

ROTARIANS WILL RAISE \$5,000

ONE OF MANY ORGANIZATIONS making substantial donations to the new Georgetown hospital is the Rotary Club. President Bud Bishop hands the pledge to Thomas Dillon in this picture, with Ernie Pearce, right, Rotary treasurer, and Jim Young, chairman of clubs and organizations looking on. Miss Jean Penrice is also presenting a pledge from Georgetown Girls Pipe Band which, while not a money-raising group, has offered their services in any capacity possible to assist the hospital fund.

Hobby Class Valentine Party Delightful Feature At Manor

The annual St. Valentine's party, given for the residents of the Manor, by the Hobby Class, was postponed this year to Wednesday evening, February 24th on which date it was held in the dining room of the Manor. About thirty-four men and women residents were in attendance. Mrs. S. Lockie and Mrs. S. Allen were in charge of the party. The first two numbers on the program were musical numbers. The program opened with the playing of a record that was a musical melody of all the pieces played by the Preston Sack House, Jingle Band, which won a championship in the season 1954-55. The second number featured Mr. Norman Viggers, one of the residents, playing the bones to the music of the record. The Crooked Stovepipe. A very amusing contest came next, with Mrs. Lockie and Mrs. Allen vying with each other in trying to put on a nylon stocking while blindfolded and wearing oven mitts. Mrs. Allen was the winner but in a second try, this time against Josie VanGrunsven, Mrs. Lockie was the winner.

full length motion picture 'All the Scenes of this film, a film that described carnival life in France were laid in that colorful country and the stars were Leslie Caron and Jean Pierre Aumont. The excellent acting the vivid colours, and the haunting music delighted the very appreciative audience.

Rev. J. L. Graham, minister of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, conducted the church service on Sunday afternoon Feb. 28th. He chose Psalm 121 as his sermon topic. He explained that this Psalm, like the other Psalms called songs of degrees, were sung by the people travelling in the caravans that were making their way to the Temple in Jerusalem. This Psalm was sung as the pilgrim in the caravans caught sight of Mount Zion. Mount Zion reminded them of God and this Psalm describes the majesty of God and His care and protection over His children. Muriel Simpson

Plan Policemen's Ball As Annual Social Event

Greeted by an overwhelming attendance of one hundred couples, Georgetown's Policemen's Ball made its debut on the local social scene last Thursday evening in the Legion Hall. The ball, arranged by the newly formed Georgetown Police Association, will be an annual affair. Police Cpl. Jim Bilbrow greeted the guests as they entered the hall and each lady received a corsage courtesy of the association. The debutantes played for dancing and vocal solos sung by Sandra Sproule and Nick Brown. Mr. Brown also acted as master of ceremonies.

Spot and other novelty dances provided numerous prize winners, however the big prize winner was Cec Greenslade of 13 Charles St. who won the door prize, a portable bar. The draw was made by Mayor E. T. Hyde. One of the evening's highlights was a demonstration of the tango by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen, who instructed the ballroom dancing class at night school. Tables bordered the dance floor cabaret style and a buffet lunch was catered by the member of the Legion Ladies Auxiliary.

Active In First Aid Work At Pine Falls Papermill Institute Aids Layette For Refugee Babies

