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KEPT THE LID ON

When Mayor E. N. Cooper of Meaford made the representaations to the Attorney General, some weeks ago, that Angus Tuohy, a former Meaford hotel keeper had been improperly arrested and tried by Magistrate Creasor with Matthew Beckett prosecuting, an interesting chain of events was set in motion.

The attorney General referred the complaint to the two Owen Sounders with the result that Beckett jumped into print with a big splurge on the front page of the Owen Sound Sun. He was going to make Mayor Cooper prove his charges or eat 'em. Full publicity was given by the Owen Sound papers, and whether intentionally or not, the impression was given that Mayor Cooper had barked his shins on a hornets nest, and was decidedly "in wrong."

Magistrate Creasor followed with a very discreet interview to the paper, to the effect that everything between him and the Meaford Mayor had been fixed up

Mayor Cooper ignored the paper "campaign" of Beckett and Creasor, beyond the simple statement that he had withdrawn nothing and retracted nothing.

Then followed the investigation at Toronto which Cooper had requested. The details of this memorable meeting betwen the Mayor and the License Inspector are only whispered.

After the investigation, however the Attorney General's office wired the Owen Sound jail, ordering Tuohy's release immediately and that a car be hired to transport him to his home—after he had served only one week more than half his sentence, according to our information. The Department appears not to have delayed long enough for a letter to release the man whom Mayor Cooper charged had been wrongly arrested.

A mysterious silence fell upon the Owen Sound paper following Tuohy's release. Where it had given flaring headlines to Beckett's injudicious interviews, it dismissed the final outcome with an obscure paragraph, thus leaving, beyond question, an impression that whatever the outcome, Meaord's mayor had come out second best in his encounter with Beckett. The fact that Mayor E. N. Cooper is one of the outstanding Conservatives of North Grey may or may not have some bearing on the treatment he has received from the Owen Sound journal.

CROP PROSPECTS

The open season is now at hand for crop estimators and prophets to get in their work, and there is plenty of evidence, that they are as busy as usual at this season of the year. Crop estimating is really of great value to the commercial world, and is a means of getting some much needed information to business men whose enterprises depend largely upon the prosperity of the farmer. There is also much harm done, in the aggregate, from careless, and too optimistic estimates which are broadcasted widely, merely because they happen to come from some individual whose standing is an important one, but who does not necessarily know much about actual crop conditions. Farmers complain annually, that crop estimates do them a great deal of harm and only benefit urban folk; but the best argument in favour of legimate crop estimating is the fgact that if it had not become an ecomomic necessity it would not be conducted upon such a large scale by governments and reliable commercial concerns.

At the same time it should be remembered that forecasts of crops at this time of year are very apt to be found misleading later in the season. The poorest farmer knows that much may happen between seeding and harvest, and we are barely past the seeding season now. Our experience is that crop conditions are usually pretty much the same year after year at this time in the growing season, unless it is a year when the season is much later than usual. June is usaully a good growing month, and everything looks at its best. Even the most pessimistic person looks his brightest in June. Grass is as abundant as it ever will be, the cows are contented on good pasture, the hens have not stopped laying and the market cattle are coming off the grass, fat and ready for the butcher. Many of us forget that it is July and August that tell the real story of the season's returns, and that it is never safe to indulge in expensive luxuries on the strength of June crop prospects.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The new beer has not been such a success as Premier Ferguson hoped for.

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In the death recently of Col. Geo. T. Dennison of Toronto, Toronto loses a distinguished citizen and the Empire a devoted patriot.

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Each political party in convention is assured that nothing in the world is better than their party. Optimism is a wonderful thing.

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We read in the daily papers of drowning by canoes upsetting.; A canoe is no plaything for a person who is not familiar with its way.

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Flesherton's Memorial park is being advertised by the Ontario Motor League as a camping ground for tourists. Eugenia Hydro Park is also an excellent place for camping, both for conveniences and scenic beauty.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL

The first sitting of the Court of revision of the assement of 1925 was held at the town hall on Saturday, June 6th, 1925.

