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Flesherton Public School

EASTER TERM REPORT

Grade 8 — Evelyn McTavish (H), Edna Thompson (H), Kenneth Langford, Bobby Avis, Gordon Miller, Velma Sewell, Burton Russell, Keith Goessel, Ted Banks, Helen Brown, Eva Doupe, Victor Langford, Gordon Dungey.

Grade 6 — Eleanor Williams (H), Verna Loucks (H), Lois Sparks (H), Mary Dolan (H), Colleen McCutcheon Donald Langford, Edmund Thompson, Ernie Russell, Elma Talbot, Jim Hamilton, Bob Turney.

Grade 5 — Evelyn Stewart (H), Ted Newell, Shirley McCracken, Marion Stauffer, David Aberdein, Bruce Thurston, Frank Taylor, Jim Armstrong, Stanley Teeter, Howard Teeter, Bob Long.

Grade 4 — Eleanore Sparks, Barry Thurston, Joan Turney, Jack Milne, Dannie McTavish, Joyce McNabb, Don Banks, Ivan Russell, Billie Richardson, Keith Dungey, Burt Talbot.

Grade 3 — John Milligan, Shirley Langford, Mark Wilson, Bob Stoddart, Earl McKechnie.

Grade 2 — Erma Aberdein, Audrey Wauchope, Margot Anne Goessel, Ross Loucks, Pat Stauffer, Clifford Richardson, Jim Stoddart, Bob McCracken, Garnet Hamilton, Bruce Langford, Isobel Dungey.

Grade 1 — Muriel Sparks, Mary Jane McTavish, Elaine Cook, Joan Avis, Joanne Wood, Milford Loucks, Frank Beatty, Bob Teeter, Lois Russell, Gary Stiles, Stanley McKechnie.

HOME GUARD OPERATIONS

It is suggested by the leader of the Home Guard that drills be resumed Thursday evening of this week at the town hall at 8 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

AIRPLANE FORCED DOWN IN OSPREY

(By Buckingham Correspondent)

Considerable excitement, as well as anxiety, was caused here Monday night when a plane from the Port Albert air port made a forced landing in Mr. Herb Hawton's field. The machine, a twin motored Blenheim bomber, developed engine trouble half an hour after taking off and was brought down with slight damage to the plane and a small cut on the face of one of the crew.

An inspector and mechanics from the air port arrived later to test the engines and remove small part preparatory to having it taken out by truck when the roads are fit. Meanwhile two men from the air port are guarding the plane and staying at the home of Mr. Herb Taylor.

A large number of people took advantage of the opportunity to see one of these machines on the ground and the pleasant, courteous manner of those men from England in showing all who came and in answering innumerable questions, but strengthens our wish for their success and safety in training to do battle with Hitler's birds of prey.

CEYLON PUPILS AID TELEGRAM BRITISH WAR VICTIMS' FUND

About $45.00 was realized by the teacher and pupils of Ceylon Public School for the Toronto Telegram British War Victims Fund. The pupils cut out blocks for a quilt, the mothers did the quilting and the pupils sold tickets on the quilt for a draw, which was made at a dance held in the Ceylon hall Wednesday night of last week. Mr. Bert Magee of Eugenia was the lucky winner. The money has been sent to the Toronto Telegram for the fund.

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Large Attendance At Funeral Mrs. Hickling

Death called one of Flesherton's most highly respected citizens on Tuesday morning of last week, in the person of Adelaide Elizabeth Armstrong, beloved wife of Mr. F. H. W. Hickling, in her 77th year. Death occurred at 6.30 a.m. at her home here following a lengthy illness of some three years.

The late Mrs. Hickling was a daughter of the late John W. Armstrong and was born at Inistioge on the old homestead and moved with her parents to Flesherton at an early age. Her father was a J.P. and Division Court Clerk for the Flesherton district. She spent almost her entire life in Flesherton, except when she attended Ontario Ladies' College at Whitby.

She was united marriage in 1901 to Frederick H. W. Hickling of Flesherton and had resided here most of the time except for several years when they lived at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. Surviving, besides her sorrowing husband, are three brothers and one sister, John W. Armstrong of Toronto, Rev. Albert E. Armstrong of Meaford, Dr. E. F. Armstrong of Cobalt and Mrs. F. D. Goff of Clarksburg. Two other brothers, Dr. G. S. Armstrong and Wm. A. Armstrong, and two sisters, Mrs. John D. Clarke and Mrs. T. E. Aikenhead, predeceased her.

