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KINSMEN'S HOSPITAL GIFT

Representing Georgetown Kinsmen, Dean Taylor, left, formally turns over a new piece of equipment to Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital Board chairman Denney Charles. The donation is a direct reading ultra micro blood PH/PCO2/PO2 system for fast accurate Blood Analysis on a single 100 micro litre sample of blood. It assures high stability and is suitable for both routine and research work.



Another \$1,000, Auxiliary Supports Building Fund

by Ralph Hawes

Foremost of importance in this week's column must be a profound apology to the Ladies Auxiliary, we would like to express our regrets for failing to mention last week, that during a brief intermission at the Ladies' Social president Jean Reid made a presentation of a thousand dollar cheque to Branch president Hale, this we believe adds up to \$2500 that the Auxiliary have donated to the building fund within president Hale's first year in office.

We feel that the ladies should know that the Branch realizes how important they are, not only for the generous donations they make each year but they put themselves to inconvenience to help in every way that they can.

Branch Picnic

At the executive meeting held at the Branch on Tuesday June 23 it was revealed that the held at Comrade Gord Browne's Branch Annual Picnic will be at Norval on Sunday, July 13.

Next Friday will be the day for Car Club members, some lucky person will take home a car, while many others will win cash prizes.

Dancer Ron Lincoln is the new steward and caretaker at Branch 120, and will bring the strength of full time help up to three.

For those interested the Branch are having another mid-summer Elimination Dance, with someone winning \$250 plus other prizes, this is happening on Friday, July 18. We mention this because the tickets are becoming very scarce.

At the general meeting on Thursday, June 26, two presentations were made on behalf of the Branch, chairman Norm Ward presented cheques to three young ladies from Milton for their efforts in a written essay on Mental Retardation, the girls who were escorted into the meeting by Mrs. Isham were Barbara Sims, Lynda McNabb, and Karen Ricketts, the girls received a standing ovation from the Branch members.

The other presentation was made by past zone commander Bill Shields to the provincial curling champs H. Chappel, D. Ellis, P. Chamberlain and D. Money Penny, the champions received tie clip and cuff link sets.

Three new members were accepted last month while three transferred from the Branch, paid up members, 438 ordinary, 5 life, 15 associate, 16 honorary.

New Charter

The Branch is to apply for a new charter, this is in memory of Lieutenant - Colonel Gordon Bryce Seymour Cousins MC who became the Branch's first president on the 21st of March 1928. If granted the branch will become known as Lt.-Col. G.B.S. Cousins Branch No. 120 Georgetown.

We have been censured by the powers that be for referring to the Liquor Permit as a Lounge Permit, sorry. At the above meeting the executive were directed to apply for a Liquor Permit, if granted liquor will become available to the branch members.

The executive were also granted permission by the

membership to dispose of Branch business during the summer months, the next general meeting will be Sept. 25, unless something of vital importance presents itself to the executive in which case the executive could ask for a special general meeting.

Three Branch members have been appointed to the Little NHL Hall of Fame executive committee, president Henry Henry have donated to the building fund within president Hale's first year in office.

Winners of Friday night dart shoot were J. Valentine, W. Ritchie, W. Hamilton, A. Vick, L. White, J. Parsons, L. Cross, S. Lowen, L. Cross. Speaking with the new ways and means chairman Pat Chamberlain we understand he wishes for Joe to continue running the dart shoot, we have to endorse Pat's decision for Joe is most diligent with the dart shoot.

Friday saw the last weekly draw of the car club, the winners were Mrs. N. McNiven, Mrs. P. Greenslade, H. Inglis, A. Stapleton, G. Greig, after next Friday two new Co-Chairmen will be supervising the new car club, Ormie Carter and Russ Stephens are taking over from Lloyd Boyd and yours truly.

Had a Ball

We do not know who coined the phrase "They had a ball" but the members of Branch 163 Hamilton had a ball from the first moment they entered the doors of Branch 120 where they were greeted by members of the executive.

