

THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

TEN PAGES

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Barber left Sunday for a motor trip to Florida.

Mrs. Nat Given, Chapel Street, is spending a month with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Neil Ellison is laid up with a broken ankle which she suffered in a fall at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell and Mr. and Mrs. William McNally motored to Ottawa for the week-end.

Mr. Arthur Reinhardt of Leamington was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Moyer.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. Stacey were their daughter Mrs. T. F. Hayward and Mr. Hayward of Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cross, Douglas and Bobby of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Salter.

Mr. John Hughes, Guelph Street, is recuperating at his home after a week spent in Guelph General Hospital.

Miss Elenora Sturt of Windsor was a visitor last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blehn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Alcott of Weston spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Alcott.

Mrs. Jack Polly of Toronto was in town on Friday and attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Frank Godden.

Mrs. William Murdoch of Mille Roches arrived in town Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watts and Wayne of Downsview visited with Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McGillivray on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Wood is in Toronto for a few days visiting with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood.

Miss Hazel Harrison is spending this week in Toronto with her sister, Mrs. J. M. McKinlay and Mr. McKinlay.

Mr. Kenneth M. Langdon has left for a motor trip to Florida with Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Langdon of Timmins.

Art Scott attended the monthly dinner of the Toronto Automotive Trade Association at the Royal York Hotel last Thursday.

Don Barrager and Irwin Noble attended the 20th anniversary dinner of Brampton Lions Club at the Yellow Briar Inn Monday night.

Week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wilson were her mother, Mrs. J. E. Harrison and sister, Miss Helen Harrison of Woodstock.

Mr. Elmer C. Thompson and Miss Isobel Thompson flew to Florida last week where they will be on vacation for the next three weeks.

Miss Helen Macdonald spent the week-end in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray. Mr. Gray is a former hydro superintendent here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Saxe left by plane from Malton on Sunday for a three week trip to Florida. They will make their headquarters in St. Petersburg.

Mrs. Len Harding spent a few days in Streetsville with her daughter Mrs. Cliff Kenney and Mr. Kenney. They have recently purchased a grocery store there.

Mrs. William Tyndall had the misfortune to fall in her home last Wednesday injuring her arm. She received treatment at Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton.

Mrs. Victor Tomkinson and son Victor, Jr. of Toronto have returned home after a two-week visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, Guelph Street.

Mr. Armand Swackhammer of town, who has been employed with the Food & Drug Division of the Dept. of National Health & Welfare, Toronto, has been transferred to Windsor to open a regional office in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern Thompson and Miss Norma Thompson attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leitch, Erin, which was held at the home of their daughter Mrs. Harvey Fisher Saturday evening.

E. W. Binkley, Graham Farnell, Mayor Harold Cleave and hydro superintendent G. W. McCallum attended the Ontario Hydro convention at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, the first three days of this week.

On Wednesday evening, Margaret Hoare, whose marriage to Fred Helson took place Saturday in St. George's Church was entertained at a kitchen shower at the home of Mrs. A. B. Dawson. The shower was tendered by Mrs. Dawson's daughters, Mrs. Philip Howard of Milton and Mrs. Ted Howard of Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Murt Allison were week-end visitors with their families in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McMenemy visited in Campbellville and Nassagaweya on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McPhail.

Mrs. P. W. Cleave entertained the ladies section of Georgetown fair board at her home last night. During the evening the prize list was revised. The hostess served lunch.

Visiting for the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Crichton were Mr. and Mrs. David Crichton, David Jr. and Bruce of St. Catharines. Mr. Crichton is a field engineer with the Canadian Cattle Company.

Brigadier F. C. Wallace, managing director of Smith & Stone, Ltd., with his wife flew to Nassau, the Bahamas this week where they will vacation at the winter home of the company head, Colonel W. E. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Martin and children Pat and Kip of Orangeville were Sunday visitors in town with Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Cross. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coulson and family of Milton were also visitors with the Martins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wyatt and Lynn of Trenton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wyatt and family of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wills, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wills and Miss Edith Wills all of Toronto were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoare, here from Oshawa for the Helson-Hoare wedding Saturday were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradley. Mrs. Harvey Bradley, Mrs. Eileen Parkinson and son Paul of Oshawa were also guests at the Bradley home.

