GREETINGS

At this season of the year we pause to thank our patrons for their assistance in the pursuit of our business and to wish them all a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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ROCK MILLS

A Happy New Year to all.

The Rock Mills war workers will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Akitt on Thursday, Jan. 8th at one o'clock.

Miss Hilda Betts of Fergus and Mr. Arthur Betts of Toronto spent Christmas at their parental home.

Miss Marjorie Phillips of Toronto is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips.

Mrs. Chas. Newell had the misfortune to cut her right hand severely with a sharp butcher knife on Tuesday of last week. She was taken at once to Markdale, the wound was dressed. The hand is doing nicely, but it will be some time before she has the use of it again.

Mr. Fred Partridge of Toronto was a visitor over the holiday at his parental home.

Mr. Lawrence Phillips of Owen Sound spent Christmas at his parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Best of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Teeter and babe of Vandeleur spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell.

A jolly Christmas gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newell, when over thirty sat down to a fowl dinner. Friends were present from Durham, Varney, Toronto and Markdale. The beautiful Christmas tree was unloaded during the afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Newell were presented with many beautiful Christmas gifts from their friends.

A presentation was held for Bob Clark of the R.C.A.F. on Friday night at the Eugenia hall, when he was presented with a beautiful wrist watch. A large crowd was present and enjoyed the music and dancing which followed.

Mrs. Susan Doupe of Saugeen Jct. spent Christmas day with her brother, Mr. Wm. Hawkins, and Mrs. Hawkins.

Mr. J. A. Foster and Sadie spent Christmas with relatives in Toronto.

MAXWELL

A well attended miscellaneous shower was held in the Orange Hall on Monday, Dec. 29th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Morrison, who were married in Toronto on Saturday, Dec. 27th.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent by the scholars of the United Church Sunday School on Saturday in the church hall. A social time was enjoyed, with games, treats and lunch.

Holiday visitors in the community were: Misses Shirley and Merle Buckingham at the parental home; Miss Ruby Monaghan and Jack at their home; Bob and Charlie Winters with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Winters; Fred and Jean Ross and Miss Vera Ferguson of Toronto, also Mr. and Mrs. Ren Acheson and children of Cheltenham at Geo. Ross's; Warren Priestley and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Priestley and Julia of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cameron of Owen Sound with Mr. and Mrs. R. Priestley Sr.

Miss Ruth Mercer and Robert of Toronto spent the holidays with their parents at the parsonage.

With the curtailment of the sale of automobile tires and the announcement of card rationing of gasoline, it is quite evident that the use of motor cars will not be long on a voluntary basis.

PUBLIC MEETING

W. R. REEK Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, will address a meeting of the farmers of Grey County at a public meeting in OWEN SOUND

Tuesday, January 6th

to commence at 2 p.m.

Mr. Reek will speak on "THE CHALLENGE OF AGRICULTURE" in regard to the war effort.

Every farmer is invited to come.

Future Events

DANCE AT EUGENIA

A dance will be held in the L.O.L. hall, Eugenia, on Wed., December 31, under the auspices of the L.O.L. Lunch served. Admission: 25c, 10c.

NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

Dance the old year out and the new year in at the Fraternal Hall, Flesherton, Wed., December 31. Admission: 50 cents.

BIG NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

In the Town Hall, Dundalk, Wednesday, Dec. 31st. Music by Rubin Kirk and His Orchestra. Owen Sound's smartest dance band. Admission: 50c.

FEVERSHAM RUMMAGE SALE

Boy Scouts of Feversham are holding a rummage sale on Friday, Jan. 3, in the Orange Hall at 3 p.m. A variety of clean, useful clothing will be on sale, including boys' and girls' clothing, women's dresses and coats and men's overcoats and suits. All prices extremely reasonable.

Happy New Year to all our Customers and Friends

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THE FRIENDLY STORE

Local and Personal

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Little spent Christmas in Owen Sound.

Mrs. Geo. Stewart spent the past week in Brampton.

Mr. Clive Dolan of Toronto spent the week end with his family.

Miss Hattie McRae of Toronto spent the week end with her mother.

Miss Genevieve Milne is visiting in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Heard spent a couple of days last week at the latter's parental home at Orangeville.