Some forty members from Hamilton were guests at the Branch Saturday night Dance. It is hard to attempt to describe how they enjoyed themselves, they were up for every dance, they loved the music, so much so that they approached the Debonnaires for an engagement in Hamilton, they went crazy over the local meat pies. In short everything pleased them.

They brought a birthday cake along with them which president Henry Hale presented to Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith of Branch 163 for a wedding anniversary, no precise number of years was mentioned except twenty odd years.

The Branch Pipes and Drums along with wives and children travelled to Uxbridge by cars on Saturday to participate in the first Annual Legion Pipe Band contest, promoted by the Uxbridge Legion Branch 170.

It was a successful day for the town of Uxbridge and the Legion, Uxbridge has a population of 5,000. According to Doug Weir they all turned out for the occasion.

First prize of \$200, plus a huge trophy donated by O'Keefe's went to Branch 66, Willowdale who were most impressive in their full dress and feather bonnets.

Archie Dewar former Pipe Major of the 48th, Highlanders judged the bands. He told the bandsmen from Georgetown, who were just two points of being in the money that they lacked volume, several pipers were unable to be there.

The patients in Uxbridge hospital enjoyed the Georgetown

Juniors Start Season Win Two from Waterdown

Georgetown's junior baseball team started last week with a pair of wins over Waterdown, but dropped an important game to Milton Thursday night.

On Sunday, Joel Tost was locked in a pitching duel with Waterdown's left hander, Baynton. Though Georgetown was out-hit seven to four, fine defensive play and clutch pitching by Tost gained a 2-1 victory.

Bill Sykes scored the first run when he led off the seventh with a single and scored on two Waterdown errors. Ron Peavoy scored the winning run, Dubieh scored the winning run, advanced on passed balls and first on a walk, advanced to third on two wild pitches and scored on John Quackenbush's infield hit.

Brian Peavoy and Roy Schullis got the other hits. Peavoy smashed a double in the fourth, but was left stranded on third. Schullis got a single in the 9th and advanced to third on two errors, but died there.

Joel Tost pitched almost hitless ball until the seventh inning. Up to then he had faced only 19 batters. In the seventh he tired a little as the first four Waterdown batters all hit safely, but Tost recovered to retire the side on three strikeouts with just one run crossing the plate.

In the eighth he was in trouble again but a double play with two aboard preserved the win.

On Wednesday night, Georgetown was again out-hit but won 4-1 over the same club. This time Tom Bunce was the winning pitcher.

The combination of 11 strikeouts and almost errorless ball produced the win. The only time Bunce was in trouble was in the second inning when Waterdown scored one run. Bunce fielded a pop up with the bases full to retire the side.

All four Georgetown runs were scored by Rick and Brian Peavoy. In the first inning they both got on through errors, advanced on passed balls and stolen bases, and finally scored on ground balls by John Collier and Al Whitham. In the third, Rick Peavoy, got to first on a walk and advanced on Brian Peavoy's hit. Both scored on a hit by Joel Tost.

Thursday night, Georgetown juniors dropped their first game to Milton 5-1. Joel Tost was in hot water in the first and last innings which accounted for all the Milton runs.

The Peavoy's were again the big threats at the plate, Rick hitting three for four and Brian four for four. Georgetown's other hit was a line drive single by Dave Clark.

Georgetown is at home to Oakville tonight and away Sunday and Monday in Oakville and Milton.

Six Hopefuls For Junior 'A'

Georgetown's Midget Hockey team was a gold mine for Junior A scouts this past season.

In the recent priority draft by OHA Junior A teams no less than four of last year's Georgetown Midgets were selected, and two others received invitations to training camp this fall.

In addition to Juri Kudrasov mentioned last week as a Kitchener pick, teammates Paul Fendley and Marty Fowler were chosen by Peterboro, and Ron Fogal by London. Fendley was the recipient of the Tri-County Most Valuable Player award this past season.

