The Flesherton Advance.

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PRICEVILLE

The W.M.S. and Willing Helpers held their monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon in the church with 26 ladies present. Mrs. John Nichol presided. After devotional exercises, Rev. Norman MacDonald gave a splendid address on St. Columbus and was much enjoyed. Mrs. Angus Hooper gave a humorous reading, "Buying a Dress," followed by a reading on Thanksgiving by Miss Alma McLean Mrs. A. L. Hincks had the topic entitled "Marching Onward". It was decided to have a concert on Friday November 10th under the auspices of the Willing Helpers Society. Lunch was served at the close.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hincks and Florence of Toronto were visitors Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Archie McCuaig spent a couple of days in Owen Sound.

A miscellaneous shower was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKenzie on Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Campbell. A large crowd was present and the bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. The evening was spent in dancing and card playing and at midnight lunch was served.

Mr. Murray McMillan visited with friends in Toronto last week.

Mr. Chas. Ferguson had the misfortune to have an old barn and some implements, also a quantity of hay, burned on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCannell, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hincks and family visited Friday with friends in Collingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith and son, Clarence, of Meaford and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbert of Vandeleur, visited on Sunday at the home of Alex. Carson.

Keep in mind the fowl supper in the Presbyterian church Friday night, when Dr. John D. Inkster will give moving pictures on Palestine.

Miss Rutherford Leith, a returned missionary from Africa gave a fine interesting address on the land, the people and the customs, in St. Columba church recently. Miss Rutherford is a sister of Lt. Col. Rutherford of Owen Sound.

HOLDFAST U. F. W. O.

The Holdfast U.F.W.O. club met on October 11, at the home of Mrs. James Robertson, Mrs. Robt. Best being the hostess, with 19 members and 9 visitors present. The meeting opened by singing the club song and repeating the creed. The roll call was answered by a "Salad for fall and winter." After the usual business had been attended to, Mr. Walter E. Harris of Markdale, spoke on "Women's Property Rights," which was very interesting to all. Miss Agnes C. Macphail put on a broom contest which was won by Mrs. John Nichol Mrs. Donald Stewart coming second.

The meeting then closed by singing the National Anthem. Lunch was then served and a social half hour spent,

The November meeting which is the annual meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Chris. Thomson.

IN MEMORIAM

McGIRR — In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Robert S. McGirr, who passed away October 25th, 1928.

One by one we cross the river,
One by one we're passing o'er:
One by one the crowns are given,
On the bright and happy shore.
Youth and childhood oft are passing
O'er the dark and rolling tide;
And the blessed Holy spirit
Is the dying Christian's guide.
One by one the heavy-laden
Sink beneath the noontide sun;
And the aged pilgrim welcomes
Evening shadows as they come,
One by one with sins forgiven,
May we stand upon the shore,
Waiting till the blessed spirit
Takes our hand and guides us o'er.

—Ever remembered by Wife and Daughter.

Boys are waiting until after Hallowe'en to wear the halos to which they will cling—more or less—until after Christmas.

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ROCK MILLS

The teacher and pupils are preparing for their Hallowe'en social which they intend holding in the school this Friday night.

Messrs. Fred McMullen and Lewis Pedlar motored to Manilla on Tuesday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Carter, returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. Robt. McMullen and daughter Mrs. Cecil Betts, visited one day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs Les. Chard.

Mrs. Lewis Pedlar and son, Jim motored to Collingwood during the past week.

Miss Lulu Russell is assisting in household duties at the home of Mrs. Sam Semple, Flesherton. Mrs. Semple has been very ill. Her many friends here hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Robt. Meldrum, Mrs. Cecil Meldrum and two sons, Bob and Don of Portlaw, visited the first of the week at the Pedlar home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson and Mr Harry LeGard visited with friends in Priceville on Sunday.

Mr. Stuart Foster is engaged picking apples at Thornbury.