The late Mrs. Hickling was a lady of sterling quality and was highly regarded by all who knew her. She was a member of St. John's United Church, and while health prevailed was a constant attendant at the services. She also took an active part in the work of the Ladies' Aid, Woman's Missionary Society and the Women's Institute and a willing worker in the W.C.T.U. Her loss to her native town is greatly deplored and she will be missed in all the village activities.

The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon, April 10th, when service was held in St. John's United church at 2:30 o'clock p.m., with her pastor, Rev. G. K. McMillan, officiating, assisted by Rev. Fred Ashton of the Flesherton Baptist church. Interment was made in the family plot in Flesherton Cemetery.

The pallbearers were six nephews: Berry Armstrong, Samuel A. Goff, John Armstrong, Ernest Armstrong, Jas. Aikenhead and W. Aikenhead.

Among the large number of beautiful floral tributes carried by fourteen of the Flesherton business men were tokens of sympathy from the following: Village Ratepayers, Business Men, Wray's Ladies' Wear of Owen Sound, friends and neighbors, Flesherton Old Boys' and Girls' Association of Flesherton, Flesherton Old Boys and Girls of Toronto, Gordon McKay Limited (Geo. Meads).

Among the relatives and friends from outside town who attended the funeral were: Miss Ruby Aikenhead, Mary Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Aikenhead, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aikenhead, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Armstrong, Mrs. Frances Dreslard, Mrs. Jack Armstrong Jr., Mr. Ern Armstrong, R.C.A.F., Manning Depot, Mrs. W. A. Armstrong, Mrs. Herman Hyland, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Prentice, Mr. S. A. Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Armstrong, Miss Lottie Armstrong, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, Rev. Jas. Armstrong, Mrs. A. E. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Armstrong, all of Toronto, Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, and Master Peter Armstrong, Cobalt; Sergt. David Armstrong of the Algonquin Regt., Port Arthur; Mrs. A. Muskopp, Pembroke; Rev. A. E. Armstrong and Master David Armstrong, Meaford; Mr. Albert T. Armstrong, Haliburton; Miss Dorothy Armstrong, Meaford; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitchell, Thornbury; Mr. J. W. Armstrong, Owen Sound; Rev. Berry Armstrong, Smiths Falls; Rev. F. D. Goff, Clarksburg; Mrs. Howard Hall, Thornbury; Mr. Chas. Armstrong and Miss Ruth Armstrong, Markdale; Miss Alice Armstrong, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Rowe, Dundalk; and Mrs. L. W. Thom, Barrie.

The Canadian War Services Fund campaign in Flesherton has been almost completed and to date the amount collected has been disappointingly small, as the total amount collected is under two hundred dollars. It was hoped that the committee would be able to turn over to the County committee two hundred and fifty dollars. If there has been any person not contacted for a donation, the committee would be pleased to have their contribution.

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Citizens of Ontario and those in sister provinces are at last really wide awake to the real need for the millions of dollars of United States funds which pour across the border with the arrival of tourists. Never before have all our various public agencies put so much effort into the job of coaxing United States citizens to spend their holidays in Canada.

Advertisements in periodicals published on the other side of the line have been increasing in volume and in quality. Through one of these advertisements, Prime Minister Mackenzie King has personally addressed United States people, extending a very hearty invitation to them to come on up. In this province, Douglas R. Oliver, in charge of the tourist bureau, is redoubling his efforts to increase the flow of U. S. cars into Ontario this summer. Convention bureaus are exerting unusual effort to get more people in, and as one result of this, thousands of members of the American Legion will come to Toronto this summer for their annual meeting.

The general result of all this activity should be good, but only if we continue to fight against the propaganda which Nazi agents in the United States continue to spread. Friends of Germany, without doubt, will keep up their whispering campaign that tourists may be held for military duty in Canada, that food is rationed, and that gasoline is expensive and scarce. It would seem to be in order now for Canadians to set up the machinery to make sure that citizens throughout the United States read the truth. You cannot always fight progaganda with silence.

To the end of making the invitation a more personal one to friends in the United States The Advance suggested that the Flesherton Old Boys' and Girls' Association sponsor a local movement for a Grey County Old Home Week the latter part of June and the first week in July to take in the American national holiday and through the columns of the local press give a personal invitation to their friends to come to Ontario and Grey County for their holidays this summer. We would like to have an organizer come to Flesherton at an early date and explain the scheme to the lively local Old Boys' and Girls' Association, the logical organization to sponsor such an event.

