

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

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Harvey Dewhurst Heads Oddfellows Lodge

Harvey Dewhurst was installed as Noble Grand of Orion Lodge, No. 109, I.O.O.F., at an installation ceremony on Monday, Oct. 17th, when Bro. Eddie Dupuis, District Deputy Grand Master and his installation staff visited the local lodge.

The new Orion officers who were installed that evening were: J.P.N.G., Keith Spence; Noble Grand, Harvey Dewhurst; Vice Grand, William Ritchie, Rec. Sec., Fred Johnson; Fin. Sec'y., James Collier; Treasurer, Sam Walker; Warden, Rod Edwards; Conductor, Wm. McDonald; B.S.N.G., Harry Savings; L.S.N.G., Arthur Hill; B.S.V.G., Norm McDonald; L.S.V.G., Lew Tracey; B.S.S., Will Green; L.S.S., Fred Armstrong; Chaplain, Gordon Spence; Inside Guardian, Pat Vance; Outside Guardian, William Gilbe.

THE WEATHER.

Mr. Editor:

This week certainly gave us a variety of weather—froxy to start with, followed by some beautiful warm days, then a real down-pour, followed by gales. I guess we were fortunate to miss at this early date, the snow storms which I hear we had a few miles north of us. However, we better get prepared, as it will be our turn soon.

Date	Max.	Min.
Oct. 17	60	32
Oct. 18	68	41
Oct. 19	70	35
Oct. 20	72	33
Oct. 21	69	35
Oct. 22	61	45
Oct. 23	55	41
Average	65	37.42

Public School News

More than four hundred pupils of the Georgetown Public School had the privilege of seeing films on Monday morning in the Town Hall auditorium. Mr. H. G. McKay of the Ontario Safety League was in charge of the projector and endeavoured to impress the basic safety rules on the children through sight and sound. In return for this benefit a donation of \$20.00 was presented to the Safety League Council for their work on behalf of our school children.

Throughout the grades at the school examinations and tests are being given for the fall report. It is hoped that all pupils will give due preparation to these, and help to maintain the usual good standard of work done in the school.

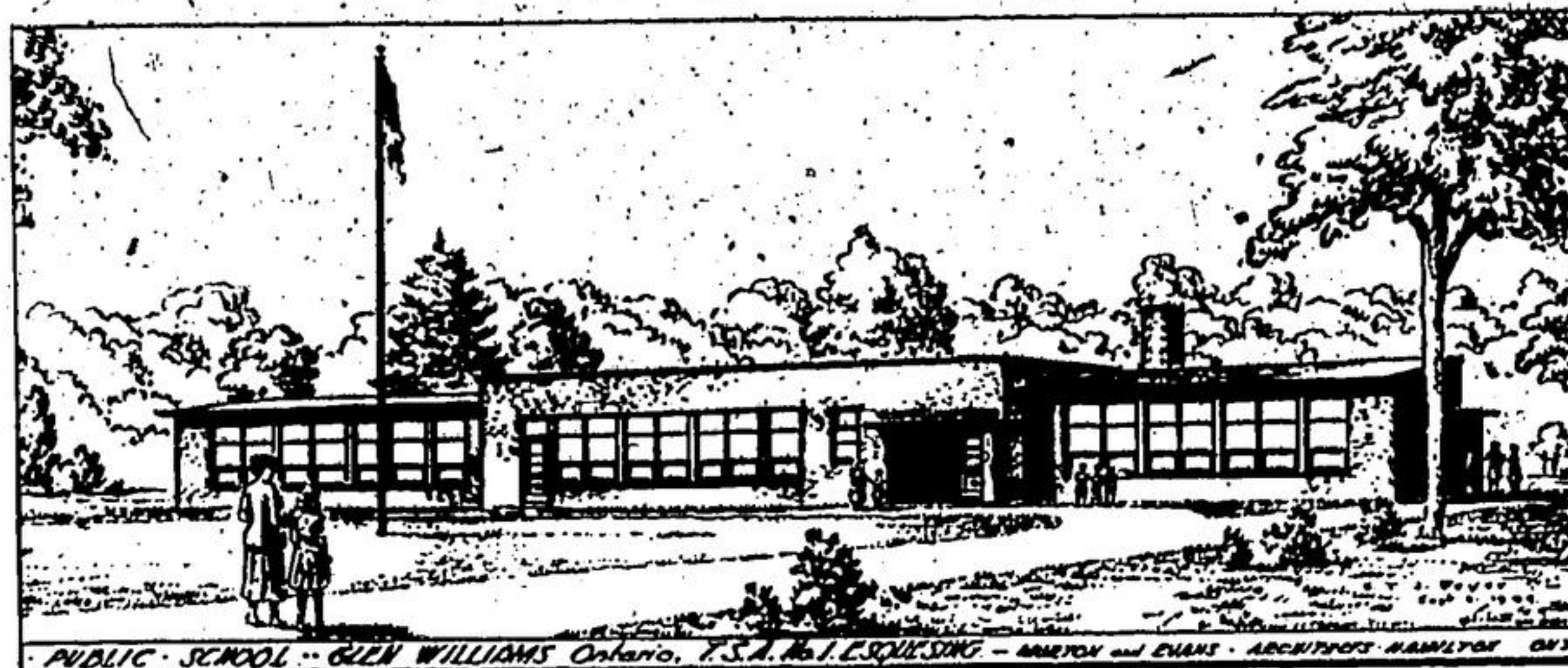
A Boys' softball game was played in the park on Friday, between Acton and Georgetown. Our boys displayed their old spirit and pep in their hitting and fielding, and won by the score of 9 to 3. On Tuesday at 4 our girls' team went to the park to meet the Acton girls in a return game, but the visiting team did not appear. Apparently the weather was too cool.

