



TEA FOR TWO WED 50 YEARS — Peter Jones Photo

MRS. REG WILLIAMS pours tea for her husband from a golden tea service, one of the many gifts presented them on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. They reached the fifty year mark on the last day of 1963.

## East End Parents Seek Transport Improvements

Twenty-two people who appended their names to a petition read at the high school board meeting Monday, Dec. 30 have urged the board to provide a better transportation system for high school students who live in the most easterly section of the Delrex subdivision.

The letter stated, "We would like to draw your attention to the fact that many of our children have to walk almost a mile to board the school bus; in wet or freezing weather this defeats the purpose of transportation. We suggest several pickup points be made around the subdivision."

At present, students in the most distant parts of the subdivision are picked up at the B-A station at the corner of Delrex Blvd. and Guelph St.

Another letter along the same line from Mrs. Alfred Mitchell, 45 Weber Dr., protested a detention given her daughter when she was, according to the letter, six minutes late for school on a recent morning.

She said the action was unfair because her daughter rides to school in a friend's car and on that particular morning the car failed to start.

The entire matter of transportation from the east end was turned over to the transportation committee for "active consideration."

Just why the glass blocks of the high school gym's south wall cracked, and why's going to pay are two mysteries still unsolved.

Monday night the board as much as absolved the contractor, McNally Construction, of blame when they agreed with a letter from his firm stating the contractor should be spared any blame because the material was not new; had been laid to specifications; and had been inspected and okayed.

Trustees nodded agreement with fellow-member Harold

Hairstow when he suggested the contractor was not at fault. Regardless of where the blame is eventually placed, the school has apparently lost its impressive glass block wall.

The firm that turned out the blocks has discontinued making them so chances are when the wall is rebuilt it will be with cement blocks.

General accounts, clerical and teachers' salaries for December totalling \$41,872.07 were passed for payment, as well as a supplementary account for November totalling \$613.90 and pickup points be made around the subdivision.

Since the high school doors swung open at the beginning of the present term, 1,283 students have paraded to the health unit room for aid a report revealed.

In the abbreviated past month 80 needed treatment. Twenty of those were for health reasons, and 48 of the total need ed bandaging. Thirty-eight received shots, excusing them from physical education periods.

One of the recipients of a Georgetown and District High School Board scholarship presented at the recent commencement program, Beverley Wilkinson, thanked the board for her prize in a letter read by the secretary.

The meeting was chaired by retiring member Harold Hairstow at the request of the chairman Douglas Lalimer.

"I've enjoyed working as a member of this board very much, and I would like to wish my successor every success," he stated at the conclusion.

"We're going to miss you. You've done a good job," the chairman replied.

When the board reconvened in January there will be four new members. William Carr replacing Fred Masterman as chairman; Fred Hairstow as council appointee; John Ord replacing Harold Hairstow as council appointee; and T. H. VanSickler and Donald Lawson replacing Col. Cor-

don Brown and Keith Webb as Esquimaux township appointees.

**New Year Birthdate for Well-Known Local Lady**



MRS. EMMA BENNETT

"I wish I was back in Georgetown. It's a lovely spot, but we're really lucky to have a place like this to come to," Mrs. Isaac Bennett said.

New Year's Day when she marked her 80th birthday at Halton Centennial Manor, Milton.

Born Emma Cook on a beautiful 200 acre farm in Esquimaux Township, Mrs. Bennett commented, "I'm feeling pretty well, but my eyesight is gradually getting worse."

Spry and cheery, Mrs. Bennett is able to dress herself and get around without help.

The "beautiful farm" she speaks of is on the 7th Line, now known as Scotsdale Farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bennett.

She moved to Georgetown when she married and remained at her Edith St. home until she took up residence in the Manor about a year ago.

Her late husband was clerk-treasurer of Esquimaux Township for several years.

"I used to do a lot of church work in Georgetown with the United Church, but housekeeping was my hobby."

## Drumquoin Guides and Brownies Hold Skating Party in Milton Arena

The First Drumquoin Guide Troop and Brownie Pack, mothers and leaders Mrs. Thea Green, Brown Owl, Mrs. Jack Edmond, Guide Leader, and Miss Ruth Brock, Towny Owl, enjoyed a skating party at the Milton Arena on Saturday afternoon. After they left the arena they met at the Boyce Community Centre where the Brownies held a 'powwow' and discussed the variety of little things which had happened while they were skating. This was followed by a lunch of hot dogs and hot chocolate served by the mothers. There were forty in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wriggleworth and family have moved into their lovely new home on the Seventh Line.

A New Year's Eve party was held on Tuesday night, Dec. 31 at the North Ysaigar Community Centre by members and friends of the Saliba clan. The hall was beautifully decorated in red and green streamers for the festive occasion. The evening was spent dancing followed by a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Galbraith and Margaret spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Archie King.

The Eden United Church Y.P.S. met on Sunday evening, Dec. 29 at the home of Paul May with 14 present. The meeting opened with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer. The roll call was taken, which was to say, the "Benedictus" in order. It was moved a tobogganing party be held on Saturday, Jan. 18th, and if the weather is not suitable, a bowling party be held instead. The topic of discussion was based on the "Word and the Way." The meeting closed with a hymn and the benediction. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The election of officers will be held at the next meeting at the home of Gail and Wayne McCallum.

Carl Greston of Grandview Manitoba, visited on the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Greston and family.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Laidlaw (Glenna Waite) on the birth of their son, Allan Howard, at the Peel Memorial Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 28. Weight 9 pounds, 11 ounces. A brother for Douglas, Betty-June and David.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Paquette (nee Jeannette Peir) who were married on Saturday, Dec. 28 at Lowellville United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrele Paquette and sons Claude and Rodger of Glen Robertson, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chisholm on Friday and on Saturday they attended the wedding of their son Jacques Paquette to Jeannette Peir at Lowellville United Church.

## Ligny School Becomes Scotch Institute Hall

Scotch Block Women's Institute held a double celebration on Friday night when they celebrated their 80th anniversary and held a Christmas party for their families in the Institute Hall. (Ligny School.) The hall was decorated with Christmas wreaths and a Christmas tree.

All enjoyed a few games of euchre with prizes going to Mrs. S. Murray, high; Mrs. Mel Stark, second; and Mrs. J. Elliott, low. Gent's high went to

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## Zenith Tool Firm Has Christmas Party

Employees and friends of Zenith Tool & Die Ltd., R.R. 1, attended a Christmas party on December 20th in the banquet room of Stan's Restaurant.

There was a gift for everyone who attended the dinner. Afterwards, there was dancing to tape recordings with several spot dance prizes. A door prize was won by Mrs. Laurie Jones.

Present at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dearsley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hean, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope, Mrs. Pat Kentner, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elst.

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