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"ONWARD" NEWS

(Intended for last week)

A general meeting of the Onward U.F.Y.P.O. was held on Thursday evening, the 10th. The president, W. Hincks, occupied the chair and the meeting was opened by the singing of the Maple Leaf Forever, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The roll call was answered by "the work you dislike on the farm." The main evening's topic was "How to keep the young people on the farm," and interesting papers on this subject were given by Miss Lottie Whittaker, Will McKenzie and W. B. Williamson. The first edition of the Onward Eye Opener was given by Alfred Hincks and his correspondents and was well received. This paper is off to a good start again and any strange occurrences of the vicinity will be kept in close tab through the Vicinity News columns. Humorous readings were given by John Russell and Elford Watters, which completed the program. The next meeting will be held on March 3rd.

F. R. Oliver, M.P.P., left for Toronto on Monday, after spending the week end at his home.

Mr. Harold McKechnie of Durham spent the week end with F. R. Oliver.

A three-act play "My Irish Rose," is being prepared by the Onward young people.

PRICEVILLE W. M. S. AND LADIES' AID

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. of St. Columba church, Priceville, was held at the home of Mrs. H. B. McLean on Wednesday of last week.

The President, Mrs. McCormack, was in the chair, and the meeting opened by singing and scripture reading, followed by praver by Mrs. Robt. Parslow. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting the roll call was answered by text on "Trust." Mrs. D. G. McLean and Mrs. J. Williamson had charge of the "Watch Tower" for this month and gave suitable readings. The study chapter for the meeting, "In the Steps of the Great Physician," was ably presented by Mrs. E. Ritchie.

Miss Grace Ramage favored with a sweet solo, "His Eye is on the Sparrow," after which the meeting was brought to a close by the singing of a hymn and the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

The Ladies' Aid then convened with Mrs. L. McArthur, the President, in the chair. Several matters of business were disposed of and plans were made to hold a St. Patrick social the 17th of March.

At the close of the meeting the usual social hour was enjoyed, while lunch was served.

DIED

GILLESPIE — In Toronto on Monday, February 21st, Teddy Gillespie, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gillespie nee Leone Thompson) aged 7 years.

See "The Juggsville Convention" in the high school, Flesherton, on Friday, March 4th, under auspices of St. Johns Ladies' Aid. Come prepared to enjoy a good laugh.

CEYLON

Mrs. Murdock and son of Caledon visited the former's sisters, Mrs. John and Mrs. Sandy McFadden, here, the past week.

Miss Maud Hemphill spent a few days of the past week with Miss T. Spofford at Feversham.

Mr. Hugh McPherson attended the funeral of the late Mrs. McDonald at Bentinck last week.

Master John McMillan spent a day in Toronto last week.

Mr. Albert Archibald of Chatham and Mrs. Alfred Fritz of Hanover visited their mother. Mrs. Sara Archibadl, on Monday.

Mr. S. Hemphill left on Monday to visit his daughter in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker gave a party to their neighbors and friends on Friday evening, when a most enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Mrs. Archie Stewart received a message on Monday that her nephew Mr. Frank Quigg, fourth eldest son of Mr. Thomas Quigg, who lives at Highrite, Alta., had been accidently shot while out hunting on February 10th. His chum heard a movement among the bushes and believing it to be a deer, fired into the bush, the shot striking Frank and killing him instantly. It is a very regrettable affair and much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Quigg and family, who are heart broken. The deceased was 24 years of age and was laid to rest on February 13th, followed by a large cortage of sympathizing friends. Full details have not been received by Mrs. Stewart.

The Ladies' Aid meet this Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thos. Gilchrist.

Mr. W. Calahan of Orangeville visited with his wife here the first of the week.

Mr. Harold Spofford had a car of wheat and one of corn arrive on Friday and Saturday. W. J. Stewart & Sons and Mr. Earl Best unloaded car loads of feed at this depot Friday, Saturday and Monday.

Miss Levern Hill of Toronto is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Piper.

We understand that Mr. Allie Muir of Six Corners is the first of the season to have a car.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Marshall and babe and daughter, Stella, spent the week end with their daughter at Bolton.

Mr. John McWilliams, who has been working in the woods in the north country, returned home on Monday.

LADY BANK

Ideal winter weather at time of writing.

Mrs. Wm. Semple was the guest of Mrs. Thos. Fenwick one day last week.

