

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

Wednesday Evening, January 1st, 1947

Social and Personal

Miss Lena, formerly spent Christmas in Toronto at the home of Miss Ellen Lee.

Miss Joan Sprout of Milton and Miss Joan Mallett of Toronto spent the week-end with Miss Lois Nielsen.

Miss Lois Nielsen who is studying Interior Designing in New York is spending the Christmas vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Inglis and Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris of Acton were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Boody of Toronto spent Christmas with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Williams.

Miss E. A. Staunton spent Christmas day with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryle, Barrington Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Emerson and Miss Joan Wardlaw arrived in Vancouver last week, travelling there by train from Georgetown. Mrs. Emerson is joining her husband who flew to the coast a few weeks ago and they will make their home on the coast.

Mr. Roy Foulis of Dorval, Quebec, and Mr. John Foulis of Toronto were home for Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Foulis. Guests at the same home were Miss E. Beckler and Miss E. Keller of Toronto.

A family gathering at the home of Mrs. Isabel Cleave on Christmas day included Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Cleave, Helen, Donald and Marilyn, Mrs. M. Williamson, Mr. George Cleave and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Cleave, Jim and Barry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian MacKenzie, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Larry MacKenzie and Mr. Bob MacKenzie, Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. James Laidlaw and son Jimmy, Burlington were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Sid MacKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNeven, Shawinigan Falls, Que., and Mr. and Mrs. Niel McNeven, Toronto, spent Xmas with Miss Jean McNeven at the home of Mrs. Maude Robinson, Edith Street. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dixon, Woodstock, and Miss Allen Ward of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and daughters Ann and Paddy of Pickering are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Paul and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kelly. Mr. Kelly is attending the University of Toronto at Ajax.

Mrs. J. M. Moore and the Misses Claridge spent Christmas in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. S. Douglas. Mr. Douglas is recuperating from an illness which has kept him away from his position as a teacher at Northern Vocational School during the fall.

Christmas day guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Macdonald included Mr. and Mrs. Ken Macdonald and son Jack of Acton, Mr. and Mrs. William Pasmore, Misses Margaret and Agnes Pasmore and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pasmore and daughters Kay and Mary of Rockwood, Mr. Eldridge Alken, Princeton University and Miss Collette Norris of Ottawa.

Christmas guests with Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Todd were Mrs. T. R. Todd and Miss Clementa Todd of Reservoir, Prof. and Mrs. A. M. Lavery and daughter Mary Ann, Queen's University, Kingston and Miss M. J. Peacock. Miss Peacock will remain in town for a visit with the Todds.

STAN LEARMONT HEADS HORNBY L. O. L.

Stan Learmont was installed as Worshipful Master of L.O.L. 166, Hornby, at a ceremony in Hornby Orange Hall on Thursday, December 19th.

Officers for 1947 are: W. M. — Stan Learmont; D. M. — Charles Austin; Chaplain — Frank Stark; Rec. Sec'y. — Tom Alderson; Fin. Sec'y. — W. O. Brownridge; Treasurer — R. Brownridge; Lecturers — John E. Wilson; Clifford Beatty.

We See This Week

—That chink, you seem to be making the rounds among the children in town.

—That Whittine's Taxi has a new Chrysler cab.

—That there has never been such a profusion of lighted Christmas trees in town as we have seen this year.

—That Friday night's latest storm made the town look like fairyland for the week-end, with all the trees covered with ice.

—That merchants will have a double-header boxing day this year, as most intend to remain closed on the day after New Year's.

—That work is progressing on Don Barrager's new dry-cleaning plant which he is building behind Long's Confectionery on land purchased from J. J. Gibbons.

—That among the outside Christmas trees, we have noted those at the homes of K. M. Langdon, Norman Brown, Fred Thompson, R. B. Foulis, Wilfred Laviole, Wilfrid Ford and a beautifully lighted doorway at the home of James Goodlet.

—That Georgetown Motors have added space to their office and stock room which much improves their business premises.

—That R. M. Aylsworth was elected to council in Acton last week in his first try for municipal office. He is in partnership with his brother-in-law, K. M. Langdon, in the law practice which they operate in Acton and Georgetown.

—That Miss Beatrice Hume has recovered from her injury suffered in a fall in September, and has resumed her position as primary teacher at the Public School.

—That Smith & Stone, Ltd., have a new 3-ton de-luxe Dodge truck, painted in smart two-tone blue.

