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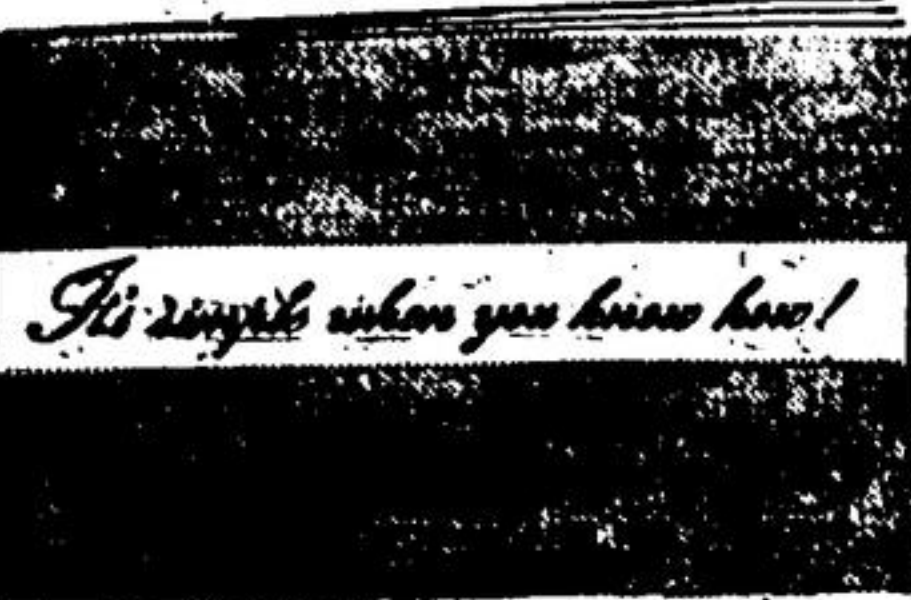
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SCOUT NEWS

Senior Scouts met last Thursday evening at the home of Bill Hancock. This week they are to meet at the home of Bill Hancock. Pancakes by Bill.

Scout Troop is to have two lectures on First Aid as a part of their regular meetings, Thursday, February 7th and 14th.

The Nighthawk Patrol under P.L. J. Potts was formed at last week's Troop meeting.

The Boy Scouts Committee met last Thursday at the home of E. Forgrave. Plans were made for a paper collection on Saturday, February 16th and for the Father & Son Banquet which is to be held on February 21st. Dads are urged to save that night to be with their lads.

Scout and Cub leaders enjoyed a night out on Friday of last week when they held a theatre party.

Save your paper and magazines for the Boy Scout Paper collection on Saturday, February 16th. Please tie your paper in convenient bundles and place outside your home.

BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT IS LIKELY

Since our last issue we have been deluged with inquiries concerning the news item regarding a young man's unbecoming behaviour. Rather than accept rumour, our reporter has interviewed both parties, hoping to find them together again, but unhappily this was not to be. There were tears in her eyes when asked if any steps towards a reconciliation had been taken.

"Yes, I have done everything I could but he has refused even to talk with me. I saw him less than an hour ago and said 'What is the matter James, are you ill?' but he just shook his head and walked away. Feeling that it was unkind to touch further on this delicate matter our reporter begged pardon for the intrusion and went on his way.

A short time afterwards James was located in the lobby of the post office and when questioned, denied knowledge of any estrangement. Upon being pressed for some statement as to what his lawyer's instructions were to say nothing. He did, however, express his annoyance at the case being tried so soon. (February 22nd). Fixing such an early date does not give him time to prepare a suitable defence.

St. George's Elects Jack Armstrong Warden

The annual Vestry Meeting of St. George's Church was held on the canonical date, the fourth Sunday in January, with the rector in the chair.

After the devotional opening, the minutes of the last annual vestry meeting were read by Mrs. Wallace Thompson. The Churchwardens' financial report was read by Frank Benner, People's Warden, showing a good year in Church finances.

Reports were presented by the Sunday School, Woman's Auxiliary, Choir, Altar Guild, Daughters-of-the-Church, St. George's Men's Club, AYPA, Tennis Club, Sidemen, Junior Auxiliary, and Little Helpers. The Rector expressed his thanks and that of the vestry and congregation for the faithful service rendered to the Church by officers and members of all the organizations. All reports showed excellent work done.

