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The Advance Extends Greetings to its many readers and wishes them a Merry Christmas

PRICEVILLE

Merry Christmas to the Editor, Staff and Readers.

Mr. Percy Jackson of Collingwood was a visitor Tuesday at the home of D. L. McArthur. Mrs. T. Nichol accompanied him home, after spending a couple of weeks in Collingwood.

Mr. Angus McVicar had the misfortune to lose a valuable Jersey cow last week. While drinking at the river from a hole through the ice she fell in. With assistance she was rescued but she died later from exposure.

Messrs. Don and Dick Carson of Toronto visited on Sunday at their parental home. Mr. Carson accompanied them to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence and family of Durham visited last week at the home of Henry Tucker.

School is over for the term and the teachers and pupils are enjoying a big long holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McLean are intending to spend Christmas at Fergus.

St. John's S. S. Concert

The annual entertainment of St. John's United Church Sunday School, assisted by the public school pupils, was held on Friday evening, when the church auditorium was well filled. A Christmas tree was denuded of its presents by Santa Claus (Alex. Henderson) and every child received a gift. The supper in connection with the concert was not held this year. The various numbers on the program were well given.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Morrison announce the engagement of their youngest son, Murray, to Miss Dorothy Briggs of Toronto, the wedding to take place in Toronto on December 27th, at 4 o'clock.

A crisis in winter has one thing in its favor: it's easier to keep cool.

Future Events

EUGENIA DANCE DEC. 25

A dance will be held in the L.O.L. hall, Eugenia on Dec. 25th, under auspices of the L.O.L. Good music, lunch served. Admission: adults 25c, children 10c.

Entertained Council

At the conclusion of the December session of the Osprey Township Council, Reeve and Mrs. Sayers were hosts at their home, to the members of the Council, officials and their wives, where a sumptuous supper was awaiting them, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. A toast was made to the King, and was responded to by Dr. Lindsay, in a well chosen address. A toast to the ladies was responded to by Mr. Francis, Mr. Stephens and Mrs. Hawton, giving short addresses. The singing of the National Anthem brought this delightful gathering to a close. A goodly number of friends and neighbors gathered and card playing and dancing was enjoyed.

Funeral of Mrs. G. Mitchell

The funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, who passed away on Sunday, Dec. 14th, was held from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Rev. G. K. McMillan of St. John's United Church, her pastor, conducted the service and spoke words of comfort to the suddenly bereft family. He also conducted the interment service in the Flesherton Mortuary chapel.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. C. S. McTavish and G. A. McTavish of Flesherton, Frank Bunt and O. Clipperton of Toronto, G. Goldsborough of St. Catharines and Wm. Southgate of Goderich.

There were many tokens of sympathy from many friends, among them being a spray from her neighbors.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mr. Wm. Southgate of Goderich, Mrs. Cecil Leggatt, Miss Florence Bunt, Mr. Frank Bunt and Mrs. Martin, all of Toronto, Mrs. G. C. McDonald of Islington, Miss Queenie Kaitting of Owen Sound and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke of Feversham.

The members of the family were all home for the funeral except Major Kendall Mitchell, who is with the United States Air Corps at Bowman Field, Kentucky.

Car of Barley

CARLOAD OF BARLEY TO ARRIVE ABOUT JAN. 1, 1942, AND WILL BE UNLOADED AT THE STATION.

