# THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

Wednedsay Evening, May 7th, 1947

# Esquesing Agricultural Society Will Again Sponsor Husking Corn Competition

Plan to Continue Junior Farmer Grain Show and Institute Displays at 1947 Fair - Ask for Continued Financial Support from local Firms and Businesses.

For the fourth consecutive year field crop competition in Husking Oorn will be laumched and carried out by the Esquesing Agricultural Society. This was decided at a meeting of the Fair Board held at the home of the Treasurer P. W. Cleave, on Monday night: The decision to again sponsor this competition was due to the success of the contest last year, and the one other store has taken up the idea. mit a spring grain competition. Last announced a 10 per cent price reducyear, 20 entries, were made and it is toin on all pastry and cake sold. expected district farmers will swell the competition this year. Those plan- have announced that they will conting corn this spring should send their tinue for another seven days the 10 entries to the recretary as soon as per cent storewide price reduction, by With a number of fall fairs falling

this year on the same date as Georgetown, Sept. 12th and 13th, dividing the potential exhibitors, it was decided by the Board to have a printed circular go out to all exhibitors horses and livestock, inviting them to attend Georgetown Fair, and outlining the advantages of so doing. It was announced that the school prize lists had been printed and sent to all schools in the district. If any schools have been missed, teachers may get copies from the secretary. It was decided to award ribbons as well prize money this year in most classes

in the hall. An invitation will be extended District No. 5 of the Fall Fair's Association, including the countles Dufferin, Simooe, York, Peel and Halton, to meet in Georgetown for their summer convention.

Work will commence at once on the 1947 prize list and those wishing advertising should arrange for same. Directors will be busy shortly soliciting donations and special prizes and it is hoped this worthwhile organiza-

tion will be given every support. The Board decided to set aside \$100 again this year for the Junior Farmers' Grain Show and Institute's displays, which added greatly to the hall display last year, and received favourable comment from the Ontario Dept.

of Agriculture. The lady directors also met with the men's section, and made plans for their part in the 1947 show. It was decided to again make an effort scoure Mrs. Aiken for a short talk and demonstration in the big tent. Considerable time was spent on the prize Het, and some glight changes made in the domestic science classes.

The directors are planning another big fair for Georgetown this year, and they look forward to the continued wholehearted support they received at their centennial last year, when the largest fair on record was held.

Lower Prices Campaign Continues As Another Store Joins

While the lower price campaign, started last week by one Georgetown ted action in Georgetown, at least Last week a sign in Baird's Bakery Meanwhile, Brill's Department Store which they hope to help persuade Hale voted against). manufacturers to reduce prices so a permanent saving can be passed on

TORONTO TO GEORGETOWN BUN WON BY MARATHONERS

to the consumer.

Beating the long distance runners by a scant 50 yards, a marathon team from the Gladstone A.C. won a race from Toronto to Georgetown last Saturday afternoon. The race started from the Toronto city hall steps | ved. at 2.20 p.m when Mayor Bob Saunders handed Ray Martin a baton, told him to take best wishes to the mayor of Georgetown and said "Go." The race ended at 6.17 p.m when Bill Collier, local track star, handled the baton to Mayor Gibbons at the Waterworks Building. The marathon team covered the thirty-six and twofifths mile course at a speed of 61/4 ninutes a mile. Georgetown men in the race included Jim Emmerson and Bruce Harley, running from Brampton and Bill Collier and Bill Emmerson from Norval.

### BALLINAFAD

A number of the members of the Ballinafad Auxiliary and three Circle Girls attended the Halton Presbyterial annual meeting Thursday, May at Miligrove. An address by Miss Clearibue, a returned missionary from India, enlightened us on our study of

Mias E. McDougall of Acton, teacher in Woodside school spent the weekend with Joanna Shortill.

The Mission Circle Girls' afternoon tea Saturday afternoon was a decided success. The display of sewing was credit to the girls. Mrs. O. R. Flindall, the superintendent, and Mrs. E. Snow, the president are to be congratulated on the splendid display of

Miss B. Hilts is spending a few days this week with Rev. and Mrs. A. O. W Foreman at the Manse, Ponsonby.

