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Changes on Local School Staffs For September Term

The end of the current school term will bring many changes in the staffs of local and district schools.

In September, four new teachers will be on the staff of the High School. Mr. E. J. Keenan, of Rodney, will replace Mr. Walter Carpenter as principal. Mr. Carpenter took over the principalship when Lieut. J. L. Lambert went on Active Service three years ago, and has accepted a position in Oshawa Collegiate, as head of the Classics department. Miss Rose M. Piercy of Temiskaming will take the place of Miss A. Fairbairn, who is leaving to be married shortly. Miss Fairbairn has taught in Georgetown for a year. Miss E. Penson has been granted a year's sick-leave, and Miss Jessie B. Wilson, of Brighton, has been engaged to teach in her place. Miss Irene Peebles, on the staff for the past year, has accepted a position on the Ferguson High School staff. Mr. H. L. Matthews is also leaving G.H.S. Mr. A. C. Prouse, of Claremont has been engaged to replace Mr. H. J. Heldmann, who has been on active service with the RCAF, and who is not returning to the teaching profession.

Miss E. F. Luke, who has been on a year's sick leave, will return to the school, and Miss Marjorie Inman will also remain on the High School staff. On the Public School staff, Miss G. Young is retiring and Miss Wilma Stull of Ballinacree will take over her class.

Miss Margaret Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown, Norval, will be the new teacher at S. S. 14, Ballinacree. The former teacher, Miss Bety McCaskill is leaving to be married.

LYLE CRIPPS, ONE OF FIRST CANADIANS TO GO INTO NORTH OF HOLLAND

Lyle Cripps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin A. Cripps, Acton, who is well-known here and in Glen Williams, where he attended Public School for a time, was one of the first Canadians to go into Northern Holland. He has written his mother about how he spent V-E Day, after such a long hard fight, and how the Dutch welcomed their liberators. Here is his letter:

Dear Home Folk:
V-E Day was grand here in Holland, after such a long struggle. Would liked to have been in England or Canada, but as it was we had a fair day here. We moved about one hundred miles up to the north of Holland where we are rounding up the Jerries that are all through the country. We were the first Canadians to be up in North Holland, Amsterdam and Haarlem and a few more small towns, and we sure got a rousing welcome. The streets were jammed from one side of the street to the other, and we could barely creep through the crowds. My truck was the first in the convoy with the adjutant with me, and Major Rhines was ahead of me in his jeep, so every now and then the crowd would block the jeep and crawl all over it, and I had a dozen or so on and in my truck.

They were throwing flowers, flags and streamers and anything they could get so our trucks looked like Christmas trees when we finally got to our destination.

In Haarlem the band was out in front of us leading us up the street to the square where they stopped and played till our convoy all went by. Never in my life have I seen such a crowd of people. Everyone wanted you to come to their house for a party, which the boys would have enjoyed too. Talk about girls—hundreds of them and pretty as a picture. If they had let the boys loose they would never have found them for a few days. It sure gives you a wonderful feeling to be called their liberators. Would have liked to have had a camera to take some pictures of the huge crowds, as it is something we will never forget.

Sincerely,
Lyle A. Cripps.

PT. JAMES BLICK HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Pte. James Blick, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Blick, Glen Williams, arrived home from four years' service overseas on Sunday morning, June 16th.

Pte. Blick enlisted with the Lorne Scots in June, 1941, and went overseas almost immediately. He has served in Italy, Belgium and Holland. Jim is home on a 30-day rotation leave. One of the first things he mentioned on his arrival home was how much he appreciated receiving parcels from the organizations at home. Prior to enlisting, Pte. Blick was employed at Dominion Seed House. Jim's father is a veteran of the last war, and his sister, Sarah, is with the WRENS in Scotland.

THE WEATHER

By H. L. Hunt
Like many other old timers we never acquired the habit of wearing pyjamas, but keep a couple of old-fashioned night gowns hanging in our closet, one a warm flannel for winter and a light cotton one for summer when it comes. So far we have had little use for the latter except for the short summer we had in March. And yesterday forenoon while it still rained after an all-night steady down-pour we were glad to keep the fire-place going for day comfort. Such is the state of the weather on the 18th of June, 1945.

