The Flesherton Advance.

VOL. 59; NO. 36 — FLESHERTON, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY, 14, 1940 — W. H. Thurston & Son, Proprietors.

Candidates Nominated

Miss Agnes C. Macphail received her sixth unanimous nomination from the U.F.O.-Labor organization at the nomination meeting held at Hanover on Saturday afternoon for the Grey-Bruce constituency in the Federal House. A large crowd was in attendance and great enthusiasm was shown by the delegates. This completes the field in Grey-Bruce, the Liberal and Conservative candidates having been previously elected. Rumors were going the rounds that the Conservative candidate, Karl Knechtel of Hanover, would retire from the Field, but Mr. Knechtel stated that he had no intention of retiring and would conduct a vigorous campaign.

W. P. Telford Sr. of Owen Sound, Liberal member of Parliament for North Grey in the recently dissolved House, was again named party candidate at the nomination meeting held in Owen Sound on Saturday. He was opposed by Mr. Garfield Case of Owen Sound, but won the convention by a considerable majority. The Consehvative convention in north Grey will be held this coming Saturday.

United Church

MAXWELL CHARGE
REV. GEO. L. MERCER, B.D., D.D.
Minister

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18th, 1940
SERVICES:
11 A.M.—Mt. Zion
3 P.M.—Wareham.
7.30 P.M.—Maxwell.

The Church Schools will meet at the usual time.

Note: There will be no service of worship next Sunday morning in the Eugenia church.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETINGS

All young people are invited to attend the meeting tonight in basement of Eugenia church. The Executive of the Y.P.U. of Maxwell found it necessary to change their night of meeting from Friday to Monday, in order to assure a full attendance of its members. The next meeting, therefore, will take place on Monday, Feb. 19th at 8 p.m.

The young people of Wareham will convene their next meeting on Tues. February 20th.

"Texas Hotels Pay for Frost"—news headline. Up here we get it for nothing—drat it.

Skating Party

under auspices of the Junior Band
assisted by the Tara Band
will be held in

FLESHERTON RINK

Thursday, Feb. 15

BROOMBALL
Ceylon and Flesherton

This game will be played on skates with a broom and softball. Two 15 minute periods.

Lots of action and excitement

JOIN THE CROWD FOR THIS CHANCE TO SKATE TO THE BAND. YOU'LL ENJOY YOURSELF

ADMISSION: 15c and 10c

United Church

FLESHERTON
Minister,
REV. G. K. McMILLAN, B.A., B.D.

Next Sunday services will be held as usual at the following hours:
11.00 a.m.—Worship, Flesherton.
12.00—Sunday School, Flesherton.
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School, Ceylon.
3.00 p.m.—Worship, Ceylon.
7.00 p.m.—Worship, Flesherton.

Sunday morning at St. John's United Church the minister will continue his series on great words when he will speak on " The Word That Postpones Decision."

At the evening service Mr. McMillan will take as his second character, in ous study of "Friends of Jesus," "Two Talent Andrew."

Parents are specially invited to come to the morning service and bring their children with them. They will get something worth while that they will not receive any other place.

St. Columba Church

Salem Ladies' Aid met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy McNalty for regular business and quilting. It was decided to get up a play at Easter. Each member was asked to make an apron, which will be sold at the March meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Sandy Neil McCannell, 19th sideroad.

The Y.P.S. met Thursday evening at the home of Edna Harrison. Music and games were enjoyed and lunch was served by the hostess. As decided Thursday, the members met at the Flesherton rink Saturday evening for a skating party.

The Priceville World's Day of Prayer service was held Friday afternoon in St. Columba church with a very good attendance of the women of the community. Mrs. E. Ritchie and Mrs. A. Sutherland were in charge of the meeting, and the following took part: Mrs. T. Harrison, Miss Bertha James, Miss Margaret MacArthur, Mrs. H. B. McLean, Miss Margaret Nichol and Mrs. Gary Whyte.

"For all the saints" was sung and special prayer was offered for Lady Tweedsmuir and family at the evening service on Sunday. On receipt of the news of the passing of the Governor-General, the church bell was tolled.

Baptist Church Notes

REV. F. ASHTON, Pastor

SERVICES:
Flesherton:
11 A.M.—Worship.
12 noon—Bible School.
7 P.M.—Gospel Service.
Rock Mills.
2 P.M.—Bible School.
3 P.M.—Divine Service.

One Russian prisoner in Finland said that Berlin was the capital of France. Probably the poor fellow had been listening to the German department of information.

Some of the mines set out in the last war are now being found by British sweepers and they have been submerged for 22 years.