Mrs. Neil Ellison entertained last week at her home at a baby shower for Barbara Christine, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gilchrist, Guelph Street. The ladies played euchre and cribbage during the evening. Those present included Mrs. Bert Archer, Mrs. Joe Gilchrist, Mrs. Bruce Gummer and Mrs. Gordon Lane.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Shields for the week-end were her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith of Brockville. Mr. Smith attended Papermakers' Night at Credit Lodge Friday when his son-in-law was initiated into lodge membership. He is prominent in Masonic circles in Brockville, being a past master of the lodge, past principal of the Chapter and a past member of the Provincial Priory.

Several from town attended the funeral service in Toronto yesterday for Mr. Hyman Silver. These included members of the store staff here, Miss Lillian Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson, W. G. Marshall, Ross Thompson, H. J. Newman, Mrs. Mary Jourdain, Mrs. Ken Davidson and Mrs. Robert Lindsay. Jim Mulholland, Mrs. Harold Tost, Mrs. Harold Wheeler, Mrs. Percy Wagstaffe, Mr. and Mrs. John Wagstaffe, Mrs. Jim Bell of Milton, Mrs. Clarence Schneider of Guelph.

INDUSTRIAL HOCKEY
Playoffs start next Monday in the industrial hockey league. S&S will meet Alliance and Provincial will play Baxter Labs. A midget game between Acton and Georgetown is also slated, and the league hopes to have an NHL star to referee.

The Girls Pipe Band will be at the game and there will be lucky draw door prizes. It will be a big evening for only 25c.

Family Party for Reeve on Birthday

Reeve W. G. Marshall celebrated his 70th birthday, with a family party at his home on Queen Street last week-end. Members of his family gathered to present him with a signet ring in honour of the occasion.

Mr. Marshall, who for many years was assessor, tax collector and police chief is a member of Silver's store staff. In his first run for municipal office last year he obtained what is believed to be the largest vote in civic history. He is serving his second term this year as a member of county council.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have five children, Harold, Douglas and Mrs. Victor Torrance (Ethel) of Georgetown, William of Otterville and Mrs. E. R. Wheeler (Hazel) of Hamilton, and four grandchildren, Paul and Tommy Marshall of town and Margaret and Elaine Marshall of Otterville. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Ferguson of Ballinacraig joined the family party for the day.

Choral Wedding Service For Helson-Hoare Nuptials

On Saturday, February 24th, at three o'clock, Margaret Elizabeth Hoare became the bride of Frederick Arthur Helson of Acton. The bride is the daughter of Charles H. Hoare and the late Mrs. Hoare, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Helson of Peterborough.

In a full choral service, Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson officiated and Mrs. W. F. Bradley played the wedding music. Bride and groom are both members of St. George's Choir.

Given in marriage by her brother, Reginald Hoare of Acton, the bride wore ice blue English broadcloth. Her matching full length veil of tulle illusion was held by a small tiara and she carried gardenias and lily-of-the-valley.

Mrs. William Kelly of Toronto, Miss Margaret Bradley and Miss Olive Moyer were the bridal attendants, wearing similar gowns of Queen Anne blue faille taffeta and carrying yellow carnations.

The groomsmen were the groom's brother, Donald Helson of Toronto and the ushers the bride's brothers, William Hoare of Detroit, Michigan and Robert Hoare of Georgetown, and the groom's cousin, Kenneth Helson of Sarnia.

At a reception at Hilltop Lodge, Erin, Mrs. Frank Tost received for her sister in a gown of wine chintilly lace, and the groom's mother who also received wore a gown of grey crepe.

For travelling the bride chose a blue print silk dress, squirrel coat with red accessories and a corsage of camellias. On their return the couple will reside in Georgetown.

