Local and Personal

Be a member of East Grey Agricultural Society for $1.00.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bellamy were in Toronto last week.

The highway south of town will be open for traffic on Thursday.

Come to Flesherton on Saturday and see us in our new dress.

Work is progressing favorably on Mr. F. W. Duncan's new store on Toronto street.

A number of Toronto sportsmen were in town on Tuesday with the opening of the duck season.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jamieson and family of Owen Sound visited his mother here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Thibaudeau, Mrs. A. Filshie and Mrs. H. A. McCauley were in Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston visited last week with their daughter at Lions Head and Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Down returned on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks at Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. LeGarde and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kellar of Toronto were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson.

Mrs. M. Jamieson returned last week after a two weeks' motor trip to South Porcupine and Timmons. in company with her son, Chas., and family of Owen Sound.

Mrs. Alf. Thistlethwaite left last week on the first part of her trip to the west where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. T. Hughes in Vancover.

Quite a number of the young people of town joined the Dundalk young people in a weiner roast a short distance from that village and naturally thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Dr. John Pogue of Regina, Sask., was in town last week visiting his friend, Dr. W. D. Bryce. Dr. Pogue was returning from a visit to Paris, France, where he was attending a convention.

The weather from Thursday to Saturday last week compared with the hot weather of last July and the thermometer jumped as high as 92 in the shade here. It was the hottest September on record.

Mrs. Geo. Goldsborough and two children of Toronto are spending a few months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell. Mr. Goldsborough is in northern Ontario occupied in construction work.

Some local young swains were in trouble last week from taking wood from a private cache in the valley in order to make a corn roast fire burn with greater heat. They were called upon to settle for their fun. This year there has been considerable of this petty thieving from apple trees, plum trees, corn patches, etc., and causes considerable annoyance and loss from other damage inflicted on garden produce. This kind of work has got to cease or an example will be made of those who are caught.

Bad Company Was Cause

The downfall of Jack Brockenshire should be a lesson to all young men to shun bad company. This lad bears the reputation of being a splendid fellow in his young days, as the following from the Orillia Packet and Times shows: "Brockenshire was born in Orillia and received his early training here. He was also an all round sport and before leaving Orillia was well thought of. Many remember going to school with him, and were shocked to hear that it was he who had committed such a brutal murder. Even his former school teachers spoke well of him. However, when his family moved to Toronto and then to Windsor, the lad got into bad company and moved rapidly towards his doom." Like many other boys, the fast life of the city led him away and he fell in with bad company and at the end of a short route of crime he has been brought beneath the shadow of the gallows. A sad story but a very real one.

SPRAYING PAYS

The spray supervisor in Leeds County reports that the good orchards carefully looked after, indicate a good crop of first-class apples, while orchards only partially sprayed are badly infested with scab and apple maggot. This is undoubtedly the case in most fruit growing districts, and it emphasizes once again the need for systematic and intensive spraynig of orchards if clean, desirable fruit is to be obtained.

Suffered Great Loss When Barns Burned

PORTLAW

A disastrous fire on Wednesday of last week, on the farm of Mr. Louis Hill, third line, Osprey, completely wiped out all his farm buildings except the dwelling house. Mr. J. Boyce was engaged threshing at the time and nearing the noon hour a small patch of fire was noticed on the barn roof. Immediately afterward fire started in the barn and before anything could be saved the large barns and contents were a mass of flames. The heat was so intense that it was only with the most strenuous efforts on the part of the large force of men, who had quickly gathered, that the house, which was only a short distance away, was saved.

The buildings consisted of two large frame barns, implement shed, garage and other buildings, and were among the most expensive farm buildings in the township. They contained the entire season's crop of hay and grain of the 50 acre farm, which, together with the farm machinery, were completely wiped out. Mr. Boyce was unable to save his machine and the loss is a serious one to him also. We understand that Mr. Hill carried insurance to the extent of some $4,000, but this will cover only a fraction of his loss. Hatherton Orange hall, situated across the road took fire but was saved. For a time the house and barn of Mr. A. Grummett were also in great danger.

