

Hospital Christmas Tea

A Christmas tea by the graduate nursing staff was a highlight of the season at Georgetown and District Hospital.

The tea was held December 21 in the hospital cafeteria.

The nurses invited all other staff members at the Georgetown hospital as well as local doctors and their wives, members of the hospital board and their wives, and members of the hospital auxiliary.

Featuring tea were Mrs. J. H. Chamberlain, Mrs. C. A. Thompson, Mrs. A. Macintosh, Mrs. J. F. Panabaker, Mrs. M. G. O'Dwyer, Mrs. J. F. Martin, Mrs. F. Whitaker, and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong.

IN THE MAIL BAG

Saddened By Sudden Death of Dr. Bebenek

43 Charles St., Georgetown.

To the editor: This past week has been a sad one for all of us.

Dr. Bebenek's death has left a gap that I am sure will never be filled.

He had within him the mental capacity as well as the human understanding which seldom comes our way.

Our troubles — both mental and physical — were his troubles. He was not only a doctor, but a friend.

His life was a short one but in that few short years of practice, he has accomplished more than the average doctor could do in a lifetime.

I personally found him very understanding and I am sure his many patients will miss his cheery smile and words of comfort and encouragement. We could honestly say that this man "gave his life for his people."

—Mrs. Edna Hill



It's that time! Time to greet old and new friends.... to thank you for your patronage and to wish you the very best of everything in 1966!

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COMING EVENTS

... GEORGETOWN WOMEN'S Institute first meeting of the New Year, Wednesday, January 13th, at 8:00 p.m., in Knox Church Hall.

... EUCHERE AT BALLINAPAD Community Centre, Tuesday, January 11th at 8:30 p.m. Good Prizes and Refreshments served. Admission 75 c.

— Big New Year's Eve dance, Friday, December 31 in the Cedar Room, Shelburne. Music by the Stoney Creek Boys. Hats and horns supplied.

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BIG SHOWS AND A DANCE

— In —
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THE OLD YEAR IN PICTURES

DECEMBER

TOP LEFT: Mayor Joseph Gibbons survives strongest challenge for his office to gain 16th term in municipal elections. BOTTOM LEFT: Santa, one of the major citizens a Rotary club's dinner for town's elders. TOP RIGHT: Three Philippine nurses join hospital staff as part of over 100 nurses recruited by Health Department to come to Canada. BOTTOM RIGHT: Freezing rain fails to dampen the spirits of participants of Georgetown's best ever Santa Claus parade.

Damage May Reach \$4,000. In Gower Court House Fire

Damage which could go as high as \$4,000 was done to a Gower Ct. house by fire, smoke and water, Monday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Breaux, 11 Gower Ct., was empty when the flames broke out, approximately at 10:00 p.m. The blaze was noticed by neighbours at 12 noon but Georgetown Fire Department Chief Erwin Lewis estimated it had been burning for two hours before discovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Breaux and family were visiting in St. Catharines at the time of fire and knew nothing of it until they pulled into their driveway while firemen were mopping up.

The fire burned part of the floor between a nursery and another room, and continued up the joist to the attic where it did minor damage. Apparently pieces of the flooring fell on a couch in the basement and it also was consumed.

Main damage, however, was from the intense heat, and smoke. Some pieces of furniture were damaged by water.

Among the items lost was a quantity of clothing.

Chief Lewis said the house is covered by insurance, but not the contents.

Cause of the blaze had not been determined at press time.

Miss Ethel Davis, 81 Dies — Second Family Bereavement

A resident of Georgetown since 1912, Miss Ethel Jessie Davis, 81 of 5 Murdock Street, died in Georgetown Hospital on Thursday, December 16. It was the second family bereavement in less than a month. An elder sister, Lillian, predeceased her on November 23.

Born in Edmonton, Middlesex, England on January 9, 1884, she was the second eldest daughter of the late Charles and Rosa Davis. Coming to Canada with the family in 1911, she lived in Toronto for a short time, then came with the family to Georgetown the next year.

She was employed with H. T. Arnold Glove Manufacturers until the firm closed down, then went to Acton to the Storey Glove Works and was with them until that firm closed down. In 1948 she started with Henry Davis Wood Products here and was employed with them until

they closed their Georgetown plant in 1962.

She leaves an only brother Charles and three sisters, Mrs. W. (Gertrude) Palfy, Mrs. F. (Elsie) Newman and Mrs. George (Ann) Scotland, all of town.

Rev. John McMullin of St. George's Anglican Church conducted the funeral service at the H. C. McClure Funeral Home December 18 and interment was in the family plot in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Herb Arnold, Jim Atkinson, Noel Butterworth, Ron

Dixon, all of Georgetown, Blake Inglis, Glen Williams, and Tom Oakley, Acton.

Bridge Winners

— Monday Winners: 1st Cam Sinclair, George Solly; 2nd Lou Bertason, Jack Coats; 3rd Miss Olive Logan, Mrs. K. Coats.

DID YOU KNOW?

The peak number of divorces in Canada was 8,100 in 1947; in 1963 the total of divorces was 7,681.

— Quick Canadian Facts

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Spot Check For Drinking Drivers Holiday Week-End

"No quarter given" was the warning issued by Georgetown Police Department Chief Constable Roy Haley yesterday as the perennial season of drinking drivers approaches its peak.

Chief Haley said spot checks will be intensified with special attention to drivers' conditions on New Year's Eve and in the small hours of New Year's Day.

The Chief said his department found drivers for the most part heed the safety advice during Christmas week. Georgetown police cells had one lodger, a pedicler who went a little heavy on celebrating.

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