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THE COURT COSTS

Recently a word was said on this page respecting police court costs. At the time, a couple of cases cited by the Bracebridge Gazette, were mentioned. Now comes another instance where the costs appear quite beyond reason. It is from Chesley and as reported by the Chesley Enterprise recounts that four men were found playing cards with money on the table between 12 p.m. and 1 a.m. on Sunday. All pleaded guilty and one man was fined $40 and costs amounting to $24.90, while the others were fined $10 each plus costs of $24.90 each. While without sympathy for the gamblers and without objection to their fines it would seem but fair to enter a protest against such bills of costs. Think of $24.90 costs for an ordinary police court case. It should be merely sufficient to carry a case through a county court and on to a supreme court. There may be some explanation, but at this distance it would appear that the midnight gamblers lost their "pot", with no chance to make a good draw.—Collingwood Bulletin.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Toronto daily papers have a great hobby. Each picks a slate they support at the annual elections and then slam the others for not supporting their selection.

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Christmas Eve ushered in a heavy snow storm and we had a white Christmas after all; it was a close call.

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Lightning caused most of the bush fires in Northern Ontario during the past summer, the remainder by campers.

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Chain letters seem to be the rage again. Any person receiving one should burn it at once, as no dire consequences will result from you doing so. It is a foolish pursuit and should be discouraged.

Mrs. Thos. Atkinson Died Christmas Day

There passed away at her home on the Collingwood Gravel Road, East of Rock Mills, on Christmas day, an old and respected citizen of Artemesia township, in the person of Mrs. Matilda Atkinson, widow of the late Thomas Atkinson, in her 71st year.

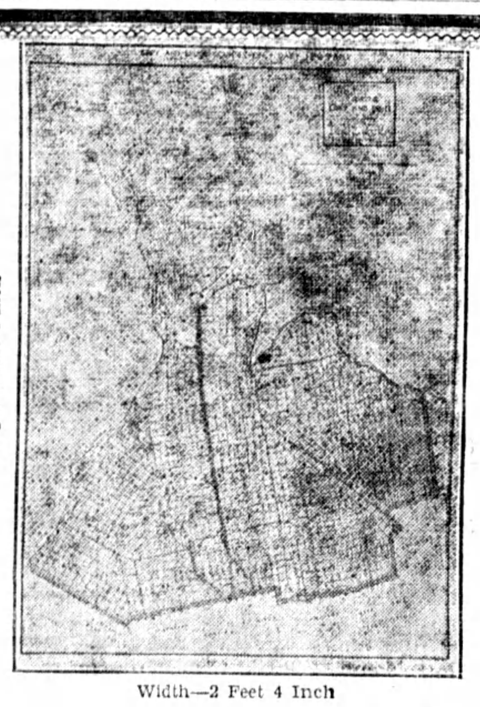
The late Mrs. Atkinson, whose maiden name was Matilda Betts, was born near Birmingham, England, and came to Canada with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Betts, when but a girl 11 years of age. She was married when but a young woman to Thomas Atkinson and to them were born four children, two sons and two daughters. The deceased lady had been a great suffer er from rheumatism for about twenty years, but she bore her suffering with great patience.

There are left to mourn one daughter, Ada, who has cared for her mother through all these years of suffering, and two sons, Carl, of Victoria Corners and Lorne, of Rock Mills. One daughter passed on a number of years ago and her husband predeceased her nine years ago in March. There are also two brothers, Thos of Rock Mills and Levi Betts of Flesherton, and three sisters, Mrs. E. Binnington and Mrs. John Robertson of Maxwell and Mrs. John Porteous of Flesherton.

The funeral, which was very largely attended, took place on Monday afternoon. The service was held at the house and was conducted by Rev. M. McGuire of Toronto, assisted by Rev. J. R. Wolstencroft of Flesherton. Rev. McGuire took for his text the 71st chapter of Psalms, verses 17 and 18. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in Salem cemetery by six nephews, Arthur, Jim and Herb Atkinson of Durham and Will Robertson, Cecil Betts and Joyce Porteous. Many from a distance attended the funeral.