Much credit is due the lady operator in Dundalk central, who kept the wires hot in rushing fighters to the scene of the fire.

Mr. Reg. Irish, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Irish of Wareham, who some weeks ago was badly injured when he fell from the roof of a barn near Meaford was last week operated upon in Toronto. Latest reports state that he is in a very citical condition and his life is despaired of.

The Priceville Fair

The annual Priceville fall fair was held on Thursday and Friday of last week. A large exhibit was arranged in the hall on Thursday and judging took place that afternoon. Friday afternoon was devoted to the showing of live stock, of which the entries were numerous. The attendance was not large as the fine weather caused many to remain home who otherwise would have been there. The concert is the evening in the hall was given by the Dromore Dramatic Club with their play "Valley Farm" and a large crowd was there. A dance was also held at the close of the concert for which Haws' orchestra furnished the required music.

AN UNWISE PRACTICE

Numerous reports have been received from time to time of serious losses taken on grading by country merchants who have held their eggs for a higher market. The holding of eggs at country points for a rising market is decidedly unwise because of the fact that storage facilities are not adequate to maintain quality in the egg. Eggs are graded by candling before a strong light, and the grade of the egg depends on the size of the air cell. This is turn varies in accordance with the amount of CO_2 or carbon dioxide given off by the egg through its shell. You can't fool the egg grader and it doesn't pay to hold.

The Flea Jumped

While running his sea flea in Townsend's Lake, west of Markdale, on Thursday afternoon last Dr. E. C. Murray, pioneer motor boat, motor car and sea flea owner of Flesherton, had an exciting few moments when the small craft tried to take off and fly, but only succeeded in turning over and depositing its occupants, none too gently, into the waters of the large lake. In this matter he was following in the footsteps of Kaye Don, the Irish sportsman, who did the same thing at Detroit a week ago.

Accompaning Dr. Murray on the cruise was Dr. J. Pogue, a friend of Dr. W. D. Bryce. The flea was running almost wide open and when negotiating a curve and attempting to shut off the gas and spark in some manner the boat swung its nose into the air and turned over. Neither of the occupants were wearing their life jackets at the time but fortunately both were good swimmers and, as the engine had stopped, it was no trouble for them to hang onto the boat.

Dr. Bryce, and a farmer who lived close by and was watching the boat soar over the surface of the lake, found a punt close by and immediately set out for scene of the incident, approximately three hundred yards from shore. They pulled the men into the boat and then towed the sea flea to the shore where it was righted. The boat was not damaged and, while the men were given an unexpected bath, they did not suffer any from their enforced immersion and are all ready to take another whirl at the thrilling sport.

Won Several Prizes

Mrs. H. A. McCauley of town enjoyed quite a success this year with her fancy work at the Ottawa and Toronto exhibitions. At Ottawa she won three first prizes, one second prize; and at the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto took three first first prizes. At each show there were six pieces entered in the competition

THE WESTERN MARKET

The Ontario Growers' Market is enthusiastic about the Western market for Ontario-grown fruit and vegetables. Tomatoes must be packed in ugs and paper wrapped for this market, according to C. W. Bauer, secretary, who says further: "The West wants Ontario tomatoes, but wants them packed differently. We can sell our tomatoes in 11-quart baskets in the West at unsatisfactory prices, but if we want to develop a large market for tomatoes at good prices they must be packed differently."

A similar situation has developed in regard to peaches. Officers of the Council have come to the conclusion that basket packing is not a satisfactory method to be used for the Western market. Different Ontario fruit growing organizations are equipping themselves to pack peaches in boxes for the Western trade. It is realized that to expand their markets better packages must be realized.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father, W. E. Morgan, who died Sept. 16th, 1930.

Some day, some time, our
eyes shall see
That face we loved so well
Some day our hands shall
clasp in his,
And never say farewell.

—Wife and Family.