In the garden the iris are still in all their glory, and the robins hop about on the lawn easily getting all the drowned out earth-worms they want for their youngsters without having to hunt about with their ear to the ground listening for them.

This is just another way of saying the weather is still damp and cold, and to prove it here are the figures:

Date	H	L	Rain-fall
Tues., June 12	70	53	
Wed., June 13	81	58	
Thurs., June 14	84	60	
Fri., June 15	73	64	.65
Sat., June 16	76	65	.08
Sun., June 17	72	60	
Mon., June 18	66	48	.82

MRS. SAM BARCLAY DIED IN 73rd YEAR

Mary Elizabeth Oxley, beloved wife of Samuel Barclay died at her home on Wednesday night, June 13th, aged 73 years.

Born in Hexham, England, Mrs. Barclay was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Oxley. She and her husband and son Jack came to Canada 40 years ago and resided in Glen Williams. She has lived here ever since. The late Mrs. Barclay was born a Roman Catholic and her chief interest in life was her religion.

Her husband is left to mourn her loss; also a daughter Mary and son Jack, Georgetown; 3 stepsons, David, Glen Williams, Sam of Mimico, Robert of Georgetown; also one step-daughter, Mary of Mimico.

The funeral was held from her residence, Michael Street, to Holy Cross Church for Requiem Mass conducted by Rev. V. J. Morgan, at 10 o'clock Saturday, June 16th. Pallbearers were Robert Muir, Harry Perry, David Barclay, Sam Barclay, James Boyle, and Roy Wiggins. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Union-Norval S. S. Picnic

Norval and Union Sunday School picnic was held at Stanley Park, Erin, on Saturday, June 16, when 80 people sat down to dinner and sports of all kinds were enjoyed by all. Following are winners of the various events:

Girls 6 - 8—1st Irene Hunter, 2nd Helen Arnott; boys 6 - 8—1st Don Evans, 2nd Ross Cunningham; girls 9 - 10—1st Thelma Hunter, 2nd Helen Palmer; boys 9 - 10—1st James Cunningham, 2nd James Ismond; girls 11 - 13—1st Shirley McNally, 2nd Marilyn Cunningham; boys 11 - 13—1st Jack Stoddart, 2nd Roy Anderson; girls 14 - 15—1st Marilyn Cunningham, 2nd Lena Palmer; boys 14 - 15—1st Bill Cunningham, 2nd Bob Davis.

Girls' Shoe Race, under 10 - 1st Aileen Hunter, 2nd Helen Arnott; boys' Shoe Race under 10—1st Dan Anderson, 2nd Ross Cunningham; under 10, girls' peanut race—1st Shirley McNally, 2nd Marilyn Cunningham; boys sack race under 15—1st Bus Fendley, 2nd Hugh Cunningham; girls' backward race under 20—1st Mary Ismond, 2nd Lena Palmer; crooners' race—1st Marg. Brown and Donald Ismond, 2nd Mary Ismond and Bob Davis; boys' obstacle race, under 20—1st B. Davis, 2nd Russ Fendley; ladies' time race—1st Mrs. Ed. Townsend, 2nd Mrs. C. Anderson; young relay race—1st Pat Robinson and Bob Davis, 2nd Ethel Brown and Bill Cunningham; married men's race—1st Albert Hunter, 2nd Nelson Robinson; bean guessing contest—1st Ellsworth Arnott, 2nd D. Ismond.

Result of baseball game, 20 Innings: Union 50, Norval 40.

Active Service Notes

Mrs. A. H. Peller has received word that her nephew, Ft.-Lieut. Ronald Lake, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lake of Langstaff, has been awarded the D.F.C.

Pte. Walter Cook from Camp Ipperwash, is home on leave.

"Milk for Britain" Tag Day on Saturday, sponsored by the Countess of Strathmore Chapter, I.O.D.E., under the patronage of Mrs. Charles Rue.

