

# THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

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## United Church Plans New Church Hall This Year

The annual Congregational Meeting of the Georgetown United Church was held on Monday evening, January 24th. Following the worship service, Rev. J. M. Smith declared the meeting open for the business of the evening.

The various organizations presented printed and verbal reports of their financial and general achievements for the year 1948. These indicated that in spite of the uncertainty of things due to change of ministers and renovation the church had a good year. Three new organizations have been started and it is hoped that they will continue through 1949 — Young People's Union, Wolf Cubs, Boy Scouts. There were 23 new members received by certificate and 8 by profession of faith. A total of 12 names were removed from the roll, 9 by certificate and 3 by death. Infant Baptisms numbered 10 and \$24,615.00 was received and expended by the various organizations during the year. The feeling of the meeting can be expressed in the term "it was a good year," and several members of the congregation proposed resolutions of appreciation to the various organizations and their leaders.

Mr. William Deans was reappointed to the Board of Session as a life member. Messrs. E. Forgrave, Hector Bird and Wm. Deans were reappointed to the Board of Stewards for three year terms and Mr. Claude Kentner was elected for a similar period. Mrs. C. Buck and Mrs. R. H. Jones were reappointed to prepare the elements for the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper; and Messrs. V. T. Cavanagh and P. B. Harrison were reappointed church auditors.

Mr. A. Maclaren, chairman of the Building Committee reported briefly on the accomplishments of the year and outlined the plan of action for 1949 for the congregation's consideration. The meeting accepted the recommendation of the Building Committee that in view of the present and urgent need for enlarged and improved facilities we continue with the building plans. The commitment for 1949 is the building of a new Sunday School Hall and the division of the present hall into suitable class rooms.

The meeting was dismissed and the benediction pronounced. Lunch was served by the Woman's Association.

## Revival for G.R.C. New Committee Takes Over

An encouraging response greeted a public meeting called by the Georgetown Recreational Council last Thursday in the Old Town Hall, when well over a hundred citizens turned out to discuss the future of organized recreation in town.

E. V. MacCormack, past president of the GRC was chairman and first introduced Don Garvie, district supervisor of community programs for southern Ontario. Mr. Garvie first showed an interesting movie of what had been done in Decatur, Illinois, to foster an all-round intensive program, then gave a short talk in which he emphasized that the main point to first decide was whether the town wanted a program, then to organize an executive, with all local groups being asked to work on the committee.

Mr. MacCormack then called on volunteers to serve on a new committee which would go into the question from all angles and act as a temporary committee which would in turn select a new executive. Twenty-five of those present indicated their desire to help out, and this group chose as temporary officers Dr. Clifford Reid as chairman and Mrs. H. C. Lewis as secretary. Other members of the group are Norman Smith, Harry Hite, Leonard Bell, Wheldon Emmerston, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Timbers, H. C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Emmerston, Mrs. Clifford Reid, Jim Martin, Cecil Walker, Glenn Dwyer, Douglas Sargent, A. Bettke, Agar Guest, John Farmer, George Farmer, Mayor Joseph Gibbons, Wilf Breen, Alex Maclaren, Mrs. Percé Olney and Mrs. Itay Conn.

The new committee held their first meeting in the Municipal Building on Monday night and decided to ask Mr. Garvie to attend a second meeting and outline what he considered a suitable plan to follow for a recreation program here. The question of the hiring of a new recreational director was discussed but no action taken until the meeting with Mr. Garvie.

## REVIEW NIGHT AT CHECK LINE FORUM

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. McLaughlin were hosts to the Check Line Farm Forum on Monday evening. As it was Review Night, there was no discussion period arising from the broadcast. A feature picture, also sound films: "Man-Made Jungle", and a technician of the Royal Winter Fair, were shown through the kindness of Mrs. Wm. Strowe and Mr. Mervyn Wile. Refreshments were served with the same charm and hospitality shown in the McLaughlin home throughout the evening.

