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ALFRED SYKES

Seeking a fourth term as a Georgetown councillor, Alfred Sykes, 3 Young St., a concrete block and stone salesman, was chairman of public works on council this year.



LEGION NOTES

By Leslie M. Clark

A week Friday will be the big scheduled party for both Branch 120 and the W.A. This should be a real party as we know from past experience that a real time is always had at that type of party. A dance will be held, there will be a licence and food will be served. So let's see all the members and their wives out for this affair. It seems to us we've heard a bit of talk from various ones about why we couldn't have more parties like that, so here's your chance to attend one.

Sorry we are not able to give a report of the meeting last week but (was nomination night, a night we are always reluctant to miss. Quite a number of our members were there, and quite a number of them are standing for office. And before we get into trouble, by breaking our long standing rule of not mentioning candidates who are running for office, let's end it with good luck to you all, fellows.

However, we can comment on the mayoralty, as there's no contest. Congratulations yours at the polls. John T. has been a real friend to Branch 120 down through the years and we feel that he has always worked for the best interests of the Legion, an organization of which he is an honorary member. Like Old Man River, John just goes on and on as mayor.

We were discussing the proposed moving of the cenotaph last Thursday night with a couple of citizens and a few more prospective places for it came up. We might point out that while we originally suggested the library, we will buy any other idea, as long as we get "the show on the road" as it were, and get it moved out of its present lamentable position.

Rex Heslop, honorary president of Branch 120, said that if we were serious about moving it, that he had a piece of land, and we could have one that would eventually fringe on a green park belt. This has merits as it would be in the centre of future Georgetown, and a very generous offer of an extremely valuable piece of land.

His nibs, the mayor also came up with a potential spot, out near the park school, where the monument could be the focal point of a small formal park or garden, and benches and fountains, etc. could add to it and make it a place where people would be happy to go for a few minutes at times.

Both ideas have merit, embodying as they do the idea of a park, or greenery surrounding and adding to its beauty.

This idea was embodied years ago by W. F. Bradley, before he died, when shortly after World War II he had privately put forth the idea of a small memorial park built around the since-closed stream that coursed through the vacant land behind the hydro building. At that time this could have been accomplished very easily and would have made a lovely memorial park.

The morning hockey is still going great guns, with more help needed. Thanks to Ed Pries, the boys now have a room where they can work undisturbed, and quite comfortable it is, too. Frank Connelly and Bud Hill wish us to thank Sam Tennant for volunteering to come down and look after the fire in the morning. This necessitates his getting there around five a.m. He was late last week.

Don't forget the Xmas Tree for the kids, on Thursday evening December 18th, one week before Christmas. Be sure and have your children there, our Santa Claus will no doubt promise them anything . . . the old devil!

Gob would like to remind you of your Xmas tree tickets, too! Be sure and get them in as soon as possible.

Bus Drivers Honour Guard At Funeral of Robert Moody

Sixty Grey coach bus drivers in uniform formed a guard of honour as the body of their fellow driver, Robert Alexander Moody of Schomberg, left Anderson's Funeral Parlours in Tottenham and was buried in Schomberg Union Cemetery, last week.

Mr. Moody, 56, veteran trustee of Schomberg village, had suddenly been stricken by a heart attack on November 23rd. His funeral service, one of the largest ever held in Tottenham, was conducted by Rev. J. E. Taylor of Schomberg Presbyterian Church, the church Mr. and Mrs. Moody attended. The previous evening, members of Mr. Moody's Union Lodge, AF & AM of Schomberg, gathered for their own service.

Pallbearers were Maurice Poole of Milton, Frank Hanley, Clarence Wood, Walter Thompson, Victor Marchant and Elwood Dale, all of Schomberg.

The Richmond Hill Liberal had this to say in eulogizing Mr. Moody in an article in that paper last week:

"The jovial, popular trustee, in office 14 consecutive years, was known as a community builder. Only four days before his untimely death he again accepted acclamation as trustees' chairman, and agreed, with other board members, to investigate the possibility of Schomberg undertaking water and sewage services. 'We must do what is in the best interests of everyone,' was his last pledge to his electors.