The new warden of Wellington county is a garage man. He is expected to do well, having managed another wholesale gas business before reaching the warden's chair.

George J. Stewart Died On Saturday

Death came suddenly early Saturday evening to George John Stewart at his home in the village, following an extended illness. While he had been ill for some time he was able to be up each day. His condition became worse Thursday evening and he gradually sank until death came early Saturday evening.

Deceased was born on the East Backline, Artemesia, 47 years ago and was a son of Mr. W. J. Stewart and the late Mrs. Stewart. He received his education in Flesherton schools following which he farmed. He was united in marriage about 18 years ago to Miss Madeline Moore of Flesherton, who is left to mourn the loss of a devoted husband. Besides his father he also leaves one brother, James Stewart, of Flesherton and one sister, Amanda (Mrs. Alfred Down) of Flesherton.

George was well known throughout the district and was highly respected by all who knew him and his illness during the past couple of years and his subsequent passing is regretted by a host of friends. For a number of years he was a member of Flesherton L.O.L. and was also a member of the former Chalmer's Presbyterian church.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, with service at his late residence, conducted by Rev. G. K. McMillan of St. John's United Church, assisted by Rev. F. Ashton of the Baptist Church. Interment was made in the chapel in Flesherton Cemetery.

The pallbearers were neighbors: Messrs. Harold Lever, Wilfred Lever, Harold Richardson, Gordon Long, Emerson Wickens and Albert Sparks.

The casket was surrounded in the home by a beautiful bower of floral tributes as tokens of sympathy to the sorrowing family.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mr. Harry Stewart and sons, George, Jim and Kendall of Stratford, Mrs. Jas. Sargent and Bert of Shelburne, Mr. W. J. Ross and Mrs. Geo. Davis of Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Brampton, Miss Bessie Stewart and Mr. Herk Stewart of Markdale and Mr. Ken Wright of Berkeley.

Late Alex. Stillwell

Mrs. D. Williams of town received word last week of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Alexander Stillwell, which occurred at St. Petersburg, Florida, on February 3rd. Mr. Stillwell was well known in this district, having visited here at various times, the last visit being two years ago. Shortly after his return he took ill, and his condition gradually became worse, until his passing. The funeral took place on February 6th, interment being made in Bay Pines National Cemetery, St. Petersburg. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war, which body, along with the Masonic Order, conferred the last rites on their brother.

Besides his sorrowing wife, formerly Etta Roy, he leaves to mourn three daughters, Blanche (Mrs. John Trebilcock), Katherine and Clara.

To Red Cross Knitters

1. Please make your socks 16 inches long from top of cuff to under heel.
2. Try to make the Kitchener toe.
3. We are requested to knit balaclava caps, helmets, sailors' scarves and mitts, especially for aviators and sailors.
4. Wash socks or yarn.
5. Guard against knots and lumps.
6. We have navy blue yarn for sailors' knitting, such as scarves, mitts.
7. We have very little grey yarn on hand, but expect more in a week or so.
8. We have aero blue for aviators' knitting, such as balaclavas, helmets, mitts, gloves, scarves, etc.

Thank you.

Hockey Players Injured

In a Ceylon-Flesherton Semi-Pro. fixture at the rink Monday night, Jos. Banks, centre player, received a cut on his head and ear that required eight stitches to the close the wound. The accident occurred in scramble, when a skate struck him in the head, inflicting the serious injury. Roy also of the Flesherton team received a crash into the boards that it is feared he may have a broken rib.

Second Folk School Held At Holstein

The second Folk School held in Canada, met at Holstein under the leadership of art Haas, where, for 9 days, twelve young people studied together some of the problems youth has to face in these trying times.

"We were one big happy family, living together with a spirit of good will and fellowship permenating every activity of the school.. A freedom was built up where everyone could enter the discussion freely and without reserve, and thus we were able to study our problems in a truly democratic manner.

Dr. Anne Ross, formerly of MacDonald Institute, and matron of the O.A.C. of Guelph, was kind enough to stay with us as our hostess. From her charming personality and wide experience, we gained much valuable knowledge.

There were several who visited the school for a day or so, or part of a day, but the twelve registered members were: A. Haas, leader, Holstein; Ida McGowan, Blythe; Bill Cairns, Markdale; Nora Shortt, Holstein Janet Wilson, Mount Forest; John Campbell, Mount Forest; Dr Anne Ross, Blythe; Elizabeth Aitken of Hol tein; Harry Mather of Holsein; Grace Britton; Clifford Allen, Flesherton and Austin McKee of Ceylon.

