

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

Wednesday Evening, July 21st, 1948

Mrs. Jack Fry Wins Frig. in Lions Club Draw

Mrs. Jack Fry Sr., of Glen Williams was first prize winner in the lucky draw at the Lions Variety Show in the park last Thursday and won the Frigidaire offered as the grand prize. The draw, one of the largest held in the district for some time had aroused considerable interest and a large crowd was on hand to see the show and to see the lucky tickets drawn by Dianne Hilllock and Marlene Bludd. Mrs. Fry's ticket was number 6706. Other prizewinners were: Allan Robinson, 270 Balmoral Ave. S., Hamilton (8981), electric stove; John Buss, Provincial Paper, Toronto (13779), bicycle; Clifford Davison, Glen Williams (9190), waffle iron and sandwich toaster; Bert Carney, Norval (10104), fog lamps; N. E. Landon, 27 Mossom Rd., Toronto (7734), toaster.

The show was held to provide an initial fund for the erection of a band-shell in the park and net proceeds will amount to about \$806. The lucky draw was in charge of a committee composed of Lorne Peters, Frank Murfin, John Gunning and Jack Armstrong with the latter in charge of the Variety Show for which he acted as master-of-ceremonies. Talent, all local, was excellent, and included Clarence and Eddie Valey, violin selections; Dianne and Marlene, tap dancers; Fred Barnes, ballet; Tom Barnes and Mrs. Leslie Tomlinson, duets and solos; Kenneth Harrison and Bud Tost, piano duets, the latter also playing an accordion solo and selections by both the Lorne Scots Band and the Girls Pipe Band. Mrs. Walker, Glasford and Kenneth Harrison accompanied at the piano for the various musical numbers. An added attraction was a revival of the Georgetown-Dolbeau skit by Riley Brethour and John Gunning, without the uniforms which they wore when it was presented at the hockey dinner. Mr. Gunning also gave a short talk explaining the aims of the Lions Club in building the band shell which will also be used for various entertainments in the park.

St. George's Sunday School Picnic

St. George's Sunday School held their annual picnic at Miles Park last Saturday.

In addition to the appetizing lunches being enjoyed among the record attendance, there were various racing events held by the different classes which caused a great deal of amusement, the winners receiving lovely prizes.

Beginner's Class, 6 and under, all received prizes; Girls, 6 - 7, Patsy McNally, Diane Verrege; Boys, 6-7, Norman Lockhurst, Bobby Hornby; Girls, 8-9, Barbara Bowman, Gail Thompson; Boys, 8-9, Danny Martin, Fred Harrison; Girls, 10-12, Dorothy Hiller, Shirley McNally; Boys 10-12, Bobby Webster, Peter Lewis; Girls, 13-14, Ruth McNally, Ann Bedell; Boys, 13-14, Paul Barber, John Doherty; Girls 15 and over, Mary McNally, Jean Bedell; Boys, 15 and over, Byron Bedell, Bill Doherty; Tie Race, Jean Bedell, John Doherty; Three-legged race, Mary McNally, Bill Doherty; Boys sack race, 12 and over, Fred Dickenson; Girls sack race, 12 and over, Jean Bedell; Wheelbarrow race, Ann Bedell, Paul Barber; Thread and Needle race, Mrs. H. C. Lewis, Mrs. Clark; Shoe race, Paul Barber; Mystery Person, Charles Parton, discovered by Helen Chaplin.

Also "Johnny-on-the-spot" was our genial guest photographer, Albert Simson, and last but not least was the fine bit of clowning of a Sunday School Officer assisted by one of the teaching staff.

The balance of the afternoon was enjoyed by viewing the various types of animals especially a proud display of peacocks. Plenty of fun was had around the swings and slides by young and old alike.

Judging from the cluster around the refreshment booth everyone including the monies and bears were well filled and happy, or were they? Prior to leaving for home the children ended a happy outing with a peanut scramble.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shepherd announce the engagement of their daughter, Violet Dorothy to Frederick John King, son of Mrs. Frank King and the late Mr. King. The marriage will take place, Saturday, August 14th, at three o'clock, in St. George's Church of England.

THIS IS A TEN-PAGE PAPER.

THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor: When I mentioned recently about the weather being good for holidays, you must have thought the idea was O.K. Anyway, you picked a nice week to be away and we hope you enjoyed the rest. The breezes on Sunday put an end (temporarily, anyway) to the humidity, and it was an ideal day to tack on the end of your holidays. You missed Friday's rain, which, with an amount of 1.38 inches was the most for any one day this year, recorded here. It certainly brought the creeks up to flood proportion and would no doubt help the serious water shortage situation in town. — Ern Batkin

Date Max. Min. Rain

July 12	88	62	
July 13	78	62	
July 14	75	55	
July 15	76	47	
July 16	69	52	1.38
July 17	83	62	.04
July 18	78	64	

Average 78.14 57.71 1.42

MRS. F. TOST DIES IN GUELPH

A resident of this district all her life, Mrs. Fred Tost died in Guelph General Hospital on Saturday, July 17th. Formerly Josephine Thompson, she was a daughter of the late William and Isabel Thompson and was born in Glen Williams 75 years ago.

Since her marriage, she had resided in Georgetown except for a few years spent in Hamilton. She was a member of St. George's Church of England.

Predeceased by her husband 21 years ago, Mrs. Tost leaves a family of three sons, Frank, Jack and Duncan, all of Georgetown, ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Two sons, Fred and Henry predeceased her. A sister, Mrs. J. D. McGibbon lives in Ottawa and a brother, Frank Thompson, in Detroit, Michigan.

Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson conducted the funeral service on Monday from the McClure Funeral Home with interment following in Greenwood Cemetery. Pall-bearers were Jack Tost, Albert Tost, Harold "Pete" Tost, Ray Thompson, Fred Tost and Norman Herbert.

MCCAIG - COSTIGAN WEDDING

On Wednesday, July 7th, in St. George's Church of England, Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson officiated at the wedding of Viola May Costigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Costigan, and James E. McCaig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCaig. The bride wore a street-length white crepe dress with a tunic of Chantilly lace and white accessories. She wore a corsage of pink roses. Attending her was her sister, Mrs. H. Sinclair of Hamilton, wearing a blue crepe dress with white accessories and corsage of pink roses. Mr. Elmore Archdekin of Brampton was groomsmen.

Following a family dinner at the home of the bride's parents, the couple left for a northern honeymoon trip, the bride travelling in a light blue suit with white accessories. They have taken up residence in Georgetown.

Noreen Edmunds Weds in Glebe Road Church

Noreen Edmunds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Edmunds, Grandview Farm, Georgetown, chose Saturday, July 17th for her marriage to Alexander "Red" Haughe, son of Mrs. Haughe of Weston and the late Mr. Haughe. Glebe Road United Church, Toronto, where the wedding was performed, was decorated with pinks and gladioli. The bride wore a white taffeta wedding gown with a finger-tip veil and carried a bouquet of red roses and baby's breath. Her sister, Miss Patricia Ann Edmunds, was her only attendant, gowned in white and carrying a bouquet of red roses and bachelor's buttons. The groom's brother, James Haughe, was his best man.

The bride's sister, Mrs. D. D. Brown, entertained after the ceremony at her home in Toronto, where a four-tiered wedding cake had the place of honour on the table. After a honeymoon trip in the north, Mr. and Mrs. Haughe will reside in Weston.



Picture above is Gordon Pass of Preston, a prominent exhibitor of jumpers, aboard one of his fine horses at the recent Galt Horse Show. Gordon, who runs a furni-

ture and funeral home in Preston formerly worked in town with McClure Home Furnishings and is married to the former Louise Bullivant of Georgetown.

Discuss Hiring Assistant Recreational Director

If plans of the Hockey Club, Board of Parks Management and Recreational Council materialize, Georgetown will have an assistant recreational director in the near future to provide coaching, particularly for hockey and baseball. An advertisement was inserted in daily newspapers recently asking for applications and last night at a joint meeting of the three organizations in the Old Town Hall eight applications were reviewed and four or five chosen for further consideration. A committee composed of Ted King for the Hockey Club, Pere Blackburn for the Arena Board and Alf Sykes for the GRC were chosen to deal further with these applications.

