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William Clinton

The funeral of the late William Clinton, who died at his home in Toronto on March 22nd, was held the following Wednesday with the service by the Parliament Street Corps of the Salvation Army. Interment was made in St. John's Norway Cemetery.

The late Mr. Clinton was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Clinton, pioneers of Osprey township, and was born on lot 1, Concession 8, Osprey, now owned by Chas. Hanley, on March 13th, 1867. He was married to Elizabeth Jane Brownridge on October 15th, 1890, and to them were born seven children, four of whom are now living. He resided for many years in the Maxwell and Feversham districts and was well known throughout the township. With his family he moved to Toronto about 20 years ago, where he has since resided.

Besides his widow, he leaves to mourn, one son, John, and three daughters, Flossie (Mrs. Geo. Ryder), Olive (Mrs. John Volkes), and Margaret (Mrs. Sam McBride), besides 12 grandchildren. One daughter, Tory (Mrs. Jas. Essex) passed away on January 29th, 1937.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Stan Gamey, Harry Meldrum, George Ryder, John Volkes, Sam McBride and James Essex.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all the friends and neighbors and also Dr Milne and nurse Breadner for their kindness shown me during my critical illness.

—Mrs. Everett Graham.

IN MEMORIAM

LITTLE — In fond and loving memory of our dearly beloved sister, Mrs. J. Little, who departed this life two years ago to-day.

— Sisters and Brothers.

IN MEMORIAM

BRYANT — In loving memory of Bessie, daughter of Wm. Wright of Maxwell, who passed away, April 11, 1936.

God knows the way, He holds the key,
He guides us with unerring hand;
Sometime with tearless eyes we'll see;
Yes, then up there, we'll understand.

—Sadly missed by husband, Cliff, and daughter, Viola.

This week's fairy story: There is a curler in this town who always shows most joy when the opposing rink wins.

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Flesherton Received 13th Power Bill

Flesherton last week received the thirteenth power bill from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and shows the local system to be in excellent financial condition, with the revenue received during the year amounting to $268.80 over the total cost of power supplied. The cost of power purchased from outside sources during the peak hours of consumption amounted to $161.39, while operating, maintenance and administrative expenses were $1,252.67. Interest charges were $1,123.47, while $294.32 were charged for depreciation and obsolescence; contingencies $86.12, sinking fund $250.25 and $26.25 as the cost in excess of revenue from power sold to private companies.

The local Hydro System is in excellent financial condition and 1936 was one of the best years in the history of the Commission the balance sheet showing a net surplus of operation of $605.05, a gain of $151.79 over that of the previous year. Domestic earnings amounted to $2,646.04, commercial light service $1,711.99; Commercial power $329.69; street lighting $608, and miscellaneous earnings of $116.67, making the total $5,412.39 for earnings.

Expenditures were: Power purchased $3,195.53, System, operation and maintenance $44.77, street lighting operation and maintenance $31.26, promotion of business $100, general office salaries and expenses $383.43, interest $390.52, sinking fund and principal payments on debentures $297.83, and depreciation $364, making a total expenditure of $4,807.34.

The assets of the Flesherton Hydro System include $11,163.14 invested in the plant, Bank and cash balance $2,283.21, securities and investments, $2,500, accounts receivable $390.75, equity in H. E. P. C. System $4,947.39, with a total assets amounting to $21,284.49. The debenture balance now owing on the System amounts to $2,902.64, or a percentage of net debt to total assets of 18.0. There are 138 domestic services, 48 commercial light services and two power users.

While the above statistics may be dry and uninteresting to some, it shows that the local Hydro System is in a flourishing condition and the Commissioners are hopeful for a reduction in rates for next year, these being set about the mnoth of July.

Pastor Resigns

Rev. J. R. Wolstencroft, pastor of Flesherton Baptist Church, on Sunday announced his resignation to take effect the last of April. Rev. Wolstencroft will then leave for Brantford to take charge of a mission field on the Indian reserve there. He has spent quite a few years in the work of the Baptist Church in Flesherton and has made many warm friends who are sorry to hear of his departure.

GRAHAM — NEFF

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday, April 3, 1937, in Kimberley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Graham, when their elder daughter, Iola, became the bride of Donald Neff, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Neff of Singhampton, Ont., Rev. A. MacPherson officiated.

The bride, who was un-attended, wore a navy tailored suit with gray accessories. Her flowers were a consage of mixed sweet peas.

The dining room was decorated with daffodils and narcissi. After the wedding lunch was served. The bride and groom left on a motor trip to Toronto, where they spent the week end at the Royal York Hotel.

