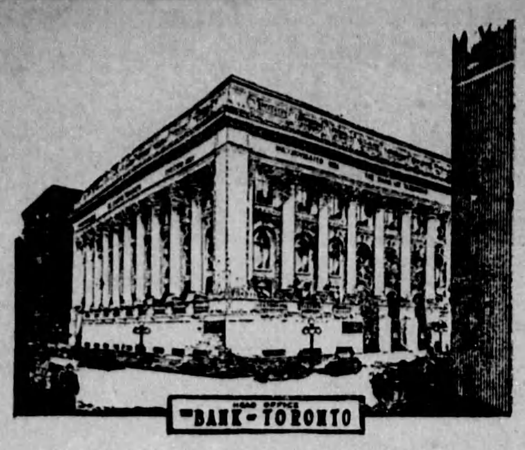

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CUSTOMS TURNED TOPSY-TURVY.

Turkey, having abandoned Mahomedanism, there was a belief that Egypt would make claim to the leadership in promulgating the religion of the Prophet. This does not appear likely. We learn that Al Azhar, the most famous univeristy of the East, is soon to disappear as a centre of the Hsam world and a dominant factor in Egyptian life.

The University, with its 12,000 students, is now without a head, the parliament of Egypt having refused to nominate a successor to the venrable head who recently retired after having spent his adult life within its walls. The Grand Mufti position has been abolished, and thus, after an existence of over 1,000 years, the great seat of learning is nearing its end. It could scarcely be expected to entirely reverse its teachings in opposition to the equality of women with men and the abolition of polygamy, and the adoption of modern Western ideas, after the example set by Turkey. Modern Egyptian men demanded the revision of the penal code, the women agitate for the right to appear in public without the veil, and the youth of both sexes clamor for headgear of Western fashion. Orthodox Moslems protest in vain against what they consider to be perversions of the Koranic law; the Egyptians, like the Turks, are determined to be like their progressive neighbors.

A PLEASING PERFORMANCE

Sunday evening the Editor had the privilege of hearing the Meaford band in their last open air band concert of the season and we were delighted with the entertainment. Bandmaster Cowie and his musicians again captured first prize in class C (2), the third year in succession and one of their numbers was the test piece Fantasia "Joan of Arc" (round.) Each time we hear the Meaford band it has greatly improved in the interperting the various numbers. We also enjoyed the concert solo by Mr. J. A. Mulveney, accompanied by the band, tones being very clear and pure. Mr. Mulveney won a silver plated gold bell cornet, with case, in the cornet solo contest at the C. N. E. and brought this additional honor to the Meaford band.

We would be very pleased to have the Meaford band in Flesherton to allow the people of this district to receive a distinct treat by a musical organization second to noe in the province.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Only one man finished the race last Wednesday.—Old Man Lake Ontario.

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This past week the Durham Chronicle arrived in a new dress of the most modern type for newspaper work and is a decided improvement over the old style.

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A street sign in the village of Halbrite, Sask., reads: "Go Slow; Two Fools Might Meet."

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Will some High School authority tell us why, this year, so many of the pupils fell down in British History? There seems to always be a catch in some subject.

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Since the water was too cold for the swimmers at the Toronto Exhibition lst Wednesday we would suggest to the powers they hold the next mrathon swim on the large mill pond here. Each time around would be close to a mile and the water is free from icicles this time of year.

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The office devil was heard to remark on the swim idea here that as there weren't enough boats to accompany the swimmers, rafts would have to be used.

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What are the Fall Fairs for? To educate the producers what kind of stock or vegetables are the best to raise or grow, also what kind of a cake suits the taste the best. Now this is a good chance for the producers to get together and show what can be done by united efforts.

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Some three hundred miners from England, who came out to assist in the West with the harvest, are being returned as "misfits." They found the work too strenuous and had other complaints also. Now when they return to England they will live in peace and quietness through the dole system. These men would not make a success in any walk in life.