The anticipated salary for the position, which would be a part-time one, is \$1,500 and a majority opinion favours a playing coach for the Intermediate "A" team who could also devote some time to baseball in the summer as well as training coaches for minor teams. Several of the 18 applicants had had big league hockey experience and several could not be considered because of the financial considerations involved.

MRS. COLLINS' FATHER DIES IN TORONTO

Mrs. Edward Jewell, father of Mrs. Alf Collins of town, died suddenly in Toronto on Wednesday morning, July 14th, at the age of 71. A native of England, he came to Canada 41 years ago and settled in Toronto, where for thirty years he was employed with the Provincial Board of Health until his retirement three years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Jewell celebrated their golden wedding anniversary earlier this year with a reception and family gathering in Toronto. The funeral service was held on Saturday.

Mr. Jewell is survived by his wife and a family of nine children, Mrs. Percy Kilcup (Emily), Windsor, N.S.; Mrs. Alf Collins (Anne), of Georgetown; Mrs. William Stobbs, (Henrietta), Windsor, Ont.; Mrs. Harry Cox (Ada), Mrs. William Austin (May), Mrs. Albert Noakes (Christina), Mrs. William - Bloor (Sally), William and Edward Jewell, all of Toronto.

DUFFY'S TAKE LEAD IN FASTBALL LOOP

Monday and Tuesday's games in the GRC Industrial Fastball League at the park set new highs in excitement. Rained out twice, the first meeting of Lions and Duffy's took place Monday and ended in a 9-5 score for Duffy's. Lions led in the first when they had a field day to score all their runs. Duffy's came back with four, one each in the 2nd and 3rd and 3 in the 5th to sew things up. A powerful homer by Scotty Patterson highlighted this inning and brought in the three runs. Hal Gibson also got a homer in the 3rd.

Last night Provincial almost had the game in the bag. Leading in the last inning and with two men out, two errors in the infield allowed Duffy runners on base and a couple of hits boosted the score to 14-1 and robbed pitcher Jack Komshend of victory.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Fred Tost wish to thank friends for kindnesses extended to them in their bereavement.

Social and Personal

We See This Week

THAT the GRC is planning a community picnic again this year with July 22nd set as the date. Walker Cleave is chairman in charge of the event.

THAT Stan Shier of Oshawa was manager at the Dominion Store while Norm Smith was enjoying his two-week vacation.

THAT Mrs. Frank Murfin has accepted a position as afternoon clerk at Ernie's Radio Store.

THAT the Georgetown Dairy have a new sign on the top of their dairy which adds to the appearance of the building with its new coat of paint.

THAT Kentner's Drug Store is looking smart with a new maroon and white floor covering.

THAT several Main Street stores have been painted recently including Goldham's Meat Market (white) Maher Shoe Stores (green and red) and Barrager's (cream and green).

THAT Dennis Davies of Aurora is relieving manager at the Roxy Theatre while Jack Poly is on vacation. He will go from here to Oakville for a similar job.

THAT Rosemary Jordan has joined the staff at Silver's Store during the summer vacation.

Rebekahs Thank School Children for Donation

Members of Verdun Rebekah Lodge were particularly pleased at the thoughtfulness of the children of Georgetown Public School, who donated \$15 to the C.P. and T Fund of the Lodge, part of the proceeds from the sale of waste paper which they collected. The Cancer, Polio-myletis and Tuberculosis Fund is being sponsored by the Lodge as a source of funds for treatment of disease locally which cannot be paid by the person being treated. There have been no calls on the fund to date and a nucleus is being accumulated for the time when need arises.

D.D. Spray Worries Terra Cotta Naturalists

Summer residents of the Terra Cotta district, many of whom are naturalists, were disappointed last year to find that the roadside had been sprayed with D.D.T. as a weed killer, which scared all vegetation and in turn drove animal and insect life away from these areas. While recognizing the good intentions of the officials who organized the spraying, they are concerned about the spoiling of the natural beauty of the countryside and are hoping this year that some other means might be found to combat weed menace.

