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## 9th Victory Loan Opens Next Week

### COUNCIL TAKE INITIAL

#### STEPS FOR SEWAGE

##### LICENSE GRANTED FOR BOWLING ALLEY — DISCUSS NEW TRUCK AND SNOW-PLOWING

At a special meeting of the Town Council held on Tuesday evening, Mr. O. E. Hagey, consulting engineer, was instructed to go ahead and prepare further plans for the new sewerage system. The following motion was also passed and will be forwarded to the Provincial Department of Health at once:

"That whereas the question of installing a complete sewage system in the Town of Georgetown was submitted to the ratepayers on October 9th, 1945; and whereas the ratepayers, by a vote of 542 to 76 expressed themselves in favor of the project; therefore, the Municipal Council of the Town of Georgetown requests the Provincial Department of Health to issue an order under authority of The Public Health Act to facilitate the carrying out of the wishes of the ratepayers."

Mr. Allan Norton addressed Council asking for a permit to operate a bowling alley. A license was granted according to town by-law.

The meeting was originally called to consider tenders for a new tow truck and this winter's snow-plowing, but as complete information had not been obtained, this was left for the November meeting.

Councillor Orr moved that coal dealers be licensed. In view of the fact that coal dealers were handling a necessity of life they should be responsible to the elected representatives of the ratepayers. It was the opinion of Mr. Orr that perhaps the local coal-dealers were not buying their full quota of hard coal, as they made more profit on substitutes. He moved also that a public weighing scales be installed in Georgetown.

His motions failed to get much response or a second.

### TRAGIC DEATH OF HORNBY FARMER

Clifford Robinson, a life-long resident of Halton County, met with a tragic death on Monday, October 8, when a bull which he was attempting to tie in its pen turned mad and attacked him. He died in an ambulance while being taken to Milton Hospital.

The late Mr. Robinson was a son of Mrs. Bertha Robinson and the late Herbert Robinson of Hornby, and was born and raised on the farm where he met his death. For many years he had been a member of L.O.L. 165, Hornby, also the Black Knights, and at the time of his death he was Past County Master. He was a member of St. Stephen's Church of England.

In his 44th year, he was unmarried and is survived by his mother, two sisters and four brothers—Mrs. William Crozier of Wexford; Mrs. Roy Cunningham, Port Credit; William, at home; Albert, of Acton; Frank of Hamilton, and Nelson, of Norval.

The funeral, under orange auspices, was held Wednesday afternoon, with a private service at the home, followed by a public service at St. Stephen's. Rev. S. R. Colebrook of St. Catharines, former rector of the church, conducted the services. Interment was in the church cemetery, and pall-bearers were Wellington Wilson, Charles Austin, Jack Wilson, Richard Weller, Delbert Downs and Stanley Hall.

### UNITED CHURCH BANQUETS RETURNING SERVICE MEN

Members of the official board of Georgetown United Church were hosts to war veterans of the congregation at a turkey dinner served by the ladies of the church on Monday evening. After the delicious meal, Rev. R. Todd acting as toastmaster, introduced the guest speaker, Squadron Leader (Rev.) Gordon Porter of Milton, who gave an interesting address.

The toast list included: the ladies, proposed by Armand Swackhamer and replied to by Mrs. Fred Sinclair; the armed forces, Col. Jas. Ballantine, Jim Evans and Jack Watson; the church, George Long and Alex MacLaren.

Mr. MacLaren accompanied at the piano for a sing-song, and also conducted a question period on "How we can build a healthier church", in which several of the returned men expressed their views.

### CARD OF THANKS

Pte. H. Garvin is grateful to the friends and organizations whose parcels and cigarettes were so much appreciated during his service overseas.

### THE WEATHER

By H. L. Hutt  
Probably the less said about the weather just now the better. We would all be glad to see a little more sunshine and a little less rain. Out in the far west they have been enjoying summer temperatures, and with Fort Arthur the warmest place in Ontario yesterday we hope it is coming this way.

Here are the chilly temperatures we have been up against for the past week:

Date	H. and L. Temp.	Rain-fall
Tues., Oct. 9	48 35	
Wed., Oct. 10	46 30	
Thurs., Oct. 11	53 37	
Fri., Oct. 12	52 42	18"
Sat., Oct. 13	48 40	
Sun., Oct. 14	44 36	
Mon., Oct. 15	44 33	trace

### MRS. ROBERT HILL 94 TOMORROW

Enjoying excellent health and able to do the household tasks much better than many a younger woman, Mrs. Robert Hill of Glen Williams is "94" years young tomorrow, and her friends in the district join with the Herald in wishing her a happy birthday.