Anniversary services will be held in Rock Mills Baptist church on Sunday, November 5th, in the morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. W. C. Conning, B.D. of Queensville is in charge of the service. In the evening at 7.30 the special preacher will be Rev. T. Ritchards, M.A., of Hanover. Special music at both services. Everybody welcome.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Blackburn on Wednesday October 18th, with thirteen members and four visitors present. The main part of the business was plans for the fowl supper to be held on Tuesday, November 7. The November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alex. English on November 15 Lunch committee: Cake, Mrs. Ned Croft, Mrs. Tom Fisher; Sandwich Mrs. B. Field, Mrs. Joyce Porteous.

Mrs. Thomas Monaghan visited with her sister, Mrs. Ned Croft, recently

MAXWELL

On Sunday a.m. at the service in St. Mary's church Gerald Leonard Seeley, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Seeley, and Charles Edwin Priestley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Priestley were baptized by Rev. M. S. Oldham. There was a splendid attendance at the service. The rector preached about Hezekiah and his reliance on God in 2nd Kings 19: 14.

MULLIN — IZARD

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Tyler, Feversham, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on October 11th at 5 p..m., when Miss Rachel Jane Izard, eldest daughter of the late John and Rachel Izard was united in marriage to Edward William Mullin, eldest son of the late Wm. and Alice Mullin, by Rev. F. Dean.

The bride and groom entered the parlor taking their place beneath an arch of evergreens, fern and autumn leaves with white bells, pink and white streamers and carnations. The dining room was also decorated in the same color. The bride's dress was of toast silk flat crepe with accessories to match. During the signing of the register, Mrs. Dean rendered music and singing, after which all partook of a bountiful wedding dinner. Later, amid showers of confetti, the happy couple left for the groom's home in the village.

A relief program for Ontario to provide employment during the coming winter and amounting to $3,700,000 has been approved by the federal government, which will supply $600,000 of the total. Public works amounting to $1,750,000 in Toronto and $750,000 in Ottawa are included in the provincial program. The federal government in general offers to pay one-third of all labor costs on public works.

A wild stallion was lassoed on the main thoroughfare at Goderich, after running amok and creating lots of excitement and trouble. The horse had broken away from his stable without a halter and wandered up town. He ran hither and thither with traffic on a one-way street and finally took to the sidewalk, scattering pedestrians. Finally he ran down an alleyway. At every approach he struck out with his front feet, but a lasso, expertly thrown, proved effective. Five hundred people watched the fun.

EUGENIA

Armistice Day, Nov. 11th, will be celebrated in Eugenia at the Memorial monument in the Hydro Park here. A program is being prepared. We hope all neighboring localities will take an interest in this event, and help to make it a day of remembrance of those who fought and fell in the Great World War and—

"When our time of leaving comes,
Which is surely drawing nigh
May these heroic soldiers' actions
Show examples how to die."

Mr. Walker Sloan has returned home after spending sometime at Key Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic. Harding and three children and Mr. and Mrs. C. Logan and two children and Miss Irene Walker of Acton were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Will. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Will. Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Davidson and daughter, Phyllis, of Maxwell and Miss Belva Long of Feversham were visitors recently with Mr. and Mrs. Will. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. Williams of Toronto spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Purvis and family of Toronto visited over the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Peart, Mrs. Will. Timmins and Miss Viola Neely of Glenelg and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson and daughter of Chatsworth were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Will. Walker.

Preparations are being made for a fowl supper to be held on Nov. 14, in the basement of the United church here. Mrs. C. Martin is busy preparing the program which includes a play entitled "The Gate to Happiness."

Mrs. L. Latimer, Mrs. Alex. Cameron and Miss Georgina Smith attended the missionary meetings at Inistioge on Monday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Stuart Walton of Sault Ste. Marie and Mr. Graham and daughter, Miss Frances, of Toronto were recent visitors with A. Carruther's and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wood and family of Markdale were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin.

Mr. John MacDonald has returned to Codrington after spending a fortnight at his home here.

Congratulations to Mrs. C. Martin's Sunday school class of senior and intermediate girls who were successful in their tests on the July-September course. Their percentage is as follows—Annieta Turner 96%, Bernice Campbell 86%, Hazel Turner 84 per cent., Leone Duckett 76 per cent., Winneta Martin 65 per cent., Evelyn Campbell 56 per cent., Jean Tudor 56 per cent. Rev. McNeill was the examiner.

