

"Standing Room Only" for Annual G.H.S. Commencement

Georgetown High School Commencement, held in the Gregory Theatre last Thursday night, was indeed a credit to both the staff and the students. There was standing room only, long before 8 o'clock. Their expectations were justified for the program was excellent from start to finish.

Dr. A. McAllister, Chairman of the School Board, was chairman for the evening. In his opening remarks, Dr. McAllister stressed the value of education and its use when students go out on their own in the world. To meet changing conditions and needs the educational system in secondary schools must undergo a change in the very near future. Thus domestic science, and manual training will be necessary additions to the curriculum. The present facilities at the High School are not sufficient for present needs and when these changes in the system come about, an addition to the school will be needed. Dr. McAllister, as well as the other members of the board, bespoke the support of the townspeople in such an undertaking after the war.

The presentation of scholarships, awards and graduation diplomas was first on the program. Richard Crich-ton, Form V, was the outstanding pupil of the year, with nine first-class honours out of nine examinations written. He was presented with the R. B. Foulis Shield, in absentia. Scholarships were also presented by Mr. W. T. Evans to the following:

- Form I (R. W. Robb Shield)—Douglas Latimer.
 - Form II (C. V. Williams Shield)—Kenneth R. Harrison.
 - Form III (C. B. Dayfoot Shield)—Doris Brownridge.
 - Form IV (W. V. Grant Shield)—Mary C. McClure.
- Yen, W. G. O. Thompson made the following Honour Diploma presentations: Doris M. Armstrong, Beatrice Brill, Norah A. Cleave, Barbara M. Cousins, Richard R. Crich-ton, Barbara J. Faram, Bernice A. Hughes, Robert W. Lawson, Lois R. Nielsen.
- Graduation diplomas were presented to the following by Dr. F. R. Watson: J. Craig Alexander, Margaret G. Bradley, Mary H. Dobson, Ethel T. Leslie, Jean Lindsay, Mary C. McClure, Muriel I. McLellan, F. Ross Petch, Shirley R. Tapp, Joyce Williams.

The Peel Musical Festival Cup, won by the 50-voice chorus, was presented by Mr. M. H. Moyer, to Mary Moyer and Ross Petch, who represented the choir. A diploma was presented to Marion Hepburn representing the Senior Girls' Double Trio, and also one to Jean Chester, representing the Junior Girls' Double Trio. The actual awards for these latter two, were made at the Festival.

Mr. R. B. Foulis made the presentation of Athletic Awards to the Field Day Champions as follows: Senior Boys—James Burns; Intermediate Boys—Norman Long; Junior Boys—Keith Huffman; Senior Girls—Pamela Cousins; Int. Girls—June Clarke; Junior Girls—Norma Davidson.

Arthur McAllister received the Strathcona Medal for the best marksmanship in the school.

Principal Walter Carpenter prefaced his presentation of the prizes to the scholarship runners-up, with a few words of appreciation to those individuals and organizations who donated them. The following were presented with books: Form I (The Women's Institute Prize)—Douglas Alexander; Form II (Beaumont Prize)—Robert Brown; Form III (Canadian Legion Prize)—Joan Dickie; (Board of Trade Prize)—Brenda Robinson; Form IV (I.O.D.E. Prize)—Shirley Tapp; Form V (Lions Club Prize)—Norah Cleave.

Presentation of Intermediate Certificates was made by Mr. C. B. Day-foot to: Violet Barnes, Robert Brown, June Clarke, Kenneth Harrison, Reed Hunter, Marjorie McDonald, Doryna Mulholland, Pauline Norton, Ernest Peters, Patricia Robinson and Walter Sargent.

The musical numbers on the program were excellent with the singing under the direction of the music teacher, Miss Thelma Capps, A.T.O.M. Brampton. There were selections from the Mixed Chorus, Girls' Chorus and Boys' Chorus. Norman Long sang baritone solos "Out of the Night" and "Give a Man a Horse". Mary Moyer and Marion Hepburn rendered two duets "Old Vienna Days" and "Still as the Night". The male quartette, composed of J. Burns, R. Petch, O. Hughes and G. Barber, sang "The Old Refrain". Two numbers from the Girls' Double Trio were also greatly enjoyed. June Clarke and Kenneth Harrison played two piano duets "Nola" and "Norwegian Dance".

James Burns, Clare Burns and George Barber comprised the Tumbling Squad, and gave a first-rate performance. These boys have attained a high degree of physical co-ordination.

The girls of Forms I and II and the Senior Girls took part in several co-ordinated and graceful dances. The Senior Squad of Senior Cadets did under the direction of the Lorne Scots

gains her hearing unknown to the rest of the family, through the new hearing-aid invented by John Andrews (Norman Long), made a very entertaining half hour. Others in the cast included: M. Moyer, Bill Ostrander, Peggy Kelly, Ernest Peters, Bob Addy and Doris Brownridge.

Before the Commencement closed with the National Anthem, the lady teachers were presented with beautiful bouquets from the students. Craig Alexander made the speech and flowers were presented to: Miss Penson, by Mary Moyer; Miss Duman, by Mary McClure; Miss Peebles, by Peggy Kelly; Miss Fairbairn, by Pauline Norton; Miss Capps, by Marion Hepburn.

THIS AND THAT IN SPORT

By G. "Mac" McGilvray

With the ground covered with snow when we awoke this morning, it certainly was the right setting to talk about ice and hockey.

