

Georgetown Choral Society's Messiah

Noted musicians combine their talents

The Choral Society is pleased to be able, this year, to engage the services of several fine musicians to accompany the choir as they present Handel's Messiah as their Christmas gift to the community of Georgetown.

Clement Caralse is coming back for the second season as organist. He is the resident organist at Lallington United Church in Toronto. Clement not only performs magic at the console but also puts them together, working for Casafant Company as an organ builder.

After obtaining a degree from McMaster University and ARTC in organ performance, Clement went on to study further in England and South Africa. He is a member of the Council of the Royal School of Church Music, a member of the Richard III Society, and a member of the Swithun Society. Clement lives in Toronto with his wife and four cats.

The other members of the orchestra are made up primarily of freelancers. Some play with the National Ballet Company and some play for the Canadian Opera Company. They do not play together as a group. The fact that they can come together with only one rehearsal prior to performance is a testament to their professionalism.

David Harding is the viola player. We are very pleased that David will be playing once again with us this Christmas. He has recently returned to Georgetown to live after spending

the past five years in New York City studying at the renowned Juilliard School of Music. David has received several awards in competitions and been guest performer in many concerts. Since leaving the National Youth Orchestra in 1982, David has participated in several performances for CBC Radio as well as performing throughout Canada. David first played with the Choral Society in 1979 and since that time he has become a very polished professional, showing once again the many talents of Georgetown residents. David is one of four musicians in

David Harding



an exciting new ensemble, performing new repertoire using 21st century instruments. The RADIUS Quartet was formed in 1988 as a showcase group for contemporary new music from both the classical and popular traditions. Innovative staging and lighting lend a colorful theatrical component to their performances. The quartet performs on the electro-acoustic Raad instruments offering exciting new sound dimensions not possible with traditional stringed instruments. When David appears with the Choral Society in the Messiah, he will be using his very traditional viola.



Picture perfect

Pictures and Presents on Main Street South in Georgetown held their fourth anniversary draw last week and Jean Leonard was the lucky winner. Mrs. Leonard (left) of Georgetown receives her Robert Baleman print from store owner Judy Wickware. (Herald photo)

OBITUARIES

Stan Wade operated popular restaurant

Stan Wade, considered by many to be one of Georgetown's former "landmarks" has died.

Mr. Wade, who operated the Corner Cupboard Restaurant - later to be Stan's Restaurant - moved to Georgetown in 1953, and was well known as the owner of one of the few restaurants in Georgetown at the time.

The downtown location made Mr. Wade's restaurant a popular spot with both young and old.

Henry Helfant, owner of Henry's Clothing and Custom Tailors, says Mr. Wade was a quiet, soft-spoken man who ran a friendly business. "He was very kind with his staff, and with people in general," says Mr. Helfant.

Mr. Wade was also very active in the community. During the 1950s, he was an ardent golfer, and a shareholder with the North Halton Golf and Country Club. He was also a member of the local Lions Club for many years.

As a businessman, profits didn't always come first for Mr. Wade, according to Mr. Helfant.

"Sometimes, there were people who couldn't pay," he says, "and he would let them have a free meal."

Mr. Wade and his wife, Iris, as well as their children, worked very hard operating the restaurant, often tending to duties from early in the morning until well after the restaurant had closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade had been liv-



Stan Wade

ing at a cottage on Lake Simcoe near Keswick for several years, before moving to Toronto for the last year.

But Mr. Wade made several trips back to Georgetown since leaving, and according to his son, Richard, one of his greatest joys was seeing many friends again during the Georgetown High School reunion in 1987.

"He loved this town," says Mr. Helfant.

The family held a small funeral service at St. George's Anglican Church, as per Mr. Wade's requests. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery.

Thomas Perry served with Queen's Own Rifles

Thomas Hammond Parry arrived in Quebec City on the SS Duchess of York, Nov. 16, 1929. Aged 14, he was the elder son of Rev. Howell and Mrs. Parry, Vicar of Blaengwynfi, South Wales.

Mr. Parry worked on many farms locally until July 1, 1940 when he enlisted in the Canadian Army. He served with the Queen's Own Rifles of Canada and was in the first contingent to land in Normandy on D Day.

He married Betty Bishop of Bournemouth in 1944 and they settled in Georgetown, Ont., where Mr. Parry worked for Abitibi (The Provincial Paper Mill) for 32 years.

He returned to St. George's Anglican Church where he served as

Sunday School Superintendent, Warden, Choir Member and spent 28 years as Lay Reader licensed to seven successive rectors. For many years he worked with the Red Cross and at the time of his death was active with the Refugee Committee.

He was called to higher service on Oct. 6, 1988. A requiem eucharist was held Oct. 8 at St. George's Church followed by interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

He leaves his wife Betty, a son, Richard and his wife Teresa Murphy of Stratford, Ont.; daughters Roseanne and her husband Reinhard Filler of Georgetown, and Nancy and her husband Neill Taylor of Oakville. He also leaves grandchildren Emily and Adriane Filler and Colin Taylor.

LETTER

Thanks for support

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a letter submitted to the Herald for publication.

Dear Supporters,

I want to thank all of you for coming out and supporting "Project Playground" by doing some early Christmas shopping at the Creative Kids and Pigtail party. The evening was lots of fun and a great success. We have now raised over \$4,500 which will go towards purchasing playground equipment for the Glen Williams Park.

Special thanks to Corry Carter of Creative Kids, Lorna Wilson of Pigtails, Michelle Jarvie, Lorrie Jurcic, Cathy McDonald, Kelly Rowe, Una Wheeler and the Glen Williams Town Hall Board.

Thank you all for your generous support. Have a very Merry Christmas.

Yours very truly,
Gail Bibby-LaBranche

Leachate leaking at dump

The old landfill site beside the sewage treatment plant in Acton is leaking into Black Creek.

John MacKay, Halton's director of waste management services, said the leachate is "fairly weak" and it is a relatively small leak but it is heading into the swampy area of Black Creek.

There is no evidence that the leachate is adversely affecting Black Creek judging from samples taken in the area, said Mr. MacKay.

The dump was operated by the town of Acton, and then the town of Halton Hills before it was closed in 1974. It accepted only municipal waste and was relatively small, said Mr. MacKay.

Leachate is the poisonous liquid formed by rainwater and surface water percolating through the waste over the years.

There was no leachate collection system installed in the dump, said Mr. MacKay. Such a system is commonplace in landfill sites built in the 1980s.

Halton Region is now considering installing a leachate collection system in two phases.

The first system, to be installed in the spring, if Regional council gives the project its blessing, will operate much like a septic bed. Soil will be used to absorb the leachate, said Mr. MacKay.

The cost of that system is \$150,000. If that doesn't work, Halton will consider installing leachate collection pipes at a cost of \$165,000.

If that collection system is installed, the leachate will likely be treated at Acton's sewage treatment plant, said Mr. MacKay. But the amount of leachate collected will be so little that it won't affect the capacity of the plant, he added.

However, until Halton Region can confirm that the leachate can be treated at the plant, it will be trucked to a disposal location in one of Halton's sewer systems, a report by public works commissioner Robert Moore said.

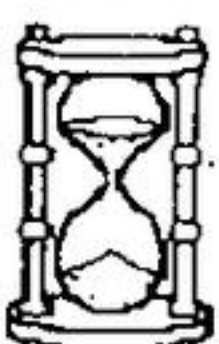


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As one of the original organizers of the Group United Against Rural Dumping (G.U.A.R.D.) we successfully stopped the application at that time.

I am committed to protecting our environment and will continue to fight this issue at all levels of government.

Sincerely
Russ Miller

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