will take place Friday night in the arena, when Russ O'Reighton and his Variety Dance Band, of Toronto, will provide plenty of zippy music, both old time and modern, for those who like to trip the light fantastic. This well-known musical organization has been popular in town in several past appearances, and it is expected that a good crowd will be on hand to welcome them back. There will be a refreshment booth, and dancing has been announced from 8.45 to 1.30 a.m.

Saturday Attractions

Besides the exhibits of live stock, grain, fruits and vegetables, domestic science and handicraft there will be many attractions on Saturday to make the Fair of interest to everyone.

Foremost of these will be the races—the 220 and 226 trot or pace, the potato race (if you've never seen this, we're not going to tell you what it is, but we guarantee you'll get a thrill out of it), running and high jumps.

Mr. Nat. Guthrie, of Toronto, is once more donating prizes, this year in War Savings Certificates, for the Baby Show.

The Lorne Scots Band will be at the Fair Grounds during the afternoon, to show the crowd how they are in so many prizes, and why they are in such demand at functions in the district.

Haack's Midway is a new attraction this year—and rides, games and entertainment are promised for both youngsters and grown ups.

There will be a grand parade of prize-winning animals in front of the grandstand at 4 p.m., in order to give everyone a look at the choicest Esqueving Township stock.

Yes, all indications point to a great Fair this year, and we hope the Society will get the support it deserves. See you at the Fair!

FALL FAIR NOTES

Don't forget the date of Georgetown Fall Fair—next Friday and Saturday, Sept. 12th - 13th.

Our third war-time fair has high hopes of being one of the biggest shows in its 95 year's existence.

Remember Your 25c admission to the fair entitles you to participate in the draw for War Savings Certificates.

The Baby Show will take place in front of the grandstand at about 2.30 p.m.

Boys under 21 will take part in a judging competition of beef cattle. Competition will start promptly at 1.30 p.m. Standard Time, and will be in charge of J. E. Whitelock, Agricultural Representative for Halton.

Hog exhibitors please note that there must be 5 hogs in pen shown for Eaton special of market hogs.

And here is an added attraction for the Public School boys and girls! Mr. M. Malina, Georgetown jeweler, is offering a wrist watch to the boy and girl writing the best essay on "Georgetown's Part in Canada's War Effort." Second prizes of fountain pens are also being given by Mr. Malina. The offer and we hope the boys and girls watch at \$6.50 and the second prizes at \$1.50 each. This is a very generous offer and we hope the boys and girls of the Public School will do their best, although the notice is rather short. Will the teachers please announce this at the school? Entries should be handed to the secretary Saturday morning at the latest.

Mrs. W. J. Hill Died In Glen Williams

It was with deep regret that the Glen community learned of the death on Thursday evening, Sept. 4th, of Annie Elizabeth Brennan, dearly beloved wife of William James Hill. Although ill for the past few months and confined to her bed for the past seven weeks, her death came as a severe shock to her family and wide circle of friends.

The late Mrs. Hill was born in Stittsville, in the Ottawa district, 56 years ago, but had lived the greater part of her life in Glen Williams. She had been an active worker in the Glen United Church, and had served as vice-president of the Women's Association for a number of years.

Surviving, besides her husband, are one son, Elmer, of Glen Williams and a grandson, Bobby; also three sisters and one brother, Mrs. E. Marsden, of Woodstock, Mrs. Leonard F. White, of Milton, Mrs. Irwin King, of Brampton, and Wesley Brennan of Glen Williams.

The funeral was held from her home on Saturday afternoon at 4.00 o'clock, when the service was conducted by Mr. R. K. Lemkau, student minister of the church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Edward Hill, Bert Hill, Fred Johnson, Harvey Hodgins, Irwin King and Albert North. Interment was in Glen Williams Cemetery.

The many beautiful floral tributes were a silent tribute to the high esteem in which Mrs. Hill and family are held in the community.