The Esqueving Group of the Women Teachers' Federation held their October meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss May Langan, with fifteen teachers present. Business was conducted by Miss Gladys McCrae of Norval and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Marie Lindsay. Ten dollars was donated toward the Gift Fund to British teachers on exchange to Canada. It was decided to send a gift of candy or apples to a school in England for a Christmas treat. Mrs. Edna Beaumont, principal of Glen Williams school, addressed the group on the summer course in art which she had taken, and showed splendid samples of her work done there. Miss Alice Davies of Stewarttown gave a very enlightening and entertaining informal talk on her work in the north amongst Indian children and showed samples of work in doekskin and beading done by Indian pupils. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Hazel Harrison. Miss Laura Scott moved a vote of thanks to Miss Langan for the use of her home, and to all those who participated in the pleasant evening. The November meeting will take the form of a banquet.

FLYERS REUNION IN BRANTFORD

A reunion of ex-members of the BCAF flying school of No. 5 SPTS, Brantford, is planned for Friday, November 6 at 8 p.m. Anyone interested in attending the "tag" is asked to write No. 5 BCAF Reunion, Box No. 7, Brantford.

NEW SCHOOL FOR GLEN WILLIAMS



The local contracting firm of J. B. Mackenzie and Son has started building operations in Glen Williams for the new three-room school which will replace the old school which collapsed last summer during excavations for a planned addition. The contract, at a price of \$35,847 was awarded to the Mackenzie firm by the school board of Esqueving School Area No. 1 which administers the affairs of the Glen school. The school will be ready for use in March. Classes meanwhile are meeting in St. Alban's Parish Hall and in the United Church Sunday School room.

The new school, designed by the Hamilton firm of Murton & Evans, will be one of the most modern in

Canada. It is of the same radical design as the Glenwood school near Burlington which has earned the Hamilton architects a reputation for modern design and has brought visitors from thousands of miles to study it.

The building is all on one floor with three classrooms facing the street and a central "T" at the rear for boiler room and lavatories. It is designed so that in the future it can be enlarged by adding a room at either side. Most outstanding innovation is the central multi-purpose classroom, larger than the other two. At one end is a stage, shut off by modern fold doors and normally used as a teacher's room. When the doors are opened and the movable classroom seats re-

placed by chairs, the room will become an auditorium which will seat about 200 people.

The building will be 130 feet wide and 48 feet deep and will be of red brick veneer. There is no basement, a concrete floor being laid on the ground and covered with asphalt tile. The interior is lined with plywood. Each room will have a wardrobe with folding doors. The roof is lower in the front of the building and slopes upwards at the back, allowing upper windows which will provide light in each room from both the front and back of the building.

The school is being constructed on land purchased from Miss Olive Logan, and is located beside the Arthur Beaumont residence. The

building will be about 200 feet back from the road with playground stretching back to the river at the rear, and the front lawn will be landscaped. The building is completely devoid of fire hazard. Each classroom has a doorway leading to a rear hallway which runs the width of the building. The central classroom also has a door into the front hall and there are doors at each side of the rear.

Total cost of the new building is estimated at about \$60,000, the money for which will be raised by a debenture issue of Esqueving Township.

Peel Native Dies, Buried In Brampton

A funeral service was conducted at the McKillop Funeral Home, Brampton, last Friday by Rev. William Weir for Thomas Albert Williamson, who died at his home lot 28, concession 9, Esqueving Township on Wednesday, October 19th. Pallbearers were Mark, John and Earl Williamson, Fred J. Shortill, Lloyd Shortill and Ernest McEnery. Interment was made in Brampton Cemetery.