The vital statistics for the year 1951 were presented by the Rector as follows: Baptized 37, confirmed 16, married, by banns, 6, by licence, 1, burials, 19.

He drew attention to the fact that this year sees the one hundredth anniversary of the parish, and asked that a suitable small committee be appointed to arrange for its celebration. This committee, by vote of the vestry, was left to be appointed by the Rector and Churchwardens. The Archdeacon also mentioned that Trinity Sunday would be the fortieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

Jack Armstrong was elected People's Warden by acclamation and the newly appointed Frank Benner to be his warden. Charles Valentine was reappointed convener of sidemen, Mrs. L. W. Dann envelope secretary, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Thompson auditors, and Harry Savings substitute to the Lay Delegates to Synod.

The Rector read a letter from the Bishop, thanking and commending the people for over-paying the apportionment. The meeting was closed with the benediction, after which the ladies served refreshments.

STEWARTTOWN

DISCUSS NEW BASEMENT IN ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

St. John's Annual Vestry meeting was held in the church after the evening service Sunday, Rev. J. E. Maxwell presiding. After reading of the declaration, the register was signed by members of the Vestry. Mrs. Thomas Clapham was elected Vestry Clerk, and read the 1951 minutes. The rector's report showed an increase of attendance and a successful year and asked for even more in attendance and interest and expressed thanks to all those taking part and helping in the success. Mrs. C. E. Grant read the report of the treasury showing an increase in giving and expenditures. Mrs. Bally read reports of Senior and Junior W.A. Mrs. Blizard gave the report of St. John's Guild for their first year and they made a fine showing. The following were re-elected:

Rector's Warden, Mr. S. Millham; People's Warden, Mr. W. Hulls; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Grant and all sidemen re-elected. The following committee was formed: Messrs. Cecil Smith, John Standish, Joe Standish, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. C. Blizard to investigate the possibility of raising the church and having a basement. The benediction brought a very busy meeting to a close.

The Women's Institute February meeting will be held Tuesday the 12th. The place is uncertain at present. Will the members please telephone later in the week to find out. Congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Lawson, Sr. who will be celebrating her birthday Friday of next week, February 8th.

Also best wishes for a happy birthday to Ruby Tennant Monday of next week February 11th. Mr. and Mrs. Will Lawson and Beth of Toronto were Sunday visi-

tors with Mrs. Lawson. Mr. P. R. Bally, Dawn and Stephen of Islington visited with Mrs. Bally Sunday.

At the Junior Auxiliary meeting it was Jo Ann Hodge's turn to choose the hymn. She chose "The Wise Men Bring Their Learning", and led in the worship service. The pledges to be remembered were the school at Village Island, B.C., and All Saints Hospital at Akiavik. We studied Akkavic for our Mission Study. Quilt blocks were made in the busy period.

St. John's Guild met at Mrs. Blizard's home to complete plans for their Silver Tea, Home Baking Sale Friday afternoon and the euchre and dance Friday evening in the Hall.

The W.A. meeting was held at Mrs. C. Smith's home.

The Craft Club met at the school Friday evening and put in a busy time, the boys at soap carving and the girls shellcraft and felt work. Dues were paid, by 23 members at roll call. Everyone is welcome at next Friday's meeting at 7.30.

Murder Charge Laid Against Brampton Man

A charge of murder was laid last week against James Hutchinson, 34, Brampton taxi driver, following the death of Harry Brading, 56, in Ottawa General Hospital.

Mrs. Eileen Brading, wife of the dead man, was released from Brampton jail on bail where she had been held as a material witness since January 20th when she returned after giving her critically injured husband to Ottawa. Hutchinson was also arrested at that time.

Brading had been fighting for his life since January 20th when he was admitted to hospital in Ottawa after a 250-mile taxi ride from Brampton. Doctors said he had a fractured skull, bruises and lacerations about the face and body. Preliminary hearing on the murder charge will be held February 13th.

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Dated at Georgetown, this 28th day of January, A.D. 1952.

Martha Ellen Tompkins, executrix of the estate of Emily Blanche Tompkins, by her Solicitors, Dale and Bennett, Georgetown, Ont. 2-13