

Former Principal Plays Sterling Game of Chess

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 Thy hand, O God, has guided
 Thy flock from age to age;
 Thy glorious tale is written,
 Full clear, on every page;
 Our fathers owned Thy good-
 ness,
 And we their deeds record;
 And both of this bear witness:
 One Church, one Faith, one
 Lord.

Recently in the Globe & Mail, a picture of Ralph Ross, who was principal of Georgetown High School until his retirement, some years ago, was noticed by many of his friends here. Mr. Ross has lived in the city for the past few years but he maintains his connections here and occasionally visits the town where he still numbers his friends in the hundreds.

Here is the item which appeared in the Toronto paper:

Ralph Ross marched away, with the Queens Own to the H.R. Rebellion in '85. He left his arts course at the University of Toronto and shouldered a musket, a youth of 22.

The soldiers went by ship across Georgian Bay, marched and rode the disconnected links of the CPR, to Winnipeg. Ralph got into no battles.

He came home safely, finished his university course, and took up the teaching profession. He did no more soldiering.

But now, retired after 40 years of teaching, the last 21 of them as principal of Georgetown High School, he's turned belligerent

again. It's part of his scholar's credo that no man's education is completed until he's laid away under the sod. When he retired to his son's home on Delaware Ave., he took up chess.

True, he had played the game as a young man, but he hadn't looked at a board in years when he retired. And at 88 years of age he has studied hard enough that he plays a tough, scholarly game, though mainly against men of his own ilk at High Park United Church.

Comparatively, he would have packed his brain no more if he had decided to study accountancy in a small way, or music.

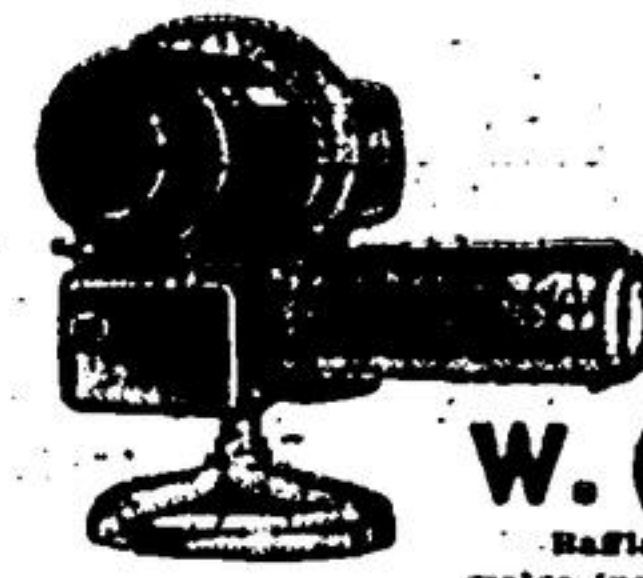
Music he already had. Most of his life he has helped small orchestras as a proficient flautist. —It was all part of his philosophy that real education combines as many arts and sciences as the individual can contain. He taught the classics, Latin and Greek, and still insists on the value of classical scholarship.

Most of his students at Georgetown, at Pembroke and at Dundas thought him a stern and harsh taskmaster until they caught the glint of peewy Scottish humor behind his gold-rimmed glasses.

Yet his son, William F. Ross, adopted a profession just about as technical as could be found. He's assistant magnetician for the Dominion Observatory. His computations daily establish the variation between magnetic north and true north for ship and aerial navigation.

Mrs. Ross—Mary Lowrey Ross—is nearer her father-in-law's classical line. She is one of Toronto's most prolific writers. Mrs. Helen Tuer of Halleybury, is Ralph Ross' only daughter.

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Provincial President Meets Local I.O.D.E.

The May meeting of the Countess of Strathmore Chapter, IODE, met at the home of Mrs. Percy Leslie on Monday evening May 12th. The regent Miss Jean Mackenzie, presided.

Guests of the evening were Mrs. Cecil L. Brown, Provincial President, and Mrs. J. A. Stewart, provincial treasurer, both of Hamilton. Mrs. Brown, who was the chief speaker, spoke on the aims and objective of the IODE stressing loyalty to the Sovereign and Empire and the building of better citizens through their educational programs. She stressed the importance of also welcoming new Canadians. Mrs. Brown told of being present when Queen Elizabeth, then Princess Elizabeth, presented Queen Mary's carpet to the nation at Ottawa last October. She said there are some 405 chapters in the province.

The Provincial Treasurer, spoke briefly about the Lucy Morrison Memorial Fund, set up to aid students by the way of bursaries. The Chapter voted their \$25.00 annual donation to this fund. Mrs. Sam Mackenzie thanked the speakers for coming to the Chapter, and for their fine addresses.

The regent and secretary were appointed delegates to the national convention in Niagara Falls May 31st to June 4th.

Plans were made for a June tea

at the home of Jean and Margery Mackenzie. Helen MacDonald is in charge of packing the bale for the northern school.

Mrs. Richard Crichton had the honour of being welcomed into the chapter by the Provincial President, Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Ern Batkin invited the Chapter to her home for the June meeting which will take the form of a picnic. Hostesses for the evening included: Mrs. Edwin Wilson, Mrs. G. W. McCallum, Mrs. William Hamilton, Mrs. Wallace Thompson, Mrs. Bob Hoare, Mrs. H. H. Rugg, and Rosemary Jordan.

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Our Parking Problem As Farmers See It

Inspired by the Brampton Conservator's Question of the Week: "How Would You Solve Brampton's Parking Problem?"

I'm just one of those country hicks. Who come from way out in the sticks. To voice my woe and make a plea For all the other boobs like me. We work like heck six days a week. And when we're done we like to streak To our home town to buy our eats. And meet our neighbours on the streets. We can't take off no working day. And if we do, there's hell to pay. You folks in town don't do that way. You do your buying every day. And that's why I don't think it's right To hog the streets on farmer's night. You've got your cars parked on the street. Before we hicks sit down to eat; Then we must stop hogs and feed the sows. Coax all the juice from bossy cows. Pick up the eggs, coop up the hen. Shave off the whiskers (if we are men). Dress in overalls and calico. Since what has gone so good-danged low; Crank up the flivver, give her juice. Then start to town, but what's the use? The streets are lined far up and down With cars of folks who live in town. Who seem to think it's quite a treat. To see the "Rubes" stagger up the street. With butter jars and eggs and cream; But say—it takes a lot of steam. To lug that stuff six blocks or more; You walk until your feet get sore. Your shoulders ache, you're seeing red. You wish that you were home in bed. And then you spy that yellow paint That's just put where the auto ain't. There's two cars where there should be three. They've straddled that there mark you see. It's our town too, so please be fair. We want to spend our nickles there. You've watched us long enough to see We need a parking place, by gosh.

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