Gather At Toronto

A special program is being arranged for a happy gathering of the Flesherton Old Boys' and Girls' Association to be held in King Street United Church on Tuesday of next week, April 13th, at 7.30 p.m., when dinner will be served. Among those supplying the entertainment will be Mr. Percy David, well known humorous entertainer and President W. N. Hemphill advises all those who have a split lip and are afraid to laugh not to come. Mr. Frank Frey has kindly consented to again present the motion picture taken by him at the time of the "Old Home Week" in 1929. These scenes will be thoroughly enjoyed by all who were present on that memorable occasion.

After dinner has been served, and before the programme commences, the Annual Election of Officers will take place, and for this we trust there will be a large turnout, and that each member will come prepared to do his or her bit to make the Association bigger and better than ever, by electing officers in whom you have confidenct, to carry on the Association affairs, for the ensuing year.

A charge of 50c will be made to cover expenses, payable as you enter, and you are cordially invited to bring as many friends as you wish. Do not miss this opportunity of again meeting old friends and neighbors.

Dundalk Man Died Result Of Accident

Charles Montgomery, well known and highly esteemed Dundalk stock buyer and drover, passed away at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning in Lord Dufferin Hospital, Orangeville, as the result of an accident on Provincial Highway No. 10 about 7 p.m. Friday evening last.

Deceased was a passenger in his own car, which was being driven by Mr. Ed. Seeley of Maxwell and in which Mr. Montgomery's brother, Mr. Allan Montgomery, was also a passenger. There was a heavy snow storm at the time and a mile and a half south of Holland Centre the car left the road and went into the ditch. According to information supplied to Provincial Constable Harry Noble, who investigated the accident, Mr. Charles Montgomery climbed out of the car and proceeded to flag a car driven by Mr. Albert Colgan of Flesherton. Deceased is said to have run into the side of this car, receiving severe injuries to his ribs. Mr. Colgan's car went into the ditch when he attempted to avert an accident, but none of the occupants were seriousy hurt. While Constable Noble was investigating the accident another car, driven by Mr. Mark Cassells of Meaford, passed the scene of the accident. A few yards down the highway the road curves to the left, with the old road going to the right. Cassells strrck a telephone pole between the two roads, but no person was seriously hurt.

Following the accident Mr. Montgomery was taken to Mr. Seeley's home, but on Saturday was removed to the Orangeville hospital, where his death occurred Tuesday morning.

The late Mr. Montgomery was 51 years of age and was a native of Proton, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Montgomery. Deceased was unmarried, but leaves to mourn his passing two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Stillman of Toronto, and Mrs. Wilfred Thompson of Durham and one brother, Allan, of Dundalk.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon.

An inquest will be held into his death. — O. S. Sun-Times.

DIED

HAWKINS — At his residence in Kimberley on Wednesday morning, April 7th, 1937, Mr. Thos. Hawkins, aged 73 years. It is expected that the funeral will be held on Friday afternoon, when interment will take place in Thornbury cemetery.

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It has been quite a week; the conglomeration of many matters, odds and ends of legislation which always mark the closing days of the session, was relieved by important legislation and interesting incidents.

First, Mr. Euler is home, and we are all glad to see him. I last saw him in Canada House, London, on the day that he flew to Moscow. Since then, he has visited many countries particularly the distant dominions of Australia and New Zealand, in the interests of Canadian trade.

The Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett welcomed the returning traveller warmly, if a bit ironically, and said he wished Mr. Euler would tell the House much of what he had learned. "Particularly he could give us first hand information regarding dictatorships that are not dictatorships and Soviet Unions that are not Soviet Unions. . . . We are glad to see him back so vigorous and healthy and strong in mind to meet the onslaughts which have been made upon protection during his absence (Mr. Euler is a protectionist) . . . His impressions would brighten our days which have been made dark by the attention we have had to pay to our parliamentary duties while he has been enjoying the sunlight."

In his speech of thanks, Mr. Euler replied in the same vein. He disclaimed having travelled all over the world. He could say a good deal about Russia, but not the dictator of that country, whom he had not seen, "But I did see the dictator in Germany, but perhaps I am not quite so well qualified to speak with regard to dictatorships as are some others to whom I might refer." Here Mr. Bennett interrupted to say, "You are returning to the leadership of one."

