

AN OPEN LETTER TO GEORGETOWN PEOPLE

Georgetown, Ont.
 These are a few facts that should be brought to the attention of the people of Georgetown about the purchase of natural gas.
 First, most of you have read in your daily papers about serious explosions in gas mains, usually on the outskirts of Toronto, but I am sure very few of you know that these are caused by the accumulation of air pockets in pipes bringing gas over long distances. Therefore I submit that the closer home we get our gas the less danger of such explosions.
 Second, most gas taken from the ground contains more natural propane than the government requires. It is regulated much as the butterfat content of milk. Most companies handling gas remove all the propane they are allowed to and sell it in tanks to the gas stove users. The more propane in the gas the more heat per cubic foot you get for your money. In our company, that is the company owned and being financed by a substantial number of Georgetown people as well as those of surrounding municipalities, the president has stated that the gas will be delivered just as it comes from the ground. Why then should we want more expensive gas that is not as good?
 Thirdly and not the least important, why should we be sending our money out of the country instead of supporting our own people who will spend their money here? That is what we will be doing if we buy from people who have to import gas.
 And lastly, who is in such a terrific hurry for gas that they cannot wait till we get a few more wells down, when it is so definitely to everyone's advantage?
 Has our council been subjugated?
 Helen R. McDonald

ACTON COUPLE MARK 50th ANNIVERSARY

Residents of Acton since they were married, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Coles celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 17th. They were married in Toronto two days after the bride had arrived from England.
 Mr. Coles had finished serving seven years in the British Army, touch of that time in South Africa, when he emigrated to Canada from his home in Bristol, England in 1904. He had met his wife, the former Alice Silgant, after returning to England from Africa in 1903. He had served with her brother in Africa.
 In Acton, Mr. Coles worked at the Beardmore Lannery and is now clerk of the division court. They have one daughter Jessie at home, a son Ernest in Brampton, six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Ernest Coles was a resident of Georgetown for several years, moving to Acton fifteen years ago, and now a member of Brampton Training School staff.
 Anniversary celebrations included a family reunion at the home of a grandson, Hartley Coles.

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COOK — Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cook Jeannine Humphreys) announce the birth of their daughter Susan Lynda in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, Friday, July 18th, 1955.

HILLIS — Wilf and Bunty Hillis, 403 Grenville Ave., Port Arthur, announces the birth of a daughter Nancy Jane, July 3rd, 1955. A sister for David, Paul and Laurie Irene.

McNIVEN — Jennifer Beth McNiven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. McNiven, R. R. 3, St. Thomas, announces the birth of her brother, James Peter Nicol, at the St. Thomas - Elgin General Hospital on Wednesday, July 13th, 1955.

DEATHS

WRIGHT, Daniel F. — In Guelph General Hospital, on Monday, July 18th, 1955, Daniel F. Wright, beloved husband of Eva McPhail, aged 80 years.

The funeral service was held at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home, 34 Edith St., Georgetown this afternoon. Interment in Hillcrest Cemetery, Norval.

MEMORIALS

LAW — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Fred Law, who passed away July 24th, 1949. Always remembered by his wife and family.

CARDS OF THANKS

PECK — I wish to thank all my friends and neighbours of the home town for their cards, letters and kind wishes and enquiries while I was in hospital and since returning to my son's home where I am recuperating from a major operation. Many thanks to all who have been so kind as to remember me — Mrs. Edythe Peck.

TAYLOR — Alex Taylor would like to thank all those who were so kind to him during his convalescence, including the Odd Fellows, Branch 120, Canadian Legion, Imperial Section, Local 474, and the W.A. of the Canadian Legion.

LIMEHOUSE

Doris Mitchell Sails On Invernia for England

Miss Doris Mitchell left early last week for a trip to the British Isles, travelling aboard the Invernia on her maiden voyage.

The WMS met at the home of Mrs. Mills on Thursday evening with vice president Mrs. Roughley in charge. Mrs. Patterson read Scripture, Mrs. Benton the Prayer and Mrs. Gisby read a chapter on "Crime in India" from the study book. Text word "work" was answered in a verse of Scripture. Mrs. H. Norton read a poem on Prayer. Mrs. Roughley mentioned a few facts about the nurse, Anna Godden, whose missionary work is told in a new book "Anna and the Indians". Mrs. Roughley taught school at Cross Lake, Manitoba, where some of the story gets its setting. Following the Benediction the hostess served lunch. David Roughley is spending this week with his cousin David Scott near Nobleton.

Blue Valley Ranch entertained the first blind swimmer on Sunday, Mrs. John Crawford of Toronto who with her husband was spending the weekend with the Sandy MacDonalds, after being led to the pool enjoyed herself swimming alone for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs and children of Brampton visited the H. H. Smiths on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leferink and children enjoyed a trip to Collingwood on Thursday while he was on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lane of Toronto are spending holidays with his mother this week. The Sanfords have gone to their cottage at Waubashene.

Mr. Brown, headmaster at Ridley College, St. Catharines, and his wife and Mrs. H. O. Howitt of Guelph were recent visitors with Lt. Col. and Mrs. Bourne.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Cohoon and son Bill of Port Credit to our neighbourhood. They have purchased the farms formerly owned by Mrs. Russell Thompson, whose removal from here we regret.

Church services will not be held at Limehouse Presbyterian Church on July 24 and 31, but will resume for all of August.

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