Miss Alma Essland of Rob Roy visited her sister, Mrs. Ben shortt.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bellamy and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Akitt of Flesherton were visitors on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanley.

TORONTO LINE NORTH

Mrs. Geo. Littlejohns is visiting with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Robt. Canning of Brantford visited the past week with his cousin, Mrs. T. R. Lever.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart on Sunday were: Mrs. Sam Osborne of Ravenna, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyons and family of Swinton Park and Mr. McEachnie of Hopeville.

Mrs. Thos. Lever received the sad news on Tuesday last of the death of her cousin, Miss. Minnie Ritchie of Palmerston. Miss Gertrude Lever accompanied by Mr. R. Canning attended the funeral on Friday.

Miss Annie Richardson of Toronto is visiting her brother, Mr. Robt. Richardson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Richardson visited with Vandeleur friends recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson of Barrhead visited Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Miller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Semple, Union Hill.

A kick from a mule killed a man in Texas. We have heard of "white mule" peddled by bootleggers which was said to be equally powerful.

Two Toronto professors have discovered a new anaesthetic. They must have been experimenting on business.

FEVERSHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hornby of Collingwood were week end visitors with Mrs. Hornsby's sister, Mrs. R. Whiteoak, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barber of Flesherton spent Sunday with Fred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Barber.

Miss Helen Springgay gave a birthday party to some of her girl friends on Thursday last.

Sorry to report Mr. James Sayers on the sick list at his nephew's, Mr. Mort Sayers, on the 10th Line.

Commandant James Poole, Mrs. Poole and daughter, Lillian, of Toronto will conduct meetings in the Salvation Army Hall on Sunday evening, October 29th. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of Flesherton called on friends here on Wednesday last.

Mr. William Osborne is visiting with his brothers and sisters on the Sixth Line of Nottawasaga at present.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Mrs. H. H. Gallagher has been on the sick list.

Recent visitors from our burg to Toronto recently were Mr. Robt. Lee Misses Ina and Maud Acheson, Mr Jno. Henry Richardson, Mr. Carl Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gallagher, Mrs. Albert Stevens and Mrs Russel Linton.

Miss Mary Cameron spent the week end at Berkeley.

Mrs. John Duncan has not been very well for some time.

SCHOOL QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Question — Our chairman refuses to sign the agreement with the teacher. Would it be legal if signed by the other two trustees and secretary?

Answer If the matter of the teacher's engagement had been dealt with at a regularly called meeting of the board of trustees the agreement with the teacher might be signed by the secretary and two of the trustees. But the minutes of the meeting should show that the motion to engage the teacher was carried. A chairman is not necessarily voting for the engagement of the teacher when he signs the agreement which has been approved by a majority of the trustees.

Question — Is it lawful for the teacher of a school to be engaged as caretaker of the school?

Answer — The School Act does not explicitly state that the teacher may not be engaged as caretaker The duties with respect to caretakers as set forth in the regulations, cannot be properly carried out where the teacher is a caretaker. It is not in the best interests of the school that a teacher be also a caretaker.

Question — Could the wife of a ratepayer whose taxes for school purposes are overdue or unpaid be eligible to be a trustee?

Answer — Under subsection (3) (b) of Section 62 of the Public Schools Act, "a husband, wife, son or daughter of a farmer assessed as the owner of a farm, if resident on the farm with the assessed owner" may be eligible to become a trustee if the person is also a British subject and of the full age of 21 years. For the purposes of this subsection the term "farm" shall mean not less than 2 acres of land in actual occupation of the owner.

The substance of the Act can only be interpreted to mean that if the owner of the farm has not paid his taxes then the wife of the owner could not qualify as a trustee because her husband would not be fulfilling the qualifications of a ratepayer as defined under the Act.

Question — May the school board and teacher by mutual consent change the present contract recommended by the Department or form a new contract?

Answer — The agreement form distributed by the Department of Education is for the convenience of boards of trustees and teachers. Its use is not compulsory. Any other form of agreement may be used. It is quite in order, by mutual consent of trustees and teacher, to change the agreement or draw up a new agreement.