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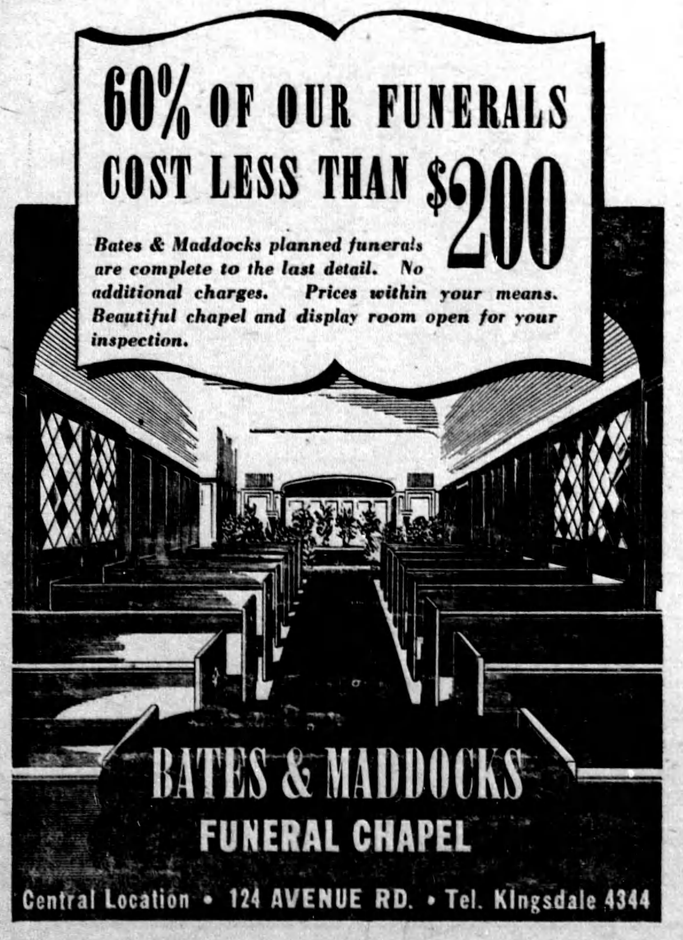

OSPREY COUNCIL

The Osprey Municipal Council met in final session for the year on Monda. Dec. 15th, with all the members present.

The final session, while possibly not the most important meeting of the year, yet usually proves out to be the busiest one of all, in getting all accounts rounded up and paid, so as to leave a clear sheet for the incoming council, as far as possible.

By-laws Nos. 12 and 13 were passed, authorizing payments of all the school monies, County rates, tele phone and Hydro rates, also setting the salary of the municipal auditor at $100 per year.

General accounts ordered paid were: H. Betts, refund over assessment; Mrs. J. Smith, care of E. Miller $43.75; J. Izard, relief $10; L. Hambly, relief $5; C. Crosby, refund over assessment $2; F. Hollingshead, refund over assessment $3.04; A. Morrison, refund, over assessment $2 Treas. Grey County, indigent hospital accounts $92.75; J. Crawford, rent of office and Hydro account $70; M Sayers, A. Buie, C. Sprott, C. N. Long, expenses to Toronto $5 each, car hire $10; C. N. Long, serices as relief officer $50; M. Sayers, salary as Reeve $75; F. Hale, salary Dep.-Reeve, $65; A. Buie, J. McCutcheon, C. Sprott as councillors $65 each; M. Sayers, Dr. R. W. Lindsay and F. Hale as members of Board of Health $15 each; C. N. Long, as Secretary of Board of Health $20; Dr. R. W. Lindsay, M.O.H. $125, and administering toxoid treatments $125; H. C. Francis, marking and returning 1941 Tax Roll $15; C. N. Long, issuing tax notices $18; Whillier & Co., stationery, supplies $23.43, 1940 account $40.98; Dept. of Health, insulin $1.88; Treas. Village of Flesherton and Dundalk, Division Court expenses $6.78; Treas. Twp. Collingwood, Division Court expenses $14.22; C. C. Middlebro', legal advice $10; Herald Printing Co., account $15.10; W. Hargrae, G. H. Burk, W. Kendall and W. Hannon, as attendance officers $5 each; E. Buckingham, as weed inspector $10; Osprey Municipal Telephone, office phone and tolls $39.60; Mrs. M. Brown, refund, over assessment $2; Maxwell, Singhampton and Badjeros libraries, grants of $10.00 each; Treas. Grey County, balance for snow plowing $25; G. McIntyre, as sheep valuer $3; J. W. Robinson, account E. Miller $9.95; E. Robinson, postage $6.

