

## Hospital Annual Meeting is Set for Thursday, March 10



by Lee Clark

This year the annual meeting of the Hospital Association will be held in the Hospital itself, in the Cafeteria. The meeting is scheduled for Thursday evening, March 10th.

It was felt that by having the meeting in the Hospital itself, it might increase greater interest in attendance. Possibly a goodly number of members will feel more like attending in this venue. Refreshments will be served, the meeting will be a short, interesting one, and there is absolutely no reason why the whole thing should take more than an hour and a half. Reports, election to the Board, and refreshments should take no longer than that.

This year life members are being mailed notices of meeting, and we hope that this will bring an increased response to the meeting. We hope that many of the life members will take the time out to attend. After all, in any of these cases, a sizeable investment has been made in the hospital, therefore people who have invested at least \$50 and in many cases far more have a right to know what is happening in the administration of their building. It is not as if there are only a few honorary members, we believe there are upwards of a thousand.

Incidentally, anyone wishing to join the association may obtain membership at the hospital office. To be eligible to vote at the annual meeting, one must possess a current membership or be a life member. Membership may be obtained at any time, previous to the meeting.

How about it, let's see a big attendance this year!!!!

A joint meeting of the doctors - Board committee, looking after the Bebenek Memorial Fund was held recently and plans discussed. It is hoped that those wishing to contribute to this fund in memory of a young Georgetown doctor who was so

tragically killed before Christmas, will do so as soon as convenient.

It's hard to believe, but the Hospital will celebrate its fifth birthday this spring! There is still much to be done, but certainly the operation has expanded in every way since that day when it was opened in June of 1961.

And we might say right here and now that there has been a great improvement in the whole operation in the past eighteen months, and particularly during the past year. Occupancy has steadily risen until we are operating near capacity - unless we miss the mark, there seems to be an entirely new spirit throughout all levels of staff. Certainly, we have observed a much smoother operation in the past few months, and look forward to greater strides in the future. We like to think that the immediate future will bring a number of improvements in the building and the equipment. There have been a number of areas where improvements have been made during the past year, and while costly, certainly will add to the building's capabilities.

A great deal of this marked improvement is due to the Administrator, Fred Whittaker, who has accomplished a great deal since he's been in his own field as administrator, and we might add, in many other associated fields of hospital work.

The Hospital Auxiliary, God bless 'em, came through with two more magnificent donations to the Hospital. It is quite safe to say that without the magnificent continuing support of this group, the Hospital would find it a very hard road indeed. They continually give major aid in all areas, financial - - - volunteer helpers at the Hospital - - - and the many services to supply aid and comfort to our patients.

Thanks once again, girls!

Donations, of course, still come in, and we have managed to compile a list of those of the past few months. We hasten to add there are no doubt others, that we have not yet heard of, and these shall be recorded at a later date.

We would like to thank the members of the Terra Cotta Thursday Thimble Club, The Helping Hand Circle of Geor-

## Still Worried About Spring Flooding in Glen Williams

A recurrence of flooding in Glen Williams was predicted by T. Green, when he appeared before Esqueuing Council Monday night. He stated there was a large quantity of ice piled up behind his house. "I called everybody, councillors, Reeve and Conservation Authority, and no-one came up to look at it," he added.

He pointed out that he was trying to alert everyone before an emergency occurs. "Who is the proper authority to contact?" he asked.

Coun. Tom Hill, recounted a long list of phone calls "First I phoned our Deputy Reeve, who is our representative on the Conservation Authority, he told me W. Parker was in charge of flood control. Then I phoned Mr. Parker, who told me he had nothing to do with it. He said it was Emergency Measures business. I couldn't get anyone there, so I phoned W. Hunter, also on the Authority, he told me Mr. Parker was the flood control man on the Authority. Then I phoned Alex Blackwell, another member of the Authority, he said Mr. Parker was in charge of flood control then I gave up," Coun. Hill concluded.

Deputy Reeve Wilfrid Leslie said he too called Mr. Parker and was told it was the EMO's responsibility now, and if they didn't handle it it would fall back on Esqueuing Twp.

"Let's go to the top of the Conservation Authority then," demanded Coun. Pat Patterson, "and find out what can be done. Who pays these guys anyway," he continued, "Let's tell them we're not getting any service."

Coun. Patterson claimed that it had nothing to do with the

town, Georgetown Women's Institute, The Canadian Union of Public Employees, Georgetown and District Hospital, Mr. D. S. Chambers, 152 Main St. S.; Mrs. J. A. McKane, Terra Cotta; Miss Gertrude Hoskin and Mr. Fred Hoskin of Norval; Mrs. Wakefield Ford, Edith St., Verdun Rebekah Lodge, Georgetown, and Rev. F. N. Young, Edith St.

