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## Costumes, Band, Lucky Draws Lions Jamboree a Good Show

A crowd of over five hundred turned out for the Lions Jamboree Saturday night in the Arena, when the line-up of entertainment included an Erin-Georgetown club hockey game, races, costume prizes and skating to the Lorne Scots Band.

An added feature was a figure skating exhibition by high school student Betty Greig, who has been studying for several years at Dixie. It was the first skating carnival in town for some years, and its success should mean the continuance of this feature by the Lions Club in future years. Only disappointment was that more grown-ups were not in costume, but the young people made up for this and there was a good variety of colorful costumes, especially among the girls.

Skating races occupied the first part of the evening. Merchants had donated a number of attractive prizes. For the 7 and under group, each received a balloon and a small gift presented by the Georgetown 5c to \$1.00 Store. First and second prizewinners in other races were: Boys 10 and under, Brian Lewis, (hockey sweater, Richardson's Hardware), Ed Wylie (milk tickets, Georgetown Dairy); Girls 10 and under, Lois Denham (Waterman's pen, Simmons Jewellers), Linda Korzak (Roxy Theatre tickets); Boys 12 and under, Doug Richardson (hockey sweater, Richardson's), Fred Harrison, (food voucher, Buck's Fine Foods); Girls 12 and under, Karen Scott (Waterman's pen, Simmons), Barbara Alcott, (milk tickets, Georgetown Dairy); Boys 15 and under, Bruce Denham (wallet, Joe's Tuck Shop), Vic Miller (voucher, Cleave's Meat Market); Girls 15 and under, Pierette Pruneau, bed lamp, McClure's, Home Furnishings); Claire Bradley (voucher, Barrager's Cleaners); Boys 16 and over, Don Jarvis (Arrow shirt, Silvers), Paul Barber (dash tray Scott Motors); Girls 16 and over, Neretta Zilio, (nylon slip, McGowan's Specialty Shop), Pierette Pruneau (dash tray, Scott Motors).

A bicycle race on ice between John Hulme and Bruce Denham was exciting in the first lap until the latter had mechanical trouble with his bike, though he gamely finished the race. John won a gallon of Prestone from Bill Marshall Motors and Bruce got a hockey sweater from Richardson's.

Costumes were judged by Mayor Jack Armstrong and J. L. Lambert. Winners and their prizes were: Best boy, Bob Tracey (hockey sweater, Richardson's); Bill Farmer, (voucher, Buck's Fine Foods); Best girl, Gail Thompson (Waterman's pen, Simmons), Karen Norton (fancy cookies, Budget Market); Best couple, Karen Scott (theatre tickets, Roxy Theatre), Bob Tracey (voucher, Barrager's Cleaners); Best Clowns, Gail McGilvray, Marie Emmerson (scrap books and skipping ropes, Georgetown 5c to \$1.00). Oldest couple on skates were Wellington Greensward and Mrs. Joe McClintock who were presented with a car mirror (Scott Motors) and a bottle of cologne (Robb's Drugs).

A group of Lions ladies popped and bagged popcorn which was sold by a group of high school girls dressed in their cheerleader uniforms. Jack Gunning was emcee for the show which concluded with a draw for lucky door prizes. Winners of these were: Shirley Muckart (picnic ham, Goldham's Meat Market); Joe Wilcox (buffet tray, Barber's Gift Shop); John S. Graham, R. R. 3 (pillow slips, Garner's); Ike Inglis, Glen Williams (Herald subscription); Jim Sargent, (fruit basket, Caruso's); Mrs. J. Mouritz, Glen Williams (what-not, Farnell's); Mrs. Wilbert Alexander (hockey sweater, Richardson's). Two prizes are still unclaimed — orange ticket No. 165 (what-not, Farnell's) and orange ticket No. 445 (pyrex dish, Thompson Hardware).

## Euchre Enriches Flood Fund by Thirty Dollars

Thirty dollars for the Britain-Holland flood relief fund was taken in a silver collection Monday at a social evening in the Stone School planned by the farm forum.

