days if there will be a C.M. dance this Friday night. So far, we have been afraid to give a direct answer, in fear of being forcefully contradicted as we were last week. A thoughtless lack of information from an otherwise efficient and co-operative management forced C.|M. members to return home last Friday night without a dance and without a satis-

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factory explanation. It seemed to be a case of one hand not knowing what the other was doing, which left us looking like a very doubtful and unreliable source of information.

We, personally, have been affilicted with that stigma before, but we do feel that the other members were cheated out of a night's entertainment on a rather weak excuse. It is our sincere hope that no similar situation will arise in the future.

As for this coming Friday, we will say that as far as we know now, there will be a dance.

Rumours predict a hard-times dance with an orchestra, sometime in the near future. We'll know about that in a week or two.

The membership cards have re-appeared and are available to anyone who is interested.

And that seems to be about all. See you at C.M.

#### Mr and Mrs. Gummer **Euchre Party Hosts**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gummer were host and hostess last Wednesday night when a euchre sponsored by L.O.L. 245 was held at their home. Seven tables played, and prizewinners were: Ladies' 1st, Mrs. Zilio, Terra Cotta; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Armstrong Sr.; consolation, Mrs. Harry Savings. Men's 1st prize, Harry Savings; 2nd, Bob Lane, Union St., consolation. Joe Hall Sr.

Lunch was served after the games, by Mr. and Mrs. Gummer assisted by members of their family.

RADE IZERS

#### Mrs. John O'Neill, Well-Known Resident

Known widely for quiet acts of kindness and one of Georgetown's most respected residents. Mrs. John N. O'Neill, 91, died suddenly at her home, 8 Wesleyan St. on Friday after-

While her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Thompson, Embro, was visiting, Mrs. O'Neill complained of not feeling well, layed down on a couch and while Mrs. Thompson was in the kitchen to get her a cup of tea, death occurred.

Mrs. O'Neill had been blessed with the good health to enjoy life right to the end. She maintained her own home and kept busy with her housework and shopping, sharing her friendly personality with those with whom she came in contact.

Elizabeth Jane Coventry before her marriage in 1892, she was the daughter of James and Mary Ann Coventryand was born on the 3rd Line West, Chinguacousy.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill lived in Alloa when they were first married, moving to Georgetown in 1899 when he purchased the carriage shop of Culp & McKenzie. He became one of the town's leading businessmen, branching into the auto agency and garage business as time progressed. In 1922, fire destroyed his building and the present large structure on Main St. in which Carroll' store is located was built to replace it.

Mr. O'Neill continued in business until shortly before his death in

Mrs. O'Neill was very active in church work at St. John's United, where she was a member of the Woman's Association and a life member of the Women's Missionary Society. She was also a member of Georgetown Women's Institute.

Surviving are two children, Arol J. O'Neill, Toronto and Melrose, Mrs. Earle D. Sheley, Birmingham, Michigan; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; her sister, Miss Addie Coventry, 30 Church St., and two half-sisters, Mrs. Martha Mc-Innis, Markdale and Mrs. Charlotte Thompson, Embro.

Rev. Morgan McFarlane conducted the funeral service on Monday at the Harold C. McClure funeral home, with interment following in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Orval Rayner, Norman Bird, James F. Evans, William G. Marshall, Wheldon Emmerson and George H. Leslie.

#### **ENGAGE ROSS SMITH** SKATING INSTRUCTOR

Ross Smith, senior professional of Guelph College figure skating club, has been engaged as a skating teacher in Georgetown for next season.

Mr. Smith has been engaged by the newly-formed Georgetown club which will continue the lessons inaugurated last year by the Board of Parks Management, and it is planned to have classes Monday afternoons. The season's membership fee will be decided at a later date.

Mr. Smith is a former Canadian pairs champion, and also holds records as a Western Canada singles, pairs and dance champion.

#### ASHGROVE

#### MRS WILFRID BIRD INSTITUTE PRESIDENT

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon, April 19th at the lovely new home of Mrs. Horace Barnes with a large attendance of ladies and children. President, Mrs. W. Bird, opened with the ode and creed; roll call was answered by the "furthest I've travelled from home." A business discussion followed. Ten dollars was voted for the muscular dystrophy; reports of the standing committees were given. Mrs. Murray Brigden gave the flower committee report and Mrs. Frank Wilson reported on hospitalization. Mrs. James Carney took the chair for the program and called on Mrs. Cecil Wilson for the motto who gave some splendid thoughts on "If you wish to be happy make others happy." Mrs. Bruce Brigden read an article on how paper is made. Mrs. Clayton Wilson delighted everyone with her pianoaccordion selections. Current events were given by Mrs. John Bellhoddy. Mrs. W. Stringer gave the report of the district directors' meeting held in Milton recently, after which Mrs. Cliff Hunter presented a gift to the retiring secretary, Mrs. V. Archer for her splendid five years' in the Institute. Mrs. Lloyd Davison gave the report of the nominating committee and the new officers for 1956-57 are: President, Mrs. W. Bird; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Hunter; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Thompson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Giffen; assistant, Mrs. Len Coxe; directors, Mrs. Fred Nurse; Mrs. Bruce Brigden, Mrs. L. Davison, Mrs. R. Hepburn; district director, Mrs. W. Stringer; pianist, Mrs. James Carney; assistant, Mrs. Hector Bird; press, Mrs. John McNabb; assistant, Mrs. John H. Hunter; flower committe, Mrs. Cecil Wilson, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. V. Archer; courtesy committee, Mrs. W. Stringer, Mrs. R. Cunningham, Mrs. C. B. Dick; auditors, Mrs. T.-J. Brownridge, Mrs.

Congratulations to our school chil- lunch served by the hostess.

talzation, Mrs. Frank Wilson.

John M. Bird; agriculture and Cana-

dian industries, Mrs. Harvey Nurse;

home economics and health, Mrs.

Percy Leslie; historical research and

current events, Mrs. John Bellboddy;

community activities and public relations, Mrs. Arthur Ruddell; hospi-

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dren who did so well at the music festival in Stewarttown hall on Tuesday, the school choir, Hugh Graham for his solo and Marilyn Wilson and Catherine Hunter their duet.

Spring must be here as Mr. Will Hardy is back among us again. He did not have good health this winter, so maybe our summer weather

Ashgrove Cereal Cooks held their third meeting at the home of Marilyn Wilson, on Saturday with six girls present. The meeting opened with the institute ode, roll call and then business was discussed. The girls divided into groups and made muffins which were judged, and took notes on enriched flour. Home assignment was to make muffins for the family and record them in the record

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