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"Heigh Ho, Come to Georgetown Fair on Saturday"

Expect Record Crowd If Weatherman Kind

Directors and Others Work Hard To Make Fair the Best Yet

The 1952 prize list of the Equine Agricultural Society fair at Georgetown present the largest list ever offered by the fair directors. President Harding Price is confident that with the fine weather this year's show should break all records. He has nothing but praise for the hard work of the directors and others in putting the new building into shape, and making arrangements for the 1952 fair. Thanks also goes to contributors and donors of special prizes, without whose help the fair could not carry on. He urges the citizens not only to attend the fair, but to purchase lucky draw tickets on the Hereford calf being drawn for, in order that the new building may be paid for this year.

As usual, there will be some good harness races, and a fine horse show in front of the grandstand. Mr. A. W. Glenney of Newcastle will judge the carriage class, Mr. Gordon Atkinson of Richmond Hill, the jumping classes, and Mr. Jack Torrance of Woodbridge the heavy horses. Tory Gregg, of Wingham, will once again emcee the show, and a starting gate will be used for the races. At the time of going to press, both classes are filling the harness division.

Premier Holstein exhibitor Jack Fraser of Streetsville will be judge of the dairy cattle classes and Robert Amos of Moffat will handle the beef classes. Sheep judge is Anson Baldson of Maple and swine will come under the eye of Percy Merry of Hornby. Mr. C. E. Herrington will wield the stick in poultry.

The hall exhibit promises to be up to its usual par excellence. Besides the open classes for ladies, work, baking and plants, vegetables and flowers, there will be fine exhibits from the Institutes, Girls Garden Club and the local and rural schools. The hall will be open from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Friday in order that all may have a chance to look over the displays.

Judges for these classes include: Mrs. M. McKenna, Brampton, domestic science; Mrs. N. Ackroyd, of Brampton, ladies work; Mr. Doug Fendley, Caledon, flowers; Mr. W. E. Breckon, Freeman, roots and vegetables.

The Robinson Baby Show will take place in the big tent, and judges here are Mrs. J. Houghley, Mrs. Wm. Fleming and Mrs. V. Stein. There will be a display of farm machinery, and automotive equipment.

It looks like a big show with rides, games and refreshment booths for the enjoyment of young and old. Meet your friends at Georgetown Fair Saturday.

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THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor
Here we are with the first week of September over, and a start of the thermometer in the 30's. The first frost last year was 32 on September 26th. The weatherman is putting in an order for good weather for Fair Day next Saturday, September 13th.

Date	Max	Min	Rain
Sept 1	86	60	
Sept 2	78	58	19
Sept 3	67	49	08
Sept 4	75	47	
Sept 5	80	53	
Sept 6	75	56	
Sept 7	66	39	
Average	75	51.71	27

IODE DONATES PIANO NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

The September meeting of the IODE was held last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Denney Charles. The meeting commenced with a supper of corn-on-the-cob and hot dogs, followed by a business meeting. Over forty members were present.

The treasurer reported \$50 was realized on the flower raffle which was donated to the overseas cigarette fund. Mrs. L. McClintock was the winner of the flowers. A piano has been purchased by the chapter for the Howard Wigglesworth school.

The October meeting will be held on October 6th. Members were requested to bring their used clothing for the sale to this meeting. Mrs. Sam Penrice was nominated as assistant standard bearer. A tag day for the blind will be held this Saturday, Fall Fair Day. Final plans were made for the Fall fashion show coming soon which will be presented by Silver's Mrs. Ernest Hall was welcomed as a new member. Entries for the IODE exhibits for the fair were requested by Mrs. Harold Hancock.

Stratford Home for Recent Newlyweds

Stationed at Stratford with the Department of Lands and Forests, where he aids his bride will make their home, Hendrick Helmich du Vries married Marian Doreen Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Patterson, Orangeville, on August 30th in Westminster United Church.

The bride was employed in the office of M. C. Barber, accountant and auditor. The groom who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lykle deVries, Georgetown, is a graduate of Georgetown High School and the School of Forestry, University of Toronto.

Rev. Victor Fiddis officiated, and the church altar was banked with assorted gladioli. Mr. Lynn Jelly was organist, Mr. Ronald Lindsay soloist, singing O Perfect Love before the ceremony, and The Lord's Prayer during the signing of the register.

The bride wore a gown of white slipper satin with nylon net yoke and overskirt falling into an aisle wide train. Adenec lace accented the yoke and long sleeves. Her fingertip veil embroidered with lace was held by a pearl and brilliant tiara and she carried a shower bouquet of red and white gladioli.

Her attendants, Miss Velma Patterson as maid of honour and Misses Joan and Julia deVries, sisters of the groom, wore strapless gowns of deep rose and deep blue, accented by shoulder stoles and feathered headbands. All carried shower bouquets of gladioli and fern.