Mr Phillip Ottewell and family wish to thank the Ladies' Aid of Providence for the sympathy shown in sending the lovely spray of flowers. Mr. Ottewell and friends have the sincere sympathy of the community in their sad hour of trouble.

The Ladies' Aid held a very successful meting at the home of Mrs. Jos. Sewell on Wednesday last. After opening exercises Mrs. Leslie Poole was presented with a hymn book as a small tokn of esteem for her past services as organist of the church here. It was decided to hold an Irish social at the church on March 17th.

EUGENIA

Logging and wood-cutting are the order of the day.

Miss Gertrude Greenaway has returned to her sister, Mrs. Falconer, after a visit to friends at Orangeville.

Mrs. Joseph Williams of Toronto is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elwood Partridge.

Miss Doris Magee of Vandeleur visited over the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Peter Munshaw. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Munshaw is improving in health.

Mr. Douglas Wilson of Toronto is visiting with Mr. Ern Morgan.

Mrs. S. Doupe of Saugeen Junction is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Sherwood.

The Eugenia L. O. L. met in their hall on Wednesday evening of last week. Messrs Harold Lever, George Littlejohns and Alfred Down of Flesherton attended the meeting.

Congratulations to Mr. Robert Purvis, who was elected Councillor for this division last Saturday to take the place of Mr. Thomas Mercer, who resigned.

Mr. Alex. Carruthers has been laid up the past couple of weeks with something similar to the flu.

The people of this vicinity held a very successful dance in the hall here on Friday evening last.

Miss Mildred Johnston and Miss Margaret Pedlar spent a day with Mrs. John Campbell.

Mr. Charles Martin received word on Monday that his uncle, Mr. Peter Thompson, Owen Sound, had died on Saturday last, he having received a paralytic stroke on Thursday, and never regained consciousness, though carefully attended by doctor and nurse. Mr. Martin was unable to attend the funeral, which took place on Tuesday. We extend sympathy to the relatives and friends.

OSPREY COUNCIL

The Osprey Council met at Feversham on Saturday, February 12th, all the members being present, the Reeve presiding. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed and communications were read as follows:

Thomas Grummett and D. E. Seeley tenders on tile moulds; Alex. Aitken, re wood cut on road allowance on Con. 2, S.D.R.;, Ontario Good Roads Association, re annual meeting; Ontario Municipal Association, re membership fee; Dept. of Highways, re superintendents conference; School Trustees' Association, re convention; Cockshutt Banquet; Committee re fence on road allowance.

The following persons waited on the Council: Walter Seeley, re purchase of trees on 15th sideroad between Cons. 3 and 6; Mark Tedford and Wesley Macklem, re road through fields; Jas. Essex, re gravelling 30th sideroad; Harry Connor, re obtaining road to his lot on Con. 3, S.D.R.

Mr. Grummett and the Superintendent were instructed to make provision for the gravelling requested by James Essex.

Edwards — Grummett — That Mr. Clarke be instructed to investigate, with Geo. Coutts, the wood supposed to have been cut on Con. 2, S.D.R., between 40th and 50th sideroads, and also to make satisfactory arrangements in regard to a road for Mr. Connor.

Clarke — Edwards — That Mr. Radley be authorized to attend the superintendents' conference to be held in Toronto on February 21 and 22.

At this juncture the auditors presented their report.

Morrison — Edwards — That the auditors' report be adopted as read and that the Clerk be instructed to have 100 copies printed for distribution, and further that the auditors each receive $25 for their services $2 of each amount to be charged of the telephone system.

Edwards — Clarke — That Mr. Taylor be appointed a delegate to the Good Roads Association.

Grummett — Morrison — That a general meeting of all sub-overseers and the sperintendent be called on Saturday, March 5, at Feversham at 2 o'clock p.m.

Edwards — Clarke — That Mr. Morrison be authorized to inspect the trees spoken of by Walter Seeley and to use his own judgment in regard to selling same.

Clarke — Morrison — That the tenders on tile moulds be left open till the date of the March meeting, the Clerk to obtain prices on new moulds in the meantime, and further that those persons who have tendered to have the privilege of submitting new tenders.

By-law No. 797, to appoint sub-overseers, and By-law No. 798, to provide for expenditure on roads were read the required number of times, signed and sealed.

After the passing of accounts, the Council adjourned to meet at Singhampton on Saturday, March 12th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

—H. G. BURKE, Clerk.

