Local and Personal

Write it 1932.

The rabbit hunters enjoyed a successful hunt on New Year's Day.

Miss V. Nicholson spent the past week or so with relatives in Toronto.

The Ontario Legislature will open on February 10.

Mrs. Albert Stewart spent the week end with friends at Alton.

Miss Beatrice Thistlethwaite left on Monday to teach at Orillia.

Miss Louie Cargoe of Detroit spent the past week with her mother here.

Mr. Chas. Perigoe of Delhi visited his sister, Mr. Albert Stewart, last week.

Have your job printing done by your home printer. Keep your own town citizens employed.

Mrs. C. J. Crossley and daughter, Janette, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. W. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson and son, Ross, of Durham were visitors in town on New Year's Day.

The teachers have all returned to their various schools and the students to their studies.

Misses Lois and Phyllis Wilson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson of Durham spent last week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and Mr. Jas. Harrison were visitors with the former's son, Mr. Hugh Moore, and family at Detroit.

Miss Hattie McRae has been home from Toronto since Christmas. Her friend, Miss Skippen, of near Heathcote, is visiting her.

Miss Alma McLean, who attends high school here, underwent an operation for appendicitis on Tuesday last and is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. Donald Milne of Toronto spent the past week with his brother, Dr. J. E. Milne. Donald will this year finish his medical course at Toronto University.

Mr. and Mrs. William Radley and two little daughters, Myrtle and Helen, of the Peace River District, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Radley.

Mr. Bert Varty of Innisfail, Alta., is spending his holidays at present with Mr. Geo. Littlejohns and family. Mr. Varty is a son of the late Wm. Varty, brickmaker of Flesherton 40 years ago.

Miss Winsome Grabill of Walkerton and Mr. Martin Duckhorn of Chesley, also Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thurston and family of Thornbury, spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston. Motoring was good that day and many cars were navigating the highways through about three inches of snow.

The annual meeting of Artemesia District L. O. L. will be held in Bennett's Hall, Flesherton on Tuesday, January 12th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. All brethren are asked to attend.—Geo. Littlejohns, Dis. Rec. Sec.

A shower for Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McMullen was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J A. Lever, on Monday evening and a delightful time was spent by the large number present. Best wishes of the gathering were extended to the young couple.

Send in the news to The Advance. If your society has held an interesting meeting or election of officers, have your secretary send in a report to The Advance. Every item of news helps to keep up the interest in your society and the home news makes your home paper reflect a live community.

MARRIED

McMULLEN — LEVER — At the United church Parsonage, Flesherton on Wednesday, December 30, 1931 Alma Bernice, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lever of Flesherton to Mr. Gordon McMullen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McMullen of East Mountain, Rev. W. J. Scott officiating.

Died In The West

Mr. Arthur Robertson, late of Osprey township and recently of Hawarden, Sask., died in Mayo Bros. hospital at Rochester, Minn., of cancer, on November 15, and was buried at Hawarden on November 19. Mr. Robertson went west in 1906, and owned 460 acres of land at Hawarden.

Three brothers and two sisters survive him; Keith of Hawarden, George of Toronto, Ont., John of Maxwell, Ont., Mrs. Chas. Kennedy of Toronto, Ont., and Mrs. Samusl Osborne of Stayner, Ont.

When a man marries he goes into the hands of the receiver.

St. John's United S.S. Annual Entertainment

St. John's United church auditorium was well filled at the annual Sunday school entertainment held on Friday night last. The admission fee was reduced this year to 25 cents, and resulted in only $47 being taken in at the door. A bountiful supper was provided by the ladies of the church and plenty of eatables were left over.

The program given by the young people, was the best one presented for some years and in places brought roars of laughter from an appreciative audience. A cantata was given by the junior department of the school and comprised solos, duets, recitations and choruses. Piano solos were given by the Misses Bessie Cairns and Alice Heard. Russell Johnson gave a humorous recitation on the philosophy of hard times, giving as an illustration the story of the two frogs in a can of cream—one gave up very soon and the other kept on kicking, churning the cream and finally making a pad of butter to sit on. The moral was to keep on struggling when times are hard in order to come out on top.

