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## VISITORS DEFEATED IN BRIDGE TOURNEY

Georgetown Branch of the Canadian Legion (the "Lions") Friday evening, March 27th, to about 30 members of the "Zephyrus" club.

The occasion was a renewal of Challenge Bridge tournaments which had been suspended during the latter war years.

At about 8.30 the seats at seven tables were filled by the teams of twenty-two members of each branch.

Exemption team included the immediate past president, Chas. Ed. Marshall, who had accepted Georgetown's challenge presented by S. F. Chapman some time ago.

Six games were played at each table, the visiting pair moving forward for the successive games. Results of the games showed that the locals had a little the better of the evening, the score being 35-31.

Buffet lunch was served under the direction of Sam Tennant, Entertainment Chairman, and several members of each branch gave forth with solos and monologues to close the evening.

A return match is promised for the near future.

## Rev. F. C. Overend, Former Minister Here Dies in Hamilton

His many friends in Georgetown were saddened to learn of the death in Hamilton of Wednesday, March 27th, of Rev. Frederick Charles Overend. The late Mr. Overend had been minister at Georgetown United Church here for several years, leaving for a new charge at Drayton in 1941. He retired a few years ago and had made his home at 850 Sennel Ave. East in Hamilton. He contracted tuberculosis as a result of an illness some months ago and died in Mountain Sanatorium.

Born in Seneca Township 73 years ago, he was educated in Oshawa and Hamilton, later taking his B.A. degree at the University of Toronto and graduating in theology from Knox College. In his 38 years as a clergyman, he had served in charges at Sutton West, East Zorra, Kincross, Beansville, Latidaw Memorial Church, Hamilton, Georgetown and Drayton. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Drayton.

During his ministry in Georgetown, both he and his wife were extremely active in church and community life. He was an enthusiastic tennis player and helped organize the tennis club at the church. He was also greatly interested in horticulture and was instrumental in furthering the work of the Horticultural Society while he was in town.

Funeral services were held from First United Church, Hamilton, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, followed by interment in Woodland Cemetery. He is survived by his wife, formerly Annie Broughton, a daughter, Mrs. W. G. Roberts (Marion) and a son, Dr. Frederick B. Overend, both of Hamilton, one grandson, a sister, Mrs. Thomas Hewitt, Toronto, and a brother, Wesley, of Lockport, N.Y.

## MRS. NORM VERDEC CHOSEN AS I.O.D.E. REGENT

Mrs. Norman Verdec is the newly-elected regent of Countess of Strathmore Chapter, I.O.D.E. for 1946. Other officers are:

1st vice-pres. — Mrs. L. McClinton.  
2nd vice-pres. — Mrs. Ray Balter.  
Secretary — Miss Hilda Erwin.  
Treasurer — Mrs. Walter Behn.  
Post War Services — Miss Marjorie Gault.  
Edus. Sec'y — Mrs. Wallace Thompson.  
Child Welfare — Mrs. A. Beaumont.  
Edhoes Sec'y — Miss Helen MacDonell.  
Empire Study — Miss Jean MacKenzie.  
Standard Bearer — Mrs. Ivan Hay.  
Social Convener — Mrs. Leonard Bell.  
Press — Mrs. Garfield McIlvray.  
Mrs. L. McClinton, Miss Jean MacKenzie and Miss Marjorie Gault, were hostesses at the March meeting which was held on the evening of March 25 at the latter's home. Sixteen members were present. Plans were made for a baking sale early in April and also for an anniversary dinner to be held in late April. Each member was made responsible for raising \$2.00 in talent money.

## \$2200 RAISED DURING FIVE YEARS OF WAR WORK BY "BUSY BEES"

Nassagaweya Busy Bees, an organization of district ladies who have been extremely active during the war years in raising money for war work, raised \$2100 during 1945, as revealed in the annual report compiled by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy. This boosted the five years total of money raised to \$2205.08 which is certainly a tribute to the activity of the small group of ladies who have given so generously of their time.

