LOCAL DISTRICT NEWS

FEVERSHAM

The annual meeting of the Osprey Farmers' Milling Co., Limited, was held in the Orange Hall here on January 22nd, when the shareholders met to receive the annual financial report, as compiled by the auditors, Mrs. Martha McGirr and Mr. Emerson Wright. Cash on hand was shown to be diminishing and the credit accounts still to the fore. While some of the old credit accounts were collected last year, new ones have been added. Where will it end? The cash on hand this year is only eighty odd dollars and last year the report showed over three hundred dollars on hand and a stock in the mill. If anything should occur to the mill property the shares would have to be assessed or money would have to be borrowed and interest paid. The following shareholders were elected as the Board of Directors: Messrs. Ern. Hawton, John Hudson and Hugh Fenwick, who will direct the business of the Company for the coming year. A small percentage of the shareholders were at the meeting.

The annual meeting of the Osprey Municipal Telephone System was held on January 23rd, when there was considerable discussion over the financial report and after listening to considerable law, not of the Medes and Persians, but of the Railway Board, as presented by the chairman of the Board of the local System, they settled down to business and elected the Commissioners for the coming year, which resulted in Messrs. Leslie Poole Harold Fenwick and Geo. Short elected to handle the affairs of the System for the coming year. There were a number of nominations, but the above were elected, Mr. Poole being the new man. A motion sponsored by Mr Fred Pedlar called for the dropping out of the senior Commissioner each year and a new man elected in his place, which was carried. There was also a vote of thanks tendered to the operators of the central exchange, Mrs. E. Lepard and daughters, the Misses Teressa and Marjory, for the efficient and accommodating service they have rendered the public, which was carried unanimously.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawton of Stayner were visitors with friends in this locality last week.

Mrs. Fred Tyler, Mr. Lorence Williams, and Miss Mary Speer have been on the sick list but under the care of Dr. Lindsay all are improving.

Mrs Will. Tyler is visiting with Mrs. Robt. Speer on the townline at present.

Mrs. Milton Nicholl went to the G. and M. Hospital Collingwood last week and underwent an operation.

Glad to report Mrs. John Poole an aged lady on the tenth line is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

It is reported that the Pedwell Lumber Co. will buy another stock of logs at their mill on Mr. James Hudson's farm on the tenth line this winter.

Pretty cold weather this last week with the mercury hovering around zero and below.

There was a discussion one night last week between our sports as to whether a man could beat a horse in a race of 100 yards and return. Well on Tuesday morning they matched their best sprinters against a horse on the measured 100 yards at the fair grounds and the man beat the horse to the 100 yard stake but the return 100 yards, well, the horse beat the man of course. 200 yards was too far for an untrained man, 50 yds. and return would have been far enough and then the man would have stood a good chance.

Mr. Thos. Beatty of the 8th line had his leg broken while working in the bush and is at present in the G. & M. hospital at Collingwood.

KIMBERLEY

Weather's lowest 18 below zero.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Lawrence of Flesherton visited over the week end with Kimberley friends.

The Jr. Farmers and Jr. W. I. held their meeting Friday night they also had several games of crokonole and lunch in the C. M. Hall.

Little Luna Kirkpatrick visited a week with her auntie.

BORN—At Thornbury to Mr and Mrs Stanley Lawrence a son.

Mr. S. Lawrence of Empire is spending a few weeks with Kimberley and Thornbury friends.

Miss Dewar of Flesherton H. S. was the guest of Mrs. B. A. Carruthers and Miss Elsie Graham over the week end.

Miss Retus Camack spent a couple of days with her cousin Miss Marjory Proctor.

Mr. D. A. Graham spent a day in Kimberley.

Our best wishes are extended Mr. and Mrs. Shillock (nee Margaret McAuslan) another recent marriage.

CEYLON

Dr. Frank Williamson, Hepworth visited his parents Mr and Mrs John Williamson last Wednesday.

Mr. John McMillan, Owen Sound, was a week end visitor with his mother.

Miss Besoie Cairns, Markdale, was home over the week end.

Miss Helen Curdt spent Sunday at her home at Topcliffe.

Miss Olga Stewart, Owen Sound was a visitor Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sinclair.

Mr. Dave McDonald, Priceville visited Mrs. White and Mrs McPhail Saturday when returning from Owen Sound.

Messrs. L. and M. Piper accompanied the Flesherton High School Hockey Team to Owen Sound Saturday when they played the O.S.C. V. I. team.

Mr. Bob Oliver is under Doctors' care.

Mr. John White spent Sunday with Topcliffe friends.

Miss Emma Oliver, Rockmills was a week end visitor at her home.

Mr. Snell, Chauvin Alta. is visiting his daughter Mrs. G. Snell.

Some of the worst fires on farms arise from the careless use of gasoline and oil. A useful and effective home-made fire extinguisher is a large metal pail full of sand with a handy shovel in it. A heavy blanket of sand will usually smother flames quickly and in the event of early application may prevent serious loss.