Mrs. William Thirston Buried in Greenwood

The remains of another former resident of this district were borne to their last resting place yesterday afternoon, when Mabel Drummond, dearly beloved wife of William Thirston, was buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Thirston died very suddenly at her home, 77 Burndale Avenue, Lansing, on Saturday evening, Sept. 6th. Born in Georgetown, she had lived here and in Stewarstown for a number of years before going to Lansing sixteen or seventeen years ago. While living in this district Mrs. Thirston's husband was in the decorating business.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Dorothy (Mrs. R. F. Warren), of Toronto, and two sons, Earl and Gordon, both overseas with the R.C.E. and R.C.A., respectively. Four sisters and three brothers also remain: Mrs. Harvey Bradley, Georgetown, Mrs. Herb Milne, Elora, Mrs. Jack Guggisberg, Gaylord, Mich., Mrs. Norman Davidson, Inglewood, Bert Drummond, Toronto, James Drummond, Barrie, and Arthur Drummond, Bowling Green, Ohio.

The funeral was held from the Myers Funeral Home, 2335 Yonge St., to Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown, where Rev. W. G. O. Thompson of St. George's Church of England, conducted the service at the grave.

Burt-Johnston Wedding At Acton

A pretty wedding was solemnized last Saturday afternoon, September 6th, when Eileen Gertrude Johnston, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Johnston, became the bride of Lloyd Goldwin Burt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Burt, of Georgetown.

The ceremony was performed at the United Church parsonage by Rev. A. Walter Postbury, minister of the church.

The bride was becomingly gowned in rose sheer, with a corsage of roses. Her attendant, Mrs. William Johnston, the groom's sister, was similarly gowned, with a corsage of roses. The best man was the bride's brother, Mr. William Johnston, of Acton.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home, Mrs. C. O. Johnston and Mrs. Laurence Burt received the guests. The couple left on a northern honeymoon. On their return, they will reside in Acton.

Betty Smethurst Married to Charles Grant in Toronto

Elizabeth Anne (Betty) Smethurst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smethurst, of Limehouse, and Charles Aubrey Grant, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant, of Toronto, were united in marriage on Saturday, Sept. 6th in St. Ann's Anglican Church, Gladstone Avenue, Toronto. The church was beautifully decorated with gladioli and the wedding music was played by Miss Frances Jenkinson, of Stewarstown.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore her going-away dress of beige all-wool with hat of dark brown and shoes and gloves of dark brown suede; her bouquet was of Tullman roses. Margaret E. (Peggy) Smethurst was her sister's bridesmaid, and wore a wine dress and hat, with shoes and gloves of dark suede, and her bouquet was yellow roses.

Mr. Ingle Grant, brother of the groom, was groomsmen, and Mr. J. Harry Smethurst, of Barrie, brother of the bride, and Mr. M. Paterson, of Toronto, were the ushers. Canon Skeay, of Toronto, performed the ceremony, and during the signing of the register Miss Helen McCowan, of Barrie, sang "O Promise Me."

After the ceremony the bride and groom left on a motor trip and the young people of the party were entertained at the Walker House by Miss E. Appelle, of Georgetown, aunt of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant will reside in Toronto.

The bride's parents were married in St. Ann's Church twenty-nine years ago by Canon Skeay.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. A. Tracy wishes to thank her many friends and neighbours, also the W.A. and W.I. members, for their kindness in so many ways, given her during her long and serious illness in Toronto General Hospital.

PRIME MINISTER IN SPECIAL BROADCASTS



Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King and members of the Cabinet will take part in the special broadcasts planned for the week of September 10 to 17. This week has been set aside by a Government Proclamation as "Reconciliation Week," so that Canadians may pledge anew their will for a maximum effort in the cause of freedom.

I.O.D.E. Vote \$20.00 to Soldiers' Comforts' Committee

MISS SYBILL BENNETT GAVE INTERESTING ADDRESS

The regular meeting of the Countess of Strathmore Chapter of the I.O.D.E. was held at Glen Haven, the home of Mrs. Roger Guyot, at Glen Williams. In the absence of the Regent, the Vice-Regent, Mrs. A. Greg, took the chair. Business was discussed regarding the scholarship fund at High School and the supplying of milk to the Public School. The War Work convener, Mrs. C. V. Williams, outlined plans for work during the coming year and it was decided that the first project would be the making of shelter bags.

The sum of \$20.00 was voted to the Georgetown Soldiers' Comforts' Committee. Also \$5.00 was voted to the War Guests Fund.

It was found that it was impossible to have a booth at the Fair, and this committee was asked to arrange a sale of baking later in the month, in place of the booth.

Miss Sybill Bennett then gave a very stirring talk on the heritage of the British Empire which was especially inspiring to all.

