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ROCK MILLS

The U. F. W. O. social evening was held at the home of Mrs. I. Smith on Wednesday evening and was a real success. A debate was given, "Resolved that the city is a better place to live in than the counry." Mrs. C. Meldrum and Mrs. Dick Clark took the affirmative and Mrs. C. Newell and Mrs. I. Smith, the negative. The judges were Mrs. John Hargrave, Fred Pedlar and Arthur Chard, who gave their decision in favor of the negative side. The remainder of the program consisted of a shadowgraph play; a duet; songs and music. At the close a dainty lunch was served by the members. Three new members were added to the role. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Levi Betts on Wednesday, January 9th, 1924.

John Hargrave, wife and son visited last week with the former's brother, W. Hargrave, and family at Wareham.

Mrs. W. T. Pedlar spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. John Wcikens, at Kimberley.

Robt. Laughlin and son, Alex., spent the past week with the former's mother near Feversham.

Walter Russell, wife and family visited recently at Thos. Black's at Portlaw.

Joyce Porteous was assisting his brother Art. of Osprey the past week.

Mrs. R. Lee and Mrs. C. Bowers of Owen Sound visited recently with their sister, Mrs. Dick Clark.

Little Doris Pedlar has been on the sick list, but we are glad to know she is much improved.

Some of the young people from around here attended the party at E. Riley's at the Club House Friday night and report a good time.

Odessa Wickens of Kimberley spent a couple of weeks with her cousins, Jim and Ita Pedlar.

FEVERSHAM

On Thursday morning the sad news came from Weyburn, Sask., that Wm. Hawton had passed away with typhoid fever. He was an old Osprey boy and highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves behind one borther, George, of Weyburn and three sisters, Mary of Collingwood, Annie and Victoria in the West.

Married—On Monday, Nov. 26th at Flesherton by the Rev. H. H. Eaton, Miss Ethel Sayers of Feversham to J. H. Lanktree of the 4th line, Osprey. We offer congratulations.

On Wednesday Mr and Mrs. Laughlin wre surprised with a shower from the friendso of the bride. Eveerybody enjoyed a good time.

Don't forge the church concert at Feversham on Friday, Dec. 21st.

Harry Burk arrived home from Kindersley, Sask.

Your corrspondent listened in on trans-Atlantic test on Saturday night from ten to ten-thirty p.m. It came in clear and good.

An old time resident of Osprey and a pioneer passed away on Saturday, November 25th, a the home of his daughter, Mrs Holden of Stayner, John Freethy, at the age of ninety-nine years and six months. Interment took place at Mt. Zion, Rob Roy, on Wednesday, the 28th. His pastor, Rev. Phillips, of Stayner preached, assisted by Rev. Pickering of Singhampton and Rev Mills of Feversham.

The scarlet fever is bing well cleaned up under the care of Dr Guy.

Mrs. R. Henderson visited in Owen Sound over the week end.

Have Formed Branch Of Fox Association

At a meeting of the Ontario Fox Breeders, held in the Carls-Rite hotel, Toronto, last week, it was decided to form an Ontario branch of the Canadian Silver Fox Association. At the present time there are approximately 225 breeders in the province of Ontario, of which number ninety are already members of the Canadian Silver Fox association. Membership in the new association is restricted to breeders who are members of the Canadian Silver Fox Association.

The officers of the new association are as follows: E. C. H. Tisdale, Beaverton, president; W. H. C. Ruthven, Alliston, vice-president; C. K. Walton, Oakvillle, sec.-treas. The board of directors are Geo. W. Gillies, Arnprior, H. L. Clipsham, Sparrow Lake; Sim Coll, Ridgetown; J. E. Patte, Peterboro; J. M. McGillivray, Priceville.

PRICEVILLE

Quiet a number of Priceville Presbyterians attended the ordination and induction of Rev. Mr. Harrower in Flesherton on Thursday last.

Mr. C. G. Armour of Knox College preached two very fine sermons in the Presbyterian church here Sunday. Mr. Armour will have no difficulty in getting a call when he graduates next May.

