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Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
8.00 a.m.	11.58a.m.
4.30 p.m.	9.30 p.m.

The mails close at Flesherton as follows: For the north at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south at 3.30. For morning train south at mail closes at 9.00 p.m. the previous evening.

Local Chaff

Cars are still running although the ground is well covered with snow.

Miss Evada Wilson was a recent visitor in Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. Davis of Toronto was visiting old friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Batty were in Toronto on Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Henderson has returned from visiting her sister at Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. A. Cross motored to Chesley last week and spent the week end with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howden of Caledonia visited the latter's sister, Mrs. C. F. Lawrence, here recently.

Mr. Norman Palmer of Rosemount and lady friend visited at C. D. Meldrum's on the fourth line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith of Markdale and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith were visitors last week with Mrs. Hanley.

Mrs. S. Roy is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Joe. Thompson, of Tryon.

Mrs. J. Jones, nee Eva Inkster, of Toronto, is visiting her parents here this week.

Messrs. G. A. McTavish and Geo. Brackenbury were in Toronto over the week end.

Mr. Sam Semple has moved to town again and is occupying part of Mr. A Shackleford's residence.

Mrs. Martin Phillips has returned from visiting members of her family in Toronto.

Social evening at the Young People's Society in the Methodist church Monday evening Everybody bring lunch and all welcome.

Mrs. W. A. Armstrong is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Hyland, who is taking treatment for nervous trouble.

Rev. H. H. Eaton is in Owen Sound attending the Distirct Meeting and Spiritual Conference, and is making an address.

Warden McTavish, Reeve T. R. McKenzie and Deputy-Reeve J. A. Hogarth of Artemesia are in Owen Sound this week attending County Council.

Quite a large number from here were in Toronto last week attending the Royal Winter fair, which is one of the largest stock shows on the continent.

A sale of wicker work made by the blind is being held this week in the McDonald Block Flesherton, Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons. Come and see if there is anything you would like to have.

Mr. Wm. Sinclair of Whitby was in town last week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sinclair, returned with him for the winter months. Their house here will be locked and not rented.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will hold a bazaar on Saturday, December 6th in the McDonald Block. Fancy goods, home-made cooking, candy, vegetables, etc. will be on sale. Afternoon tea will be served. Doors open at 2.30 p.m.

Markdale high school holds the commencement exercises in the armories on Friday evening at 8 p.m. Splendid program of songs, solos, recitations and the play Scott's "Lady of the Lake" dramatized. Markdale orchestra in attendance. Admission 25 cents.

Mrs. Boyd Thompson received word on Friday morning of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Andrew Cullen, of Silver Creek, N.Y., on Tuesday, November 18th, and was buried at that place. The late Mr. Cullen was a half brother of Mr. Johnston Cullen of the east back line.

Surprise Party Given To Presbyterian Ladies

Mrs. T. W. Wilson And Mrs. Jos. Blackburn Received Presents

An event of great surprise to the recipients was the social evning held at the home of Mrs. F. W. Duncan on Friday evening, November 14th, by the Ladies' Aid of Chalmer's church when a presentation was made to Mrs T .W Wilson and Mrs. Jos. Blackburn, two valued members. Mrs. Wilson has been convenor of the flower committee of the church for a number of years, while Mrs. Blackburn has been organist. In recognition of their valuable services the former was presented with a handsome wicker vase and the latter a bautiful wicker tray and sandwich basket, the presentation being made by. Mrs (Rev.) Harrower. The ladies were taken completely by surprise and in a few words thanked the Ladies' Aid for their kindness. About thirty of the ladies were present and a very jolly and pleasant evening was spent. A very interesting part of the gathering was the presence of Mrs. A. S. VanDusen, who was the first president of the Ladies' Aid at its organization over forty years ago.

Presentation Made By Young People Of Town

A "shower" was given to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hales at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. L. McMullen, on Thursday evening, November 13th by the groom's many male friends from here. The happy young couple were the recipients of a handsome vanity dresser, oak rocker and chairs, half a dozen each of knives, forks and spoons and other useful articles. Although the night was stormy a large number of gentlemen and iadies from town were present and joined in the surprise for the young folks. After best wishes were given the bride and groom the company enjoyed refreshments and a genial time was spent by everybody.