To all the above groups and individuals on behalf of the Board and Hospital, we say "Thank You." Without your generous efforts, and the efforts of those like you, we could not continue to add equipment and services.

EMO. "They only come in when there's an emergency. Let's do something before it's an emergency," he added.

Reeve George Leslie pointed out that the township has no authority to go on private property, while Coun. George Currie explained that according to legal advice it was not Esqueuing's responsibility. Last year the Conservation Authority tried to relieve themselves of the responsibility, before they finally did something," contended Coun. Currie.

At the suggestion of Coun. Patterson, a motion appointing Tom Hill as a one man committee to approach George Kerr, M.P., and through him Minister of Resources Simonette in

## Consider New United Church For St. John's, St. Andrew's

The annual congregational meeting of St. John's United Church was held on Jan. 31. A friendly supper hour, followed by films for the children preceded the business meeting.

In his report, Rev. Ian Fleming indicated there is a real awareness of spiritual growth in the life of the congregation. He is deeply involved in a growing pastoral ministry in the community and hospital. His appreciation for the many faithful workers in the church was a gain voiced, especially in these busy and critical days.

He pointed out that the church will be asked to consider amalgamation and large expansion on a new site with St. Andrew's United. This would mean challenge, great possibilities and an opportunity to venture in faith.

With more than 500 members

an effort to have the Credit Valley Conservation Authority take action on the flood situation in Glen Williams, was passed.

Toward the close of the meeting Coun. Tom Hill returned to the subject of flooding in Glen Williams. He suggested that a proposed new bridge should be moved north 150 feet, and the river bed straightened from Beaumont's old dam down to the new channel. "The people who've lived in the Glen all their lives know where the problem is," he commented.

He will contact the County Engineer Roy Smith, the Conservation Authority and the Dept. of Highways, to present his views.

and a solid 125-year history, St. John's witness to the Christian faith in Georgetown is important, he said.

Nearly \$29,000 was raised by the congregation for all purposes last year and \$4500 was contributed to mission work. These figures do not include \$31,000, the amount in the building fund.

The following members were ordained as elders at a recent church service: Jack Hamilton, David Hastings, Michael Pelechak, Stanley Wright, Robert McMenemy, John Todd and Dr. Kenneth McCauley. Installed as stewards were William Bailie, Ernest Peasey, Fred McKee and Matthew Todd.

A successful evening was concluded by timely courtesies and Benediction by the minister.

## Esqueuing Indicates Approval For Senior Citizens Project

The Kinsmen Club's Senior Citizens Apartment project took another step closer to reality, when Esqueuing Council Monday night, indicated their willingness to go along, provided Georgetown's solicitor and Esqueuing's solicitor could agree on a draft agreement. Esqueuing has a draft agreement ready, if it proves agreeable to both Georgetown council and the solicitor, "we're ready to go," to quote Reeve Leslie.

Dean Taylor of the Kinsmen's Club in reply to a query from Coun. George Currie, stated he already had a letter from Georgetown council stating they would provide all the services. The draft agreement covering the erection of the eleven suite apartments on land owned by Georgetown, but in Esqueuing

ing township, was not read at the meeting. The land is opposite Park School, adjacent to the park.

A pleasant surprise for Esqueuing Council was a congratulatory letter from J. Wingrove of No. 8 Alderroad, lauding the township work force's efforts in clearing the roads after the last big storm.

"A lady even came in here and complimented us," added Clerk K.C. Lindsay, "and that doesn't happen often."

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# HALTON COUNTY Mass TB Survey

## Feb. 28th to Mar. 11th

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<b>NORVAL:</b> St. Paul's Anglican Parish Hall	Monday, Feb. 28	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Thursday, March 3
<b>GLEN WILLIAMS</b> Community Hall	Tuesday, March 1	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Friday, March 4
<b>GEORGETOWN</b> Knox Presbyterian Church Hall	Wednesday, March 2	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Monday, March 7
<b>St. George's Anglican Hall</b>	Thursday, March 3	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Tuesday, March 8
<b>St. Paul's Baptist Sunday School Room</b>	Friday, March 4	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Wednesday, March 9
<b>ACTON</b> Town Hall	Monday, March 7 Tuesday, March 8	2.00 - 5.00 p.m. 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.	Thursday, March 10 Friday, March 11

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