

# THE GEORGETOWN HERALD

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## Lightning Cause of Hornby Barn Blaze

Monday's severe electric storm caused a major fire at Hornby when a large barn was struck by lightning and destroyed.

The barn was on property owned by Mr. Barrington, president of the Barrington Rubber Co., Oakville, which he purchased recently from Mrs. Lindsay Neelands. No one is living on the farm at present and the farm is rented to Earl Stanton of the Campbell Soup Co., Toronto. There was no livestock lost in the fire.

During the same storm, Milton Fire Brigade had a second call to the home of Harvey Blacklock at Campbellville which was struck by lightning. Only minor damage was caused.

## Five Straight Wins N&Gs Beat Burlington

Georgetown, N&Gs made it five straight in their quest of a second Ontario lacrosse championship when they beat Burlington twice last week.

They won't be coasting, however, with three games ahead, twice with Wallaceburg who are here tonight, and on June 30th here with Ferris who haven't lost a game as yet.

Last Wednesday it was very one-sided at the local arena as Georgetown got a quick goal in the first 22 seconds and followed through to win 12-4. Len Caruso, getting back to last year's form was one of the big scorers with four, one of them on a pass from goalie Cuthbert. Don Ross was pleasantly surprised to hear he had scored a goal when he was closest to the net when the ball was inadvertently put there by an opposing player.

Burlington played a better game at home for the first two periods on Thursday, but N&Gs forged ahead in the 3rd to again win handily 12-3. Coach Benny Harris displayed fancy footwork and was finely rewarded with one of the final goals. The Burlington goalie was probably watching said footwork instead of the ball, though it is rumoured Benny's trouble was that he was watching the scoreboard to see the lights change.

## CPL McBAIN GETS SIMCOE TRANSFER

Head of the Provincial Police detachment here for five years, Cpl. Joe McBain is being transferred to Simcoe and takes over his new post July 1st.

Cpl. McBain will switch jobs with Cpl. Beckett, who will transfer here from that town.

## Mrs. Dixon, Daughters Injured in Accident

Mrs. Bert Dixon, Glen Williams, a member of Robb's Drug Store staff, and her daughters Rhoda, 14 and Donna, 10 were injured yesterday morning in a 2-car crash in Guelph.

Mrs. Dixon received head injuries, cuts and bruises and Rhoda a fractured right shoulder, while Donna suffered shock. All were released from hospital today.

## Dickenson-Garbutt Home Church Wedding

With guests attending from Toronto, Brampton, Bolton, Erin, Hornby and Georgetown, Home United Church was the setting for the wedding on Saturday of Betty Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Garbutt, R.R. 4, Georgetown, and John Allan Dickenson, son of Mrs. William Dickenson, Stewarttown and the late Mr. Dickenson.

Rev. C. D. Lemke officiated and the church was decorated with pink and white madragons and peonies. Anna May Hutchinson was organist and Borden Bownes sang because before the ceremony, and O Perfect Love during the signing of the register.

The floor length bridal gown of white slippers satin had a net overskirt and bodice of chantilly lace embroidered in seed pearls. A three-quarter length veil of tulle illusion was held by a band of ruffled net trimmed with rhinestones, made by the bride's mother. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Garbutt, the bride's sister was maid of honour. She wore a ball gown of pink net over tulle, matching veil and headpiece and carried a bouquet of white peonies and blue cornflowers. Mr. Garbutt gave his daughter in marriage and the groom's best man was William Dickenson, Stewarttown.

## HOME FROM KOREA



CPL DOUGLAS BROWNE

Cpl. Douglas Browne, son of Mrs. Gordon Caseley, Norval, is back in Canada after serving fifteen months in Korea with the Lord Strathcona Horse Guards.

## THE WEATHER

The weather has been quite warm and the humidity very high during the past week. Summer officially begins this week, June 21 and now to look forward to holiday time.

—Ern Batkin.

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
June 14	88	60	
June 15	80	57	
June 16	73	56	Trace
June 17	69	59	.13
June 18	75	54	
June 19	84	49	Trace
June 20	84	62	
Average	78	57	.13

## VISITORS' DAY FOR LADY GOLFERS

Yesterday afternoon and evening the ladies of the North Halton Golf and Country Club entertained visitors at their weekly Ladies' Day. Thirty-seven enjoyed a salad supper in the dining room and ideal weather for a round of golf. Mrs. William McNally and Mrs. Don Shankland were hostesses for the event.

In the afternoon Mrs. John Bell won the prize for low score on the "Hidden Holes." Miss Isabel Thomson and Mrs. Bert Gilmer tied for the similar prize in the evening.

