Local and Personal

Mr. Frank VanDusen of Toronto called on friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McDonald of Chatsworth spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Morgan.

Mrs. Frank Tate of Waldemar is visiting this week with Mrs. Jos. Blackburn.

Frederick Breen is visiting with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson.

Mr. Ed. Penny of Toronto is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Duncan.

Mrs. E. Morgan and son Douglas are visiting the former's daughter Mrs. Glen McDonald at Chatsworth.

Rev. J. E. and Mrs. Anderson and three children of Woodbridge called on Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston on Monday. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Ina Laidlaw of Lions Head.

Mr. anr Mrs. Wm Casewell and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McDonald of Palmerston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nicholson of Toronto, are visiting the former's sisters, Mrs. Jos. Duncan and Miss V. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Addie Heron of Swift Current, Sask., are at present visiting with the latter's sister, Mrs. Fred Brackenbury.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Hawkens on Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 3 p.m. Please notice the change in time.

The other day we heard some boys calling "Help! Help!" in the local swimming pool. They were "only foolin'." We sugegst to the parents that they tell their young lads the story of the shepherd who cried "Wolf!" once too often.

We have noticed increased activity on the local tennis courts. A number of beginners are coming along exceptionally well, and the old timers are improving. It is rumored that a number of locals are planning to take part in the Durham tournament in connection with the Old Home festivities in that town. Good luck to them!

Mr. Ezra White of Markdale was a visitor in town on Monday.

Miss Marion Miller has returned home from a two week's vacation at Hamilton.

Mr. Thos. Fisher Sr. is moving into the residence owned by the late Mrs. A. McCauley.

Mrs. Florence Williams and little daughter Wilma of Feversham spent a day last week at the home of Dave Wiliams.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Hill and son, Marvin, of Toronto are spending this week with Mrs. Hill's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Bentham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Latimer, Mrs. Burch and Mrs. Kilner and daughter Betty, of Toronto vsited in town on Friday.

Mr. Wilfred McMaster of Forest is visiting with his wife at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McMaster.

Mrs. Ed Fisher and son, Harold, returned on Sunday from attending the funeral of her nephew, Clifford Partridge, who was electrocuted near, Cobalt, on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Durrant and daughters, Dorothy and Helen, were the guests over the week end, of Mrs. Durrant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston.

Miss Lena Wright of Detroit who is visiting Miss Stafford, near Kimberley spent last week in her old home town, her friends were glad to see her again.

Rev. Robert Keefer of Burlington and his sister, Mrs. Van Tassel of New York and her daughter, Mrs. Lynn Bogue Hunt of Williston Park, Long Island visited old time friends last week.

Visitors at the Baptist Parsonage last week were, Rev. S. J. Farmer D. D. of Toronto, Rev. R. F. Wilson of Leith. Rev. A. and Mrs. Homer daughter Joyce, Mrs. W. Fulton, Miss Janet Patterson of Mulock and Mrs. W. H. Patterson, Ceylon.

Mrs. C. N. Richardson entertained at lunch her cousins, Rev. Robt. Keefer of Burlington, Mrs. Van Tassel of New York and daughter, Mrs. Hunt, also Mrs. Frank Tate of Waldemar and Miss Lena Wright of Detroit, all recent visitors in town.

Mrs. John McDonald spent the week end in Toronto and attended the Horniblow-McDonald wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crossley and two children of Toronto are spending a week at their residence in town.

Rev. Wolstencroft, local Baptist minister, has kindly consented to preach in Flesherton United Church next Sunday and the following week. These will be morning services.

Mr. Herbert Clark and two daughters, Lillian and Catherine, of Redlands, Calif., visited this week with his niece, Mrs. H. W. Kernahan, and at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Ottewell.

Gave Birth To Mule

A few months ago Mr. Ernest Radley of Maxwell bought a team of westen bronchos from a man in Alliston and recently one of the mares gave birth to a perfect speciman of the mule family. This is quite an oddity for this section and Ernie would not sell the little fellow for love or money.

BOWLING NEWS

5 rinks attended a Dundalk tournament, Monday last, skipped by J. Dargavel, H. McCauley, A. Sinclair, W. F. Potter and W. Akitt. A prize was brought home by the McCauley rink.

An enjoyable jitney game was played on the local greens on Friday last. The prize winners were 1st W. Miller, 2nd Geo. McTavish, 3rd Mrs. H. McCauley., 4th H. Fawcett, and 5th Mrs. E. Bennett.

