VICTORIA CORNERS

The Inistioge W. A. held their meeting at the home of Mrs. John Duncan Thursday afternoon and was largely attended. Plans were made for a St. Patrick's social to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Ferris.

Our most sincere and deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCutcheon and family, Wareham, in the sudden passing of their eldest daughter and sister, Freda, in Toronto on Thursday evening.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Fred Broster, Corbetton, the former Maude Stevens, daughter of Mrs. Albert Stevens and the late Mr. Stevens of Flesherton district, formerly of Victoria Corners.

Latest reports of the condition of Mr. Wm. Moore, reveal gradual improvement.

Birthday gatherings were highlights of the week end. Our heartiest birthday congratulations are extended to Master Donnie Stinson, elder little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A Stinson, and Mr. Jas. Linton. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stinson entertained on Saturday evening in honor of Donnie's fourth birthday, his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stinson and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Henderson, also other members of the Henderson family.

Mr. Jas. Linton celebrated his 80th birthday on Sunday and, with Mrs. Linton, enjoyed birthday supper at the home of their eldest son, Mr. Russell Linton, and family. May both Donnie and Mr. Linton be the honored guests on many more birthday occasions.

On Wednesday evening of last week a few of the neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McAuley, on the F. T. Hill farm. A social evening was spent and little remembrances were given Mr. and Mrs. McAuley and Dougald, ere their departure to the Russell Patterson farm, Maple Grove district. Mr. McCauley was given carpenter tools, Mrs. McAuley, pyrexware, and Dougald, a flashlight, along with best wishes of their Victoria Corners friends and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Acheson visited one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Inkster, Wareham.

FEVERSHAM

Sympathy is extended to Mr. John Smith and other members of the family, whose mother, Mrs. Alex. Smith, passed away on Wednesday, March 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heitman and daughter, Norma, of Collingwood were callers in our village Sunday.

Mr. Howard McKee returned to Hamilton, after spending a week at his home here.

Mrs. Bert Davidson, who has been visiting for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson and other friends, returned with Mr. McKee.

Messrs. Jim and Bill McKee are spending a few days in Toronto. Jim intends sailing for the summer on the "Wahconda" and will leave Toronto on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bell of Flesherton were visitor on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Alexander quietly celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary on Monday, March 13th. On Tuesday, March 14th, Mr. Alexander celebrated his 87th birthday and is enjoying good health.

NEW MOTHER HUBBARD

She went to the butcher's
For spareribs and suet,
But found that some others
Had beaten her tuet.
She said she would settle
For sausage or liver,
The butcher insisted
He had none to giver.
She pleaded for pork chops . . .
For meatballs . . . for muttor.
The butcher said "Lady,
I just ain't got mutton!"

SKATING

Flesherton Arena

Every
WEDNESDAY
and
SATURDAY
NIGHT

from 8 to 10 p.m.

Admission: 15c and 10c

ROCK MILLS

March keeps very cold with a lot of east winds, which are disagreeable.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Russell and babe of Toronto spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell and Mr. Thos. Bemrose.

Messrs. E. Croft and E. Partridge left Tuesday morning to work in a bush at Chatsworth for the Durham Furniture Co. Mr. Dobson sent his team up to do the skidding of logs.

Farmers are commencing to get everything ready for syrup-making, as soon as the weather is suitable.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Teeter and son of Vandeleur were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell.

Pte. Clifford McMaster of Camp Borden spent leave with his wife and family over the week end.

Mr. W. J. Chard has sold his farm to his son, Clarence, and he and Mrs. Chard will move to Flesherton as soon as they can purchase a house there.

EUGENIA

We are pleased to report little Miss Gwen Park recovering from a severely sprained ankle.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Garnet Magee on the sick list.

Pte. Delbert Magee of Toronto spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Magee.

Mrs. Jas. Fawcett acompanied her daughter, Mrs. McGregor, who has been vistiing her, to Galt for a visit.

Miss Margie Park of Flesherton spent a few days with Mrs. Mae Park and Gwen.

Congratulations to Miss Margaret McMillan and Miss Dorothy Falconer, nurses-in-training at the Owen Sound hospital, who have received their caps.

STEPHEN'S CORNERS

Born— At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Friday, March 10, to Mr. and Mrs. John Lougheed, a son, Clifford McCullough (Mac.) Congratulations.

