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### The Editor's Corner

### A WELCOME HOME

Up to the present the members of the Reception Committee of the Georgetown-Rehabilitation Council have been making personal calls on all servicemen returning from overseas. This serves as an official welcome home from the community and we think the boys have appreciated it.

Now, with men returning in larger and larger groups, the committee's job has become too complicated to continue as in the past and a new system has been devised. From now on, every returned man will receive a post card in the mail asking him to meet the committee and naming the place, time and date. This will ensure that no serviceman is missed and that none of the lads who have done so much for us will fail to receive a proper welcome home.

### GEORGETOWN SHARES CIVIC RECEPTION

When the 1st Canadian Parachute Battalion arrived in Halifax last week, it was the first overseas battalion to return to Canada as a unit and the first time the Eastern city could give the troops the proper kind of a welcome home. From Halifax, the battalion was split into detachments for each of the military districts, and on Saturday morning the 350-man detachment for M.D. 2 arrived in Toronto and was given a reception there by the city fathers. Georgetown was represented in the detachment by Sgt. Jim Sargent, the only district man to our knowledge who served overseas with the paratroops.

We are glad that at least one Georgetown man has had the kind of welcome he deserves. It symbolizes the way we feel for every returning veteran and we hope that other returned men who have not been privileged to share in such an occasion will think of Sgt. Sargent as a representative who received this honour on behalf of all of them.

We hope that the army wll decide to send the Lorne Scots home as a regiment and give Georgetown folk a chance to hold a real civic reception of its own. It would be eminently fitting that this local regiment which went overseas four years ago, and whose members have served in every European theatre of war, should be given a bang-up welcome back.

### THIS DESERVES YOUR SUPPORT

The current campaign to raise six million dollars for a new building for the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children is something which merits the support of every reader of this paper. It is fitting that the Georgetown Lions Club has undertaken the job of making a house-to-house canvas in this district, for the work of Lionism is closely allied with the objectives of the Sick Children's Hospital. Statistics show that two out of every three children admitted to the hospital are out-oftown patients and anyone acquainted with local municipal affairs knows that dozens of Georgetown children have been helped back to health by the care and skill available there.

The local campaign will be organized on similar lines to the Red Cross drive and we know that our citizens will give their best support to a worthy cause. Individuals and organizations are urged to make their contributions generous and to help put the Hospital's building fund over the top quickly.

### SOLDIERS HAVE CLOTHING PRIORITY .

Designed to help discharged servicemen secure a suit of civilian clothing as speedily as possible, each soldier on discharge now receives a "Priority Suit Purchase Certificate" which may be used anytime within one month from the date of issue. When the former soldier presents this certificate to a tailor it signifies that this is an essential order and one that should be filled within thirty days. The retailer is then given priority assistance from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board

in securing suiting material. Another form which the ex-serviceman receives is the application for Civilian Ration Book, designed to enable the veteran to obtain his ration book with a minimum of delay. This is presented or mailed to the ration office in Georgetown and a Ration Book is given to the applicant.

## Job Printing of Every Description

### PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS

By Don Brill On Friday night, June 22, at seven o'clock, a softball game took place beteen Georgetown Public 'School and Norvals Georgetown won out by a score of 11 - 5. The game was highly contested and all spectators were quite satisfied. The batteries did excellent work They were: for Norval-Lyons and Cunningham; for Georgetown Muir and Hamilton. Bill Bullivan sparked his team's win with three well-earned runs. Bill's fielding stood out, also that of Don Brydon. George Rogers hit hardest for Georgetown, batting out two triples and a double.

Cunningham fared well for Norval by getting on base every time and catching very well. Clarke Lyons sparked his teams efforts by using vocal enthusiasm which nearly had Georgetown fooled.

The line-ups for the teams were:-Norval-1b Russ Fendley; ss. Bill Pomeroy; rf. Dunc Robinson; 3b Bird; M. Carter; 26 McCourt; cf. Ron, Fendley; batt. Lyons and Cunningham. George own-2b Bullivant; rf. Don Herrington; cf. Dillon; ss. Brydon; 1b Bouskill; 3b Thompson; If. Rogers.

batt: Muir and Hamilton, alternates-

#### CONSERVATIVES ENJOY EUCHRE AND BRIDGE

Tapp, Golden, Burns,

A pleasant social evening was held under the auspices of the Young Progressive Conservative Association of Georgetown, in the I.O.O.F. hall fast Friday evening. Fifteen tables enjoyed playing bridge and edchre, and following were prizewinners: Mrs. P. W. Cleave, Mrs. Victor King, Miss B. White, Mrs. Wm. McNally, Messrs. W. G. McDowell, Frank Tyler, P. W. Cleave and Herbert Cleave

While refreshments were being prepared Mr. F. D. McNally introduced Mr. Stan Hall, the successful Provincial Candidate, and Mr. Alan Nicholson, the Federal Candidate, who gave brief addresses.