St. Columba Church News

EXAMINATIONS COMPLETE BIBLE INSTRUCTION AT DURHAM ROAD SCHOOL

Rev. A. R. Muir completed the first term of Bible instruction at the Old Durham Road school with examinations Tuesday of last week. As has been the case elsewhere, this course has proved its worth and justified the time spent on it. Appreciation is expressed to Miss Susie McKinnon, teacher, and to the parents for helpful co-operatioin. Marks obtained, based on weekly memory work, condition of note books, and written test:

Grade 8 — Elmeda Underhill 88, Leroy Meads 88, Marie Meads 87, Ivy Ostrander 82, Leona Hiltz 72, Kenneth Meads, 89, Ward Hutchinson 79.

Grade 6 — Eleanor Hiltz 72, Emma Meads 86, Douglas Oliver 91.

Grade 5 — Billie Hutchinson 83, Joyce Connolly 91, Winnifred Wright 66.

Grade 4 — Clara Hiltz 80.

The managers and helpers held a bee in Walter Williamson's bush on Saturday afternoon when 12 were present and cut and split the remainder of the church's wood.

Easter messages were given in St. Columba Sunday when the minister spoke in the morning on "A Name Above Every Name," and in the evening from the text 'Because I live, ye shall live also." In the afternoon at Salem the subject of the sermon was "Easter Surprises," and Lily and Annie Flynn sang a duet "Low in The Grave."

TURNEY — FOSTER

The chapel of Christie Street hospital, Toronto, was the setting for an interesting event when Miss Patricia Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster, Toronto, became the bride of Q. M. Sergt. Angus Turney, elder son of Major and Mrs. Turney of Flesherton. Lieut.-Col. the Rev. Sidney Lambert officiated.

ARTEMESIA FEBRUARY COLT

Artemesia township is bound not to allow Osprey to get very far ahead in the matter of February colts. Mr. Roy White of Portlaw informs us that he had one born in February, even hough it was near the line of March. The colt was born during the evening of February 28th.

Very warm weather has prevailed during the past week and the snow has practically disappeared. This Wednesday morning the weather is considerably cooler and those who discarded their woollens would feel like donning them again.

J. D. Clark Passes

Mr. F. H. W. Hickling received the sad news Tuesday morning of the death of his brother-in-law, Mr. John D. Clarke, which had occurred at the home of his son, Jack, at Boston, Mass., on Monday evening. The late Mr. Clarke was born in Scotland and was 88 years of age. He was well known in Flesherton and his many friends here are sorry to hear of his passing. Three years ago he suffered a stroke at the home of his son and lately was able to be out for rides in the car.

The funeral is being held on Thursday of this week, when service will be held at the home of Mr. Hickling at 2.30 o'clock p.m., interment to take place in Flesherton cemetery, under the aupices of Prince Arthur Lodge No. 333, A.F.&A.M., of which Order the deceased was a Past District Deputy Grand Master.

Leg Broken And Burned

(By Priceville Correspondent)

Mrs. McMeekin had the misfortune to fall one day last week at the home of Mr. Bert Irwin as she was carrying a kettle of hot water and suffered extensive burns and a broken bone in her leg. She was taken to the Durham hospital and later removed to the home of her daughter.

PRICEVILLE

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed on Sunday next in St. Andrew's church.

Easter visitors at the home of Mr. Alex. Carson were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Knox and Garnet, Messrs. Donald, Dick, Stewart and Jack Carson, all of Toronto and Miss Mabel Adams.

Miss Marie McLachlan, Fergus, spent the week end at her home.

Rev. Dr. Campbell preached a splendid sermon Sunday. Mr. Innis McLean gave a lovely violin solo and a quartette was given by Dr. Campbell, Mrs. Sutherland, Monica Lambert and Innis McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLean and Mr. and Mrs. J. McFarlane and son of Toronto were Easter visitors with their parents. Mrs. C. A. McLean returned home with them, after spending the past month in Toronto.

Mr. Vic Scheurman and family, accompanied by Mr. Bill McDonald, visited Mrs. Scheurman in Hamilton last week.

Mr. David Hincks and Clifford visited the first of the week in Egremont township.

Mr. C. E. Hincks, Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Hincks and Marilyn and Miss Jean Hincks of Toronto spent Easter vacation with relatives here.

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Horses — Sorrel Mare 10 years old; Brown Mare 12 years old.

Swine — Brood Sow; 5 Chunks.

Harness — Set Heavy Team Harness; Set Light Harness.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC. — Massey-Harris Tractor, 20-30; Massey-Harris Tractor Plow; Massey-Harris Tractor Disc; Massey-Harris Binder, 7 ft. cut; McCormick Mower, 5 ft. cut; Cockshutt Fertilizer Drill, new; Massey-Harris 13-tooth Cultivator; Set Drag Harrows; Walking Plow; International Manure Spreader; O. K. Potato Digger; Set Sleighs; Hay Rack; 8-inch Brantford Grain Chopper; Buzz Sawing Outfit; DeLaval No. 12 Separator; Other articles too numerous to mention.

