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Flesherton Methodist Church

Rev. James Dudgeon, pastor.

11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—The pastor

Sunday, 10 a. m. Fellowship Service.

Monday evening Epworth League a 8 p. m.

Mark Everette Wright choir leader and Organist.

THIS HUNGRY WAR

It is coming home home to Canadians that this war means "Men, men, men," from the Dominion as well as the Motherland. Already the Canadian battalions are recruiting away up in the seventies. The 75th Battalion is being mobilized at Niagara now, and men are going across to England frequently.

There is nothing ostentatious about the movement of these troops. Only the immediate friends of those who are going know of the departure. Newspapers are requested not to mention the movement of troops, and it is surprising how slowly news travels when it is withheld from the newspapers.

When the men get into the battle long delays are to be looked for in correspondence, and only too often it breaks off altogether—it's a hungry war. But this does not restrain those who have the courage to go and do their bit, nor those who have to say "Go," and then have to sit by and wait for word week after week in dread. Recruiting will go on until the end, and the end will be victory.

'WARE COLLINGWOOD, ALL YE MORORISTS

The Collingwood Bulletin waxes indignant over the suggestion of a boycott by motorists for that sleepy little town by the shipyards. Were the Ontario Motor League to resent the unfair prosecutions of motorists whose cars are capable of doing 15½ miles per hour, and warn motorists from Toronto to go to Barrie or Schuman's Corners, or some other centre, then the Collingwood members of the League would resign. Yes, reader, both of them would resign and then the League would go to smash !

Couldn't Brer Williams suggest a milder course which would have its effect just the same. Gentle tactics combined with a demand for strict accountability might be effective. Another retired school teacher thinks so.

In the meantime motorists who do not care to pay fines continually are better off if they do not drop in at Collingwood. Fortunately it is an easy burg to miss.

NOTES

The allies have been knocking the whey out of the Kurds.

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Collingwood people are agitating for a machine gun. No, friends, it is not for the purpose of shooting outside motorists who venture within the village limits.

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"Stab me with a cucumber," exclaims Brer Irwin of the Durham Chronicle. Now, would he like to have that cucumber pickled, or would an ordinary Durham local option cucumber fill the bill ?

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After 59 years service as postmaster at Blenheim J. K. Morris has resigned. The Renfrew Mercury sees in this a case where the man may have been forced to resign to make room for a friend of the government, which shows how silly some men can be. After 59 years of service a man is probably ready to quit of his own accord. There is not much left in a man at that stage of the game unless he got into it early.

A report from Detroit declares that there will be another "Ford" sensation in the near future, and that the price will be brought down below $350. This means that soon even a Methodist preacher will be able to get a Ford, at least a second-hand one. Mr. Ford is also said to be contemplating invading the tractor industry, as he thinks he can make a tractor for $200 or $250. And yet he can afford to pay his men $5 and $6 a day !

The Wheat Crop And The War

With the coming of harvest time, which in Europe and North America begins in June and ends in September, the attention even of the governments at war is directed as closely to the prospect for the grain crops as to the prospect of the battlefields.

No one knows how far the harvests of Europe will be affected by the diversion of farm hands from producing grain to serving at the front, or to what extent the trampling of armies over the farms of Poland, East Prussia, and northeastern France will reduce the total yield. The Continental belligerents are not only putting women, children and old men into the fields, but, it is believed, are employing their prisoners of war at the same task. The grain-producing states engaged in the recent Balkan War so employed their prisoners ; nevertheless, in the three most productive of those states, the harvest of 1913 fell behind the harvest of 1912 by twenty-two million bushels, or nearly one quarter.

To Germany, Austria and Hungary, cut off now from access to outside grain-producing countries, the prospect of short crops at home is so grave that the governments long since put every citizen on a daily allowance of bread. France and England will need every bushel of this year's harvest that America, India and Australia can spare them.

The season began with weather considerably less favorable than last year's ; but the very high price of wheat last season, the result of unprecedented purchases by Europe, led the farmers of the United States to put nearly eleven per cent. more land into wheat than they had ever planted to that crop before. The government's June estimate indicated a yield, under the conditions that then prevailed, of 950,000,000 bushels, whereas the yield indicated in June a year ago was only 900,000,000, and the unprecedented actual yield was 891,000,000. The splendid prospect for this year has already lowered the price of wheat from $1.67 a bushel to $1.

June indications are not always fulfilled. Unfavorable weather in July and August sometimes greatly reduces the promised yield ; and this year, even in June, there was weather that hurt the crop in some important wheat-raising states in the West ; therefore the final figures of the harvest will be awaited with the keenest anxiety here, as in Europe.

The hardest year of the Napoleonic wars, to people at home in Europe as well as to the armies in the field, was 1812, the year of Napoleon's disastrous campaign in Russia, when the shortage of the harvest in England and on the Continent carried wheat to an average price of $3.95 a bushel. As far as anyone knows, that is the highest figure that it has ever reached.—Youths' Companion.