Tost-Harlow Wedding Last Saturday

The marriage is announced of Elma Jean, youngest daughter of Mrs. Albert Tost, and the late Mr. Tost, to Pte. Herbert Harlow, R.C.A.M.C., of Sussex, N.B., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harlow, Georgetown. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. R. C. Todd, at the United Church Parsonage, on Saturday evening, Sept. 6th, 1941. Miss Jessie Hill attended the bride and Mr. Omar Wilson attended the groom.

War Victims' Fund Approaching Second Mile-Stone

GOOD NEIGHBOURS' CLUB—SALE OF VICTORY "V'S" HELP SWELL TOTAL THIS WEEK

\$128.42 was the grand total of subscriptions turned in last week to the Herald War Victims' Fund, which is associated with the Toronto Evening Telegram Fund, and the grand total now stands at \$1845.11.

A large donation of \$90.00 was received from the Good Neighbours' Club, of Ballinacra, which represented proceeds from a euchre and dance in Ballinacra Community Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 8th.

Twenty tables of euchre were in play, and Mrs. Ray McEnery and Mr. Alex. McKay won top honours, with Mrs. Alex. McKay and Mr. Howard Graham winning consolation prizes. The lucky number draw for a quilt was won by Mr. J. Hughes, of Norval. The draw was made by Master Joey Isley.

After the euchre, dancing was enjoyed with the Wheeler-O'Connell Orchestra supplying old time and modern tunes for the dancers. Coffee and sandwiches were served by the ladies. Mr. Bill Cheyne acted as floor manager.

The Good Neighbours' Club was formed last May by eight ladies in the Ballinacra district—Mrs. Myrtle Logan, Mrs. Fred Higgins, Mrs. D. J. Sinclair, Mrs. Henry Isley, Mrs. Elma Longstreet, Mrs. W. S. Wright, Mrs. Archie McEnery and Mrs. Robert Kirkwood. A similar event in May netted the sum of \$70.00, which was sent directly to the Telegram B.W.V. Fund, and the ladies are to be complimented on these two grand efforts to help British war victims.

A few weeks ago, H. C. McClure, local furniture agent and funeral director, had an idea to help out the Fund. A number of "V" signs were printed on gummed paper by the Herald and offered free as a donation from this office. Mr. McClure enlisted the support of E. R. Magloughlin and Ernie Alcott, and altogether 118 of these stickers were sold at 25c apiece, and the sum of \$29.00 turned over to the Fund. It is interesting to note that Mr. Magloughlin, who was again helping the Fund, made the initial donation of \$5.00 last February, which started off our local effort.

Children Too
The children of the community still continue as active workers for the war victims. The Georgetown Trail Rangers, collected and sold old papers and magazines, and raised \$6.42. Last Wednesday night, Phyllis, Eileen, Miriam and Junior Grace came into the office and each produced a quarter which they wanted to be put into the Fund. Keep up the good work, kids.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank our many friends and neighbours for their kindness during our recent bereavement.—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bailey.

CARD OF THANKS

The flowers and kind expressions of sympathy in the loss of our brother, the late Mr. Job Board, were deeply appreciated.—Brother and Sisters.

Rev. C.C. Cochrane Inducted as New Minister at Presbyterian Churches

Editor's Brother Joins Army



DR. J. T. BIEHN

Dr. J. Telford Biehn, of Sarnia, spent the week end in town with his brother, Mr. Walter Biehn. He was en route to Camp Borden where he will be stationed at the Military Hospital. He is with the R.C.A.M.C., with the rank of Lieutenant.

Dr. Biehn, who is a graduate of the University of Toronto, was an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Sarnia before enlisting for active service. He was a member of Sarnia's Council, resigning this post on enlistment.

RECEPTION HELD IN BASEMENT FOLLOWING SERVICE—FATHER DEDICATED KNOX CHURCH IN 1888

An induction service was held last night for Rev. Charles C. Cochrane, newly-appointed minister at Knox Presbyterian Church, Georgetown, and Limehouse Presbyterian Church.

The edict of induction was read by Rev. E. Foreman, of Toronto, followed by an invitational prayer.

Rev. S. W. Hirtle, of Richmond Hill, gave the scripture reading from the 15th chapter of John, and followed with a prayer. Mrs. Fred Shortall then sang a beautiful solo.

Mr. Hirtle chose 15 John: 4 for his sermon topic, which was most inspiring.

