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THE HOME COMING

Almost in the brief, "yesterday" of people still living, Flesherton was formed on the crossroads stopping place on the trails through the forest, in Grey County.

It hasn't grown much, in those changing years. It has little or no industrial life: not even so much as it had a generation or so ago. It has no mansions: no tremendously wealthy folk. Nothing of modern amusements and entertainment for the public.

And yet, several hundred of her boys and girls flocked back home again last Saturday for the Old Home picnic. This time, there was no lavish spending of money; no blaring bands: no admissions charged. Not even the "Fair Grounds" were used.

But just a family gathering in the Memorial Park, where people numbering possibly four times the population of the village met and visited: joined in friendly games if they felt klie it, or wandered through the beautiful park and all wore that expansive smile that signals a heart warmed and happy. For what is better than to meet an old friend?

Flesherton has had little to give its youth, that youth holds dear. It gives an education of the highest order; it gives home life and love, and then it says au revior (or would if it were French), and sends its youth out into the world beyond the hills, supreme in the confidence that success will spring at the command of her own young folk and it has!

And then, when age has greyed the hair on the temples, and when the heart turns homeward again, it gives memories of happy days gone, and such a warm welcome back.

One wonders was there ever a little village like ours which so happily held the warmth of affection of its sons and daughters as does this one! Change? Yes! The "old town" isn't what it used to be--to the old timers who have lost the buoyancy of step, and are perhaps a trifle bewildered at this thing called "youth". But this is a place where memory is sacred. Here old friends have been gained—this one thing which no place can give to them, now.

Sometimes even in the midst of the joy of a re-union such as Saturday, there are the saddening memories of a day that is past, and of faces that can be recalled only in the hungry magic of the heart. But there is joy in the thoughts of Home, and warmth in the welcomes that are exchanged by the old friends of the village and surrounding townships, and those who came back with that inner look on their face that says: "those were 'good old days'. those days when you and I were just ordinary friends! But today we are extraordinary friends, because we are drinking at the fountain of youthful memories," which are the only thing in the world that nearly approximates that elexir which was supposed to do what monkey glands can't do for you and me--to give us back our buoyant youth again.

A Kincardine township farm of 200 acres, which was bought when the price of farm lands was at the peak for $13,000, was sold at a recent mortgage sale for $8,100, or 62 per cent of its purchase price.

HIS CONSCIENCE PRICKED

Mr. Joe Clark of the Toronto Daily Star editorial staff was here for the big picnic on Saturday. He told the following story. Joe has been an inveterate joker ever since he stole the teacher's bell in early boyhood and there is a suspicion in our mind that there is a joke somewhere in the story, but would not swear to it, because we have before heard of sinners becoming converted in their old age and his case may be quite sincere. However, that may be here in his story. One day in his boyhood he stole two watermelons from a Flesherton resident, and conscience has been treading on his toes ever since. So much so has this been the case, and considering that his toes have been developing bunions, he decided to make restitution and thus get rid of his tired feeling, so he purchased two fine large watermelons, (larger than he stole) brought them along with him and presented them to the picnic committee, who sliced them up and passed them around to the crowd. We hope the Flesherton public will not take this restitution as a sign of imminent dissolution of the relieved donor.

TORONTO LINE NORTH

Mrs. R. C. McIntyre of Toronto spent the week end with her brother, Mr. Robt. Richardson, and family.

Miss Bertha Ottewell, teacher near Proton, is spending a few days with Miss Gertrude Lever, before leaving for Detroit for the summer vacation.

The neighbors of the Toronto Line gathered at the home of Mr. R. Richardson on Thursday evening last and presented the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richardson, with an occasional chair.

AN EXPLANATION

To the Editor of The Advance:

Dear Sir,—A petition was presented at the last session of County Council asking for the removal of the present road overseer east of Flesherton, stating that the overseer had shown favoritism to certain families. The fact is that when the petition was circulated it was misrepresented, and that the heading given the petition was added after the signatures had been secured. Those who signed understood that the petition was merely to have Mr. Newll divide the work equally to farmers along the route.

—ONE OF THE SIGNERS.

HOLDFAST U.F.W.O. MEETING

The Holdfast U.F.W.O. Club met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Irving on June 10th. Sixteen members and five visitors were present. After the usual opening exercises the bulletin questions were discussed—Mrs. J. J. Lyness, marketing; Mrs. B. McKenzie, legislation, and Mrs. D. Stewart, citizenship. Mrs. W. A. Beaton, R. N., gave a helpful health talk. The roll call was answered by a recipe for a simple dessert dish. Following the club's usual custom the next meeting will be a picnic for the members and their families to be held at the Hydro Park, Eugenia, Tuesday, July 7th, at 2:30 p.m.

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PORTLAW

Rev. Mr. Scott, Mrs. Scott and son and Mr. Jos. Blakley of Flesherton visited with T. R. and Mrs. McKenzie recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nicholson of Toronto visited with friends of their old neighborhood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Blackburn of Stayner.

