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VANDELEUR

At the annual school meeting which was held on Wednesday afternoon, December 30th, the trustees were authorized to purchase a piano. It was felt that one was needed, now that musical instruction is being given in the school. Mr. Will Ratcliffe, who was the delegate to the O. E. A. Convention in Toronto gave a good report. Mr. Will Johnston was elected trustee and Mr. C. B. Boland re-elected auditor. Ralph Fitzsimmons took the caretaking at $54.85 for the year; Newt Smith received the contract for 20 cords of wood at $2.90 per cord and Everett Graham will put in the cedar at $2.00 per cord. Will Johnston acted as chairman and Geo. Buchanan as secretary for the meeting.

Mr. T. S. Cooper of Markdale will address a meeting in the school house on Friday evening of this week and will speak on the tuberculin test for cattle, and the proposal to make Grey County a restricted area.

The Young People's meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. F. Hutchinson on Thursday evening of this week.

The pastor, Rev. H. S. Warren delivered an appropriate New Year's message in the church on Sunday afternoon. In the Sunday school, Mrs. Dolan taught the Bible class in her usual capable manner. Both services were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGee and family spent a few days with friends at Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Seweli and Mrs. Hugh Boland and children motored to Bala and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bowles. Mrs. Boland and children remained with her sister who is ill.

Mrs. Aaron Birch and son Billie, of Strongfield, Sask., and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson of Harkaway were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dolan recently.

Mr. Elmore Williamson of Schriber and Miss Falconer of Vancouver were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hutchinson and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shannon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson have returned after spending the holidays with friends at Orangeville.

CEYLON

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Muir and Kenneth accompanied by Mrs. Percy Hunt and Melville, motored to Toronto for the week end.

Miss Hazel Copeland of Dundalk visited her sister, Mrs. J. R. Sinclair the latter part of the week.

Nurse Irish has returned to her home in Proton after attending Mrs. Murray Farnell. Mrs. Farnell's condition is greatly improved.

Miss Agnes Macphail M.P., will attend the opening of Parliament in Ottawa on Thursday. We are glad to report Mrs. Macphail making a splendid recovery after her very serious illness. Mrs. Macphail celebrated her 73rd birthday on June 9th.

Mr. Farquahar Oliver M.P.P. leaves next Monday for Toronto to attend the opening of the Provincial legislature.

Mr. A. S. Muir delivered two truck loads of potatoes in Toronto the latter part of the week.

Mr. Ivan Turner spent the week end with his parents at Laurel.

Miss Agnes Macphail M.P. was in Chesley, Monday.

Miss Heathcote, Feversham, has taken a position at the home of Mr. A. S. Muir.

Mrs. Mix, Toronto is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall.

The Ceylon United Church congregational meeting will be held Thursday night at 8 p.m., when the reports for the year will be received. The ladies are requested to provide lunch.

The Institute will hold its monthly meeting at Mrs. John Kennedy's, Thursday the 21st at 8 p.m., Lunch Mrs. F. Marshall and Mrs. Sinclair. Mrs. McWilliam will have the current events paper. A debate, resolved it is easier to do without friends than neighbors will be taken by Miss McInnis and Mrs. I. B. Whittaker.

Mr. Fred Chislett is relieving at the post office, Mrs. McMillan being under the doctor's care.

A Durham cow belonging to Geo. Mackey of Carrick, gave birth recently to a tailless, eyeless calf, which is still living and, apparently thriving. The eye sockets are in the animal's head, but the optics are missing.

Advance Recipes For The Ladies

BRAN GEMS

2 cups bran
2 cups flour
½ cup sugar
2 teaspoons salt
4 teaspoons baking powder
2 cups milk
3 eggs
2 tablespoons melted butter

Mix flour, baking powder, bran, salt and sugar together, then beat eggs well with milk and butter and blend two mixtures together and bake in a moderate oven.

—Mrs. W. Scott, Delia, Alta.