Peterboro Petes invited Ray Inglis to attend camp and Hamilton Red Wings extended an invitation to Hugh Williams.

Kay and Jimmie. The Bakers were transferred to Calgary from Peterboro. Captain Baker left last week and Mrs. Baker will join her husband this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Wood recently returned from a trip to Banff Alberta and Murray Bay in Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Break and family were dinner guests on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hamilton of Milton.

Anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sammit who will celebrate their wedding anniversary on July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Plant and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Plant and family spent the weekend at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy South of Brampton visited on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hamilton and family.

— Mrs. Jim Hamilton

Witnesses Off to Buffalo Assembly

Washington columnist Carl T. Rowan recently wrote: "We cling to the dream that we can have 'peace of earth, good will toward men.' But a realistic look at human behaviour in all parts of the world raises the question of whether there is any hope for mankind."

Human behaviour notwithstanding, there is no question about a hope for mankind and peace on earth among Jehovah's Witnesses. As an expression of their confidence, the Witnesses will soon be holding an eight-day "Peace on Earth" International Assembly in Buffalo, New York, and area Witnesses will be present as delegates.

Melville Taylor of R R 1, Georgetown, presiding minister of the Georgetown congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, will lead the local delegation to the assembly, which will be held July 6 to 13 in Buffalo's War Memorial Stadium.

According to Mr. Taylor more than 40,000 persons from all over the world are expected to attend.

"The convention theme is most appropriate," Mr. Taylor said. "To Jehovah's Witnesses the expression 'peace on earth' uttered by angels of heaven the night of Jesus' birth, is not an empty one. It is full of meaning and, for us has already become a reality."

"As if to underline our confidence in the Bible's promise of peace on earth for the righteously inclined, the public lecture that will climax our assembly has been titled: 'The Approaching Peace of a Thousand Years.'"

Mr. Taylor noted that sessions of the gathering will include Bible talks, discussions and dramatizations designed to help the delegates and interested persons attending to "continue to pur-

Bantams Split Pair In Week's Baseball

Georgetown Bantams 11, Waterdown 7. That was the decision in Waterdown Thursday night where the locals fashioned their sixth win of the schedule against four losses. Georgetown Eagles out-hit their hosts nine to five.

Brian Beaumont started on the mound for the winners and was relieved in the sixth with one out by Gord Williams who shut off a Waterdown rally.

Beaumont was the winning pitcher with Barry James filling in behind the plate for Bert Osborne in fine style.

The warm weather apparently agreed with Eagle hitters. Brad Butterworth went two for three including a towering home run. John Sargent went one for one, Barry James, two for four, driving in three of the Eagles runs and Paul Robin one for one.

At home to Milton Bantams on Tuesday, June 24, Georgetown Eagles out-hit the visitors but lost 7-5.

