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CEYLON

Dr, Hall of Walkerton paid a professional visit to Mr, N. Archibald on Friday last.

Mr. R. Neilson of Owen Sound was in town 1st of week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. McDonald.

Mrs. J. Snell left Saturday for the bed side of her sister, who is very ill, at King.

Born—On April 21, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy, a son.

R. Cook accompanied Mr. N. Archibald to the hospital at Hamilton on Tuesday. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Seeley of Durham visited with the latter's brother, Mr. T. Chislett.

J. C. McLaughlan returned last week to Brampton.

Mrs. Bryant of Toronto spent the past week visiting her brother, Mr. N. Archibald, who is ill.

R. Cook attended the funeral of a cousin at Hanover on Friday.

Mr. A. Archibald of St. Thomas spent the week end with his brother here, returning Tuesday to his home accompanied by his 5 children.

Mrs. E. Sargent and son James returned last week to Owen Sound.

Mrs. Bishop of Woodbridge was a visitor at Mr. George Snell's last week.

Mr, Clarence Muir paid a business trip to Toronto last week.

PROTON

Our section foreman, Mr. Robt. Bates has treated himself to a new Maxwell car.

Mr. Smith and the Misses Murray of Corbetton spent Sunday at Mr. Davie's.

Mrs. McCartney of Cheltenham is visiting Mrs. Still. Mrs. Guest and children of Toronto are at Mr. Roome's. Mr. Coon of Toronto was also a visitor at Mr. Roome's last week.

Miss Wideman of Hanover visited at Mrs. Hergott's and renewed acquaintances in the village.

James Meddaugh attended the funeral of his brother at Owen Sound last week, and James Hodgson attended his sister's funeral at Orillia.

Mrs. Hodgin is staying with her brother, H. Nicholls, at Inistioge.

House cleaning and amateur paper hanging is the order of the day.

Mr. R. J. Woods of Corbetton very ably filled the Presbyterian pulpit on Sunday evening.

Mr. Hugh Hodgson is recovering after an illness of several weeks' duration.

EUGENIA

Don't forget the concert April 30—not May 30 and admission 25 and 35c.

Isabella McKee had a birthday party recently. About ten little girls enjoyed the afternoon with games, after which a dainty lunch was served to them by her sister, Mary, All report a jolly good time.

Mrs. Loddered and daughter are engaged at the Munshaw House.

Wedding bells are ringing.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Leonard Latimer, Mr. Jake Williams and Master Fred Large on the sick list.

A jolly lunch of about 25 gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoy last Friday night. They enjoyed themselves by dancing and games till midnight. Francis and Sandy were in full dress for the ball.

Miss Millie Campbell is visiting her brother in Toronto.

Congratulations to our choir.

Misses Lillie and Marjorie Park made a trip to Markdale last week.

A Thornbury man named Madill, about 55 years of age, met a horrible death at the Kolb sawmill. He was engaged in taking lumber from a tail saw and by some means the saw caught a board he was handling with such force that he was thrown on the saw and his body was cut in two. The unfortunate man had only been working there a short time and hailed from Collingwood and had recently moved his family to Thornbury with a view to working at the sawmill.

Owen Sound Must Play a Square Game

I. B. Lucas, representing the county of Grey, nad Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Public Works, vigorously opposed an act to incorporate the city of Owen Sound before the Psivate Bills Committee of the Legislature Thursday of last week. The committee finally decided to pass the measure providing the applicants made an agreement satisfactory to the Minister of Public.

"The county is not particularly concerned about Owen Sound becoming a city," said Mr. Lucas. The main object of the town, however, is to get out of the good roads payment. Having got the county of Grey irrevecably pledged to a system of 480 miles of good roads, and having got all the roads, the town is practically saying to the county, "Now you go ahead and pay for them."

W. H. Wright, K. C., the solicitor for the town, denied that they were trying to escape the good road bargain.

PRICEVILLE

The ground was frozen quite hard last Sunday morning and the maple sap ran quite freely during the day.

