

Choose John Mintern as Public School Chairman

The Georgetown Public School Board's 1964 chairman, Stan Finlay, turned over the gavel to trustee John Mintern at the inaugural meeting in Harrison Public School, Wednesday, Jan. 6th. Mr. Mintern was elected to the chair in the 1965 board's first order of business.

He joined the public school board in 1962 when it expanded from six to eight members because the town's population crossed the 10,000 mark.

Mr. Mintern was Finance Committee Chairman in 1964 and prior to that served with Mr. Finlay as a Finance Committee member.

Reg. Mooney, who joined the board at the same time as the new chairman was named vice-chairman. He headed the Management Committee last year. The secretary is James F. Evans, the board's Business Administrator.

Chairman John Mintern appointed trustees Stan Finlay and W. E. Wilson to serve with him as a committee to set up standing committees, and the meeting was adjourned briefly while this was attended to.

Their deliberation resulted in the following appointments: Finance committee: David Baker chairman, S. Finlay and G. Sigurdson; Property Committee: G. Sigurdson; chairman Harry Shortill and Chris Walker.

Planning committee: Chris Walker chairman, Ed Wilson and Reg. Mooney.

Management committee: Reg. Mooney chairman, Ed Wilson and Harry Shortill.



JOHN MINTERN

Use of the auditorium was also granted the Y.M.-Y.W.C.A. Club on two dates, Jan. 15th and 20th, when they will hold dances. A letter from another Y group the Y Teens, stated that they were no longer using the corridors of George Kenney Public School as a meeting place. The writ explained the group needed a room with tables.

The school board's last purchase in 1964 was a \$600 movie projector for Harrison Public School. The only schools now without a projector are Park and George Kennedy and it is expected they will be equipped with projectors this year.

The purchase meant the board finished the year something like \$1,000 in the black which is within two tenths of 1 per cent of hitting the budget on the nose. Finance committee head John Mintern was again congratulated.

The total enrollment in the Georgetown public school system when the calendar changed was 2,235 — the highest to date.

Former Halton Warden Becomes Queen's Counsel

Kenneth Y. Dick, Milton barrister and son of the late Crown Attorney W. I. Dick, has been appointed a Queen's Counsel. A former warden of Halton county, Mr. Dick was called to the bar in 1937, and entered into partnership with his late father. From 1941 to 1946 he served with the Canadian Army in Northwest Europe. From 1947 to 1961 he was a member of Milton town council. He held office as reeve and deputy reeve, and was county warden in 1951.

Mr. Dick has also served on the Milton Public School Board and the Milton District High School Board. Until this year he was town solicitor. He is an elder of Knox Presbyterian Church, and a Sunday school teacher. A leading member of the Halton county Liberal Association, he was an unsuccessful election several years ago.

In the hunting season, a gun should be loaded with caution and a hunter should not be loaded at all.

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TO STEER TOWN THROUGH 1965

POSING AS A GROUP for the first time at council's inaugural meeting are the members of Georgetown's 1965 government. Seated are Reeve John Elliott (left), Mayor Joseph Gibbons, and Deputy Reeve William F. Hunter. Standing are councillors Roy Ballentine, William Smith, George Hewson, Donald Powers, Bob Francis and Jim Young. Councillors Ballentine and Hewson are first-year members.

NORVAL

Open House Anniversary For Mr. & Mrs. Hutson

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Y. W. Hutson on their 25th wedding anniversary on January 14th. They held open house at Saturday, January 2nd and in spite of the heavy snow fall and had reads many of their friends called to wish them congratulations. They served a lovely buffet lunch in the afternoon. Their son Robert, in the R.C.A.F. stationed at Clinton, taking the Electronics course, was home to help his parents celebrate the happy occasion. At home are John 7, Brenda 6 and Michael 8 months.

HORNBY

Fifth Line Resident H. Vanden Boom Dies

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late H. Vanden Boom who died on Thursday, January 7th in the St. Joseph's Hospital in Guelph at the age of 77. Funeral services were held on Saturday morning.

The ladies of St. Stephen's Anglican Church Guild catered for the annual meeting and banquet of the Halton Plowman's Association held in the church hall on Monday evening, Jan. 4th. The guest speaker for the night was the Hon. James Allan, treasurer for the Province of Ontario. The 1964 Furrow Queen Miss Verne Thompson, spoke on 'Rural Youth'. The 1965 president will be Lloyd May, vice president, J. C. Cunningham, second vice, George Swann; past president, Stan May and Hon. President Clibert McDowell.

The North Trafalgar euchre club held a euchre party on Saturday, Jan. 9th, at the North Trafalgar Community Centre with ten tables in play. Prizes were awarded to the following winners, Mrs. Garnet Hamilton, Mrs. Jim Hamilton, Mrs. Harvey Dunn, Gerald Teneycke, Harvey Dunn and Ralph Featherston. Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ralph Featherston.

Birthday greetings are extended to Albert Marchant, who will celebrate his birthday on Friday, January 15th, and also Ken Ellis the same day.

