



ORGANIZING "SONS OF SCOTLAND"

SONS OF SCOTLAND held an organization meeting Wednesday evening in an attempt to establish a North Halton camp. Heading the group was Robert Cross, Grand Chief for Canada, from Toronto, who was assisted by Robert Bell, of Toronto, also, the Grand secretary-treasurer. Also assisting was Robert Wilson, Hamilton area organizer for Sons of Scotland. Pictured front row left to right, are Mr. Bell, Mr. Ross, and Mr. Wilson. In the back row are Mrs. James, Adam, Milton, Mrs. Jack Calder, Georgetown, and Mrs. Tom Hutchinson, Georgetown.

HORNBY

United Church Showers Bride-Elect C. Howden

Eden United Church U.C.W. Church packed a bale in met on Tuesday night, April 22, at the home of Mrs. Frank Howden, April 28. They all had, with 10 members present. The meeting opened with the U.C.W. theme song and prayer. Mrs. Hill Hill presided for the meeting. The devotional period was in charge of Mrs. Jack Nixon. Minutes of the last meeting were read by who passed away at the South the secretary, Mrs. John Ha Peel Hospital on Wednesday, Milton. Mrs. Elmer May was appointed to purchase new bread and butter plates. The afternoon sewing unit report was given by Mrs. May of Hornby United Church on April 29 at 2 Service to clean the church. It was decided that the bake and apron sale which was usually held at the annual luncheon be cancelled for this year. The luncheon will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 with Ethel Chapman as the guest speaker. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Cordingley. The meeting closed with prayer and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Kerr Hails Transit Study Says Commuters Benefit

The need for a commuter service from Halton County to Metropolitan Toronto area is obvious, Halton MPP George Kerr said this week. Commenting on the announcement by Highway Minister Charles McNaughton that a study will be undertaken on the area's transportation needs, Kerr said he thought the survey was perhaps too costly. One study will concern itself with transportation and the effects on land use and population on future transportation, one with commuters' attitudes to train travel, and one with physical requirements and cost of an experimental rail service. Total cost of the surveys will be \$197,400, of which \$112,400 will go to Traffic Research Corporation Ltd., and the studies will take about a year to complete and a year for a decision to be implemented. An earlier study showed that about 80 of the 260 miles of rail lines radiating from Toronto might be adapted to rapid commuter transit. Kerr termed 'good news' the Highway Minister's statement, and said such a plan will do much to ease the daily battle of having to back the traffic. He added that such service to the entire area will be beneficial and satisfactory to all the people who must commute daily to the Toronto area. Both the CNR and CPR, who stand to benefit from such a commuter service, will cooperate in providing information on its cost. The Halton member asked that all county residents cooperate with the survey teams who come to their door for information. The appeal was met with a response that said that the survey had appeared.

Married 58 Years, Have Hamilton Family Party

A family gathering in Hamilton on Saturday was a happy time for Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Norton who celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary that day. The couple have spent all their married life in the Limehouse district. He is a retired quarryman. Their eldest daughter, Mrs. Jessie Campbell was hostess. Only two of their immediate family of five children, 8 grand children and 7 great grandchildren were unable to be present. They were presented with a pole light and mirror. Mrs. Norton was born in Scotland and as a special feature of the party, a favourite song requested, 'My Love is Like a Red Rose' was heard during a radio show called Heather Mixture. Guests were there from Acton, Milton, Georgetown and Limehouse. Members of Hornby United Church gathered in the church basement on Friday night, May 1, to honour Miss Carol Howden, with a miscellaneous shower. The evening started off with a joyous sing song followed by numerous games and contests. Following the entertainment Carol was given the seat of honor which was tastefully decorated in pink and white and the umbrellas placed overhead was decorated in a similar manner. Two silver cups added to the beauty of the decorations. Assisting Carol with the opening of her gifts were Diane Wrigglesworth and Lynda Learmont. Among the many lovely gifts was a white bible from the Sunday School. Carol expressed her sincere thanks to all for her many lovely and useful gifts. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies in charge.