The social committee in charge of the event comprised of Mrs. Betty Anderson, convenor, assisted by Miss Edith Squires, Miss Marjorie Mackenzic. Miss Isabel Thompson and Miss Whyte. Mrs. F. D. McNally looked after arrangements for the euchre, and the ladies of the Progressive Conservative Association assisted with refrehments. The prizes for cards were donated by Messrs. Ed. Fleck, R. B. Foulls, Art Beaumont and George Ar-

#### MRS. JOHN BARNES, NORVAL RESIDENT

DIES SUDDENLY

A resident of Georgetown and Norval districts all her life, Mrs. Frances Netalla Ruddell, wife of Mr. John Barnes, passed away at the family residence Friday morning, June 15th following an illness of a few days duration. She was born near Georgetown seventy-two years ago, being a daughter of the late Francis and Maria Ruddell, and all her life she resided within a short distance of the place of her birth

Chuch, and in her early days took an untiring part in all organizations connected with church work. She survived by her husband, one daughter, Miss Bertha Barnes, at home, and one son, Frank Barnes of Georgetown; also one brother, Ward Ruddell, also of Georgetown.

afternoon from the family home, where the service was conducted by Rev. F. J. Dunlop, of Norval, and Rev. R. V. Wilson, of Orangeville, a former gastor of Norval United Church, The committal service was conducted at Hillcrest Cemetery, Norval.

### DEDICATION AT ST. ALBAN'S

At St. Alban's Church, Glen Wilhams, last Sunday morning, after the processional hymn and the National see myself in a very discouraging Anthem, the Rector dedicated Alta- light. I'm not blaming you. candiesticks, presented by Mr. and sitting here with the sudden realiza-Mrs. Cutten of Guelph, in memory of tion that I've been dumb. I'm not the late Joseph Beaumont, in the fol- a step nearer to sales promotion lowing words: "To the glory of God, in devout memory of Joseph Beaumont, and for the use of this Church, we dedicate these candlesticks, in the name of the Father, and of the Sor. and of the Holy Ghost, Amen."

Hymns, lesson, and sermon, as well as the prayers, presented Jesus as the Light of the World.

### PRESENTATION AT S. S. NO. 4 ESQUBSING:

On Fiday evening about ninety pupils, ex-pupils and friends of Miss Wilma Stuli met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilson to honour her before she leaves the section to join the staff of Georgetown Public School

Mr. Alan Harrop was chairman for the evening. Games and progressive marked Helene. "Are you quitting euchre were enjoyed. An address was too?" read by Miss Margaret Brown and a beautiful lamp presented to Miss Stull | she was struck with the meaning of Ross. by Earl Wilson. All joined in singing Helenc's question. "Did you say "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mesers, Lester Brown, Guy Wilson, J. A. Gilbert and Alan Harrop made fitting remarks After a sing-song, lunch was served by the ex-publis.

### The Old Office Game

By LOIS EVANS COOK McClure Syndicate—WNU Features.

EONADUS PLINE sat behind his glass-topped desk with expensively groomed, impregnable assurance. A pucker of a pout formed around his lips that two hours later would methodically smack their way through the contents of a luncheon tray which his secretary, Miss Seacy, would bring to him.

At the moment Miss Seacy, her notebook on her knee, darted an apprehensive look at him.

"This water," he began, turning distastefully away from the silver jug at his elbow.

In a comprehending flash Miss Seacy clutched the pitcher and tiptoed from his carpeted office. In a few seconds she was back with it freshly filled. She handed a goblet of water across the desk and expect antly sat down again. All I need, she thought rebelliously, is a palm

But should anyone have glanced at her through the door he would have seen only a small trim figure in black, with a strand of pearls at her throat, a coronet braid of dark hair setting off her quietly pretty

"Miss Seacy," resumed Mr. Pline's best executive voice. "Do you realize that today is a very special day?"