Two rinks played in the Dundalk Scotch doubles on Monday night, skipped by J. Dargavel and W. F. Potter.

The foot of the rainbow is never where you think it is. Perhaps there is a pot of gold there, but there are many pots of gold that you will pass on your way to realize your dreams. Some men have the vision to see them.

The ferry between Little Current and the mainland made 558 round trips during the month of May and carried 1,625 cars, 294 trucks, 89 teams and wagons, 2,476 passengers, 20 cattle, 31 horses and 116 tons of freight.

World's First Clocks Were Water Controlled

(By W. F. POTTER)

One of the earliest forms of time-keeping by an instrument was invented in Egypt about the year 175 B.C., which was called a "clepsydra" or water clock.

The principal upon which this was operated was by a small continuous stream of water conducted by a pipe into a funnel, from which it dropped into a cylinder, the flow being regulated by a conical stopper, the superfluous water escaping by a waste pipe. As the water rose in the cylinder a float, attached to a pinion would rise, to which a hand was attached, showing the hour upon an index. As the Egyptians at that time divided the period between sunrise and sunset into twelve hours, it was necessary to adjust the conical stopper each day.

There were various forms of the "clepsydra." which superceded this, but the principal remained about the same until about the year 1693 A.D., when it was reproduced and introduced into France, when a different principal was adopted.

This "clepsydra was constructed of a long oblong frame of wood, to the upper part of which were affixed two cords, the lower end being wound around a drum containing several equal compartments, which was mounted on an axis. The drum was wound around the axis until it was to the top of the frame and left to obey the force of gravity, controlled by water, which was previously introduced into the drum, which was retained by certain parts of the circumference of the water-tight compartments. One side being heavier than the other, the tendency to fall by revolving was counteracted. A small hole was pierced in the bottom of each cell, which allowed the water to seep from one compartment to another, thus reducing the opposite weight of water and causing the drum to slowly descend by revolving. The rate of motion was regulated by altering the size of the apertures. The axis, in its descent, points to the hours marked on the side of the wooden frame.

The first "clepsydra" to be introduced into Rome in 177 B.C. was for the purpose of limiting the speeches of the Roman orators.

SWINTON PARK

Fine cool weather is being enjoyed these days and everyone is busy except the lame and the lazy. In the Park there is much hay yet to be gathered in and the ladies are also picking berries, canning preserving and pickling; so you better keep quiet as you go along.

Little Helen Black is very sick with the mumps these days.

Mrs. Phillip Harrison, who has been ailing for a long time, underwent an operation fo chronic appendicitis in the Durham hospital on Thursday last We are glad to hear that she is making satisfactory recovery. Walter Aldcorn of Priceville, sometimes of Swinton, was operated upon Sunday morning in Durham. We hope that both these patients may soon be well and strong again.

This Tuesday afternoon the funeral of the late Andrew Dingwall is taking place at Salem cemetery. Mr. Dingwall was an old Proton boy, from just west of Hopeville and has spent his married life on the South Line, Artemesia, just across the townline from Proton, where he has been a successful farmer. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Dingwall and family, also his sister, Mrs. Campbell, of Owen Sound and brother, William, of Hopeville.

The McMillans, Clarks and McLeods of this place attended the funeral of the late John McQuarrie at Ventry on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McMillan enjoyed the company of Mr. Donald McQueen Sr. of Stayner, also the Rev. Donald and Mrs. McQueen of Dunville, over the week end.

This Tuesday morning new chemical closets are being installed in Swinton Park school by a Toronto firm or representative.

Messrs. John Haw and Dick Hardy are doing some building for Mr. Donald Campbell, near Priceville.

Master Keith McLeod of Ventry is holidaying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLeod.

An event that is causing much excitement, and has been read from the pulpits in both Salem and Swinton churches, is the marriage of Miss Kathleen McMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMillan, to a Mr. Chant of Toronto. The marriage will take place on Saturday, August 3rd, at 4 p.m. in Swinton Park Presbyterian church. Rev. Norman McDonald will officiate.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Noble Wilson of Boothville on the birth of a son this Tuesday, July 30.

Life Belts Should Be Left On Posts

Many complaints have been heard lately regarding the misuse of the life-belts at the local swimming pond. There is evidently a deal of good ground for such complaint. It seems that two perfectly good useful belts have been practically destroyed by the boys and girls of the village. These young people have thoughtlessly been using these life-belts as floats and water wings. At the present moment it would be some time before one of these belts could be located in case of accident.