General road accounts ordered paid were: E. Robinson, postage $6; C. Magee, wire fence bonus $42. H. Fenwick, bridge timber $15; J. Sayers, bridge timber $88.50; J. Lougheed, wire fence bonus $2.12; G. Dobson, bridge timber $76; W. Reid, posts $9; Roofers' Supply Co., snow fence $327.32; J. W. Robinson, bridge timber, lumber and posts $324.80; M. Armour, wire fence bonus 06.40; G. Eby & Son, account $8.47; L. Duckett, wrie fence bonus $23; J. W. Robinson, account 70c; K. Hawkins, wire fence bonus $8.96; A. Grummett, tile $49; H. Grummett, weeds $1.60; Herald Printing Co., advts. $2.75; A. Taylor, trucking gravel $28; G. Ottewell, account $3.50; B. Deacon, trucking fill $1872.00; G. Murray, cutting brush $58; A. Mullen, gravel $142.40; J. T. McKenzie, telephone $6; pay roll No. 12, $518.20.

Council adjourned.

VICTORIA CORNERS PUPILS RAISE $41.68 FOR WAR FUND

The pupils of S. S. No. 4, Artemesia, have something of a record for assistance to the Telegram British War Victims' Fund. They have held a bazaar recently and most of the money raised was from articles sold and made by the pupils. Altogether $41.68 was raised for the Fund. Miss Lucy McDonald of Flesherton is the teacher of this school, which has only eight scholars in attendance, so their record is that much more remarkable.

High School Report

FALL TERM

GRADE 13 — R. Sutherland 64.6, L. Pedlar 64.6, R. Fenwick 57.1, I. Brown 54.3, E. Russell 53.3, E. Plester 47, F. Warling 46.9, J. Proctor 46.6, V. Wilson 40.3.

GRADE 12 — Florence O'Neill 84, Jean Duncan 79, Ruth Whyte 76.7, Robert O'Dell 74, Jean Loucks 71, Agnes MacMillan 69, Marion Collinson 66.9, Wm. Stephen 65.4, Emerson Meads 65, Gordon Nichol 62, Mary McMullen 57.7, Janet Campbell 57.6, Marjorie Thistlethwaite 56, Emerson Beaton 54.3, Jean McTavish 53.6.

GRADE 11 — Lois Wood 78, Ena Adams 73, Donald Cameron 71.7, Isabel Karstedt 66, John McMillan 64, John McConkey 63, Earle Thurston 60.4, Grace Parker 59.6, Dorothy Falconer 59, Fred Bannon 57, Arlene Taylor 56.3, Carman Loucks 53.7, Willis Sayers 53.6, Margaret McMillan 48.3, Angus McVicar 47, Joseph McWilliam 45.7, Ethel Taylor 44, Edna Marshall 37.5.

GRADE 10—Genevieve Milne 78.7, Eunice Allen 75.1, Muriel Smith 75, Jane Karstedt 74.7, Frances Buchanan 71.4, Margaret Turney 65.5, Jean McCracken 63.4, Marjorie Brackenbury 62.4, Jean McMullen 60.7, Vernon Atkinson 53.5, Sara McMillan 50, Kenneth Henry 49, Donald McMillan 48.2.

GRADE 9 — Evelyn McTavish 76.88, Marie Phillips 73.38, Mary Banks 66.88, Douglas Falconer 65.5, Margaret Smith 64, Marie Meads 62.75, Gordon Miller 62.75, Bernice Johnson 61.38, Dorothy Plester 60.75, Robert Avis 59.75, Edward Banks 59.13, Helen Brown 55, Burton Russell 53.38, Velma Sewell 51.88, Keith Goessel 49.75, Delbert Plester 45, Marge Martin, no report, Mary Scilley, no report.

