

Long Silent Bells Once Familiar Part Early Georgetown

Two voices from Georgetown's past are spending their retirement days in muted dignity near the sites where they once tolled.

The 'town bell,' at left, is mounted on a base on the fire station lawn, only a hundred yards from the empty old town hall from where it used to sound four times daily, at 7 a.m., 12 noon, 1 p.m., and 6 p.m. It hung silent in the hall's bell tower for well over thirty years with the exception of a period in the late 1940s when it sounded 9 o'clock curfew signalling children to be off the streets.

The Congregational Church bell, now mounted in front of the Georgetown Library at the corner of Market and Church Streets was once noted for its beautiful tone, a familiar sound on Sunday mornings in Georgetown in the late 1800s and early 1900s.

It was stilled when the church became a library, but remained in the bell tower until five years ago when it was feared it might plunge into the vestibule inside the library's main entrance.

"Town bell" now silent on fire station lawn

Congregational Church bell was known by its "beautiful tone"

Georgetown Bants Still Going Tourney Rolling Toward Climax

D Series has been whittled to three teams, and C series to four teams in Bantam Tournament play as the Herald goes to press Wednesday afternoon.

It appears a Woodbridge-Levack final is shaping up in the D division, Woodbridge won their bid in the series final Tuesday when they ousted Listowel. They will meet winner of a two game total goal series between Levack and Exeter, and at writing time Levack has captured the first game 8 to 4.

Georgetown is still in the C Series running. Other teams still alive at press time are Hespeler, Milton and Leamington. Georgetown has defeated Hespeler 8-5 in their first meeting and takes a 3-goal edge into game two.

In the only other Wednesday morning games Brampton downed Gall, and Richmond Hill took Woodstock in the first contest, of the B Series.

Thursday schedule is devoted entirely to A- and B-teams, with the series semi-finals in A, B and C set for Friday.

All series championships will be decided Saturday morning, and Grand Championship games will run throughout the afternoon and evening. The Grand Championship final starts at 7 p.m.

There have been a few changes. Windsor stepped into the breach when Oshawa announced at 11:30 Tuesday night they couldn't make it, and Delhi has taken over the Tillsonburg reservation.

The games started Friday morning March 24. An official opening kicked things off Thursday night.

When it's all finished 83 games will have been played. Here are the results of the first 47:

FRIDAY (total scores)

All D teams.
Woodbridge 9 Acton 6
Erin 9 Wilton Grove 4
Thornhill 6 Caledon 3
Walkerton 2 Belmont 1
Listowel 6 Sarnia 5
Exeter 5 Forest 4

SATURDAY (Total scores)

All D teams
Essex 9 Aylmer 7
Levack 19 Norwich 10
Woodbridge 16 Erin 1
Thornhill 8 Walkerton 1
Exeter 8 Listowel 7

MONDAY (Total scores)

All C teams.
Milton 13 Streetsville 2
Delhi 6 Preton 5
Paris 10 Grimby 4
Leamington 4 Lindsay 1
Hespeler 9 Saltfleet 6
Georgetown 10 Markham 2

TUESDAY (Total scores)

Levack 11 Essex 2 — D
Woodbridge 8 Thornhill 2 — D
Milton 12 Delhi 1 — C
Leamington 10 Grimby 2 — C
Brampton 9 Galt 5 — B

* This game was originally scheduled for Wednesday morning but moved up because of Georgetown's commitment to play in an OMHA playoff in Bowmanville. Georgetown and Hespeler played Wednesday morning instead.

Tells UCW Women About Work of Son in India

The Easter Thankoffering of the Department of Agriculture meeting of St. John's United, St. Andrew's UCW will be Church Women was held in the church hall on Wednesday evening, March 22. A special welcome was extended by president Mrs. D. MacLaren to visiting ladies from St. Andrew's Church on Friday, April 21. The UCW, Mrs. D. Latimer, Mrs. G. Latimer and Mrs. V. McCumber, ladies will supply lunch on Saturday, April 22, for the Youth Forum, on Monday April 23, there will be a Presbyterial section entitled "Nights of Executive Meeting held at St. Gladness" by Mrs. Delmar French.

The president announced that the Good Friday Cantata would be presented with the combined choirs of First Baptist and St. John's Churches. On Wednesday March 29 a leadership Development Meeting will be held at the church. At St. Paul's United Church, Milton on April 4, there will be an Interior Decorating Forum presented by the Home Economics branch of the church to commemorate Centennial Year.

Mrs. C. Buck then introduced the guest speaker Mrs. Fawcett Eaton of Acton who gave a talk on her stay in India while visiting her son Bruce, who is in mission work there. Mrs. V. McCumber thanked Mrs. Eaton on behalf of the ladies. Lunch was served by the ladies of Unit "C" who were thanked by Mrs. R. Broomhead.

Silt Island Interfering With Glen River Channel

"The Credit Valley Conservation Authority has no jurisdiction to step in with preventative measures" Chairman R. K. McMillan told Tom Hill, representative from Esqueping Township following Mr. Hill's inquiries about flooding at Glen Williams, at last week's regular Authority meeting.

"It is up to the Reeve to initiate a plan followed by the BMO if the municipality cannot handle the emergency," he continued.

Mr. Hill also inquired about the Glen Williams Channel improvement completed last year by the CVCA. Silt has formed an island in the centre of the channel and now the current hits the curve head-on. Field Officer S. B. White is to meet Mr. Hill on the site and bring back a report of any action which could be taken.

MEADOWVALE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The members passed a resolution to negotiate the purchase of the Women's Institute property at Meadowvale formerly us-

ORANGEVILLE DAM

R. R. Parker, chairman of the Flood and Pollution Control Advisory Board reported that final engineering plans for the Orangeville Reservoir should be in the hands of the Authority by early May. If no financing problems arise tenders for the dams should be out in June.

TERRA COTTA PARK

The field officer showed the members drawings of the proposed new gatehouse for the Terra Cotta Conservation Area. The entrance to the area will be changed to prevent overcrowding and distribute the parking areas away from the main entrance. The building would provide a park office and staff quarters away from the major crowds in the park.

Plan Water, Soil Tests Before Land Buy Proceeds

Last week Halton County Council approved the filing of a plan of expropriation of a six-acre site near Hornby on the Oakville side of the Base Line, for the construction of a regional detention centre.

In reply to Reeve H.H. Hinton of Acton regarding the water supply, Warden W. Coulter explained that wells in the area show sufficient water, but no further action on the expropriation would be taken until water and soil tests were conducted in the area.

The Regional Detention Centre committee consists of Chairman Warden Cyril Clark of Peel County, Vice Chairman Reeve William Hunter of Georgetown, and Mayor Bill Brydon of Brampton.

HORNBY

Anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thorne, who will celebrate their wedding anniversary on March 30th.

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