The annual Sunday School entertainment will be given in the Presbyterian church here on December 14th. A splendid program is being prepared Supper in the basement from 6 to 8 o'clock. Program in the auditorium afterwards. Admission 35c. Keep the date open. Come and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. DonaldFerguson and three children visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Farquer McKinnon.

Miss B. Jelly spent Sunday at her home in Shelburne.

Miss H. Young, teacher at Inistioge school, was the guest of her friend, Miss Edna Nichol, over the week end.

Mr. Finley McPhail of Toronto visited his daughter, Miss Delhia and other friends here last week.

Mr. B. McKinnon of Toronto spent a day in town recently.

Miss A. Graham of Durham visited her aunt, Mrs. D. Graham, a few days last week.

Mrs. Roy Gartley of Alliston visited her aunt, Mrs. McMeekin, recently.

We are sorry to report the serious illness of Mr. Jask McKechnie's baby, who has pneumonia, also Miss Minnie Stothart and Miss Ruby Muir as ill. We hope to hear of all being soon restored to usual health.

Word was received of the very serious illness of Mrs. W. J. Blakestone of Stratford, who has undergone two or three operations. Mr. and Mrs. Blakestone are well known here and all hope to hear of better news soon.

On Sunday word came to Mrs. Martha Hazard of the death of her oldest son, John, who has been in Hamilton for the past fifteen months. Death came very suddenly while sitting at church service. Mrs. Hazard went down to Toronto Monday to meet the body. Miss Mary, who is in Toronto, will accompany the mother, the funeral being on Tuesday to the McNeil cemetery. We exeend our sympathy to Mrs. Hazard and family. Mr. Albert Hazard came home from Owen Sound and Miss Harriet from Mount Forest for their brother's funeral.

CEYLON

Messrs Roy Piper and Thos Genoe each sold a horse to Mr. Miller of Parry Sound for a good figure.

Mr. McWhinney of Hanover was a caller in town the past week. While here he purchased the Ashdown reidence and will take possession in the early spring. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ashdown intend moving back to Owen Sound to their residence there.

Mrs Knox, who has spent the summer out West, returned home on Friday. Her many friends are pleased to see hr.

Mr. John Cook of Meaford and Mrs. Thos. Cook of Markdale visited at R. Cook's on Thursday last

Mr. Joe Snell visited Toronto friends lats week.

Mr. James Ashdown of Notch Hill, B.C., arrived home on Monday to visit his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Ashdown, after an absence of nearly 20 years.

Mrs. Ed. Sergeant, woh has been visiting her son here, rteurned on Monday to her home in Owen Sound.

Word was receivd here Monday that John Hazard had passed away at Hamilton. The body was brought to Priceville Monday night for interment. Much sympathy is expressed for his widowed mother, three brothers and three sisters, in their sorrow.

Annivrsary services will be held in the church Sunday, Dec. 9th, when Mr. Vose will have charge of the service at 11 o'clock and 7 p.m. The choir is preparing special music for the occasion.

Since the report last week that J. L. McMullen saw a deer on his farm, on o four maidens not more than two miles from Ceylon murmers that no dars come near her, "they are just all hounds." But never mind, cheer up, 1924 is leap year and there might be a wedding-belle.

KIMBERLEY

Mr. J. A. Stuart's sale on Saturday was in the capable hands of Mr. J. A. Myles. About eighty sheep and some cattle were sold.

A meeting of the Foresters was held in the Community Hall on Saturday night.

A numbr of ladies met at the home of Mrs. Thos. Abercrombie last Wednesday afternoon and quilted a missionary quilt.

A meeting of the Poultry Association was held on Saturday night in the library. The committee to canvass for specials is as follows: In Flesherton and Eugnia, Mr. Wm. Haines; Markdale, Mr. A. E. Myles; Thornbury, Mr. R. M. Laundry: Kimberley and vicinity, N. E. Burritt.