The farmers in this vicinity are doing the plowing that remained unfinished last fall.

Ray McLean had a raising last Saturday evening and erected the frame of his garage building.

Elmer Watson made the sale a few days ago of a Maxwell car to Mr. James Vause.

Mrs. (Rev.) Matheson of Mono Mills has been visiting in the village and vicinity for a few days.

Mrs. D. Campbell has taken a trip to Buffalo to visit relatives.

Real estate deals—G. W. Tryon has purchased the five acre park lot south of the public school grounds. from Miss J. Wright. Louis Frook, real estate broker, bought the five acre park lot west of the public school from John Livingstone, and sold it next day to A. J. McVicar.

P. F. McArthur, notary etc., has been fairly busy lately writing deeds, etc., transferring property in the vicinity. The values contained in the numerous documents passing through his hands alone, totals over $80,000 during the last two months.

Victoria Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martin and family of Flesherton have moved into the house owned by Mr. Jas. Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ludlow have moved into their new home at the corner. Mr. Ludlow has torn down the barn and is rebuilding it.

We are sorry Mrs. Eagle is on the sick list. We hope she soon will recover again.

Miss Ritchie, our teacher, is able to resume duties after her illness.

Mrs. George Moore had a narrow escape from what might have been a serious accident last week. On opening a fresh box of matches one of them must have lighted and started the whole bunch. Instead of throwing them away she tried to put out the fire. She was burned about the face and hands, her hair singed and eye brows are missing but it was not nearly as serious as it might have been.

PORLAW

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid society was held lately at the parsonage. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs J. H. Watson; Secretary, Miss May Cornfield; Treas., Mrs. J. W. Lyons. The Treasurer's statement showed that during the last fifteen months, or since organization, the society had received the handsome amount of $441.53.

The young men's Sunday school class met at the home of W. H. McNally and organized, with Rev. Eagle President, Roy White Secretary and Clarence Watson Treasurer

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hannah attended the funeral last week of a relative at Berkeley

Harry Thompson arrived home from Detroit last week.

Miss Vina Watson is visiting friends in Toronto.

Hon. A. G. McKay Dies at Edmonton

Hon. Alexander Grant MacKay, M.A., K. C., M, P. P., Minister of Municipal Affairs in the Alberta Provincial Government, and former member and leader of the Liberal Opposition of the Ontario Legislature, died last Sunday from pneumonia at Edmonton, a despatch received from that city states.

Hon. A. G. MacKay was a native of Grey County, having been born of Scottish parents in the Township of Sydenham on March 7, 1860. He was elected to represent the north riding of Grey in the Ontario House in 1902, and continued as member for that constituency until 1913. He held the portfolio of Minister of Crown Lands in 1904-5 in the Ross administration, and was leader of the Liberal Opposition from 1907 until the selection of Hon. N. W. Rowell for that office in 1911. In 1913 he removed to the West, and in the same year was elected to represent the Athabasca District in the Alberta Government, holding his seat continuously until his death.

DUNDALK

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Claridge received the sad news on Sunday of the death of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Percy Claridge, at Woolsley, Sask. The sorrowing husband and five young children are left to mourn their loss.

One of the Dundalk potato dealers has handled this spring about 3000 bags of this favorite table luxury. Other local buyers have also shipped large quantities. The money distributed locally among the farmers for spuds in the last few weeks is a considerable amount.

The fire alarm at about ten o'clock on Wednesday evening last brought out the citizens in a hurry to the frame building next the Grand Central Hotel, owned by J. B. Egan of Toronto, and occupied by Miss Wallace, milliner, Miss Morgan, grocery, on the main floor, and Stanley Mims, dwelling, on the second storey. The house cat awoke Mr. Mims and it was then that the odor of smoke was detected and the alarm given. No doubt the cat saved a serious fire. The firemen were soon on the job but it was some time before the fire could be located, although the smoke was vary dense. The blaze was finally located in a small closet under the stairway and was soon under control. The premises were damaged considerably with smoke and water, but a serious conflagration was fortunately averted.—Herald.

