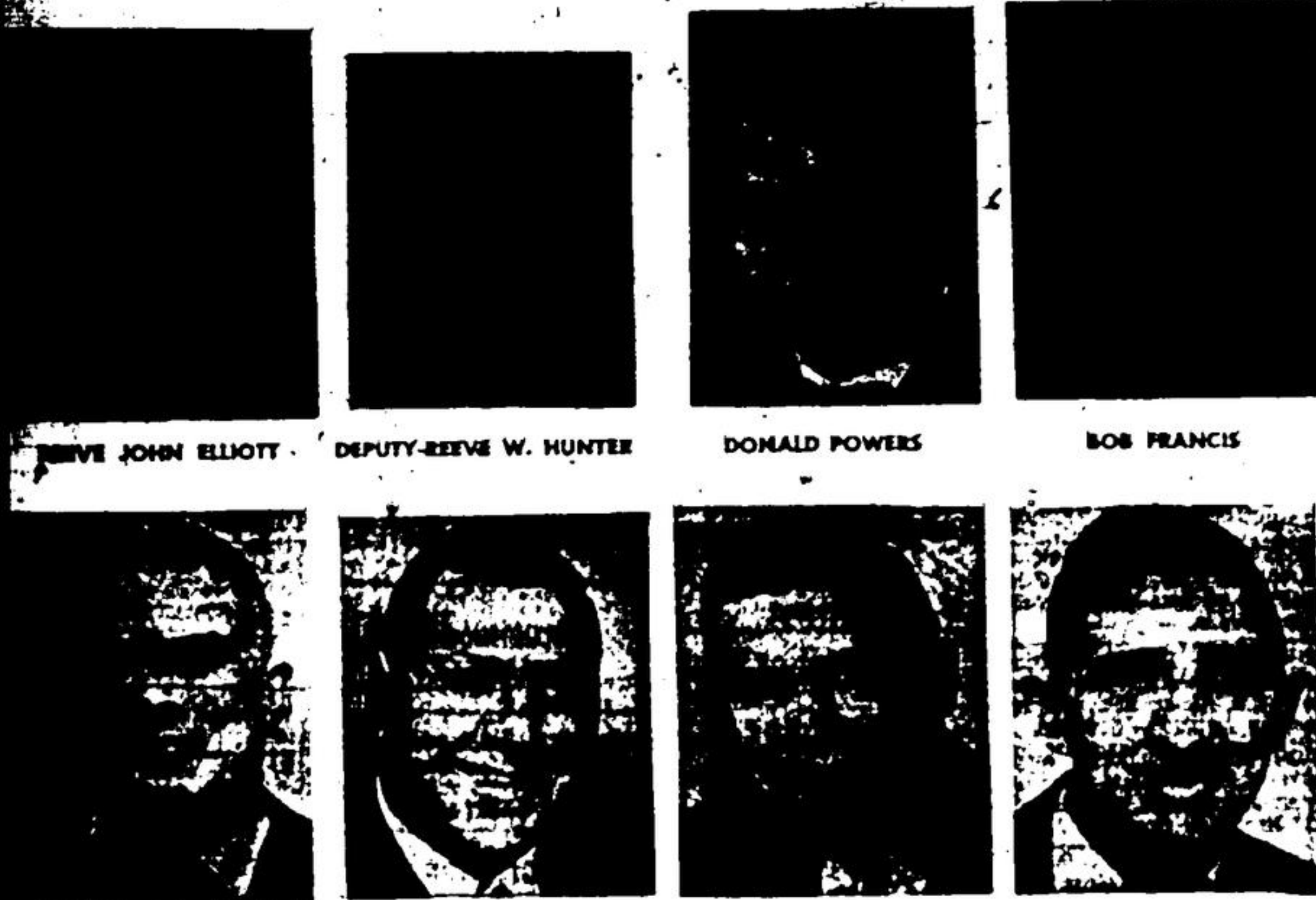


TWO NEW FACES ON GEORGETOWN'S 1965 COUNCIL



GEORGETOWN'S 1964 MUNICIPAL ELECTION made very little change in the composition of the town council, missing next year will be Councillor Charles Hildebrandt who did not seek re-election, and Councillor Jim Emmons who was defeated in bid for the Deputy Reeve's chair. The new legislators are Roy Ballentine filling the Ward 3 vacancy by acclamation, and former town solicitor George Hewson who was elected to the Ward 2 seat in his first attempt in municipal politics.

Served Holy Cross Church As Organist, Choir Leader

Perhaps the oldest living Georgetown native, Mrs. John J. Gibbons, 20 Guelph St. died in hospital in Guelph December 3. The former Bertha Scott, was the daughter of James Agnes McGrath Scott and born on River Drive, then known as Papermill Road. She celebrated her ninetieth birthday last August. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons were a first couple married in Holy Cross R. C. Church when it was built in 1902. With the exception of a year in Walkerton, where they operated a shoe shop, their entire married life was spent here. Mr. Gibbons had a bake shop, the present Herald building, and later a grocery store at the St. Wesleyan corner. Mrs. Gibbons was organist and choir leader at Holy Cross for over thirty years. She was a member of the Catholic Women's League, Georgetown bowling club and had taken an active part in Red Cross work in two world wars. She leaves her husband, one son, Edward of Callander and grandsons Peter and John. She was predeceased by her father, Edward J. Scott, once Georgetown druggist who lived in Hamilton. Fr. Otger DeVent conducted a solemn mass in Holy Cross church on Monday morning. In Greenwood Cemetery, a former pastor, Fr. V. J. Morgan of Walkerton conducted a graveside



MRS. JOHN J. GIBBONS

Of Wreaths
Using wreaths as decorations at Christmas may be traced to the customs of Advent season, the four Sundays before Christmas — a time of preparation for the coming of the Christ Child. Traditionally, the Advent wreath is made of evergreen branches interlaced with red ribbons. It holds four candles. One candle is lit at dusk on the first Sunday of Advent, two the next Sunday, three the next and four on the last Sunday before Christmas. The wreath may be placed on a door, set on a table or hung from the ceiling.