F.O. ERIC NORRINGTON FLEW ATLANTIC TO ARRIVE HOME ON MONDAY

Piloting one of the Iroquois Squadron bombers back to Canada from overseas, Flying Officer Eric Norrington landed at Halifax on June 14th, and arrived at his home in Dundas, Ont., on Monday of this week. The trip from England to Canada was made in 14 flying hours.

Glad to be home again, F.O. Norrington was welcomed by his wife and two children, Barbara and Patricia—Patricia whom he saw for the first time; also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Norrington. Eric has a brother still overseas, Pte. Walter J. Norrington, serving with the Argyle & Southern Highlanders, in Belgium.

Enlisting over five years ago, F.O. Norrington received his wings at Hagersville as an airplane mechanic. Later remustering he was winged as a pilot and received his commission. He had been overseas for a year, following instructing students at Burch.

The Norringtons are former residents of Georgetown, and Eric attended school here.

CHURCH NEWS

Knox Presbyterian Church
Georgetown
Rev. Chas. C. Cochrane, B.A., B.D.
Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Public worship

Limehouse Presbyterian Church
3.00 Public worship.
The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered.

St. George's Church
Ven. W. G. O. Thompson, Rector.
Nativity of St. John Baptist and Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion
8 a.m. Sunday school
10 a.m. Matins
11 a.m. Evensong
7 p.m.

St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams
Nativity of St. John Baptist and Fourth Sunday after Trinity
(Anniversary of the opening of St. Alban's Church)
Matins 9.30 a.m., with dedication of Altar Candelsticks in memory of Joseph Beaumont.
Sunday school 10.30 a.m.

Norval Presbyterian Church
Rev. J. L. Self, Minister.
10th Anniversary services 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Guest preacher: Dr. A. O. Cochrane, Port Credit.
Union Church services suspended.

The United Church of Canada
Rev. R. C. Todd, B.A., Minister.
Miss Lynda Stewart, ATCM, Music Director.

10 a.m. Sunday school
11 a.m. Public worship.
The St. John's Ambulance Corps will be guests at this service.
7 p.m. Song-service.
Sermon topic "When is the Church a Free Church?"

"God never expects any more from any man than his best."

First Baptist Church
Minister—Rev. J. E. Ostrom.
Organist—Miss M. Cook.
Sunday, June 24th—9.45 a.m. Bible School. 11 a.m. Morning worship. 6.45 p.m. Gospel Songs. 7 p.m. Evening service. Mr. Ostrom will speak and sing.
The Young People meet on Monday at 8 p.m.
The mid-week service on Wednesday at 8 p.m.
Remember the Lord's Day to keep it holy!
Welcome!

BIRTH NOTICE
KORZACK—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Korzack are happy to announce the birth of their son, Robert John, at Peel Memorial Hospital, May 21st.
NORTON—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norton (nee Gertrude Hills) Glen Williams, wish to announce the birth of a son, George Windsor, on the King's Birthday, June 14th, in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton.

DEATH NOTICE
BARCLAY—In loving memory of WED-NEBETH Oxley, beloved wife of Samuel Barclay, aged 73 years.

IN MEMORIAM
BOWMAN—In loving memory of a very dear son and brother, John, who died in France, June 23, 1944. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.
—Ever remembered by Father, Mother, Sister and Brother.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Joseph Scott.

The entire community was shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mrs. Joseph Scott at her home in Limehouse on Saturday, June 9th, at the age of fifty-six.

Born at Hillsburg, she was the daughter of John Henry Tarzwell and Elizabeth Thompson. Lillian Gertrude Thompson was united in marriage to Joseph Scott of Limehouse in 1913 and, excepting for a short time in Georgetown had lived there ever since. Besides the sorrowing husband five children remain to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and mother, Violet (Mrs. Tom Haines) of Glen Williams, Earl of Georgetown, and Inez, Glendon and Douglas all at home. One sister, Mrs. Thomas Sykes, of Georgetown, and four brothers, Robert and Earl of Acton, Harry of Toronto, and George of Northern Ontario, and four grandchildren also survive. As well as attending diligently to her home duties Mrs. Scott was a capable glove-maker in the employ of Arnold's and the Storey Glove Co. for some thirty-seven years.