## CIGARETTES STOLEN IN IGA BREAK-IN

Despite floodlighting and police patrol, daring thieves entered the new IGA store on the highway early Sunday morning and made off with a quantity of cigarettes valued at over \$100.

It was one of a series of similar robberies which have occurred in town in the past few years. The same night a service station in Acton was entered and cigarettes stolen from that place, leading police to believe that the same gang was involved in both robberies.

## Eight Fire Departments In Mutual Aid Show

A successful display of firefighting drew many spectators Thursday evening when fire companies from eight Halton municipalities were in town to demonstrate the efficiency of Halton Mutual Aid.

Forty-eight minutes after the fire siren sounded in the various Halton towns all the firemen were in action and hoses had been laid from behind the Royal Theatre to Berwick Hall on lower Main Street. Trucks operated in relays of four, and pressure readings were taken at check at various stages of the relay.

## Hosts at Press Tour

Hydro chairman Robert H. Saunders, with company official Adam W. Smith, were hosts when the Ontario Hydro Commission conducted a press tour through the province.

## Social and Personal

Miss Millye Davidson of Sarnia was a visitor in town for the week-end.

Mrs. C. H. Scott, Hamilton, spent a few days in town this week at the home of her son, Ross Duncan.

Mrs. Jim Doherty spent the week-end at Phelpsford visiting with relatives. Bill Doherty spent the week-end at MacLean Lake.

Mrs. Allen Law and son Vernon, who live in Nanaimo, B.C. are visiting at present with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Kirby in Glen Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Finlay and family were guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Duncan at their cottage at Meaford last week-end.

Glenna Doherty, vocal pupil of Thelma Cappe Morrison, Brampton, passed her Grade 9 conservatory exams with honours.

Garfield McGillivray and editor G. A. Dillis of the Acton Free Press were among the group of Ontario newspapermen who toured the Niagara Hydro development on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Scott, Karen and John accompanied Sandra on a week-end trip to Camp Oolawah, Lac Masson, Quebec. Sandra will spend the summer as a counsellor at this YWCA camp.

Mrs. D. L. Herbert had the misfortune to break her left arm in a fall at her home last week. She was able to return home Saturday from Guelph General Hospital where the broken limb was set.

Kent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Riddell celebrated his twelfth birthday with a theatre party on Monday, June 21st. His guests were: Freddie Harrison, Paul Ward, Paul Marshall, Paul Graham, Jimmie Lindsay, Norm Lockhurst, Eddie Wylie and his brother Wayne.

On Monday, Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hay, celebrated her 6th birthday with a party. Her guests included, Heather Barber, Mary Hall, Karen Reichardt, Jane and Barbara Cleave, Versey Chapman, Mary Jane Ward, Debby Hyde, and her sister Mary.

A lady who has not been in this district for almost fifty years visited last week with her cousins Jack and Margaret Cain. She is Mrs. Myrtle Gehrk of Red Deer, Alberta, who has been in Ontario for the past seven months. Formerly Myrtle Archibald, her late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Archibald, moved west when she was a child. Mrs. Gehrk also visited with Mrs. Dave McClure and Mrs. William McClure and family during her stay here.

## Scout Ladies Auxiliary Have Turkey Dinner

Members of the Scout Ladies' Auxiliary, seventeen in number with four guests, had turkey dinner at Fairview Inn last week and later met for a social hour at the home of Mrs. Joe Emmerson.

Mrs. Albert Livingstone, the president, presented Mrs. D. Kidd with a past president's pin. A brief business period followed and plans for a cooking school in September were discussed. It was reported that the auxiliary had donated \$150 realized at Variety Night to the group committee to aid the camping fund.

Guests at dinner were Mrs. John M. Smith, Mrs. Fred Masterman, Mrs. Ed Hall, and Mrs. Jack Gunn. Members attending were Mrs. Albert Livingstone, Mrs. Frank Seddon, Mrs. Watson Winfield, Mrs. Garfield McGillivray, Mrs. Roy Ward, Mrs. Robert Martin, Mrs. Walter Hayward, Mrs. Bob Hardman, Mrs. D. Kidd, Mrs. W. Spence, Mrs. Robert Eason, Mrs. George Barber, Sr., Mrs. A. Toad, Mrs. D. Wood, Mrs. R. Barber, Mrs. Jim Patton, and Mrs. Joe Emmerson.

Tommy Hunter, Gordon Brain, Harold Brain and Norman Bird spent the week-end on a fishing trip at Crow Lake.

Visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee and family, North-sydney Blvd., were Mr. and Mrs. John Findlay and Carol of Vancouver, B.C.