Town Man's Mother Was Chiropractor In Toronto

Mrs. William James Ellison, D. C. died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto on December 3. Her son, Neil is a Georgetown resident at 14 Orchard Blvd. The former Annie Clara MacGillivray, she was born 74 years ago at Priceville, and had lived in Durham and Toronto. She graduated as a chiropractor in 1914. Her husband, who died in 1937 was also a Doctor of Chiropractic, as is a son, James William of Streetsville.

Scenic Area, Recreation Plan Joe Ross Farm

A six acre lake with an island is in the construction stages on the farm of Joe Ross, R.R. 3, Georgetown, and according to the property owner it could be the nucleus of a family recreation area. Mr. Ross told the Herald yesterday that the lake will be created by a large dam on his property and the tree island will afford a perfect picnic spot attainable by row boat. He said the lake would be suitable for both swimming and boating. Mr. Ross said, Trowbridge Construction of Esquevas started excavating the proposed lake bed last week. The lake would be spring fed which rules out the industrial pollution threat. Also in Mr. Ross' plans are an observation tower atop the high point of his property from which Brampton is already easily visible without the added elevation, saddle horses, facilities for hay rides, and campfires. Mr. Ross said he had been thinking seriously of the project for the past two months. He said the accent would be on creating a scenic picnic area. The Ross farm is on the 5th line of Esquevas two miles west of town. WHEN ORGAN BROKE "Silent Night" was first sung at Christmas 1818. The church organ in an Austrian village had broken down — impaired by mice, so the story goes. Father Joseph Mohr wrote the poem and his organist, Franz Gruber, composed the music. The congregation, which had been saddened because there would be no music for Christmas, sang "Silent Night" to a guitar accompaniment.

Glen Resident 40 Years Mrs. John Hancock Dies

Mrs. Ellen Hancock died in Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital Sunday, November 22. She had been a well known Glen Williams resident for most of her forty-one years in Canada. Born Ellen Elizabeth Crockett, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Crockett, London, England, Mrs. Hancock came to Canada in 1913, and in 1916 married John Hancock in St. George's Anglican Church, Georgetown. Mr. Hancock predeceased his wife in October of 1908. Mrs. Hancock was a member of St. Alban's Anglican Church in Glen Williams. At the time of her death she was 68. Surviving Mrs. Hancock are her mother, Mrs. William Crockett, 26 Howick Ave., Toronto and a sister Mrs. Alfred Berry of the same address as well as nine children: William, Beatrice (Mrs. Burt Crockett), Robert, Donald, John, Jean (Mrs. Jakob Pedersen), Richard, Edward, and Roland and twenty four grandchildren. Rev. Ronald Stutley conducted the funeral service in St. Alban's Church Wednesday November 25 and interment was in Glen Williams cemetery. The pallbearers were Joseph Eason, Cecil Barth, Roland Haines, Herb Hancock, Charles Hancock, and Harold Wheeler.

COUNCIL BRIEFS

Council passed a motion requesting the hydro to erect flood lights at the newly constructed skating ring at Temple and Dufferin Streets. Reeve J. Elliott recommended that next year's council set election day back to Mondays, since there was no better turn out of voters. "Saturday elections caused grief to some store owners", he maintained. "Let's leave that to next year's council", was the mayor's reply. D.R.O. and pollclerks will receive a raise in pay this year. Council authorized a three dollar raise for both. Now D.R.O.'s will be paid \$18, and poll clerks, \$15. A letter from James Evans, was read, reappointing W. Carr, as public school board representative to the High School Board. When Milton Barker, who was the town dog tags, asked for a table and chair in the hall of the municipal building, he was offered more than he bargained for. Mayor Gibbons told him, "You are part owner of the building and the chair, and if there's any scarcity of chairs, I'll lend you the mayor's chair. Showing council a bandaged hand, Ralph Trip of 23 Park Avenue, told of falling on a icy sidewalk in front of the Royal Bank and hurting his hand. He said he would know the next day if the hand was broken. Mayor Gibbons told him to notify the Clerk in writing about the accident, then the insurance company would look into it.

Julian Reed Has A Leading Role In Guelph Operetta

Several from Norval attended the presentation of "Tival by Jury" and "HMS Pinafors" by the Guelph Light Opera Company, under the direction of Dr. C. M. Wilson in Moss Hall, Guelph, on Dec. 3, 4, 5th. Of special interest to the Norval folk was the Jury Foreman in "Tival by Jury" and Dick Deadye in "HMS Pinafors", as these parts were very capably portrayed by Julian Reed. With his excellent acting and stage makeup in the part of the youth character of Dick Deadye it was very hard to recognize Julian but his portrayal of the part added much to the presentation. Both operas were well acted with good singing and no dull spots making an enjoyable and entertaining evening.

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