A native of the Scotch Block, she has been a resident of the Glen for 40 years and prior to that lived at Stewarttown. Mr. Hill passed away five years ago. Their family of four daughters and three sons are all living, being Mrs. Andrew Mino, Limehouse; Mrs. Ernest Rogers, Glen Williams; Mrs. Jack Ferguson, Saskatchewan; Catherine, at home; Edward of Toronto; and Jim and Bert of the Glen. There are 7 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren.

### CHURCH NEWS

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

10 a.m. Sunday school.  
11 a.m. Worship service "When God Lets a Fellow Down." No evening service.  
Anniversary services October 28th. Preacher—Rev. S. M. Roadhouse of Stratford.

St. George's Church  
Ven. W. G. O. Thompson, Rector.  
Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity: Sunday school 10 a.m. Holy Communion 11 a.m. Evensong 7 p.m. Adult Confirmation lecture after Evensong.

St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams  
Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity: Sunday school 10.30 a.m. Evensong 8.00 p.m.

First Baptist Church  
Minister—Rev. J. E. Ostrom.  
Organist—Miss M. Cook.  
Sunday, Oct. 21st—11 a.m. Worship "Forsaken." 3 p.m. Bible School, 6.45 p.m. Gospel Songs, 7 p.m. Gospel service, "What Must I do to be Saved."

The Young People meet on Monday at 8 p.m. The mid-week service on Wednesday at 8 p.m.  
We preach Christ crucified, buried, raised again on the third day; returning again as the complete salvation of God.  
Anniversary Sunday and week—Oct. 28th—Nov. 2nd.  
Visitors welcome.

Knox Presbyterian Church  
Georgetown  
Rev. Chas. C. Cochrane, B.A., B.D., Minister.  
10 a.m. Sunday School.  
11 a.m. Anniversary Service.  
7 p.m. Anniversary Service.  
Rev. J. C. Grier, B.A., of Knox Church, Guelph.

Limehouse Presbyterian Church  
Sunday School and public worship withdrawn for Knox Anniversary.

Norval and Union Presbyterian Churches  
Rev. J. L. Seif, B.A., Minister  
UNION  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Public worship 11 a.m.

## Welcome Home

Pte. Myrie Reid

Pte. Myrie Reid returned home on the New Amsterdam on October 1st after being overseas five years, and is spending a leave in Glen Williams with his wife and daughter, Mary Lynne, whom he had never seen. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid, he was born in Orangeville, moved to Brampton when a young man and at time of enlistment was employed with the Hewlett Shoe Co. He enlisted with the 48th Highlanders in July, 1940, trained at Camp Borden and went overseas that August. He saw action in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

Lieut. Harvey Garvin

Another Glen Williams soldier who returned home recently on the New Amsterdam was Lieut. Harvey Garvin son of Mrs. John Garvin. Prior to enlisting with the 48th Highlanders in

July, 1942, he was employed with Harry Logan. He trained at Borden and Dobert, went overseas in September, 1943, and has been in Italy and Holland.

A.B. Albert Kemshead

Home on leave pending discharge is A.B. "Abbie" Kemshead, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kemshead and a well-known hockey player with the Georgetown juvenile and junior teams of a few years ago. Abbie has seen something of the world since he left home three years ago to join the army. He trained as a paratrooper, but was unable to get overseas, so transferred to the navy and has been on Atlantic duty with the S.S. Clearwater Park. He is one of three children of Mr. and Mrs. Kemshead in the Navy, his brother Jack being home on leave at the present time, and his sister, Elsie, stationed at Halifax.

## Halton Will Advertise for County Assessor

At the October meeting of Halton County Council the most important item of business was the question of whether the county should hire a county assessor. In the vote that followed, the motion passed by a vote of 9-5, the council members from Georgetown, Esqueping and Oakville forming the opposition bloc. The position will be advertised and an assessor chosen to take office in 1946.