EUGENIA

We extend our sympathy to the Best, Trimble and Mosier families of Flesherton in their recent sad bereavements.

Mrs. Thos. Fenwick, accompanied ly her daughter, Mrs. C. Biggar, of Owen Sound spent the week end in New Toronto.

Mrs. Badgerow visited on Sunday with friends on the 4th line.

We are sorry to report Miss Delsa Kaitting ill with an attack of appendicitis, but hope that she will soon be well again.

Messrs. Cousins and Boyd, Club members of Toronto, accompanied by six guests, visited over the week end at the Club House, conducted by Mr. Wm. Kaitting. They had a very enjoyable time ski-ing. Mr. and Mrs. Kaitting were very grateful for their quiet behaviour owing to illness in the home.

Mrs. A. Cameron spent the week end in Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Bushell preached a very interesting sermon, as usual, on Sunday, taking for his topic "What is right with the Church." He pointed out that to be a Christian one must live up to the constitution of the Church. The head of the church that is Jesus Christ, is right, also the constitution, which comprised the teachings of Jesus, was also right. He said that there were members who were not Christians, as well as Christians who were not members, and impressed on our minds what is meant to be a Christian.

The first monthly meeting for 1935 of the Women's Association of the United Church was held Thursday afternoon, January 24th. The new president, Mrs. G. Magee, presided, with the secretary, Mrs. Martin, and the new treasurer, Mrs. Wilfred Magee, also present, along with ten members and one visitor. The meeting opened by Scripture reading of Psalms 23 and 24, then all repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison. The minutes of the last meeting were adopted. Mrs. A. Carruthers and Mrs. R. Purvis were made honorary members of the W. A. It was also carried that the three units be continued for anothr year with Mrs. W. Gordon, Mrs. F. Jamieson and Mrs. Martin as captains. It was decided that the women of the commmunity prepare a concert to be held Friday evening, March 1st, the program committee to consist of the three captains. The same proposal was made to the men to consider giving a concert for the evening of March 15. Other items of business were discussed and the meeting closed by all singing "Blest be the Tie that Binds," and prayer by the president. There will not be a meeting in February.

The Y.P.S. met on Wednesday evening of last week, but owing to the extreme cold weather there were only twelve in attendance. Miss Evelyn presided and the Scripture passages were read by Mrs. Well Graham and Miss Jean Tudor.. The worship period was taken by Mrs. Martin, and Evelyn took the discussion period, which was on "Economics." She also provided the recreation, which consisted of a contest and games. The meeting closed in the usual way.

Miss Edith Fenwick is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Russell Linton, Victoria Corners.

Mrs. Conn of Feversham is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Kaitting.

We are sorry to report Miss. Christina Magee, teacher, not enjoying the best of health at present. We hope she is soon well again. Se was unable to return to her school at Stones Line on Monday.

Mrs. David Genoe is also on the sick list, we wish her a speedy recovery.

MAXWELL

The Women's Association of the United Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Joe Wright on Thursday, February 7th.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Porteous on the arrival of a girl on Saturday, January 26th.

Mrs. E. Buckingham and mother, Mrs. Johnson, of Dundalk attended the funeral of a relative in Toronto last week.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. Thos. Beatty. who was unfortunate in having a leg broken when a tree fell on it while he was working in the bush.

Parks board in Toronto will not allow election time candidates to place cards on trees. It is a poor practice at best. The young folk who sit on park benches are not interested in politics and the older ones are disgusted with them.

Will Celebrate Diamond Wedding

PRICEVILLE

The veteran pioneer couple, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMillan, will celebrate the diamond anniversary of their wedding(their 60th) on Monday next, February 4th. We, along with a host of friends, wish for them many more recurring celebrations of the pleasing event. On his next birthday in March Mr. McMillan will be 86 and Mrs. McMillan 80 in November.

The place where our fair damsels took the prize at the masquerade carnival was inadvertently omitted last week. This occurred at Flesherton. with Miss Catherine McVicar with medical case and black rimmed glasses of Dr. Dafoe, Misses Anna McLean and McMaster as nurses, together with a nice little carriage containing the noteable quintuplets: fine, healthy, blooming kids (dolls).

Miss Bertha James left on a visit on Sunday to the home of her niece, Mrs. Ted Lucas (nee Helen Bowes) at Orangeville. Mr. and Mrs. John Meads and sister of the latter place visited here on Sunday and attended the evening service in St. Columba United Church.

The Provincial snow plow, in its occasional visits here, leaves the highway in a fine condition for either cars or sleighing.

Mr. Andy Ford is, we are pleased to hear, getting slowly better and is able to sit up for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richardson and family of Swinton Park spent a couple of days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Carson.

Mr. Gilvray McLean of Toronto is home for a time.

Mrs. Archie McCuaig is visiting with friends in Owen Sound.

Miss Margaret Black returned home from Markdale hospital and has not been feeling well since.