**ASHGROVE** 

We are glad to be able to report

Mrs. Walter Brownridge, Mrs. Frank

Ruddell, Mrs. Hector Bird and Mrs.

annual meeting of Halton Presbyterial

moved up to their own house at the

Wet misty weather is delaying the

seeding but nice days will come even-

Don't forget it's Mother's Day next

Sunday. The greatest Gift God gave

"The flowers we wear on Mother's

The rosy ones speak of joys of today

But whatever the color it matters not

Giving thanks for a mother's thought-

HORNBY

With love from a grateful heart."

The white ones of sadness known

to earth was our Mother.

Tell us a story of their own;

A like fragrance they impart,

ful care.

Fred Ainsworth attended the

# Banquet and Dance WilleFete Georgetown's Hockey Team

Wingfield.

and around again.

day, May 1st.

May 20th will be a big night in Georgetown when the Hockey Club executive will tender a banquet to the members of the Intermediate "A" hockey team - semi-finalists in the play-offs and who almost brought a championship to town this year. At a banquet in the McGibbon House, windbreakers and crests will be presented to the members of the team. Invited guests to the banquet include George Panter of Gravenhurst, OHA president, Tory Gregg, Wingham and Tiny McFadden, Galt, members of the executive, and Bunny Morgan-

son, Toronto sports writer. Don't take our word for it, but we have it on good authority from bockey club vice-president that entertainment at the banquet might include numbers by George "Diplock" Formby and the famous rendition by Sidney McSilver of 'Road to the Isles' (usually reserved for New Year's Eve) accompanied on the pipes by McArthur McHurst.

The banquet will be followed by a public dance in the Rose Room, where those who have not been able to attend the banquet because of the limfied accommodation will have a chance to congratulate the team.

#### IN THE MAIL BAG

May 2, 1947

Dear Mr. Editor: May I, through your columns offor my congratulations to the memhers of Apprentice Productions for an emcellent bit of work in their latest effort, "Look Who's Hers." Yours very truly,

Last Tuesday, Mr Paul Picher ad- guest speaker. dressed a community meeting in Hornby school on the subject of Halton Cooperative medical services. Several ladies of the Institute have well, W. O. Brownsidge was the amo-PLATGOER given both their time and help to fix tioneer.

# ON MONDAY, MAY 5TH

kendie & Son to build the new Municipal Building on Main Street at a 400 people at two performances.

total cost of \$16,251. (Moved by Eason - Lyons) --- Welcomed Thomas Eason to

Council, replacing James Ritchie, and appointed him chairman of the Property Committee and a member the Finance Comittee.

(Moved by Hale-Maclaren) town park for all amateur sport the Recreationa! Director in cooperation with the Property Committee held a successful rummage sale in the chairman and the president of

(Moved by Armstrong-Maclaren.

-Passed the first and second reading of a by-law for construction of a sewerage system and disposal plant at a total cost not exceeding \$375.000. (1st reading moved by Thompson-Lyons; 2nd reading moved by Hale

-Maclaren) -Authorized the mayor and clerk to sign a contract with the Scott-Jackson Construction Co. for sewerage installation after the approval of the Municipal Board nas been recei-

(Recorded vote, moved by Thompson-Lyons. All voted in favour) -Decided to purchase oil for dust abatement on town streets from J. M. Bruyns, Weston.

(Moved by Lyons-Herbert) -Heard from the CNR. that commutation rates cannot be considered for any municipality farther

Toronto than Weston. -Read the report of Constable Reg Reynolds on the work of the Provincial Police detachment in Georgetown for April. 27 investigations were carried out including 7 liquor control enforcement, 3 criminal, 2 burglary, 4 traffic accidents. Three convictions were registered under the Liquor Control Act, all resulting in fines of \$10 and costs. Constable Reynolds noted the absence of juvenile delinquency in town and spoke of the good citizenship

of residents in general. -Adjourned for an inspection trip to the suggested site of the sewerage disposal plant on the Cedarvale Farm

property. -Heard from Town Solicitor K. M. Langdon that a delegation from town Ontario Municipal Board on Monday had been favourably received by the and that he believed nothing would stand in the way of obtaining their approval for issuing sewerage deben-

## TERRA COTTA

Mr. John McCauley, who was injured in a car accident in Georgetown recently, has arrived home from Brampton hospital. He is able to go around but will not be able to work for some time.