The place for these belts is on white posts near the water's edge, and youngsters should be given to understand definitley that they should be left there. The real use for these belts might be pointed out to the youngsters and the average boy or girl would have sense enough to leave them alone.

Nobody ever thinks of taking a fire engine out of the station to have a joy ride on it, or remove the rails from the side of a bridge. The time may come some day, when least expected, that those belts might be the means of saving a life — if they are left alone in the meantime.

Angus (to friend who has bought a second hand car): "Mon, it'll cost you plenty for gas."

Donald: "Nae so much. It's downhill to town, and I can get a tow home most days."

Livestock Markets

A plain quality cattle supply found trade dull on the Toronto Livestock Market on Tuesday, with only a few choice cattle selling at steady prices. A few weighty steers were picked out at $5.75 to $6.30. Good and choice butcher cattle sold at $5.50 to $6, with mediums ranging fdom $4.50 to $5.25. Butcher cows went for $3.50 to $3.75 for choice, and commons sold down to $2.50. Good butcher bulls changed hands at $3.25 to $3.50 and bologna bulls around $3. A few choice fed calves sold steady at $6.75 to $7.50. Some common to medium stockers brought $3 to $4.35.

The calf mart was firm and active, with choice vealers selling at $7 to $7.50 with the bulk of the supply at $6 to $7.

Truck hogs sold 25c lower at $9.40 for bacons. The few car hogs were quoted at $9.15 to $9.25 f.o.b. and from $9.90 to $10 off cars.

Lambs were steady at Monday's decline at $8 for good ewes and wethers and from $6 to $7 for other grades. The few sheep offered sod steady at $1 to $2.50 cwt.

Who deserves well, needs not another's praise. —Heath.

A householder in Mitchell conceived the novel idea of placing a bell in his cherry tree to which a long rope was attached. One of the elderly ladies of the family sat on the lawn close to the tree with her knitting and when a robin made his appearance on the tree she tolled the bell.

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Sure-Light Matches ..... 3 for 21
Pearl White Soap ..... 5 for 19c
Sweet Pickles, large jar 25c
Pure Lard ..... 2 lbs. for 25c
Snow Flake Shortening ..... 2 lbs. 25c
Jelly Powders, assorted flavours 6 for 25c

Buy your Binder Twine at Hill's and Save—650 feet $8.75 cwt.; 600 feet for $8.00 per cwt.

Small Advts.

FOR SALE
Dry softwood, also hardwood, 12 to 16 in. long.—Down & Boyd, Flesherton

FOR SALE
General purpose horse.—Wm. McFadden, Markdale, R. R. No. 5.

FOR SALE
Tame raspberries for sale.—Peter Muir, Ceylon.

WANTED
Good prices paid for horses or cows suitable for mink meat.—Jimmie Sinclair, Ceylon, Phone 38 r. 2.

TEAMS WANTED
Teams for roadwork. Sixty cents per hour for team, man and harness. Phone Cookstown 28 r 2 or 28 r 3, or write Box 47, Thornton, Ont.

FOR SALE
Ontario wheat 90c bu.; buckwheat and barley 50c bu.; also unloading another car of shingles this week.—A. C. Muir, Ceylon, phone 38r3.

FOR SALE
1929 Plymouth Coupe, 4 new tires top and engine in first class shape will guarantee motor. Privately owned. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE
Grey County Egg Grading Station, also lots adjoining the same, will sacrifice for cash.—Thomas Owler 40 Doel Ave. Toronto.

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In Flesherton 6 room house, brick veneer, hard and soft water; about two acres of land on which is a large barn with cement stabling and garage. Apply to W. J. Meads; R. R. 3, Priceville.

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Good seven roomed house with separate garage, all modern conveniences special wiring for electric stove. Further information from C. J. Crossley, 55 Scarlett Rd. Toronto or R. J. Boyd, Flesherton.

FOR SALE
Hay for sale by the acre.—Apply to J. H. Lougheed, 238 A Jarvis St., Toronto.

FOR SALE
Cherries for sale. — E. A. Graham, Clarksburg.

CAME ASTRAY
Came to my premises on or about June 20th, 1935, two-year-old cattle beast. Owner prove property and pay expenses.—C. S. Monaghan, Flesherton.

HOG FOR SERVICE
Registered Berkshire hog, government inspected. Terms $1.00 if paid within 2 months, over that time $2.00. —Laurie Pedlar.

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