Miss Hazel Shunk of Toronto a former teacher here, visited with her friend, Mrs. Harry Fisher.

The ladies of Mount Zion church will hold their annual garden party on Thursday evening of this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jamieson and two sons of Toronto were week end visitors at the home of the former's brother here. Gordon and Donald who are members of a church band had their saxaphone and cornet along and favored the Sunday School last Sunday with two selections that were very much enjoyed.

The boys and girls of Wareham, eighth line and Rock Mills schools united with our school in picnicing in Mr. Akitt's grove on Friday last. According to reports it was a very happy gathering.

There is genuine regret in this school section on account of the resignation of Miss Johnson, the teacher. Miss Johnson has taught here for three years and has given splendid service and satisfaction. During her term the school has made good progress and she has lent her services freely to the furtherance of the interests of the people. On Tuesday of last week her pupils, during a social hour, when a goodly number of the parents were present, called Miss Johnson forward and presented her with an address, a camera and a beautiful fruit dish. The address was read by Mary Sheardown, and the presentation was made by Delbert and Wilbert Fisher. It was all a genuine surprise for Miss Johnson, who thanked her pupils for the gifts and all their kindness to her. Lunch was served and the teacher treated the children to chocolate bars and peanuts. Games and singing were indulged in. Miss Johnson takes away with her the best wishes of all for her future happiness.

Stunned By Lightning

During the heavy electric storm on Thursday afternoon last Mr. John Eagles and son, Frank, had an experience that they don't want repeated. Along with Mr. Wm. McFadden, a neighbor, they were tightening a wire fence when a sharp flash of lightening came and hitting the fence knocked the two men to the ground, stunning them. It was a close call from serious injury.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Scott and family motored to Goderich on Tuesday to visit relatives there.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 6 o'clock of the 11th of July, 1931, for the taking down of the spire of St. John's church, Flesherton, and doing certain repairs and changes to the tower.

Dated June 30th, 1931.

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CEYLON

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White, Mr. and Mrs. Griffen and Mr. and Mrs. Stan White and daughter of Toronto were week end visitors with Mrs. White.

Miss Agnes Macphail, M.P., returned the first of the week from her duties at Ottawa.

Mrs. Percy Hunt and two sons, Stanley and Melville, left the past week in company with Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery, for a two weeks' holiday at their cottage at Dorset.

Mr. Newbaur and Mrs. F. Sproat of Akron, Ohio, motored over and visited at Mr. Richad Whittaker's last week. Mrs. Newbaur, who has been visiting her parents for some time, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLachlan, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Snider and daughter, Louise, of Toronto visited their father, Mr. D. D. McLachlan on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Duckett and family motored to Glen Huron the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred McMullen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Austin McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMullen of Toronto spent the week end with their father, Mr. J. L. McMullen, and other friends.

Master George Patterson of Toronto is spending his summer vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeod.

Mr. Joe Hemphill of Toronto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lyness.

Owing to the Anniversary services to be held in Flesherton on Sunday there will be no service in Ceylon church this Sunday. Sunday school at the usual hour.

The Flesherton Sunday school invited the Ceylon Sunday school to the union picnic in Flesherton's Memorial Park on July 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rutledge and family of Holland Centre visited the first of the week at Mr. F. Marshall's. Master Billie Marshall returned home with them for a holiday.

The community picnic will be held in Thos. Genoe's bush on Friday, July 3rd. Everybody bring eats.

Mr. Chas. Moore is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Stewart.

The men's choir in St. John's United church on Sunday morning last was composed chiefly of "old timers" Mr. S. L. M. Hardwick, a former high school teacher, and Mr. Llewellyn DeFoe of Toronto, rendered solos most acceptably.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Dr. F. Carr-Harris will be available at Flesherton every Monday, Wednesday and riday afternoons or on notification of Mrs. F. T. Bibby.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER of the estate of ELEANOR WRIGHT, late of the Village of Flesherton in the County of Grey, widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 51 of the Trustees Act R.S.O. 1927, Chapter 150, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the Estate of the said ELEANOR WRIGHT, who died on or about the 15th day of March, A.D. 1931 at the City of Windsor in the County of Essex, are required on or before the 27th day of June A.D. 1931, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Lucas, Henry & Lucas, Solicitors for the Administratrix of the Estate of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars in writing of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution.

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Miscellaneous

WANTED ——Good second hand cultivator.—Frank Collinson, Ceylon.

NOTICE — Fishing and trespassing prohibited on lot 24, Con. 3, Artemesia, known as the Harry Genoe farm. — H. Radley, Leesee.

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That fine big Trotting Stallion, WILLIAM W. BELWIN, will stand for service at his own stable, Flesherton for the season of 1931. To insure: reduced from $20 to $15—hard-time price. Parties wishing to use this horse kindly come before 7 a.m. or after 6 p.m.

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—J. L. LOVE, Proton Station

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—R. B. RUTLEDGE, Ceylon.

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