BLACK — CRAIG

Lighted Christmas trees at the chancel steps adorned St. Luke's Anglican Church at Burlington on Wednesday last for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Louise Craig, Burlington, and Mr. Harold Carberry Black of Flesherton. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Craig and the bridegroom is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Black of Malton. The church was lighted with small coal oil lamps and candles and decorated with Christmas evergreens. Red and white carnations graced the altar. The ceremony was conducted at 7 o'clock by the rector, Rev. G. W. Tebbs. Mr. Murray Hall presided at the organ and the soloist was Roy Chapman.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a fuchsia rose crepe gown, made on princess lines with floor-length skirt, draped bodice and long sleeves. She wore a single strand of pearls. Her tiny hat was of matching crepe and tulle veiling with flowers. She carried a nosegay of Johanna Hill roses and budlea. The attendants were two sisters, Miss Lucille Craig, maide of honor, in a gown of gold crepe with small matching hat and the bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Craig, wearing a dress of Elizabeth blue, with hat of matching shade. Both carried nosegays of pale pink carnations, Premier hoses and budlea. Mr. Clarence Black, twin of the bridegroom, was the groomsman.

A reception followed at The Estaminet for sixty guests. Mrs. Norman Craig received with the bridal party wearing a smart black crepe gown with draped vestee of pale blue and small black flower-trimmed hat. She wore a corsage of Briarcliffe roses.

Later the bride and groom left on a short motor trip, the bride wearing a black boucle suit with draped black felt hat and silver fox furs. They will reside in Flesherton. The bride is a graduate of St. Joseph's hospital Hamilton, and the groom is a member of the Ontario Provincial Police.

Fowl Day Attracts Many Sellers of Fowl

Flesherton annual fowl marketing day was an unqualified success on Wednesday of last week, when more fowl than ever was marketed that day. It was estimated that ten tons of poultry was sold to buyers, both local and those from outside points, and the prices received were higher than those received on the general market. Turkeys brought from 32 to 36 cents, depending on grade, Geese, with a top of 25, Chickens 24 cents, with a top of 25, while very few ducks were offered at 25½ cents. Mr. W. R. Meads of the O.D.R. received the prize for the largest load of turkeys, 25. W. E. Loucks took first for dressed pair and Meads second, while the latter took the prize for best individual lot, with Loucks second. Chas. McDermid had the largest load of chickens, 89, and also the largest load of poultry raised and sold by one individual, with Mr. Wallace McCormick of Priceville second with one less. Herb Betts was first with the highest amount of money paid for cream with Chas. McDermid second. Mrs. Hy. Tucker of Ceylon marketed the largest number of eggs, with C' rence Alcox of Markdale second.

Other winners were: Best pair of chickens, Mrs. A. Stewart of Ceylon, Roy Fenwick of Maxwell, W. R. Graham of Markdale and George Swanton. Best lot of five, Wesley Smith, W. R. Graham, R. Fenwick. Geese: largest load, Wm. McCormick of Priceville; best pair, John Nichol of Ceylon, Mrs. L. Brownridge of Maxwell; best lot of 5, Lloyd Talbot, Mrs. M. Douglas of Feversham. Ducks: Best pair, Mrs. L. Brownridge of Maxwell, James Brownridge of Maxwell, Bert Portoeus of Maxwell.

MISS MARY STEWART GIVEN GIFTS ON DEPARTURE

A delightful afternoon was spent at the Flesherton High School on Friday, at which Miss Mary R. Stewart was presented with a brief case and book shelf by the pupils of the school. The address was read by Jean McTavish and the presentation made by Jean Proctor and Margaret McMillan. Miss Stewart has been on the staff for the past two and a half years and takes a position on the Kenora teaching staff after the Christmas vacation. The pupils exchanged gifts and many amusing incidents were enjoyed when they discovered the contents of their parcels. Dancing was enjoyed, to music by Elma Hamilton and several of the students.

In Memoriam

MYERS — In loving remembrance of my dear father, J. Geo. Myers, who passed away Dec. 28th, 1940.

