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Flesherton United Church

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

10.00 a.m. — Ce lon.
11.00 a.m. — Flesherton.
7.30 p.m. — Flesherton.

Rev. C. H. Dickinson, who is Book Steward of the United Church Publishing House, in which capacity he is responsible for the extensive business done by this firm, will be special preacher in St. John's church on Sunday morning. He comes to us as one of a number from the head offices of the Church, who are visiting Grey County next Sunday.

At the evening service Mr. McMillan will preach on the subject "Living Water."

Maxwell United Church

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

SUNDAY, JUNE 15th

11 a.m. — Eugenia.
3.30 p.m. — Wareham.
7.30 p.m. — Maxwell.

GREY PRESBYTERY FIELD DAY
SUNDAY, JUNE 22
Preacher—The Minister.

Notes: June 22nd will be observed as "Field Day" within Grey Presbytery of the U. C. of Canada. We welcome as our guest preacher at Wareham and Maxwell, Rev. George A. Williams, B.A., of Toronto. Mr. Williams is an attractive and forceful speaker and will bring inspiring messages to both congregations next Sunday afternoon and evening. The congregation of Mt. Zion has kindly consented to the withdrawal of the 2 o'clock service and instead will attend the special service at Wareham. Strangers and visitors are heartily invited to worship with us next Sunday.

THRO'-THE-WEEK ACTIVITIES

Wed., June 18—S. S. Convention at Priceville.
Thur., June 19—Choir practice at Maxwell.
Thur., June 19—Final meeting of Y.P.U. at Eugenia.
Fri., June 20—Ice cream social and play at Mt. Zion.

FLESHERTON AND ROCK MILLS BAPTIST CHURCHES

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.

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.

Commencing next Sunday, June 22, special revival services will be held in this church.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH FEVERSHAM

Rev. R. Forbes Thomson, B.A.
Minister

"THE LORD'S SUPPER"
Evening Service: 7.30 p.m.

"What should one do when one has spilt red ink on a valuable carpet?" asks a correspondent. In the case of a man, it is really very simple—he listens.

REVIVAL SERVICES

will be held in
GOSPEL WORKERS CHURCH
FEVERSHAM
commencing
Sunday June 22
morning and evening

with Miss Ila Dennett of Markdale as Evangelist, and Misses Ida and Lillie McDonald of Renfrew, Ont., as musicians and singers; also music by our orchestra.

Meetings also held each week night at 7.45 p.m. A hearty welcome awaits you at all these services.

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Loan Over The Top

Flesherton ,Artemesia and north half of Osprey went over the top in the Victory Loan campaign on Wednesday night of last week, the first in Grey County to reach this coveted $100,000 and the total was $150 was $100,000 and the total for $150 over this amount. Mr. J. A. Richards, chairman of the canvassers, received the Victory Loan pennant and it is now flying below the Victory flag on the flag pole in Flesherton. Great credit is due the canvassers for the hours they spent on the work and also to the bondholders, who are aiding in victory.

Another Old Inistioge Landmark Disappears

(By Victoria Corners Reporter)

Another of the old land marks of No. 10 Highway has disappeared. Mr. Tarzwell of Hillsburg has purchased the hall belonging to the Orangemen, to replace his mill which was burned last winter. His nephew, Bill Batchelor, had the contract of dismantling and transporting the same. Something over forty years ago this building was erected on land donated by the late Mr. John Gott, grandfather of the present owner of the farm, John Gott. This was to replace a long building, which was situated on the old Brown property, now owned by Mr. Art Jackson. Here the Lodge meetings and Sunday School had been held. The new building was erected mostly by gratis work, as at that time nearly everyone was an Orangeman. One thing to note is that the late Mr. J. D. Morgan of Dundalk, a member of the Catholic persuasion, gave $5.00 towards the building. At first it was called Gott's Lodge, but of late years has been called Inistioge Lodge. About two years ago they disbanded and joined Proton L.O.L. No. 244.