EGGLESS FRUIT CAKE

1 lb. raisins
1 lb. currants
1 lb. dates
½ lb. walnuts
¼ lb. citron, lemon and orange peel
½ lb. or 1 cup of butter
3½ cups flour
1 cup sugar
2 level teaspoons soda
1 level teaspoon each of cinnamon, allspices and nutmeg
1 pint new milk

Take butter, sugar and flour, rub together then add fruit and spices. Take half of the milk, put in pan and let come to a simmer, allow milk to cool then add soda and stir well, add balance of milk and rest of ingredients. Mix well with hands. Bake in a slow oven 2 hours.

—Mrs. Elsie Shaw, Ceylon

SALAD DRESSING

3 eggs
1 cup cold water
Beat with egg beater till it foams
½ cup vinegar
½ cup sugar
1 dessert spoon flour
1 tablespoon butter
Salt and pepper to taste

Cook in double-boiler. This can be thinned with cream.

—Mrs. Elsie Shaw, Ceylon

CHOCOLATE CAKE

1 cup brown sugar, 3 heaping tablespoons cocoa, ¼ cup melted butter, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon salt, 1½ cups flour, 1 cup sour milk, 1 teaspoon soda, ¼ cup boiling water

FILLING — ½ cup hot water, ⅔ cup sugar, 1 tablespoon cocoa, 1 teaspoon butter, 1 tablespoon corn starch in ½ cup cold water, vanilla. Cook till thick.

—Mrs. E. Wright, Markdale

BRAN MUFFINS

2 tablespoons shortening
¾ cup brown sugar
1 egg
1 cup bran
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup sour milk
Pinch of salt
Raisins or dates may be added.

—Mrs. E. Wright

GINGERBREAD

2 eggs
¾ cup brown sugar
¾ cup molasses
¾ cup melted shortening
2½ cups flour
2 teaspoons soda
2 teaspoons ginger
1½ teaspoons cinnamon
½ teaspoon cloves
½ teaspoon nutmeg
½ teaspoon baking powder
1 cup boiling water
Mix in order given and bake.

—Mrs. E. Wright, Markdale

DATE CAKE

2 cups oatmeal
1 cup butter or shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon of soda
⅔ cup of milk, flour enough to spread in pan.

FILLING — 1 lb. of dates ½ cup sugar. Cook and break up to spread on ½ the cake, then cover with the remainder.

—Mrs. J. A. Clark, Sault Ste. Marie

WHITE FRUIT CAKE

¾ lb. of butter
¾ lb. of sugar (white)
4 cups of flour (sifted and then measured)
1½ teaspoons baking powder
¾ lb. of white raisins
¼ lb. of citron peel cut fine
⅓ lb. of crystalized red cherries

Cream butter and sugar, then add 6 eggs and beat well. Sift Baking Powder and flour together, add to the rest. Bake in a slow oven for 2½ hours.

—Mrs. J. A. Clark, Sault Ste. Marie

CABBAGE SALAD

Shred cabbage fine, polish red apple and chop fine, skin and all, add salt, pepper and sugar to taste and mix in salad dressing. Shredded raw carrots can be added if wished, also a few crushed walnut meats.

—Mrs. Clinton R. Wood

DOUGHNUTS

1 cup brown sugar and 1 cup of white sugar, 2 to 4 tablespoons butter or shortening, 2 heaping teaspoons of baking powder, ¾ teaspoon salt, 1½ cups of milk. Between 4 and 5 cups of flour. Do not roll out but break off a piece and pat into shape and cut. Be careful and have your fat just the right heat.

—Mrs. J. A. Clark, Sault Ste Marie.

SALAD DRESSING

1 scant cup white sugar
1 tablespoon flour
1 tablespoon mustard ,
2 eggs (save whites)
Pinch of salt
½ cup sweet milk
½ cup vinegar

Cook in double boiler until thick like cream, beating with egg beater all the time. Add the white of eggs well beaten. When used add sweet or sour cream.

