

**DINNER MARKS I.O.D.E. TENTH ANNIVERSARY**

A delicious turkey supper, held in Limehouse Memorial Hall on April 4th, marked the 10th anniversary of the Countess of Strathmore Chapter, I.O.D.E., in Georgetown. Over thirty members attended, sitting down to tables prettily decorated with spring flowers, candles, and Easter "Peter Rabbits" holding the IODE crest.

Mrs. O. M. Houston, superintendent of the Cedarvale School for Girls, was guest speaker. Her most interesting talk told of the work done by the school. Mrs. Sam Mackenzie proposed a toast to the Chapter, to which Mrs. Ern Baskin responded. A toast to Canada, with special mention of our new province, Newfoundland, was made by Miss Ruth Evans. Mrs. Denny Charles thanked the ladies of the Limehouse W.L., who had catered for the banquet. A farewell gift to Mrs. R. H. Ireland, 2nd Vice Regent, who is moving to Brantford shortly, was presented on behalf of the Chapter by Mrs. Walter Biehn. A proposal by Mrs. Wallace Thompson that the Chapter donate a book to Cedarvale School met with unanimous approval.

During the evening court whist was played, and a number of novelty prizes presented. The winners were: lucky door prize — Miss Hilda Erwin; Birthday Prize, Mrs. Ivan Hay; Wedding Anniversary Date — Mrs. Garfield McGillivray; Wedding anniversary year Mrs. Calvin Clark. Mrs. Henry Rugg won at court whist, with Mrs. Denny Charles and Mrs. J. McClintock tied for second prize. There were two charter members of the Chapter present, Mrs. Sam Mackenzie and Mrs. Wallace Thompson and in honour of this a gift was presented to Mrs. Mackenzie. Mrs. Thompson declined because she was a member of the dinner committee. A gift was also presented to Mrs. Houston, the guest speaker.

Mrs. Wallace Thompson and Miss Hilda Erwin were in charge of the dinner and Mrs. Riley Brethour in charge of the table arrangements.

**PRESENTATION TO RETIRING ST. JOHN AMBULANCE SUPT.**

The members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade met at the home of Mrs. William Smith, Factory Street, on March 31st to honour their Lady Divisional Superintendent, Mrs. Thomas F. Grieve, on her retirement from office. The evening was spent in contests and a sing-song. Mrs. William Hill, lady ambulance officer closed the social time with a reading, which turned out to be an address of regret from the ambulance sisters at the news of Mrs. Grieve's retirement. Much was said of the fine work she had done in the brigade during her seven years of service since its organization and regret was voiced at her relinquishment of the post. She was presented with a sterling silver bracelet with the St. John crest and inscription. Mrs. Grieve feelingly spoke of her joy in giving of her time to the work involved in the office she held, and the pleasure she has felt in working with the members. Lunch was served by Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Walter Peck to bring an enjoyable evening to an end.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the Estate of Elizabeth Lackey, late of the Town of Georgetown, in the County of Halton, widow, Deceased.

The creditors of Elizabeth Lackey, late of the Town of Georgetown in the County of Halton, widow, deceased, who died on or about the 22nd day of December, 1948, and all others having claims against her estate are hereby notified to send by post, prepaid, or otherwise to deliver to Messrs. Langdon & Aylsworth, Georgetown, Ontario, Solicitors for the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of the said Elizabeth Lackey, widow, deceased, on or before the 9th day of May, 1949, their names, addresses, descriptions and full particulars of the securities, if any, held by them and that immediately after the 9th day of May, 1949, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Administrator shall then have notice.

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**FORMER RAIDER STAR NOW PRO GOLFER**

A young man who formerly wore the uniform of the Georgetown Raiders, Gordon DeLaat, Holland-born golf star has been appointed professional at the Weston Golf and Country Club. He has been pro at Pine Point for the last three years.

DeLaat started his golf career at Lambton in 1937. He served during the war with the RCOC, was discharged when he incurred a shoulder injury while playing hockey with the Ordnance team. Over an eight year period he played at Ravinia Gardens in various teams of the Metropolitan League and set a scoring record as a member of the old Bowers team by scoring nine goals in one game. He played for Georgetown in 1942 when the Raiders were eliminated by Paris in the Intermediate "B" finals.

**ASHGROVE**

(last week)  
The Easter Thank Offering of the W.M.S. was held Thursday evening March 31st in the church with the president, Mrs. C. B. Dick presiding. The Devotional was taken by Mrs. Frank Wilson who had a lovely message on Easter and told that the first message of the Risen Christ to his disciples was "Go tell the world" and they obeyed his command. The 16th Chapter of Mark was read by Mrs. John Bell-boddy and Prayer by Mrs. Thos. Giffen after which coloured slides on China were shown. These were taken by Dr. Kenneth Beaton when he visited China in 1947 and showed how the Chinese are living and also the wonderful way our missionaries are helping them. Mrs. John H. Hunter explained each picture as they were shown. Following this the Mission Band children delighted everyone by singing a song "I will not be afraid" then slides for the Mission Band were shown while Mrs. Hector Bird told the story of "Little Johnny of the Goat Boys." Closing hymn and Prayer by Rev. F. Ainsworth, then everyone enjoyed a social hour with refreshments. We were pleased to have Mrs. Edna Gowland of Georgetown at our meeting.