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The awarding of the prize money of $35,000 to fourteen of the contestants in the Men's Marathon on Wednesday last at the C. N. E. did not receive much comendation from the general public, who thought the actions of Michel, who swam the furthest and Vierkotter, second, should have been recognized with a larger renumeration. However with the award of the Wrigley company of $2,000 each to the above two and George Young, a more favorable impression was given that the swimmers had received justice.

School Fair Supplies

The Grey County branch of the Department of Agriculture have sent to all school fair directors 50 entry tickets for the school fairs. There was also sent out teachers' and directors' badges, and with full instructions. The prize lists were sent out to the teachers before school closed in June and a special supplementary prize list was sent to all school fair directors the first week of July.

The stage is set for the best school fairs Grey County ever held. Every boy and girl should enter as many classes as possible, as there are some exceptional prizes offered.

The championship school fair will be held at Durham on Saturday, October 13th. It is anticipated that a larger crowd than ever will be present. The Owen Sound Agricultural Society has very generously contributed $15 toward the payment of prizes.

Was First to Stake Famous Noranda Mine

Dr. E. F Armstrong of Cobalt Was in town, Tuesday and gave The Chronicle a Short Call While on His Way to Toronto Exhibition.—Was Former Schoolmate of Editor of this paper.

Reminiscences of thirty-odd years ago was the principal topic under discussion in The Chronicle office last Tuesday morning for half hour or so, when Dr. E. F. Armstrong, a a former Flesherton boy and school chum of the writer dropped into our sanctum on his way home from visiting his relatives in that village for the past few days. With him were his wife and four sons, and after a visit with friends at Buffalo, and a trip to the Toronto Exhibition, the party expects to reach their home at Cobalt a week from next Sunday.

To be exact it is just about 32 years since we two met before, and it was quite natural that our conversation should drift back to the days when we cut our names in the school furniture, played hockey and made rafts on the Flesherton millpond, and did many other useless, but to us, necessary things, in the exuberance of our boyhood spirits.

"Ern" (short for Ernest) was the name our friend got sometimes, but to those of us who knew him best he went by the title "Dutch", though where it originated we do not know. The writer's father, the late editor of The Chronicle, was teacher in the Flesherton school at that time.

Personally, we have always entertained the notion that "Dutch" Armstrong and ourselves were the two most valuable pupils in the old Flesherton school. If anything went wrong while the teacher's back was turned, it was always quite safe for the teacher to whale the stuffing out of either of us. There might be a slight mistake in the one selected, but it always was certain that one or the other was either responsible for the devilment, or was accessory before or after the fact. Anyway one of us was usually in the "present" class when the long strap was taken from the little drawer on the teacher's platform. Right or wrong both could take his "trimming", and we don't believe either ever "peached" no matter how severe the punishment. The schoolmaster of the day looked mighty, and big, and cross, as he weilded the strap, but we have a sneaking idea that he secretly admired us for the fact that no matter how hard the going, each took his medicine without a squawk.

But these old days are gone forever. After reviewing the good old days when a kid was a kid and shoes were taboo, we spent a few minutes in comparing notes as to what had happened in the interim. The writer went to the south, spent some years in the South Seas in sailing, with the army, in fact we tried a little of everything but the ministerial profession. Mr. Armstrong went to dental college and after graduating went into the North country and was one of the pioneers of the Cobalt district. He, it was, named Pearl Lake; first staked the ground on which the Norando and Hollinger mines are now located, besides having various other mining claims which he sold some years ago. As a result of his prospecting, though this part was not mentioned by Dr. Armstrong, he is now on Easy Street financially, has been Mayor of Cobalt and is one of the prominent residents of Ontario's newer sections. In the Great War Dr. Armstrong went overseas as O.C. of one of the Northern Ontario regiments, and has since returned to Cobalt, where he expects, we infer, to spend the balance of his days in the enjoyment of sufficient competence that he will have no financial worries in the future.