—Mrs. Clinton R. Wood

DUTCH DAINTIES

½ cup butter
¾ cup sugar
1 teaspoon baking powder
2 eggs
1¾ cups flour

Take the white of 1 egg, mix with 1 cup brown sugar, 1 cup chopped walnuts, 1 teaspoon almond flavouring. Do not use any other flavouring. Mix the first part of recipe. It will be thick and will have to be spread with knife. Spread the last mixture on top and bake in moderate oven. Cut up into small squares or rectangles while still warm.

—Mrs. Clinton R. Wood

Tennis In January

What a year! No snow in sight yet and January about half gone. Never before, according to some of our oldest residents, has there been an absence of snow on January 12th. Christmas day heavy rains commenced to fall and the snow disappeared. At the present time the fields and bush are free of snow and sleighs and cutter are safely stored in the barns. It is expected that they will shortly be needed.

The sporting fraternity in town are also having their fun and various sports were enjoyed this week. Several setts of tennis were played on the courts at the park on Monday, and Tuesday afternoon Markdale high school played a game of touch rugby. Tuesday night a hockey game was played at the local rink, the first time that summer games have been played so early in the new year.

U. C. Sunday School

The annual meeting of St. John's United Church Sunday School was held at the parsonage last week and the reports received from the various officers showed the School to be in a flourishing condition. Mr. Geo. Armstrong handed in his resignation as Superintendent and the vacancy was filled by Mr. Wm. Miller. Mrs. W. Moore, who had given the best of satisfaction as treasurer for seven years, desired to be relieved, and her resignation was accepted with regret. Mr. Albert Sparks took over the duties of treasurer as well as that of secretary, and Mr. Bob Phillips continues as assistant secretary. Following is the personel of the teaching staff: Bible Class, Mrs. Thom; Girls, Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. C. Bellamy, Miss A. Armstrong, Miss Davison; Boys, Mr. C. R. Wright, Mr. Roy Langford, Mrs. W. Moore, Mrs. J. Heard and Mr. Emery Fisher. Mrs. J. E. Milne continues as superintendent of the Primary room, with Mrs. Goldsborough and Mrs. Chapple as assistants.

PROTON STATION

A great deal of live stock has been shipped to Toronto from this locality during the past week. Dever Bros. and Herb Corbett shipped another load last Monday. Clayton Betts is on the road every day and sometimes part of the night wth his two trucks, delivering live stock to Toronto, Hugh Sims is driving one of the trucks.

Mr. and Mrs. McCannell, Mr. Arthur McCannell, Mr. J. H. Richardson and Miss Viola Richardson motored to Goderich Sunday to attend the funeral of the late Mr. R. Phillips, who is a relative of Mrs. McCannell and Mr. Richardson.

Mr. Alex. Hergott visited in Durham on Monday.

Mr. Emmett Jackson and Mr. Wilfred Batchelor visited friends in Corbetton community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyons and family are moving into Mr. Wyville's house which was vacated last week by Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Campbell, who have gone to Dan's boyhood home on the town line of Artemesia and Proton.

The wonder is that the lawyers themselves through their own organization, have not protested vigorously.

Give Away High School?

A movement has been on foot for some weeks by ratepayers of the Township of Artemesia to declare the Village of Flesherton the local high school district, in place of taking in part of Artemesia. A delegation met the Artemesia Council on Monday on the subject and it was agreed to meet the High School Board of Trustees at the school this Wedensday evening. There has been a change in school regulations this year, but the significance of this is not known at the present time. Artemesia township owns ninety per cent of the high school, the remainder being owned by the Village of Flesherton. It is a peculiar situation that the owner of the school would wish to present it to Flesherton and if it won't cost the village taxpayers any more each year, we suppose that we shouldnt kick if they wish to give it away.

