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CEYLON

Miss Kate McMillan entertained the pastor, Rev. Mr. McRoberts, the class of boys and the C.G.I.T. class on Saturday evening. A most enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. A. Sinclair and son, Jimmie, attended the hockey game in Toronto on Friday evening.

Mrs. Cecil Archibald, Proton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McWhinney.

Mrs. Wm. Heslop of Eugenia spent the week end with her sister, Miss Jessie McKenzie.

Mrs. John Gibson visited the past week with friends at Caledon.

Mr. J. C. McMullen of Midhurst spent the week end at his home here.

Miss Cora Martin of Owen Sound was a week end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Alcox and Miss Ethel Thompson of Vandeleur were callers at R. Cook's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Duckett spent the first of the week with Eugenia friends.

Mrs. Donald McLeod left on Saturday to visit friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bailey and little daughter of Shrigley visited the latter's parents the past week, Mr. and Mrs. D. McPhail.

Mrs. Wm. White held a very successful sale on Wednesday last.

Miss Maud Hemphill and Mr. Percy Hemphill left Monday to attend the hockey game and visit with friends in Toronto.

On Sabbath morning Rev. Mr. McRoberts held a choral service, which was very interesting. Mr. McRoberts rendered two solos "Ninety and Nine" and "Abide With Me," and Miss Stewart sang "Go Bury Thy Sorrow," while Miss Maud Hemphill and Miss Stewart gave a duet, "Let the Lower Lights be Burning." The choir gave a number of selections and all were well received.

The neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whittaker met at their home on Monday evening and assisted them to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Music and dancing were indulged in until the midnight hour. We are sure the whole community join with The Advance in very best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Whittaker. There was a presentation to the hosts of a wicker fernery and wicker tray, also a walnut smoking set to Mr. Whittaker. During the evening a mock wedding was gone through with which caused ripples of fun.

Rev. Mr. McRoberts has consented to give the field another Sunday. His farewell sermon will be given on Sunday, April 10th.

FARMERS SOMETIMES FAVORED

If the Government is going to spend the money it is only fair that agriculture should have its share. Farmers are so considerate and so modest in their demands that "when they get there, the cupboard is bare." —Farmer's Sun. Not always, friend. What about the Agricultural Colleges; the experimental farms; the agricultural representatives; the short courses for farmers' sons and daughters; the 7,000,000 pines for reforestation; the seeds distributed annually; and the numerous other privileges and opportunities provided for our farm friends, at the public expense?—Acton Free Press.

Alberta produced honey in 1926 valued at $36,000. One man in the Lethbridge district produced nearly 50 tons, another 16 tons.

The muskrat season opened the first of March. If the streams and lakes open up soon it is expected trappers will have a good season with good prices.

CORRECTION IN MINUTES

Editor of Advance:—Having noticed in the minutes of the Osprey Council, the following resolution:

Morrison — Edwards — That the public liability policy submitted by the Employees' Liability Assurance Co., be accepted.

It should have read Clark in place of Morrison. I would like if you would correct it,

Thanking you,
R. J. MORRISON.

OSPREY U. F. Y. P. O.

The Osprey U.F.Y.P.O. met at the home of Mr. Alex. Smith on Friday, March 18th, when a large number was present, in spite of the bad roads. The President being absent, the Vice-President, Mr. Leslie Smith, took the chair. The meeting opened by singing "Keep the young club booming," after which the minutes were read and adopted. A paper was given on "St. Patrick's Day," also a contest, after which the meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. Lunch was served. The next meeting will be held at Mr. Jack Radley's, on Friday, April 1st.

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FEVERSHAM

On Friday, April 1st, Mr. Lou Lepard takes over our municipal telephone switchboard and Mr. Stewart McMullen starts on the mail route, formerly carried by Mr. Lepard.

Mr. T. W. Conron, who has operated our switchboard for the past six years, has rented his house and telephone office to the Telephone Commissioners and will move his family into Mr. Poole's house, lately occupied by Mr. Geo. Thomson.

Mr. Wm. Spofford of Toronto visited with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spofford, and family last week.

Mr. Ivan Alexander, Mrs. H. McKee and Miss Dot Robinson visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Will Colquette, in Owen Sound last week.

Mrs. R. H. Henderson and daughters, Blanche and Givia, visited with the former's daughter, Mrs. Frank Curran, at Riverview over the week end.

Mrs. Andrew McGirr of Rob Roy visited with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Davidson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Legate of Gibralter visited with Mrs. Legate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kernahan, recently.

Miss S. Davidson of Buffalo visited with her brother, James, the past week.