The bride's father gave her in marriage, Mrs. deVries was his brother's groomsmen and ushers were John Patterson and Lykle deVries, Jr. All wore navy coats and white trousers.

Receiving at Woodside Lodge, Hockley, the bride's mother wore navy crepe with white accessories and corsage of pink poms. She was assisted by the groom's mother, who wore mauve nylon with navy accessories and corsage of yellow poms.

The bride chose a going away dress of navy and white linen with navy accessories and corsage of pink and white poms. They motored through northern Ontario for a honeymoon trip.

Guests were present from Toronto, Chatham, Sudbury, Buffalo, Elmira and Georgetown.

PONIES HOBBY BILL MOODIE FAMILY



Two-year-old Cowboy Calvin enjoys a ride on one of Bill Moodie's ponies as Bill lends a helping hand. Mr. Moodie has 23 ponies.

Brampton ponies go a long way and is known in the neighborhood as the Pony Boy. His grandfather, another William Moodie, was dragged to his death by a runaway team of ponies one Christmas Eve at Glen Williams but the fatality failed to cool the Moodie interest in ponies.

A millwright at A. V. Roe, Bill Moodie Sr. has been buying, breeding, swapping and selling ponies at Brampton for over 10 years. When he and Mrs. Moodie (nee Darling of Bradford) were first married, more than 30 years ago, they did their travelling in a pony drawn buggy. They bought a car and for a while Bill's life was devoid of ponies.

Upon moving to the then country-surrounded Church Street home in Brampton, the urge to keep ponies got the upper hand. He began with one pony. As we said before, he now has 23.

Children's Pets:
In popular demand, Moodie ponies are most frequently bought as children's pets. At the A. V. Roe hospital picnic this summer, Mr. Moodie supplied ponies for the children's rides.

The Moodie home on Church St. is a popular place with all the neighbourhood kiddies. These summer mornings when daughter Isabel, 13, starts out with pony and cart, the front sidewalk is lined with youngsters seeking rides. They all get turns, whenever possible.

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Was Attendance Officer Here for Many Years

Attendance officer for Georgetown public and high schools for many years, Mrs. Collina Freure died in Acton on September 1st. She had been a resident of Georgetown since 1904, but had spent the past several months in an Acton nursing home.

Mrs. Freure was the former Collina McDonald and was born on April 11, 1869 on the 6th Line, Essex, near Ballinacree. A dressmaker by trade, she was married in 1888 to John Warner Freure. They lived at Dolly Varden, then moved to Port Rowan where Mr. Freure died in 1900. Four years later she moved back to Georgetown. Her parents, Duncan McDonald and Barbara McAllister were both born on the Isle of Isla, Scotland.

She was a member of St. John's United Church where she took an active part in church affairs as a member of the Woman's Association and the Missionary Society. She was a life member of Knox Presbyterian Church WMS and was one of the oldest members of Georgetown Women's Institute.

She leaves three children, Percy of Richmond, Indiana, Ferol, Mrs. William McCorkindale, Toronto, and Warner of Detroit, Michigan.

The funeral service last Wednesday at the McClure Funeral Home was conducted by Rev. John M. Smith, and her nephew Rev. Duncan Foster of Winona United Church. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

Funeral bearers were Rae Freure, Ernest and Bruce Freure, Earl Hindley, Brockwood, Thomas Foster, Terra Cotta, and Harold Cleave, Georgetown.

District Electricians Met Here Yesterday
Members of Zone 14 of the Electrical Contractors Association were guests of Whitmee Electric at their monthly meeting last night at Mr. Frank Whitmee's home in town.

The group comprised men from Schomberg, Bradford, Brampton, Streetsville and other district towns.

What Council Did

ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th

Active Church Worker Mrs. Ernest Young Dies

A resident of Peterborough since moving there from Georgetown ten years ago, Mrs. Ernest Edward Young, 60, died in hospital after a long illness on Thursday.

Mrs. Young, the former Gladys Maud Jones, was born in Oswestry, Wales, a daughter of the late David Jones and Elizabeth Evans. She lived at Trenton for a short time after moving from Georgetown. During her residence in town she was secretary of St. George's W.A. The Youngs had been frequent visitors since leaving town and kept in touch with a large circle of friends here in Peterborough, she continued her church work as a member of St. John's Anglican Church and was secretary of the evening branch of the W.A. Before coming to Canada, Mrs. Young was night sister in charge of Bolton Infectious Hospital for seven years.

Surviving are her husband, one son Sgt. David Allan Young of Ottawa, one grandchild, a sister, Mrs. Mina Litchfield, Liverpool, England, and three brothers, Harry Jones, Chatham, England, Frank and Leonard Jones, Oswestry, Wales. Archdeacon W. P. Robertson conducted the funeral service on Saturday at St. John's Church and burial was in Little Lake Cemetery. Pallbearers were J. Adamson, J. Campbell, C. Dunn, H. Reid, H. Otterwell and G. McKinley.