Friends of Mrs. Jack Miller are sorry to hear she is a patient of South Peel Hospital and wish her a speedy recovery.

Birthday greetings to little Patricia Patterson who is three years old on January 18th and to David Pearson, who will celebrate his first birthday on Jan. 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frenstra and family are spending a vacation in Florida.

The evening group of the Hornby United Church UCW met on Monday night, Jan. 4th, at the home of Mrs. Doug Leslie with 14 members attending. Mrs. Jim Snow, the president, opened the meeting with the theme song. Mrs. Millie Craig gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. John Wallace read the secretary's report. The president reminded the members that the general meeting would be held on January 13th. Mrs. Jim Reid and Mrs. Orville Grexton, reported on the program schedule for 1965. Following the business period the members enjoyed a game of crokinole. Mrs. Millie Craig and Mrs. Orville Grexton assisted the hostess in serving lunch. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Grexton.

Friends in this district were saddened to hear of the death of Mervin Denamore on Sunday morning. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. M. Denamore and family.

and Mrs. H. Chaplain, Wendy and Paul of Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Basil Watson and Carolyn of Bramalea. And on Saturday Mrs. Florence Lock and Dennis of Toronto; Mrs. Daley Lucy, Gall and Eddie of Newmarket spent the day at Mr. and Mrs. G. Burt's.

SEWARYTOWN

Re-Elect All Officers St. John's Church Guild

St. John's Guild met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Murray, on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, 1965, for the annual meeting and election of officers. The meeting opened with the Guild Prayer followed by the Lord's Prayer. The roll call was answered by 13 members with their payment of dues. Minutes of the last meeting, and a short summary of the Christmas Party were read. The Treasurer's report, showed a substantial bank balance, and indicated a good and successful year's work. The secretary gave a report of the Rectory Fund and a good sum of money was voted to this fund.

By motion of the members, the Secretary was instructed to order 2 dozen boxes of the 'best' ice cream for resale.

The subject of a rummage sale, which had been under discussion earlier in the fall was again brought forth and Mrs. Harry Scott was appointed convener for this, with a tentative date being Easter week.

A quilt donated to the Guild is to be quilted this coming week at the home of Mrs. J. Murray, with a pot luck luncheon being served on Tuesday noon, and on the Wednesday night following, there is to be a 'dessert party' to finish the quilting.

Canon Maxwell then presided over the meeting for the election of new officers for 1965. He first gave a hearty vote of thanks to the Guild members for the excellent work for the Church and congratulated them on their successful year with encouragement to keep up the good work. He then declared all offices vacant and called for nominations from the floor for the office of President.

By motion the members then agreed unanimously that all officers be returned, as they were for 1964. Canon Maxwell congratulated the group on what a nice gesture this was for a job well done.

Officers for 1965 will be: President, Mrs. J. C. Murray; vice president Mrs. H. Scott; secretary, Mrs. Fred Armstrong; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Warnes; Auditors: Mrs. C. G. English and Mrs. George Wilson; Flower committee: Mrs. J. Stewart, Mrs. C. DeForest, Buyer, Mrs. Cecil Smith.

Canon Maxwell was thanked for his assistance in conducting the election of officers and the discussion turned to the question of carrying on with the 'Unknown Friend'. This was heartily agreed to by all members, and names were distributed.

The Soc'y. was asked to prepare booklets outlining the program and listing the hostess and lunch committee for each meeting.

The next regular meeting will be held January 10th at Mrs. Crystal Wilson's home, Mrs. George Wilson being the hostess.

Canon Maxwell closed the meeting with prayer, and a delicious lunch was served.

Sincere sympathy of the Community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Manley Denamore and family in the death of their second eldest son Mervin, who passed away early Sunday morning.

Two teachers were hired filling two of the three vacancies left by the resignation of three staff members at the end of 1964. The board accepted the applications of Mrs. Grace

Grant Pay Boost to Chinguacousy Police

The Chinguacousy police who police part of Georgetown's eastern outskirts have received a pay boost.

A Chinguacousy Township Police Brief heading for arbitration because parties involved could not reach agreement was settled Dec. 30 when the Police Association and the Police Commission came to terms on the one main stumbling block to settlement — that of a wage increase.

Under the agreement the starting salary for the police officers in Chinguacousy will be \$4,200 a raise of \$400 over the original rate of \$3,800.

Each category from probationary to sergeant has been subsequently graded higher, but the chief, who is not a member of the Police Association, has his case considered on an individual basis.

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A recent issue of the Herald carried a picture caption showing the local Business and Professional Women's Club handing over a cheque for \$600 to the Georgetown Hospital. The total pledge was considerably more than this, as this was the last part of \$1,500 given the hospital.

SILVER-WOOD

Mr. Alan Yreanor, Mrs. W. M. Yreanor of Brampton; Carolyn Stevenson of Toronto and New Years guests at the Harry Scotts.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burt, Earl and Ross entertained on Christmas day to the family party. Mr. Tush Foster, Mrs. Tush Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, of Toronto; Mr.

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