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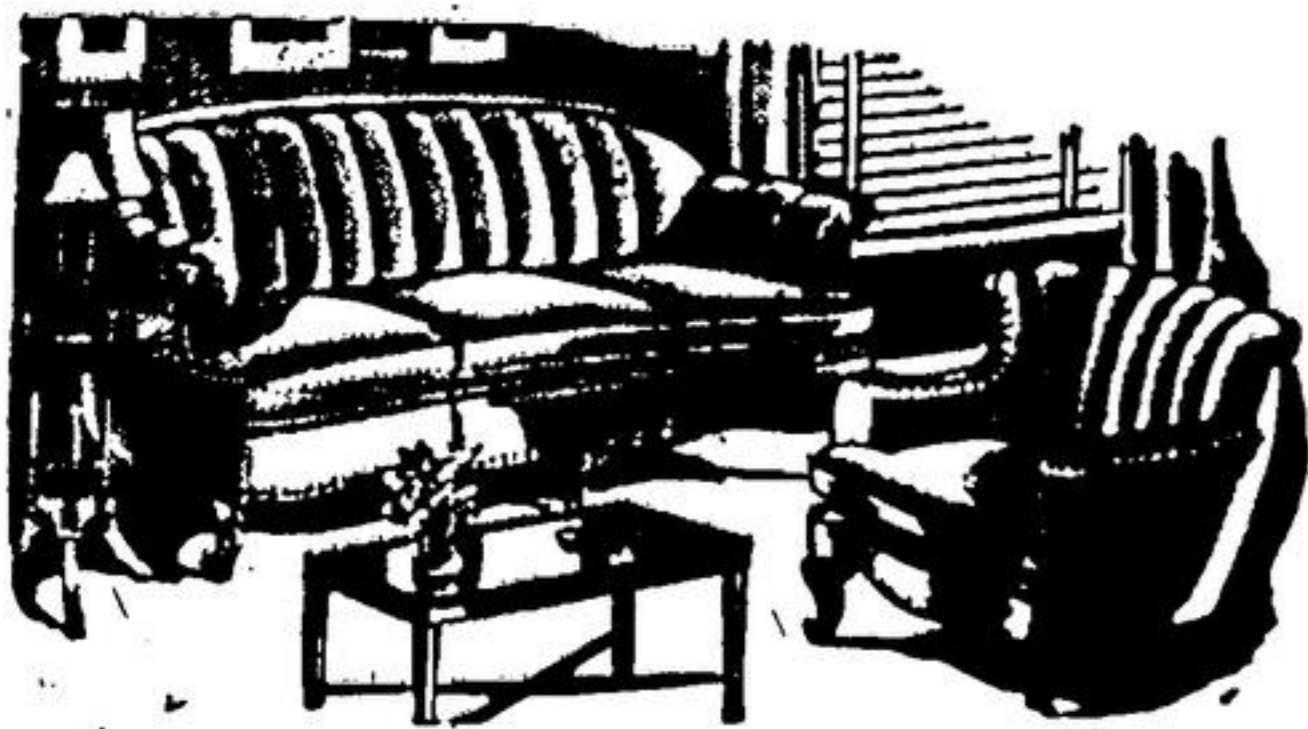
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Chatting... With Anne

I was supposed to write a farewell column last week, but in the rush of moving around I didn't get it done. I hope I can manage to have a little space in the paper for its next edition.

We are trying to catch a little shut-eye after the evenings of saying farewell to our friends. I had an idea I had some friends here, but was astonished to find there were so many.

Reading Steamboat's column one would gather that Acton and Georgetown were rivals in everything. The other Saturday night there was plenty of harmony between Acton and Georgetown, when some of our friends held a party for us at the home of George and Mite Louth. Three Acton gentlemen, who, incidentally turned down a paying job in Acton to come and play for the party, proved to be very good sports and added much to the evening's fun. We were surprised and overjoyed to receive a beautiful plate glass mirror, which we hope to keep always. This party was a complete surprise as we thought we were going to a birthday party for Zella Timbers and Ella Woods. I guess the gals have a party coming to them yet. When we get settled we hope to have these old pals up for an evening.

Neighbours all around us kept dropping in and on Friday we were surprised again, and had to crawl out in pajamas which tickled every one. We received lovely gifts again and enjoyed a lunch, which was delicious. We will never forget our friends in Georgetown. Thank you all.

Reading the Herald this week I enjoyed Pete Lewis' Column "What's New?" For the sake of argument Pete, is the mud on King Street new? It is the granddaddy of all muddy roads. Driving in early in the morning when we reach King Street we invariably exclaim "King Street! Ugh!" So many nice people live on King Street, I expect if I don't hear from any of you that you have disappeared in the mud.

The weather continues spring-like, but the old farmers, with a wise shake of their heads, keep saying, "Just wait! there will be more snow than you can shake a stick at before Spring."

I must be getting old. Since leaving here I have been skating on the river in Erin, and meeting a few old high school friends, and one of them remarked it was sixteen years ago since he had skated with me. How time flies! Now I find my little son skating on the same river and playing hockey with the sons of the boys and girls with whom I went to school.

The new Georgetown Recreational group looks like a good set-up to me. Both Marsh and Zella Timbers are lovers of children. A person usually has to wade through a half dozen visiting children before they can have a word with "Tink" as we affectionately call Zella. These are the type of people who are good for our youngsters. The whole committee seems to be comprised of the right sort of people.

It won't be long until ploughing time. Wait until I show these old farmers the new look in ploughing! They'll probably leave their farms in disgust. Any way you look at it, there will always be room for improvement.

Until I see you all again "Pax Vobiscum" Anne.

Mrs. Ernest Hunter Dies Suddenly in Brampton

Mrs. Ernest Hunter, a former Georgetown girl, died suddenly in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, on Tuesday, February 22nd. Formerly Annie Alice Wood, she was born in Georgetown 38 years ago and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wood of town. She had lived in Brampton since her marriage eighteen years ago to Ernest Hunter, who is employed with the Brown's Bread Company.

Mrs. Hunter was a member of the Brampton Baptist Church. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Joan at home, a sister, Mrs. Omer Wilson of Toronto and one brother Harry Wood of Toronto.

Rev. Earl H. Cameron conducted the funeral service from the McKillop Funeral Home on Thursday, to Brampton Cemetery for interment. Pallbearers were William Richardson, Omer Wilson, George Porter, Lee Johnson, Roy Hunter and George Marsden.

Henry Townsend Dies After Lengthy Illness

Henry M. Townsend, father of Doug Townsend of Georgetown, died on February 18th at the home of his son, Norman, at Downsview, after a lengthy illness. Mr. Townsend, who resided in Brampton for a number of years, worked for Griffen Brothers prior to his falling ill.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. H. Harper (Marjorie) of Toronto and Mary, Downsview; four sons, Norman, Downsview, Pat and Bill, Toronto, and Douglas, Geor-



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getown; two sisters Mrs. Jack Hixcox and Mrs. S. Johnston of Toronto, and one brother, William, of Port Credit. His wife, the former Frances Smith, predeceased him three years ago.

Rev. John A. McDermid conducted the funeral service from the McKillop Funeral Home in Brampton, with interment following in Brampton Cemetery.

Last Christmas, Santa Claus gave me a wooden whistle, but it wooden whistle. I changed it for a steel whistle, but it steel wooden whistle. The I got a tin whistle, and now, boy, tin I whistle.

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