THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON EDUCATION

which has been appointed to enquire into and report upon the system of education in Ontario will hold its first sessions in the Senate Chamber of the University of Toronto at 10 a.m. and at 2 p.m. on April 11, and on April 12, 1945, under the Chairmanship of the Hon. Mr. Justice J. A. Hope.

Such briefs as are submitted on or before April 10, 1945, will be given preliminary consideration at the first sessions. Briefs submitted after April 10, 1945, will be considered at subsequent sessions of the Commission.

The sessions are open to the public.

All organizations interested in any of the problems related to public education are invited to submit briefs to

R. W. B. Jackson, Secretary,
Royal Commission on Education,
Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

PROTON STATION

(Intended for Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Dever visited with friends in Owen Sound on Good Friday.

Pte. Ken Bates and Pte. Jack Haw Camp Borden, spent the holiday at their respective homes here.

Russell Winters is spending a few holidays wth Leroy while in Owen Sound.

Mr. Wm. Winters, Hamilton, spent Friday and Saturday at the home of Neil Winters.

Mrs. John Carson and son, Wes Marshal, is spending a few days with relatives in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLean and Allister is spendnig te holiday at R. G. Acheson's.

Moving is the order of the day, Rus Irwin is moving to the farm recently purchased from Ern Stinson, Wm. Sackett moved from the Irwin farm to Lou Kennels farm on 14th of Proton and R. G. Acheson is moving into the house vacated by Rus Irwin.

Mrs. John McNalty, who has spent the winter months with her son, Roy and daugther, Mrs. Neil Campbell, Swinton Park, has returned to her home here.

Miss Patsy Dingwall, Guelph, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dingwall.

Visitors at the Baker home for the holiday were, Mrs. Harold Snow, Miss Eileen Baker, Toronto.

Visitors at the home of Chas. Lyons, during the Easter holidays were, Misses Gertie and Ruby Lyons, Pte. Lloyd Lyons and Joan Kirkwood, Toronto.

Holiday visitors at the Sim's home were, Mrs. Hugh Sims, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sims and children, Bert, Henrietta and Jacqueline Sims, Brampton; Pte. Ren and Mrs. Sims, Hamilton.

Misses Marion and Zella Lyons, and Miss Hall, Toronto, visited over the week end at Ernie Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hemphill and Mona Slinger, Toronto, spent the holiday at the home of Rus Acheson. Mrs. Hemphill and Mona are remaining for a few days.

Good Friday visitors at the home of Jack Neilson were, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Neilson, Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hopkins and children; Ruth Coe, Weston; Mrs. Delbert Hopkins, Toronto.

Miss Annie Lockhart, Toronto, Mrs. Harold Badgerow, Eugenia, and Miss Munard, Owen Sound, spent Easter at the home of Mr. Jack Lockhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Clark, Dromore, spent Sunday at the home of Doug Clark.

Mrs. Pauline Gougowan and son, Richard, Toronto, spent Friday at the home of Robert Balis. Little Richard is remaining for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hodgins, Owen Sound, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in the village.

Mrs. Hugh Anderson, Owen Sound, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Hodgins.

Mrs. Clark Wyvill, Toronto, spent Friday with relatives here. Ralph Lyons returned with her on Saturday for a holiday in the city.

Mrs. Ernie Lyons is spending a few days in Toronto this week.

Miss Margaret Mills, who has been attending her mother this past week has returned to Toronto.

Mrs. Lena Dyson accompanied by Mr. Braughman, Barrie; spent Sunday at the home of Jos. Park.

SUCCESS AT SEED FAIR

Mr. A. S. Muir of Ceylon took four samples or grain and potatoes to the Grey County Seed Fair held at Owen Sound and secured four prizes: 1st O.A.C. barley, 3rd on No-Barb barley and two first prizes on potatoes.

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THE ASTONISHER

(Official paper of the Pupils of Flesherton High School)
EMMA MEADS, Editor

GRADE IX

All of First Form has been wondering which one it is Mr. Avis: High School or Public School.

Bob and Don don't like to stay in after school but it seems very obvious why they don't.

Our little red head seems to like dropping her books when second form is around or is it because Bruce is always around to pick them up.

If it weren't for Atkinson in our form, it would be very dull because he gives us a good laugh in every class.

LOST — All knowledge of Algebra please return to McMullen.

Some of the boys have gone in for trapping this year. I wonder why.

GRADE X

Barbara informed us that her name to us is "Miss Marshall".