In our conversation, we also spoke of the present-day idea of holding an Old Home Week for the boys and girls who have left Flesherton. This part of the conversation got under way after we had looked over some old school pictures taken at Flesherton school over 35 years ago. We were of one opinion. Flesherton should have an Old Home Week. Every town should have one. These celebrations mean little or nothing to those who have grown up and remained in their native town, but to those who have moved away and seldom return to the old scenes, well, there are few who would not welcome the chance to return and fraternize once more with those of their school pals who have passed out of their knowledge years ago, and are now only remembered as they appear while attending the old school.—Durham Chronicle.

Softball at Owen Sound

Two softball teams from Flesherton, men and ladies, played several games in Owen Sound on Saturday, and made a real impression. The men played the Millionaires, champions of the city league and in the first game lost 8-0 and tied the second 5-5. The ladies were only two runs behind the lady champions of the Grey city. Both the Flesherton teams were all star aggregations and if they had played together a few times would give any team a run. The return game is taking place today, at the Field Day, on the Agricultural grounds.

Notes on The Doings at Flesherton Fair

The Secretary reports that already quite a number have written in from outside places requesting Prize Lists, which shows that our Fall Fair last fall, by being the best in the history of the society, is advertising us the right way.

Say, young man, Fair Day would be a good opportunity for you to see if your best girl is willing to take the chance of the long ride through life, with you, by asking her to go for a short ride in the airplane in attendance that day.

Last year quite a number around home neglected to secure their entry tickets until the day of the fair. Kindly try this year to have your list of entries in a few days before, so all you will have to do is call for them Fair Day.—Read Rule 1.

Flesherton Fall Fair, September 20-21.

Those who attend our Fall Fair will have to admit that the Directors have certainly been working when they see the improvements done to the grounds and buildings. The Directors are doing everything in their power to make this Fair, this fall the best ever held here.

Write for a Prize List to the Secretary, T. W. Findlay.

Now would be good time to send an invitation to those friends at a distance to attend our Fall Fair, September 20-21.

Don't forget to attend the concert on Fall Fair night, A real good program is assured, as the Laird concert troupe, consisting of eight people are putting on the program.

The airplane will again be an attraction at our fair. It will be a much larger plane, which will take up two passengers at a time.

Music will be supplied by the Haw Orchestra of Swinton Park on Fair Day.

Hurdle jumping is another attraction at our fall fair, September 20-21. This is something new around here.

Be sure and see the horseback potatoe race on fair day. See prize list for particulars.

Softball will again be a feature of the afternoon attractions on Fair Day, as the second final game in the Centre Grey Softball League, and if necessary the 3rd game will be played that afternoon.

DAVIDSON—Mc CUTCHEON

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at four o'clock on Wednesday, August 15th, 1928 in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Shelburne, when Jessie Irene, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyrnhett McCutcheon, of Shelburne was united in marriage to Hugh G. R. Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davidson, of Collingwood. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. P. D. Hurford, Rector of the St. Paul's Church.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, looked charming in a gown of white chantilly lace over satin, wearing a veil of embroidered net and carrying a bouquet of Ophelia roses and sweet peas. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Grace Davis, of Orangeville, and Mr. Sherman Taylor of Collingwood.

The church was pretilly adorned in flowers of the season.

Following the ceremony a reception and luncheon were given at the home of the groom in Collingwood. The following day the happy couple left for a motor trip through Northern Ontario, the bride travelling in a blue and grey ensemble. On returning Mr. and Mrs. Davidson will reside in Collingwood.

Village Council

The Flesherton Village Council met for a short session on Monday evening, when the main business was the passing of accounts.

Accounts received were as follows: E. Tremp, 3½ months acting as constable; O. W. Phillips, express, 60c.; Bickle Fire Engine Co., for lead jar, $33.99; Robt. Ferris, labor, $8.75; Advnace Printing Co., voters' lists, advertising, etc., $45.55; Harold Lever, spreading calcium chloride on the County Road, $1.50 The above were ordered to be paid on a motion by G. B. Welton, seconded by O. W. Phillips.