George Cleave is Esqueuing Reeve for the Year 1947

Esqueuing Township voters will go to the polls next Monday to choose a deputy-reeve and three Council members. Two members of last year's Council, George Currie and E. N. Brown are standing for deputy-reeve, while five ratepayers will be seeking the three Council seats. H. Craig Reid, W. O. Brownridge, George Leslie, Cecil Chisholm and Wilfrid Bird are the five aspirants. Walter Linham, who was also nominated for council declined to run.

George Cleave, deputy-reeve last year, is reeve by acclamation, G. Wesley Murray having announced his retirement from this office.

Walter Linham was elected to the Board of School Area No. 1A, with Wilfrid Bird and Lloyd Fisher, the other nominees, declining their nominations. As two vacancies occurred on the Board this makes another nomination necessary to fill the vacant office.

FOR REEVE

GEORGE E. CLEAVE, proposed by N. A. Robinson, seconded by Cecil Chisholm. (Acclamation)

G. WESLEY MURRAY, proposed by Cecil Chisholm, seconded by J. A. Van Fleet. (Declined)

FOR DEPUTY-REEVE

R. N. BROWN, proposed by Dr. H. A. McCullough, seconded by L. L. Mullin.

GEORGE CURRIE, proposed by Wm. G. Alexander, seconded by J. A. Van Fleet.

FOR COUNCIL (3 to be elected)

WILFRID BIRD, proposed by J. A. Van Fleet, seconded by Wm. G. Alexander.

WM. OLIVER BROWNBRIDGE, proposed by F. W. Ruddell, seconded by A. N. Stark.

CECIL CHISHOLM, proposed by J. A. Van Fleet, seconded by C. Wilson.

GEORGE LESLIE, proposed by Lloyd Davidson, seconded by R. H. Hunter.

H. CRAIG REID, proposed by N. A. Robinson, seconded by Lloyd Davidson.

WALTER LINHAM, proposed by Chas. E. Cutts, seconded by R. N. Brown. (declined)

FOR SCHOOL BOARD OF TOWNSHIP SCHOOL AREA NO. 1A

WALTER LINHAM, proposed by L. L. Mullin, seconded by R. N. Brown. (Acclamation)

WILFRID BIRD, proposed by R. H. Hunter, seconded by N. A. Robinson. (Declined)

LLOYD FISHER, proposed by Wm. O. Brownridge, seconded by A. N. Stark. (declined)

Trevor Williams and Norah Cleave Wed

At a ceremony performed by Rev. R. C. Todd at the bride's home last Saturday afternoon, December 28th, Norah Anne Cleave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cleave became the bride of Trevor Noel Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams of Glen Williams. The bride wore a blue wool ensemble with brown hat and corsage of roses. Her attendant, Mrs. Robert Allen, wore a beige wool dress with rose corsage. Mr. Robert Allen was groomsmen.

The couple left by plane for a honeymoon trip to New York City.

Sargent-Curtis Wedding At Holy Cross Church

On Saturday morning, December 28, at 10 a.m., the wedding took place in Holy Cross Church of Josephine Curtis, daughter of Mrs. Florence Curtis of Georgetown and the late James E. Curtis and Douglas Sargent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sargent of Georgetown. Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan officiated and Mrs. William Carney was at the organ. Miss Joan Lavole, singing "Pavane Angelicus" was soloist with the choir.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. E. G. Gaine of Toronto, wore a burgundy wool suit with black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Her attendant was her sister, Miss Alice Curtis, gowned in yellow with brown accessories and corsage of red roses. Mr. George Sargent was his brother's groomsmen.

A reception was held afterwards at the bride's home on King Street, her mother receiving dressed in a black sequin-trimmed dress, with red rose corsage. Mrs. Sargent, who assisted, chose a brown dress with turquoise accessories and pink rose corsage. Guests were present from Windsor, Toronto, Brampton and Glen Williams.

After a honeymoon trip to Montreal, the couple will take up residence in Georgetown.

STEWARTTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. W. Huffman and son Michael of St. Catharines, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith for Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Grant and Kenneth spent Christmas day with Mrs. A. J. Smeethurst at Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sanford were visiting Christmas day at Limehouse with Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell.

Miss Eleanor Smith played the organ for Christmas day communion service at St. John's Church.