Both these honourable gentlemen have visited New Zealand and Australia in recent months. "I hope my own leader," said Mr. Euler, will not find fault with me when I tell him that sometimes I described myself as a follower of the Rt. Hon. gentleman opposite, that is I followed him throughout New Zealand and Australia." "You always have on fiscal matters," said Mr. Bennett. Mr. Euler went on to pay a glowing tribute to Mr. Bennett for the excellence of the speeches he had made in the sister dominions "all of which were good and every-where left the best possible impression."

Two important pieces of legislation were considered this week. One has to do with the control of the export of war material from Canada. Widened powers have been given the government which will enable a closer check to be kept on both the manufacture and export of war munitions. Under the new legislation the government can know promptly and fully who is the manufacturer and where the materials are going, and the Minister may at any time, by the cancellation of a license, stop the export of any particular material to any country. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Woodsworth successfully argued that the penalties for violation of the proposed regulation be increased from one to ten thousand dollars maximum, together with four years imprisonment and confiscation of goods. Steps to remove the profit motive from traffic in war material may be coupled with the additional power being taken by the government, already referred to.

An analysis of the export of important raw material from Canada last year showed that Japan, Germany, Italy, France, Belgium and the Netherlands received the largest quantities of nickel, copper and its products, lead zinc, zinc spelter and scrap iron. Japan's purchases of scrap iron from Canada in 1936 were nearly double those of the previous years and her imports of nickel almost twice the amount purchased in 1935. Germany and the countries surrounding Germany, also greatly increased their purchases of these metals from us. It is surmised that a considerable quantity of these important raw war materials eventually found their way to war-mad nations.

The second important piece of legislation had to do with the amending and consolidating of the Combines Investigation Act. The Hon. Norman Rogers, who piloted the legislation through the House, said, "A combine of necessity is not declared to be illegal under this Act. It is only illegal when it operates to the public detriment. The same applies to a merger or a monopoly." When any combination is injurious to the public provision is made for investigation and penalties."

Grey-Bruce is keenly interested in the manufacture of furniture. After agriculture, it is the most important industry. The Tariff Board has been considering the application made by the Furniture Manufacturers' Association for an upward revision of the in-

Grey Lodge Holds 15th Anniversary

Monday evening was another landmark passed in the history of Grey Lodge No. 549, A.F. & A.M., Toronto, when the 15th anniversary of its inception was observed. Rt. Wor. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, Deputy Grand Master was present for the occasion together with Most Wor. Bro. J. A. Rowland, Past Grand Master. A large number of visitors from almost every Lodge in Grey were present for the occasion, Flesherton sending down the greatest representation with 22 members, the number being increased by members residing in Toronto.

Out of the 51 charter members of the Lodge 11 were present, among whom were three well known Flesherton old boys, F. VanDusen, W. N. Hemphill and Thos. Chard. A most pleasant time was spent in the Lodge room, Wor. Bro. Tucker, formerly of Markdale and Secretary of Grey Lodge, giving a splendid history of the Lodge, besides reading the names of the Charter members and the first officers, chief of whom was Dr. Howard Armstrong, their first Master, who served the first three years.

We were pleased to notice a number of former Flesherton boys taking an active part in the work of the Lodge, among whom were Bert Petch, Junior Warden; Dr. Glen Davis, Senior Steward; J. A. LeGard, Junior Steward and Thos. Chard, Chaplain, who is also a member of Prince Arthur Lodge.

At the banquet several fine addresses were delivered by the Grand Lodge officers present and by the representatives of Grey County Lodges. Several musical numbers were given, chief of which was a violin solo by R. N. Cornfield, who willingly played two encores. It was a pleasure to hear him play again. It was a memorable night for all who were privileged to attend and best wishes for the success of Grey Lodge were voiced by the visiting brethren, who were appreciative of the splendid reception accorded them.

Those from Prince Arthur Lodge who attended were: Messrs. H. McCauley, A. Down, C. J. Bellamy, C. R. Wright, C. J. Kennedy, J. Porteous, Wm. Walker, L. Wauchope, G. Pedlar, J. A. Richards, F. W. Duncan, F. H. W. Hickling, W. G. McBride, Geo Mitchell, W. G. Watson, W. R. Meads, F. J. Thurston, P. Muir, C. Wyville, C. N. Richardson and J. E. Milne.

CEYLON

On Thursday evening last Rev. G. R. Service put on a splendid picture show, "Ben Hur". Rev. Service told the story of "Ben Hur" while Mr. Jack McWilliam operated the slides. Everyone enjoyed the evening. The proceeds amounted to over $9.00

Mr. J. C. McMullen visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McMullen over the week end.