A petition from Glen Williams ratepayers was read, requesting completion of the bridge in the village. There was some discussion on a petition sent in by the Halton Game and Fish Protective Association asking the county to pay a bounty of \$3 per head on

foxes and 50c on skunks to protect pheasants and fowl. Reeve Murray of Esqueping was against the idea of a three-day open season for hunting and favoured allowing farmers to shoot on sight any animals endangering their crop or livestock. Council decided to rent the Governor's House, recently vacated by Mr. Fleming, at a monthly rental of \$75.00. A letter from the publishing company informed council that the County Advertising Booklet was ready and arrangements were made for its delivery. A group photograph of the Council was taken prior to the opening of the meeting.

## LOCAL NEWS

—Watch for details next week about the Lions Amateur Show.

—The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Knox Church will hold a bazaar in the Sunday School room on Saturday, Dec. 1st.

—The Ladies of Holy Cross Church are holding a sale of baking and aprons at McEgibbon's Store on Friday, Oct. 19th at 7 p.m.

—Better start practicing for the Lions Amateur Show next month. Details next week.

—Keep Nov. 3rd for St. George's White Elephant Sale in McEgibbon's store. See later notices.

—The Halton Plowing Match will be held on October 29th at the farm of Ward Ruddle and Sons, 8th Line, Esqueping.

—The Red Cross workers of Glen Williams have sent a donation of \$25 to the headquarters of the Society in Toronto, to be used for purchasing blankets for Holland.

—Wait for the annual Fall Original One Cent Sale at your Rexall Drug Store Oct. 31 and Nov. 1, 2 and 3. Bargains for every member of the family.

—Don't forget that used clothing is still being collected at the Town Hall again this week for UNRRA. Your donation will be appreciated by some poorly clad boy or girl, man or woman on the continent.

—Thinking of having a family reunion? Have it the week end of Oct. 28th, and bring them all to the 106th Anniversary Services at the United Church. Renew the family ties with God.

The Local Council of Women will hold their first meeting for the Fall in the Municipal Building on Friday, October 19th at 3 o'clock. There will be points of interest given from the Sackville Convention and Mrs. Houston of Cedarvale School will be the guest speaker.

—To assist the National Clothing Collection in this, the last week of the work, high school students in a day or so will call for any parcels which have been set aside for delivery to the National Clothing Committee at the Town Hall. Please be ready, and give help to the starving peoples of Europe. All parcels should be arranged as requested in the campaign posters and literature.

NORVAL  
Sunday school 2 p.m.  
Public worship 3 p.m.

St. Mary's R.C. Church  
Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan  
Mass at 9 a.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays.  
11 a.m. 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays.

## 9th Victory Loan Quota \$385,000

### Bradley & Fleck Head Committee

#### COPY LEFT OVER

Sorry, folks, but we had several important news items scheduled for this week which had to be left over due to lack of space. Those included Legion Notes, High School column and the Hornby and Ballinatal news as well as others.

With paper rationing easing and two former employees, Les Clark and Reg. Broomhead on route home from overseas, we'll soon be able to give you a bigger and better Herald.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Hilda Erwin spent last week end in Apr. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ritchie.

Sgt. and Mrs. K. R. Westfall and son Tim have returned from a trip visiting friends in Toronto, Guelph, Tamworth and Detroit, Mich.

Georgetown is glad to welcome back two old residents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. McNicol, who have come from Ottawa to make their home with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McNicol. Many will remember that Mr. McNicol Sr. was superintendent of the Barber Division of the Provincial Park Ltd. about 30 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coffin, of Charlotte, North Carolina, spent a couple of days last week at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Coffin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lake and Mr. Ronald Lake, of Langstaffe, and Mr. Thomas Lake, of Toronto, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Feller.

Major and Mrs. Lloyd Hemsworth and son, Tommy, of Listowel, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blehn. He returned from overseas a few weeks ago after serving with the artillery on the continent.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fisher, Osprey, recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary, with thirty-five relatives and friends present from Georgetown and surrounding district.

#### CLIFF BRADLEY PURCHASES ERIN BUTCHER BUSINESS

Mr. Clifford Bradley, who has been associated with his brother, Roy, in operating Bradley Brothers store on Main Street for the past three years, has purchased a butcher business in Erin from Mr. P. H. Arscott and took over ownership on October 1st. Mr. Bradley has sold his home in town but will continue to live here until he can secure a house in Erin.

Prior to entering the butcher business, he was employed at the Provincial Paper lower mill. He has taken an active part in community life as a member of Georgetown Council and of the Fire Brigade, as well as being a member of Orion Lodge, I.O.O.F.

