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34 Years As Reporter

Service well done seldom receives the notice that it should, and newspaper reporting is one of the hardest services where everyone will be entirely suited with items of themselves or others. However, if a reporter does his or her best that is all anyone can do. With this issue Mrs. Chas. Moore finishes her reporting for Victoria Corners. Regularly for 34 years Mrs. Moore has contributed a weekly budget of the visitors and occurrences of the Victoria Corners district. Her faithful service in reporting is gratefully acknowledged by the editor of The Advance, with the hope that she may enjoy her residence in Toronto for many years to come and that the best of health will follow her wherever she may be. Thank you, Mrs. Moore!

AIRCRAFTMAN TED McTAVISH

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. McTavish of Flesherton, who is on duty as an airframe mechanic at an Eastern Canada operational point.

That which is striking and beautifull is not always good; but that which is good is always beautiful.

One advantage the horse has—on a frosty morning you don't have to pour hot water on him to coax him to start.

Future Events

AUCTION SALE

Credit auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., at Lots 204-5, Con. 1, Proton Township, 3 miles north of Dundalk, on Tuesday, Dec. 8th. Six months' credit. — Merritt Nicholls, Prop., Geo. E. Duncan, Auctioneer.

HOLIDAY DANCES

Dance in Fraternal Hall, Flesherton, during the holiday season—Christmas Night, Dec. 25th, and New Year's Eve, Dec 31st. Ruben Kirk and His Orchestra. Admission: 50c.

Frank Chard Passes

Mr. William Frank Chard of Kimberley passed away at the home of his son, Mr. Robt. Chard, at Kimberley early Tuesday morning, December 1st, in his 81st year. He resided for many years on his farm two miles south of Flesherton and a few year ago moved to Kimberley. His wife predeceased him last August.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 3rd, with service in Kimberley United Church at 2.30 o'clock p.m., with interment in Flesherton Mortuary Chapel.

MOORE — ACHESON

A wedding of interest was solemnized at Inistioge Church on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 28th, at three o'clock, when Annie Maude, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Acheson, Proton Station, became the wife of George Woodlan, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore, Proton Station, the ceremony being conducted by Rev. M. G. Butler, Dundalk.

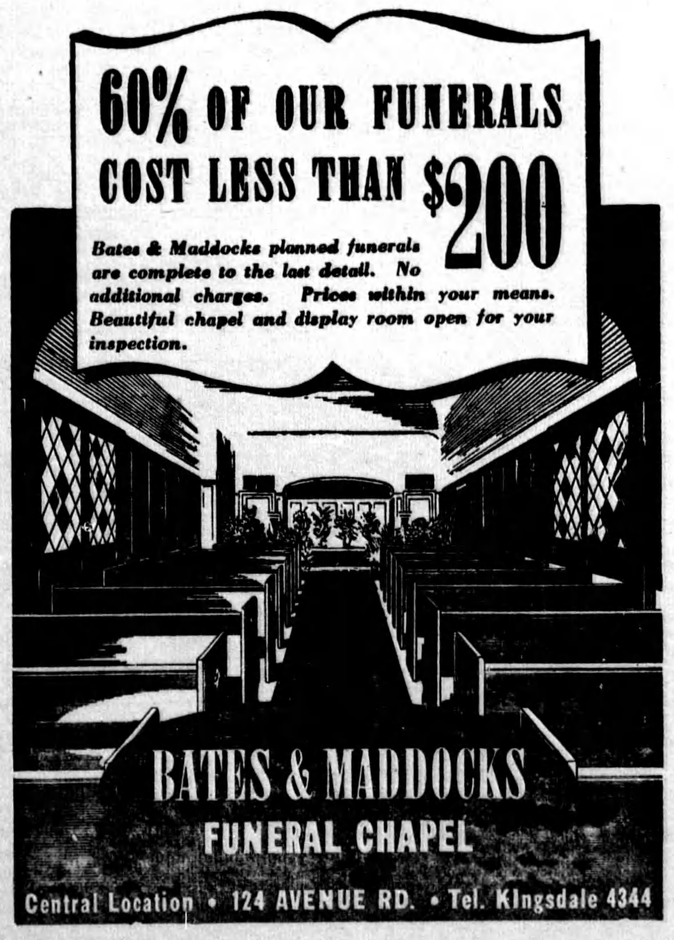
The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the wedding music played by Miss Lucille Acheson, cousin of the bride. The bride was given away by her father and wore a street-length gown of aviation blue velvet with matching hat and veil, and wore a corsage of red roses, white bouvardia and pink baby 'mums. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Verna Allen, who was gowned in turquoise sheer wool with matching gloves and pillbox hat and shoulder veil of turquoise net. The Maid of Honor, Miss Ina Acheson, cousin of the bride, wore coral pink sheer wool, with matching gloves and pink pillbox hat with coral shoulder veil. Their corsages were pink roses and white button 'mums. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Ted Moore. The church was tastefully decorated with ferns and 'mums.