Well! Spring is on her way. We heard the frogs tuning up for the first time on Saturday evening and lots of robins are chirping around. Congratulations to Mrs. Edward Bridgen Sr. who celebrates her 81st birthday on April 5th and Mr. Ward Huddell his 51st birthday on April 8th. May they both enjoy many more.

**LIMEHOUSE**

(last week)  
The IODE, Countess of Strathmore Chapter of Georgetown held their tenth anniversary dinner in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Benton, Neil and Bert visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenlee at Campbellville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Porte and Marion of Erin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ouke Mulder on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sinclair of Georgetown and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson of Acton were Sunday visitors with the A. C. Pattersons. Little Joy Patterson had as birthday party guests last week end, Gloria Latimer and Eileen Varcy of Georgetown.

A fine old land mark was burned down on Tuesday morning when fire of unknown origin destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. C. Brown, west of the village, known as the Newton farm. Neighbours from several miles around rallied to the telephone calls at 2 a.m. but nothing could be saved excepting heavy downstairs furniture and equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ouke Mulder and Francis visited the McEnerys at Ballinacraf on Sunday evening.

**PRE-TEEN NEWS**

Teen Town rang with the voices of 55 children on April 2nd when No. 2 group of pre-teens met for their semi-monthly party. While the boys played Fighting Rooster and handkerchief tag, the girls played River Rover, Marna Mackenzie's team carrying off the honours. After a game of jump the boot, there was dancing, Betty Willson and Billy Farmer winning the spot dance. A quiz contest was held for those who didn't dance. A guest was present from Montreal, 9-year-old Wilfred Brooks.

Many thanks to Mrs. J. Hamilton, Mildred Armann, Gerard Wilcox, Danny Hewitt and Tom Palmer for their help in arranging the party. It was good to see a number of parents dropping in to see the fun.

Husband and wife were observing a glamorous acquaintance at a restaurant table near theirs, "I wonder," said the man, "how she manages to keep so young looking." "Why, haven't you heard, dear?" replied his wife. "It's all done with mirrors."

**BAPTIST CHURCH HIGHLIGHTS**

On Sunday, the speaker was Dr. H. A. Wolverton, a missionary from India. Dr. Wolverton has spent thirty four years in India. At the morning service he spoke about the medical work, and the great opportunity they have of preaching the gospel to the people who come for treatment. So often the people do not come until they have tried everything else. At first they hesitate to trust the white man, but once the missionary gains their confidence, almost miracles are performed in healing. Through the medical contact these people go back to their communities with a testimony, not only of the treatment, but also of the gospel message they have heard while under treatment.

In the evening Dr. Wolverton showed pictures of the people and the work the missionaries are doing. These pictures showed the planting of the rice and the harvesting, the canals with the boats going through them and also showed some of the dangers the missionaries have to face. Snakes are everywhere. Sometimes they find them in their homes, if the door is left open. They never go in a room without a light.

The people of India are responding to the gospel message, and a number of churches have become self supporting.

Last Tuesday evening the mission circle invited the mission circles of Acton, Cheltenham and Brampton to meet with them. Mrs. Dengate, a leader in the women's mission work from Toronto was the special speaker.

**STEWARTTOWN**

(last week)  
We are glad to see those who have been suffering with the "flu" epidemic are able to get out again. Esquering W.L. met in the School last Tuesday.

**EASTER CANTATA SUNG AT KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed at Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday, April 10th at the morning service. Rev. Alex Calder chose as his text St. Luke's Gospel, Chapter 10, verse 41. "And when he was come near, he beheld the City, and wept over it? Why did Jesus weep? If ever any City was religious it was Jerusalem. But they were strong in their own strength and had forgotten the Living God. In our religion let us ever keep in mind that Christ was crucified for us and the day of His resurrection."

The choir sang as an anthem "The Palms" with Mrs. Herbert Harlow taking the solo. Mr. Jack Harrison sang the solo "Open the Gates of the Temple."

The story of the crucifixion and burial of Christ as recorded in St. Mark's Gospel, Chapter 15, verses 24 to 47, was read as the Scripture lesson at the evening service, and the anthem "The Palms" was repeated on request with Mrs. Harlow again taking the solo part.

The service took the form of a choral with the choir, under the very capable leadership of the organist and choir leader Kenneth R. Harrison, giving an excellent presentation of the Cantata "Penitence, Pardon and Peace." The quartette Misses Jean Huddell, Ruth Davis, Rev. Alex Calder and Mr. Jack Harrison took part and also soloists Miss Jean Chester, Kathleen Thompson, Rev. Alex Calder and Mr. Jack Harrison.

W.A. meeting was a quilting at Mrs. C. Smith's home. A.Y.P.A. meeting was held in the school Friday evening.

Birthday greetings this week go to Donald Hodge, 9 years old on Wednesday and to David Smith who will be 5 years next Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. M. Patterson were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant over the week-end.

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