O'Rourke Sisters Win Peel Festival Medals

Congratulations to Dorothy Ann and Karen O'Rourke on winning the bronze medal in violin duet at Peel Festival last Friday and to Karen winning the gold medal in violin solo class on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Oia Berg of Toronto, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eling Berg prior to their moving to Montreal last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Patterson and Miss Joy Patterson were guests at the wedding of her niece, Miss Carol Ann Sinclair and Mr. William Frank Hick in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Welland, on April 25, and the reception following at Crowland Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Gishy, gathering eggs, found one laid by a large speckled hen which was sausage-shaped about one inch by two inches with bluish ends. Officer-Cadet Peter Glynn was home from RMC, Kingston, over the week-end. Mr. David Roughley was home from Ryerson, Toronto, during the week-end. Limehouse and Silver-Wood Women's Institutes combined to visit Halton Centennial Manor to provide a program, lunch and birthday party for the elderly folks there on Monday evening.

Appoint DeKleer to Advisory Committee

Tend-R-Plesh Limited, Peterborough, Ontario, recently announced the appointment of George DeKleer, R. R. 1, Georgetown, to its Joint Growers Advisory Committee. Tend-R-Plesh Limited is a poultry processing plant owned and operated by United Co-Operatives of Ontario. The Joint Growers Advisory Committee is made up of ten poultry growers (six chicken broilers and four turkey growers) elected from four provincial zones. Since this is the first year that the electoral system is in effect, only four members were elected for a two year period and six were appointed by UCO for a one year term in office. Next year and thereafter the committee will be an all-elected committee with half being elected each year.

Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of JOHN ARTHUR THOMPSON, Security Guard, deceased. ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of John Arthur Thompson, late of the Town of Georgetown, security guard, who died on or about the 21st day of February, 1964, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of June, 1964, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice; and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim she shall not then have notice. DATED at Georgetown, this 4th day of May, A.D., 1964. Margaret Beaumont, Administratrix of the Estate of John Arthur Thompson, by her Solicitors: Dale, Bennett, Latimer & Baker, 23 Mill St., Georgetown, Ontario.

Social and Personal

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. Art Scott attended the Ontario Motor Coach Association spring meeting at the Continental Inn at Barrie. Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McGilvray, 8 Guelph St., were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harold P. MacGillivray at the Laing. The cup was presented to the Glen Williams cadet officer at the annual inspection Saturday, Lt. Col. G. K. Bell, C.D., and his officer commanding the Royal Regiment of Canada was the inspecting officer.

TOWNSHIP OF ESQUESING AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR 1963

To the Council and Ratepayers of the Township of Esquising Dear Sirs: We have made an examination of the books and accounts of the Township of Esquising and its associated boards for the year ended December 31, 1963. The examination has been conducted in accordance with the regulations of the Department of Municipal Affairs and there is attached a completed questionnaire covering specific auditing requirements. The Statement of Revenue and Expenditure 'D' shows that the Township had a small deficit on the year's operations of \$2,019.93. This has been deducted from the surplus brought forward from prior years which now stands at \$15,902.44. There is attached a statement of gains and losses from the budget showing how the deficit arose. The chief item is a reduction in highway subsidy of \$5,458.84. The budget calculation estimated more work at 80% subsidy than was actually performed. We call attention to the unpaid taxes which now stand at \$144,391.57 representing in total 32% of the current year's levy. In our opinion, this is a potentially dangerous situation and should be made a matter for concern. A determined effort should be made to reduce these unpaid taxes. The capital reserve fund now stands at \$755.23 after contributing \$10,000.00 to the cost of the Municipal Building and \$8,735.00 for the 1963 debt charges on the debentures. The building account has cash of \$4,468.60 which is required for completion and finishing of building - in addition, a claim is being made of \$800.00 for refund of sales tax. The Georgetown High School District shows an underlevy for school purposes (statement 9) of \$1,503.62 which must be levied in 1964 - in this connection the Town of Georgetown failed to claim certain debenture charges until December 13, 1963 - too late to be included in the 1963 levy. The construction cost of Pineview School is explained as follows: Originally the School Board requisitioned \$80,000.00 for construction costs, to be financed by debentures. A bank loan of \$80,000.00 was obtained and the proceeds paid to the School Board. The School Board subsequently decided that they could finance with debentures of only \$30,000.00 - paying \$30,000.00 out of current revenue. As of December 31, the Township owed the School Board \$30,046.32 - \$30,000.00 of this is held to retire the bank loan when the proceeds of the \$50,000.00 of debentures are received. We also report that the share of supplementary tax was not paid over to the schools and county by December 31st as is required by regulations.

AUDITOR'S OPINION. We hereby report that in our opinion: (1) The financial transactions which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Municipality. (2) The audit has been conducted in accordance with the instructions of the Department of Municipal Affairs. (3) The financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Municipality as at December 31, 1963, and the results of its operations for the year ended on that date. Lever, Hoskin, Chagnon and MacGillivray License Number 2317.