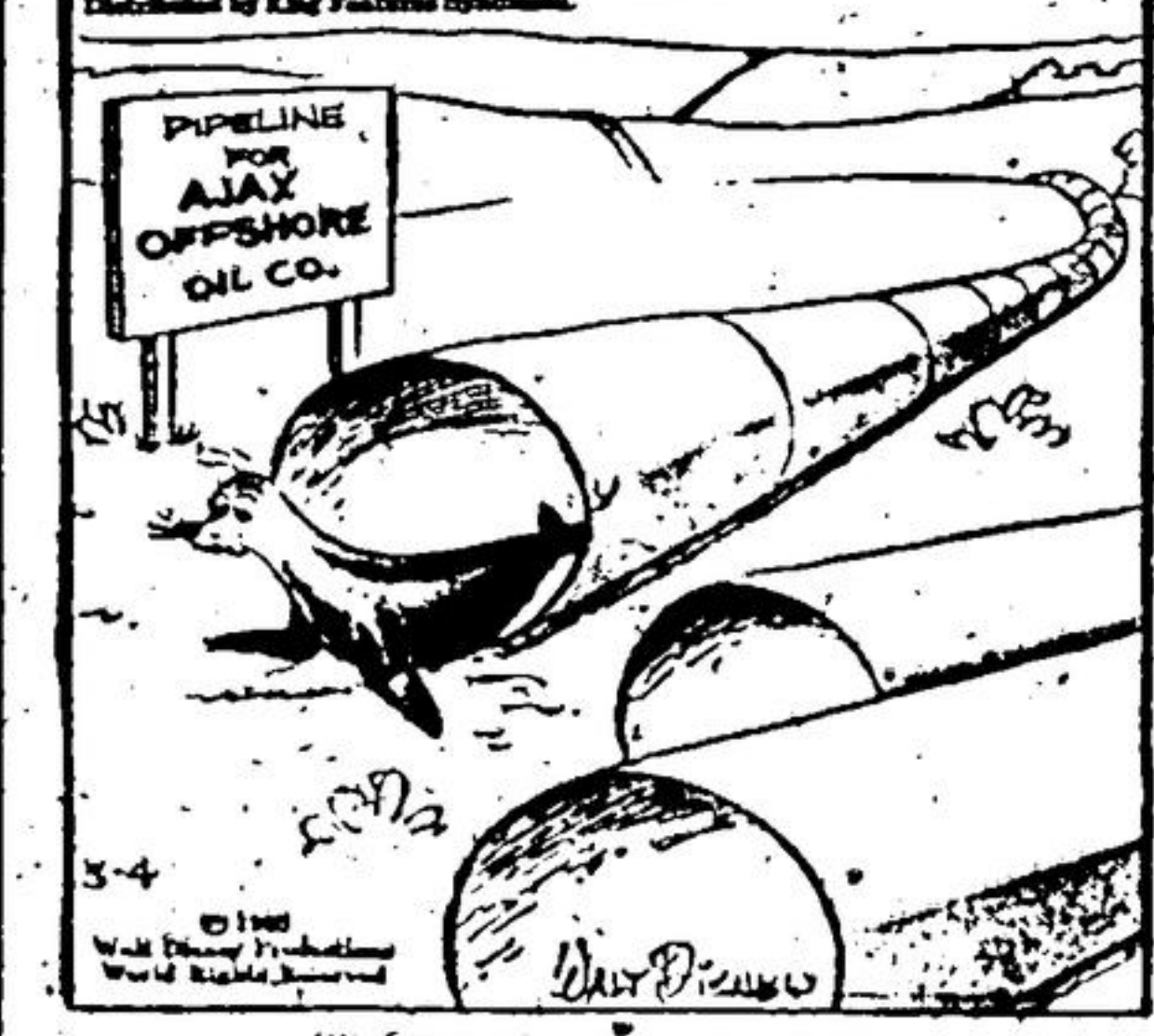
William Bird, a native of Norval and a brother of the late Thomas Bird of Georgetown died at the home of his daughter in London, Ontario, Feb. 23rd after a short illness. Born in 1880, he attended school in Norval and later, after a course at the Ontario Agricultural College, started out as a cheesemaker. However, he worked at this trade for only a couple of years, and the winter of 1908-9 found him employed in the lumber camps of Spanish River. In 1902, he found work with the T. Eaton Co. in Toronto, while here he met and married his life partner, Reba Peterson. Shortly after their marriage in 1903 the company sent him out to Winnipeg on the construction of a steam plant to operate their new store then in course of erection. He remained with Eaton's until 1917 when he went to Ogilvie Flour Mills staying with them until 1927. From here he went to Pine Falls, Manitoba, as a steam engineer and later steam plant superintendent for the Manitoba Paper Co. staying with them until his retirement in 1951.