Jim, we advise you not to upset the bicycle when you have Marie on too.

Let's hope that the Easter bunny brings Jim some refills. First thing he knows he will be in debt.

We're the best History class Miss Beatty has. Aren't we?

Betty is all decked out in her spring attire.

Miss Stewart should be a Geography teacher. She asks wonderful questions.

Barbara always heads the class. I wonder why? She studies, and how. Does she get help from the blondie?

GRADE XI

In the spring a young man's fancy turns to love.

Eleanor is sure taken up with Fourth Form's Frank Swoonatra. Motoring is good, eh, Eleanor, but he'd better save his gas for a later date.

Shyness is a bit of a handy cap. If you don't believe us, just ask Ted. He knows all about it.

Our brain user is back at school again. All kidding aside, we are really glad to see him.

Mabel passed the test for driving, but she sure got nervous when Markdale showed up and stalled the car in the middle of Kaitting's hill. Got to do better than that Mabel.

GRADE XII

Sonatra has a new girl friend now because he looks over at 3rd Form a lot.

If Ted Banks doesn't stop kicking Evelyn McTavish in the leg she is going to fall over and break her neck.

Margaret Smith has a new flame now. I think it is "Ward".

Doug Falconer is wondering who that red head is in First Form.

The blonde bomber has lost her infantry, Bill Turvey.

Kansas Farmer came to school Thursday.

Jean Cox memorizes everything in French and Latin. Where is the cold storage.

Robt. Wallace Passes

Robt. Wallace, 76 Eastwood Ave., Toronto, died at his home from a heart condition on Aprl 6th. The funeral was held Monday, April 9th, on the arrival of his son who is in the Navy. Interment was made in St. John's Cemetery, Norwav, the service being held from Sherrin Undertakers, Kingston Road.

The late Mr. Wallace was born at Mt. Zion in November, 1885, son of the late J. Wallace. He married Ethel Fenwick, daughter of John Fenwick and the late Mrs. Fenwick of Chesley, who survives, together with six sons and two daughters: Alma (Mrs. C. Dunnett) Hamilton; Beverley and Harold, RCNVR, Murray in India; and Ross, Bobbie, Janet and Billy, at home. Murray was the only one not able to attend. He also leaves two brothers and one sister: John of London and Roy and Hattie of Toronto. Those who predeceased him were Hannah and Jennie.

The late Mr. Wallace was active in the Flesherton Old Boys' and Girls' Association and was a member of Birchcliffe First United Church, of which he had been janitor for the past two years. He had not enjoyed good health for the past ten years.

AUCTION SALE

Credit Auction Sale of Stock, implements, etc., at Reddickville on Thursday, April 19. Wm. Hawkins, Prop.—Geo. E. Duncan and Charlie Foster, Auctioneers.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of Thomas Robert Betts of the Township of Artemesia, deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Thomas Robert Betts, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, deceased, who died on or about the 15th day of February, 1945, are hereby notified to send in to W. E. Harris, Solicitor for the Executors of the estate of the said deceased, on or before the 14th day of April, 1945, full particulars of their claims. Immediately after the said date the Executors of this estate will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, to the exclusion of all others, and they will not be liable to any person whose claim they shall not then have notice of for the assets so distributed or any part thereof.

Dated at Markdale this 2nd day of March, 1945.

— W. E. Harris, Markdale, Ontario, Solicitor for the Executors.

Local and Personal

Pte. Florence Welton, C.W.A.C., of Simcoe spent the week end at her home in town.

Mrs. J. W. Rowe of Baysville, Muskoka, spent the past week visiting with Mrs. O. J. Rowe and Keith.

Miss Jean McTavish of Toronto spent several days last week with her parents.

George Pattison spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. Jack Oldfield, Corbetton.

Mrs. Geo. Stewart of Brampton was a visitor with friends in town the first of the week.

Cpl. Ivan Henderson of Simcoe spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. R. H. Henderson.

Maxine and Douglas Teeter of Markdale spent the Easter holiday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Teeter.

Mrs. Vernon Snyder of Waterloo arrived on Sunday to care for her father, Mr. Wm. Caswell, who is ill at his home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis of Baysville accompanied from Toronto by Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Rowe, spent Sunday with Mrs. O. J. Rowe and Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oldfield and little daughter, also Eileen Pattison were visitors with Mr. John Pattison were visitors with Mr. Pattison, Springhill, Easter Sunday.