Hughes-Gregory Wedding Bride's Woodstock Home

At the home of the bride, 21 Mill Street, Woodstock, on Saturday, September 6th, Rev. Charles Perkins officiated at the marriage of Dorothy May Gregory, daughter of Mrs. J. Ritchie and the late Mr. Ritchie, Georgetown and Fred Hughes, son of Mrs. W. Hughes and the late Mr. Hughes, Princeton.

The bride wore a street length dress of navy blue nylon, with matching accessories and corsage of red roses. Miss Helen Ritchie, Georgetown, sister of the bride, as maid of honour wore two toned wisteria taffeta, black accessories and corsage of Hibbert roses. Mrs. Jack Hughes, Princeton, was best man for his brother.

Leaving for a honeymoon in British Columbia, the bride wore a grey pie and pie suit with wine accessories and corsage of roses. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will reside in Woodstock.

AIRMAN HOME FROM P.E.I. STATION

A week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Scott, was Flight Cadet Keith Scott, who is stationed at Summerside, P.E.I.

Keith enlisted in the Royal Canadian Air Force in January and after two months at London was posted to Summerside for his course as a navigator.

GLEN FAIR AGAIN A POPULAR EVENT

MOBILE UNIT HERE RCAF RECRUITING

The first of four visits planned by the RCAF mobile recruiting unit will occur next Tuesday.

Arrangements have been made by Flight Lieutenant L. J. Hubbard to have recruiting officers on hand at the Municipal Office from noon until seven to interview men and women who might be considering a career in the air force.

The mobile unit is used to make it easier for prospective recruits to obtain information about what the RCAF offers in both aircrew and groundcrew duties. No medical examinations are made in town and if a man definitely wishes to sign up he is later sent to Toronto for medicals and documentation.

To qualify for aircrew a man must be between the ages of 17 and 25 and have high school junior matriculation or equivalent. For groundcrew, he can be 17 to 30, Grade 8 education and single. Single young ladies, ages 18 to 29 with Grade 10 education are also considered as recruits. An exception is made in the case of service veterans, in that they may be married.

The unit expects to visit Georgetown once a month at later dates in the year.

Heard a delegation from Guelph Street east in regard to sewer extension along the highway. They were informed that the Municipal Board had turned down the proposed extension after an objection had been raised by the Dominion Seed House due to increased taxes on their property on the opposite side of the road.

Council felt sewerage was badly needed in this part of town, and advised the delegation that they would take the matter up further with the Municipal Board.

Mr. Appleyard asked if he could procure town water for his new home on the ninth line, which is just outside the town limits. Council agreed to supply the service if Mr. Appleyard paid both the expense of material and digging.

A delegation from the Public School Board asked council to arrange an additional \$9,000 to cover the completion of the Howard Wigglesworth School. The extra amount was due to a number of increases during construction, a new fence around the property, and takes up the \$4,000 short of the estimated \$220,000 when the bonds were sold under par.

Council passed a debenture by \$9,300 to take care of this plus \$300 for necessary expenses incurred in floating the debenture. This also has to have the approval of the Municipal Board.

Mr. Ed Wilson in speaking for the delegation also suggested that any extras which organizations might see fit to donate to the school would be acceptable. They already had a piano donated by the IODE and a flagpole and flag from the Legion.

Mr. Art Scott also asked council to do something about the drainage problem at the Queen Street corner. Council will have an engineer give an estimate on this work, and promised to do something about it.

Will ask for tenders for paving the streets, as set out under the new road program and approved by the Municipal Board. A number of roads slated for paving will have to be left due to residents not wanting the work done at this time. The proposed program has been cut from \$62,000 to approximately \$40,000.

Were informed by the postal authorities that Georgetown had a long way to go before postal delivery could be inaugurated. Regulations call for 2500 calls before this is granted and Georgetown is only at the half-way mark. The suggestion that Glen Williams be included was vetoed due to the distance between the town and village.

Received a letter of thanks from the Acton town council for the part our firemen played by the big fire at the A. P. Green plant there recently.

Were informed by their solicitor that Georgetown Council should also support the other north Halton municipalities in the county equalization dispute by bearing their share of the expense of a qualified assessment debater.

Passed a motion notifying the public that council would repair water shut offs now bent or broken, and from then on any damage to water shut-offs would be the responsibility of the property owner being serviced.

Granted the IODE permission to hold a tag day for the Blind on Saturday, September 13th.

Discussed the advisability of putting off heating in the municipal building or a stoker on the present furnace and left it with the property committee to get prices on same.

Will look at the request of Dick Hiddall Motors for repairs to the road surface between the highway and the sidewalk.

Were informed by the clerk that office hours were being staggered at the Municipal Office in order that the office will be open during the noon hour.

magician, Ernie Bruce, comedian, Retta Cuthbert, singer and Freddie the harmonica wizard. Brampton Clowns Band was also an added attraction.