Mrs. A. W. Norton and Ernie Miller won first prizes in cards, and second prizewinners were Mrs. H. Marchington and Bob Miller.

## TERRA COTTA

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Downer of New Toronto were week-end visitors with the McBrides and the Georgetown with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edge.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayward of Guelph visited with the Harvey Puckerings.

## Britain-Holland FLOOD RELIEF FUND

Acknowledged	\$ 521.00
Anonymous	50.00
Imperial Section, Can. Leg.	25.00
George Smith	5.00
Silver's Dept. Store	25.00
Sam Penrice	10.00
Syd Hunt	4.00
Anonymous	5.00
Anonymous	10.00
Herb Distance	10.00
Local 788, Brotherhood of Electrical Workers	347.35
(Donations will be acknowledged in next week's issue)	
F. W. Shortill	2.00
Anon.	25.00
E. L.	5.00
St. John's United Church	
Junior Choir	5.00
Mrs. J. R. Lindsay	2.00
Local Council of Women	10.00
CGIT, St. John's Church	10.25
Nifty Nine Euchre Club	10.00
Stone School Farm Forum	30.00
Budget Market	5.00
Anon.	5.00
Verdun Rebekah Lodge	50.00
Milton Bird	5.00
A Friend	5.00
Anon.	2.00
Dr. Frank Watson	2.00
Joe Prueyk	5.00
Dr. C. V. Williams	10.00
Mrs. W. D. Johnston	5.00
Alfred H. Perrott	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. K. R. MacDonald	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sinclair	5.00
Mildred Norton	1.00
Orion Oddfellows Lodge	25.00
Lynne Ritchie	2.00
	\$ 1250.60

## 120's Sure Winners Will Meet Dunnville Next

Georgetown Juveniles last night gave Oakville Lions a 10-1 trimming in the second round of the OMAHA playoffs. The other game will be played in Oakville tonight. The winner will meet Dunnville, reputed to be one of the toughest teams in the province.

In the first period of last night's game, both teams displayed a fast, tricky brand of hockey. Oakville pressed hard all the time, finally bulging the twine on an effort by Bowles, at 5:19 Cunningham, (who we think is Georgetown's most improved player) came back at the half-way mark on a solo to tie it up. Both teams pressed hard, but Georgetown began to assert their dominance of the play, which they kept throughout the remainder of the period and the game.

The second stanza had barely opened when Cunningham set one up for Fred Dickenson, who made no mistake about sinking it. From then on the 120s took complete control. Grassy sinking what was probably the nicest goal of the game, on a hard shot at 1:08 followed a couple of minutes later by a nice one by 'Digger' McClure from Bud Haines. Cunningham scored again on a beautiful solo less than a minute later. This period saw a few penalties with Haines and McClure sitting it out in the sin-bin for roughing and tripping, respectively, while Oakville got three for roughing and charging. On the whole, the period was a clean one, with referees Bailey and Dixon keeping it well in control. Bailey took a hard one on the ankle from a puck fired by Grassy, which may put the Oakville star out of tonight's lineup with Oakville Intermediates against Milton.

The third period saw the locals on a scoring rampage with goals notched by Sedore (2), both on assists from Haines, while Grassy netted two, and Haines picked up the last on a beautiful rush, on an assist by McClure. The last frame saw the Oakville goalie worked to death, while Maltby had very little to do. Tucker and Bowles picked up penalties for roughing.

The fans are still conspicuous by their absence. However, now that the boys are in the third round of the provincial playoffs, maybe a few more will turn out to see these very fine exhibitions of hockey.

Georgetown: goal, Maltby; defence, Breen, Jarvie; centre, Paul Barber; Wings, Haines, Dickenson; Alternates, McClure, Grassy, Sedore, Tucker, Ritchie, Porte, Cunningham. King, sub goal, Sandy Mackenzie.

Oakville Lions: goal, Brown; defence, Richmond, Allan; centre, P. Campbell; wings, Bowles, Lawrence; Alternates, Hutchinson, Carlick, Wolanczyk, Dryden, Edwards, Banks.