The January 17th meeting, the last in a series of broadcasts dealing with insurance, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Leslie. The discussions on child welfare, unemployment insurance, workman's compensation and old age pensions were lively, but no definite conclusions were reached as to the best method of carrying these out. Mr. Leslie and her co-hostesses served a delicious lunch at the end of the evening.

## Hockey Fans Pay Tribute To Memory of "Sheeny" Tost

On Wednesday night, between periods of the game between Weston and Georgetown Raiders, the Sheeny Tost Memorial Trophy was presented to the Raiders. The trophy, donated by the Board of Parks Management, was won by the local team in a pre-season series with Weston, Acton and Oakville, and honours the memory of a who did much to make the town so hockey conscious. One of Georgetown's finest hockey stars of all time. Sheeny was among the first to enlist in the last war, and was killed in action with the Canadian Army overseas in 1942.

Ken Nash, team captain, received the trophy on behalf of his team mates from Mrs. Ken McMillan, wife of the club president, and a sister of the late Sheeny Tost. Also taking part in the ceremony were Tory Gregg of Wingham and Beave Jack Armstrong, past president of the hockey club.

## THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor:

Here we are with another week's summary showing averages even higher than last week.

Better keep our fingers crossed though, as anything can and may happen after the storms that have been all over the west.

— ERN BATKIN

	Max.	Min.	R & S.
Jan. 17	36	29	
Jan. 18	50	24	Rain .80
Jan. 19	36	29	
Jan. 20	36	18	
Jan. 21	26	10	Snow .2
Jan. 22	31	25	
Jan. 23	28	22	
Average	34.42	23.71	Rain .80

## Visiting Hamilton Lions Initiate Four Local "Cubs"

A high spot in meetings of Georgetown Lions Club was reached on Tuesday, January 18th, when a number of members of Hamilton Lions Club paid a visit and put on the program for the evening which for the occasion was held in the Legion Hall, with members of the Legion W.A. catering for a chicken dinner.

Four new members were received into club membership in a ceremony conducted by Archie McDougall, a former deputy district governor. The new members are Stan Finlay, Norman Hill, Cecil Davidson and Bruce MacKenzie. A feature of the meeting was an inspirational address by Frank Barker of the Hamilton Club, who gave his thoughts on what membership in a service club should entail, ending with the creed that "what we do for ourselves dies with us; what we do for others lives on." The present deputy district governor, Bert Lewis of Ancaster, also spoke briefly.

Gordon Smith, president of the Hamilton Club, was introduced by Lion Chief J. L. Lambert, and acted as chairman of the meeting. The visiting club provided prizes for a lucky draw on which tickets were sold and the proceeds donated to Georgetown. Winners, drawn by Mayor Joseph Gibbons, were R. Licata, Norman Hill, Harold Hutchinson, and John Gunning.

## GEORGETOWN DAIRY IS SOLD TO HANOVER MAN

The Georgetown Dairy, owned and operated for the past three years by Riley Brethour, changed hands on Monday when Mr. Brethour sold the business to Irwin Noble of Hanover.

Mr. Brethour came here from Hespeler, purchasing the business from E. B. Tyers, who in turn purchased Cedarvale Farm. The dairy is housed in what was formerly the railway station of the now-defunct Teronto Suburban Electric Railway which ran from Toronto to Guelph.

Mr. Noble has had many years experience in the dairy business, and has lately been employed with the Swift-Canadian Company in Hanover. He served with the RCAF during the war, and was stationed for a year in Newfoundland. Mrs. Noble and their daughter Ann Lorraine will continue to reside in Hanover until they secure living accommodation in town.

## HALTON DENTISTS FORM ASSOCIATION

Arrangements for an organization to be known as the Halton County Dental Society were made at a gathering of county dentists in Milton last Wednesday. The dentists met with Dr. James Mather, Halton M.O.H. to discuss certain aspects of the dental treatment offered free to rural students in township school areas. Later, the dentists met as a group at the Milton Inn and decided to form an association, with meetings planned four times yearly.

