

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

Wednesday Evening, December 10th, 1947

Voters Favor \$1200 Annual Grant to Brass Band

Goodlet Heads Polls, Whitmee Edges Lyons in Ward 3 Vote

Board of Education, Band Grant, Get Large Majority
Voters Do Not Favour General Council Election.

Ward 3, traditional election centre in municipal elections, was the only ward to vote on Monday for Council and voting was heavy, with 480 voters casting ballots of an estimated six hundred qualified voters. The same three men contested the two Council seats as last year and once again Cr. James Goodlet led the polls with 225. Second place was extremely close, and Ray Whitmee scored a four-vote victory over Cr. Thos. L. Lyons, with 198 to 194. Last year the results were Goodlet 234; Lyons 196; Whitmee, 128.

While Council, School Trustees and Hydro Commissioner were elsewhere elected by acclamation, all voters had the opportunity of voting on three important questions, but little interest in these was shown in Wards 1 and 2, only 54 casting ballots in Ward 1 and 72 in Ward 2. There are 424 and 776 registered in the Voters List in the wards.

Majority approval of granting \$1200 annually to the band and forming a Board of Education was expressed. Electing Councillors by general vote rather than wards had a slight majority in Ward 3, but was defeated by opposition vote in the other wards.

THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor:

The weather has been variable to say the least. Let's hope it is not leading up to something again, on the very eventful December 12th.

— Ern. Batkin

DATE	MAX.	MIN.
Dec. 1	36	14
Dec. 2	40	20
Dec. 3	44	33 1.08 R.
Dec. 4	35	26
Dec. 5	31	21 10" S.
Dec. 6	34	19
Dec. 7	46	28
Average	38	23
Snow (S) 10"		Rain (R) 1.08

Mrs. Angus McArthur Was Oldest District Resident

Oldest resident of this district and known to all who knew her as "Grandma," Mrs. Angus McArthur passed peacefully away last week in her 100th year. The last of the family of the late Aaron and Leah Wheeler, Mrs. McArthur had been bedfast since last January. Her loving qualities, patience and true friendship endeared her to many friends in the Cedarvale community. Always a faithful church worker, she had been a member of the old Erin Centre Church and in later years of the Erin Church of Christ.

Predeceased twenty-eight years ago by her husband, she leaves a family of four daughters and two sons, Mrs. J. O. Martin, Vineland, Mrs. Herb Keeler and Mrs. Arthur Griffin, Erin, Mrs. Burt Davidson, Acton, and Howard and William McArthur, Erin. One brother, Aaron Wheeler and one sister, Mrs. Smart, predeceased her.

The funeral service was held on Sunday from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Griffin, with Rev. W. G. Charlton of Erin conducting the service. A solo, "We are waiting by the river" was sung by her nephew, Campbell McArthur of Guelph. Pall-bearers were Fred Shortill, Will Marshall, John Berry, Smith Griffin, Ed Smith and James Neville. Flower bearers were Burt Berry, Lorne Keeler, Harvey Peavoy, Robert Marshall, Wilmer Davidson, Theodore Martin, Harold and Donald McArthur, Neil Hading and Russell Smith.

Friends from a distance who attended the funeral included Mrs. J. O. Martin, Theodore Martin and Mrs. Robert Shekelton of Vineland; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Huntsman, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huntsman, Beamsville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smart, Grimsby; Mrs. W. Nelson, Mrs. W. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. John Smart, Miss Irma Smart, Mr. Donald McArthur, Mr. Wes Lloyd of Toronto; Mrs. Thomas Birney, Copper Cliff; W. J. McLean, Red Deer, Alta., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McArthur, Mr. John McArthur of Stayner; Mr. and Mrs. John McArthur, Mr. J. D. McArthur, Mrs. Mary Owens, Creemore; Mr. and Mrs. Campbell McArthur, Mr. Harold McArthur, Mrs. Burt Bonany, Guelph; Mrs. Fed McArthur, Rockwood; Mrs. Warner, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

DIED
CAMERON—At the Manse, Georgetown, on Friday, December 5, 1947, Rev. Alexander E. Cameron, beloved husband of Olive MacFarlane and father of Isobel (Mrs. C. C. Cochrane).

TOWNSEND—At his home on Sunday, December 7th, 1947, Edward Townsend, beloved husband of Ellen D. McLean, and dear father of William E. and Margaret (Mrs. Oliver Hunter). Aged 77 years.

IN MEMORIAM
McMURDO—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Walter McMURDO, who passed away on December 3rd, 1946.