## Brampton Merchant Dies During Mexico Vacation

Vacationing with his wife at Acapulco, Mexico, David A. McClure, 30, prominent Brampton merchant, suffered a fatal heart attack after returning from water skiing on Thursday.

Mr. McClure owned McClure's Furniture Store and the Brampton Funeral Service. He had been in charge of the business since his father's death several years ago. His father, Arnott McClure, was a cousin of Harold McClure of town.

Chairman of the retail division of Brampton Chamber of Commerce, Mr. McClure was also a director of Brampton Lions Club. A graduate of the University of Toronto, he was a member of the Masonic Order and the Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Patricia May Moore, his mother, Mrs. Arnott McClure, and two sisters, Mrs. W. E. Beatty, Brampton and Mrs. Phillip Harley, Chestnut Hill, Mass.

## Leslie Ellis Joining U.S. Ceramic Firm

Leslie Ellis, a ceramic engineer with Smith and Stone, Ltd., will be leaving the company the middle of March for a new position in the States.

Mr. Ellis will join the staff of Salem China, a large firm located in Salem, Ohio, a town of 12,000 in the centre of the American ceramic industry. Mrs. Ellis and their son Brian are planning to remain in Georgetown for a time until they find housing accommodation in their new home town.

En route from Edmonton where he had been taking a three week course, Flying Officer Keith Scott spent three days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Scott. He has now returned to his base at Greenwood, N.S.

## ARCHITECTS ENTERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD

John B. Parkin Associates, architects for the Howard Wrigglesworth public school, entertained school board members and officials on Saturday in Toronto.

Dinner at the Old Mill was followed by an evening of entertainment, some of the group attending the Maple Leaf hockey game and others going to the opera at the Royal Alexandra.

## Donations Still Coming Flood Fund at \$1250

A \$200 gift to the Flood Relief fund brought into the Herald office this afternoon by little Lynne Ritchie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ritchie, brought the total of local gifts to date to over \$1250.

Interest in the council-sponsored fund is increasing daily, and as yet there is no indication where the total might reach. Only organized effort to date in the industrial picture was a canvass of members of Local 788 at Smith & Stone, which raised \$350. This, plus a donation of \$100 from Georgetown council and \$100 from Georgetown Red Cross, were the three largest donations.

Fraternal groups and organizations have also swelled the total, with the Rebekah Lodge, Oddfellows, Legion Imperials and Local Council of Women among those donating. The CGIT and Junior Choir of St. John's Church, the Nifty Nine

## 50th Wedding Marked By the Laurence Burts

Farmers near Georgetown, for almost half a century, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Burt were fifty years wed last Wednesday.

Relatives and other friends, numbering over a hundred were present during the day to facilitate the couple. An anniversary cake was topped with a pair of doves which had decorated Mrs. Burt's mother's cake 53 years ago, and which had also been used by Mrs. Burt's sister for her golden and diamond wedding cakes.

Alice Matilda Sovereign and Laurence Burt were married at Burlington on February 18th, 1903. They farmed in Erin Township for two years, then purchased from an uncle the 7th Line farm where they

## Bell Appointed S&S General Manager

### JOHN MALCOLM NEW PLANT MANAGER

Plant manager of Smith & Stone Ltd. for the past few years, John Bell has been promoted to general manager of the company.

John Malcolm, who has been assistant plant manager assumes Mr. Bell's former position, and will be manager of the three Georgetown plants.

Mr. Bell came to Georgetown in December, 1945, and before that time was in Ottawa with the National Research Council. He is a 1933 graduate in electrical engineering of the University of Toronto. Mr. Malcolm, formerly with Research Enterprises, Ltd. at Leaside has been with the company since April, 1946.

## SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. Archie Ferguson of Dundalk is visiting in town with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Lane, Union St.

Mr. and Mrs. Corey Herrington were visitors on Sunday in Durham with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson.

Mrs. E. D. Shely was here from Birmingham, Michigan, last week to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. John O'Neill.