Mrs. Jack Stephen visited a day with her aunt, Mrs. McEachnie, at Flesherton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Porteous visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams, 8th Line.

Miss Laura Allison is assisting in household duties at the home of Mr. Angus Morrison, Maxwell. We are pleased to report Mrs. Morrison improving from her recent illness.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the mother, father, sisters and brothers of the late Miss Freda Mccutcheon, whose sudden passing came as a great shock to residents of this district.

At the meeting of the War Workers at the home of Mrs. T. Allison last Wednesday, it was decided to send chocolates to the local boys in the Forces for Easter. Letters of thanks were received from Bill Kerton, Mack Stephen and Charlie Winters. A donation of $15.00 was sent to the Red Cross Fund. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Stephen on March 22nd.

8TH LINE OSPREY

Miss Evelyn Hale of Badjeros and Miss Helen Somers spent the week end at their parental homes.

Mr. anl Mrs. Herb Hawkins of Feversham and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Porteous, 4th Line, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams.

Miss Erva Magee of Eugenia and Pte. Delbert Magee of Toronto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Magee.

The Farm Forum was held at the home of Mr. Geo. Lawlor last Monday evening. This Monday it is being held at the home of Mr. Jas. Ottewell.

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family of the late Mrs. Alex. Smith.

GOOD NEIGHBORLINESS

There are a lot of good neighbors in West Luther, as there are in every municipality in Ontario. When the veterinary conducting the tuberculosis test among the cattle of Wellington County, under the Health of Animals Branch, tested the herd of Mr. Harold Langdon, every one of is 18 cattle went down. That was naturally a bit embarrassing for a young farmer. His neighbors thought so, at any rate, and very informally they presented him with a purse of more than $70. That was certainly a fine gesture.—Arthur Enterprise.

Former Flickers child star plans to become flier. Shooting star.

KIMBERLEY

The W. A. met at the parsonage on Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was in charge of the vice-president, Miss Mary Stafford. The roll call was answered with a Bible verse in which was the word "Glad." A reading from the Observer was given by Mrs. T. Ferguson and the book "David" by Agnes Scott Kent, was finished by Mrs. S. S. Burritt. A quilt was also completed.

Mr. Basil McConnell of Flesherton and Mr. Allen Ferguson visited on Sunday in the village.

The Y.P. met in the United Church Tuesday night, when Mr. Leonard Warr, a missionary from Brazil, gave an excellent talk and picture of the work among the Indians there. Owing to icy road the crowd was not large, but all who attended felt an urge to help more the cause of missions. Mr. Warr was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Keys of Flesherton. Flesherton United Church kindly loaned their lantern.

CEYLON

Miss Elma Hamilton, Flesherton, was a recent visitor with Miss Mary Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tucker and family attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Findlay McCuaig of Mulock, Bentinck Twp.

Mrs. Howard Connell of Holland Centre spent a week recently with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Cairns.

Miss Agnes Macphail, M.L.A., was a caller with friends in the village last Saturday.

Miss Hazel Capeland of Toronto spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Sinclair.

Misses Janet and Ruby Campbell, Toronto, were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John McWilliam.

Mr. Melville Hunt, Preston, was a week end visitor at his parental home.

Mrs. Wm. Cairns and baby daughter, Colleen Catherine, returned recently from Markdale Hospital to their home.

Mrs. A. Stewart returned from Harriston last Tuesday, after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Brooks. We are glad to know that Mrs. Brooks is improving in health.

Miss Catherine Stewart, Reg.N., of Owen Sound is visiting this week at the parental home and also with her sister, Mrs. M. Hogarth.

Miss Mary Jane McTavish and Margot Ann Goessel of Flesherton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Stewart.

Miss Lottie Whittaker, Toronto, spent the week end with Ceylon and Priceville friends.

Mrs. Douglas Reid and son, Bobbie, have returned to their home after a pleasant two and a half months' visit with friends at Vegreville, Alta., and Vancouver, B.C.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Jos. Oliver is under the doctors care and at present is confined to bed. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Several of the Ceylon folk attended the euchre in Flesherton town hall last Thursday evening. Mrs. J. Kennedy of Ceylon held the high score for the ladies.

Week end visitors with Mrs. J. Knox were: Mrs. A. Sinclair of Dundalk, Missess Catherine Gillespie and Lorraine Love of Dundalk, Miss Mabel Haw of Toronto and Mr. J. D. Wiltshire of Bethel.