Years can't alter nor shadows dim
The lasting memories we have of him.
—Always remembered by his
Wife and Children.

KEEP IT UP
Thanks to advertisers and correspondents for early copy which helped us publish a 16-page paper this week.



SHIP OF HOPE: Beginning early in 1948, new Canadians to the number of 800 displaced persons and other immigrants will arrive in this country with each voyage of the Canadian Pacific Steamships' 16-knot diesel-electric liner Beaverbrae, seen above alongside her refitting berth at Sorel, Quebec. Formerly the German vessel Huascarán of the Hamburg - Amerika Line, she was captured, virtually undamaged by Allied forces in a Norwegian fjord, where she had acted as repair and "mother" ship to U-boats, seeking their toll of shipping in the North Atlantic, and handed over to Canada as part reparations payment. Master of the Beaverbrae is Captain G. O. Baugh, OBE, R.D., a Royal Canadian Navy veteran of the Battle of the Atlantic, who quite possibly tangled with some submarines which had been based alongside his new command.

— Canadian Pacific Photo

COUNCIL OF WOMEN HEAR PROVINCIAL REPORT

At the meeting of the local Council of Women held last Friday at the home of the president, Mrs. R. T. Paul, reports of the Provincial Convention in Toronto were presented by Mrs. W. E. Nodwell and Miss Hettie Lawson. Mrs. A. M. Nielsen read an interesting news letter from headquarters.

A feature of the meeting was the receiving of a life member's pin in the parent body, the National Council of Women, which had been a treasured possession of the late Miss Gertrude Dayfoot. Miss Dayfoot was instrumental in establishing the local group in 1921 and was its first president. The pin was sent by Mrs. C. B. Dayfoot of Oak Bay, B.C., who suggested that the present president wear it. Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie pinned it on Mrs. Paul, who expressed the honour she felt at wearing such a token.

A social hour over the teacups concluded a pleasant afternoon.

Rev. A. E. Cameron Buried in Melrose Cemetery

Rev. Alexander Ernest Cameron a resident of Georgetown for the past year and a half succumbed to a heart attack which he suffered last Friday night, December 5th. Born seventy-one years ago in Bathurst Township, Lanark County, he was the son of the late William Cameron and Caroline Carroll. He attended public and high school in Perth and received his B.A. degree from Queen's University, in Kingston, in 1908. He graduated in 1906 from Queen's Theological College and in 1928 received the B.D. degree from Queen's. He was an active supporter of Queen's Theological Alumnae Association. He was a member and past moderator of Kingston Presbytery.

Mr. Cameron retired from the ministry in 1945 after serving eighteen years as minister of St. John's Presbyterian church in Pittsburg Township near Kingston, a charge which also included the church at Sandhill. His first church was at Melrose, near Belleville, and he later preached at Metcalfe near Ottawa, and at Plester Rock, New Brunswick. He leaves his wife, formerly Olive MacFarlane, an only daughter, Mrs. C. C. Cochrane (Isobel) of Georgetown, and two grandsons. A sister, Miss Agnes Cameron, lives in Toronto.

The funeral service was conducted by Kingdon Presbytery in St. Andrew's Church, Kingston, on Monday, with Rev. Dr. S. McLean Gilmore conducting the service. Pall-bearers were elders of Mr. Cameron's congregation at St. John's and Sandhill. Interment was in Melrose Cemetery.

LOCAL DOG WINS AT ROYAL

Graham Farm's Parader (23179) a 9 month old sable and white Scotch collie owned by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Graham of Georgetown was placed first at the Royal Winter Fair in open dogs, and went on to win Winner's Prize. He got five points toward his championship which requires ten points and won the C.K.C. trophy.

Graham Farm's Buddy Boy (226133), another Collie owned by the Grahams did well at the Spring Shows, and at Barrie Kennel Club show he was placed first in open dogs although he was only ten months of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fryer Celebrate Golden Wedding

On December 8th, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fryer held open house at their home on King Street when many friends and relatives visited them to pay their respects on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Fryer were married at the Methodist manse in Georgetown by the Rev. George Mitchell, the bride being the former Bertha Hawes. They have three children, Mr. Fred Fryer, Misses Louise and Jessie Fryer, all residents in Georgetown, and one granddaughter, Miss Bertha Fryer.

SPACE IS LIMITED
Merchants wishing Christmas advertising are asked to contact us immediately as space is limited.

CHURCH NEWS

The United Church
Rev. R. C. Todd, B.A., Minister.
Miss Lynda Stewart, A.T.C.M., L.R.S.M., Music director.