Mr. Beer of Alton was here last week grading roads into Mr. Hunter's and made an excellent job. Ayone having any grading to do should give him a call. Mr. Hunter intends selling the flats and we understand he had some prospective buyers here last

Miss Luie Reed of Toronto spent the Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wardlaw and last week-end. week-end with her sister, Mrs. George family have moved to Georgetown and we are sorry to lose such kind and obliging citizens from our midst. that Mr. Fred Morrison who has been ill with pneumonia is able to be out Annie Puckering is now on the sick ial Hall on Thursday last list and we hope soon to hear of her Mrs. A. J. Ruddell, Mrs. C. B. Dick.

complete recovery. Mr. John Gordon Stringer reports doing a rushing trade in the trucking business at present. Success to

in Millgrove United Church on Thurs- you, Gordon! Seeding will now be the general

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham have order of the day. a rushing trade in stone.

#### BALLINAFAD

The Easter Thank Offering was held Sunday evening in the Church. Mission Band and Circle Girls taking ports to county convenors. part in the programme. The guestspeaker, Miss Gollan of the Church of All Nations in Toronto gave a splendid talk on her work there.

the war memorial to the soldiers of Hornby at the seventh line corner and have made quite an improvement. The W.A. of the United Church met at the home of Mrs. W. Stringer,

Saturday the sale of the property of the late Mrs. McIntosh, attracted quite a large crowd, and things sold

when Mrs. Edgar Robertson was

# What Council Did We See This Week

....That Apprentice Productions sco--Accepted the tender of J. B. Mac- red another hit with their three-act play last week, which played to over

-That the gardeners are at work at the annual spring chore of spading the and planting. -That a store has opened in

Schofield home on the highway near the Wartime Housing subdivision. -That George Blanchard and his brother - in - law Bill Andrews have -Turned over allocation of the started a scrap collection business in

McGibbon Store on Saturday.

-That donations of clothing are coming in well at the Old Town Hall for British Flood Relief and several local ladies and gentlemen are generously giving their time to keep the depot open all day and evening.

-That Roy Smith is constructing a age. gas station on the corner of Maple Avenue and the Stewarttown road. -That the fishing season is in full gwing and we're hoping George Hoare will keep us posted on the Georgetown nimrods again this summer.

-That the Dominion Store has had its annual spring coat of paint with "Paddy" Larkin doing the honours.

-That Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaren are back in town from Richmond Hill and Mr. McLaren has taken position with Lane's Haulage.

-That the summer dance spots are opening, with Stanley Park, Erin, holding their first dance last Friday and Huttonville Park on Saturday. Lake opens later this month

#### LIMEHOUSE

Mr. Herb Preston and Mr. A. W. Benton were histhest scorers at the Memorial Hall Board euchre dance on Friday evening. Mrs. Sandy McDonald was holder of the door prize lucky number.

Mr. Alex Wright was home on Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morrow and El-

ane of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Lane. Mr. and Mrs. Mills and Miss Helen were up to their house last week end. We regret to report that word has been received from Scotland of the death of Mr. David M. Robertson last

week. Mr. Robertson made his home

in Limehouse and during the winter months was on a trip to his homeland when he became ill. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Benton and sons visited the Taylor's in Guelph

Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. Mulder visited at

Galt recently: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smethurst and

Jacqueline visited his mother week end. Services will be held at 3 p.m. DST on Mother's Day in Limehouse

Presbyterian Oburch, when Rev. Dr. A. C. Cochrane of Port Credit will preach. The new baptismal font presented by the Sutherland family in memory of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sutherland will be dedicated and a number of children will be offered for bap-

Mr. Charlie Fisher of St. Catharines visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Mulder

W. I. Annual About 25 ladies were guests of retiring W.I. president, Mrs. J. L. Eller-We are sorry to learn that Miss by at luncheon in Limehouse Memor-

The annual meeting and election of officers took place afterwards.