The Council were all present, and made the required oath as members of the Court, when the following appeals were heard and disposed of: Ed. Littlejohns, assessment reduced, was sustained; W. G. Lee, assessment on lot 127, 2 N.E. was reduced $50; James Cargo, assessment lots 128 and 129, Con. 3, N. E., reduced $50; J. L. Irving, assessment on lots 130 and 131, Con. 3, N.E., left same as last year.

Corbett—Hogarth: That the assessment roll of the Township of Artemesia, 1925, as revised by this Court be the assessment roll for all purposes for 1925. —Carried.

—The Court adjourned.

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After the Court of Revsion the Council met for general business, the Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Erskine, Deputy Reeve of Euphrasia was a visitor at the meeting.

Several ratepayers of the South Line waited upon the Council in reference to deviating 40 sideroad to south line. Mr. Mahaffy was present representing indemnity insurance, with a sample policy.

Assessor A. D. McLeod was present at the meeting.

Mr. Williamson and Mr. Hogarth reported as to the work in their divisions. Messrs .McKenzie Hogarth and Carruthers reported as:-

Corbett—Wiliamson:- That J. W. Eagle be refunded $2.00, he having been taxed for dog in 1924 and name appearing in assement notice.—Carried.

Williamson—Corbett :- That Assessor A. D. McLeod be paid $15.00 fees for equalizing the Union School section.

Carruthers—Hogarth:- That the Reeve and the Mover proceed with the building of the Phillips bridge at Lot 40, Con 4 and 5. Carried.

Hogarth—Carruthers:- That this council accept the Globe Indemnity Insurance policy dating from 5. June 1925, for 12 months, at a premium of $145.00. Lost.

Carruthers—Williamson:- That Mr. Hogarth report on work in Div.3 for grading, operating snow plough, and work at McLeod's hill on base line be received, and he be paid $30 for 10 days work.—Carried.

Hogarth—Corbett:- That J. Wilkiamson be paid $21.25 for overseeing work, and $3.30 commission. Carried.

The council adjourned.

BORN

BEMROSE—To Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bemrose, on June 19th, a daughter, Patricia Matilda.

DUNCAN—In Flesherton on Wednesday, June 17th, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Duncan, a daughter, Jean Elizabeth.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Wm. Hislop and daughters, Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Magee desire to thank the many friends and neighbors for their acts of helpfulness aod sympathy during the illness and at the time of the death of the late George Hislop.

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Mrs. J. Patton and Mrs. J. Sewell wish to thank their neighbors and friends for sympathy and assistance during the illness and passing of the late Wm. Reid.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY IN THE TOWNSHIP OF OSPREY.

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction on **Tuesday, the 30th day of June, 1925,** at the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon **at the Munshaw-Welton House, Flesherton.**

By virtue of the power of a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the sale, the following property:-

Lots Twelve and Thirteen in the Tenth Concession of the Township of Osprey, in the County of Grey, containing two hundred acres more or less:-

The following improvements are said to be on the property:

Abiut 100 acres under cultivation, about 25 acres pasture land, about 50 acres timbered, balance swamp; well fenced and well watered, small orchard. The buildings are: a frame dwelling, frame woodshed, barn and stable.

TERMS—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, for balance terms will be made known at the sale. For further particulars apply to

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KIMBERLEY

We regret very much to report the passing of one of our oldest pioneers, Mr. Elijah Gilbert, on Tuesday, June 16th at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Neely of Toronto, where he and Mrs. Gibert had gone for a visit. Mr. Gilbert had taken ill with pleurisy and was only sick a few days. He was taken to Glenco, his former home, and laid to rest. Mr. Gilbert was of a very kindly disposition and a good neighbor and, having lived at Kimberley for about 50 years, will be greatly missed. He leaves to mourn his loss four sons and five daughters, along with his aged partner. His sons are: Melvin of Grand Forks, Vincent and Jasper of British Columbia and Willard on the homestead; the daughters: Mrs. Will Hutchinson, Vandeleur; Mrs. Whitfield of Glenco; Mrs. — (Jessie) of Grand Forks; Mrs. Neely and Miss Olive of Toronto.