It was decided that the Reeve, Mr. Welton and Mr. Phillips be a committee to secure caretaker for the new town hall.

Accounts were presented aggregating $77.50 for shovelling and teaming by Henry Howard, John Colgan, Mark Wilson, Chas. Stewart and George Stewart, and on a motion of G. B. Welton, seconded by H. Freeman, were ordered to be paid.

LONG—LEVER

A quiet, but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lever, on Wednesday afternoon of last week, when their daughter, Vera Alberta, became the bride of Mr. Gordon Long, son of Mrs. Long of Flesherton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Jos. Harrower. which took place beneath an arch trimmed with streamers and white bells.

The bride looked very pretty in a gown of rose beige georgette, with shoes and stocking to match and carried a bouquet of gladioli. Mrs. J. Brackenbury, sister of the bride, acted as matron of honor, while Mr. Brackenbury supported the groom. Little Miss Geraldine Morgan, niece of the bride made a charming flower girl. Miss Dorothy Cunningham of Palmerston played the wedding march and also during the signing of the register.

Supper was served immediately after the ceremony, the table being decorated with white asters and gladioli.

The young couple left on a motor trip to Toronto and Hamilton and on their return will reside on the groom's farm, south of Flesherton.

Now let us all get ready to patronize the Fall Fair. The Prize List is good, and the roads in fine condition.

Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held at the Town Hall, Flesherton, by His Honor, the Judge of the County Court, for the County of Grey at 10 o'clock a.m., on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1928, to hear all complaints of errors and omissions in and from the Voters' List of 1928.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1928.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

Voters' List, 1928

MUNCIPALITY OF FLESHERTON

Notice is hereby given that I have complied with section 7 of the Voters' List Act and have posted up at my office on the 8th day of September, 1928, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality elections and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings and have any omission or errors corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 29th day of September, 1928.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.
Dated September 8th, 1928.

Hon. S. L. Howe, a former resident of Meaford, now of Vancouver, is the new Provincial Secretary of British Columbia.

Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including Saturday, September 15th, for the construction of reinforced concrete bridge, opposite lot 15, Con. 4 & 5, Osprey Township.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Engineer, Court House, Owen Sound.

A marked cheque for 10 per cent. will be required with each tender and the successful bidder will be requested to furnish a contract bond for 50 per cent. of the amount of contract.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. C. McKNIGHT,
Township Engineer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of Thomas Wolseley Conron, late of the village of Feversham, in the county of Grey, Telephone Operator, who died on or about the 31st day of March, 1928, are required to forward their claims duly proved to the undersigned Solicitor of the Administrator on or before the 29th day of September, 1928.

And further take notice that after such mentioned date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the money among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims as he then will have notice of.

Dated at Collingwood this 17th day of August, A.D. 1928.

MALCOLM McLEAN, Collingwood.

SALE OF LAND BY TENDER
of the late Thos. W. Conron

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned at his office in Collingwood up to the 29th day of September, 1928, for the purchase of lots 6,7 and 8 on the East side of Victoria Street in the Village of Feversham. There are two houses situate on the property. Tenders may be made for either of the houses separately or together.

Dated at Collingwood this 22nd day of August, A.D. 1928.

Malcolm McLean of the Town of Collingwood, Solr. for the Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of Agnes Kaitting, late of the Township of Osprey in the County of Grey, House Wife, who died on or about the 13th day of September, A. D. 1925, are notified to forward to the undersigned Administrator or his Solicitor on or before the 29th day of Septmeber A. D. 1928 their names and addreses and full particulars of their claims duly verified.

Andlfurther take notice that after the said date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims as he will then have notice of.

Dated at Collingwood this 22nd day of August A. D. 1928.

W. H. KERNAHAN, Administrator,
Maxwell, Ont.
or to
MALCOLM McLEAN, Sol. for the Administrator.
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