Each day began with a devotional period, conducted by Art Haas, after which we either had lectures from outside speakers or we divided into two discussion groups to discuss some subject. After a short discussion in separate groups, we met together and discussed our problems as one group, and tried to reach one definite answer.

The outside speakers were: Leonard Harman, leader of the first Folk School in Canada, which was held at Park Head; also the vice president of the U.F.O. of Ontario spoke on public ownership and co-operative business, County Chamber of agrieulture and Credit Unions. Vincent Black, Pres. of the U.F.Y.P.O. of Ontario was with us several days and led in many interesting discussions. Alex. Simm, who is connected with Rural Adult Education for McGill University, gave us an address on, "The Friends of Rural Society," in which he traced the growth and developement of rural life. Hugh Bailey, President of the board of directors of the co-operative store in Dundalk,, and president of the co-operative Packers, Barrie, spoke on the developement of our local co-operative stores and how we might build up a co-operative health insurance. Hugh Bailey and Joe Crutchley, Durham, addressed us in Mount Forest on the subject, "Lack of farm organization," this meeting was sponsored by the U.F.O. and U.F.-Y.P.O.

Mrs. McDougall of Holstein outlined the duties of a rural nurse and the benifit such a nurse would be to the community. Gordon McKerracher Educational field man for the U.F.O. Co-operative company of Toronto, stressed the importance of our local co-operative stores, operating with the central co-operative wholesale in Toronto, the co-operative Producers and Consumer co-operatives with the National co-operatives and the co-operation of inter-National co-operatives.

Rev. McEwen of Mount Forest United Church gave us an inspirational address on the relation of religion and co-operation.

Mr. Pentland, the public school Inspector explained the changes made in the new course of study. Mr. Nicholson, a member of the National Chamber of Agriculture, led a very educational study of the Chamber and its relations to the National Chamber and the important part these chambers of agriculture are playing in the farm industry. This study was especially interesting as we expect in the near future a County Chamber of Agriculture for Grey.

The art gallery in Toronto loaned us a collection of Canadian art for our study, which was led by Art Haas.

Miss Aitkens led an excellent study period on "Music Appreciation," showing the growth of music, and explaining the various emotions expressed through music. We studied and discussed many other subjects and it would be difficult to decide wherein lay the most important features of the school, for the amount of information that can be gained in a week is limited, but through our folk school we did gain a broader outlook on life and I think every member of the school will carry back an inspiration and determination to promote education, work co-operatively and build up a new respect for rural life in his or her sommunity.

A. E. McKee.

Governor-General Dies

Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, died in a Montreal hosital Sunday evening, following opations which were performed to relieve a concussion suffered in a fall in his residence at Ottawa. A state funeral is being held this Wednesday afternoon. The body will be taken to his native Scotland for burial. In honor of the Lord Tweedsmuir the town flag on market square was flown at half mast. All Canada mourns with Lady Tweedsmuir and family in their hour of sorrow.

Weekly Newspaper Has Its Top Peak Load, Too

We are glad that there are a few thoughtful souls in the community who bear in mind that a weekly newspaper needs copy on Fridays and Saturdays as well as on Mondays and Tuesdays. We are encouraged by the belief that more and more people are gradually awakening to that fact. If people did so, it would help us to produce a better paper.

Many press secretaries and other contributors, who often might have their material in a week ahead of time, will send it in on Tuesday and expect to have it published. When such material is sent in later than Monday the writer does not need to be suprised if it does not appear. Our staff will do its best to handle late copy but can do just so much.

A weekly newspaper has a peek load just as local Hydro has a peak-load. That peak falls on Tuesday, when the weekly's staff has far too much to do. People who do not think of sending in their items of news or their advertising until Tuesday, are contributing to the peak, and are making economical progress of their weekly newspaper very difficult.

Our slogan is "a daily newspaper pulished weekly." We plan to handle news of events the day they happen. We set type for our newspaper every day, but we print our newspaper once a week. The Flesherton Advance is your newspaper and you can help to make it better by your sending in your copy early..

Air Mail Service

Mr. A. M. Gibson, District Director of Postal Services, announces that starting February 15th, mail coming off the Canadian Pacific afternoon passenger train from Owen Sound, will catch the Western trans-Canada mail leaving that night.

The trans-Canada Air Mail schedule has been changed to 10.30 p.m. so that this mail could be put on aboard the plane that night. This means that a letter posted on the 5 o'clock, train leaving Owen Sound will arrive in Winnipeg, Regina or Calgary for delivery first thing the following morning, and it will be delivered in Vancouver at lunch time.

