WM. J. BOWES HEAD OF GREY SHORTHORN BREEDERS

The Grey County Shorthorn Breeders' Association held their annual meeting in the Department of Agriculture, Markdale, on January 2nd. A good attendance was present. The following officers were elected:—William J. Bowes, Pres., Markdale; Frank W. Taylor, Vice-Pres., Markdale; J. Aubrey Foster, Sec.-Treas., Markdale; Directors, William Batty, George Anderson, Ed. Littlejohns, T. S. Cooper. Arrangements were made for holding of the annual sale early in June.

FLESHERTON AND EAST GREY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Annual Meeting of the above will be held in the town hall, Flesherton, on Thursday, January 21st next at 2 o'clock p.m. It is hoped that everyone interested have the welfare and success of the Society at heart will try to be present and come prepared to boost the annual fair. Those at present not members will obtain cards from the Secretary upon payment of one dollar.

Robt. Richardson, President.
S. E. DeCudmore, Secretary.

Walker--Warling

At the Manse, Vaughen Road, Toronto, on Wednesday, January 6th, 1926, at one o'clock when Miss Leila Warling, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Warling, 56 Bracton Ave., Toronto, Ont., formerly of Vandeleur, became the bride of Mr. Wm. E. Walker, only son of Mrs. and the late Wm. Walker of Eugenia. Rev. H. S. Clugston officiated.

The bride was given awayok pron

The bride wore a gown of honeydew canton faced crepe with coat of brown velour with hat to match. She wore the groom's gift of a rope of pearls and was attended by her cousin, Miss Maud Hemphill, while Mr. Percy Hemphill acted as groomsman.

The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold brooch set with pearls and to the groomsman gold Masonic cuff links. The young couple returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a jolly time was spent during the afternoon and evening.

Courtesy is very like an air cushion, there may be nothing in it, but it eases the jolt wonderfully.

Twenty Cattle Shipped For Export to England

COUNCILLOR HERB. CORBETT HAD FINE BUNCH OF STEERS THAT AVERAGED 1208 LBS.

Councillor Herb Corbett of Cloverbrae Farm, Artemesia, delivered recently to Messrs. Stothart and Frook of Priceville twenty-three cattle of which twenty were steers. They were big fellows and averaged twelve hundred and eight pounds each and were billed through to St. John, N.B., for export purposes.

This is not the first time that Mr. Corbett's cattle have been selected for the export class and shows what good breeding will accomplish. The export market to England has been a boon to the farmers of Canada and each year since the embargo has been lifted the number being sold this way is steadily increasing, as the quality of the Canadian cattle becomes better known. The cost of transporting the cattle to England is $20 per head now, and efforts are being made to have this price materially reduced, but not much headway has been made as yet. As the tonnage has been scarce for the transporting of live stock another steamship line with four boats with a carrying capacity of over 1200 animals, has been added to the route and will assist in reducing the congestion as boats were needed for the work. The export business has been a great help in stabilizing the price of beef and if the best of steers are raised and shipped, more markets will open to receive these cattle.

A WRONG IDEA

Do all our readers know that it is the legal duty of anybody who finds an article of any kind to advertise the same at once? Some people fancy that by holding a thing without saying anything about it for an indefinite period, such an article becomes their own property, if for some reason the lawful owner has not advertised his loss. That is a wrong idea. It is only after an article has been legally advertised, and the owner fails to turn up, that the finder has the right of possession.

Scarcely a dozen women in London have been fined for breaches of motor laws in a year. Most of them play safe by doing most of their driving from the back seat.

74 Cars of Livestock Shipped Last Year by A. & O. Association

The Osprey and Artemesia Live Stock Shipping Association closed a successful year when their committee met at Eugenia on Thursday, January 7th, 1926, to receive the shipper's report and review the business of the past year.

The report showed that 74 cars of live stock were shipped, made up of 5,412 head with a money value of $123,756.71, an increase in stock of 10 per cent. and in money value of 30 per cent. over the previous year.

Owing to the increased value of live stock the present insurance rate was considered too low and was therefore raised to 10 cents per head on cattle and three cents per head on all other classes of live stock. The shipping rate for the present year will be cattle 40 cents per cwt.; Sheep 60 cents; hogs, F. and W., 55 cents, which was a raise of five cents a head on sheep and all other stock the same as last year. The insurance fund was reduced during the year by $33.33 and at present stands at $144.60.

Another important change in the by-laws was made when, at the request of Mr. Spofford, who was re-engaged as shipper, the pro-rating of the statements will be done in the head office of the U.F. Co-operative Live Stock Dept., Toronto.

A change in the method of handling and purchasing of supplies was also made, Mr. Spofford taking over the work. He will always try to have on hand a supply at the store room at the Park House, Flesherton, of sugar, salt, flour and feeds of all kinds.

Mr. Thos. Sled was re-elected President with Mr. John Poole as Vice-President and Mr. A. Cameron secretary. The committee acknowledges the loyalty and co-operation of all members of the Association during the past year and trust that the same spirit of harmony may prevail and mutual benefit result during the present year.

