EUGENIA

The annual meeting of the church congregation was held Sunday evening after church. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted. Officers were elected for 1944, as follows: Stewards, N. Betts and E. Proctor (to retire 1947) J. Campbell and Earl Gordon (to retire in 1946), Wilfred Magee and R. Parson (to retire in 1945). The elders were re-elected. The Trustees: Mr. Cameron, Mr. Latimer, Mr. Gordon, Mr. F. Jamieson and Mr. G. Magee re-elected. Mrs. T. McKee, who has been church treasurer for 17 years, resigned from her position, which was accepted with great regret as she has filled her office in the most capable manner to the satisfaction of all, giving her services unselfishly in her Master's service. Mrs. J. Cairns was elected treasurer. The M. and M. committee: Mrs. J. Cairns, Mrs. C. Martin, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. F. Genoe and Mrs. W. Magee were re-elected. Mrs. W. Magee retained the office of M. & M. treasurer. Auditors for 1944: Mrs. R. McMillan and Mrs. F. Cairns. Mrs. F. Cairns was elected as congregational secretary for 1944. The reports for all church organizations were read, showing a balance on hand. The Sunday School treasurer's report showed a balance of over $14 after giving $12 to the M. & M. Fund, and paying all Sunday School expenses. Ushers appointed were: Norval Betts, Art Proctor, Elward Campbell, Jos. Hawkins, Don Cameron, Earl Gordon and Cecil Magee.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mrs. Dave Genoe, who is in the Markadel Hospital. [Mrs. Genoe passed away this Wednesday morning.—Editor's Note.]

Mrs. C. Martin received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. C. J. Nolan, of Toronto. Mr. Nolan had been ill with the 'flu and was progressing favorably, but passed away suddenly due to a heart attack. He leaves his wife and two children, Richard and Sharon, to mourn.

We are sorry to report Mr. Henry Falconer still under the doctor's care.

Mr. C. Boyce has been laid up for a few days with an attack of the cold.

Mrs. C. Martin was home a few days this week with a very sore eye.

The McIntosh family have been laid up with the 'flu. Some of the children were real ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jamieson and Wesley and Mrs. R. McMillan visited relatives in Kimberley on Sunday.

PRICEVILLE

The congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will be held Monday p.m., Jan. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims entertained the Y.P.S. at their home last week, when a very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. Donald Nichol is assisting his brother-in-law, Mr. J. A. McCuaig, of Durham, who is ill.

Mrs. Jim Sturrock has been in bed the past week with sore eyes.

Mrs. T. Nichol is visiting at the home of her son, John.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKechnie, Mrs. Dave Nichol and Margaret, nd Betty Hincks were dinner guests Sunday evening with Mrs. John Cook and family, Flesherton.

Mr. David Hincks, near Dromore, visited his son, Andrew, on Monday.

Mr. Jack McLean had the misfortune to fall and receive a couple of broken ribs.

Mrs. Rumball and Janet have gone to Toronto for the winter.

Mr. Lloyd Long of Holstein spent last week with Neilburt McKenzie.

Ross McConkey, who is with the Navy in Eastern Canada, is home on twenty-eight days leave.

High Lights in 1943 News

January

4 — Geo. Snell died in his 72nd year.

7 — Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Eugenia died in her 78th year.

11 — John Dever of Proton Station died in his 79th year.

18 — Worst blizzard of the year tied up traffic on highway and railroad. More snow has fallen than any year since 1904.

21 — John English, Nottawa, died in his 75th year.

26 — R. J. Boyd bought out the interests of Alf. Down in the corner garage. Mr. Down had been in business here for 24 years.

February

1 — Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Taylor celebrate 55th wedding aniversary.

9 — Ontario Legislature convened for 1943 session.

9 — Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Knox of Swinton Park married 57 years.

10 — Osprey Red Cross reports $820.22 raised in 1942. Mr. M. J. Gould was elected president.