Royalty To Dog Snipers

In every Township in Ontario there is a sheep fund to provide payment to those whose sheep have been killed or worried by dogs, says the Chesley Enterprise. The payment of inspectors for assessing the value of damages is also taken from the sheep fund. We notice that one Township Council has struck out along new lines and offers a reward of $10 for every dog shot while worrying sheep. That's as wise a regulation as paying a bounty for every wolf's hide. Other means having failed to stop the ravages of sheep-worrying dogs we will see what effect the old reliable shot gun and rifle will accomplish. We remember as a boy seeing a dog chasing a neighbor's sheep one bright moonlight night. Our father. had an old pioneer muzzle-loading shot gun he slipped across the road, rested the musket on a rail fence and as the dog came near he let blaze and there was one less wolfish canine in this province. Nobody ever claimed the dog and dear old dad was complimented by the neighbors for being a crack shot. We would recommend the reward of $10 to dog snipers by Bentinck Council. That would encourage straight shooting and pile up a surplus in the sheep fund.

The same could be applied to artemesia and Osprey township where the losses of sheep killed are considerable.—Ed.

SHOOTNG MATCH

Shooting Match Friday of this week ducks and geese, ammunition supplied.—R. Fisher, lot 39, con. 4, Artemesia.

A shooting match for ducks will be held at L. A. Fisher's, Flesherton, on Saturday afternoon, November 29th. Ammunition supplied.

A shooting match will be held at Thos. Fenwick's, 8th line, Artemesia, on Monday, December 1st when 40 ducks, geese and turkeys will be competed for. Ammunition supplied for shotguns.

BORN

MELDRUM—In Artemesia on Saturday, November 22nd, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Meldrum a son, Donald William.

Rev. Mahaffy Explains Church Union As It Affects This Church

At the regular services in the Presbyterian churches of Flesherton, Eugenia and Proton last Sunday the Rev. Mr. Mahaffy of Orangeville addressed these congregations as representative of Presbytery and Synod of the United Church of Canada. His address was on "Our Congregation and the United Church."

Mr Mahaffy's address was so comprehensive and satisfying that all present felt that most, if not all, disturbing questions re church union and its effect upon these congregations were fully and satisfactorily dealt with and answered.

When the time comes for these congregations to decide whether or not they shall go forward into the United Church their minister hopes that no local prejudice willcause any divisions among the people.

Following are the facts set forth by Mr. Mahaffy:

When a congregation enters with its church into union it will carry on every branch of its work as it has done in the past. Its Trustees, Session, Board of Managers, Women's organizations, Young People's Societies, minister, elders and all officers will maintain their present standing and continue their functions as before. The order of worship and the Book of Praise will remain unchanged.

Every congregation entering the United Church will retain its right of self-determination. This is specifically set forth in the Basis of Union, and guaranteed by Act of Parliament.

The United Church will have no power to compel one congregation to unite with another. Local opinion and all the circumstances will be taken into consideration, and the people will be consulted before any change takes place.

In the management of their local affairs the various congregations of negotiating churches shall be entitled to continue the organization and practices enjoyed by them at the time of the Union, subject in general affairs to the legislation, principles and discipline of the United Church. Their representatives in the next higher governing body or court shall be chosen as at present.

The liberty of the pastoral charge shall be recognized to the fullest extent compatible with the oversight of the spiritual interests of the charge by the Minister and a body of men chosen and set apart or ordained for the work, who shall jointly constitute the session.

If minister and congregation both enter the United Church the pastoral relationship is uninterrupted.

The right of the congregation to call its own minister is guaranteed, and the pastoral term is "without time limit."

The oversight of the conduct of ministers will be in the hands of the Presbytery as at present.

The property rights of a congregation will be unaffected by the Union.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada will continue its life and work uninterrupted and unbroken in the United Church of Canada, and only by going with its mother church into the Union can a congregation continue as a part of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Jas. Dargavel Bought Prize Fox for $1,000

Mr. James Dargavel, owner of the Rock Mills Fox Ranch while up hunting this fall sold a pair of proved breeding foxes to Mr. M. Nesbitt of Ardbeg for $1200.

While at the Royal Winter Fair at Toronto last week Mr. Dargavel purchased a prize winning fox pup from the Pure Canadian Fox Co. of Prince Edward Island, for which he paid the handsome sum of $1000.

MAXWELL PUBLIC SCHOOL

4th Class—Clarence Chard, Annie Priestly*, Lorna Chard*, Annie Robertson*, Vern Pallister*, Dorothy Bemrose*, Verna Long, Mary Bremner, Violet Parker*, Helena Long, Clara Huff, Warren Morrison*, R. J. Udell, Orval Parker not ranked.