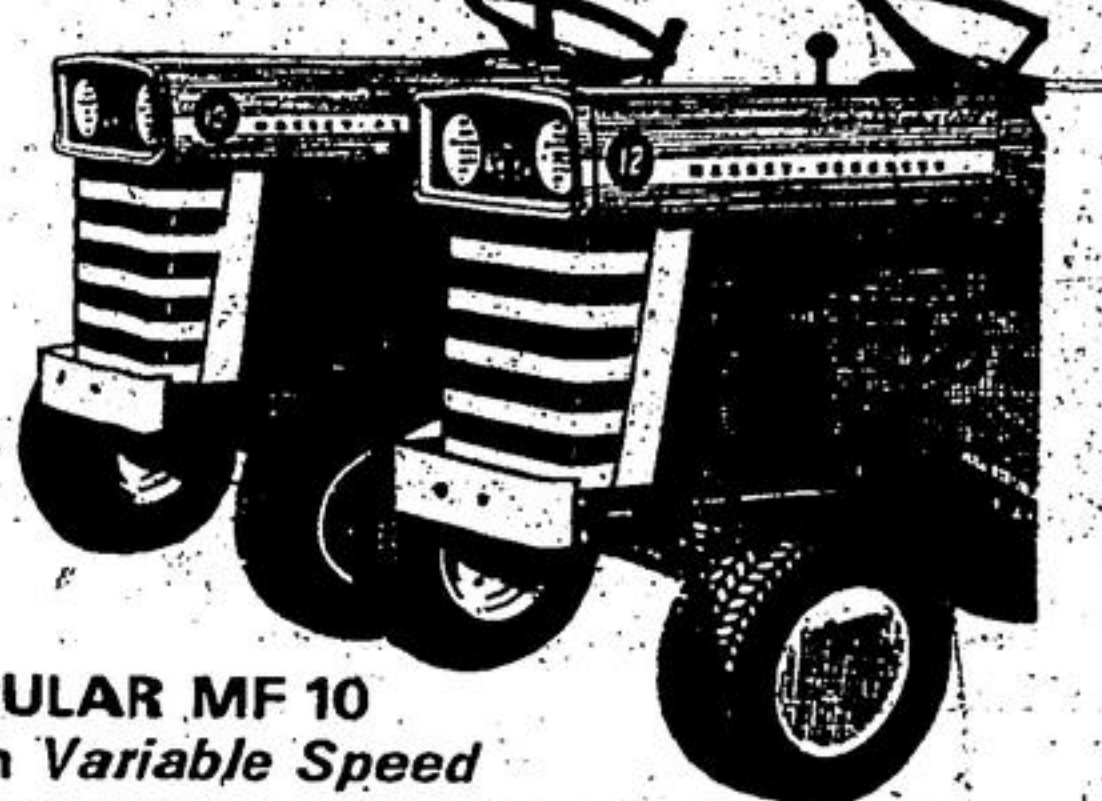
Rob Allison went all the way in a losing cause with Bert Osborne behind the plate.

Georgetown's downfall was the inability to come up with the big hit with runners aboard. They left seven stranded on base. Georgetown's erratic defense allowed Milton to have a three run fifth inning which made the difference.

Brian Beaumont and Gord Williams both went two for three at the plate, Williams hits including a long home run. Doug Getty went one for two and snared a couple of hot drives at his first base position.

"The assembly opens Sunday, July 6, with such discourses as 'The good news of peace from far and near' and 'acquaint yourself with God and keep peace.' Its concluding talk eight days later, is titled: 'Continue to Live Peaceably.'

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Interesting Contests At UCW Meeting

The regular meeting of the Eden United Church Women was held recently at the home of Mrs. Edna Waite of Streetsville. Mrs. Waite, president for the June meeting welcomed the ladies to the meeting which was opened by the opening prayer. Mrs. Harry Lowden was in charge of the devotional. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. John Hamilton. The Sunshine and Gloom money was collected. Thank you notes were read from the various churches who attended the social evening at Eden on June 3. Plans were made for a bus trip in August when the ladies from Eden will travel to Fenelon Falls to visit Mrs. Frank Hall in her new home.

Mrs. Bill Hill and Mrs. Melbourne Bell conducted some interesting contests. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bell in September. The meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and a social visit enjoyed by all. Church will be closed for the month of July. Mrs. Lloyd Marshall read a thank you note for the used postage stamps which had been sent from the local district to the Mission at Muzaffarpur, India.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rutledge, Robert, Larry and Kenneth visited on the weekend with Mrs. Irvine Wallace who is a patient in the London Hospital and with Mr. Wallace at his home in Blyth.

Get well wishes are extended to Gerald Marchmont who is a patient in the South-Peel Hospital in Cooksville.

Captain Robert Baker and Mrs. Baker visited last Sunday with Mrs. Baker's parents and brother Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mc-