Mr. Josiah Crawford is somewhat improved in health these last few days. He has been ill the most of the winter with bronchitis and asthma,

Dr. Guy of Maxwell is kept busy these days as a lot of people are suffering from colds and influenza.

We are sorry to report that Master Rae Hawton is laid up with a bad attack of pneumonia, but we hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Wm. Smith has bought the lod McGirr residence from Josiah Crawford and will remodel it and become a resident in our village.

LADY BANK

(Intended for last week)

Another young winter fell to us on Sunday, after two weeks of real spring like weather.

The Ladies' Aid and young people of Lady Bank and neighborhood held a pie social and program in Providence church on the evening of St. Patrick, which was a very good success. Young and old turned out well consiering the condition of the weather and roads.

Congratulations to Mr. Emanuel Dobson of Lady Bank, who has chosen for a life partner Miss Lulu Milne of Rock Mills, the marriage taking place in Markdale, Thursday, March 17th. We wish the highly respected young couple health, wealth and prosperity.

Miss Jennett McMullen has returned to her home here after spending the past five months in Collingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sutton of Flesherton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Semple.

Mr. Wm. Semple had the misfortune to have his foot jammed while skidding wood logs in the bush one day last week.

Mr. Leslie McMullen of East Mountain spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave McMullen. The former is still in pood health with little improvement.

Mr. Chester Patton of Dundalk has returned to his home after spending the winter with Mr. Jos. Sewell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore of Springhill visited with the latter's brother, Mr. Wm. Semple, and family on Sunday last.

The Ladies' Aid will hold their April meeting at the church here on Wednesday the 13th. Members will please attend and visitors are welcome.

Mr. Er. Harbottle has another good stock of logs in at his mill here, and will soon be ready for another busy summer's work.

DUNDALK

A new gent's furnishings store was opened in Dundalk in the prmises recently vacated by W. D. Mercer. The new proprietor is E. V. Hoffman, who was in business in Grimbsy and sold out there last November. He has had twelve years' experience in his line and he opens up with confidence in being able to satisfy the buying public in this district.

John E. Colgan, local butcher, was stricken suddenly with appendicitis on Friday. Dr. Gaviller of Owen Sound, assisted by Dr. Carter and Martin, of Dundalk, performed an operation that night which was of a very critical nature. The patient, however, came through the crisis and is now making satisfactory improvement.

Dundalk Citizens' Band Committee have re-engaged Walter S. Perkins as bandmaster for the coming season. It is hoped to be in good shape for summer engagements and regular weekly open air concerts when warm weather comes. A new supply of music is being ordered by the committee.—Herald.

EUGENIA

Some of the people in this vicinity are making maple syrup. The run has not been very good as yet.

A dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams on Thursday night of last week. Everyone present report a good time.

Mr. Robert McMaster and son, of Flesherton, drilled a well for Mr. W. E. Morgan the past few days. Now they are drilling a well for Mr. Henry Tudor in the village.

Mr. Joseph Williams, who has been working in the bush for Mr. Cardwell Graham, during the winter, returned to his home in Toronto on Monday.

We are pleased to report Miss Ila Magee well again after her recent illness.

Mrs. W. E. Large and three children, Frank, Douglas and Beth, have returned to their home at Niagara Falls, after a prolonged visit here, owing to the former's mother's illness. We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Munshaw is improving in health.

Messrs. Joseph Sherwood, W. E. Walker and W. Hawkens, each had bees buzzing wood last week.

We understand that Mr. Harold Falconer has rented the Jamieson house in the village and will move therein shortly.

There will be activity soon at the Durham Furniture Company's mill at Rock Mills, there being about one and three-quarter million feet of logs on the ground. It is estimated that there will be about a six months' cut this year at the mill.

We extend our sympathy to the Turner family, who are bereft of their mother, the late Mrs. Charles Turner, Sr., who was laid to rest on Saturday last in Flesherton cemetery.

Master Jim Laughlin had the misfortune to get a couple of bones in his ankle brokea a few days ago. Dr. Bibby is in attendance. The patient has to remain in bed for six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boyce and children visited friends on the 4th line on Sunday.

Mr. John Magee had a wood bee on Saturday last. Mr. Sangster Hemphill of Ceylon did the cutting with his machine.

Mr. John Cairns of McTier visited his uncle, Mr. Henry Cairns, one day recently. We are pleased to hear that Jack is improving in health again.

Mr. George Proctor of Kimberley visited with his son, Ernie, and family, here.

Messrs. R. Laughlin and son, T. McKee, H. Tudor, R. J. Pedlar and D. Fawcett, are engaged at Rock Mills, the milll having started this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Duckett and family, Eugenia north, spent Sunday with Mr. J. H. Duckett.

