Presentation

The citizens of Rock Mills gave Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dargavel and family a surprise party on Wednesday evening of last week when they met and presented them with an electric iron and a floor lamp and fountain pens to Master Robert and Miss Ethel upon their departure from the community to reside in Flesherton. The following address was read along with the presentation:-

To Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dargavel and family:

Dear folk-It is with regret we realize the fact that you are leaving Rock Mills. Your going will cause a vacancy here that can never be filled again, in just the same way.

During these years of your sojourn with us we have ever found you to be a kind neighbor and thoughtful friend, always ready and willing to lend a helping hand whenever the opportunity presented itself. Our loss will be another's gain.

So here's wishing each of you the best of health and prosperity with wealth and happiness galore!

We beg you to accept these gifts, not for any intrinsic value, but as a token of our sincere affection and esteem.

Signed on behalf of your many friends and neighbors of Rock Mills —Ned Croft, Richard Clark and Robt. Croft.

Candies, Nuts Oranges, Etc.

Our stock of Christmas Candies, Nuts, Oranges and Bananas is complete and of the choicest variety—as fresh as can be secured. Buy your Christmas supplies at this store and receive the best.

Hot dog, tea, etc., will be served in our restaurant on Santa Claus day. Make this store your headquarters while in town.

H. Freeman

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Boots and Rubbers For Heavy Wear

At the Lowest Prices

At this time of the year Heavy Boots and Rubbers are required to withstand the heavy wear which they are subject to. We have an excellent line of long rubber boots, both leather and rubber tops, that are priced right.

We also have goloshes, heavy socks that are offered at the lowest prices obtainable.

Allow us to put new rubber bottoms on those leather tops of yours.

W. L. Morwood

Shoe Repairing - FLESHERTON

Recollections of Early Days With W. F. McLean

Mondays Toronto dailies announced the death of W. F. Maclean in that city. The Globe gives an interesting synopsis of his career, but some of its statements are scarcely in accord with facts. The editor of The Advance was an employee of the Toronto World for five years during the early hectic days of its existence when funds to pay its employees were as scarce as the proverbial hens' teeth. W. F. Maclean, its founder had placed in it all his small funds in the hope that it would pay the way from the start. In this he was quickly disillusioned and added to his other trials were the endeavors to dodge his creditors. The Globe says that when The World succumbed it was not known that any of his employees lost any of his back pay.

As a matter of fact the paper at one time ceased publication for two weeks before its final sale. At that time Maclean gathered his employees around him and told them that if they would return to work he would pay them regularly and eventually pay off all the back salaries. This was only partially done and in 1888 when we left The World every man was still owed from $15 to $25 of that back pay.

While we were employed by W. F Maclean an incident occurred which created a great deal of interest among the printers and newspapermen and which is not touched on by the Toronto papers. "W. F." was a recent graduate of Toronto University and among the students he had many friends. In his endeavors to get a "scoop" on his big brothers of the daily press he put up a scheme with the University students. At that time a large cannon commanded the entrance to the University grounds. About 1 o' clock one morning we who were at work were startled by a loud explosion which fairly shook the building. Everyone wondered what had happened. An hour afterwards Maclean came in with the "copy" and the cause was explained, some prankish students had loaded and fired the big cannon, which caused a great commotion all over the city. The other morning's Globe and Mail came out with big headlines,"Mysterious Explosion—Cause Unknown." The World came out with a full explanation of how the mischievous students had so wantonly awakened the sleeping citizens, and called for an investigation. Nothing more was ever heard about the affair.

Often the World was keenly put to it to issue for want of white paper. The World's credit was not good. On one occasion Maclean with his drayman, it was said, broke open the storeroom of the Canada Paper Company and annexed a roll of paper to print the morning edition on. Later in the day he paid for it, but the paper company was very wroth over the affair.

In those days we had great sympathy with W. F. Maclean. He was one of the hardest worked men we ever knew—all night on the editorial end of the paper and through the day from 7 a. m. until 6 p. m. dodging creditors.

Most of the old employees of those "dear, dead days" of long ago have passed over. At the present time we cannot think of one except ourselves to drop a tear for the man who expected to emulate the New York World in Toronto but whose activities only bore dead sea fruit, and who died without having accomplished much that he had hoped for, or accumulating much of this world's goods.

The Late Mrs. Coulthard

The sudden death of Mrs. H. Coulthard on Thursday morning Nov.21 in Feversham came as a shock to friends and neighbors. Mrs. Coulthard was in her usual health on Wednesday afternoon when she went to a meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid in Feversham. While there she was stricken with convulsions and never regained consciousness. Everything possible was done to relieve her and on Thursday morning she passed out of this life.

The funeral was held on Sunday, Nov. 24 from her late home to the Presbyterian church, Feversham, thence to Bethel cemetery, service at the church and grave being conducted by Rev. Moffat, assisted by Rev. F. Dean.

The deceased whose maiden name was Alice Healey, was born in England 53 years ago, coming to Canada in 1907. In March, 1912 she was married to her now sorrowing husband. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother, one step-daughter, Nellie a graduate nurse of Durham hospital. A sad feature of the occasion is the fact that Miss Nellie has been in the hospital since graduation suffering from a breakdown and was not able to be home for the funeral. Three brothers and one sister also survive.