J. S. McDERMID INSTALLED MASTER PRINCE ARTHUR 333

The annual installation of officers of Prince Arthur Lodge No. 333, A.F. &A.M., was held on Friday evening last, with Wor. Bro. W. G. Watson as installing Master. Following are the officers for the coming year:

I.P.M. — Wor. Bro. H. Corbett.
W.M. — J. S. McDermid
S.W. — Wm. Walker
J.W. — M. S. McLeod
Chaplain — Rev. G. K. McMillan.
Treasurer—V. W. Bro. Hickling
Secretary—V. W. Bro. C. Bellamy
D. of C.—Wor. Bro. A. Down
S.D.—C. Carruthers
J.D.—L. Wauchope
S.S.—Geo. A. Cairns
J.S.—Earl Gordon
Inner Guard—J. A. Richards
Tyler—Everette Blackburn

Future Events

Prepare to come to Flesherton on July 1st for monster Carnival in aid of the Red Cross. Full particulars later.

OPTOMETRIST—D. Campbell, the optometrist, will be at Priceville next Tuesday, June 24th, from 7 to 9 p.m.

MT. ZION SOCIAL

Ice cream social at Mt. Zion on Friday, June 20th. Priceville play "Crazy to Reduce." Musical entertainment extra. Ball game. Admission: adults 25c, Children 15c.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

At Maxwell on June 27, under the auspices of the United Church W. A. Play by Priceville Dramatic Club "The Rose Covered Cotage." Supper served in United Church hall and concert in Orange Hall. Admission 35c and 20c.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

St. Columba United church strawberry festival, Thursday, June 26. Priceville Civil Guard will drill and parade. Royalty play "Rose Covered Cottage." Good music. Supper 6 to 8.30. Admission: 35c and 20c.

DOMINION DAY CRUISE

The first one-day Georgian Bay cruise of the season will take place Tuesday, July 1st, on the C.P.R. liner "Keewatin" to Christian Island and Midland. Leaves Owen Sound at 8.30 a.m., back at 10 p.m. Fare $2, plus 10% war tax. Tickets from Dailey Sun-Times, Owen Sound or Murray's Drug Store, Markdale.

J. A. Lever Passes

Mr. Jacob Andrew Lever, a well known resident of Artemesia, passed away at his home on Toronto Line North on Saturday morning in his 78th year, after an illness of only less than a week. He had been ailing for some time, but was able to be outside supervising the farm work.

The late Mr. Lever was born on the East Backline on the farm now occupied by Mr. Fred Smith, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lever, who were among the first settlers in Artemesia Township. He moved with his parents at the age of nine years to the farm on which he has since resided and where he passed away. He was first married to Miss Mary Mathewson and to them were born two daughters, Isla (Mrs. C. F. Ball) and Florence (Mrs. Wes Ball) both of Alida, Sask. Forty-three years ago he was married to Miss Teressa Manning and to them were born two sons and four daughters, Edward of Dryden, Ont., Lillian (Mrs. G. Morgan) of Moorefield, Vera (Mrs. G. Long) of Flesherton, Wilfred at home, Luella (Mrs. John Brackenbury of Flesherton and Alma (Mrs. Gordon McMullen) of Duncan. He also leaves three sisters Mrs. J. Adams of Flesherton, Miss Agnes Lever of Toronto and Mrs. G. L. White of Aylmer, Ont.

The late Mr. Lever was highly respected by a wide circle of friends and was an excellent neighbor, being ever-willing to lend a helping hand whenever needed. He was an adherent of the Presbyterian church in Flesherton, later United, and was a member of the Independent Order of Oddfellows.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from his late residence, when Rev. G. K. McMillan, pastor of St. John's United church, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. G. R. Service of Hamilton, a former pastor. Rev. McMillan gave a most comforting message to the bereaved family. "The Old Rugged Cross" was beautifully rendered by a mixed quartette of Mrs. Geo. Cairns, Mrs. A. Down, and Messrs. F. W. Duncan and Geo. Cairns. Interment was made in Flesherton Cemetery.