Curling Club Officers

J. O. Dargavel was elected President of the Flesherton Curling Club at the annual meeting held Friday evening last. The financial report was given and showed a substantial balance on hand for this year. Mr. Roy Piper was elected Vice-President and Mr. F. H. W. Hickling as secretary-treasurer. Both Messrs. Dargavel and Hickling have held their offices since the Club was started six years ago. The rink committee is composed of Messrs. G. McTavish, B. Welton, G. Brackenbury, J. A. Richards, M. Wilson and H. McCauley.

It was decided to hold a bonspiel and the first week in February was chosen. At a meeting on Monday evening the skips were chosen and twelve rinks were drawn up for the season's playing. Several new members have joined this year and it is expected that a most enthusiastic year will result. The President and Vice-President are choosing rinks and will start the season with their 'spiel, the losing side to provide the dinner.

Live Stock Report

Although supplies of cattle were very heavy for Monday's market, prices were fully from a quarter to a half higher than a week ago. Besides a good local demand, buyers for shipment to the United States were actively engaged in securing their requirements, which meant a great deal to the market as a whole.

Choice heavy steers brought from $6.50 to $7.00, and fair to good from $5.50 to $6.25. Choice butcher steers and heifers sold at from $5.50 to $6; fair to good from $4.75 to $5.40; common and medium $4.00 to $4.65. Choice baby beeves held steady at from $7.-50 to $8.00. Best butcher cows brought from $4.00 to $4.25; fair to good from $3 to $3.90; canners and cutters $2.00 to $2.75. All classes of bulls were in strong demand, choice light butcher bulls from $4.00 to $4.50, others from $3.50 to $4.00

The lamb market held steady, choice ewes selling at from $9.25 to $9.50; heavies and culls at lower prices accordingly. Choice light butcher sheep made from $4.00 to $5.00. Calves continued to feature the market, advancing to a top of 12 cents, with the bulk of the good to chioce veal selling at from $10.50 to $11.50, fair to good, $9.00 to $10.00, common and medium $7.00 to $8.50.

Monday's hog market was somewhat easier, and sales were made on the basis of $8.50 to $8.65 for truck deliveries. The market for the balance of the week would depend entirely upon supplies. Reports from England were lower and this is having an adverse effect on the market, while on the other hand, American markets are providing some stimulant to the trade in keeping prices at the present level.

A MEETING OF ALL
GREY COUNTY
Cattle Owners
TO DISCUSS THE RESTICTED AREA PROJECT FOR GREY COUNTY
will be held at
Feversham, January 20, at 2 p.m.
Kimberley, January 20, at 8 p.m.
Flesherton, January 21, at 2 p.m.
Eugenia, January 21, at 8 p.m.
Rocklyn, January 22, at 2 p. m.
Everybody Welcome Tell Your Neighbor
L. E. O'NEILL, B.S.A., Director, Live Stock Branch.
DR. G. HILTON, V.S., H.A.R.C.V.S. Veterinary Director, General.
T. STEWART COOPER, B.S.A. Agricultural Representative, Grey County.

Rugby Game Tuesday

The Rose Bowl of Ontario, which is in Flesherton by the way, presented a rugby game on Tuesday afternoon, when Markdale came down and played a return game, Flesherton being the winners 12 to 0. The game was featured by some nice running and catching on the part of Leavell, Piper, Smith, McVicar and Clifton, while Martin showed good form in forward passing and running. Markdale was held in check by the local line, which was superior on point of size and weight. For Markdale the half and quarer backs, Henderson, White, W. Henderson, Bailey and Dundas, showed to best advantage, and although the above score was large, the game at no time was an easy one for the home team. Ground and weather conditions were ideal for touch rugby.

Flesherton Players — Hopkins, McTavish, Monaghan, Johnson, Archibald, Leavell, Clifton, McVicar, Piper, Turney, Martin and Smith.

Markdale Players — Noble, Down, Wiley, Scott, Burnside, D. Hunt, Henderson, White, W. Henderson, Bailey, Dundas and Richardson.

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