Mrs. Bert Burton and Richard, Mrs. Harry Harris of Renfrew, and Mrs. Shantz of Kitchener called on Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McGillivray on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brochu of Toronto and Mr. Howard James of St. Catharines were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Harris and family.

Mrs. Wallace Thompson attended a conference of managers of Eaton's order offices last week, which was held at the Royal York Hotel and at the company's Shadow Lake Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Reid of Los Angeles, California, have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reid, College Street. Mr. Reid is chief master mechanic at the Goodyear Tire plant in California and with his brother visited the company's plant in New Toronto during his stay here.

Mrs. Sam Harrison's sisters, Mrs. McGarva and Mrs. McRobbie, from Wigtownshire, Scotland, are in town for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison. Mrs. McGarva was here four years ago, but it is the first reunion for Mrs. McRobbie and her brother in 48 years since he left the old country.

Pouring tea on Saturday afternoon at the IODE Garden Tea at the home of Mrs. John Frost will be Miss Sybil Bennett, Q.C. MP, Mrs. W. G. O. Thompson, hon. regent; Mrs. Jack Armstrong, Mrs. H. J. Newman, regent; Miss Ruth Evans, vice regent and Miss Jean Mackenzie past regent. Mrs. Newman and Miss Evans will also receive the guests.

Barbara Cleave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Cleave, was four years old on June 8th and had a birthday party in honour of the occasion. Guests present were Pauline Spence, Mary Hay, Liz Hoare, her cousins Jimmy and Peter Walker, Donald and Gordon Williams, and her sister Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glasford were among a number of district residents who were in Caledon on Sunday to attend the dedication and memorial service at Caledon East Cemetery. The three Caledon Protestant congregations and their ministers united at the service, and Brampton Salvation Army band provided music.

A July bride-elect, Miss Yvonne Long, was honoured at two more events last week when showers were held at the homes of Mrs. Marshall Timbers and Mrs. Irwin McPherson. The latter was Irwin at a linen shower, while Mrs. Jack Coburn entertained jointly with Mrs. Timbers at a miscellaneous shower. Making of a bride's book and a number of games provided entertainment during the evening.

School friends of Gillian Chapman, who will be moving to Peterborough this summer, presented her with a musical powder box when Gail McGillivray entertained for her last Wednesday. Judy McCumber read a farewell address and the presentation was made by little Carol McGillivray. Guests at the party were Marilyn Souther, Judy McCumber, Helen Muckart, Barbara Alcott, Jean Penrice, Gloria Bain, Gloria Boyd, Elizabeth Ward, Muriel Davison, Gail Thompson, Barbara Bowman, Sheila Carney, Ruby Tennant and Dorothy Scott.

## Sidewalks, Watermains Main Council Items

### Harvey Dewhurst is Oddfellow DDGM



Prominent Georgetown Oddfellow and past master of Orion Lodge, Harvey Dewhurst was named district deputy grand master when the annual sessions of Grand Lodge of Ontario were held last week at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

Mr. Dewhurst attended the luncheon on Wednesday for the new Grand Master, N. A. Foster of Kingston, and represented the lodge at the seasonal banquet and Grand Lodge sessions on Thursday and Friday.

He will represent the Grand Master in Credit District 33, comprising lodges at Milton, Orangeville, Alton, Brampton and Georgetown. A member of the Order since 1945, Mr. Dewhurst has served in almost every lodge office, and has been Grand Lodge representative the last three years.

### Ken Harrison Pupils Piano, Voice Recital

Piano and vocal pupils of Kenneth R. Harrison, ARCT, appeared in recital Friday in Wrigglesworth School auditorium when William Kinrade was chairman for a lengthy program of songs and piano selections.

Mr. Harrison played duets with Donna McMillan and Tom Fargrave and after the concert was presented with a gift from his Georgetown pupils by Mary McNamara and Barbara Kinrade, and from Milton pupils by Barbara French and Ruth Ann Sherratt.

Those who played the piano were Sylvia Diggins, Arlene Hill, Verna Pickett, Jean Gambell, Linda Mino, Paulene Watson, Peter Canham, Ruth Ann Sherratt, Milton, Peter Forgrave, Linda Packer, Ruth McClements, Barbara French, Milton, Barbara Kinrade, Lois Niven, David Diggins, Betty Carey, Billy Sanford, Adrienne Nurse, Jean Hunter, Judy Clarke, Bobby McCumber, Kent Graham, Wesley Darou, Jeffrey Nurse, Jill Runham, Mary McNamara, Gladys Smith, Joy and Virginia Barber.