NOTICE

I have decided not to move my saw mill and shingle mill to Ceylon this year, as Edward Sergant is going to operate his mill.

—CAMERON SMELLIE,
Priceville, Ont.

Paid

CAR OF OATS—Western black feed oats will arrive within a few days, test about 38 lbs., 45c. per bushel, cash off car. Will also have white oats at 64c. per bu. Kindly telephone your orders as they are selling quickly at these prices. Will have recleaned seed oats in about 10 days. — A. C. Muir, Ceylon.

PORTLAW

The sympathy of this community goes out to Mrs. J. J. Little and other members of the family in the death of their father, Mr. Johnson Cullen, who was well known and much respected by his wide circle of friends.

Mr. Robert Hill's sale on Wednesday was largely attended and was very successful, good prices being the rule but some articles soared high. Mr Geo. Duncan wielded the hammer. Proceeds amounted to about $2,800.

Mr. Chris Laugheed had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last week.

Congratulations to Mr. Thomas Fletcher, who has lately made another venture in the matrimonial line.

On Monday evening of last week a large company of friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, who will soon remove to Toronto, and presented them with a good fat purse and an address, expressing appreciation of these worthy citizens, and good wishes for their future happiness. The following is the address:

Dear Friends :— While it is with pleasure that we, your neighbors and friends, take possession of your home to-night to enjoy once more your generous fellowship, nevertheless a tinge of sadness instinctively intrudes itself into our circle when we remember that you are about to remove from this community and that we are called upon, for a time at least, to say good bye.

Many of us have known you both since your early years, and observed you grow up and take your place as worthy citizens. We have observed wtih much satisfaction your readiness at all times to act the part of good neighbors and true friends, and to display that noble trait of character, a kindly nature which is always a priceless gem to its possessor.

It is not our purpose to weary you with a lengthy address or to indulge in needless compliments. We assure you that you take to your near home our sincerest good wishes and kindliest hopes for your future enjoyment of true happiness.

We wish you also to accept this purse and contents hoping that though distance may divide us, that this token of an esteem will strengthen the links in friendship's chain that bind us together.

May your sky be bright and shining
Wheresoe'er your footsteps stray,
Clouds be decked with silver lining,
Shedding gladness on your way.

Signed on behalf of your neighbors an friends, F. Blakey, Wm. Findlay and T. R. McKenzie.

WHAT HDYRO WILL DO

The breaking of the hydro wire a little west of the village on Saturday morning from the severe frost, and coming in contact with the municipal telephone line, was the cause of much damage to the system, that will no doubt take several days to repair. In several farm houses along this loop the owners got a bad scare when fire broke out at different places, and some received bad shocks, not knowing what was the cause of the trouble for some time. At one place the telephone burst in flames which caught onto the window curtain and the man secured an axe and chopped the wire. At another place the phone was making such an uproar that the young man rushed outside to see what was causing the trouble and was met with a sheet of flames from his cellar outside window, that was burning fiercely. Other places had similar experiences. One man was sending his young son out to the road to see what was wrong with the Hydro wire as it was shooting hundreds of stars and blue flames high in the air, and just as the boy was nearing the fence the Hydro repair gang came along just in time to yell at the boy and warn him not to touch the wire fence with the hydro wire lying across it, carrying 25,000 volts. In Elmvale we hear much of the cable is burned out while in Central much damage is done to the switchboard. This will be a heavy loss and much variety of opinion is being expressed as to who will be compelled to foot the bill. Some say the Hydro Commission, others say not. All are very sorry to be without telephone service here for probably a month or more. During this trouble the village was without lights but the Hydro repair gang were on the job in fairly good time and had the system working perfectly in short time.—Barrie Examiner.

STANDARD BANK'S BEST YEAR

Net profits of $821,886.71—the highest in the history of the Institution—were reported at the fifty-second annual meeting of the Standard Bank of Canada held at the head office Wednesday, February the 23rd.

Deposits also showed an increase of approximately $3,700,000, and now stand at $72,148,588.13. Assets immediately available are $43,808,121.11 or slightly over 55% of the Bank's liabilities to the public. The improvement in general business conditions throughout Canada is reflected in an increase in current loans of $1,243,000 which now amount to $39,493,951.95.

The report should prove very gratifying to the Shareholders. It indicates that this Bank is doing its fair share in the development of Canadian industry and Canadian agriculture, and during the year just closed, it has been able to attract to itself a considerable volume of new and profitable business.