Mrs. A. McLean, Messrs. Stanley Harrison and Gordon McCannell of Boothville and Mr. John Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Hay were visitors last week at the home of A. Hincks.

Messrs. J. D. Campbell and Neilbert McKenzie spent the week end at Dromore.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Kate McArthur confined to her bed. All wish for her a speedy recovery.

SAUGEEN JUNCTION

Mr. John and Maggie Dow visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Carson at Proton on Friday.

Mrs. Jos. Park visitd her mother in Dundalk on Saturday.

We are sorry to report Mr. Cephus Hindle ill.

Elva Batchelor of Dundalk visited at her home here on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Sharp visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. White.

The neighbors and friends of the community met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batchelor on Thursday evening last and held a miscellaneous shower for the new bride, Mrs. Jas. O. Franks (nee Gladys E. Batchelor). Many useful articles were presented to the bride. The bride and groom were requested to come forward and the following address was read by Mrs. Jos. Park, after which Mr. Franks replied in a few well chosen words thanking all for the gifts and invited all to visit them.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Franks,—We, your friends, have gathered here tonight to spend a few social hours with you and to offer our sincere congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Batchelor, the parents of the bride, are among our oldest and most respected citizens. We have seen their children grow up around them and have watched their daughter, Gladys, passing through the gracious and tender stages that link infancy to girlhood and girlhood to womanhood. We have known few perhaps, better. She possesses a good, sweet and upright nature; we know what she has been as a daughter and we know that she will be the same as a wife. We are sure Mr. Franks is a gentleman. whose acquaintance we have not had the pleasure of possessing for very long but whom we hold in high regard and welcome him into our circle of friends. We know that he must be a very happy man. May you find in him, Gladys, a true, tender and faithful husband through life, and may he find in you an amiable and devoted wife. May you both live long to enjoy the deep peace and blessedness of married life. We hope this marriage will join, not only two lives, but two families in a long and lasting friendship.

We are glad to have the opportunity of having this shower and above all else, to extend to you both our best wishes for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Signed on behalf of the community,
Edward Badgerow
Russell White.

BETTER TOBACCO PRICES

The benefits of having the tobacco industry investigated by the Price Spreads Committee were outlined last week by Prof. Leith of O.A.C., Guelph, who said that for last season's crop an average of 25 cents per pound had been received and the entire crop had been sold with the exception of some quantities of inferior grades In addition, the carry-over of the 1933 crop has also been disposed of at better prices than had been paid for it in the year when it was harvested. For the 1934 crop of twenty million pounds of tobacco, the growers had received five million dollars. which was one and a half million dollars more than they had been paid in 1933 for twenty-three million pounds of higher-grade tobacco.

Of course there's no use worrying but think of the fun some people have working day and night at it.

PORTLAW

On account of serious illness for some weeks past your correspondent has been unable to report the news of this district,so a good many items of interest have passed into oblivion unrecorded.

Mr. W. A. Morton has been quite ill with the doctor in attendance, but we are glad to hear that his condition has considerably improved.

We are sorry to hear that Mabel Blackburn is not improving as fast as we all hoped for. We hope that before long she will be restored to good health again.

Mrs. W. G. Jamieson recently received the unwelcome news that her sister Mrs. Conron was receiving hospital treatment for a very serious illness.

Mr. C. D. Meldrum attended County Council at Owen Sound last week.

Mrs. J. W. Lyons is visiting with her sister in Markdale.

The Francis Shier farm has changed hands. We understand the new owner is Mr. R. T. White of Proton.

The annual meeting of Mount Zion United Church was held recently with the Pastor, Rev. Mr. Bushell presiding. Reports form the treasurer, the Women's Association and the Sunday School, showing the activities for the year were all very encouraging. The Elders elected are:—Mrs. Florence Lyons for three years; Mr. W. G. Jamieson for two years; Mr. Fred Plantt for one year.

The Board of Stewards consists of the following:—W. G. Jamieson; Mrs. Sheardown, Mrs. R. J. Fisher; C. D. Meldrum. Mrs. R. Osborn; Mrs. F. L. Lyons.

You Can Help the Editor

The editor cannot inquire at your home to see if there is any news. If you know of any, hand it in. We want all the news there is but no man can get it all. We are just as anxious to mention your company or visitors as we are those of your neighbors, but probably your neighbors give us more assistance securing the facts. We are always pleased to receive local news. If any of our readrs know of an accident, a personal item, a birth, a marriage, a death, or anything that may be of general interest. if they would send it to us either personally or by mail we would always be pleased to publish it. Write it in your own way; all we want are the particulars and facts and if necessary we can easily put it in readable shape ourselves.

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GUEST JELLY ..... **6 pkgs. for 25c**
PRUNES, large size ..... **2 lbs. for 25c**
SAUER KRAUT ..... **3 tins for 25c**
LOMBARD PLUMS ..... per tin **10c**
PEANUT BUTTER ..... **2 lbs. for 25c**
BULK SHORTENING ..... **2 lbs. for 23c**
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