In 1945 activities including the holding of 17 dances during the summer months, 4 progressive eueches, as well as the making and selling of 42 quilts.

In addition, one quilt was made and sent to the Salvation Army. Collections taken at the meetings for the Good Cheer jar amounted to 11.48 and last spring each member gave her Red Cross contribution to the club and it was counted in donation receipts.

Thirty-three boxes were packed and sent to district boys in the services and cigarettes were sent to them every other month, alternating with the boxes. The convener reported 81 sympathy cards sent to bereaved and convalescents, flowers to a neighbourhood soldier who was in a train accident, 24 boxes of fruit to sick people in the community, a wreath on the cenotaph and two brides of the club honored.

Donations included Salvation Army, \$103; Sick Children's Hospital, \$100; Acton Red Cross, \$80; Navy League, \$80; Christie St. Hospital, \$75; Acton Vicinity War Service League, \$75; Institute for the Blind, \$25; Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, \$25; and Christmas cheer for British children, \$25.

The club lists 24 members, and the average attendance at monthly meetings was 10. The highlight of the year was the welcome home of six of ten district boys in the services, in the persons of Opl. Carl Frank, Stwd. Frank Allen, Gnr. George Wallace, Sgt. James Wallace, Pte. Glenn Britton and Sgmn. Gordon Allen.

The club is thankful to all those who helped in the fund-raising with donations and attendance at social functions.

**BOARD OF THANKS**  
I would like to thank the Beaumont Employees, also Georgetown Soldiers Comforts Committee, who so kindly sent me cigarettes and parcels while overseas. Many thanks — Morris Miller.

Correspondence contained a letter from Mrs. Gordon Allen, a war bride of one of our boys; and good cheer acknowledgements.

Last month's report was given by the Secretary Treasurer and showed good work for February. Quilt convener, Good cheer convener, and Cigarette convener gave their yearly reports. Boys' box committee gave the month's report and the secretary treasurer reported receipts \$2,194.25 for the year.

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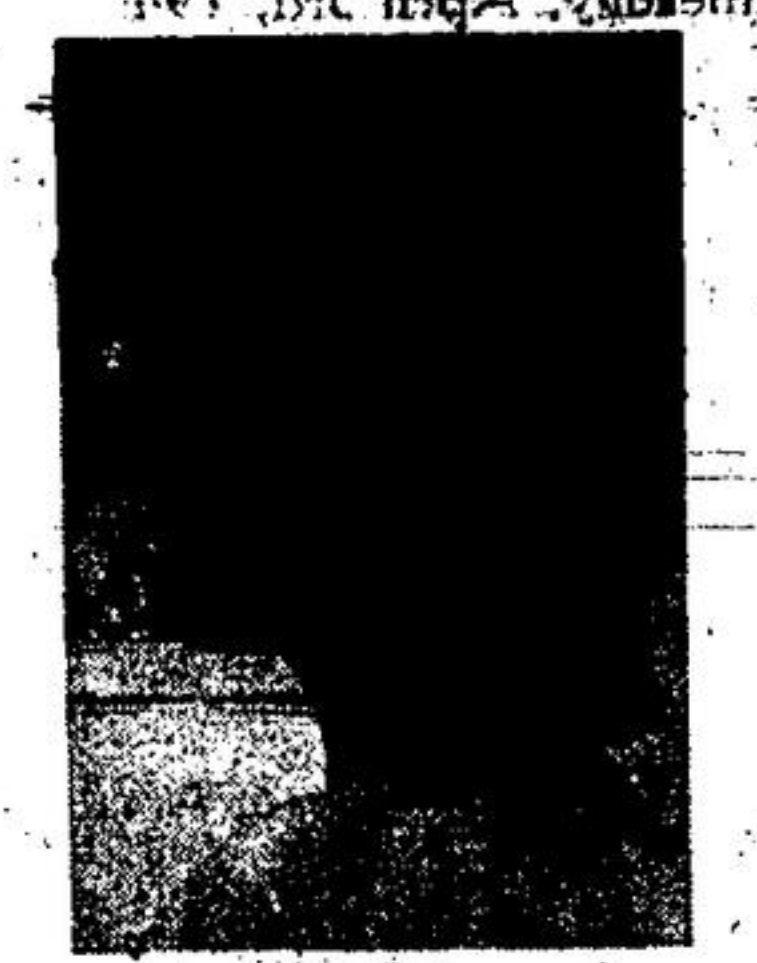
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**SWEET AND LOW**  
Soft-voiced Norma Locke, who joined Mart Kenny's band one day early in 1944 and has since sung with his musical group in tours back and forth across Canada, can now be heard singing "Sweet and Low" with the band, over the CBC Dominion network, every Sunday, at 10:00 p.m. EST, 11:00 AST. Art Hallman is there, too.