A reception was held at the bride's home for the immediate families. The bride's mother received in victory blue crepe with corsage of red roses and bronze baby 'mums. The groom's mother wore moss green crepe, with corsage of red roses and white baby 'mums. A buffet luncheon was served from the lace covered table, decorated with pink candles, and the beautiful four-storey wedding cake made and decorated by the bride's aurt, Mrs. Wilfred Gallagher.

The young couple are prominent members of Inistioge Church, the bride being a member of the choir, and always willing to give of her time and talent whenever requested for Inistioge or other such functions. The groom is the County Master of L.O.L. East Grey. In the absence of a guest book, which cannot be obtained for the duration of the war, the guests signed the book used by the bride's mother at her wedding.

The young couple left by motor for Toronto, Smithville and other oints. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm, one half mile west of Victoria Corners.

Which country, though old, is always new? Newfoundland.



DISTRICT PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AT FLESHERTON

A meeting of the Public School teachers of Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk and surrounding rural districts was held in the Park Hotel, Flesherton, on Thursday evening of last week, for the discussion of problems, and to become acquainted with the new-comers of the group. Mr. Messenger, the president, was in charge of the meeting, and Mr. Heslip was chosen secretary-treasurer. The speakers of the evening were Miss Stocks of Orange Valley, Mr. Ruttle of Dundalk and Inspector Pentland. The Dundalk teachers served lunch. Those present considered it a profitable and pleasant evening.

Officer In U.F.Y.P.O.

Mr. Clifford Allen of Springhill was elected Vice-President of the United Farm Young People of Ontario at the annual convention of the United Farmer groups held in Toronto last week. Clifford has been active in young people's work for several years and his appointment to the office is a recognition of his ability. Those who attended from this district were: Mel. Buchanan, Russell Phillips, Ruth Blackburn, Mable Blackburn, Mrs. Wm. Beaton, and Messrs. John McWilliam, Herb Betts and Howard Graham.

ENLISTED IN AIR FORCE

Messrs. Jim Thurston, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thurston, and Eldon Fisher, son of Mrs. Ed. Fisher, enlisted in the Air Force at Owen Sound last week in air crew. They are now awaiting their call for training, which is not expected for several months.

MacDONALD — DUSSAULT

A quiet but pretty wedding took place in the Presbyterian church on Dovercourt Road, Toronto, on Nov. 21st, at 3 p.m., when Theresa Dussault, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dussault of Windsor, was united in marriage to Raymond MacDonald, only son of D. A. MacDonald and the late Mrs. MacDonald of Priceville, Rev. Berlis officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacMillan of Toronto.

After the ceremony the young couple left for the groom's father's home at Priceville, where a wedding dinner was served to immediate friends. The table was decorated with pink and white streamers and white wedding bell, and centred with a beautiful two-storey wedding cake. After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald will reside at 578 St. Clarens Ave., Toronto.

(Markdale Standard please copy)

Proton Women's Institute

The monthly meeting of Proton Station W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. H. Corbett, with nine members and fourteen visitors present. The chair was occupied by Mrs. Wes Dever. Following the opening exercises and transaction of business, the meeting was turned over to the visitors, the Hopeville W. I., who entertained with a lively and varied program of readings, singing and a paper on nutrition and war work by Mrs. N. Campbell, which was quite instructive. The program was concluded by a contest, which included the different courses served at a banquet. Some of the ladies were not very well up on the different kinds of fishes, fruits, etc.

Following the program there was a complete surprise for Mrs. Chas. Moore, who intends leaving in the near future. A short address was read by Mrs. Park and Mrs. Moore was presented with an electric bed lamp. We hope that at least each morning and evening she will think of her W. I. friends. At the close the social hour was much enjoyed.

BORN

REID — At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Monday, Nov. 30th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid of Brampton, a daughter.

One way to make some people do their Christmas shopping early—drop a hint that Christmas gifts may be rationed.

Nominations Result In Acclamations

ARTEMESIA

Reeve J. A. Davis was returned by acclamation as head of the Council in the Township of Artemesia at the annual nomination meeting in the town hall, Flesherton, Friday afternoon. Mr. G. A. Cairns is the new member of the Council, taking the place of Councillor Robt. Purvis, who has been a member for several years. The other members are Frank Betts, Jas. A. McLoughry, Henry Tucker.