The funeral service conducted by Ven. W. G. O. Thompson and held from her late residence on Tuesday, June 12th, was one of the most largely attended ever known in this district. Mr. Sam Glesby sang "No Night There" during the service. The great number of friends who called also showed the high esteem in which Mrs. Scott was held. Pallbearers were Messrs. Thomas Haines, Alfred Sykes, Thomas Sykes, Roland Haines, Sam Glesby and Arthur Benton. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

The numerous and beautiful floral tributes were received from: The Family, Trudy and Gary Scott; John and Bud Haines; Social Committee Local 474; Local 474; Alliance Paper Mill; Girls of Storey Glove Co.; Girls' Lookout Club Limehouse Presbyterian Church; the Neighbours; Wilfred Lavie and son and Employees; Making Dept. of Storey Glove Co.; Girls' Pipe Band; St. Alban's Ladies Guild; Thursday Afternoon Knitting Club; Two Tributes from Boys of Final Assembly V.A.C.; Maud and Ed and Family; Bob and Gladys Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Art Scott and family; Aunt Ellen and Uncle Alex; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beerman and family; Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hall; Mr. and Mrs. John Scott and family; Arthur and Marie Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Rachlin; The Haines Family; Annie and Harry; Jack; Doris and Alf. Sykes; Bob and Margaret; Earl and Mabel; Birdie Hall and family; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sykes; one from the following Glen Williams ladies: Mrs. P. Wagstaffe, Mrs. H. Preston, Mrs. G. Preston, Mrs. J. Crawford. Mrs. Robert McMaster; Aunt Kate, Nellie and Harvey; Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Latimer.

These were carried by the following friends: Art Lane, Alex. Currie, Joe McDonald, Ken McDonald, Archie McDonald, John Newton, Bill Shillbourne, Stuart Wright, Harvey Norton, Jim Noble, Ernie Miller, Fred Brooks, Wm. Mitchell, Pete Hill, Thomas Kennedy, Charlie Meredith, Raymond Tarzwell and Harold Scott.

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"IN OUR MAIL BAG"

Georgetown, Ontario,
June 18th, 1945.

The Editor,
The Georgetown Herald,
Georgetown, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We note from the elaborate write-up and prominent posting in the Herald that we are a nuisance to the town in as much as we make smoke which is not very nice for some of the residents in this part of the town.

This may be true and we are sorry to be in this position. However, we do feel that before too much adverse criticism is handed out for public consumption that we are at least deserving of some consideration. We feel that the least the Council could do would be to consult us now that the war rush is somewhat over, and ask if we are trying to do anything to better conditions instead of taking the stand that this firm refused to co-operate in the matter. This is not true, and as a matter of fact we have been experimenting for some time with the object of bettering conditions along the smoke line. However, we are not the only ones who make smoke or who create a nuisance as may readily be seen if one would take the time to check up on a fair basis.

There is a considerable lot of refuse burned near us which creates a lot of smoke and foul odors for which we, no doubt, get blamed; also the Canadian National trains probably make as much smoke as we do but of course the railways are too big to be interfered with.

It must also be remembered that this is a factory district and factory conditions will always be in evidence. We feel also that some of the criticism is far fetched especially in view of the fact that the town is planning to open a new subdivision right under our smoke stacks. This seems absurd. If it is such a terrible part of the town to live in.

Yours very truly,
Georgetown Clay Products, Ltd.
Per: W. G. Bell.

ACT ALVA GRIEVE AND PTE. WELBURN MARCHMENT HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Two Georgetown servicemen arrived home from overseas this week in the persons of Act Alva Grieve and Pte. Welburn Marchment. Act Grieve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grieve, and Pte. Marchment, whose mother resides in Toronto, is the son of the late James Marchment. Alva arrived home on Monday and Welburn on Sunday.

Pte. Marchment has seen plenty of action, having landed with the assault troops on Sicily in 1943 and followed through up Italy, until the Canadians were transferred to the North Western Front. He enlisted originally with the H. L. I. of Canada from Galt, in 1941, and proceeded overseas with them the same year. Pte. Marchment is on a 30-day rotation leave. Prior to enlisting, he was employed at Brill Hostry.