Schofield-Bevan Wedding At St. George's Saturday

In St. George's Church on Saturday afternoon, Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson performed the ceremony which united in marriage Mabel Bevan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bevan, Glen Williams and Kenneth Schofield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Schofield of Georgetown.

The couple were attended by the groom's sister and brother, Mrs. Jean Adams of Oshawa and Mr. James Schofield of Georgetown.

The bride wore a gown of pink lace with pink headress and corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Adams wore navy blue and also had a pink carnation corsage. A reception was held afterwards at the home of the groom's parents. Following a honeymoon trip east, the newlyweds will live in Georgetown.

AUTO RAMMED BY TRANSPORT

Three Georgetown people escaped injury on Saturday when a heavily loaded transport collided with their car on the Lake Shore Road near Port Credit.

The transport rammed the rear of Mr. Jesse Wyatt's car, hurling it 30 feet before the auto struck a hydro pole. Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt and their granddaughter, Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wyatt, were not hurt.

The truck driver, Morris Ferguson of Brockville, also escaped uninjured. His transport jackknifed and rolled on its side. Traffic was tied up for a short time. Fifteen tons of mixed freight had to be unloaded before the truck could be moved. Mr. Wyatt's car was badly damaged.

Ceramic Engineer Young People's Speaker

Leslie Ellis, ceramic engineer at Smith and Stone, Ltd., gave a talk on ceramics at the last meeting of St. George's A.P.A. There was a record attendance of 25, with five new members joining.

Ping-pong competitions were started and playoffs are scheduled for the next meeting. The teams in the semi-finals are: Eileen Frost and Bob Lucas; Joan Fiddler and Danny Hewitt; and Glenna Doherty and Paul Frost.

The club charter has arrived and the A.P.A. finds they have two branch numbers as both Glen Williams and Georgetown have had clubs in the past. The members of the executive are sporting flying blue and white fibbons below their A.P.A. buttons with their offices printed in blue on one of the white ribbons.

Blueshirts Trim Erin Play Next in Hillsburgh

Glen Blueshirts took their best of five playoff series with Erin three straight when they trimmed the visitors 8-2 at the arena Friday.

The game was close for a period and a half, then the faster-skating Blueshirts pulled away. Archie Campbell with 3, Butch Schenk 2, Blake Inglis, Don Schenk, Gerry Inglis and Ormie Carter were the Glen scorers. Steen and Miller scored for Erin.

The Glen now meets the winner of the Hillsburgh group with the first game in Hillsburgh tonight, if ice is available.

Mrs. Frank Golden Bruce County Native

A resident of Georgetown for 25 years, Mrs. Frank Golden died in Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital on Tuesday, February 20th.

The former Isabel Straus, she was born at Chestow in Bruce County fifty years ago, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Straus. Mrs. Golden attended Holy Cross Roman Catholic Church, where she was a member of the Altar Society. Her husband who operated a barber shop in what is now part of the Legion Hall, died a few years ago.

Mrs. Golden is survived by three sons, Frank, Thomas and James, one daughter Margaret and three grandchildren. She also leaves five sisters and four brothers, Felix Straus, Champion, Alberta, George, Raymond and Edward Straus, Greenwood, Mrs. H. Kieswetter, Kitchener, Mrs. E. Dietrich, Waterloo, Mrs. Stan Emmerson, Winnipeg, Mrs. A. Kieswetter, Walkerton and Mrs. Herb Ernst, Teeswater.

Requiem mass was conducted in Holy Cross Church on Friday morning by Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan, assisted by a former rector of the church, Rev. Fr. J. L. McBride of Hamilton. Pallbearers were J. J. Gibbons, James Murphy, Syd Hulme, E. B. Tyers, Fred Tucker and James Boyle. Interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

DEEDS LAND FOR ROAD ALLOWANCE

The board of North Halton High School district will deed a strip of land 26 feet wide and 210 feet long to the town of Georgetown as a road allowance to provide a roadway into the Tost property behind the school.

A motion to this effect was passed at the board meeting Monday in Acton. There was some opposition from the Milton and Esqueping representatives on the board, and the motion carried by a 5-4 vote.