Miss Gertrude Greenaway, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Harold Falconer, intends returning to her home in Orangeville this week.

The concert which was to be given on March 18 last will be held on Friday evening in the Orange Hall.

ROCK MILLS

Unity U.F.W.O. club will meet at the home of Mrs. Lewis Gense on Wednesday, April 6th at 2 p.m.

The mill commenced last week with all the old hands back on the job. Mr. Jas. Park of Owen Sound is again the sawyer. We certainly like to hear the old whistle once more.

Mrs. J. Croft of the 4th line visited recently with her son here, Mr. Ned Croft, wife and family.

Mrs. Wm. T. Pedlar returned home after spending a week with her daughter near Kimberley.

Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Morrison in their bereavement by the death of their infant son.

Mr. Murray Osborne of Nottawa visited recently with Mr. John Robertson, wife and family.

Rev. C. H. Schutt, M.A., B.D., of the Baptist Home Mission Board preached at Rock Mills church Sunday afternoon. The pastor, Rev. A. J. Preston, was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie McLean, Priceville, visited on Sunday with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith.

Mr. Sam Short of the Bible School, Proton, took the service Sunday evening. The meeting next Sunday evening will be at Mr. J. Porteous' at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Newell visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Binnington, Maxwell, recently.

A shower was held at the home of Mr. Sewell last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dobson, who were recently married. We join in wishing this young couple many years of happiness.

A Chicago youth has won a gum chewing contest, the size of his mouth permitting him to masticate 44 sticks at one time. That boy has "the makin's of a first-class stenographer.

PRICEVILLE

We are all glad to welcome the spring. At first it was thought to be a false alarm, but we are surely convinced now through the wild geese and birds being back.

The frogs are not yet thawed out.

We regret very much to have to chronicle the death of Mrs. C. Milne of Elmwood, mother of Dr. and Jim Milne of town. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family, particularly to the Dr. and Jim, whom most of us are better acquainted with. A number from town attended the funeral, which took place on Monday at the Milne home to Chesley cemetery.

We are exceedingly sorry to report that Mrs. Angus McVicar lies in a critical condition in Durham hospital, from a rush of blood to the brain. We sincerely wish for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Emerson Smellie has been ill the past week, but we hope to see her about again in a few days.

The spring fever seems to be striking quite a number this year. Rather hard on the syrup makers, who are kept busy the past few days.

Miss Grace Ramage is visiting her sister, at Harriston, for a few days.

Miss Lizzie Mather is in the city this week.

The Assessor is making his rounds in the village this week.

Mr. H. B. McLean intends moving to the city. We wish him success in the new home, although we regret losing these good neighbors.

PRICEVILLEITES IN TORONTO REMEMBER A WORKER.

A number of members of the Priceville Re-union met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McDonald (nee Annie McCannel of Proton Station,), 157 Snowden Ave., Toronto, on Tuesday, to show their appreciation in a small way of the kindly manner in which Mr. McDonald contributed to the success of the annual Priceville picnic held in High Park.

The majority of the Priceville people are of Highland Scotch extraction and nothing stirs their Scotch blood like the sweet strains of the bagpipes and the Highland dances. The evening was spent in music, games and dancing, also a social cup of tea and a dainty luncheon provided by the ladies, when Mrs. McPherson read the following address and Mrs. Wm. Walker presented Mr. McDonald with a set of white gold initialled cuff links, and Mrs. McDonald with a bouquet of roses. Though taken completely by surprise, Mr. McDonald made a fitting reply, saying that it was always a pleasure for him to attend the Priceville picnics and he was looking forward to the next one, and would be delighted to do his share in making it the success which it always had been. It also being Mrs. McDonald's birthday, she was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

The Address.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald:

Dear Friends,—We, your friends, gathered to-night in your cosy little home, desire to express our sincere thanks to you for your splendid assistance in making the picnics which we have been holding in High Park of recent years a success. The fact that you are not a native of that little hamlet, but rather of that famous land overseas, Scotland, (the Highlands—God bless them), has made us all the more anxious to show our appreciation of your kindness in bringing along to our picnics your "skirling pipes" and playing on them the tunes Adam used to play to Eve when in the Garden of Eden. We have never had a real opportunity of expressing our thanks to you, but to-night we are trying to show you this in a small way, and would ask you to accept this gift as a token of our friendship and thanks. We wish you and yours always the best things in life.

—Your Priceville Friends in Toronto.

MAXWELL

Flu is the order of the day.