10 a.m. Sunday school and Bible Class. 11 a.m. Public Worship. Sacrament of baptism.

7:00 p.m. Evening worship. Subject: Who has found the Garden of Eden — Russia, the U.S.A., or neither?

For the Christian the Incarnation is the greatest event of all history.

St. George's Church
Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson, Rector

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT:

Holy Communion 8 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.

Mr. C. N. Blagrove, student in charge of Erin will conduct Matins at St. George's. Evensong 7 p.m.

St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams
THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT:
Holy Communion — 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School — 2:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Rev. Chas. R. Gower, Minister
Sunday, December 14

10 a.m.—The Man Who Wins
11 a.m.—Sunday School. A class for all.

7 p.m.—Christ's Power is available for all

8 p.m.—Monday B.Y.P.U.
8 p.m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting and Bible Study.

Ballinasfad
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Public worship
Churchill

1:30 p.m. Public worship
2:30 p.m. Sunday School.
Melville

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

Normal United Church Charge
Rev. F. J. Dunlop
Normal

Public Worship.
Mount Pleasant
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School and Public Worship.

Glen Williams
2 p.m. Sunday school;
7 p.m. Public worship. All are welcome.

Normal and Union Presbyterian Churches
Rev. J. L. Self, B.A., B.D.
Normal

2 p.m. Sunday school
3 p.m.—Public worship
Union

10 a.m. Sunday school
11 a.m. Public Worship.

Knox Presbyterian Church
Georgetown
Rev. Chas. C. Cochrane, B.A., B.D., Minister

10 a.m.—Sunday school and Minister's Bible Class.
11 a.m. Public Worship.
7 p.m. Public worship

Limehouse Presbyterian Church
2 p.m. Sunday School and Minister's Bible Class.
3 p.m. Public Worship.

Holy Cross 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.

Celebrated 55th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neill celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Sunday when a family party was held in Toronto at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. O'Neill. Present at the party were their daughter, Mrs. Earle D. Shely of Birmingham, Michigan, and Mrs. O'Neill's sister, Miss A. Coventry of Georgetown.

LOCAL NEWS

—Christmas concert and dance at Waterloo School on December 17th.

—St. George's Sunday School concert will be held on Friday, December 19th, at 7:30 p.m. sharp in the Sunday School rooms.

—Those wishing to join the Curling Club are asked to have fees paid to the secretary-treasurer, Leslie Ellis, before December 17th.

—United Church Sunday School Christmas entertainment, Friday evening, December 19th.

—Christmas shooting match, December 20th, at Arena, Bolton, dressed fowl, 22 Target rifles, 22 Sporting rifles and 12 gauge shot-guns. Bolton Athletic Association.

—Dancing every Saturday night at Bolton Casino, until the end of December. Merry-makers 9-piece orchestra. 12-10

—The Daughters of the Church will hold a sale of aprons, fancy work, home-baking and candy in the McGibbon Store on Friday, December 12th at 3 p.m. 12-10

—The Lorne Scots Band will present a concert in the Roxy Theatre, Sunday, December 21st, 8.15 p.m., featuring Christmas carols and community singing. Presentation of trophies and medals will be made by Prof. C. Thiele of Waterloo.

—Have your eyes examined by O. T. Walker, E.O., Optometrist, at his office over the Bell Telephone Co., Main Street, Georgetown, the second Wednesday of each month. Or you may consult O. T. Walker at his office in Brampton, Phone Georgetown 67W; Brampton 592.

—Big sale now on. Sporting goods for Christmas gifts. Chas. Senior Ski Bindings \$1.95 set, Lacrosse Sticks \$2.98, Hockey Pads \$1.19, Sleighs \$2.98 and thousands of other specials.—Blain's Hardware and 5c to \$1.00 Store, Brampton, one of Ontario's largest hardware. Selling at chain store and city prices.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8th

Ward 3 — Council

JAMES GOODLET	225
RAY WHITMEE	198
Thos. L. Lyons	194

Do you favour a \$1200 annual band grant?

	Yes	No
WARD 1	34	17
WARD 2	38	32
WARD 3	254	113
Total	326	162

Do you favour a Board of Education?

	Yes	No
WARD 1	32	16
WARD 2	53	19
WARD 3	267	67
Totals	352	102

Do you favour electing Councillors by general vote, rather than by wards?

	Yes	No
WARD 1	18	29
WARD 2	32	39
WARD 3	170	164
Totals	220	232