The regular Georgetown WI meeting was held in Knox Church last Wednesday in the form of a supper put on by group No. 1. The meeting was opened by the president Mrs. Clare Wilson and after the minutes and correspondence was dealt with the roll call which called for members to make and model a hat created from a '56 pig tail' was humorously responded to. A shower of children's sweaters and articles for a Layette to be sent to the United Nations Committee under Dr. Estia Hirschmanovs continued successful. The articles will go to the U.S. Layette in the Arab refugee babies in the middle east. The United Nations Service has pledged to send 25,000 basic Layettes before Christmas, with the United Nations covering ocean transportation costs. Any WI members with articles earmarked for the Layette were urged to have them in prior to the April 6th deadline. Reports on hospital fund raising were given by No. 1 and No. 2 groups. The project will be further boosted by Mrs. G. Coulings' donation of a quilt top to be quilted and Mrs. E. R. Robinson and Mrs. H. C. Barby as a committee will look after fund raising arrangements. Mrs. Seaward Wilson read a letter received from the West-ern WI in London accompanied by one of their programs. Mrs. S. Robyn who convened the Wednesday program introduced Mrs. John McClure who entertained with two vocal solos accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Barber. The ladies from No. 2 group sang several old time songs dressed in costumes of the period. Mrs. W. Sinclair

During his term at Pine Falls he took an active interest in the promotion of First Aid work. Through his efforts the Pine Falls first aid team in 1945 captured the Taylor cup and in the following year obtained the Watch Shield, highest industrial award for first aid work in Manitoba. Among his hobbies were gardening, fishing and duck hunting. Besides his wife, with whom he celebrated a golden wedding anniversary in 1954, he leaves his daughter, Marion (Mrs. K. Thorne) of London, two sons, Stanley of Toronto, and William B. of Wabamun, Alta., and a brother, James Bird of Niagara Falls, Ont. There are also seven grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren.

A member of the Masonic Lodge, he rose to become DDGM of the tenth, Masonic District in Manitoba. He was also a life-long member of the Anglican Church. Following a Masonic service in London on Thursday evening, there was a service in St. Paul's Church, Norval, conducted by Rev. John Rathbone of Glen Williams on Friday, February 26th prior to interment in Hillcrest Cemetery. Pallbearers were nephews: Harold Smiller, William Fiddler, Bert Fiddler, John Bird, Milton Bird and Norman Bird.

MERRY MENAGERIE By Walt Disney



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Fair Board Doings

GLEANNINGS FROM THE FAIRS CONVENTION Did you know that eight fall fairs celebrated their centennial in 1959? They were Thedford, Mount Forest, Elmville, Colden, Tara, Camber, Sunderland and Howick. Georgetown fair centennial was in 1916 making this year's exhibition the 114th. Did you know that Kitchener fair is the youngest fair in Ontario, holding its first show in October last year. They had gate receipts of \$11,220.65. Not bad going for a first effort. Did you know that 230 fairs took advantage of the Canada Packers special prizes for cakes and pies at the 1959 fairs and that this special will be continued again in 1960. Did you know that the new concrete grandstand at the Milton fair grounds cost the sum of \$55,000. Did you know that Alex McKinney of Brampton flew overseas last week to help make arrangements for the World's Ploving Match. Mr. McKinney is the husband of the Ontario director for fall fair handicrafts, and a director for the Plovingmen's Association. Did you know that the date of the Georgetown Fair for 1960 is September 30th and October 1st.

FISH ATE MUSKRAT

A voracious muskrat, 27 1/2 pounds and 46 1/2 inches long, caught by Jim Berkford of the Toronto Metropolitan Police Traffic Division, District 6, in Deer Lake, Peterborough County, had swallowed a full-grown muskrat head first. Hind paws and tail showed in its gullet. He gave a vote of thanks to No. 1 group for the supper and also in those taking part in the program. The meeting closed with the Queen.

CPL. WILKINSON TAKES OPP POST

The North Halton OPP detachment stationed in Milton and serving the whole of Esquimaux and Nappawewa townships as well as Highways 401, 25 and 7, gained a new department head last week. Staff sergeant of Throp of Dundas, acting inspector of the District 3 OPP including Halton and four other counties, announced that Corporal Charles 'Tiny' Wilkinson from the Oakville OPP would arrive Sunday to head the 5 man detachment. Staff Sgt. Throp and new quarters were being planned for the North Halton detachment in the near future but nothing was definite yet. An earlier plan to take over a farm at the Highways 25 and 401 intersection had to be abandoned, after vandals wrecked the interior of the house about a month ago. When in need of fine printing call the Herald - TR 7-2201.

Notice to Creditors

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