#### CARD OF THANKS

Pte. M. A. Reid wishes to thank all his friends, in particular Beaumont's Employees, Soldiers' Comforts and other organizations who so kindly sent him cigarettes and parcels while overseas.

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Pte. Donald Taylor would like to thank the various organizations and friends for parcels and cigarettes received while serving overseas. They were all sincerely appreciated.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their floral tributes and expressions of sympathy in our sad loss of a loving husband and father.—Mrs. English and Family.

#### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Bertha Robinson and family of Hornby wish to thank their friends and neighbours for their kind expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

#### HOUSING PROBLEM LICKED BY NAVY

In Vancouver, the Royal Canadian Navy has its own way of combatting the housing shortage.

At present, one navy frigate is being used in Vancouver Harbour as floating barracks for 150 men brought to the West Coast port for discharge. According to naval authorities, more ships which the navy is scrapping from its list of active fighting ships, will be brought to Vancouver, if needed, to accommodate navy personnel.

The 9th Victory Loan drive which opens next Monday will again have as its objective the sum of \$385,000 for Georgetown and District.

The committee is substantially the same as last time, L. E. Fleck and W. F. Bradley being joint chairmen and Ralph Ross honorary chairman.

Other officials are:  
Group Payroll—R. B. Foulis.  
Cassess—LeRoy Dale and E. V. MacCormack.

Publicity—Clarence Bain and Ed. Silver.

Secretary—Thos. Eason, Jr.  
Due to pressure of his duties as County Clerk, William Deans resigned as a salesman and has been replaced by Major Arnot Early. Otherwise the salesmen are the same as in previous loans.

Final plans were laid for the campaign at a meeting in the Municipal Building on Monday night, attended by the county chairman, Mr. A. T. Weldon, of Oakville, and the organizer, Mr. Bickle.

#### LIMEHOUSE

The October meeting of the W.M.S. was held at Mrs. Jamieson's on Thursday, thirteen ladies attending.

Her scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Gisy and Mrs. Cochrane led in prayer. "Text word 'understand'" was answered by a verse of Scripture for roll call. Mrs. Ellerby read from the Study Book. It was arranged to hold the fall thank-offering meeting the second week of November.

Following the Benediction the hostesses served lunch.

An enjoyable evening was spent at Limehouse School on Friday evening when a welcome home was held for local lads recently arrived from the armed services.

Prize winners at cards were Mrs. Ken Hamilton and Mr. Wm. Sheibourne. After lunch Mr. Newton called John Noble, Angus McDonald and Arthur Hill on behalf of his son Denis, who was unable to be present, forward and extended a welcome to the boys and Harvey McDowell presented each with a flat fifty of cigarettes. The balance of the evening was spent dancing to music supplied by Kay Summers with Mrs. Meredith and Mrs. Orr at the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. "Blondy" Manser and Roy of Cheltenham spent a few days with the Noble's last week.

Rev. C. C. Cochrane conducted Communion Services at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. The service will be withdrawn next Sunday owing to the Anniversary Services being held at Knox Church, Georgetown.

#### ASHGROVE

The W.M.S. Auxiliary of the United Church again had the pleasure of holding their Autumn Thank-offering meeting at the home of Mrs. E. M. Readhead at Lowville with a splendid attendance. They were delighted to have with them ladies from Georgetown, Milton and Campbellville. The president, Mrs. Thos. Giffen was in the chair. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. Norval. Bible reading was Psalm 100, the theme being "God's Other Sheep." A pleasing duet was then sung by Misses Betty Ruddle and Viola Bridgen. The group were very fortunate in having their new minister, Rev. and Mrs. Ainsworth speak of their work with the kindergarten and teen-age girls of Japan showing pictures and costumes worn by the Japanese people. This was very interesting to all present. Hyman 348 closed this splendid meeting. A social hour and refreshments served by the hostess and committee were enjoyed by all present.

#### BOYS' BAND TO BE FORMED

At a meeting recently held, at which Harold McClure acted as chairman, a group of citizens interested in forming a boys' band decided to approach the Lions Club for their support. This was done on Monday night, and the club voted \$50 to aid in organization and appointed Mr. McClure, D. Brink and Fred Baird as a committee to represent the club. A public meeting will be held in the Municipal Building tonight at which it is hoped those interested will come and help to form an executive.

#### CARD OF THANKS

Sgt. K. R. Westfall wishes to express his thanks to organizations and friends for remembering him with cigarettes and parcels while he was serving with the Canadian Army Overseas.