Mrs. J. A. Kernahan spent Christmas with her son, H. W. Kernahan, and family in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Udell and son of Toronto spent Christmas week end with relatives in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fisher and little daughter spent Christmas in Owen Sound.

Pte. Ben Leavell of the G. & S. Foresters, Debert, N.S., visited with friends in town last week.

Mrs. Bruce McDonald of Toronto holidayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thistlethwaite.

Mr. Ivan Henderson of Toronto spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. R. H. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Milligan and son, John, spent Christmas at Cookstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Caushier of Hagerstown, Md., are visiting at the Alexander home at present.

Rev. and Mrs. K. G. McMillan and Bruce spent Christmas at her parental home at Port Perry.

Mr. Norman Tackaberry has returned to Thornbury as district representative of Farmers' Advocate.

Pte. Robt. Whitehead of G. and S. Foresters, Debert, N.S., is home on furlough at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Helson of Toronto spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. L. McCracken and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fawcett and babe of Burlington spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hazard.

Mr. W. J. McMillan, who has been in the north, is spending a couple of weeks at his home in town.

Mrs. F. J. Thurston is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. G. L. White, and other relatives at Aylmer.

Mrs. F. Irish and Miss Gertrude Irish spent the past week with relatives in Toronto.

L.A.C. Leslie Seeley of Sydney, N. S., spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seeley.

Mrs. Kate Dow visited with Mrs. J. Sewell and family the first of the week.

Miss Dorothy Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patton of Toronto spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. J. O. Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ottewell of Montreal spent the past week with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Ottewell and Mrs. Wilcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Best and Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Teeter of Toronto spent Christmas at their parental homes.

Cpl. George Loucks of the R.C.A.F. at Winnipeg spent the Christmas week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Thompson and children of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMillan.

Among the Christmas visitors at their homes were: Marie McEachnie, Bob Bellamy, Ted McTavish, Ted Dixon, all of Toronto, and Mervyn Johnson of Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nicholl, Will and Margaret of Priceville spent Christmas with Mrs. John Cook. Mrs. Nicholl remained with her daughter for a week.

Misses Irene and Oly McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McArthur and daughter, Elaine, and Miss Edith Campbell, all of Toronto, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Londry and Richard, and Lloyd Allen of Georgetown, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Hobbs and Gerald of Proton Station, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allen, Nancy, Ruth and Bruce, of Toronto spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Another anniversary of the birth of the Christ child has passed, which announced "Peace on earth good will to men," and what a mockery. In some places yet we believe we do see more of the good will among men coming to our nation, which, when properly rooted will grow the plant of Peace.

Christmas visitors in the district were: Jas. Bannon and Miss Dorothy Wallar of Toronto and Doris Bannon of Queen's University at Milton Bannon's; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowering (Illa) of Toronto at J. H. Richardson's; Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Gallagher and children of Wareham, Kingsley Gallagher of Collingwood and Jim Gallagher of Dundalk and the Jas. Batchelor family at Wilfred Gallagher's; the Talbot family at the old homestead at Wm. Talbot's.

L.A.C. Jack Linton of Ottawa spent a few days with his parents and other relatives.

Those who spent Christmas elsewhere were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Stinson and children at Mr. Bert Henderson's, Corbetton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Ferris and babe at Mr. Hawton's, Feversham; Mrs. Chas. Moore in Toronto, Helen returned home with her for a week; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Linton and family with the latter's parents at East Linton. Mrs. Fenwick returned with them, spending a few days with her daughter; Walter Achesons at the home of Vern Robinson, Bethel.

Miss Maud Acheson is home after spending a couple of months at Berkeley.

(Intended for Last Week)

Merry Christmas to all our readers; for though there are sad hearts yet the birth of the Christ child and its anniversary is plenty for thanksgiving and happiness, and the sooner the world realizes this, will we have peace, and real peace.

We had a very enjoyable Christmas service on Sunday at Inistioge. The four Patterson boys, Jimmie and Padl (Rdssell's sons) and Gerald and Douglas (Oscar's sons) though young, assisted the choir and sang a Christmas quartette. We see our future choir in the making. Mr. Kelley read a very interesting story of the Second Christmas.

The Y.P.S. met last week at the home of Russell patterson.

The first of the month was so warm and spring-like, Mrs. Jas. Linton picked a bouquet of garden daisies in her garden on Dec. 5th.