The nominating convention of the Progressive-Conservative party for South Grey will be held in Flesherton Town Hall on Monday, April 16th, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the coming Provincial election.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright and family of Whitby; Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Teeter and Donna of Toronto spent the Easter holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Teeter and family. Terry returned home after spending a month with his grandparents.

Miss Annie Lawrence of Dinsmore, Sask., spent an afternoon last week with Mrs. A. E. Bell. Mrs. Bell is confined to her bed again this week and Nurse Smith of Feversham has been in attendance.

The Easter Thankoffering of the W.M.S. of St. John's United Church, Flesherton, will be held in the church basement on Wed., April 18, at 3 p.m. A fine program is being prepared and a cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of the community.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all owners or harborers of dogs, that on and after April 15th all dogs and bitches must not be allowed at large in the Village of Flesherton until after October 15, 1945. This notice is in accordance with the village By-Law which incorporates penalty up to $5.00 exclusive of costs, recoverable under the provisions of "The Summary Conviction Act".

— C. J. Bellamy, Clerk.

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— Geo. E. Duncan, Auctioneer.

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FOR SALE — 7 Young pigs. — John Gowanlock, R. R. 3 Proton Sta.

FOR SALE — Velvet Barley grown from reg. seed; price $1.10 per bu.—Johston Bros., Vandeleur.

LOST — Leather purse containing a large sum of money. Please notify Elgin Graham, Eugenia. Reward

FOR SALE — Spring wheat, good for seed. —Ben McKenzie, Ceylon, phone 22 r 5. 43c2

FOR SALE — Quantity of small seed peas.—Jim Murphy, Eugenia phone Feversham 9r31. 43c2

FOR SALE—Mammoth Clover seed. —John W. McKee, Maxwell, phone Flesherton 42 r 33. 44c2

WANTED—Piano in good condition, suitable for school. — Wm. J. Hincks, Ceylon phone 22r3.

WANTED— An old fashioned wooden wardrobe. — Mrs. Ray Genoe, Eugenia, phone 74 r 22. 44c2

SHINGLES — Carload of Shingles arrived. — O. & A. Co-operative, Flesherton.

WANTED — Animals suitable for mink and fox feed.—Bert McIntosh Eugenia, phone Feversham 5r25

FOR SALE — 2 H.P. Waterloo gasoline engine, in good shape. — Wallace Hamilton, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — 6 roomed brick house, in Priceville with four acres land, barn and small hen house. Apply N. B. Tuck, Priceville.

$700 BUYS MY HOUSE AND LOT in Flesherton. — Robt. McMaster, Onondaga, Ont., phone 976 r 12, Brantford.

FOR RENT — Lot 25, on. 6, on which is situated a house and a barn, 2½ miles east of Flesherton. Apply to K. Betts, phone 8.

FOR SALE — 2 Jersey Cows, both 9 years old, one reg. due April 15, one purebred, milking. — Don Reiley, Priceville.

FOR SALE—2 young cows, one with calf at foot, and the other due in a week, also Angus Bull, pure-bred, 11 months old. Stephen Dennett, Markdale. R. R. 6.

FOR SALE—100 acres beside No. 4 Highway, 2 miles west of Ceylon, good workable land, a few acres of bush. Sacrifice price. — Mrs. R. Stewart, Ceyolm.

FARM FOR RENT — Lots 29 and 30, known as the Brewster Lake farms, 8th Con., Osprey. Correspond with Wilbert Poole, Collingwood, Box 566. 44c3

FOR SALE A quantity of Mammoth Red Clover seed, about 20 bushels of Sweet Clover seed, also a 3 year old colt, phone 9r42 Feversham. Kendal Hawkins, Eugenia, R. R. 1.

FOR SALE—Pasture farm, Lots 134 and 135, 2 S.W., Artemesia, 120 acres, 2 never-failing streams, at back and front of farm; about 70 acres workable land, balance bush and swamp. — Geo. A. Thompson, R. R. 3. Markdale, phone (6r21).

FARM FOR SALE

125 acres on Third Line of Artemesia, half mile east of Portlaw. Barn 50 by 55 stone foundation and cement stables, water in barn. House with stone basement, also cistern. Large drive shed, hen house about 20 by 40, drilled well at door, about 12 acres of hardwood bush, mostly maple. Saugeen River runs across back corner of property. Will sacrifice for quick sale. Apply to W. J. Jamieson, 131 Perth Ave., Toronto 9, Ontario.

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