New census figures give France a population of 41,835,000, an increase of 1,100,000 during the past five years.

The days before Christmas are the shortest in the year in more ways than one.



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ROCK MILLS

A happy new year to all.

The public school concert, which was held on Wednesday night, Dec. 23rd, was a successful event. The children all did their several parts well. Several fine recitations were given by Orval Russell, Fred Betts, Lawrence Phillips, Laurie Russell, Jack Monaghan and Bessie Russell. The pantomime "Silent Night," given by three little girls, was very pretty. Music, singing and a tableau, also several dialogues, were well given. Santa Claus appeared at the close and distributed the gifts from a very pretty Christmas tree, also a generous treats of nuts and candy for all the children. The proceeds of the evening amounted to over $14.00.

The Pedlar and Meldrum families spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Wickens and family, Kimberley.

Mrs. Joyce Porteous spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnston, at Kemble.

Christmas visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Foster were: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Aldcorn, Mr. and Mrs. McDowell and Garth of Toronto and Mr. Penny of Bala.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McEachnie of Priceville visited the first of the week with the Pedlar families here.

Miss Della English of Toronto is a holiday visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. English.

APPRECIATIVE LETTER

The follwing letter was recently received by Rev. Scott from Rev. Geo. Dorey, Superintendent of Missions for the United Church in Southern Saskatchewan with his headquarters in Regina. Something both of the need and the magnitude of the undertaking to meet that need is apparent from the contents of the letter. The ministers of the charges participating in the sending of the 22 bags and bales, Mr. Pope, Mr. McPherson, Mr. Bartlett and Mr. Scott. take this opportunity to express their personal thanks for the generous and ready response made to their appeal for relief. The enclosed letter makes very clear how gratefully it has all been received.

In addition to this letter other letters have been received by individuals throughout the district from persons on the prairies who benefitted by the gifts distributed from the bales sent. Rev. W. J. Scott, Flesherton.

Dear Mr. Scott,—This is to acknowledge receipt of 22 bales of clothing sent by yourself for the United Churches of your district for purposes of relief.

Will you accept our thanks for the same and convey to the organization responsible for the collection and shipment of this our deepest and most sincere appreciation.

If we seem belated in making acknowledgment of this shipment may we plead that we have been extremely busy in shipping this clothing out before the very cold weather came upon us. Up to date we have recived clothing amounting to over 130 tons. This came from 963 places and there were 6,209 separate packages. Of this number we have less than 200 on hand. Over 6,000 packages, large and small, have been handled in and out of the warehouse since Oct. 1st.

You may rest assured that hundreds of people are thankful for the wonderful kindness shown.

With many thanks, yours sincerely,
—GEO. DOREY, Supt.

THE DESPISED NICKEL

One result of the depression, as a contemporary sees it, is that the long despised five-cent piece has been restored to popular favor. So says the Milverton Sun. It would be a very good thing for mankind generally, and womanhood too, not forgetting the children, if the five-cent piece again gained recognition as being of monetary value. In recent years, when everyone was so prosperous, people became accustomed to thinking about talking about and spending dollars, they forgot entirely that dollars were just a multiplication of cents. Then came the depression. Dollars became few and far between. So much so that people, some slowly, some quickly came to the realization that the five-cent piece was a whole twentieth of a dollar, something to be looked on with favor, something of real value. Depressions are not popular, but if the present one has brought people back to the realization that cents are just as important as dollars, it will have been of inestimable value to the people of this country. — Huron Expositor.

Here is a story of the money there is in pig-raising, which was sent in by an unknown subscriber: "Sold, one hog, 300 pounds. Bought two gallons oil for pump engine, one broom for the house, 25c worth of onions for house, ten cents worth of grapes for the kids. Hog-gone."

Health Service
OF THE Canadian Medical Association

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YOUR RESPONSIBILITY

The superstitions which, for many centuries, were associated with the healing art have gradually disappeared. No longer does the treatment of disease consist in incantations, mysterious potions, and offerings to the spirits.