Our Normal students, Miss Tena Hutchinson, Miss Bessie Stafford and Miss Lillian Abercrombie, are home. We wish them sucecss in their exams. Miss Villa Ward of Markdale high school is also home.

Miss Jean Graham is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Proctor.

Kimberley young people are putting on their play, "Aunt Jerushy On the Warpath," at Vandeleur on Friday, June 26th. Admission 25 & 15.

Miss Alma Camack is home for some holidays.

The district W. I. meets in the community hall on Thursday of this week ,also the Board of Agriculture.

We understand that both of our teachers have been re-engaged for another year.

Misses Jean and Marion Stuart visited with Mrs. Irwin Monday.

Mr. D. L. Weber is building a cement bridge over the river branch on the centre street.

Mr. S. S. Burritt is putting up a garage for Mr. T. Cornfield this week.

Valcartier military camp has been leased by the Dominion Government for a period of 99years. It came into prominence the first year of the war..

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Tricolette Blouses
Just six of these blouses left, made with the new cascade on front, in sand and brown, tanguine and white, rose and grey, salmon and white and black and white. One of the newest Blouses made for $3.50.
Ladies' Chambray Dresses in grey and mauve suitable for afternoons, made both in large and extra large sizes. Good quality $2.25.
Ladies' Gingham Dresses in all colors of checks, in all sizes $125.
Ladies' White Dimity Night Gowns, short sleeve, trimmed with blue and pink $1.25.
32 inch Duck Gingham
The good guaranteed fast color Ginghams in plain and check colors. These are the wide 32 inch width and good weight 38c.
Ladies' Pure Silk Hose
Milady will require several of these good silk hose in all the best shades, namely, Topaz. Nude, Airdale, Light Tan, Black, Light and Dark Grey, Black and White, to wear with the new ensemble suit or coat. These hose range in price from $1.00 to $1.95.
SPECIAL in Ladies' Colored Cotton Hose in Sunburn, Black and Stove shades. Special price 35c. per pair.
Special in Ladies' Hair Nets
We have just received a quantity of Ladies' Hair Nets. Real value for the special price of 4 for 15c.
We still have a large assortment of Summer Materials such as Voiles, Ratines and Creres of every color, ranging in prices from 58c. to $2.00 per yard.
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FLESHERTON

July 9
KEEP THIS DATE OPEN
Flesh ert'n
BIG DAY OF SPORTS
East Grey Ag'l. Society
BASEBALL
DUNDALK vs FLESHERTON
SOFTBALL
KIMBERLEY vs FLESHERTON
HORSE RACING
Purse of $100
The local race horse owners' assoc. will Provide This Feature
HORSESHOE PITCHING CONTEST
Running Races For Children
Excellent Prizes Will be Awarded for of the Above Events.
Concert in the Evening
At High School Auditorium
REMEMBER THE DATE

Orangeville proposes to cut the town treasurer's salary from $2,000 to $1,200 as a matter of economy.

The Purebred Jersey Breeders Club of Grey County met in Owen Sound last week.

The service station Method, at Owen Sound, wins the praise of the motorists there.

YOUR EYES
An oportunity is extended to those who have defective eyesight or who need changes in glasses to visit our store on July 1, 2, 3 and 4.
Dr. J. G. Russell, R.O., the well known eyesight specialist of Hamilton
will be in attendance to make examinations and, if necessary, supply correct lenses or complete glasses
This is an excellent opportunity for the people in Flesherton and surrounding country to get just what you require for defective vision and we would suggest that you telephone for an appointment on any of the above dates.
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