Mr. Foreman, Clerk of the Presbytery, related the steps leading up to the induction, and the induction service was the work of the church, and reminded the new minister that more important than sermons was prayer, which is after all the primary point in religion. He recalled his days as a young resident of Georgetown and as a member of the church, and spoke of the close association of the Georgetown church and the older Limehouse church, which he hoped would always be under one minister.

Rev. Charles Carney, of Streetsville, addressed the congregation, reminding them of certain points in the call to Mr. Cochrane which they had signed.

The service closed with the congregation singing the inspiring hymn "The Church's One Foundation."

A reception was held afterwards in the church basement, where Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane were introduced to the members of the two churches. Mrs. Campbell Sinclair and Mrs. James Ross presided over the tea table, which was attractively decorated with pink flowers and candles.

Rev. A. N. Miller acted as chairman. Brief words of welcome were given by Rev. W. G. O. Thompson, of St. George's Church of England, Rev. R. C. Todd, of Georgetown United Church, and Mr. W. J. L. Hampshire, of Boston Presbyterian Church. Mr. Cochrane's brother, Judge A. Cochrane, of Brampton, was present at the reception.

Miss June Frank, organist at the church, played a piano solo, and vocal solos were contributed by Mrs. Francis Thompson and Mr. Kenneth Bolland.

Mr. Cochrane expressed his thanks at the reception tendered himself and his wife, and Master Gordon Bird presented a lovely bouquet of flowers from the congregation to Mrs. Cochrane.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane come to Georgetown from Geraldton, where they have spent the last two years in the Geraldton and Little Long Lac mission field, where he was the first Presbyterian minister in the field. He obtained his Bachelor of Arts degree from Queen's University, Kingston, in 1936, and his theological degree from Knox College, Toronto, in 1939. He is a son of the late William Cochrane and Mrs. Cochrane, of Orillia. He was born in Belleville, and received his high school education in Orillia. His wife, who is also a graduate of Queen's University, is the daughter of Rev. A. E. Cameron and Mrs. Cameron, of Kingston. They have a 17-month-old son Donald Bryden.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Cochrane's grandfather, the late Rev. Dr. William Cochrane, dedicated Knox Church at the service which was held in 1888.

An uncle, Rev. Dr. R. B. Cochrane, is secretary of the Board of Missions of the United Church, and his brother, Rev. Dr. A. C. Cochrane, is pastor of Tillsonburg Presbyterian Church.

With The Bowlers

With cooler evenings in sight there has been great activity in the Grand Trophy doings at the local green. Messrs. J. Richardson and Harold Cleave had defended successfully the silverware no less than nine times up to and including Friday night last. On this occasion the challengers, Messrs. John Kennedy and A. C. Well met defeat in the final two ends.

On Monday this week, however, the cup was finally called to new quarters, when W. G. Bell and Ben Thompson, who were "definitely on," sent the long-time holders under by a score of 28-17 in twenty ends, with the final end called off an account of rain.

A fresh challenge was made to the new holders by P. B. Coffin and J. W. Kennedy, and the game took place last night, but the challengers were unsuccessful in their efforts, and the cup is still held by the Thompson-Bell combination.

Georgetown was very well represented at the Elora Bowling Club Annual Finals "Furnace" Tournament, on Labor Day—Three clubs of locals were among the 88 rinks taking part, but no prizes came to Georgetown. Better luck next time.

The Georgetown Herald British War Victims' Fund

Forwarded to Toronto Evening Telegram	\$1423.72
Cash on hand, acknowledged	292.87
Phyllis, Eileen, Miriam and Junior Grace Gidsen and Mrs. C. S. Stacey	1.00
Georgetown Trail Rangers, proceeds from paper salvage	6.42
Good Neighbours' Club, Ballinacra, proceeds from euchre and dance, Monday, Sept. 8th	90.00
H. C. McClure, E. R. Magloughlin, Ernie Alcott, proceeds from sale of "V" stickers donated by the Georgetown Herald	29.00
Total, Sept. 10th	\$1845.11

A cavalcade of mechanized troops from Camp Borden passed through No. 7 Highway on their way to Guelph yesterday afternoon about 3.30 p.m. Arrangements were made for someone to phone from Norval, when the cavalcade reached that village, and the Georgetown Public School pupils were dismissed from classes and allowed to watch the display.