Died—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Morrison, at the age of one month. The funeral service was held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. Pogson of Dundalk had charge of the service. We extend to Mr. and Mrs. Morrison our sincerest sympathy.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church will hold a candy social on April 1st.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Spofford on the loss of her brother, Mr. Neil Gamey, of Toronto.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church and people of the community met at the home of Mr. Robert Morrison Tuesday last. The Ladies' Aid presented Mrs. Robert Morrison with a casserole, and Mrs. Wm. Morrison with a pie casserole. The community then presented Mr. Robert and Wm. Morrison each with a purse as tokens of remembrance before moving to their recently purchased farm near Markdale. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Charles Heron is enlarging and re-decorating his store.

PRICEVILLE W.M.S. AND LADIES' AID.

The March meetings of the W.M.S. and Ladies' Aid of St. Columba church Priceville, were held at the Manse on Wednesday, the 23rd inst. The former society convened first, with Mrs. Robert Parslow, Vice-Pres., in the chair. The meeting opened with singing, followed by the Scripture lesson read by Mrs. Peter Muir. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted and the Treasurer's report received. The roll call was responded to by a Bible verse on "Joy." Next month, in keeping with the Easter spirit, the roll call will be answered by a verse on "Life." For the "Watch Tower" Mrs. H. B. McLean read an article entitled "A Daughter of Tyre." The topic for the month was chapter five of the Study Book, "New Days in Old India," and was taken by Mrs. A. S. Muir. This was followed by a sweetly-rendered duet by Mrs. Peter Muir and Mrs. H. B. McLean. It being the annual meeting of the society, the election of officers took place and resulted as follows: Pres., Mrs. (Rev.) McCormack; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. Robert Parslow; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. A. S. Muir; Sec., Miss Edith James; Treas., Mrs. S. McDermid; Pianist, Miss Martha Watson; Assistant Pianist, Mrs. Fred Karstedt; the Missionary Monthly Sec., Mrs. L. McArthur; Strangers Sec., Mrs. D. G. McLean; Supply Sec., Mrs. Mather Sr.; Press Sec., Mrs. A. S. Muir; Assistant Helpers, Mrs. John Williamson and Mrs. E. Ritchie.

At the close of the W.M.S. the Ladies' Aid met with the President, Mrs. L. McArthur, presiding. After the usual opening exercises an election of officers for the ensuing year took place with the following result: Pres., Mrs. L. McArthur; Vice Pres., Mrs. F. McKinnon; Sec., Miss Bertha James; Treas., Mrs. F. Karstedt. The meeting closed with singing, after which lunch was served. The Easter meeting will be held on April 20, at the home of Mrs. Fred Karstedt.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of A. C. Macmillan, (Clark,) who departed this life March 27, 1925.

We loved him too well to forget.—The Family.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spofford and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness during their recent bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Morrison wish to thank their friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown them during their recent bereavement, also for the floral tributes.

J. J. Hunter, editor of the Kincardine Review-Reporter, was elected the Grand Master of the Orange Grand Lodge of Ontario West at Guelph last week.

Petroleum Royalties Co.

MONTHLY DIVIDEND

The regular mnothly dividend of 1% and bonuses of ½ of 1% will be paid on the Guaranteed First Participating 12% Preferred Shares of Petroleum Royalties on April 1st to shareholders of record March 25th.

This gives total dividend distribution for the month of March of 1½% on the Preferred Shares.

—J. RUFFER, Secy.

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A DEPLORABLE AFFAIR

On Tuesday, Provincial Constable Joseph Nelson was called to Mulmur Township to investigate conditions in the home of William Hutchison, a farmer, residing in an isolated section of the country. In the ill kept farm house he found Hutchison and a small boy who gave his name as Albert Anderson. Hutchison is suffering from cancer of the face, and the disease has eaten away nearly one side of his face. The victim stated that he had not received any treatment for six weeks, and his face was in bad shape. It is said that attempts to have Hutchison removed to an institution were futile, he refusing to go and the authorities were unable to force him. Albert Anderson, who claims to be 14 years of age, is the size of a boy 5 years of age, and possessed of a similar mentality. He was wrapped in blankets by the constable and brought to the Children's Aid Shelter here. He will be examined and likely sent to Orillia.—Orangeville Sun.

ROD AND GUN

The first of a thrilling series of stories based on the early fur trading days in the North-west written by Samuel Alexander White is one of the notable features of the April number of Rod and Gun and Silver Fox News which is just issued. The story "Blended Brigades," however, is only one item of a table of contents. Bonnycastel Dale has an interesting miscellany of nature notes from the Maritimes. H. Mortimer Batten F. Z. S. writes this month about the porcupine and the skunk.

Valuable woodcrafting information is contained in W. C. Motley's "Outdoor Talk" while the angling, gun and kennel specialists have also very good departments. The matter of national conservation of fish and game resources is the subject of considerable discussion in the April issue.

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