Today, medicine is a science based upon investigation, experiment and analysis. The rapid progress made during the past fifty years has included not only the diagnosis and treatment of disease, but also its prevention.

The result is that we are better equipped to treat and to prevent disease than were our ancestors. There is, however, still much to be learned There are diseased conditions about which we know little or nothing, and so we are unable to cope with them. However, we do possess a greater fund of knowledge than ever before and the real problem which now faces us is how to make full use of knowledge which we have.

It is at this point that the question of personal responsibility must be considered. If each one of us, as an individual is to benefit by present day medical knowledge, then he must be prepared to do his part.

Your family doctor is not a magician. He cannot promise cures; the help he can give is limited by the knowledge he possesses. He does offer you the full benefits of medical science, and as there are no secrets in medicine, he has access to all the medical information which is available.

In order to secure his services, you must ask for them, and it is your responsibility to make use of his services Do not try to treat yourself. The chief objection to self-medication is that it delays proper treatment. Such delay may be serious, for we know that many serious and chronic diseases have their beginning in what are apparently trivial conditions.

Your responsibility is to secure proper treatment early. The best time to consider disease is when the most can be done for it, and that is before it becomes firmly rooted in the body.

Every advance case of cancer was, at one time, a local condition which could have been cured. Tuberculosis begins as a localized disease. Chronic heart and kidney diseases do not begin as serious conditions; they develop out of mild and generally neglected stages of disease.

No one but yourself can assume the responsibility which is yours. By means of the periodic health examination, you may pass much of the responsibility to your doctor, because such an examination gives him the opportunity of finding diseased conditions early. If you are not examined regularly by your doctor, it is necessary for you to pay attention to minor conditions of ill-health, if serious and chronic conditions are to be prevented.

Your responsibility is to secure EARLY TREATMENT.

Mail Carrier Presented

The patrons on R. R. 1, Maxwell, met in the Orange Hall on Wednesday evening of last week and presented to Mr. Chas. Brodie a beautiful robe and to Mrs. Brodie a cabinet of silver, which they received with thanks and both responded very heartily. Over one hundred guests were present. The first part of the evening was spent in progressive euchre and after lunch all enjoyed themselves in a good old-time dance

Following is the address presented

Dear Friends:— Another year has almost passed and at this season we feel that we should express to you in some tangible manner our appreciation of the service you have rendered in the delivery of His Majesty's mails.

We realize that during the winter, owing to weather conditions, your work becomes at times somewhat difficult, but we have always found you faithful in the discharge of your duty.

Please accept this small present as a slight token of esteem of your friends on Maxwell R. R. No. 1, along with our best wishes for a happy and prosperous new year.

Signed,
HERB POOLE
WARREN PERRY
JACK STEPHEN

Officers Kimberley L.O.L.

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W.M.—H. E. Fawcett.
Chaplin—Russell Ward.
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Fin. Sec.—Hugh Smith.
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Dep. Lect.—Alfred Graham.
Committee—Edgar Fawcett, Dalton Fawcett, Wm. Scorer, Leonard Haines Stephen Brocklebank.
Sick Com.—J. W. Cornfield, H. E. Fawcett and Chas. Thompson.

The Lodge meets the Thursday on or before the full moon. Visiting brethren are welcome.

EAST MOUNTAIN

Mrs. Isaac of Thornbury has returned, after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Fawcett.

Mrs. M. Smart of Duncan and son Gerald, of Heathcote were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Smart.

Mr. J. H. Thompson spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mr. C. H. Fawcett has his fine new barn almost completed.

Glad to report Mr. R. McMullen improved in health after his illness.

BORN — To Mr. and Mrs. C. Smart on December 7, 1931, a son.

Some of the young people of the vicinity attended the dance in Kimberley community hall on Friday evening.

Sound currency must be the money that talks.

WON CHAIR AS PRIZE

Mr. Alfred Down received a fine living room chair on Monday as third prize in a tire selling competition held this past summer. This competition took in the entire Toronto district of the Firestone Tire Corporation and included a large territory. Mr. Down will also attend a convention of the Company, as their guest, early in the year. He is to be congratulated on the high number of sales of Firestone tires he made to achieve this distinction.