Pte. Leslie McMaster, who is in training at Camp Borden, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. B. McMaster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meads visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Whyte, Proton Station.

Mr. Geo. Fisher returned the first of the week, after a week's visit with his daughter, Mrs. Victor Hall, of Sudbury.

Mr. L. Kaitting of Dundalk has taken a position with I.B. Whittaker.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Whittaker are glad to know that she is progressing favorably after her accident last fall when she suffered a broken hip bone.

A pleasant evening was spent last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady Irwin, the evening being spent in dancing.

TRACTORS ON HIGHWAYS

Farmers using tractors on the highways must apply to the Registrar Motor Vehicles Branch, Parliament Bldgs., for a permit. This permit is given free. On the application must be stated the reasons for such use and the district in which it will be used. All gasoline tax must be paid on gas used to propel tractor on highways. Several inquiries have been received and this is the advice given by the Department.

PORTLAW

Miss Isabel Hill of Wareham visited her cousins, Marjorie and Elda Pedlar, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boyce spent a week with their son, Russell, and Mrs. Boyce, near Markdale.

Mrs. A. Slater and litle son, Wayne, have returned home, after a few days visiting in Toronto. We are sorry to report little Wayne sick since his return home.

We are glad to report Mrs. S. Simmons able to be up awhile each day after an attack of 'flu.

Mr. Albert Blackburn has been sick this week, but is now improving. Chester Shier is assisting with the farm work.

Mrs. Roy Lyons is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fisher, in Flesherton.

Pte. Arthur Betts of Toronto was a recent visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Betts.

The Fourth Line Red Cross goup met at the home of Mrs. Harry Fisher on Thursday, with eleven members present. This being the annual meeting election of officers took place. Mrs. Harry Fisher was elected president, Mrs. Laurie Pedlar re-elected treasurer, Mrs. Lewis Fisher secretary and Mrs. Leslie Chard convener of the knitting committee. The reports given showed a very successful year. Letters of thanks for cigarettes received were read from Sergt. Bob Banks, Pte. Murray Williams and Sergt. Mack. Stephen. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Leslie Chard on March 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Londry and daughter of the Valley spent Wednesday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and Donald visited on Sunday with the former's brother, Fred, here.

Mr. J. J. Little of Delhi is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fisher.

Mrs. E. Graham spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Neil McDonald, Eugenia.

VANDELEUR

The Farm Forum met on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Fawcett, with Mrs. W. G. Bowles presiding over the program, and a good discussion took place. Mrs. Hutchinson had charge of the social part of the program, which was as follows: readings by Mrs. Angus Bowles and May Graham, and a reading and a contest by Mrs. Hutchinson, followed by crokinole, checkers, etc. Lunch was served by the hostess with ice cream and maple syrup. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Graham, with Andy Fawcett and Marion Summers in charge.

Mrs. Ethel Hutchinson entertained a number of ladies on Monday afternoon to a Red Cross quilting, under the auspices of the W. I.

Mr. Roy McMullen has moved to the farm which he has rented from Mr. Harbottle, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill and family have moved from Orange Valley to the farm vacated by Mr. McMullen.

Miss Bobby Simpson had a delightful birthday party one day recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Johnston. About twenty young guests were present.

Mr. F. R. Boland is on his annual rounds assessing the Township.

Miss Dawn spent the week end at her parental home near Heathcote.

ROCK MILLS LADIES' AID

Rock Mills Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Alex. English on Tuesday, March 21st. There will be a quilting; each member will bring an item for lunch. A full attendance is requested.

Paratroops must sprout fins for combined operations, says writer. Paraffins?

Wanting Chicks?

50 WHITE LEGHORN PULLETS, 3 weeks old
50 BARRED ROCK PULLETS, 2 weeks old
150 NEW HAMPSHIRE — 150 ROCK AND HAMPSHIRE MIXED, 2 weeks old
200 BARRED ROCK, mixed, 1 week old
$16.95 per 100.