Mrs. Coulthard will be much missed in the Feversham church where she was a faithful member of the choir and Ladies' Aid.

The floral tributes consisted of a wreath from Mr. John Healey(brother) and family; wreath from Mrs. Wismer(sister-in-law); wreath from Feversham Ladies' Aid; spray from Feversham choir; spray from Osprey U. F. W. O.; spray from nurses of Durham hospital.

Grey Judging Team

Grey County's judging team stood seventh among 24 teams of junior farmers taking part in the comptition at th Provincial Wintr Fair at Guelph on Monday, getting 2,238 ponts out of a total possible score of 3,000. The County team consisted of Wm. Clugston of Heathcote, who stood 11th in the individual competition with a total of 760 points out of a possible 1,000, and who was 9th in placing horses; Hunter Mackey of Thornbury, who stood 8th in judging hogs and scored 739 points, and Wm. Hammond, also of Thornbury, who also scored 739 points.

The Grey County team stood 10th in judging horses, 13th in beef cattle, 11th in dairy cattle, 7th in sheep and 4th in hogs.

S. S. NO. 3 ARTEMESIA

Sr. 4—Merle Allen, Wilfred Best*, Billie Parkger, Della Vause.

Jr. 4—Marjorie Wyatt, Doris Waller, Harold Johnson*.

Jr. 3—Elsie White, Georgena Blackburn, Patsy Beard, Russell Johnson*.

Pr. 2—Ruby Vause*.

Jr.1—Billie Wyatt, Eileen Johnson* and Everett Parker (equal),Irene Doupe, Ivan Waller, Edgar Doupe, Muriel McMullen.

Sr. Pr.—Roy Best*, Lorene Johnson*, Jack McMullen, Lloyd Waller.

* present every day.

G. B. Littlejohns, Teacher.

COMING EVENTS

Vandeleur Sunday School concert to be held Dec. 19 in the church. Supper served from 6 to 8. Admission 35c.

Springhill public school will hold the regular Christsmas concert Friday evening, December 20th. Everybody invited to attend.

Wm. Stock, lot 7, con. 4, Osprey, will hold a credit auction sale of farm stock and implements on Friday, Dec. 13, for which see bills. Geo. Duncan, auctioneer.

BARNUM KNEW HOW TO GET RESULTS

The late P. T. Barnum said:"If you have $19 to use put $10 of it into advertising. I can out-talk any man but a printer. The man who talks every week to thousands of men while I am talking to a few is the man I am afraid of, and I want to be his friend. Trade with the men who advertise and you will get bargains and the worth of your money. Patronize your paper as you would any other enterprise because it helps you. The local papers are religiously read, and are the very best avenues for imparting to customers or producers simple, but important information.—Brighton Ensign.

The Late Eunice Gordon

The funeral of the late Eunice Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gordon of Eugenia whose death was announced last week, was held on Sunday, Dec. 1, to Salem burial ground, after a service at Eugenia United church. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Bamford, who paid a high tribute to the character of the departed young woman who was cut off in the bloom of her youth. She leaves to mourn her loss her father, mother, one brother, Earl at home; and three sisters—Lorene (Mrs. Melbourn Phillips) of the 4th line, Artemesia; Hilda and Enid, who are still in the Hamilton hospital. Friends from a distance present at the funeral were: Mrs. Victor Harding, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gibson, Cataract. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The pall bearers were Lewis Genoe, John Campbell, Duncan Williams, Charles Turner, Stanley Campbell and Albert Williams.

PORTLAW SCHOOL REPORT

Sr. 4—Grace Phillips, Clara Boyce Dorothy Badgerow, Mary Sheardown.

Jr. 4— Wilbert Fisher, Clifford Taylor, Delbert Fisher, Bert Hopps.

Sr. 3—Bobbie Meldrum, John Blakey, John Skinner, Herb Blakey.

Jr. 3—Florence Boyce.

2nd—Carrie Skinner, Gracie Jamieson, Roy Chapman, Vern McMullen

Sr. 1—Bernice Plantt, Marjorie Pedlar.

Jr. 1—Muriel St. Helaire, Sadie McKee, Louisa Boyce, Elda Pedlar, Mabel Blakey, Harry Badgerow.

Sr. Pr.—Harold Phillips, George Boyce, Alice Shier, Lewellyn Skinner.

No. on roll, 30. Average attendance, 26.

M. Johnston, Teacher.

Small Advts.

LOST OR STOLEN

STRAYED—From pasture of Henry Duckett, cattle beast, color, red with white face.—Alf. Partridge, R. R. No. 1, Flesherton.

STRAYED—From pasture of Henry Duckett, Eugenia, heifer rising two, v clip out of right ear. Information will be thankfully received.—S. McMullen, Flesherton phone 45 r 12.

FOR SALE

FOR RENT—A six roomed house with good garden, opposite high school.—W. J. Caswell, Proton R.R. 3.