President of the society is Dr. P. M. Deans of Oakville. Dr. P. E. Babcock of Milton is vice president and Dr. J. B. Milne of Georgetown, secretary-treasurer. The first meeting will be held in Milton on February 11th.

## LOCAL BRIGADE ANSWERS BRAMPTON FIRE CALL

Georgetown Fire Brigade were called to Brampton last Saturday morning to help fight a serious Main Street fire. The fire gutted the premises of the Green Lantern Restaurant and fire and smoke caused extensive damage to the adjoining McKillop's Furniture Store. Three residents of apartments over the stores escaped before the flames and smoke reached their heights, Mrs. Beta McEnery and Mr. and Mrs. Les Armstrong. Mrs. McEnery's daughter, Evelyn, lost her trousseau and furniture which she had assembled in anticipation of her marriage with Ross Colbeck.

A "furniture brigade" was formed and saved many valuable articles of furniture, refrigerators, stoves, and other home furnishings before the fire reached the McKillop store. The fire, first alarm for which sounded at midnight, was not under control until five in the morning.

## Mrs. A. Meredith Dies in Hamilton

A resident of Limehouse for nearly forty years, Mrs. Albert Meredith passed away in Hamilton Hospital on Sunday evening, January 16th. Formerly Elzitra Edge, she was born 75 years ago in Sodem, and had spent most of her married life in Limehouse. Her husband predeceased her fourteen years ago. She was a member of the Canadian Legion W.A.

She leaves a family of five children, Howard of Brampton, Charles of Limehouse, Gordon and Mrs. Charles W. Lucas (Anna) of Toronto and Mrs. Fred McCartney of Georgetown. There are 14 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. She also leaves three sisters and four brothers, Mrs. John Hemingway (Sarah) of Hamilton, Mrs. Arthur Klodt (Lettitia) of Mount Vernon, Mrs. John McMurchy (Annie) of Calgary, Alta., Will of Waterdown, George of Brantford, and David and Fred of Hamilton.

On Wednesday Rev. Mr. Moore of Waterdown and Rev. John M. Smith of Georgetown United Church conducted the funeral service from the McClure Funeral Home in Georgetown. Pallbearers were Comrades Clifford Hiltz, Henry Shepherd, James Blair, Thomas Griewe, Sam Tennant and Albert Henney. Interment was made in Limehouse Cemetery.

Floral tributes and cards of sympathy which were greatly appreciated by the family were as follows: Pillow, the family; Legion W.A.; True Blue Lodge No. 393; Williams Shoe Co.; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith and Elizabeth; office staff of Morahan Supply Corp.; Monahan employees; Good Neighbours Club, Willard Ave.; Mr. and Mrs. McWilliams, Toronto; Mrs. McAuley; Helen Reid; Mr. and Mrs. James McCartney; Mr. and Mrs. Carscadden; Mrs. Lucas, Sr. and family; neighbours; Nancy Meredith; Doris, Jocelyn, Bruce and Denis.

## John Bingham is School Area Board Chairman for 1949

John Bingham was chosen chairman of the Board of Trustees of Esqueping School Area No. 1 when the board met in Georgetown on January 17th at the office of the secretary-treasurer, Miss Ruth Evans. R. L. Davidson of Acton, who replaced Councillor Walter Linham as a trustee, was welcomed to the meeting. Miss Evans was reappointed secretary-treasurer for 1949.

Two new school sections, S. S. 12 (Lorne) and S. S. 15 (Clayhill) joined the area on January 1st. The school trustees and the Inspector L. L. Skuce, will visit these and also Glen Williams Public School, where overcrowding will make necessary an enlargement of the premises.

The regular board meetings will be held on the fourth Monday of each month, with the exception of February, when the meeting will be held on the third Monday afternoon.

## REUNION PLANNED NASSAGAWEYA MARKS HUNDRETH YEAR

All past reeves and councillors were invited to the inaugural meeting of Nassagaweya Council which was held in the council chamber at Brookville on January 10th.