DAY-OLD AVAILABLE NOW
600 SUSSEX & HAMPSHIRE mixed
325 NEW HAMPSHIRE, mixed
300 WHITE ROCK, mixed
800 WHITE ROCK, Cockerels
Also a few thousand available during March and April

WE SUGGEST THAT IF YOU ARE WANTING CHICKS TO PHONE US NOW, WITHOUT DELAY

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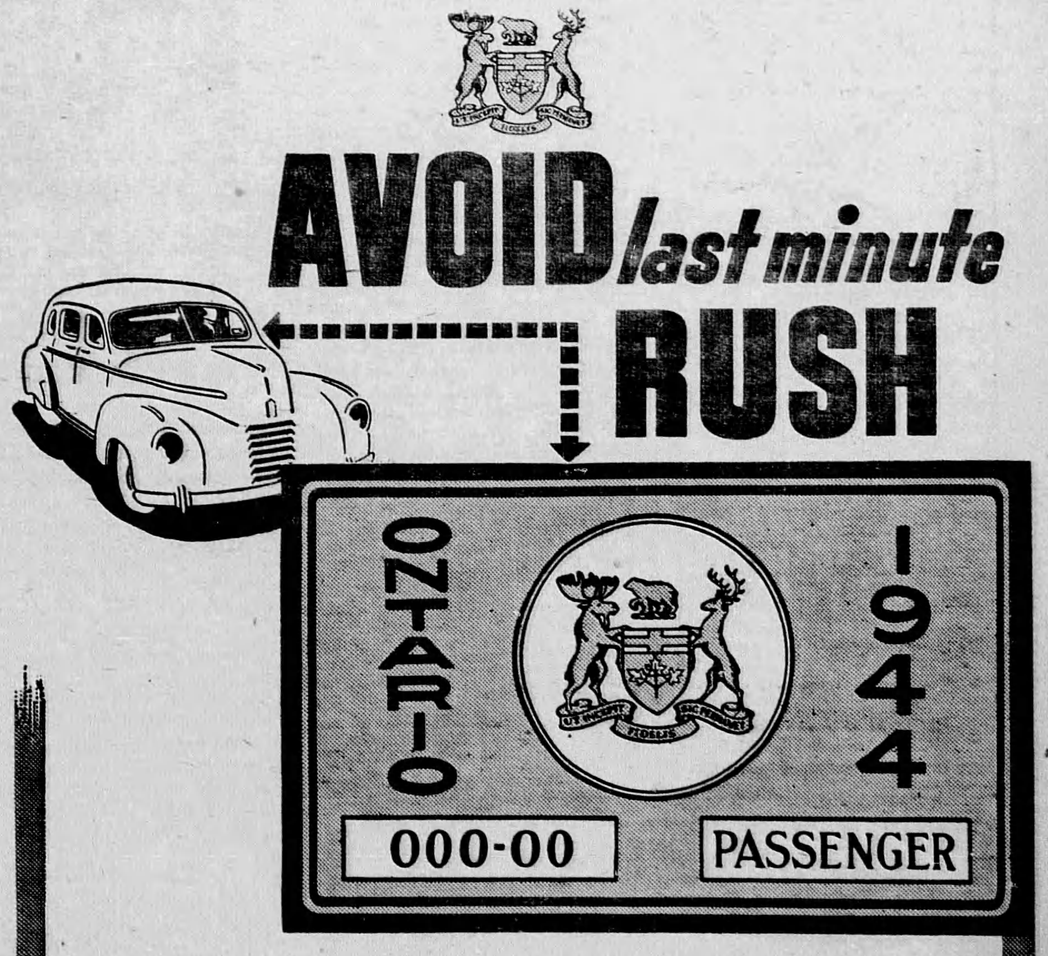

GET YOUR 1944 MOTOR VEHICLE PERMIT

NOW!

1944 motor vehicle permits are now on sale.

NOW is the time to purchase yours. You may recall the long line-ups of other years. Do not wait until the last minute to get your 1944 permit.

Do not mutilate or destroy your 1943 plate. Wartime restrictions require that it be used another year.

Your motor vehicle permit fee remains the same. A windshield stamp will be issued with your 1944 motor vehicle permit, validating the use of your 1943 plate.

The application for 1944 is provided on the back of the 1943 permit. This is the *only* form that may be used.

Renew your driver's license at the same time.

DO YOU KNOW—

There are over 36,000 persons in Ontario whose licenses to drive are under suspension because of their inability to secure insurance or file other proof of financial responsibility? They were convicted of offences against the motor vehicle laws following accidents.

It is better to drive safely and avoid accidents than to find yourself unable to drive at all.

GEO. H. DOUCETT,
Minister of Highways