Mr. Frank Petch visited for the week-end at Ville St. Pierre, Montreal, with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Petch.

Attending the hydro convention in Toronto this week were members of the local commission, E. W. Binkley, Graham Farnell and Mayor Jack Armstrong, and hydro superintendent G. W. McCallum.

On Valentine's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eason were hosts at a family dinner to celebrate the birthday of his sister, Mrs. R. H. Mitchell. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Eason, June and Betty of Campbellford, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eason and Brenda Faye. Mr. Bob Eason, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mitchell, Miss Ruby Mitchell and Mr. John Michie.

A large group of Georgetown people were in Buffalo last week-end, attending a hockey game in which Hershey Bears' defenceman Joe Schertz of Norval, scored the winning goal in an American League game. Among those who saw the game were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ferri, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Nash, and Mrs. Nash's sister, Miss Dorren Maddison, Mr. and Mrs. John Schertz, Mr. and Mrs. K. Davidson, George Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Del Beaumont.

Euchre Club and Silver-Wood Institute are other names in the list.

Stone School farm forum raised \$30 at a social. Dozens of similar events are in the planning stage, Legion W.A. ladies are devoting their fashion show proceeds to the fund. Tomorrow a Glen Williams lady, Mrs. Bragg-Smith is having a tea. Limehouse and Ballinafad W.I. will have euchre parties.

And all this in addition to money which has gone for the same purpose without local acknowledgement. For instance a special collection, has been taken at St. George's Church for a central Anglican fund. The Rebekahs have sent another \$50 to their headquarters. Many Dutch residents of the surrounding community have contributed heavily to a fund collected by their church in Brampton. The Lions Club has collection bottles in downtown business places.

They have a family of six children. George, Roy and Elmer, of Georgetown. Mrs. Kenneth Hamilton, Erin, Lloyd Burt and Mrs. William Johnston, Acton. There are fourteen grandchildren.

Mr. Burt was secretary of the Stone School until he retired last year as a board member. At the celebration on Wednesday Mrs. Burt recalled that she wore the first rose cut in the Georgetown Greenhouse in 1903. The business, last operated by the Barber Floral Company, was established that year by Mr. Burt's uncle, Herb Kennedy, and during a visit to the greenhouse, an employee, Ted Colman presented her with the rosebud.

## BOARD APPROVES SKETCH PLANS, SCHOOL BUILDING

### THE WEATHER

Mr. Editor: One month more until the first day of spring, or at least it will be the 21st of March. After the weather we have had this winter, anything may happen to our Spring this year.

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
Feb. 16	25	12	Flurries
Feb. 17	26	14	Flurries
Feb. 18	27	12	S1"
Feb. 19	43	6	
Feb. 20	54	26	R.86
Feb. 21	40	24	
Feb. 22	26	9	
Average	-34.42	14.71	S1"
			R.86

## Kid Hockey Journey Slated for Georgetown

A Kid Hockey tournament, with teams from a number of Ontario towns, is being planned in Georgetown Arena on March 14th.

Gordon Alcott, former Georgetown who is active in the Little NHL organization, is arranging details of the big day, and the Legion hockey committee will be in charge, with the Legion supplying lunch for the visitors at the Legion Hall. The hockey will take place Saturday morning, and rumours are that Foster Hewitt and Teeder Kennedy will be among the visiting celebrities.

Last week's scores in the local Legion-sponsored league:

PEE-WEEES:	Oilers 7 — Reds 0
	Bears 4 — Hornets 0

BANTAMS:	Hawks 5 — Bruins 1
	Rangers 2 — Rod Wings 1
	Canadiens 8 — Leafs 1

## SISTER DIES IN BRAMPTON HOSPITAL

Ill with heart trouble since an operation some time ago, Flossie Vera Henry, 45, died in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton last Wednesday.

A daughter of Bert Harrison, Brampton, she leaves one daughter Gwen, Mrs. John McCauley, two sisters, Mrs. Barclay Harris, Orangeville and Mrs. Ed Furness, Brampton, and two brothers, Bert Harrison, Brampton, and Fred Harrison, Georgetown.