Burned In Garage

A serious accident occurred at Frost's garage Wednesday afternoon, says the Owen Sound Sun, when one of the employees of the garage, Wm. Knolls, was seriously burned and an auto belonging to Mr. Frank McClarty was badly damaged by fire. Knolls was working underneath the car, burning out the carbon in the cylinders with an oxygen burner and the heat melted the tube leading to the gasoline tank. Some of the gasoline ran out, saturating Knoll's clothing, which instantly took fire and enveloped him in flames. The car also caught fire. Knolls crawled out from under the car, and instead of rolling on the floor started to run. Some of the other employees of the garage who saw his plight threw him down and rolled him on the floor until the fire was out, but not before his right hand, arm, neck and side were severely burned. The car also burned rapidly but it was not long until the firemen arrived and ran the burning car out on the road, where the fire was quenched with chemicals and water. The front part of the car was badly burned and the seat was also damaged.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 30th July, 1915, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week each way over

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Singhampton, Duntroon, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Toronto.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Toronto, June 14th, 1915.

A. SUTHERLAND
Post Office Inspector

Lady Bank

The beautiful rain is coming rather often.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Maxwell and daughter, Mildred, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sewell.

Miss B. Howard spent the week end with friends in Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Poole spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Izard.

Mr. Joe Sewell spent July 12 in Owen Sound. We trust he enjoyed himself.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Izard on the sick list. We hope soon to hear of her speedy recovery.

Miss Q. Kaitting spent Sunday with her friend, Miss M. McMullen.

Rasberry season will soon be here.

Where the Mastodon Went

The facts about the mastodon remains, formerly owned by the late John Jelly, are as follows : The late John Jelly leased the exhibit to an Orangeville man, who started to exhibit them in Western Canada. A few weeks after he arrived in the west he took typhoid fever and died. A couple of weeks later two irresponsible parties took the mastodon remains without permission and went to the United States. They got stranded at Minneapolis and the mastodon remains were sold by the Great Northern railway to pay the freight charges on them of some $12. They were bought by a local physician and were presented by him to the University of Dakota. The remains are now in the museum of that university at Grand Forks, Dakota. The bones are worth at least $3000. The executors of the late John Jelly's estate made an effort to secure them after his death but would have had to fight a big law suit to recover them and even then their chances of winning were very doubtful. The exhibit had been in possession of the university people for some years before they were located—Free Press.

Indians Make Good Sailors

"After many years' experience I am firmly convinced that Indians make the best sailors," declared Mr. W. J. McCormack of the Northern Navigation Co. in discussing the suitability of the aborigines for manning steamers.

"We find the Indians to be hard workers, silent men who take their work seriously, and seldom smile. In fact, I have closely observed the Indians on the decks of our lake steamers and for days have never seen one of the red men smile. They are curteous to the passengers, but never make an effort to carry on a conversation unless questioned.

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Orange Prizes

At the big Orange demonstration in Owen Sound on the Twelfth the following prizewinners were announced :

The lodge coming the longest distance was Allen Park lodge, 668, which came 66 miles.

The largest lodge was Chesley, 813, with 87 members.

The best dressed lodge was Goring L. O. L. 1295.

The best appearing lodge was Glenelg, 1192.

Markdale lodge 1045 carried off the prize for best banner.

The oldest member was Robert McClure of Port Elgin, who has been an Orangeman for 70 years.

Fall Fairs.

The following are the dates of the fall fairs this year in the vicinity of Flesherton.

Chatsworth	Sept. 16-17
Chesley	Sept. 16-17
Collingwood	Sept. 22-25
Desboro	Sept. 23-24
Durham	Sept. 23-24
FLESHERTON	Sept. 28 29
Hanover	Sept. 16 17
Markdale	Oct. 12-13
Walkerton	Sept. 14-15
Dundalk	Oct. 7-8
Meaford	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Owen Sound	Oct. 5, 6, 7
Priceville	Oct. 7-8
Rocklyn	Oct. 8

Cement Work Wanted

The undersigned is prepared to do silo building and concrete work. Have had thirteen years experience and feel that I can give entire satisfaction. Have steel forms for silo and all outfit necessary for all kinds of cement work. Can also attend to carpenter work.

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Terms—$3 for pure breds, $1.50 for grades. All cows served must be paid for. —T. & J. WATSON.

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Property For Sale

Part lot 151, con. 2, N. E. T. & S. R. containing 28½ acres, about 1 mile from Flesherton. There is a good frame house and stable and the property is well fenced and watered. Apply to Joseph A. LeGard, Flesherton or on the property.

BULL FOR SERVICE

The undersigned has a Pure Bred Shorthorn Bull for service on Lot 146, Con. 2, S. W. T. & S. R., Artemesia. Terms $1.00. All cows served must be paid for by 1st March, 1916.

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Bull For Service

For service.—Baron Holly—No. 6422. Aberdeen Angus, on lot 34, 9th concession, Artemesia. Terms, $1.00 if paid before 1st Jan. 1915.—W. J. Magee.

May 15

CANADIAN PACIFIC

DOMINION DAY

SINGLE FAEE—Good going Thursday, July 1st, return limit, Thursday, July 1st, 1915.

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—J. L. McMullen,
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