Miss Davies, our teacher, is spending her holiday in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hanson and Jackie visited with relatives on Christmas and Boxing Day.

Mrs. M. Bally spent Christmas at Toronto and Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Bally and Dawn of Hamilton were home for a few hours.

Stewarttown was without lights Friday and Saturday owing to the ice storm. Most telephones too have been out of communication.

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Sean Oisby spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. S. Norrie.

Mr. Joe. Scott and family with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Haines in Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Shebourne and family with Mrs. Jno. R. Scott in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Summers and Gary and her parents with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Kay at Crewson's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thompson with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright, Erin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Mulder with friends at Vanessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kirkpatrick with her parents at Tullamore.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson entertained the Limehouse Orchestra at a chicken dinner at their home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mulder were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fisher on Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McDonald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Law and family and Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald and babe spent Sunday with the Galtys.

Holiday visitors included: Miss Winifred Ivens of Toronto with the Newtons.

Mr. Alex Wright home from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morrow and Elaine of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane and Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. Miss Helen Swackhamer of Detroit and Mrs. McKee of Toronto, Ont., and the Arnolds of Toronto, with Miss Margaret Swackhamer.

WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES

IN GEORGETOWN CHURCHES
ALL SERVICES AT 8 P.M.
Theme: "The Call to Prayer"

MONDAY, JAN. 6 — Knox Presbyterian Church
Rev. R. C. Todd

TUESDAY, Jan. 7 — Baptist Church
Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8 — United Church
Rev. J. E. Ostrom

THURSDAY, Jan. 9 — St. George's Church of England
Rev. C. C. Cochrane

— Will you be one to set the example — and by example show the way through prayer during January 6 — 9 and throughout 1947? May God bless us.

THE WEATHER

by H. L. Hutl

Among the many beautiful Christmas cards this year was one that particularly interested me. It was a message to the volunteer weather observers all over the Dominion by Dr. Patterson announcing his retirement after thirty-six years service in the Canadian meteorological Division, and announcing the appointment of Mr. A. Thompson as the new Controller.

Until Dr. Patterson so clearly pointed out the wide use made of these weather observations I hardly realized what an important member I was in the civil service, and my shoulders were thrown back and my chest out accordingly.

But like Dr. Patterson, I am beginning to think it is high time for an eighty year old duffer like me to be passing the mantle over to a younger observer. I took on the job on the retirement of Mrs. Dr. Nixon, and she had been carrying on for some years after her husband's death. So we would like to hear from some younger man or woman on whom we might drape the mantle.

In the meantime here are last week's records:

	Max.	Min.	Min.
Tue., Dec. 24	28	21	
Wed., Dec. 25	22	18	
Thur., Dec. 26	15	10	
Fri., Dec. 27	22	7	2.0"
Sat., Dec. 28	13	7	1.75"
Sun., Dec. 29	14	4	tr.
Mon., Dec. 30	15	-5	

Everything is now covered with a heavier glaze of ice than we have seen for many years.

Tragedy Averted by Quick-Thinking Motorist

Quick-thinking on the part of William Knight, Acton, saved the life of Beverly Dewhurst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dewhurst of Milton, last Friday afternoon. Beverly, who was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Dewhurst, ran across the highway at the Queen Street corner into the path of a car driven by Mr. Knight, which was proceeding west. To avoid hitting her, he swerved into the path of an east-bound car driven by Frank Dorroch, Toronto. Mrs. Dorroch received a bad cut over the left eye which required four stitches when attended by Dr. C. V. Williams. Their two daughters were uninjured, as were Fred Owsen and Ken Adameon of Acton, passengers in the Knight-car. Beverly, who was sidetracked by the car, suffered a bruised knee and shock.

Both cars, it is reported, were travelling at a medium rate of speed and no charges were laid against either driver.

Harry Norton, Ross and Kay, all with Mrs. R. Lane. All talked by long distance telephone with their brother Arthur Lane in Montreal on his first Christmas from home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Millere, Mr. Bill, Miss Eleanor and Mr. George Long with the Milleres.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wheeler, Miss Shirley and Susan of Toronto with the Roughays.

Mr. Harold Kern and the Nobles with the Merediths.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Greenlee, Marjane and Lois of Milton with the Bestons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and Jacqueline, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Paul of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant and Elizabeth with Mrs. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Day and daughter of Brampton with the Bestons and Mr. and Mrs. Day.