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Rock Mills Ladies' Aid

Rock Mills Ladies' Aid held their first meeting of the new year on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. Ned Croft, with nine members and three visitors present. The president opened the meeting with hymn 618, the reading of Romans 6, and missionary roll call, each member repeating a verse containing the word "Lo." A missionary humn was sung and prayer closed the opening exercises. After the reading of the minutes and roll call, a period of discussion took place, when it was decided that meetings would commence at 2 o'clock in the future, and each member to pay "a cent a day" blessing money, have a ten-cent tea or in some way contribute to funds. The meeting closed by singing the hymn "Sweet Hour of Prayer," and the National Anthem. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alex. English on Feb. 18.

LADY BANK

(Intended for Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Semple and Master Royden spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Semple at Weston, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wellwood at Islington.

Mrs. Robt. Ferris and family of Flesherton have the sincere sympathy of the community in their hour of grief. The late Mr. Ferris and Mrs. Ferris farmed in this district some 30 years ago.

February 1st brought little lambs on the farm of Walter Wilson, The increase is early enough.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Semple spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burel McConnell at Kimberley.

The cars and trucks are going here as yet, but travel is a bit heavy to-day, Monday.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Maude Acheson is spending a month at Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bannon and Jack attended the surprise party given by over thirty of the nearest relatives of Mr. and Mrs. John Hannah of Berkeley, on the occassion of their golden wedding anniversary on Tuesday of last week.

Chas. and Ted Moore of Toronto spent the week end at their home.

The Y.P.S. meeting was held last week at the home of Russell Acheson, Proton. The meeting was postponed from Monday evening on account of the party for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCannell and was held on Thursday.

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Gordon Batchelor and his grandmother, Mrs. John Batchelor, of Hillsburg visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Batchelor, also Florence Batchelor of Toronto. Ina Acheson returned to Toronto with her cousin, where she also has a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Patterson and Kenneth, spent Saturday at Wm. Talbot's, where Muriel Talbot and Joyce Patterson celebrated their birthday.

Donnie Stinson, son of Ernie Stinson, has not been well for some time but is slowly recovering.

If the bear and ground hog hated to get up this Monday morning as badly as we did, they just poke their nose out far enough to know they could see their shadow and then retreat quickly. So we are in for six more weeks of winter. Well, we usually get a couple of months more after this time, anyway.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of the late **Alma Henderson**, late of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, who died on the 24th day of September, 1941, are required to forward their claims duly approved, to the undersigned solicitor of the estate, on or before Monday, March 2nd, 1942.

AND FURTHER take notice that after such mentioned date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims as they will then have notice.

Dated at Markdale this 9th day of February, 1942.

—WALTER E. HARRIS,
Markdale, Ont.
Solicitor to the Executor.

8TH LINE OSPREY

Good Monday morning everybody! A beautiful sunshiny winter morn, after the terrible blowup of last week. We cannot help but feel that "God's in His heaven—." Would that we could truthfully complete the pasasge truthfully and say "—All's well with the world." Here's hoping we can soon.

Misses Evelyn Hale and Evelyn Hannan of Badjeros spent last week end with the former's parents.

Mr. Vincent Somers of Banks spent a few days with his parents.

Mr. Jim Giblin of Yorkton, Sask., has been in hospital for the past month with throat trouble. His friends here are glad to know that he is now convalescent and we hope he will soon be restored to his usual robust health.

Mr. Jim Haley of Badjeros was a welcome visitor with friends here last week.

Our Farm Radio Forum meeting was postponed last week, owing to inclement weather, but is being held this Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fenwick. These meetings are proving very instructive, as well as entertaining, and the attendance is increasing. Who knows what far-reaching results may be obtained?

A number from here attended a very enjoyable crokinole party at the Roberts home on the 10th Line on Friday last. All went merry as a marriage-bell for everybody, even though some of the boys and girls, too, had to walk.

As we write this morning, our thoughts wander to Ottawa and we cannot but wonder which of the various methods suggested will be adopted to subdue the prevailing unrest. We wonder, too, is every member conscientuous to the last degree in doing his bit to win the war, or is the old party spirit still the predominant factor? What do you think, and you and you? Let us stand shoulder to shoulder as one huge giant, until victory is ours and until we can enjoy "democracy" in its fullest sense.

CEYLON

Ceylon public school is observing Daylight Saving Time.

Miss Hazel Oliver of Toronto visited Saturday with Mrs. Archibald. Mr. Harvey Archibald of Primrose was also home the latter part of the week.

Miss Wright of Shelburne is visiting Mr. S. Hemphil and Miss Maud.

Mr. J. W. McMullen spent Saturday in Owen Sound with Mrs. McMullen.

Miss Agnes Macphail of Toronto was in the village Saturday.

The Women's Institute met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Gibson, Mrs. McWilliam presiding. Following the opening Mrs. J. Sinclair took the devotional reading. It was decided to pack another box for the Red Cross the last week of February and anyone in the locality having clean used garments or wearing apparel of any kind, are asked to have them realy for that time. The call is urgent and all donations will be appreciated. The Institute will prepare a layette and other articles, and donations to this will also be appreciated. Mr. Edgie Hazard has turned in another pair of beautifully knit socks.

Mr. Eddie Genoe reported at Brantford last week for his military training.

Crooked men sometimes get business, but only straight men keep it.

Hardware

In this twenty-ninth month of the war, the restrictions on many things becomes more apparent.

We are doing the best we can to help in the war effort, and will do all we can to supply the Hardware needs of this community.

Now is the time of the year for **Crosscut Saws, Axes, Shovels, Barn Forks, etc.**

F. W. DUNCAN
HARDWARE FLESHERTON

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The Pioneer Mother
Flames Anew Today

THINK BACK to the old days—when Canada was young.

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In the hearts of the women of Canada, this old spirit flames anew today! Gone are the heavy muskets, the log barricades—but the love of freedom, the stubborn resolve to win through at all costs—these things remain unchanged, unchangeable!

Grimly quenching their tears, mothers say "God bless you" to their fighting sons—everywhere young women are serving where duty calls—the women of Canada are bound together in one common cause.

In thousands of Canadian homes, women are revising their family budgets, planning new economies, making extra sacrifices—so that more and more money will be available for the purchase of Victory Bonds.

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