CAPITAL AND LOAN FUND BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS: General Fixed Assets \$ 93,404.73 Work in Progress 80,000.00 Due from Schools (for Debentures): Public Schools \$ 325,234.55 High Schools 280,613.45 605,848.00 Due from Tile Drainage 6,404.80 Due from other municipalities 6,512.13 Cash 8,498.60 \$ 188,387.89 LIABILITIES: Municipal Building debenture 68,000.00 Drainage debentures 6,404.80 Local improvements (municipality's share) 331,746.68 \$ 406,151.48 Due to other Municipalities (for debentures) 280,613.45 Temporary Loans 80,000.00 Investment in Capital Assets 31,873.42 \$ 798,639.35

REVENUE - FUND BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS: Cash in Bank 17,193.17 Accounts receivable 887.77 Less allowance for doubtful accounts 355.47 532.30

Hepatitis in This Area But None Reported Here

The newest outbreak of infectious hepatitis in Halton hasn't touched Georgetown according to county medical officer Dr. Archie Bull. Dr. Bull said last week that only two confirmed cases had been reported to him and both of them had been isolated in Acton. Dr. Bull explained in early stages the symptoms of infectious hepatitis are similar to influenza but patients should be watched carefully and the family doctor notified. In the early stages, nausea, headaches and abdominal pains are symptoms. Dr. Bull advises everyone to take precautions at all times making sure hands are washed thoroughly after visiting the washroom, before eating, and proper health habits practiced at all times. Dr. Bull advises school children not to exchange food at lunch times or place pencils in mouths. He said hepatitis seems to strike during the late fall, winter and early spring but appears to be on the downward trend at present.

Laddie Haines' Platoon Wins Royal Reg't Trophy

For the second straight year the Royal Regiment trophy has gone to a platoon commanded by a Glen Williams student. No. 1 platoon commanded by Cadet Lieut. Laddie Haines of Glen Williams won the cup donated by the Royal Regiment of Canada at the Appley Cadet Corps platoon competition Tuesday, April 28th. Laddie's older brother Tun commanded the winning platoon last year. Five smartly uniformed platoons took part in the competition. Commanding the other four platoons were Cadet Rick Simpson, Toronto; Cadet Lieut. John Harrison, London; Cadet Lieut. Tom Savage, Irlington; and Cadet Lieut. Drew Wood of Burlington. The parade this year was a very definite improvement over last year, said Major Gooch addressing the cadets after his inspection. "One thing I do know about the Appley College cadets is that they always put on a good show." Saturday's inspection was attended by Laddie Haines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Haines, Glen Williams. Inspecting officers for the platoon competition were Major William and Capt. Wendy Millington of the Royal Regiment of Canada.

Trailer Destroyed, House Partially Damaged by Fire

Grease being used to make potato chips ignited a fire which demolished a trailer and partially destroyed a house being constructed nearby. The family of Gordon Cadd, R. R. 3, Georgetown, was living in the trailer while their house was being constructed. The fire, which occurred late Wednesday afternoon, April 29, claimed all the contents of the trailer and spread to two partially constructed walls of the house. Chief A. E. Clement of the Milton Fire Department in whose territory the blaze occurred, said preliminary estimate of the total damage was available, adding that the trailer was not insured and the house partially insured.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE ESTATE OF Francis Mason Graham, Gentleman, Deceased. All persons having claims against the Estate of Francis Haines Graham, late of the Township of Yaerueing, Gentleman, who died on or about the 20th day of February, 1964, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of May, 1964, after which date the Estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice; and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim she shall not then have notice. DATED at Georgetown, this 30th day of April, A.D., 1964. Jean Patterson Graham, sole Executrix Francis Haines Graham, by her Solicitors: Dale, Bennett, Latimer & Baker, 23 Mill St., Georgetown, Ontario.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE ESTATE OF Arville Wright, Widow, Deceased. All persons having claims against the Estate of Arville Wright, late of the Town of Georgetown, Widow, who died on or about the 30th day of October, 1961, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of May, A.D., 1964, after which date the Estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice; and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have notice. DATED at Georgetown, this 30th day of April, A.D., 1964. Harold Wright, Sole Executor of the Estate of Arville Wright, by his Solicitors: Dale, Bennett, Latimer & Baker, 23 Mill St., Georgetown, Ont.

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