**BALLINAFAD**  
On Tuesday afternoon, March 19th, the ladies of Ballinafad Church and community gathered at the home of Mrs. M. Smith to do honor to her son Forrest and his bride. Forrest was one of the first boys of this community to volunteer when war broke out. Mrs. Smith before her marriage resided in Toronto.

When all were assembled Miss B. Hills read an address welcoming Mr. and Mrs. Smith to our church and community, and asking them to accept the many gifts which were presented to them by little Miss Helena Hills and Shirley Kirkwood. Mr. Smith made a most fitting reply as did also his wife. Refreshments were then served and a social time enjoyed by all.

A number of the neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hills gave a surprise party for them Saturday evening, March 23rd, it being their 25th wedding anniversary. They were presented with an Electric toaster. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games after which an enjoyable half hour was spent over the tea cups.

Mr. David McEnery, Sr., is improving in health since his removal to Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherlock Foreman and Phyllis Foreman of Toronto spent the week end at the manse.

We are sorry to know little Joan Aiken had the misfortune to fall at her home and break her collar bone. We hope she will soon be able to run and play again.

The last weekly meeting of Ballinafad Farm Forum was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Snow. Arrangements were made for the banquet in Hillsburg Friday when the group will meet with the other four township forums. The Forum will meet once a month during the spring and summer, with the April meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

**BUSY BEES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING**  
The Busy Bee annual meeting for the election of officers was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy with an attendance of 12 ladies.

The meeting opened with the president in the chair and all singing "Bliss Be the Tie That Binds," followed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison. Roll call was taken and minutes of last meeting read and adopted.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Estate of William Carney, late of the Town of Georgetown, in the County of Halton, deceased.

The creditors of William Carney, late of the Town of Georgetown in the County of Halton, Soldier, deceased, who died on or about the 17th day of November, 1945, and all others having claims against his estate are hereby notified to send by post, prepaid or otherwise, to Messrs. Langdon and Aylsworth, Georgetown, Ontario, solicitors for the undersigned administrator of the estate of the said William Carney, Deceased, on or before the 10th day of April, 1946, their names and addresses, descriptions and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them and that immediately after the 10th day of April, 1946, the administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the administrator shall then have notice.

DATED this 11th day of March, 1946.

Elizabeth Carney,  
Administrator,  
by LANGDON & AYLSWORTH  
her solicitors  
Georgetown, Ontario  
April 3.

## Treasurer's Sale of Land for Taxes

**TOWNSHIP OF REQUESSING COUNTY OF HALTON**

**TO WIT:**  
By virtue of a Warrant issued by the Reeve of the Township of Requesing, bearing date the first day of October, 1945, a sale of lands in arrears of taxes in the Township of Requesing will be held at the Council Chamber, in the Village of Stewartstown, at the hour of ten o'clock, in the forenoon on the 16th day of April 1946, unless the taxes and costs are sooner paid.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the list of lands for sale in arrears of taxes has been prepared, that copies of the said list may be had at my office, that the list of all lands for sale for arrears of taxes is being published in The Ontario Gazette on Saturday, January 5th, 1946, and that unless the arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid I will proceed to sell the said lands on the day and at the place above mentioned.

Treasurer's Office, this 2nd day of January, 1946.

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