Mr. Williamson was a son of the late Mark Williamson and Elizabeth Adams and was born on the 2nd line west Brampton. Until five years ago he farmed on that line, retiring and moving to Brantford, Ontario where he lived at Chilliwauck and Vernon. He returned to Brampton and two years ago purchased the farm in Esqueving. He was a member of Brampton Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, formerly Hope Ivy Masterman, two brothers, William on the home farm and Mark of Lakeland, Florida, and three sisters, Mrs. John Pulfer and Mrs. David Wilson of Brampton and Mrs. Alfred Stafford of Goderich. A sister, Mrs. William Vadden, died in Clinton last August.

LIMEHOUSE

Miss Hopkins of Lindsay under auspices of the W.I. conducted a class in leather making to twelve ladies in Limehouse Memorial Hall recently. She stayed with Miss Swackhamer during the course. The Hall Board began the social season with a box social and dance on Friday evening. Prizes were awarded as follows: 1st, Mrs. Ed O'Brien, purchased by Mr. F.

Petch; 2, Mrs. F. T. C. Brown, purchased by Mr. J. R. Benton. Highest Bidder was Mr. Harvey McDowell, purchasing Miss Ruth Brown's box, and the door prize went to Shirley May, Streetsville. A good time is reported.

Mrs. Chas. Jones is home again following removal of tonsils on Monday morning. We are pleased to see Mr. Rae Scott out again following treatment at Toronto General Hospital. The W.A. met at the home of Mrs. A. C. Patterson on Friday evening when final arrangements were made for their bazaar the end of this week.

The WMS met at the home of Mrs. H. Norton on Thursday evening with Mrs. Blow of Acton as guest speaker for the autumn thank offering. Mrs. Smethurst also read verses. Mrs. O. Mulder accompanied the singing of hymns on her record.

Billie Sanford was host to twelve little folks at his seventh birthday party at his home on Saturday.

Recent visitors: Mrs. W. H. Jones of Toronto, Mrs. Wedgewood of Elgin Mills, and Mrs. Ferguson of Kirkland Lake with the C. A. Posters on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Copley and Mr. Donald Copley and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Copley and baby of Toronto with the Nobles and Merediths on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Gowdy of Acton with the Devereaux.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sturm and daughter of Toronto with the Paul Spitzers on Sunday.

FAST TIME IS STILL IN EFFECT

There seems to be some confusion in town about when Georgetown will revert to Standard Time. Daylight Saving Time will be in effect for the same period as in Toronto, which is until midnight on Saturday, November 26th.

Social and Personal

Mr. T. Delos Flanders of Kaneville, Illinois, has been visiting in town with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. M. Bruyns.

Mrs. C. E. Blehn is here from Chesley to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Blehn.

Miss Eleanor Day of Toronto spent a few days last week at Wildwood with Mr. and Mrs. Ern Batkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McMillan are in Ottawa this week where they will compete with their horses at the Ottawa Winter Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McGillivray and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hanna and family at Belgrave.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anguish, Mrs. A. McDonald, and son Howard of Stratford were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Milliere.

Miss Joan Main spent a few days in town last week. She returned

to her position on the nursing staff of Toronto General Hospital on Monday after a vacation trip to New York City and Baltimore.

Miss Agnes Scott and Mr. Bert Scott and Mrs. J. E. Campbell of Norval were at Guelph last Friday attending the funeral of their nephew, the late Dr. C. H. Holmes, who died in Lexington, Kentucky, and was buried in Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cordingley of Warton were week-end visitors in town with Mrs. W. W. Tyndall. Mr. Cordingley, who operates a hardware store in Warton, was a former local merchant, operating what is now Richardson's Hardware.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Licata enjoyed a motor trip last week-end to Ottawa. They were fortunate in seeing Pandit Nehru, Prime Minister of India, during his visit to the capital, as well as Prime Minister St. Laurent and W. L. Mackenzie King.

G.R.C. NEWS

A six-team industrial hockey league for men is being arranged, with triple headers played weekly, the night still to be decided. As the league must be limited to six teams, those interested are asked to contact the recreational director immediately.

Over fifty children turned out for the first figure skating lesson last Wednesday and the success of this new activity seems assured.

Public school girls will play basketball at the armouries on Fridays, and high school girls on Mondays, both after four. Two teams are being made up in the ladies league which will play Mondays and Wednesdays from 6 to 8. There are still some openings and girls who are interested should register with Miss Kathy Thompson. A high school boys league may also be formed.

Playoffs are underway in boy's soccer. Sioux, Iroquois, and Norval Cres have each won their first game in the Bantam playoffs. The midgets get underway today.