Twenty six ladies paid fees for 1947-48. Annual reports of work showed a layette and a carton of children's clothing given the Halton Children's Ald Society, 37 knitted articles made and 45 yd. of flannellette made up; for | W. Benton's store. Our local quarries all report doing the Salvation Army from their materials and 125 articles of used clothing shipped to them for their overseas relief work. Two quilts were done and presented to British war brides who

> came to Canada. All convenors of standing committees had forwarded their annual re-

The secretary treasurer stated that 12 meetings were held with average attendance of 16. There were paid members. During the year \$932.51 had been raised and a balance of \$91.90 was on hand at the end of year. Seventy-thete social events held in the Memorial Hall last year and the catering committee had han-

this year's school children's gardens were patterned from last but with Hansen was his brother's groomsman. more entries. A bird house building contest is being sponsored, too.

Six ladies attended the Acton W.I. Birthday party and each gave a highlight from that event.

#### ALMOST \$300 RAISED IN TAG DAY FOR BLIND

Under the convenorable of Mrs. Victor Diggins the Countess Strathmore Chapter, I.O.D.E., had an extremely successful tag day for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind last Saturday The sum \$298.17 was raised through the sale of tags and private donations swelled the total money raised to \$318.17.

Assisting the members of the IODE were a group of Public School girls who did a wonderful job. Three of the girls, Margaret Bryden, Leona Conn and Joan Harrison worked from nine in the morning until ten night. The others included Mary Beckett, Betty Mudie, Shirley Caseley, Joan and Betty Poyntz, Jane Milne, Marilyn Bell, Joan Dobbie, Gwen Conn, Elizabeth Ireland, Lots Thompson, Dor!s Grabb, Dorothy Hiller and Muriel Ballantine.

## BALLINAFAD NATIVE

Well known in the legal profession, Wilfred Laidlaw Hiltz who practiced on which the doors of the present law in the Danforth district for more cells in the Old Town Hall could be than 20 years, died suddenly from a heart attack at his home at Union- itect. With the addition of his 5% ville last Sunday. He was 46 years of fee, complete cost of the new buil-

Born in Weston, he was the son the late W. W. Hiltz, former mayor of Toronto. His father was a native of Ballinafad. He graduated from Victoria College and Osgoode Hall in

Besides his law practice, Mr. Hiltz was also active in the real estate business, established by his father, Danforth Ave. He was secretary treasurer of the Broadview Mansions Ltd. and financial editor of the East Toronto Weekly.

Surviving are his wife, the former Gladys Dyke, three daughters. Misses Mary, Nancy and Doreen Hiltz; two sons, Edward and William Hiltz; his mother, Mrs. W. W. Hiltz; a brother, Dr. John Hiltz, Toronto; and four sisters. Mrs. John C. W Irwin, Miss Margaret B. and Mrs. Douglas Gates, all of Toronto, and Mrs. Douglas Gain of Arizona.

Have you contributed to the British Flood Relief campaign yet?

## New Municipal **Building Will** Cost \$16,251

Georgetown will have a new Municipal Building on Main Street on the site of the present Waterworks Building. J. B. Mackenzie & Son have tendered for the job at a price of \$16,251, and the tender was accepted at Monday's Council meeting.

The new building will replace the former Municipal Building, which was sold this spring at a price of \$28,500. It will consist of an addition to the waterworks building and will contain offices for the town clerk, assessor and Provincial Police and a lock-up and Council Chamber. The building will have a modern brick front.

The original tender called for s stone front, but as the use of brick will mean a saving of \$1694, Council TORONTO LAWYER WAS SON OF decided on this. A further saving of \$1355 was effected by dispensing when the idea of a removable fail cell, replacing this with a built-in lock-up used. Mr. Hall of Brampton, is archding will be \$17,063.

#### PARENTS AND FRIENDS ATTEND NORVAL JUNIORS CHURCH SERVICE

Parents and Friends Night was the designation for the annual church service of Norval Junior Farmers and Junior Institute, which was held on Sunday evening in Norval Presbyterian Church. There was a large congregation to join in the worship service. The presidents of the two groups, Ward Brownridge and Ismey Kean were in charge, the former reading the scripture and the latter

conducting prayers. Rev. Gordon Porter, minister of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, presched an excellent sermon based on Nebuchednezzer's dream from Book of Daniel. For the first time, a choir composed of members of the Juniors took part in the musical part of the service Miss Viola Brigden was soloist.