Members of the new council who subscribed to the oath of office are: Reeve W. M. Vansickle, Councillors J. E. Ellenton, R. M. Storey, George E. Stokes and J. S. Norris. The meeting marked the 100th year of the establishment of the municipality. Fourteen past reeves and councillors were present and letters of regret at being unable to attend were read from D. R. Hutcheon of Vancouver and George Finney of Durham. After the business, five former reeves were asked to occupy the council chairs for the balance of the afternoon. All were of the opinion that a centennial field day should be held this summer. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

On January 12th at a second council meeting, further plans were made for a centennial reunion. John Carton was appointed chairman of a Historical Committee, members of which are J. W. Moffat, C. A. Darby, L. W. McMillan, George S. Fulton, N. S. Marshall and William Reid.

A grant was made to the Salvation Army Rescue Home. Mrs. B. Elliott was appointed caretaker of the Township Hall, Mr. K. Cox caretaker of the memorial plot and L. W. McMillan relief officer.

Mr. Jim Gnoddel is in Toronto this week where he is taking the annual service course at the Can.

## Raiders Trounce Acton Last Night 7 - 2

### Fast, Wild Game, Junior Raiders Edge Clancy THL's

In a fast, wild hockey game played here last Tuesday, Georgetown Junior "C" entry led all through the game to defeat King Clancy's THL Juniors 9-8. Georgetown, sparked by Junior Beaumont, played good sound hockey. Beaumont was the star of the game with 3 while Inglis and Scott each scored a pair. Inglis scored his two in 30 seconds. Harmon and Vogelman were the stars for the Clancy crew with a pair each. In the third period a regular donnybrook broke out with practically all players being in on it. Fowster and Beaumont were given majors for fighting while Dillon was assessed two minutes for leaving his net and joining in the fray. Beaumont scored the winning goal at 12:05 of the third period on a hard drive to the upper corner that Romanalli in goal never had a chance on.

Georgetown — goal, Dillon; def., Haines, Scott; forwards, Junior Beaumont, K. Scott, R. Hepburn. Alternates, Inglis, Louth, Thompson, Hiltz, Goldeh, Hewitt, King Gibbs and Norton.

K-C — goal, L. Romanalli, def., J. Romanalli, J. Fowster; Forwards D. Hall, A. Nicholson, Jones, Bundy, Osborne, Dowling, Sharples, Jones, Vogelman, Harmon, MacIlroy, Silp.

Georgetown — Beaumont 1.45  
1st Period  
Georgetown — Beaumont 1.45  
Georgetown — Scott 3.10  
K. C. — Harmon 3.47  
K. C. — Osborne 8.40  
K. C. — Harmon 12.20  
Penalties — Haines, Osborne, Fowster.

2nd Period  
Georgetown — Gibbs 11.22  
K. C. — Vogelman 18.45  
Penalties — Scott (2), Haines, Nicholson.

3rd Period  
Georgetown — Beaumont 3.0  
Georgetown — Haines 2.45  
Georgetown — Inglis (Hepburn) 2.55  
Georgetown — Inglis 3.20  
K. C. — Vogelman 5.36  
K. C. — Harman 5.54  
Georgetown — Scott (Inglis) 8.30  
K. C. — Jones 9.30  
K. C. — Fowster 11.25  
Georgetown — Beaumont 12.05  
Penalties — Dillon, Jr. Beaumont, Thompson, Nicholson, Jr. Beaumont, Nicholson (major for fighting).

Before the largest crowd of the season the Raiders last night trounced the Acton Tanners 7-2. The locals were flying, their back checking was superb and they showed their superiority during all the game. Going into the third period the locals were leading 5-0 and were out to give Lever his first shut out of the season. Lever turned aside many hard shots and was invincible until 7:02 of the third period when Sproat scored on a pass from Basso. Each of Georgetown's three lines shared in the scoring with Max Bradbury and Nick Ferri netting two apiece. Jr. Beaumont, Kemshead and Currie netted the remaining tallies while Hillson scored the second goal for the Tanners.