Act Alva Grieve has been overseas since February, 1944, and has seen service in England, France, Belgium, and Holland. He was in hospital for some time in England and by coincidence it was the same hospital in which his father, a veteran of the last war, was confined — The Lady Astor hospital, having enlisted in August, 1943, Alva trained at Lachine and Trenton and was posted at Yarmouth, N.S., prior to going overseas. He is home on 30 days' leave.

We wish to thank the Telegram writers who gave us so much prominence on the nuisance question a short time ago. All we ask is a square deal from the Council, and we will do our best to meet them in every way.

Yours very truly,
Georgetown Clay Products, Ltd.
Per: W. G. Bell.

Social and Personal

Rev. J. E. Ostrom attended the annual meeting of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec, being held in Walker Road Baptist Church, Toronto, from Monday to Friday inclusive last week.

Douglas and Ralph Peck, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peck are in Halifax, N.S., this week to attend the wedding of their brother, Petty Officer Roy Peck.

Mrs. Dave Duncan, of Schreiber is visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Fraser, of Niagara Falls, are holidaying in town.

Mr. Roy Foulis of Dorval, Que. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Foulis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis and Mr. Frank Force of Thorold were visitors last week with Miss Margaret Murray.

Lieut. Col. and Mr. W. L. Finlay and Mr. J. S. Wilkinson are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Greig, Wildwood Lodge. The officers are on leave from overseas, having served in Italy and on the Continent, as members of the Dental Corps, for the past five years. Miss Ann Hickey spent the week end at her summer cottage near Meaford.

A number of friends held a surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. William Logan at their home on Friday, June 15th, to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. The Herald joins their many friends in extending congratulations on the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kentner and Gillianne, of Toronto, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Kentner.

Dianne and Freddie Harrison, children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred (Tut) Harrison held a birthday party last Saturday afternoon, when their little guests enjoyed games and a birthday supper. Those present included: Donald and Jack Livingstone, Barbara Thompson, Sandra Fox, June Eason, Betty Eason, Claire Bradley, Claudette Miron, and Kent Riddell.

Cadet Bill Pulling of West Point, and Cadet Verne Pulling of Howe Military School, U.S.A., were weekend guests at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lavole of Queen Street are celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, June 20th.

Mr. C. E. Herrington was honoured by being elected President of the Ontario Poultry Association at their meeting at the O.A.C. in Guelph, on June 15th.

Mr. W. G. Marshall, Georgetown Assessor, attended the Assessors' Convention at Niagara Falls, which was held on June 13th, 14th and 15th. Mr. Wm. Deans and Miss Margaret Makt-ed were delegates from the County. Mrs. Calvin Clark has returned home after spending a week with relatives in Tavistock and Rockwood.

Mrs. E. McGuigan and Mrs. Wm. H. Anderson were in Galt over the week end, where they attended the christening of Judith Elizabeth, daughter of LAC and Mrs. Leslie Oliver, and great granddaughter of Mrs. McGuigan.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Day, Victoria St. were: Mr. George Day, Norval; Mrs. George Pritchard, Miss Eva Day, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Day and daughter Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Day and son Bob, all of Toronto; Mrs. S. O. MacKenzie and LAC Bob MacKenzie, Georgetown, and Master Paul MacKenzie, Brampton.

Take yourself, Peel off all layers of egotism and selfishly, Cut out all seeds of unkind thoughts and unhappy emotions. Remove all prejudices and worries. To this add: One firm belief that life's worth living.

Mix well; With one practical ideal that you are somebody. Season with a sense of humor and optimism. Sweeten with love. Then add one strong determination to live at.

Your highest every hour of the day. Come what may; Let effervescence for three hundred and sixty-five days; Garnish with smiles and pleasant words. Serve with gentleness and courage. Note the effect.

—Author Unknown.

Canada's sons of the soil now bearing arms overseas are being kept in touch with agricultural matters at home by means of CBO's powerful short wave station at Sackville, N.B. Pergus Mutrie, former B.C. farmer and now assistant and supervisor of the farm broadcast department, is the man who reports to them each week.



FARMERS IN KWAKI

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