The arena is gradually being put into shape for the winter, and about all we need now is colder weather. Hate to think of it... but that's what we need if we are to put the arena into its intended use... The seats have been repaired (so please don't stand on them and maybe they will get a coat of paint another year), the boards around the ice surface have been brightened with three or four coats of paint, and flooding will start any time now. Oh, yes, and please don't write on the walls in the dressing rooms for they too have been brightened with a coat of paint for your enjoyment.

The curling club have been busy almost every night lately, fixing up their quarters and grading the bed of the curling surface. They are also away to a good start.

Didn't notice where Georgetown had a representative at the O.H.A. annual meeting in Toronto last week, but perhaps Norval is stealing a bit of our thunder during these war years, for Jim Clark represented the village at the convention (and quite probably used those blue tickets for the Leaf game at the Gardens at night). So, if there are any teams in the district to play with, Norval-Georgetown-Huttonville Combines may operate again this season.

However, the big news in hockey so far this winter, is that Georgetown will very definitely have a Midget Hockey League. Remember, away back when Georgetown had a midget league before—well this promises to be bigger and better, if possible. The various teams (and it is expected to have at least eight teams) will be sponsored by various clubs, industries, etc. and an organization meeting was held on Monday. While there was not too large a turnout there was lots of enthusiasm and a tentative slate of officers was drawn up as follows: President, George Alcott; vice-president, Allan Norton; secretary, Walt Richardson; treasurer, Rev. Charles Cochran; publicity, G. McGilvray.

A further meeting to make final plans will be held on Thursday, Dec. 7th in the Arena, when the general public interested in this sport are asked to attend.

BIRTH-NOTICE

HAINES—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Haines are happy to announce the birth of their son, Timothy Roland, in St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, on Saturday, November 25th. Both doing fine.

DIED

GREGORY—In Georgetown, on Monday, November 27th, 1944, Alexander Ferguson Gregory, dearly beloved husband of the late Hannah Glenn, in his 68th year.

HUGHES—In Georgetown, on Thursday, November 23rd, 1944, Annie Baldwin, beloved wife of William J. Huggins, in her 68th year.

IN MEMORIAM

HUGHES—In loving memory of Mrs. Thomas Hughes, who died December 1st, 1942. One from us, but leaving memories death can never take away. Memories that will always linger while upon this earth we stay. —Sadly missed by Son and Daughter, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Toronto, and Herbert Hughes, Georgetown.

DAVIDSON—In loving memory of our sister, Mrs. William Davidson, who died December 1st, 1943. Dear sister, how we miss you, No one will ever know. It seems so long, dear Jane, Why did you have to go. We miss the times we used to have. The things we used to do, God was short one more angel, That's why he sent for you. —Very deeply missed by her brother, Robert Cain and family, Glen Williams.

DAVIDSON—In loving memory of a dear daughter and sister, Mrs. Wm. Davidson (Mary Jane Cain) who passed away December 1st, 1943. Just when your life was brightest, Just when your years were best, You were called from this world of sorrow To a home of eternal rest. —Sadly missed by Mother, Brothers and Sister.

DAVIDSON—In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Wm. Davidson, who passed away December 1st, 1943. While you, dear Mother, rest in sleep Your loving memory we'll always keep. —Sadly missed by four sons on active service.

WILLS—In loving memory of our dear mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wills, who passed away Nov. 27th, 1943. One year has passed, dear parents, Since you were called away.

How well we do remember That sad and dreary day. —Daughter and son-in-law, Harry and Kathleen Fresswood.

BRAMPTON

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hodgson in the loss of their only child and son, Pte. Crawford Wilmer Hodgson, who was killed overseas, according to official word received by his parents on Nov. 2nd. Pte. Hodgson was in his 26th year and went overseas in 1943. He was a very respected employee of the Peel Gazette during the time of its establishment, a loyal worker and a good friend. At their regular meeting on Monday evening, the Brampton Lions Club had as their guest speaker, H. Charles Peacock, manager of medicine department and assistant sales manager of the United Drug Co., makers of Rex-all Products. Mr. Peacock gave an interesting address on Penicillin, referring to the various sulphu drugs and the scientific progress made since these have been discovered. The special re-opening and anniversary services of Cheltenham United Church on Sunday last attracted large congregations both morning and evening. John Henry Watson, widely known highly esteemed and well liked citizen of this district, died at Peel Memorial Hospital early Monday morning after a lengthy illness. He was in his ninety-fourth year.—Gazette.

ACTON

The Town Clerk was instructed to write the Wool Controller to see if the arena could be released for skating purposes for this year.

Not many couples have the privilege of marking sixty years of married life and enjoying a fair degree of health, but such is the good fortune of Mr. and Mrs. George Soper, who marked this unique milestone on Saturday. Many friends not only from Acton and district but from Toronto, Kitchener, Georgetown and other centres called to extend congratulations.

The financial report to be presented at the nomination meeting in Acton shows that arrears of taxes up to and including 1943 of \$131.14, the lowest in years.

An interesting feature of the fire-side hour in the United Church on Sunday will be the burning of a mortgage on the Parsonage—the last remaining debt of the church. —Free Press.

MILTON

A breakdown of the costs of sewage shows that the cost of installing the lines and maintaining the plant was very moderate and would not be a burden on any ratepayer. A letter was to be drafted and sent to all owners of property eligible to vote at the election on money by-laws. Six deer were bagged by a party of men from the Milton-Campbellville district, and the proud hunters brought

the game home with them to prove it. About fifty people were present at the Lowville Farm Forum, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dolan. Guest speaker was Mr. Stanley Hall, M.P.P.



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