Misses Lois and Phyllis Wilson of Durham rendered a lovely duet. Other good items was a drill by several boys that appeared as though the lads were walking on their hands—they had shoes and stockings on their arms and hands and walked on their knees. One boy forgot himself for a moment and appeared over the low curtain with his head and supposed feet above the curtain at one time. This act brought forth howls of laughter. A star drill by seven girls was a very pretty event, as also was the last number on the program, an "Indian drill"" by six young ladies. The junior Bible class gave a pleasing play "The Troublesome Christmas Present" and the characters filled their various parts to perfection. Mr. Holland, superintendent of the Sunday school, gave his report on the activities for the year. There are on the roll 69 boys and 76 girls and the average attendance during the year was 76. Supplies needed for the year amounted to $212. and $17.24 for the M. and M. Fund. There was a balance on hand of $10.33.

BICKNELL—WRIGHT

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright, Maxwell, Ont., was the scene of an intereting event at high noon on Saturday, December 26th, when their daughter, Artle, was united in marriage to Rupert Carl Bicknell of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alexander, pastor of Waverly Road, Baptist church, Toronto.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father looked lovely in a gown of white crepe back satin with hose, shoes and kid gloves to match, also a veil trimmed with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of ophelia roses, babies' breath and fern.

Miss Hazel Hawton of Feversham, the bridesmaid, wore a tile crepe and carried roses and fern. The groom was assisted by Joseph, brother of the bride. Miss Mary Butchart, an intimate friend of the bride, played the wedding march and also sang "My World".

Following the ceremony a delicious wedding dinner was served. Only immediate friends of the bride and groom were present.

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The bride's travelling dress was of grey crepe trimmed with blue with accessories to match.

Best of wishes go with the happy couple to their new home in Toronto.

If they don't have peace in Manchuria it will be a tough winter for proofreaders.

It is more than probable that a well regulated back-to-the-land polily would be of great benefit to Ontario people.

LOOK AT YOUR LABEL!

The mailing sheets of The Advance have been corrected to and including Saturday, January 2nd. Look at your label and see if you have been given proper credit. If you think your label is not correct please advise us and we will check it up. We realize the fact that we are in a time of depressed conditions and we all are feeling the pinch. If your subscription is in arrears and you do not feel that you can spare the full amount due, it would help us to carry on if you would be good enough to send us a part of it as soon as it is convenient.

The January Thaw

There was skating in the rink on Thursday and Saturday nights for the first time this season and at present there is a poor chance of any more. Ice making commenced at the curling rink last week but their operations were brought to an abrupt termination with the thaw which commenced Sunday. Last year the first curling was held New Year's Day.

A regular blizzard hit this district Thursday night and Friday. First a sleet storm and then about noon on Friday snow fell heavily and over six inches had fallen before night There was not much damage caused by the storm in this section, although it was difficult to get through on many long distance lines.

Tragic Death Near Stayner

A double tragety occurred at Stayner on Monday, when the lives of two young men were snuffed out—George Gordon, and Lawrence Hawton. The latter was formerly a resident of Osprey township, his father having moved to a farm near Stayner a few years ago. Lawrence Hawton was a brother of Mr. Ernie Hawton of Feversham. It appears that the two young men went to the bush for target practice with a shotgun, rifle and revolver. It is said that Gordon accidenally dicharged the shotgun, the charge taking effect in Hawton's side. He then started for the house to get help, but before getting there he turned the rifle on himself. Both young men were taken to Collingwood hospital, where they both passed away. It is a sad case and the friends of the young men are the recipients of much sympathy.

ANNUAL MEETING OF EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Twp. of Artemesia Educational Association will be held on Saturday, January 9th, at 1:30 p.m. in the township hall, Flesherton. It is very necessary that all the school boards should be represented as there is important business to transact. All the ratepayers are especially invited to attend.

Neil McCannell, Sec.-Treas.
Geo. Cairns, Pres.