C.N.R. Agent Goes to Waterloo

William G. Milliere, Canadian National Railways station agent here since the middle of June has received a promotion to agent at Waterloo and will begin his new duties there this week or next. Mr. Milliere will be succeeded here by Mr. S. J. Chassell, who comes here from Whittby.

Mr. Milliere entered the railways service in 1915 as assistant at Limehouse Station, remaining there until the station was closed in 1930. After a year on the road relieving, he spent a year at Weston, seven years in Brampton as 1st operator, and from 1939 until his promotion to agent, was 1st operator in Georgetown.

A native of the Channel Islands, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Milliere of Limehouse and is married to the former May Ross of Georgetown. They have two children, Mrs. Spence McKinnon, (Eleanor) and William, Jr., both living in Georgetown. For the present Mr. Milliere will board in Waterloo and will be joined there by his wife as soon as they secure living accommodation.

Cornerstone Ceremony Marks U.N. Day



United Nations Day—24 October—was celebrated this year by delegates and staff members of U.N. with a cornerstone ceremony for the world organization's permanent headquarters (above), now under construction in New York City. Scheduled as principal participants in the ceremony—marking U.N.'s fourth "birthday"—were President Harry S. Truman of the United States (upper right insert) and U.N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie (lower right insert).

Extensive Damage in Saturday Fire

A flash fire which broke out in the home of Rby Wiggins on Victoria Street on Saturday afternoon did extensive damage to the interior of the house and endangered the life of a baby sleeping in a crib beside the kitchen stove.

The fire started when Mrs. Wiggins turned on the electric stove and is believed to have been caused by a piece of paper igniting. A strong wind was blowing at the time and the fire raced through the one-storey house with incredible speed. Mrs. Wiggins received minor burns in rescuing her niece, 17-month-old Linda Morrow from the crib.

The fire was soon under control when the fire brigade arrived. The kitchen was completely destroyed and furniture in a bedroom was damaged. A pet budgie bird was a victim of the fire.

Along the Boards

With hockey season already upon us, no arrangements have been made about the pre-season league and the "Sheeny Tost" Memorial Trophy. Last year Acton, Weston, Oakville and Georgetown played in the series, Georgetown winning, and it gave each club an opportunity to size up its potential hockey material, as well as being a fitting tribute to a brilliant star who paid the supreme sacrifice overseas. If this league is not to be continued, possibly the trophy could be awarded to an individual for outstanding play. We would suggest it be open to the Raiders, juniors and juveniles. Such a trophy should not be forgotten.

The first exhibition game in Lindsay this Saturday when the Raiders tackle Toronto Meteors, coached last year by Bill Thoms. A return game is planned here next Tuesday.

The club executive has been trying hard to locate a coach. Don Barrager is handling the club until a coach is appointed. Ab Crocker, well-known to fans of a few years ago when he played for Bolton, has decided to stick with his Weston Junior C's. Champions three years in a row, Ab no doubt wants to see if he can do just once more. Due to various franchise and financial interests, Weston Juniors are being forced to play their games in Nobleton.

Another one of Georgetown's stars is heading for different fields shortly. Although nothing is definite yet, the Raiders may lose a top-notch performer if he makes the grade as an OHA referee. Much as the fans would hate to see him vacate his position on the Raiders, we know they will all be pulling for him one hundred per cent in his try at a refereeing job.

It is definite that Milton, Weston and Oakville are going Intermediate A. Acton is not entering an Intermediate club. Brantford wired the Raiders Saturday to attend a meeting there to discuss a Senior B group, but none of the executive were able to attend.

Kent Storey and Hal Gibson must really be displaying old Raiders' form. In an exhibition game the other night they accounted for five of seven goals scored.

Young Dang Kentner, son of old "Dang" has been working out with the Raiders and if a release is received from Acton he will more than likely play for Georgetown this year.

NORM LONG HOME, BRINGS HIS BEARD

After spending the summer in the west, where they worked at various farms and took a trip to the coast Norm Long, Don Parker and Bill Ostrander returned home this week. Norm brought a souvenir of his trip in the form of a beautiful reddish-tinted beard which is quite the envy of the 80% per cent of the male population which detest the morning shave but never get up quite enough nerve to do anything about it.

MRS. CHARLES MARLOW DIES IN TORONTO

The death occurred in Toronto on Sunday of Mrs. Samuel Charles Marlow, the former Sarah Ann Ambrose, and the funeral service was held yesterday with interment in St. John's Cemetery.

Mrs. Marlow is survived by her husband and two daughters, Miss T. H. Turrall (Gladys) and Jessie Amelia. She was in her 61st year. The funeral service was held at St. John's Church of England, Woodbine and Kingston Road.