13 — Robert Down, Markdale, killed in fall from hydro pole north of Holland Centre.

17 — Ice harvest is failure and no one is storing any.

March

2 — Mrs. (Rev.) Robt. Dingwall died at her home at Thornloe.

3 — Miss Fanny Hemphill died at age of 79 years.

5 — Donald McLeod died in his 82nd year.

10 — Miss Ruby Dunbar takes over manager duties of local Bell office.

12 — O. W. Phillips building was threatened by fire caused from chicken brooder.

12 — Thos. Gilliland, Eugenia, dies in 81st year.

14 — Miss Alice Armstrong ordained at Toronto into the United Church of Canada.

17 — Mrs. Wm. Hanley died in Artemesia in her 80th year.

18 — Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart are 40 years married.

23 — Flesherton Bantams won Central Ontario hockey championship by defeating Durham.

24 — J. A. Richards takes over interests of E. J. Bennett in furniture and undertaking firm of Bennett & Richards.

31 — Artemesia and Flesherton raised $1462 in Red Cross dirve.

April

4 — Donald Campbell of Osprey died at age of 89 years.

6 — Wm. Kaitting appointed utility man in village.

14 — Mrs. Wm. Jamieson of Osprey died in her 66th year.

17 — Fire threatened home of Harold Fawcett, but only small amount of damage caused.

21 — Rev. Alice Armstrong won a $600 travelling scholarship at Queen's University.

26 — E. J. Bennett died in Hamilton hospital.

27 — W. J. Mathewson, Ceylon, died in his 86th year.

28 — High banks of snow in village have disappeared.

May

1 — Flesherton in second place in 4th Victory Loan.

3 — Jim Thurston won main Slater trout fishing prize.

5 — Harold Best caught 109 muskrats this season.

14 — M. S. McLeod elected W. M. of Prince Arthur Lodge No. 333, A.F.&A.M.

14 — Allan McLean Feversham, died in Collingwood Hospital in his 57th year.

24 — James Best, Victoria Corners, died in his 91st year.

26 — Rev. K. G. McMillan accepts call to Parkdale United Church in Toronto.

29 — Silas McAuslan, Union, died, he was a local preacher.

June

1 — The Advance enters 63rd year of publication.

9 — Mrs. F. G. Karstedt suffered a stroke.

16 — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker, Maxwell, 50 years married.

20 — St. John's United Church observes 66th birthday anniversary.

20 — Flesherton-Toronto Old Boys and Girls Association hold picnic in High Park, Toronto.

25 — Mrs. Robt. Ferris died of injuries when she jumped from moving car at Feversham.

26 — Acheson reunion held at the Dundalk park.

27 — Rev. Dr. G. L. Mercer preached farewell sermon on Maxwell circuit; goes to Thedford.

28 — Presentation made to Rev. G. K. McMillan by church organizations.

30 — Miss Irene Martin engaged as principal of Flesherton public school.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday the Sunday School and Bible Class will meet in the basement at 10.15 sharp. We are hoping for a considerable increase in attendance this week, Come, and bring a friend.

The usual church service will be held at 11 a.m. Should the day be cold or stormy, the service will be held in the basement.

On Tuesday, Jan. 18th, '.15 p.m., a social evening for the young people will be held in the basement, when the evening will be spent in games and fun, and lunch will be served. All young people are invited. Come — and if convenient, bring some lunch with you.

The annual congregational supper and business meeting will be held in the church on Friday, Jan. 21st. Supper at 6.30 p.m. Come and enjoy the pot-luck supper, good fellowship and help, by your presence, the business meeting following.

WANTS OLD SCHOOL READER

In renewing for his paper for another year, Dr. J. E. Strain, of North Bonneville, Wash., expresses the following desire:

I wish I could locate an old school book Third Reader. It was in use when your father attended school. I have quite a hobby in collecting old school books. I have a second reader, which has printed on the cover "Gage & Co's. Educational Series." The Educational Board made a change in the school readers. I would be willing to pay five odllars if I could locate an old Third Reader, so if you hear of any person who has one of that period please let me know.