Sr. 3—Mabel Ross, Margaret Bremner.

Jr. 3—Mary Bemrose*, Allen Duffield*, Mary Long*, John Bemrose*, Ruby Robertson, Goldie Udell.

Sr. 2 — Kathleen Morrison*, Cecil Chard*, Marjorie Seeley, Jean Young* Eldon McCutcheon.

Jr. 2—Marjorie Guy*, Robert Long, Arleen Pallister.

1st Class—Arthur Lawlor.

Pr.—May Linley, Belva Long, Billie Kerton equal, Robert Priestly, Isabel Pallister, Irene Parker, Marie Chard, Stella Young, Lloyd Morrison*.

Those marked * were present every day. Average attendance 36.

—Helen Maynard, Teacher.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish, through The Advance. to thank the kind friends and neighbors for assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of our father, the late James Russell.

—Sons and Daughters.

Thieving from horse sheds is rampant in Durham.

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PRICEVILLE

Mr. Geo. A. Watson is on a business trip to Toronto this week.

Misses Mary and Florence Carson of Holland Centre visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Carson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley from near Dromore spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ramage.

Mrs. Parslow of Flesherton spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. John Nichol.

Miss Edith James is in Toronto as a delegate to the Women's Institute convention.

Mr R. J. Sim made a business trip to Arthur on Saturday.

Mr W. W. Ramage visited friends in Durham on Saturday.

Mrs. D. Graham is visiting friends in Woodbridge at present.

Mrs. Scaife of Toronto has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. S. McDermid, during the past week.

Mrs. Parker of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Oliver, and brother, Donald McKinnon, of the South Line.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. A. McVicar on Monday, November 17th, 1924, a son. Congratulations.

MAJORITY FOR O.T.A. NOW STANDS AT 36,682

With complete returns from all but four ridings in the possession of the Provincial Government, the result of the liquor plebiscite in Ontario on October 23rd shows a majority of 36,682 in favor of the total vote of 1,134,016. The figures are:—For the O.T.A. 585,439, for Government Control 548,667.

The total vote is exactly 122 more than the total vote cast in 1919 on the question of Government control. On that occasion the majority in favor of the Ontario Temperance Act was more than 400,000.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

The W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. L. A. Fisher on Wednesday, December 3rd at 3 o'clock. Paper by Mrs. L. Fisher on "The Value of Cheerfulness"; music; roll call a humorous story; social half hour. Bakng Com. — Cake, Mrs. Hickling, Mrs. W. Moore; Sandwich, Mrs. W. H. Thurston, Mrs. H. Down and Miss McMillan.

GOING FAST

We placed on sale a few days ago a quantity of lovely glassware.

There are yet some very beautiful pieces to be sold and we would advise you to buy now.

The goods are priced in many cases below cost, but all will go at 69 cents.

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JEWELERS

Flesherton, Ont.

While taking his usual after-dinner nap, James Feehan, on of the oldest and best known men of Arthur township, passed away in his sleep.

J. McMaster, 8th line, Erin, while lifting turnips on his farm, found an exceptionally large smooth, clean, single rooted turnip which balanced the scales at 18 pounds.

Wm. Grant of Normanby was run down by an auto on the provincial highway and sustained a broken leg and several other injuries. The owner of the car lives in Preston.

Alex. Duncan, a former resident of Durham, was killed by an auto in New York city.

A Few Reminders to Those Who Sell Poultry

(1) We do not buy poultry after Wednesday of each week.

(2) We do not buy live hens that are moulting.

(3) 10% of weight will be deducted if dressed poultry is not well chilled.

(4) Dress geese and ducks with heads and wing tips off. Hen chickens and turkeys must be bled in mouth and have heads on.

(5) Poultry must be well starved before killing.

(6) Two weeks fattening will finish your fowl. Do not sell "skins"; you will be disappointed.

(7) Last but not least—Sell the kind of poultry you would like to buy.

A. E. HAW

General Store - CEYLON

Cash Cream Station - Store closes every Tues. and Fri. eve.

Flesherton--Ceylon--Rock Mills Baptist Churches

The special meetings are being continued on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday nights in the Flesherton church and all day on Sunday. The week night sevrices will commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

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