Interment was in Brampton Cemetery following the funeral service on Friday at the McKillop Funeral Home.

The Britain-Holland Flood Relief Fund needs YOUR help.

## Four Straight for Elmira Raiders Still May Play

### SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Dodds of Red Deer, Alberta, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Collingwood were visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Long.

Mrs. Jessie Adams was in town from St. Thomas for a few days last week visiting with relatives.

Visitors from Ottawa last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Bell were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson.

A theatre party marked the 9th birthday on Saturday of Doreen Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson, Academy Road, with a birthday supper afterwards. Guests were Lorraine Hills, Karen Shortill, Gail Malcolm, Lois Denham, Dorothy and Dickie Page, Cheryl Puckerling, Karen Norton, Susan Collier, Billy and Betty Lucas, and Doreen's sister Wendy.

On Sunday, February 15th in St. John's United Church, Rev. John M. Smith officiated at the baptism of Martin Donald Lloyd Raspberry. The baby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Raspberry, Mrs. Charles Allen and son Larry, and Mrs. David Wood were present at the baptism.

Mrs. Keith Barber and Miss Mary Barber attended the wedding in Windsor on Saturday of Mrs. Barber's niece, Miss Madelyn Webster, the bride is the daughter of Mrs. Frederick Webster and the late Mr. Webster. She was married to Gordon A. Dinmore in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

### TOST PROPERTY OPTIONED FOR GEORGETOWN ADDITION

Preliminary sketch plans submitted by the Barnett & Rieder firm of architects have been approved by North Halton High School Board for the new Acton high school and additions to the Georgetown and Milton schools.

At a meeting in Milton on Friday which had been preceded by visits to the school sites that afternoon, the board took an option on 4 1/2 acres of land owned by Jack Tost located behind the present Georgetown school and a 6 1/2 acre property in Acton owned by Darwin Cripps where the new Acton school will be built. Price of each property is \$6,000.

Any hope of gym-auditoriums for the three schools at present was dispelled in a letter from the Dept. of Education which advised that grants are now payable only on ordinary classrooms. The board, in fact, was one of the last to obtain grants on a home economics and a shop room, the former being planned for Georgetown and the latter for Acton.

A new member, Claude Cook of Acton has been appointed by county council to replace C. E. Wood who is leaving Acton and has resigned from the board. Meeting nights have been set for the fourth Monday in the month, with meetings alternating between the three towns and Esqueping Community Hall at Stewarston.

Five municipal councils will have a pleasant surprise when they receive the high school budget for 1953. No increase in municipal grant is being asked and North Halton district will function on the same budget as last year, \$49,800.

### Team Standing Unchanged

Ace Bailey SECTION A

Sorry that there was a mistake in last week's scores. It was a very close race between Silver's and MacCormack's. Silver's took two games while MacCormack's took one and the total so the result was a 4-3 split. Maple Leaf Dairy proved no match for McClure's and lost 7-0. The team standing is now Silver's 81; MacCormack's 63; Maple Leaf Dairy 57 and McClure's 51. Winning the spoon for the week-end also, high triple was D. Wilson 737 (226, 202, 309). Runners up were J. Bradford 717 (250, 248, 219); T. Wylie 703 (245, 176, 282). In the singles class it was Ace Bailey 302, G. Barber 289, N. Shipway 256, B. Anderson 253. Low Scorer was H. Chaplin with 468. The high team score of 3090 was rolled by MacCormack's. Sorry, no results were received from groups B and C.

### MEN'S CLUB ATTENDS EARLY COMMUNION

St. George's Men's Club, over thirty strong, attended the eight o'clock communion service Sunday morning and afterwards had breakfast and a short business meeting in the church basement.

A number of men promised to read lessons at forthcoming services, and president Sam Penrice announced that events this spring will include a St. George's Day dinner, a special Sunday service conducted by the men, and clean-up work around the church grounds.