Many people in this district will take advantage of this service.

Women's Day of Prayer

The World Day of Prayer was observed in the Baptist Church on Friday, afternoon last, and was well attended, forty-two being present at the meeting.

Mrs. (Rev.) McMillan was leader for the service. The world theme being "IN Quietness and Confidence shall be your strength." Prayers were given by ladies of the different churches, followed with a short devotional address by Rev. F. Ashton. During the offertory Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. A. Henderson rendered an appropiate duet, with Mrs. D. Williams presiding at the organ. The offering amounted to $4.20.

IN MEMORIAM

ARROWSMITH—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, who passed away Feb. 19th, 1939.
—Husband and Daughter.

Game warden Harold Bailey of Manitoulin reports that final returns from trappers from various points on the Island will bring the total number of beaver taken during the recent open season up to 150.

More Power Needed

Other days were recalled last week as the session of the Ontario Municipal Electric Association witnessed the chairman of the Ontario Hydro Electric Commission urging action on the St. Lawrence waterways project. It is some years since pressure in behalf of this plan came from authorities in this province. The history of negotiations for the development has been very unusual, with Ottawa, Ontario and the United States interests being alternately luke-warm and enthusiastic until now, when all three seem, for the moment, to be fairly enthusiastic.

Ottawa's problem at the present seems to be placating the province of Quebec and western provinces, where there is being developed the argument that all of Canada will be taxed for the cost of the big power scheme with the direct benefits going to Ontario.

It will not be surprising if the subject takes its place in the election campaign. If it does, we shall likely see the Federal government asserting in the first place that the development will eventually pay for itself. In the second place, that industrial development is essential for this country and that what benefits industry in Ontario is of great value everywhere in Canada.

The core of Dr. T. H. Hogg's remarks on this point in addressing the O.M.E.A. is contained in these words:

"This development can hardly be classed as a war measure, for even if it were undertaken tomorrow it would be five years at least before it could become of use.

"The scheme now under negotiation was selected with a view to avoiding features which in 1934 aroused objections in the U. S. Senate. From an engineering standpoint the plans are sound and lower in cost than those in the 1932 treaty."

Incidentally, for those who are interested in plotting the expansion of industry in this country, here is what Dr. Hogg said on that score: "We would be men of very little faith if we did not look ahead and prepare for a more bountiful future. In such a future the demands made upon industry will be vastly enlarged, and industry will make new demands on power."

Meeting in Flesherton In Interest of Folk School

The Saugeen Folk School is sponsoring an educational meeting in the Flesherton High School on Tuesday, Feb. 20th, at 8 p.m.

Art Haas, leader of the school, and W. G. Nicholson, who is a member of the National Chamber of Agriculture, will address us on the County Chamber of Agriculture. This meeting is of special interest to every one, as it is hope to have a Chamber of Agriculture formed in Grey in the near future. Everybody welcome.

PRINCE ARTHUR LODGE HAD DISTRICT DEPUTY VISIT

Prince Arthur Lodge No. 333, A.F. &A.M., was host to R. W. Bro. Thos. Reburn of Markdale, District Deputy Grand Master of Grey District, on his official visit Friday evening. There was a very good attendance to greet the District Deputy. The first degree was conferred on a candidate and at the fourth degree some excellent addresses were given.

BORN

CURRIE — At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Thursday, Feb. 8th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Currie (Sadie Vause) a daughter — Mary Ida Elizabeth.

YOUNG — At Mrs. Petty's Nursing Home, Dundalk, on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Young, Singhampton, a son.

CHESLEY ENTERPRISE CHANGES HANDS

After being in the McDonald family for nearly 48 years, the Chesley Enterprise has been sold to Mr. Clayton Schaus of the Hanover Post, who took possession on Monday. Mr. Schaus has been on the Post staff for over 20 years, and is a fluent writer. The late Wm. McDonald bought the Enterprise in 1892, and he impressed his strong personality into the columns of his paper. In recent years his son, John C. McDonald, had been in partnership, and has conducted the paper since the death of his father a year ago.

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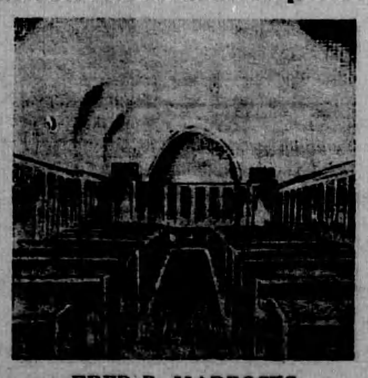

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