BALLINAFAD

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McKay of Portage La Prairie, Manitoba, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McKay and called on other friends in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barber of Guelph spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shortill. James Kirkwood Jr. is having two weeks vacation at the Athletic Training Camp near Lake Couchiching.

Marjorie, Sandra and Curtiss Usherwood of Toronto are spending their holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Matthews in this village.

The Mission Band held a display of their sewing at the manse Tuesday afternoon. Infants' nighties and other articles have been made and are to be sent with Dr. W. E. Strangway when he returns to Africa. Donations were also given by the W.M.S. and Mission Circle.

SOME TROUT

A fishing party from town had extraordinarily good luck on a Saturday jaunt to Lake Simcoe. Only half an hour after three local men, John Bingham, Emory Thompson and Fred Weaver had set out in their boat, Em hauled in a 10 1/2 pound beauty. Not to be outdone, Fred soon had a 34" fifteen pounder which is believed to be a season's record for the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurry Moss are vacationing at Locarno, Haliburton. Miss Jessie Cross and Mrs. George Kegg of Toronto were visiting with friends in town on Monday.

Paul MacKenzie is at Camp Ruddy, a YMCA camp on Lake Erie for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Greer are away on a two-week trip to the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Baxter and her sisters, the Misses Moleworth of Toronto were vacationing last week at Penetanguishene.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crowell and daughter Patricia, of Hollywood, Fla., were recent visitors with Mrs. A. Wright.

Miss Celia Ann Atwood of Peterborough is visiting in town at the home of her grandfather, T. W. Treanor.

Mrs. William McNally and David are vacationing at Inverhuron Beach with her sister, Mrs. Walter Biehn.

Mr. Elmer Stockford of Toronto spent the week-end in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stockford.

Misses Norma Thompson and Jean Harley are visiting in Port Arthur with Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ostrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Farnell and Carroll visited last week-end in Niagara Falls with Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Todd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Guild and three sons of Lethbridge, Alberta, spent four days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Verdec and family.

Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs. D. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hillock, Dianne and Glennwright, and Marlene Bludd spent the week-end at Port Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bell returned this week after spending two weeks at Wahnetta Lodge, Sturgeon Lake. During their stay there they attended the Lindsay Old Boys' Reunion.

Mr. A. B. Parr of Sudbury was a visitor in town last week. His mother-in-law, Mrs. W. J. Campbell returned to Sudbury with him for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Parr.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davidson are concluding a two-week vacation this week at the Ernestcliffe Hotel, Juddhaven.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell, Marilyn and Jocelyn are vacationing for two weeks at Sauble Beach, Lake Huron.

Miss Elsie Bird of the Prince Edward County Hospital, Picton, is spending some time at her home on the 7th Line.

Mrs. Harold McClure and George are vacationing at their cottage at Port Sydney.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Bibbs and daughter Elizabeth of Cleveland, Ohio, were week-end guests at the home of Harold McClure.

Mrs. D. A. Thompson and daughter Elizabeth of Athens, Ontario, returned home yesterday after spending a week with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hughes.

Mrs. C. L. Hall, Helen and Jimmy of Little Britain are in town this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Braigby. Mrs. R. Harris and Robert visited last week with her sister at Little Britain.

Mr. Ralph Murfin of Montreal is visiting in town with his brother, Frank Murfin. He is on his annual leave from the merchant navy.

David Watkins celebrated his birthday on Monday when he entertained Dorothy, Bradford, John Booth, Wayne Armann, Wayne Preston, John and Douglas Carney, Paul Marshall and David Parneter.

Dr. J. S. McCullough and son John of New Liskeard are visiting with his father, Dr. H. A. McCullough at his farm home near Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMenomy and Wayne were vacationing last week in a cottage at Stanley Park, Erin and this week are off on a trip to visit relatives in Hamilton, Acton and Guelph.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Isley, 8th Line, Erin, last week were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Isley of Florida, Mrs. Walter Isley and daughter of Detroit, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. George Isley of Breslau.

Miss Jean McNiven has given up her position with the Time Study department at Smith and Stone and has returned home to live at Shawinigan Falls, Que. Miss McNiven, a graduate of McGill University, has been in town for the past few years, making her home here with Mrs. Maud Robinson on 8th St.