The game was marred by an attack on referee Lennie Brathwaite in the 2nd period by Mike Cox of the Tanners. Cox was banished from the game and will probably have to appear before the OHA to account for his actions.

Georgetown: goal, Lever; def., Patterson, Nash; forwards M. Bradbury, Storey, Currie; Jr. Beaumont, Kemshead, Melanson, D. Beaumont, N. Ferri, Chappel, L. Bradbury, Martin.

Acton: goal, Evans; def., Baylis, Lindsay; for. Goy, O'Donoghue, Cox; Basso, Hillson, Kentner, Sproat, Marzo, Brush.

1st Period	
Georgetown — Ferri (Chappel, Nash)	1.20
Georgetown — Kemshead (Jr. Beaumont)	18.50
Penalties — Kentner, Baylis, Sproat, D. Beaumont, Ferri, Melanson.	
2nd Period	
Georgetown — Jr. Beaumont (Kemshead, Melanson)	4.21
Georgetown — M. Bradbury (L. Bradbury)	8.10
Georgetown — Ferri (Storey)	15.10
Penalties — Cox (misconduct and match penalty) Martin, Kentner, Storey, Currie.	
3rd Period	
Georgetown — M. Bradbury (Martin)	5.08
Acton — Sproat (Basso)	7.02
Acton — Hillson (Lindsay)	11.40
Georgetown — Currie (Storey)	15.04
Penalty — Hillson.	

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benner and baby daughter Helen have returned from a visit with relatives in Windsor and Detroit. Mr. Benner is on vacation this month in his position as manager of the Royal Bank.

## Record Financial Year for Norval United Church

With over \$3,000 raised for church purposes in 1948, a record financial year was reported at the annual meeting of the Norval United Church held on January 7th. Dinner, prepared by the church ladies preceded the business meeting, which opened with a short worship service conducted by the minister, Rev. F. J. Dunlop. Mrs. Hamilton McLaughlin was elected as secretary of the meeting.

The Session report was presented by the minister and clerk of the session, H. G. Lyons. During the year extensive repairs were carried on in the parsonage, including insulation, painting and the placing of insul-brick on the building.

The report of the Board of Stewards was presented by the chairman, George C. Brown. The missionary and maintenance report by Col. A. L. Noble showed an increase over last year. Mrs. H. McLaughlin read the Woman's Missionary Society report and Mrs. Wilbert Cleave the Mission Band. Mrs. E. C. Reed and Mrs. N. T. Laidlaw gave the Woman's Association and Sunday School reports.

N. T. Laidlaw, Wilbert Cleave, William Graham and George Sharp were re-elected stewards for three year terms. Hartley Cameron was elected to fill a vacancy on the board, which also has as its members A. E. Carney, Howard Laidlaw, Earl Hyatt, Will Hyatt, Hamilton McLaughlin and George C. Brown.

At a subsequent meeting of the board, Mr. Brown who has been chairman for seven years, retired much to the board's regret. The following officers were elected: Chairman — H. McLaughlin; Secretary — George C. Brown; Treasurer — George Sharp; Members of the Session are: Col. A. L. Noble, Earl Hyatt, James Hyatt, W. P. Laidlaw, F. J. Dunlop.

## JUNIOR RAIDERS ARE MATCHED IN SERIES WITH ACTON

Georgetown's Junior D hockey team, which was originally spotted in a 4-team group is playing an abbreviated series with Acton, only other entrants in this district. Ferguson and Listowel which had originally planned to enter teams, dropped out before the schedule began.

The Junior Raiders, in the first league game here next week, play in Acton next Wednesday. On February 11th the teams meet here again and on February 15th in Acton.

A best 2-of-3 play-off series is being arranged, with the leading team to have choice of first ice.

## FIRE BRIGADE CALLED, NO DAMAGE REPORTED

The fire brigade was called yesterday afternoon to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ure, Market Street, where an overheated fireplace threatened to cause a fire in the home. No damage was reported. Mr. and Mrs. Ure live in the white cottage on the hill formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Harvey Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Burt of Ballinacree were Sunday