One Schomberg resident recalled: "Bob particularly endeared himself to the village at the time of Hurricane Hazel. He was a trustee then, too. He took leave of absence for a week and engineered everything. His own property had not been touched, but he did everything to make streets passable and get things back to normal."

Another said: "He got a great kick out of life. He was a jolly man. Halloween night he was down at the fire hall, entertaining all of us with anecdotes about his bus driving and incidents involving the people he met."

One friend testified: "He was a kind man and always went out of his way to look after his customers. I've seen him wait and keep the bus late while a customer walked 40 rods down a farm lane. Then he would greet him with a smile."

Daily Mr. Moody saw Toronto suburbs growing as he drove the Schomberg-Toronto bus since the run was started in 1929. Recently he told a King City friend: "If I've had one customer I've had one hundred who want to know why Hope Church cemetery is not kept up. Maybe I should mention it to the Vaughan revue."

A few weeks ago his careful control of the bus was credited with saving the life of a woman pedestrian who darted in front of the vehicle and was pinned, he said.

For many years Mr. Moody was active in sports, leading both base

ball and hockey teams to championships. Keenly interested in trotting horses, he owned several and still had one at the time of his death.

He was immediate past president of Schomberg agricultural Society and conscientiously worked with the Schomberg Fair and fair grounds committee. Besides Schomberg Union lodge, he was a member of Aurora Chapter, Royal Arch Masons.

Son of the late Mr. William Moody and Elizabeth Jane Buie, he was born at Terra Colla. Surviving are his wife, the former Eva Carr, and their four children, Mrs. Peter Miller of Schomberg; Ross of Tampa, Florida; Glynville of the OPP at Halesbury, and Art of Campbellford. A sister, Mrs. Brockiebank (Ella) lives in Streetsville; a brother, William Moody, in Brampton, and another brother, Jack Moody, in Georgetown. There are five grandchildren.



MRS. LENA EMMERSON
Mrs. Lena Emmerson, 99 Main St. North, housewife and saleswoman at Dyson's Sewing Centre, is one of two ladies seeking a Georgetown council seat on Monday.

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British Builders Return Hospitality To Heslops

During Mr. and Mrs. Rex Heslop's recent visit in England, they had hospitality repaid by several British builders whom they had entertained in Georgetown during an overseas tour by the Britishers earlier this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Heslop spent the majority of their time overseas in London, and while it was primarily a business trip, they had occasion to do some sightseeing and visiting too. They called to see the mother and brother of a member of the Delrex organization, Les Percival, who live in a London suburb.

They concluded their visit with five days in Paris, and an unexpected stop in Geneva, Switzerland, when fog caused their plane to be rerouted. En route home to Georgetown they were in Newfoundland where Mr. Heslop attended a builders' conference.

Monday is the big day in Georgetown when voters will choose 6 councillors and 3 public school trustees at the polls.

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FRED (TUT) HARRISON

Proprietor of Harrison's Garage until he sold his business recently, Fred Harrison, Wildwood Terrace is seeking a third term as a councillor on Monday. He was council's property chairman this year.

JUNIOR CHOIR EUCHRE LAST THIS SEASON

St. George's Junior Choir sponsored their last euchre of the year on Thursday, November 27th in the parish hall with six tables in play.

Mrs. D. Lameront was high for the ladies, and Mrs. A. Hutchison who filled in because of an absence of men was high for the men. Mrs. Jack Tost was second high lady and Mrs. B. Findlay won second high man. Low were Mrs. Roy Wiggins and A. R. Thompson. Mrs. Jack Tost held lone hand and the door prize was won by Mrs. Tom Warnes.

After the euchre, lunch was served by candlelight. Mrs. Frank Hardy, Mrs. Tom Parry, Mrs. K. Rundle, Mrs. S. W. Smith and Mrs. S. H. Phillips were the hostesses with two of the choir boys John Knight and Robert Evis assisting. The next euchre will be held at the parish hall on Thursday, Jan. 8.

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