Loving and kind in all his ways,
Upright and just to the end of his days,
Sincere and true in his heart and mind,
Beautiful memories he left behind.

Ever remembered by his son, W. E. Myers.

In Memoriam

WHITE — In loving memory of our dear mother, Sarah White, who passed away three years ago Christmas Day.

When days are dark and friends are few,
Dear Mother, how we think of you;
Friends are friends if they are true,
We lost our best friend when we lost you.

—The Family.

Saturday and Sunday the temperature hovered around the zero mark and Monday night rain was falling and the snow was disappearing.

New Library Books

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Flesherton Public Library:

Adult Fiction

"The Voyage" by Morgan; "Medical Centre' by Baldwin; "Week End Wodehouse" "By Way of the Silverthorns" by Hill; "Fort in the Jungle" by Wren; "Sword of Islam" by Sabatini; "Found Treasure" by Hill; "Out of the Storm" by Hill; "Outlaws of Eden" by Kyne; "Evil Under the Sun" by Christie; "Sons of the Others" by Gibbs; "The Don Flows Home to the Sea" by Sholokhov; "The Drum Goes Dead" by Aldrich.

Biography and Literature

"Strictly Personal" by Maugham; "The Men Around Churchill" by Kraus; "Reading I've Liked" by Fademan.

Current Affairs

"I Saw it Happen in Norway" by Hambro; "Nine Days Under (Dunkirk)" by Masefield; "A Thousand Shall Fall (Battle of France)" by Habe; "Berlin Diary" by Shirer (C.B.S. Correspondent); "Balance Sheet of the Future" by Bevin (England's Minister of Labor); "Total Espionage" by Riess (German Secret Service).

Juvenile

"A Tangled Webb" by Montgomery; "A Girl of the Limberlost" by G. S. Porter; "Freckles" by G. S. Porter; "Robin Hood" by DeFoe; 'Elizabeth, England's Modern Queen' by Spencer; "Mid Flight" by Sherman; "His Little Black Waistcoat to China" by Kiddell-Munroe; "MacGregor, The Little Black Scottie" by D. K. L'Hommedieu.

WM. CAMPBELL MISSING

Mr. W. D. Campbell of Toronto received a cable on Sunday informing him that his son, William, is missing. Bill was an observer with the Royal Canadian Air Force, and the last letter received by his parents was from Palestine, but it is presumed that he has been in the operations in Libya.

CHRISTMAS MEETING OF ST. JOHN'S UNITED W.M.S.

The W.M.S. of St. John's United Church met for their Christmas meeting on December 18th, with Mrs. W. Henry in the chair, and the president, Mrs. F. G. Karstedt, presiding at the piano. The meeting opened with "Silent Night" sung by members of the choir in the basement of the church. Quiet music was played as the choir entered their pews. Then the program, as outlined in the November Missionary Monthly, was given. The scripture reading "The Christmas Story," was taken by Mrs. J. McMillan. The C.G.I.T accompanied by Miss Jean Duncan at the piano, sang the Polish and Canadian Carols. The Junior Mission Band sang the German Carol "Away in a Manger," accompanied by Miss Jean McTavish. A Canadian Indian Carol " 'Twas in the Moon of Winter Time," was rendered very beautifully by Mrs. A. Down, Mrs. A. Henderson and Mrs. Beatty. Candles of friendship were lit in honor of other nationalities and creeds within our own gates by Mrs. E. Henry, Mrs. J. Heard, Miss D. Armstrong, Mrs. E. Fisher, Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. W. Armstrong. The meeting closed by singing "Lords of the Lands," the National Anthem and the benediction.

In Memoriam

MYERS — In loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, who passed away Dec. 23, 1928, and Dec. 28, 1940.

They are gone, but not forgotten,
and, as dawns another year,
In our lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of them are always near.

—Ever remembered by their son, Sheldon, and niece, Addie.