MOUNTED POLICE CHECK UP FOR DRAFT EVADERS

R.C.M.P made a nation wide check up of men throughout Canada recently in connection with mobilization regulations, in poolrooms, beer parlors, and similar places. The Labor Department now reveals that 39,973 men were questioned, 2,701 detained temporarily Of this number 344 were charged in court with attempting to evade military call-up; 164 with failure to notify change of address, etc., while 105 deserters were nabbed; 662 found without gainful occupation were referred to Selective Service officers.

TRIPLET CALVES

On the farm of Mr. Herbert Orr of West Luther is an aged Durham cow, 18 years of age to be exact, that in the closing week of 1943 estabilshed something of a record for her township hwen she gave birth to three fine calves, two females and a male. Unfortunately only two of the triplets are still living. Dr. Wm. Carroll, whose professional services were required, is of the opinion that while triplet calves are occasionally reported, such a birth by an 18-year-old bovine is very remarkable. — Arthur Enterprise-News.

The women's underwear situation should be eased somewhat by the release of several thousand yards of nylon cloth which has been rejected for parachutes. In other words, somebody's bloomer means more bloomers for the fair sex.

KING COAL

We wanted to discuss a burning matter with the geologist of the Royal Ontario Museum the other day and as we passed down the orderly gallery to his office, the nice, big shiny, black specimens of coal in the clean cases appeared very attractive. We got our information all right, and here it is:

With the destruction of the forests, Canadians have become more dependent on coal, now the main fuel for both domestic and indusrial heating. Wood, because of its water content, has about one-half the heat value of high-grade coal. A cord of maple weighs about two tons and has less than half the heat value of one ton of coal. Bulk, and freight charges, make wood an expensive fuel except near its source. Petroleum possesses from one and one-half to two times the heat value of the same weight of coal and some of the distillates sold as fuel oil have even higher heat value. Natural gas has much higher heat value than coal gas and where available is one of the cleanest and best fuels known. Electricity has proved too expensive for general heating. Peat has long been used in Ireland and some other countries and, dried and compressed, it makes a bright fire with plenty of air such as in open grates, but otherwise, it is very smoky. It burns away too rapidly for use in a cold climate. There is plenty of peat in Canada but when taken from the bog it contains 8o to 90 per cent water and it must be dried by the sun or artificially,—slow and expensive operations.

With this essay in our pocket we left the office of the accommodating expert. As we returned down the gallery, the coal in the cases appeared even more attractive than when we went in.

WARDEN-ELECTING STYLE ADOPTED BY WELLINGTON

A new method of electing the Warden of Wellington County Council was adopted by the Council at its recent session in a general revision of standing rules and regulations governing the council. Principal changes are that nominations of all council members being proposed for the wardenship must be made before any balloting takes place; that all nominations must be made within 15 minutes after the council is formed; and that names will be voted in the order in which they are proposed. The first man to receive a clear majority of all members of the council will be declared elected as warden. Declaring that the former method was "nonsensical," Warden Angus Smith said that some countries chose a warden in five minutes, while Wellington councillors sometimes took all afternoon. He deplored the "Jockeying around" which has taken place under the old rules.

After the war you may be able to fly across the Atlantic as safely as can cross the str t.

Bow and arrow tribesmen of the Assam border have been comrades of the British "Tommy" and the Indian soldier in the fighting in Burma during the long monsoon months. At one hundred yards' range the feathered shafts of these Naga hill dwellers can kill as effectively as a bullet, and without a sound.

Horticultural Society

Organization Meeting

will be held in the

TOWN HALL

with T. Stewart Cooper as Chairman

Monday, January 17th

at 8 o'clock p.m.

All Citizens of

FLESHERTON and ARTEMESIA

who are interested

PLEASE ATTEND

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