No Blame Attaehed To Driver of Car

An inquest was held at Dundalk on Friday evening, before Coroner Dr. Frank Martin of Dundalk, into the death of John Bemrose of Osprey Township, who was killed in a car accident on Wednesday evening, Sept. 2. No blame was attaached to anyone in the Jury's verdict. W. D. Henry, K.C., the crown attorney for Grey County, questioned the various witnesses. Evidence given by the driver of the car, Albert Orr, went to show that the car was not travelling over 15 miles an hour at the time of the accident. He had been travelling between 20 and 22 miles an hour on the county road but after turning off onto the townline between Osprey and Artemesia townships, where the accident occurred, had slowed down to 15 miles an hour, Orr stated. His evidence was corroborated by James McNurney, Miss Mary and Annie Bemrose, sisters of the deceased who were riding in the rumble seat of the car along with their brother, were unable to state at what speed the car had been travelling and said they had not been alarmed by Orr's rate of driving.

Evidence was given to show that the car turned completely over and then righted itself again. The coroner remarked that he did not see how this could have occurred at the rate of speed the car was said to have been travelling.

Besides the occupants of the car, Dr. Carr-Harris of Maxwell and Dr. J. E. Milne of Flesherton both gave evidence, as did Provincial Constable Cook of Meaford.

The following is the verdict of the coroner's jury in full.

"We the coroner's jury, empanelled to inquire into the cause of the death of the late John Bemrose, after visiting the scene of the accident, viewing the remains and after a thorough examination of the evidence submitted to us have unanimously arrived at the following verdict:

"We find that the forementioned died about 9 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 2, from a fracture at the base of the skull caused by the accidental overturning of an automobile driven by Albert Orr of 845 Manning Avenue, Toronto, in which the deceased was a passenger and which occurred at a point one quarter mile north of county road No. 52 on the townline between Osprey and Artemesia townships. We do not hold any person criminally responsible for the tragic end of the young man's life. We would name as a contributing cause of the accident the fact that the road was very narrow and its surface uneven. It would appear, too, that, although the car was probably a new one, its brakes were defective. We would strongly recommend the utmost vigilence on the part of all drivers when travelling on narrow country roads of which they have the most casual acquaintance and on which rates of speed which would be reckoned careful and even slow on main highways are dangerous."

Artemesia Council

Artemesia Council met at Flesherton on the 7th of September, 1931. The members all present the Reeve presiding.

The minutes of last meeting and special meeting were read and on motion adopted.

Accounts etc. presented were:-

C. C. Milldebro legal advice and services $5., sheep claims paid R. Betts $10., John McNevin $5., A. Harbottle $29., J. Campbell $18. Sheep valuers fees paid, W. J. Beatty $1.50 R. Clark $3., A. Love 1.50.

The Road Superintendent's report for August showing expended $1052.24 was presented and the accounts ordered paid.

The council adjourned.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will not be responsible for any debt contracted after this date by my wife, Mrs. Willa Brady.
Dated September 12, 1931.

—THOS. W. BRADY.

Fair On Saturday

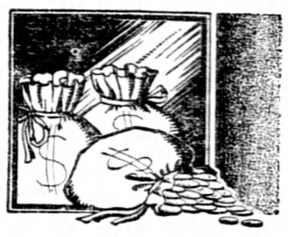
Final preparations are now being made for the opening of South East Grey's premier fair at Flesherton on Saturday of this week, September 19. Already Secretary H. A. McCauley reports that a large number of entries have been sent in and expects to have a record number of people showing at the fair this year. The race track is in real good shape for the horse races and it is expected that a large number of horses will be in the competition in each class. The named race with local horses entered is a big drawing card and some close finishes are sure to result.

Flesherton Dramatic Club will present their play "When a Feller Needs a Friend" in the town hall on Friday and Saturday nights. This play is a three act comedy and should attract a capacity house each night.

Make the 1931 East Grey fair a record-breaker in attendance. You will not be disappointed if you attend, but will have a real good time. Your friends will be there, so why not you.

The Department of Animal Husbandry, O.A.C., reports the death of the 18-year-old Shorthorn cow, "College Augusta 6th," after a long and singularly useful life. During her career she gave birth to and raised 16 single calves, and 70 per cent. of the present Shorthorn herd are direct descendants of hers.

SAVE MORE



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