"marks the fifth anniversary of your employment in our company. hardly need to tell you of the esteemed place you hold with us for the loyal and capable service you have rendered. And in behalf of this commendable record in length of time and quality of service I wish to present you with this token of my appreciation." Expansively he handed a large, finely textured en-

was duly entitled to this Certificate

That was all. No green bills. No bonus. Miss Seacy looked like a child who had just bitten into a disappointing piece of candy. But Mr. Pline in his glow of benevolence did not notice. "As the years go on, he beamed, "I hope to add many

"Oh, no. Mr. Pline," said Miss Seacy's mutinous mind within her. "Not for little Joanna." She managed to say, "Thank you, Mr. Pline." And then she heard herself In religion, the late Mrs. Barnes was adding, "Thanks for opening my a member of the Norval United eyes, too. I didn't realize I'd been plugging away here that long. Remember the morning I came? I was a bright-eyed infant of twenty I could have kissed you for letting me enter these sacred doors to learn the business from the ground up for Deb Parade Frocks. And I was soon to realize my dreamplanning sales promotion for Deb The funeral took place on Saturday Parade. Assistant to Helene, that's what I was to be. Assistant in sales promotion, because I was a Girl with Ideas. And while I was in my youthful daze someone me to the files and I got lost there for a couple of years. Then I doubled for a dictaphone operator one day and was lost there for another year. So far as I can see Helene has never had an assistant in her life. As a result, I've been

three years. "Mr. Pline, I'm just beginning to than I ever was. 'I tank I go home. Mr. Pline." She whirled out of her

manded Mr. Pline. "Promote!" All eyes were upon Miss Seacy as she made her way to her desk "That was a long session," 're-

'quitting too?' Are you quitting?" "Certainly. I gave notice about an hour ago. Effective in two weeks. "Why that old windbag!" claimed Miss Seacy. There was reluctant admiration in her voice.

# DIRECTORY

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leaf to wave across his brow.

Abruptly Mr. Pline raised a large. pale, well-cared-for hand to remove his nose glasses that all through the day would be shifted from nose to desk and from desk to nose. "You may put aside your book," he said ceremoniously.

Miss Seacy's pretty lips parted in astonishment. "Yes, m'lord," mentally replied, her unruly mind. 'What have Indone now?" it continued rakishly.

Miss Seacy's brown eyes were suddenly wary. "Today." intoned Mr. Pline.

velope to Miss Seacy.

Carefully she pulled out the unsealed flap and drew forth an ornately bordered and embossed document. The elegantly engraved message announced to an indifferent world that Miss Joanna Louise Seacy, by virtue of five years of service in the L. A. Pline Company of Merit.

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"One moment," ordered Mr. Pline dramatically. "For five years I've been waiting for you to tell me that. you're ready to promote Deb Parade. Background? Of course you needed background. Was it my fault that it took you five years to speak up? In my company the go-aheaders have to do that. You're in sales promotion now, Miss Seacy. You're not Helene's assistant. You're in charge. Let's see what you can do." Miss Scacy's eyes were round with fear. "Oh, do you think I can do it?" "None of that," majestically com-

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### LIMEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bearhope, of Penetang, visited the Mitchell's on Sunday.

Flight-Sergt, Arthur Chilver and Mr. Grant Wright visited the Wright's on Sunday

Miss Helen Swackhamer of Detroit and Mrs. McKechnie, of Toledo, are visiting their sister, Miss Margaret Swackhamer. The church lawn and surroundings

have been much improved by the removal of the obsolete shed and the gravelling of the driveway. Mr. and Mrs. Hogg. of St. John, N.B., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall re-

The community meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright on Wednesday evening.

### CEDARVALE

(Intended for last week) Congratulations to Mr. J. Scott who celebrated his ninetleth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. George Jarvis family of Smihville spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawes. Mrs. H. Keeler, Mrs. E. Fuller, Mr. Wm. McArthur and and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Giffen attended the funeral of Mr. Ozro Martin at Vineland on

Tuesday. Miss Reta Smith has returned to Toronto atfer spending a few weeks at her home here.

THIS WEEK P.O. Ross Ferguson has arrived "No. I've been promoted." Then home from oversees. Welcome home

> Mr. and Mrs. Carman Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin of South Bend, Indiana, USA, are visiting with friends

A number from here attended the farm week in Guelph

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### RETORT COURTEOUS

Rumor tells of a happening in Canadian military hospital which was visited by a high-ranking member of the Government

The dignitary in question made very pleasing inspection of the hospital, stopping at bedsides, here and there in the various wards and exchanging a few words with the patients. As the tour went on and his feet grew tired he reduced his remarks to a single sentence, uttered with a charming smile: "Well my lad, I hope you'll soon be out of bere, This went well with the troops, who all answered "Thank you very much, Sir.' All, that is to say, smooth one boy who was a little flustered at hobnobbing with the great of the land. When he heard the atock sentence he blushed and stammered: "The - the

same to rou. Sir.'