Killed By Elevator

Crushed under a falling elevator at the Hepworth Furniture Factory, Charles Fritter, an employee of the factory, was instantly killed Tuesday morning. When the accident happened Fitter and the superintendent, Mr. Stockfish, were making some adjustments about the elevator, and Fitter was in the pit under the plattorm. In some unknown way the brake slipped and the elevator fell. Fitter tried to get out of the pit but failed, and the heavy platform struck him, breaking his neck and causing instant death. The young man, who was about eighteen years of age, was born in Hepworth and was very popular. Advertiser.

Prizes For Boys and Girls

Special prizes will be given by the Bankers' Association at Flesherton Fall Fair, Sept. 23 and 24, 1920, to the boys and girls who have not attained their 17th birthday before the opening day of the fair, for the following:

Class 1—Calf, pure bred or grade, prizes 1st $5, $2nd $4, 3rd $3, 4th $2, 5th $1.

Class 2—Two pigs, pure bred or grade, prizes 1st $5, 2nd $4. 3rd $3, 4th $2, 5th $1.

No entry fee will be charged. No exhibitor shall make more than one entry in a class. Not more than one member of a family shall be allowed to compete in a class. Exhibitors must feed and care for the animals they exhibit for at least six weeks. Calves and pigs entered must have been born on or after March 15th, 1920, and must be the property of exhibitor or exhibitor's parent or guardian. For full particulars enquire of manager of local bank or W. A. Hawken, Sec. Ag'l Society.

Letter of Thanks

To the Editor of The Advance.

Dear Sir,—Will you, through the medium of your valuable paper, express our appreciation of, and gratitude to all who have shown their sympathy with us in such a practical way. The tokens received have been so numerous and varied as to make a personal answer impossible. This was as unexpected as the fire which gave opportunity for it, and of course infinitely more welcome. There are two things that must remain a mystery to us. The first is the origin of the fire, and as to this we have not even a suspicion. The second, the almost miraculous way in which the buildings were saved. It is very evident to us all that the boys who did their bit during war times have lost none of their bravery or spirit of self sacrifice, and that those who held on at home are as capable as ever. We desire as a church to thank them every one for their efforts on our behalf, and you, Sir, for this space. I am yours tryly,

—Geo. S. Upham.

Term Report Flesherton H. S.

Report of Flesherton high school for term ending April 30. Class 1, honors over 75. Class 2, pass 60 to 75. Class 3, failure under 60 per cent. Names in order of merit. Nnmbers after name signify the number of subjects upon which less than 40 per cent. was obtained.

Form III, Normal Entrance

Class 1—K. Boyd, F Stewart, F White, R Belfry, K Cameron.

Class 2—Nellie Spencer, W Stewart, Irwin Sprott.

Class 3—Edna Ferris (1), E Consley (1), A Murphy (2).

Form II, Lower School

Class 2—K. MacDonald, A Parslow, A Buchanan, R Boyd, M Acheson, K. Orr, R McGirr, J Dow, A Stephens.

Class 3—M McLachlan, J Karsted, E Muir, G Lever, V Moore, E Wilson, G Irwin (3), G Large (2), W McKenzie (1).

Form III, Matriculation

Class 1—K Boyd, F Stewart (1).

Class 3—W Stewart (2), I Sprott (2).

Miss Hope Corbeau of Penetang is dead and a son of Mr, Alex Scott of Nottawa is in a critical condition as the result of an auto accident in the village of Nottawa last Sunday. An automobile driven by Wm. Brown and containing Miss Corbeau, Mrs. Stephens and Mr Weeds, collided with a buggy occupied by S. Galloway. Miss Corbeau was thrown through the wind shield and instantly killed when her head struck a stone in the river. The car turned clean over and finally rested on its side in the river. The Scott boy was walking along the road with his parents and was struck by the skidding auto, receiving a fractured skull. All the other members of the party were more or less cut up. The auto and buggy were both badly smashed up.

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