The candidates and their nominators are as follows:

J. A. Davis for Reeve by John Teeter and Wm. Gibson.

For Council:

F. Betts by Chas. Newell and Ranald Parsons.

G. A. Cairns by Wm. Gibson and L. Whitehead.

J. A. McLoughry by John Teeter and Chas. Newell.

H. Tucker by Wm. Gibson and John Teeter.

There were about twenty ratepayers of the township in attendance to hear the reports of the Councillors, which showed that the finances of the township were in very good condition. Considerable discussion arose regarding weed cutting and the opening of county roads for winter traffic. The concensus of opinion of those present was that the county roads should not be kept open. In the past the roads have been kept open through donations through snow clubs.

FLESHERTON

Reeve Alfred Down was elected by acclamation to the office of Reeve of the Village of Flesherton, which he has held for the past few years. His Council was also elected by acclamation, although Russell Park and J. A. Richards were nominated but withdrew. The Public School Trustees are Edwin Loucks, G. A. McTavish, both retiring this year, and Russell Park to complete the term of the late W. J. Bellamy. J. A. Richards was returned to the Flesherton Cemetery Board and Gordon Wauchope takes the place of F. J. Thurston, who retired after acting as commissioner since the Commission was formed in 1936.

The candidates and their nominators are as follows:

For Reeve:

A. Down by J. A. Richards and K. G. Betts.

For Councillors:

K. G. Betts by A. Down and F. H. W. Hickling.

R. J. Brackenbury by . H. W. Hickling and A. Down.

Bob. Phillips by F. H. W. Hickling and K. G. Betts.

A. E. Goessel by K. G. Betts and F. H. W. Hickling.

Russell Park by J. A. Richards and K. G. Betts.

J. A. Richards by K. G. Betts and F. H. W. Hickling.

School Trustees:

Edwin Loucks by A. Down and G. Wauchope.

G. A. McTavish by F. J. Thurston and A. Down.

Russell Park by G. Wauchope and F. J. Thurston.

Cemetery Board:

G. Wauchope by F. J. Thurston and F. H. W. Hickling.

J. A. Richards by A. Down and F. H. W. Hickling.

F. J. Thurston by F. H. W. Hickling and A. Down.

To show the extent of the interest of the ratepayers of the village to local affairs, we might state that four people, other than the candidates, had enough interest to attend the meeting. Reeve Down and his Councillors gave an account of their work during the past year, which shows the village to be in excellent financial standing.

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. L. McCracken were in Montreal last week attending the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Maurice Mather, who passed away very suddenly at her home in Rockburn, Que.

Turning the Axis out of Tunisia is the order of the day.

The absent-minded professor is certainly fortunate if he can forget some of the things going on nowadays.

"My wife has been nursing a grouch all the week." "Been laid up, have you?"

CAN SLAUGHTER STOCK FOR OWN USE, NOT FOR SALE

Farmers can slaughter livestock for their own personal use, but must have a permit if meat is to be sold.

This information was made public by W. Harold McPhillips, regional prices and supply representative, who said that interim permits to slaughter livestock or have livestock custom slaughtered for sale of meat will be granted farmers who make application to the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

When the permits have been sent to Ottawa by the local offices and the applications have been reviewed by the foods administration, permits for continued operation may be issued, replacing the interim certificate.

Mr. McPhillips said the order, designed to give more complete control of meat supplies throughout did not apply to beef rings, who slaughter cattle for the use of the members of the ring.

COLLECITION AT EUGENIA DANCE FOR CHRISTMAS CHEER BRITISH CHILDREN

(By Portlaw Reporter)

A dance was held in Eugenia on Friday evening, Nov. 20, in honor of Elmer Jamieson of the Canadian Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Jamieson of Toronto. A collection was taken during the evening and given over to the Fourth Line Red Cross Unit. Since then the ladies of the unit have held a meeting and decided the money should be sent to the Christmas Cheer for British Children Fund, listed as a collection taken at Eugenia dance.

PRESENTATION FOR MR. AND MRS. VICTOR YOUNG

(By Portlaw Reporter)

A presentation was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plantt in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Young, recent groom and bride, on Thursday evening of last week. During the evening the presentation of a number of enamel dishes, cookie jar, clothes hamper and end table were made by Fred Linton, Stanley Little and Wilfred Batchelor, the address being read by Mrs. Florence Lyons. Victor thanked everyone for the kindness shown Bernice and himself.