# Municipal Board Approves Georgetown Will Have Sewerage

Mrs. Smethurst took the chair for election of officers and Mrs. Miller acter as secretary. Officers elected for 1947-48 are as follows:

Past President-Mrs. J. Ellerby. President - Mrs. S. Gisby 1st Vice-Pres - Mrs. S. Kirkpatrick

2nd Vice Pres. - Mrs. A. Spitzer Dist. Director - Mrs. E. Miller Branch Directors -- Mrs. Benton, Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Jamieson.

Press Reporter - Mrs. A. Benton Auditors - Mrs. Smethurst, Mrs. Wright. Roll Call convenor - Mrs. Kirk-

patrick, alternate, Mrs. Noble. Convenors of Standing Committees Citizenship - Mrs. H. Norton Home Economics - Mrs. Wright Health and Social Welfare - Mrs.

Benton Agr. and Can. Industries - Mrs. P

Brown Publicity - Mrs. E. Sanford Hist.. Research - Mrs. Smethurst Delegates to district annual - Mrs H. Norton, Mrs. A. Norton, Mrs. E.

Miller, Mrs. Smethurst. Choices for short courses were: 1: Household Accounting

2. Salads the year round The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Mulder spent the week-end with friends at Vanessa she remaining for a week's holiday. The Women's Institute are aiding

in the drive for clothing for Britain

and ask that donations he left at A

# Ralph Hanson Marries

Saturday, May 3rd; the marriage was congratulated the club on their sucsolemnized by Rev. E. M. Nichols of cessful season last year and expressed Mary Elizabeth Watts, R.N., Guelph, his desire for continued success this daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Watts year. Nominations were called for of-Toronto, and Ralph Johan Hansen, ficers for the 1947 season and the folson of Mrs. Charles E. Parker of Georgetown and the late Johan Han-

The bride wore a turquoise dressmaker suit with white and black accessories, a rose flowered hat and corsage of gardenias. Her only attendied seven receptions and banquets. dant was her sister, Margaret Ruth The gardens committee stated that Watte; wearing a gray tailored with black hat and red roses.

The couple left on a wedding trip resident of Acton and the groom is a evening this Priday and fourth year engineering student the University of Toronto.

Latest reports are that the Ontario Municipal Board has given approval to Georgetown to construct a sewerage system at a cost up to \$375,000. Contracts are being signed with the Scott-Jackson Construction Company and the work will shortly get under day. The sewerage by-law was given first and second readings by Council on Monday, and while the third reading bee yet to be given, this will be merely a formality, as Council were unanimous in passing the first two

## Social and Personal

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Cameron age visiting with friends in Believille. Among the guests of Brigadier and Mrs Watson at Keewatin Lodge were Mrs. Watkins of Georgetown and Mr. and Mrs. Dumfries. All report a fine week-end fishing but the less and about the catch the better.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and family of Weston visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Caseley over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. H. Hurley and daughter Georgina and Mrs D. Perry of Toronto were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hurley. Mrs. Perry is staying over in town for the week.

#### MRS. MARY BEDELL IS TENNIS CLUB PRESIDENT

Mrs. Mary Bedell was elected president of St. George's Tennis Club when the annual meeting was held in the Former Acton Girl club rooms on Monday. Archdescon W. G. O. Thompson presided and In Hart House Chapel, Toronto. on opened the meeting with prayers. He lowing slate of officers was elected:

> Hon, Pres. - Archdeacon Thompson President — Mrs. Mary Bedell Vice-Pres. — George Walker Secretary — Margaret House Treasurer - Mrs. Ted Arnold

Grounds Committee - William Mo-Nally, George Walker, Dong Sarment. suit Ken Butler, Bob Smith. Social Committee Convenor - Mrs.

Bedell. After a short business meeting, to Montreal. The bride is a former was directed to have the first work