FOR SALE—A number of good turkeys, both sex, bred from 1st. prize winners at London in 1928.—Jas. Turner, R. R. 3 Priceville. Phone 21 r 11.

FOR SALE—Three- seated pleasure sleigh and set of double driving harness. Apply to John Stewart, phone 32 r 12, Flesherton.

FOR SALE—1 good robe, set of single harness, also a violin, will sell cheap for cash—Roy Arnott,R. R. No. 1 Flesherton.

FOR SALE — A quantity of dry hardwood—price $4.50 per cord.—R. J. Vause, Proton. Phone Flesherton 32-13.

FOR SALE — new seven roomed house with all modern conveniences, Toronto St., Flesherton. Write or phone C. J. Crossley, 651 Annette St., Toronto, phone Junction 2161.

MISCELLANEOUS

JOB WANTED—Driving team for winter—Roy Arnott R. R. No. 1 Flesherton or phone Feversham 4 r 13.

NOTICE — Hunting or trapping on lots 158-59-60 and 161, 3rd range W. T. & S.R., Artemesia, is strictly prohibited. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Lther Duckett.

FOR SALE OR RENT — 100 acres, lots 166, 167, 1 R. W., T. & O. S. N. on No. 10 Highway, in township of Artemesia, ¼ mile from school. 2 miles from Flesherton. Apply to L. R. Thistlethwaite, 24 Connor Ave., Toronto or W. J. Bellay, Flesherton.

GOOD SMOOTH FARM OF 70 acres best of land almost all under cultivation 2½ miles north east of Flesherton. Good barn 33x40, new garage 20x22, good brick house, newly decorated, 20x35. well, windmill and ½ acres orchard. Priced for quick sale. Apply Lucas, Henry & Lucas, Markdale, or Mrs. S. Dezell, R. R. No 5,Owen Sound.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT

A good farm for sale or to rent with comfortable buildings and in a good state of cultivation. This farm is in the Township of Artemesia, quite near Ceylon and Priceville. A real snap for quick sale. For further informatioin apply to Mrs. Sarah Mills, R. R. 1, Proton Station. phone Dundalk 62 r 4.

FARM FOR SALE

75 Acres in Osprey, all under cultivation; brick house and large frame barn with stone basement; half mile east of Maxwell being parts of lots 11 and 12, Con. 6. Apply to Dr. D. H. Guy, Newmarket, administrator of the estate of the late W. H. Guy.

FARM FOR SALE.

50 acres, lot 165 1st S. W. T. S.R., Artemesia, 35 acres under cultivation with 4 acres of swamp and hardwood bush; good bank barn 40x45, and driving shed 22x30; frame house, five rooms. Farm is situated on the provincial highway with public school 30 rods distant and 1½ miles south of Flesherton.

—CHAS. BEST,
R.R. 3, Proton Station.

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106 acres in Osprey, nearly all under cultivation. Cement house and large frame barn with stone basement. Lot 31, Con. 10, Osprey. Apply to John Thompson, Agincourt, Ont., administrator of the estate of the late George Thompson. Give your best offer.

FARM FOR SALE

100 acres, being lot 37, Con. 4, Artemesia, 80 acres under cultivation. Good house and large barn with good stabling and out-buildings. For further particulars apply on premises.

—ALB. BLACKBURN,
Phone 42 r 6 Maxwell.

FARM FOR SALE

About 100 acres of giod clay loam land, being lot 24 and 25, 2nd con. N.D.R., near Six Corners, about a mile from Flesherton Station, about 85 acres of cultivated land, 10 acres in hardwood bush, five acres swamp. Seven-roomed house, solid brick with cellar under all, also summer kitchen roof barn 45x46, drive shed 20X40, good spring well and good fences. This farm cheap for quick sale.—Geo. E. Banks, Flesherton, telephone 36 J.

FARM FOR SALE

110 acres in the Township of Artemesia, lots 77 and 78, 1 N.D.R., about 85 acres under cultivation, balance pasture and mixed bush; barn 36x60 with T 36x45, all with stone basement, in good repair, water at barn; driving shed 24x30, also hen house; 8-roomed solid brick house with soft water cistern and furnace. This is a good grain and stock farm, well fenced and watered, situated convenient to railway, church and school. Reason for selling is on account of poor health. For particulars apply on premises.

W. A. MORTON,
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BOAR FOR SERVICE.

Registered Yorkshire Boar for service by Flesherton Bacon Hog Club, the property of the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

—C. STEWART, Caretaker.

SHORTHORN BULL FOR SERVICE

Registered Shorthorn bull for service at lot 5, Con. 9, Osprey, "Merry Marquis" No. 179,135; Sire, Bonnie Marquis 142,381; Dam, Red Butterfly 131,078. Terms — Purebreds $5.00. grades $2.00. Cows not returned will be charge full price.

—S. R. HAWKINS, Eugenia.

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Registered Yorkshire Boar for service—Edgely Bright Vim, No. 99,996 —Property of Saugeen Bacon Hog Club. Terme, $1.00

—C. HINDLE,

BULL FOR SERVICE

Durham Bull for service. $1.50 if paid before January, otherwise $2.—C. Akins, R. R. 3, Proton Station.

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