The board had been asked by the public school board that this be done. Jack Tost, from whom the property for the new public school is being purchased, owns a 40 foot strip which at present is used as a driveway and the extra land will provide a roadway of the proper width should he ever subdivide his remaining property.

The rate for supply teachers at all three schools administered by the board was set at \$12 a day. Arrangements have been made for a mobile x-ray clinic to visit the schools in April.

A scholarship allowance of \$75.00 was made to each of the three schools, the division of the money being left to the discretion of the principals. John Bell, vice chairman, was empowered to counter-sign cheques if necessary when the chairman is absent.

MAJOR BOWLERS TEAMS TIE FOR SECOND PLACE

While Bill Anderson's team has outstripped the others in the major bowling league, a fierce battle is taking place for second spot.

Anderson won 5-2 from Wilson last week to rise to 81 points, Wilson low team with 43. Bailey's team edged Kirby 4-3 and the teams are tied at 64.

Rolling an excellent single of 361 was Alf Kirby. Just the extreme was Jim Brandford's 122. Bill Anderson was second with 299, and Ev Wilson was a close third with 294.

Kirby also took high triple with 771. Edging out Tom Wylie for second was Ace Bailey's 698. Tom had 699.

Anderson's team took high single and triple for the week, 1260 and 8120. With ten night of bowling for each team left there is still a good possibility for the league standing to change.

Founded Business Here Quarter Century Ago

THE WEATHER
Mr. Editor:
All last week, especially Saturday and Sunday (unless you looked at the calendar) really felt like spring. Just so you will not be disillusioned though, here is what happened exactly a year ago on February 21st — it started to snow and on the 22nd and 23rd, and 24th it still snowed, until the total was 14 inches. The temperature on the 25th dropped to 9 below zero and then on the 27th went down to 19 below. This remembrance may cool off your enthusiasm about spring being here yet!

RAIDERS WIN FIRST PLAY-OFF GAME

Georgetown Raiders won their first game in a semi-final playoff with Burlington last night. A crowd of somewhat over 400 attended the game at the local arena to see Georgetown win handily from the visitors 8-2.

Harvey Chappel, Junior Beaumont and Nick Ferri each scored a brace of goals and Del Beaumont and Jack Kemshead had singles. Britt and Hoyle scored for Burlington.

Georgetown plays in Burlington Friday and the third game is scheduled here next Tuesday. The series is a best 3-of-5. The winners will meet the winner of the Oakville Milton series in the playoffs for group honours. Milton is one game up in their series, having won 2-1 on Monday.

WIFE OF MILTON PRINCIPAL DIES

Blanche Dufour Marcellus, wife of J. E. Marcellus, principal of Milton High School died at her home there on Monday. A private funeral service was held this afternoon with interment following in Evergreen Cemetery, Milton.

Many Mourn Death Of Matthew Beaumont

After one of the largest-attended funerals in the history of Glen Williams, Matthew H. Beaumont was laid to rest in Glen Williams Cemetery Monday afternoon. A long line of sorrowing friends plodding through the mud and pouring rain to the graveside on the hill was the final tribute to a faithful churchman, an enthusiastic sportsman and a staunch friend and neighbour. All day Sunday and Monday a steady stream of people flowed in and out of his home, and by the time of the funeral over five hundred friends had paid their respects.

Mr. Beaumont died in Guelph General Hospital on Friday after suffering a severe stroke shortly after going to work at the Beaumont Knitting Mills that morning.

He was born in Glen Williams in 1883, a son of the late Samuel and Emma Beaumont. He was an ardent sportsman and dozens of trophies attested to his prowess as a lacrosse and hockey player on Georgetown and Glen teams. He was a member of the band in his younger days. Of late years he had taken great pride in the sporting achievements of his sons, Rupert who was a star ball player for Georgetown a few years ago, Delmar, Melvin and Junior, who play intermediate hockey for Georgetown, the latter also being a member of Norval lacrosse team.