Friends and relatives from a distance who attended the funeral were: Miss Agnes Lever, Mrs. J. Miller, Ross Miller, Mrs. Jas. Adams and Jack Cunningham, all of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ruckell and Evelyn, all of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Manning and Mr. Geo. Manning of Brussels; Herb Cunningham, Palmerston; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Morgan and family, Moorefield; Mrs. Audrey Knox, Blythe; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Stevenson, Belmont; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hazen, Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Adams, Elmvale; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rawe and Mrs. Jacobs, Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Sherrard Henry, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lever, Mrs. Roy Wood and Mrs. Jacob Holley, all of Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Orr, Toronto.

The pallbearers were neighbors: Messrs. R. Swanton, Thos. Sled, A. E. Sparks, E. Wickens, H. Richardson, Albert Stewart.

The floral offerings were very beautiful and besides those from the family and friends were tokens of sympathy from the neighbors and the L.O.B.A.

Donald S. Dinnick Resigns Maple Grove Pastorate

The Advance has just learned that Mr. Donald S. Dinnick, pastor of the Maple Grove Baptist church, has tendered his resignation as minister. Mr. Dinnick has accepted a call as pastor of Scarboro Baptist church, Toronto, and will take up his new duties the first Sunday in July. He will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday, June 29.

Donald resided in Flesherton as a boy and his many friends here and in the Osprey district are pleased to have him advance in his chosen work. He made many warm friends while in Osprey and the work of the church was energetically conducted by him and his preaching was forceful and eloquent.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. J. A. Lever and family wish to express their appreciation of the many acts of kindness of neighbors and other friends during the illness of their husband and father and for the kind words of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to them in their recent bereavement.

WASTE COLLECTION NOW NECESSARY

Flesherton-Artemesia Red Cross Branch is inaugurating the saving of all waste materials and the campaign will commence first in Flesherton. Within a few days the senior pupils of Flesherton Public School will ask you to buy for five cents a large Victory Bag, into which you are urged to place such waste materials as: scrap metals, rags, bones, papers, magazines, bottles, old boots, rubbers, in fact anything except tin cans. When the bag is full, take it to the curling rink, where the scrap is being stored, or telephone the committee in charge.

Your household waste is part of the country'swar material. It must be salvaged to help win the war.

It depends upon you!

Any person in the surrounding district wishing to purchase a Red Cross Victory Bag may get one at the Down & Boyd garage. The curling rink will be open every Saturday afternoon and, if possible, please bring in your scrap at that time.

The First Prize Essay

Following is the first prize essay in the Flesherton High School, written by Miss Jean Proctor:

The British Empire is "a community of free nations" — a community in which individuality of the parts as well as oneness of the whole is recognized — an empire in which the State exists for the individual.

In Germany and in Nazi-dominated Europe, the individual is nothing, unless he has something of value to contribute to the State — he is merely a machine guided by the ruthless hands of Adolph Hitler.

Upon the shoulders of the people of our empire, — bound together by the principles, themes, and conceptions which make their appeal to the conscience and genius of humanity, and "dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal", — rests the task of preserving for future generations, liberty, individual freedom, and the common things which are, when challenged, the most sacred of all.

We all know that the fundementals of Christianity which we, as children were taught in our schools and churches, form the basis from which our civilization has developed; — and we must realize that without Christianity sooner or later must come the fall of our civilization. This cannot happen. It must not! We must keep our freedom to divine worship, whenever and wherever we desire.

In Germany, there is no God but Hitler. The Bible of the German people is "Mein Kampf". These pagan principles must never spread to disrupt the morals of our people. This doctrine of hate must never reach Canada.

Then too, we must be free to speak, think and act without being censored, as free citizens of a democratic country — without fear of questioning as to our motives or our right to do as we see fit.

Here in Canada we have the privilage of choosing our own vocation, and of securing an unequalled education in our schools and universities.