Sometimes cold feet will cause a pain in the vicinity of the back bone of industry.

Durham is getting better and better known among poultry fanciers as the place where most of the prizes go. Mark Wilson, well known locally, added to the local laurels with seven exhibits at the Guelph Winter Fair last week. With these seven entries Mr. Wilson took six prizes.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of FLORA CAMPBELL, late of the Township of Osprey, County of Grey, Spinster, deceased, who died on or about the 14th day of November, A.D. 1931, are required to forward their claims duly proved to the undersigned Solicitor of the Executor on or before the 30th day of January, 1932.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such mentioned date the Executor will proceed to distribute the money amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims as they will then have notice of.

Dated at Collingwood this 23rd day of December, 1931.

MALCOLM McLEAN,
Collingwood, Ont.
Solicitor for the Estate.

By-law No. 185

VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON

A BYLAW FOR REGULATING THE STORAGE, HANDLING AND SALE OF FRESH MEATS

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to regulate and controll the sale of Meat in the Village of Flesherton.

NOW THEREFORE THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

No fresh meats in quantities less than the quarter carcas shall be sold or offered for sale in the Village of Flesherton, unless from a shop equipped with proper appliances for refrigeration and storage and for the proper handling of meat.

A license fee of one dollar shall be paid annually by all persons selling or offering for sale fresh meat in quantities less than the quarter carcas.

A penalty for each and every violation of any of the terms and conditions of this By-law upon a summary conviction before a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, shall be, for the first offense not exceeding TEN DOLLARS ($10.00) and for the second offense not exceeding TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (25.00): such penalties to be recoverable in accordance with the provisions of the Ontario Summary Convictions Act.

All By-laws and parts of By-laws inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

THIS BY-LAW shall come into force and effect on the final passing thereof.

Passed this 14th day of December, 1931.

H. A. McCAULEY, Reeve
W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk

Small Advts.

LOST OR STRAYED

STRAYED — From lot 3, Con. 12, Osprey, one yearling steer, slit in right ear. Finder please notify.—Wm. Poole, Feversham, Phone 10 r 24.

HOUND — Hound dog came to my premises on Dec. 20th. Owner prove property and pay expenses.—W. J. Chard, lot 1, con. 7, Osprey.

For Sale

FOR SALE — Quantity of green 18 in. hard wood.—Chas. Doupe, phone 32 r 14, Flesherton.

WANTED — Pair of boy's skates and boots, size 12 or 1. Inform The Advance office.

BARLEY FOR SALE — 300 bushels of good barley for sale.—Hugh McLean, lot 1, con. 4, Artemesia, Priceville P. O.

FURS WANTED — Highest prices paid. If you have any write or ship to D. Cadesky, 586 Fourth Ave., East, Owen Sound and you will be treated right. Phone 116, 8th J.

FOR SALE — Two purebred Jersey cows, aged 4 and 2 years, also 1 red cow 6yr. old, 1 grey cow 2yr old Jersey heifer calf, 5 weeks old; one 6 year old heavy mare, weight about 1500 lbs., a real choice one.—D. McTavish & Son, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — Car load of flour and feed to arrive on Thursday, this week. Telephone your requirements. Ground mill run screenings $12.50 per ton, shorts 90c per cwt. Bran 85c per cwt. Three star flour $2.10 per bag in 5 bag lots.—F. Karstedt, Priceville.

Santa Claus is old enough now to know that yellow and pink don't look quite right when put into the same necktie.

FARM FOR SALE

100 acre farm on Provincial Highway No. 10, 85 acres under crop, balance pasture, this is an ideal crop and pasture farm with river running through the property. All plowing is completed. Price very reasonable.
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Registered Tamworth Boar, 7 mos. old; TERMS: $1.50, strictly cash.
—JOS. RADLEY, Flesherton.

BOAR FOR SERVICE.

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—C. STEWART, Caretaker.

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