Vocal pupils who appeared at the recital were Eleanor Schenk, Paul Prust, Barbara Cunningham, Heatheranne Hayward, Milton, Laura Irving, Guelph, Michael Armstrong, Betty Jean Anderson, Douglas Dredge, Milton, Winnie Dykstra, Muriel Appleyard, Charlene Day, Barry Burne, Milton, Nancy Grasyb, Raymond Fletcher, Sandra Lloyd, Sydney Fletcher, Brian Hill, Janis Chaplin, David Farnell.

Those who played and sang were Donna McMillan, Acton, Carole and Tom Hunter, Valerie Nurse, Ian Foster, Milton, Alan Emerson, Milton, Diane Hill, Judy Richardson, David Rawson.

### SCOUTS AND CUBS HAVE BUSY AGENDA

The next few weeks are going to be busy ones for scouts and cubs.

Cub camp will be at Everton from June 29th to July 3rd and scouts will be at Kennabi the week of July 10. Yesterday, scout and cub leaders went to Blue Springs for formation of a North Halton Scouters group, and July 29th group-committee members will meet in Acton to form North Halton Boy Scouts Association. Tomorrow night, parents-night in St. John's Hall, will and local activities for the summer.

The auction sale Friday was successful, and scouts appreciated the patronage of the public, as well as those who donated articles for sale. Auctioneer, Frank French, who was in charge of the sale, thanked the public for their support.

Public works occupied most of council's attention at Monday's meeting, with undertones of the possible new subdivision on the eastern outskirts of town colouring various decisions.

By-laws were ordered for water-main extensions on River Drive and Sunbeam Heights, and an easement will be sought from Dominion Seed House for laying of a new main which will run through to Durham Street thence to Alliance Mill district.

A storm sewer will take care of a bad drainage condition on south Main Street and the town engineer will be asked to seek a solution to a surface drainage problem on King Street, where the mayor questioned the wisdom of draining into the sewer system.

Some council members questioned the engineer's recommendation that paving of Chapel Street be delayed till next year, but they will act on his advice. The street will be cut down and gravel allowed to pack before it is hard surfaced. Paving of Young Street will proceed and sidewalk tenders will be asked for the two Victoria Streets and Guelph Street above Normandy Blvd. with other sidewalks planned later this summer.

Three members opposed restricting parking on Queen Street to 2 hours, but they were overruled and it will be introduced. There was a split vote on the sale of Central Park property to Art Scott for an extension of his garage property. Reeve Allen and Cr. Sargent opposed the sale for \$100 plus a \$65 share of legal and survey costs, claiming that Mr. Scott should pay the full share of the latter. Contractor William McNally was exempted from providing a park area, or contributing the equivalent in a cash payment for a subdivision near the park.

A new street light was ordered on Park Ave. and lights will be moved to better locations on Sarah Street and Parkview Blvd.

New sidewalks will be laid on Sarah Street where residents have petitioned for this. Tomorrow, a new method of garbage disposal will be demonstrated in town with a machine which packs and covers garbage as it operates.

Alex. MacLaren, appointee on Credit Valley Conservation Authority, outlined progress to date and said that he expected a survey camp would be set up by the government near Georgetown this summer, as first step in the eventual work of the Authority.

### Ryerson Grads Serve In Toronto, Peterboro

Two local men, Jim McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McDonald, Queen Street and Alan Gillis, son of Mrs. J. F. Gillis, Emery St., have successfully completed a 3-year course in Electronics at the Ryerson Institute of Technology. Jim has taken a position with International Business Machines, Toronto and Al has a position with General Electric in Peterborough.

### SATURDAY BRIDE WIDELY FETED

Betty Garbutt of Alton, who was married Saturday to John Dickenson of Stewarttown, was widely entertained prior to her marriage.

The ladies of Home Church and surrounding community entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the church parlour. Mrs. Wesley Weech also honoured her niece at a shower at her home, West Street, Brampton. Mrs. Clare Hutchinson and members of the choir and Sunday School class gave a linen shower at Mrs. Hutchinson's home. The members of Home YPU presented her with an electric clock at the home of Mrs. Harry Beardmore on the Monday preceding the wedding.

### ST. GEORGE'S AYP A ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Officers were elected by St. George's AYP A when the honorary president, Archbishop W. G. O. Thompson officiated at the annual meeting Wednesday.

Eileen Prust is president, and other officers are: Len Murdoch, vice president; Irene Nalle, chairman; Sandra Bradley, secretary; John Doherty, treasurer. Members of the team which were elected were: Bobbie Chapman, Len Murdoch, Irene Nalle, Sandra Bradley, John Doherty, and Eileen Prust. The team was elected to represent the AYP A at the annual meeting of the Ontario Association of Young People's Associations in Toronto.