ROCK MILLS BAPTIST CHURCH HOLDS FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

The first annual meeting of the Rock Mills Baptist church was held on Saturday last. A small, but very enthusiastic gathering heard the several reports, which came in from the various departments, and the church had a very good year. Many noticeable features have been accomplished, among these being the installation of a new Baptistry with a small dressing room, the organization of a Sunday school and Cradle Roll department. On June 26th, 1925, the church was organized and recognized as a regular Baptist church by the brethren of the Owen Sound Association of Baptists, and during the summer months a Young People's Society was established which did splendid work while in operation.

The attendance at both church and Sunday school has been very encouraging. On one particular Sunday the attendance at the school went over the century mark, thereby creating a new record for the township. About $112 was taken in by the school during the year.

The church was able to meet all demands financially and is practically free from debt. This condition is largely due to the untiring efforts of the Rock Mills Ladies' Aid. This organization had a splendid year and was successful not only financially, but also in the valued service that has been rendered to the community. The efforts at the organ of Mrs. C. Hanley who plays for the church, are highly appreciated; and the same may be said of Mrs. Robt. Croft, who does the same for the Sunday school.

New Houses to be Built

More building is to take place in Flesherton the coming summer when two houses will be built on Toronto street on lots purchased from Mr. G. B. Welton. Mr. C. J. Crossley, who is residing in Toronto at present, will build a seven room bungalow and Mr. G. B. Brackenbury will also erect a house, but the style has not been decided upon as yet. Both the contracts for building have been let to Mr. Sheldon Myers of town, who received quite a number of building contracts during the past summer. Mr. W. A. Armstrong will complete his new home which is being built on lots adjacent to his residence which he now occupies, in the spring. Mr. Myers also has this contract.

Every motorist knows the danger and difficulty of driving with a wet windshield, so this tip may be valuable. A solution of two ounces of glycerine and one dram of common salt, mixed well in an ounce of water will keep the windshield clear in all kinds of weather. It should be applied in a thin layer with a piece of gauze, a downward stroke being used.

GIRLS CHARGED BEING DRUNK

On the heels of a report that two Hanover girls, who attended a recent dance in the Town Hall here, so far forgot the propriety of the thing as to bunk, after the fling, in a Walkerton barn for the night, comes the rather sensational news that two other Hanover lassies are being called upon to answer to a charge of being drunk in a public place. Two young blades, who are said to have been with the latter damsels, are being sought by the Hanover baton weilder, Constable Beamish, in connection with the alleged intoxication of the two females, but as they are among the missing, it is believed they have skipped. Some heroes, if true! For unlike the flight of Mahomet from Mecca this will hardly be remembered by historians to their credit.—Herald & Times.

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FOX FARMING FLOURISHING

Last year was a successful one for the fox industry in Canada, according to the latest annual report of Hon. W. R Motherwell, minister of Agriculture. Prince Edward Island alone exported 5.000 foxes, most of them going to the United States, and the industry made considerable progress in the other provinces. The keen demand for live foxes had a good effect on the pelt trade, the prices obtained being higher than in the previous year. Of late years there has been an increased demand for furs, which, with the diminishing supply in the wilds, makes the farming of fur bearing animals a remunerative undertaking. The silver fox pelt still continues to be the most popular. The interest taken elsewhere in the Canadian fox industry s shown by the large number of enquiries as to where good breeding stock can be obtained received by the Dominion Live Stock Branch from the United States and many countries of Europe.

Findlay's Community Talk

We wish at this time to express our appreciation of the confidence you have placed in us by the business you left with us during the last year, and more especially during the last six months, Business being away above our expectations, and we would like to say that we are glad to live and do business in Flesherton. It is where you and I have our homes. Hence you and we are interested in Flesherton. We are interested in its growth and prosperity. You and we share it's ups and downs. All of you have made it what it is, and we ajl hope to make it better and better as time goes on. The best town is the town that has the best people. Let us do our best to be the best and make Flesherton the best. We can honestly assure you our main effort and ideal of business is to give you the best service with best goods at best prices possible. Our motto at all times is **SERVICE.**

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FOR SALE — Good driving horse, harness and robe for sale at once.—Chas. McEachnie, Flesherton.

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FOR SALE — Bell organ in first class condition; price reasonable.—T. J. Stinson, Proton Station P.O.

FOR SALE—Hand or power cutting box for sale, also a quantity of good seed oats.—Walter Akitt, Rock Mills.

FOR SALE — 20 h.p. engine and grain thresher with belts, steel water tank and wagon, tank pump with new hose, chains, oils and greases, to be sold at once as I am giving up threshing.—Marshall Kerton, Flesherton, Ont.

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Chopping done Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. — Graham Bros., Eugenia.

WANTED—Good reliable dealer or agent for the "David Grimes" Inverse Duplex Radio Receiver. For full particulars write Chas. Fleming, Distributor, Hanover, Ont.

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