Little Jackie Linton is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stinson.

10TH LINE OSPREY

We are enjoying beautiful winter weather at time of writing.

Mr. John Poole returned to his home on this line on Saturday, after spending a very pleasant Christmas with his sons in Collingwood.

Christmas day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ottewell and daughter were, Mrs. Ottewell's mother, Mrs Alex. Foster and nephew, Mr. John Flynn, Vandeleur; Mr. John Foster, Dnudalk; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fadden and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and two daughters, Feversham; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ottewell and daughter and Mr. Geo. Foster of the 8th line, Osprey.

Born — On Friday, Dec. 26, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McInnis of Etobicoke, formerly of McIntyre, a son. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Speers and children of Banks were Christmas day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Melville Hindle and daughter.

Miss Marie Fenwick and brother, Earl, spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. J. Dobson, and family of the 12th line.

Small Ad. Column

LOST — Money between livery barn and R. Ferris' home, $5 in bills. Finder please notify this office.

FOR SALE—Number of White Rock pullets, ready to lay. — Wm. Essland, Feversham, phone 6r33.

SKATES FOR SALE — Girls' tube skates, size 3, good condition. Apply at The Advance office.

FOR SALE — 2 Young cows due to freshen in January. — Wilfred Magee, Eugenia. 29c2

FOR SALE — Good driving mare or will exchange for heavy horse; also few cords of small hardwood.—W. T. Genoe, Ceylon, phone 32r12.

LOST — Purse containing $5 and some change around my garage. Finder please return to H. Symonds, South End Garage. 31p2

HIDES WANTED — Licensed buyer of hides of all kinds: beef, horse, calf and sheep skins. — F Eagles, Proton Station, R. R. 3, phone 41r3.

FOR SALE — Number of cows, also reg. Berkshire boar 18 mos. old, bacon type, choice animal. — Sam Grummett, R. R. 1, Flesherton; phone Feversham 11r13. 31p2

FARM FOR SALE — Lot. 164 - 165, Con. 2, S. W. D. R., Township of Artemesia, containing 100 acres, good house, barn, out buildings and well. For particulars apply to Mrs. Susan Doupe, Proton, Ont.

PIANOS — Pianos and organs for sale, choice selections; pianos tuned and repaired. Satisfaction assured. Write J. C. Blackstone, 515 8th St. A. East, Phone 672, Owen Sound. 25p3

FOR SALE — 7-room brick house in Flesherton, large lot, garage, good well, must be sold to settle estate of the late Andrew Gilchrist—Apply to John Stewart, Executor, Proton Station, phone 32 r 4.

FOR SALE — Cow to freshen early in Jan.; Yorkshire sow and pigs; Sett double breeching team harness; 2 setts single driving harness; good double driving sleighs, sett beam scales, 2 cutters.—R. Allen & Sons, phone 45r21, Flesherton.

FARM FOR SALE

Farm, about 100 acres more or less, with dwelling house and good buildings, about 3 miles north of Feversham. For sale conditions apply Elmore C. Carr, Solicitor for Walter J. Milne Eestate, Thornbury

FOR SALE — Tube skates, size 5, boys, good as new. Enquire at The Advance office.

LOGS WANTED — Highest cash prices paid for logs and standing timber.—Dundalk Saw Mills, phone No. 3, Dundalk. 26p5

FOR SALE — "Corona" range cook stove in good condition, also kitchen cupboard. Inquire from Gordon Irwin, Flesherton R. R. 3. 30p2

WANTED — Teacher of Music qualified for High School work, grades 9 and 10, minimum qualifications: elementary vocal Type A, Department of Education. Apply immediately to Roy Piper, Secretary Flesherton High School Board, Ceylon, Ontario.

FARM FOR SALE

Lots 16-17, Con. 2, N. D. R., Artemesia, containing 100 acres more or less, good wells, creek at back of farm, good clay loam. Reasonable price. Possession at once. —Mrs. R. Stewart, Flesherton.

FARM FOR SALE

Lots 14-15, Con. 1, S.D.R., Artemesia, containing 100 acres, on which is situated a bank barn 45x55, also a large driving shed. This property must be sold to wind up estate. Those interested communicate with John Oliver or W. R. Meads, Priceville, Executors for the estate. 47c

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