Mr. Beaumont with his brothers, William and Lindley was a life-long employee of the knitting mill operated by the Beaumont family for several generations. He was a faithful member of St. Alban's Church of England.

His six sons, William and Jack of Toronto, Rupert of Georgetown, Delmar, Melvin and Matthew Jr. of Glen Williams were pallbearers at the funeral service conducted by Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson in the church.

Besides his sons he is survived by his wife, Mae Haines, a daughter Ruth of Toronto and two brothers, William and Lindley of Glen Williams.

Floral tributes were received from: St. Alban's Ladies Guild; Local 474, Alliance Paper; Beaumont Knitting Mills; Junior Hockey Club; C. E. Springer and Co.; Local 481 Provincial Paper; Parks Board; Raiders Hockey Club; players; Neighbours, Grand View Apts.; Georgetown Hockey Club; Colour Room and Coating Room; Provincial Paper; Glen Hockey team; Purity Dairy, Toronto; Milton Hockey Club; Harvey Chappel; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Murray; Williams family; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tuck; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Emmerson; Herrington family; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay and Allan Thompson; Mrs. A. Wright and family; The Wheelers; Vern and Dot; Joe and Peggy; Stanley and Eva Isherwood; Ted and Stella; Helen and Murray; Edith and Lefty; Jack and George; Mrs. L. J. Norton, Jack and wife; Joan and Roland and the boys; Mrs. Haines, Mary-Gilbert; The Eason families; Vicky; Ivy and Pat; Patsy and Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hale; George and Elaine; Gob and Madeline; Floyd and Marie Ward; Mr. and Mrs. Hedges; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schenk and family; Bruce MacKenzie, Don Barrager; Bert and Gordon Graham; Violet and Tom Haines and family; Brother Will and family; Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thompson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norton; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pentrice; Minnie Beaumont and family; Ida and Tom Hill and family; Gerald Inglis; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Leg Fallow; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Packer; Mrs. J. Crawford, Sr.; Mrs. J. Crawford, Jr.; Mrs. G. Preston; Mrs. Herb Preston; Mrs. Robert McMaster; Mrs. Percy Wagstaffe; Mrs. J. Hopburn; Burlington Hockey Club.

Founded Business Here Quarter Century Ago

A veteran Georgetown business man, who had from small beginnings created one of the largest and most modern clothing stores in this part of Ontario, Hyman Silver died in Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Silver had been unable to take an active part in the business since a serious illness which he suffered in February, 1942. Since that time he had made his home in Toronto.

A native of Russia where he was born 62 years ago, he came to Canada and after five years in Toronto, moved to Georgetown where he sold merchandise door to door. In 1929 he opened his first store where the Golden Gate Cafe is now located, and a year later built the old half of the present store location at the other end of Main Street. Three years ago the store was doubled in size to create separate men's and ladies' wear departments and last year the basement was converted into a large shoe department.

In addition to the Georgetown store, Mr. Silver owned a men's clothing store in Orillia. Both have been managed since his illness by his son Sid.

Mr. Silver was a public spirited citizen, ever willing to lend a hand to any worthy cause and he was one of the best liked and most respected of Georgetown merchants.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Sid and Nathan and there are seven grandchildren. Two brothers, Eli and Louis live in Toronto and a sister, Mrs. M. Oprey in Israel.

The funeral service at the United Hebrew Funeral Parlour yesterday was conducted by a nephew, Rabbi M. Kirshenblatt and Rabbi M. Langer. He was buried in the Hebrew Cemetery on Roselawn Avenue, Toronto.

FIRE CALL, FRIDAY CAUSES EXCITEMENT

Some excitement was caused in town Friday night at ten o'clock when the fire siren rang.

The alarm was but in when there was a fire scare at the home of Norman Brown, Guelph Street. Just as the fire truck was leaving the fire hall, Mr. Brown phoned to say the brigade would not be needed. The siren, which is operated automatically from the telephone office rang an extra long time and for some time after firemen had gone there was a large crowd milling around the Main Street district looking for the fire.