Question — Is any business transacted by trustees legal if not recorded in the minutes of the trustees meetings open for inspection by any ratepayer at any time? Should they be read by the Secretary together with the minutes of the annual school meeting?

Answer — The business of a board of trustees can only be legally done at a regularly called meeting of the trustees and the minutes must give a full record of the business transacted. A ratepayer may attend a meeting of the board but he cannot demand to see the minutes at any time. A ratepayer is entitled to an answer to any question regarding school matters at the annual meeting of the ratepayers. The secretary of a rural school is not required to read the minutes of the annual ratepayers' meeting. The secretary for the annual ratepayers' meeting need not be the secretary of the board of trustees.

Question — Is it legal for a school board to engage a teacher without a standard certificate and carry on a school independent of the Department's regulations if they wish to do so without government assistance? Would they require a vote of the ratepayers to do so.?

Answer. The Public School Act provides for penalties where boards of trustees do not conduct the school in accordance with the Schools Acts and Regulations. Section 88 of the Public Schools Act sets forth the duties and powers of trustees and the limitations set forth in this section would not permit a board of trustees to conduct a public school in any manner contrary to the Schools Acts.

It would be contrary to the Schools Acts and Regulations for a board of trustees to engage a teacher without Provincial qualifications.

The ratepayers would have no power to direct a board other than as set forth in Schools Acts and Regulations.

Fruit For Orange Home

The L. T. B. and Orange Home wish to thank the donors of fruit recently received and take this opportunity of so doing. Mrs. Bert Porteous, qt. green gages; Mrs. Elizabeth Seeley, qt. yellow plums; Mrs. H. W. Kernahan, qt. cherries; Mrs. F. J. Seeley, qt. maple syrup, 2 qts. India Relish, 1 qt. apple jelly, 1 pt. black currants; Mrs. Wm. Hall, 1 qt. honey; Mrs. Bazil Sornberger, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Andy Pallister, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Norman Cairns, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Louis Kerton, 1 qt. blueberries; Mrs. Chas Long, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Robt. Priestly, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Wm. E. Seeley, 1 qt. plums; Mrs. Chester Cameron, qt. wild raspberries; Mrs. A. Morrison, qt. red plums, qt. plums; Mrs Geo. Priestley, 1 qt. plums; Miss Ruby Robertson, qt. raspberries.

The packages were delivered to the orphanage through the kindness of Mr. Winslow Kernahan, Master of the L.O.L. 666, Maxwell.

CEYLON

Mr. Tom White of Saugeen Jct. spent Sunday with Mrs. H. White.

Mr. Percy Hemphill, who has been relieving at Holland Centre, is home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibson of Dundalk were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson.

Mr. J. B. Cummins returned to Oshawa after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Piper.

Miss Vera Marshall, R.N., returned to Mimico hospital after spending a week at her home here.

Mrs. Wilson McMullen, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is somewhat improved. Nurse Irene Marshall is in attendance.

Mr. Bill Campbell and Mrs. Robt. Campbell and family of Hopeville spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McWilliams and Mrs. D. Macphail.

Mrs. Archie Sinclair entertained a number of ladies Thursday afternoon in honor of Mr. Sinclair's mother, who has been visiting them.

Mr. Isaac Snell is holidaying in Oakville and Oshawa.

Mr. Leslie Marshall returned to Toronto Monday after visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMullen. He was accompanied by Miss Macil Snell who spent the past week visiting her parents.

Miss Marion Muir of Oro Station was a week end visitor at her home here.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Wm. Gibson suffering from face burns, the result of an oven explosion.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Adams and Mr. and Mrs. A. Sinclair spent Sunday in Harriston.

Read the Small Advertisements

St. Mary's Anglican Church

MAXWELL

Rector, Rev. Maurice F. Oldham.

No Sunday school nor service in St. Mary's church, Maxwell, on Sunday, October 29th, on account of anniversary services in the United church at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Let us join with the United church people in their anniversary.

Sunday school and divine service in a.m. on November 5th.

TRINITY CHURCH PROTON STAT.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1933

2 p.m. — Sunday school and Bible class.

3 p.m. — Evening prayer service and sermon.

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