PRICEVILLE AGRI. SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

Priceville Agricultural Society will be held at Priceville on Saturday January 16, 1932, at 2 p.m. Reports, election of officers and other important business. A full attendance of members is urged.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of East Grey Agricultural Society will be held in the town hall, Flesherton, on Thursday, January 14th, at 2 p.m. Election of officers and reports. All members of the Society are urged to show a greater interest in the fair by attending.

She's a smart woman whose husband thinks he has his own way.

"Experience" is just another name for the blunders we have made.

Cloverdale Patterson Died In Owen Sound

Cloverdale Patterson, son of Henry Patterson of Priceville, died in the Owen Sound hospital on Monday evening, January 4th, at the age of 39 years. He had been in the Owen Sound hospital since December 1st and his passing came as a great shock to his many friends in this district.

He leaves a family of five children: Donna 12, Gladys 10, Jeanette 9, Goldie 7 and Jimmie 6. His wife, formerly Ann Johnson of Norway, predeceased him two years ago. Besides his parents he leaves to mourn two sisters: Gladys (Mrs. Aubrey Foster) and Willa, both of Markdale. One brother, Goldie, was killed in the Great War.

For the past six years he has been residing in Dundalk and was very highly regarded as a citizen.

The remains were brought to the home of his parents on Tuesday by motor and the funeral is taking place this Wednesday afternoon. Service is being held in St. Columba United church, interment to take place in Priceville cemetery.

Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents and family in the great loss they have sustained.

Received $15 Prize

Recently Mr. J. T. Sled, Toronto Line North, received notice that he had been awarded 12th prize in a bacon hog competition in District 4, comprising the counties of Huron, Bruce, Wellington and Grey.

Mr. Sled fed the litter of nine pigs until they were 173 days old, when they were marketed and graded six selects, two bacons and one heavy, the total weight being 1880 pounds. These pigs grew on Purina feed, a prize of $15 went with the above award. The sire of the litter was Yorkshire and the dam a grade Yorkshire.

GYPSYING

As we were enjoying a picnic supper not long ago, a lady was heard to remark that she always had had a desire to go gypsying—to enjoy for a season the care-free life of these nomadic people. And as she spoke we wondered if there were any who had not longd for this picturesque pastoral existence, with its apparent freedom from anxiety and the burden of civilization. And it may be after all that it is this inward urge of the British race that has led to the discovery and exploration of new lands and to world-wide colonization.

Since the coming of the automobile, the gypsy cavalcades have lost much of their colorful charm, and viewed at close range have lost much of their attraction.

But the spirit of gypsying yet prevails as noted in the influx of tourists and travellers during the summer season.

As the nestlings take wing and leave the home nest, so does the youth or maiden seek adventure in new scenes—sometimes to return sadder and wiser but often to achieve a broader outlook on life and ultimate success. We recall the time many years ago, when a brother felt the lure of the West and how in the dim, uncertain light of a spring morning, his wagon loaded with household effects, stood ready to move forward to the station, while he entered the old home to bid bood-bye to a sick mother. It was a sad parting. But the spirit of ambition and adventure that had called his Loyalist fore-fathers to a Canadian wilderness, led him far from his boyhood home and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Doan, of Mt. Forest, have had the rare good fortune of having completed fifty-five years of married life. They were married in Drayton by Rev. Joseph H. Stinson on December 20, 1876.

NEW COINS IN CIRCULATION

Some are wondering why all this new Canadian coinage in circulation during the past two weeks or so. A local bank explains that most Yankee coinage of all denominations has been kept by the banks and returned to the United States. In order to replace the commodity, it was necessary to issue large qualtities of new coinage, fresh from the vaults and the stamping machines of the mint at Ottawa. It is apparent comparatively little coinage has left the mint during the past seven or eight years, since unused coinage has been issued by the mint which dates back to 1923. However much of the silver now being put in circulation is of 1931 vintage.

Detroit policeman who said women did not know how to play checkers intelligently finds himself in hot water. Several of the ladies want to crown him.

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.

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