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KIMBERLEY

Mr. Ted Myles spent a few days with friends in Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Soul entertained a number of their neighbors on Friday night.

Mr. Taylor Abercrombie had a very successful sale of farm stock and implements on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stuart of Meaford, Mr. Harold Ellis and Kenneth, also of Meaford, and Miss Myrtle Stuart of Burks Falls, visited one day recently with Mrs. W. T. Ellis.

The League held a social evening in the Hall on Thursday night last. A large crowd was present and a good time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. James Hill is with her daughter, Mrs. Turner, as the latter has been ill.

Messrs. Taylor Abercrombie and Rutledge Stafford attended the funeral of the late Mr. Rennie of Walters Falls.

Mrs. John L. Fawcett was called to the bedside of her brother Mr. Thomas Lougheed, of Clarksburg. Mr. Lougheed passed away on Thursday. Mrs. Hartley Lawrence and Mr. Cecil Fawcett attended the funeral, Mrs. Fawcett returning with them. Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. Fawcett and family.

Mr. Harold Thompson and Mr. Wm. Grieves are spending the week with friends in Berkeley.

IN MEMORIAM

TURNER—In ever loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Oliver Turner, who entered into eternal rest February 25th, 1925.

Precious thought my Father knoweth,
In His love I rest;
For whate'er my Father doeth
Must be always best.
—Ever remembered by husband, son and daughter.

IN MEMORIAM

TURNER — In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, Janie (Mrs. Oliver Turner), who passed away February 25th, 1925.

No one knows how much we miss her,
No one knows the bitter pain
We have suffered since we lost her,
Life has never been the same.

In our hearts her memory lingers,
Sweetly,tender, fond and true,
There is not a day, dear Janie,
That we do not think of you.
—Sadly missed by Mother, Father, Sisters and Brother.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our little nephew, Newton, who was killed one year ago to-day, Feb. 15, 1926.

Time speeds on, one year has passed
Since death its gloom and shadow cast
Within our hearts, where all seemed bright,
And took from us a shining light.
We miss that light, and ever will,
For Newton's vacant place there's none can fill.
We cannot, Lord, thy purpose see,
But all is well that's done by thee.
Sadly missed by auntie and uncle,
—Ethel and Newton Leader, London.

ROCK MILLS

Our school was closed for a few days last week owing to the illness of the teacher.

Miss Annie Davidson of Markdale visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Porteous and family.

Unity U.F.W.O. club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. F. Pedlar on Wednesday, March 2nd. Meeting at 2 p.m. Visitors are welcome.

BORN — On Saturday, February 19th, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pillips, the gift of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, east back line, visited on Sunday with Mr. Dick Clark, wife and family.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to the Cullen family in their houh of sorrow by the death of their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sutton, Mr. Jas. Stewart and Miss Jennie Winters of Flesherton spent Thursday evening with the Pedlar families here.

The service will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Newell on Sunday at 7.30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

A number of new seats have been installed in our public school recently, which will improve the appearance of the school room, as well as be a great convenience to the pupils.

FEVERSHAM

Mrs. G. Eby is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Forsyth, in Owen Sound.

Miss P. Clements spent the week end with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Ken Boyd spent the week end at his home in Flesherton.

Miss R. Hawton visited over the week end with her friend, Miss Dorothy Robinson.

Mrs. Love is visiting at her home in Brockville.

Mr. Josiah Crawford has had another bad attack of bronchitis.

The Osprey Municipal Telephone Commission has purchased Mr. T. W. Conron's residence and telephone office and will call for tenders for an operator.

Mrs. Frank Whewell of Fruitland, Ont., is visiting with her father, Mr. Samuel Brownridge, in this village.

Miss Madge Whewell of Arcola, Sask., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Barber.

IN MEMORIAM

McGEOCH—In loving memory of our darling son, Newton, who was killed in front of his school one year ago to-day, February 15, 1926, aged 6 years.

Kind, obedient and thoughtful
Was his nature, though but a child,
We called him Little Sunshine.
He was smiling all the while,
He loved to talk about Jesus,
Of what angels did above,
And all before we realized
He answered the roll call home to God.
— Sadly missed by Mamma, Daddy and little brother, Jim., London, Ont.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our numerous friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved father.

—The Cullen family.

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