Miss Marion Muir of Oro Station, Miss Margaret Sinclair of Magnettawan, Miss Mabel Parslow, Toronto, Miss Ellen Parker, Miss Florence MacInnes of Sault Ste Marie, Mr. Jackson Stewart, Cheeseville, Miss Dora Stewart, Swamp College, and Miss Christena McKinnon, have all returned to their schools after the Easter vacation.

Miss Reta Marshall, R. N., returned to Toronto after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall.

Misses Susie McKinnon and Frances Collinson returned to Toronto after the Easter vacation.

Miss Mary Mather visited at her home in Priceville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murd Raney and daughter, Jean, visited Sunday with Mrs. D. Macphail.

Mr. Stewart Muir was in Markdale on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nichol visited the latter's mother in the G. & M. Hospital, Owen Sound on Sunday.

Mr. Bert Irwin was a recent visitor in Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Holmes, Owen Sound spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna McMillan and Mr. Fred Chislett.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Connell, Shelburne, were callers on friends in the community recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McMullen, Miss Marguerite McMullen and Mr. Clark Wyville, Toronto, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McMullen.

Mr. Peter Muir and Mr. Dave McDonald visited Owen Sound friends on Sunday.

Mr. Bob. Brodie and niece, Miss Norma Brodie, Toronto were visitors with the former's sister, Mrs. Ben McKenzie.

Mrs. Thos. Irwin has spent the past week in Markdale with her brother, Mr. Ed. Bradey, who passed away on Monday. Mrs. Irwin and relatives have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

BORN — To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hazard, Stone's Line on Saturday, April 3, the gift of a daughter.

Miss Catharine Cairns returned to Toronto on Saturday after the Easter vacation.

Miss Anna McLean, Priceville, visited with Miss Frances Collinson on Wednesday.

Mrs. (Rev.) Howey of Owen Sound, was a caller last week on Mrs. D. Macphail.

Mrs. C. Archibald and Harvey visited Proton friends last week. We are pleased to report Harvey well again after his very serious illness with sleeping sickness. It will be some time yet before he returns to school.

Miss Blanche Genoe of Owen Sound returned after spending the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Genoe.

Mrs. Roy Piper is visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbie Fisher in Toronto.

Miss Edna Marshall returned home on Saturday night, after spending the Easter holiday at Bolton.

Now it's the forgotten woman: wife of a sit-down striker.

Please Note

During the next few weeks The Advance will be in need of a considerable amount of money to meet its obligations and we appeal to our subscribers to send in their renewals as soon as possible. If you are more than one year in arrears (and there are a number) and find it difficult to send the full amount kindly send part. Every little bit helps. There are a number one year or more in arrears and while they are small individually, they total large. If your paper is not paid in advance, it places a great strain on the proper working of the newspaper and as our accounts have to be paid each month on time we need the co-operation of our subscribers in their renewals. Look at your label now and if it shows April 37 or before this the subscription is in arrears. May we hear from you?

Thank you.

Died In Toronto

Word was received in town on Tuesday of the death of Martha Clark, wife of Mr. J. Edward Cantelon of Toronto, formerly of Clinton, and an old Flesherton girl, in her 67th year. Deceased has been ill for some time and her death was not unexpected. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark, early residents of Flesherton.

A service is being held at the funeral home of Bates & Dodds, Toronto, on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., and the remains will arrive on the noon train Thursday, when interment will be made in the Flesherton Mortuary Chapel, later to be interred in the family plot.

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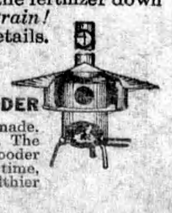

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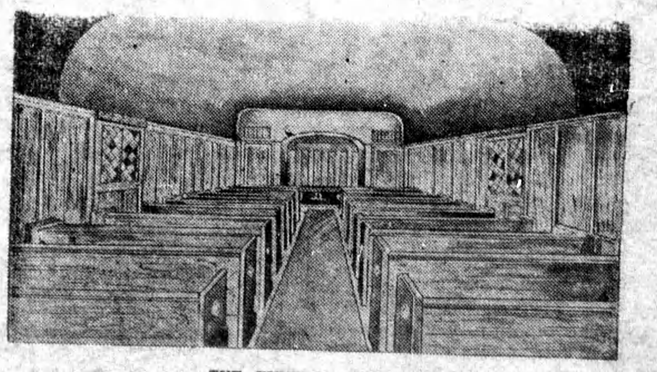

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