Won Sproule Cup

A degree competition was held by the Loyal Orange Lodge of East Grey recently, for the purpose of furthering the interest of degree work and hearing a splendid address from our Past Provincial Grand Master, Bro. L. H. Saunders, speaking on the conditions of the Order and empire of the present lay. The Sproule Memorial Cup was presented by the County Lodge of East Grey to the memory of Hon. Dr. T. S. Sproule, Past Grand Master of British North America and a member of Orange Valley Lodge. In 1926 and 1927 it was won by L.O.L. 509, Orange Valley; in 1928, Corbetton; in 1929, Flesherton; 1930, Dundalk; 1931, Maxwell, and in 1942 Orange Valley are again the proud winners, with a high standing, although unopposed. The team members were: W.M., G. W. Littlejohns; D.M., J. E. Bowles; Chaplain, Wesley Littlejohns; Rec. Sec., Dr. A. E. Little; Fin. Sec., Wilbert Wyville; Treas., Russell Hill; Marshall, Alex. Miller; 1st Lecturer, Harold Lever; 2nd Lecturer, Howard Graham; 1st Com., Ken Teeter; P.M., Wm. Kenney; Tyler, Wm. Stoddart; Candidate, Clarence Hamilton.

Bro. Saunders, after some fitting remarks, made the presentation to G. W. Littlejohns, W.M., encircled by his team mates. Wor. Bro. Littlejohns, in a few well chosen words, and on behalf of the team, thanked Rt. Wor. Bro. Saunders, the County officials and all present for the cup and the interest taken in the work.

We can all be thankful that some barbers don't illustrate their funny stories with cuts.

An old-timer is the one who didn't have any trouble in keeping a cook. He married a wife who could cook.

An explosion at the Wm. Knechtel & Son mill at Neustadt, apparently caused when the engine backfired, and soot in the exhaust tank started to burn, caused considerable excitement in that village.

Less Power Used On Local System

A couple of months ago orders were issued for the consumption of power in Ontario and electric signs were shut off and regulations governing the use of electricity were made. This was to save electric power, in order that more could be used for war industries, where a serious shortage was threatened. Flesherton has responded nobly in this direction. The size of the street lamps were cut in half, the lamps in store windows were abolished and the citizens were urged to restrict the use of power in the home. All this has resulted in the saving of seventeen horse power in the month of October, according to Mr. Howard Milligan, secretary of the local Commission, to that used in the same period in 1941 and also a reduction in that used in September of this year. That extra light burning in the home helps keep up the peak load, on which the total month's bill is paid, so keep all unnecessary light out and reduce the watt of the bulbs n use.

Springhill Red Cross

Springhill Red Cross unit held the annual meeting on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Elwood Stevens, when the former officers were re-elected: Pres., Mrs. Wm. Johnson; Treas., Mrs. Ward Harrison; Sec., Mrs. George Johnson. The report of the work done during the year and sent to the main branch of the Red Cross, included: 1 scarf, 5 turtle-neck sweaters, 14 Army socks, 6 pairs seamen's socks, 8 pairs ribbed seamen's socks, 9 pairs mitts, 4 v-neck sweaters, 8 tuck-ins, 10 aero caps, 7 pairs gloves, 21 quilts. Christmas boxes were sent to the three boys from the area who are overseas: Dave Graham, Everette Parker, Edgar Doupe.

MR. AND MRS. WM. CAIRNS HONORED BY PRESENTATION

(By Ceylon Reporter)

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cairns, recently married, in the Ceylon and Flesherton communities assembled at the Fraternal Hall, Flesherton, Tuesday night of last week and presented them with two occasional chairs, a satin comforter and a reversible blanket. The address was read by Mr. Geo. Armstrong and the presentation made by Mrs. C. Alexander, Miss Mary Whitehead, Eddie Genoe and Isaac Snell. Mr. Cairns made an appropriate reply of appreciation for the lovely gifts. The evening was spent in dancing. A host of good wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Cairns.

MILTON WALKER DIES

Many here will be sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Milton Walker in Toronto, whose funeral took place last week. Mr. Walker was the younger son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and spent his youth in Flesherton, enlisting from here with the 147th Battalion and serving overseas. He leaves a wife and two young children residing in Toronto. His last visit to Flesherton was at the time of the last Old Boys' Reunion. He was 46 years of age. Interment was made in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Toronto.

DIED

CHARD — At Cloverdale, B.C., on Monday, Nov. 23rd, 1942, Minnie Holman, wife of John Chard, formerly of Flesherton and Markdale. She was seventy-five years of age. Surviving are her husband, one daughter and two sons.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all those who called, and for treats and cards sent me, while in Markdale hospital during my recent illness.

Mrs. W. J. Chard

Probably when Mr. Churchill said "give us the tools and we'll finish the job," he had pincers in mind.

Hitler keeps insisting that he will not run away. Of course not Where would he go?