Mr. J. A. Stuart had ten teams on the last day of November plowing his fifty acre farm. It was certainly an unusual sight, but Jap. believes in beating the weather man.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews have resigned at the H. E.P.. and intend spending a couple of months with Mr. and Mrs. Plewes. They moved down on Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Ellis is spending a couple weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Chard, at Flesherton.

Mr Harold Proctor and Miss Marjorie are in Toronto.

Mrs. Frank Davis of Vandeleur spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Plewes.

The Women's Institute was held on Thursday in the Community Hall. Mrs. J. T. Abercrombie gave a good paper on "Butter making.

PROTON STATION

Wonderful December weather.

We are sorry to report Mr. John Lyons Sr. very ill.

The post office was moved and installed in Mr. Still's house on Saturday night. Mr. Neil McCannell is the new postmaster.

The social events of the week were the "showers" given in honor of Miss Marie Sherson, bride-to-be. A miscellaneous shower was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Shearson when a goodly number, despite the showers falling from the clouds, were present and the popular lady was the recipient of many beautiful and practical gifts and the best wishes of the donors.

On Wednesday afternoon the Presbyterian Woman's Missoinary Society, of which Miss Sherson is secretary, met together at a tea at the home of Mrs. Roome. During the afternoon an address was read and Miss Sherson was presentd with a pyrex dish and frame.

MAXWELL

Mrs. McCallum Sr. is vsiting her daugter-in-law, Mrs. McCallum, in Flesherton.

Mrs. Walter Poole has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. W. E. Irwin, in Windsor for a couple of weeks.

Born—On November 27, 1923, to Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Duffield, a daughter, Eleanor.

The people of Maxwell intend giving Mr. and Mrs. Lanktree a miscellaneous shower this evening, Tuesday.

DIED

LYONS — In Artemesia township, near Proton Station, on Tuesday, December 4th 1923, John Lyons, aged 89 years. The funeral will take place to Flesherton cemetery this Thursday afternoon, the6th.

EUGENIA

We take pleasure in extending to Rev. and Mrs. Harrower a hearty welcome to the work of the Union church here, and we hope both congregations will go in with one accord and co-operate to make the work a success.

Quite a number attended the induction of Mr. Harrower on Thursday of last week in Flesherton.

Mr. Stanley Ellis was a visitor at Leonard Latimer's on Sunday last.

Miss Halbert, our energetic teacher, together iwth Mrs. Ern Proctor, are busy training the children for their Christmas entertainment, which will take place on Friday, Dec. 21st.

Mrs. McMullen and son, Russell, visited Kimberley friends recently.

Gerald and Ken Large, accompanied by Douglas Roe, provided orchestra music for the dance at Kimberley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley of the club house entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening last in their usual capable manner, and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

We are sorry to report Mr. Wm. Walker Sr. not so well again. Mr. Adam Smith has also been under the doctor's care. We hope soon to hear of both being much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hargrave of Toronto have taken apartments in Jacob William's house. We welcome them to our midst.

The W. M. S. is holding their regular monthly meeting this Thursday afternoon, when the ladies will be addressed by Mrs (Rev.) Harrower on social service work, with which she has been in close touch during the past few years, and which, no doubt will be of great interest. Ladies of the community are all heartily invited to attend. Lunch will be served at the close of the meeting. We believe the Flesherton ladies have also been invited to join the ladies here in the meeting.

Miss Georgina Smith has returned to her home here after having spent some months in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Welton of Flesherton visited at the Munshaw House onSunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gibson of Cataract are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gordon at present.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Miss Mary McCannel is visiting at Mr. Jas. Lockhart's.

Mrs. Krieger, home from South America on furlough, gave a very interesting and instructive address to the W. M. S. at Inistioge on Thursday and all those who were not present missed a treat. While here Mrs. Krieger was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Wm. Martin.

George Ludlow had the telephone installed this week.

We are cerainly enjoying a fine open fall. Occasionaly snow flurries but nevertheless one family was plowing and picking potatoes (second crop?) on December 1st.

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