We are not expected to devote our life to the work of the state. Neither do we have to take a "course at school, designed to build up our bodies, which leaves our minds in darkness. We are given every opportunity to broaden our minds by travel, and have access to the world's best literature. In our schools we are given every chance to develope ourselves mentally as well as physically.

With "mens sana in corpore sano" the aim of our educational system, we leave school well equipped to face the future without the awful shadow of the swastika hovering overhead to darken our way.

Lastly, our system of self-government, which we ourselves have chosen, is threatened.

Our government, which gives every Canadian citizen an equal right to vote, must never, except by the will of the people, be overthrown to be replaced by a dictatorship — the fetish worship of one man which means racial persecution, religious intolerance, deprivation of free speech and the conception of the citizen as "a mere soulless fraction of the State."

We of today are living in an era when great nations have crumbled under the iron heel of the nazi leader.

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Fine Concert By Toronto Church Choir

"Wasn't it a marvellous concert!" "That was the best program that I have ever heard in Flesherton!" "Didn't the cellist and elocutionist fit beautifully into the whole program?" Such were the comments from those who were privileged to attend the concert in St. John's Church last Thursday evening, given by High Park United church choir of Toronto and accompanying artists. Supper had been served previously to a larg number by the ladies of the church.

The program opened with the choir singing two sacred numbers "Te Deum" and Beautiful Savior." They won their audience with this group and the interest was sustained throughout. Mr. Vernon Trott, first cellist of Toronto Conservatory Symphony, followed with a beautiful rendition of "The Swan" and "Scenes from a Masked Ball." The audience continued to applaud him until they were assured Mr. Trott would play again later in the program. Miss Mary Smith, contralto soloist, known to Flesherton people from her visit here two years ago, sang "Where'er You Walk." Mrs. Ola McNaughton, the elocutionist, then made her first appearance and delighted the children in particular with "The Bumble Bee." Her second selection was "Wild Horses," a lesson in how to control the male species. The whole choir then sang two more numbers "Deep River" and "Brightly Gleams Our Wedding Day" from Gilbert and Sullivan's Mikado. To many the next number was the most pleasing of the program by a mixed quartette "Thy Way, Not Mine, O Lord." And once again the cellist delighted the audience with his accomplished playing of "Scottish Lament" and "Song of Love," from Blossom Time, so well known to many. This was followed by the choir singing two patriotic numbers which thrilled the audience, "Rule Britannia" and "Canada Dear Land O' Mine." Mrs. McNaughton followed with her second group consisting of A. A. Milne's "Christopher Robin," "My Italian Friend," and completed this group with "In Flanders Fields," explaining that a friend had requested her to urge people to pray for peace and to recite this poem from the last war as often as she had the proper opportunity. Miss Anna Hunter, the soprano soloist for the evening, sang with beautiful expression, "Annie Laurie," and Mr. C. S. Patterson followed with "There'll Always be an England," the audience joining in the second chorus.

The finale on this exquisite program came with the choir singing "Night fall in the Skye," and last of all "Turn Back, O Man, Forswear Thy Foolish Ways," a hymn which might have been written for our day which ends with an expression of truth about the principles which will make for peace. The conclusion came with the National Anthem, but this time it was not just sung. All the harmony latent in prayer for the King resounded forth, as the choir led the audience in all three verses.

All seemed reluctant that the end had come. Every person there had been delivered from themselves and lifted above their surroundings. This program will live in their memories and in their lives for many a day.

SOFTBALL GAMES NEXT WEEK

There will be no softball games this week, but next week will be softball week in Flesherton, when Walters Falls plays on Tuesday night and Desboro on Friday night. The locals were beaten by one run by each of these teams, but intend to reverse the score on these next two encounters. Come out and see them play.

BORN

ALLEN — At Markdale hospital on Saturday, June 14th, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Allen, a son.

In Memoriam

McINNIS — To the sacred and ever-cherished memory of a loving husband and father, Archie McInnis, who crossed the Bar June 19, 1937.

"Until the day break and the shadows flee away."

—Sadly missed by Wife and Daughters.

This week The Advance again has five pages of local news.