Everything must be sold

TERMS: CASH

GEO. E. DUNCAN, Auctioneer

Future Events

A dance will be held in the hall at Eugenia on Friday night of this week, April 18th, under auspices of L.O.L. 1118. Good music. Lunch. Admission 25c.

A dance will be held in the hall at Orange Valley on Friday, April 18th. Admission 25c. Ladies with lunch free. Good music.

Mr. McArthur, the hair dresser from Toronto, will be at M. Arthur MacDonald's residence (bake shop) Flesherton, on Thursday, April 24th, to give permanents. Make appointments with Mrs. Scarrow at the bake shop.

VICTORIA CORNERS

(Intended for Last Week)

Mr. Jas. Batchelor and Bill have been laying cement for the former's brother-in-law, Mr. Paul Tarzwell, at Hillsburg. Word was received by the Batchelor family that the mill owned by Mr. Tarzwell was burned on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Talbot is recovering from being laid up with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Geo. McGregor and babe, Wayne, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Batchelor.

Mrs. Chas. Moore spent a week at Smithville and Toronto. Charlie, who has been working at Niagara for the winter, returned with her.

Muriel Talbot and Mrs. Wm. Ludlow are at Jack Batchelor's, Bethel, taking care of the new boy (Stanley Edwin).

Clifford Talbot, who has been working at Pickering, is visiting his parents, prior to going north.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hawes and Mary of Bright visited Mrs. Hawe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stinson, for the Easter holidays.

Mr. John Henry Richardson is building a colony house and has ordered 500 baby chicks. Will the price of eggs drop next year?

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Stinson and sons visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Henderson.

Out student minister will preach his farewell message next Sunday.

What a terrible noise was heard on Saturday evening! At first 'twas thought the Axis army must have arrived, but it was later found to have been Russel Acheson and his father, Mr. Robt. Acheson, of Proton who were enjoying (?) a merry ride behind a colt hitched to a rubber tire buggy and pulling a steel tire buggy. The colt scared at a truck and bolted up the road. It started at Ed. Stinson's. Russell held it to the road and when the colt reached Mr. Best's it began to think that the fun and excitement was hardly worth the bother, so it stopped with no harm done.

A week ago snow banks were quite in evidence, but the warm weather this week makes everything springlike. Here is hoping the weather continues warm.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. T. Bemrose wishes to announce the engagement of his daughter, Mary, to Mr. Laurie Russell, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell of Rock Mills, the marriage to take place quietly in Toronto the end of April.

Maxwell United Church

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

SUNDAY, APRIL 20th, 1941
11 a.m. — Mt. Zion.
3 p.m. — Wareham.
7.30 p.m. — Maxwell.

Note: The minister will bring an Easter message to the Mt. Zion congregation on Sunday morning. Good attendance at all services is desired.

ILUSTRATED LECTURE

The Rev. S. E. Annis, M.A., B.D., chairman Grey Presbytery, will give an illustrated lecture on West China at Eugenia church this evening. Mrs. Annis will also be present and will display a number of interesting souvenirs which she obtained while in China. This lecture is sponsored by the Young People's Union and the public is invited. Lunch served.

Flesherton United Church

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

11.00 a.m. — Worship Flesherton.
2.00 p.m. — Worship Ceylon.
7.30 p.m.—Worship Flesherton.

Flesherton Baptist Church

Minister: Rev. Fred Ashton

Services—Flesherton.
11 a.m. Worship.
12 noon, Bible School.
7 p.m., Gospel Service.
Monday at 8 p.m. Y. P. Service.
Rock Mills—
2 p.m., Bible School.
3 p.m., Worship.

Easter services at the Baptist church were observed last Sunday with the Rev. C. H. Schutt, D.D., of Toronto as special speaker. The pulpit was tastefully decorated with flowers and Mr. Roy Langford was the soloist. The young people met Monday night with Mr. Langford in charge and a very entertaining and profitable time was spent by all. Next Monday night Young People's meeting will commence at 7.45.

Don't fail to hear Prof. Parker of McMaster University at the Baptist church on Sunday, April 27 — afternoon at Rock Mills and evening at Flesherton. Pastor Ashton will give his farewell message in the morning.

Gospel Workers' Church

Feversham, Ont.

Rev. C. McNichol, Pastor

Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.
Morning Service at 11.00 a.m.
Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.