The Flesherton Advance.

VOL. 65; NO. 41 — FLESHERTON. ONT., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, y946 — W. H. Thurston & Son, Publishers

A Narrow Escape

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Crane and Mrs. Crane's sister, Miss Florence Welton had what might easily have been a serious experience with coal gas on Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Crane have rooms in Mrs. Geo. Noble's residence on Bruce street and after looking to he fire in the kitchen stove, retired for the night. During the night Mrs. Crane awakened and thought she smelled coal gas, and awakened her husband. When Mr. Crane got up he was overcome by the fumes and fell to the floor. Miss Welton, upstairs, was not affected. It was found that the coal gas had escaped from their own kitchen stove. While somewhat groggy the next morning from the effects, both Mr. and Mrs. Crane have now fully recovered from their experience.—Durham Chronicle.

C.G.I.T Affiliates With United Church W.M.S.

On Tuesday, March 5, the C.G.I.T. groups were affilliated with the W.M.S. of St. John's Church, at a pleasant service in the church. The president of the W.M.S., Miss Kate MacMillan, presided. The special speaker of the evening was Mrs. (Dr.) Thomson, who spoke to the girls on the great work of the Women's Missionary Society. Five girls, Agnes McMillan, Evelyn Stewart, Shirley McCracken, Elaine Cook and Mary Jane McTavish took part in the candle-lighting ceremony. Mrs. W. I. Henry gave a very amusing reading, and the girls delighted all with a puppet show. Lunch was served and a social half hour spent.

Springhill Farm Forum

The Springhill Forum met at the home of Wm. Johnson on March 11. It was considered co-operative and private enterprises could do a better job of marketing but that it should be government supervised to see press do not go too low for producer or too high for consumer. The meeting March 18 is to be held at the home of Harry Akins.

In Memoriam

McMULLEN — In loving memory of a dear father, Jas. L. McMullen, who passed away March 12th, 1945.

He is gone but not forgotten
As dawns another year,
In our lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of him are always near.
—Ever remembered by The Family

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Warling and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbors who have been so kind and thoughtful during their recent bereavement.

Future Events

SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

Enjoy yourself at the Saturday night dance in Fraternal Hall, Flesherton to the Golden West Mountaineers' orchestra.

ST. PATRICK'S SUPPER

The W. A. of St. John's United Church will hold a St. Patrick's meat pie supper on Friday, March 15th, from 5:30 o'clock, in the basement of the church, followed by social evening of crokinole and Chinese checkers. Admission: Adults 40c, Children under 12, 25c.

Newly-Weds Feted By Stephen's Corners Friends

(By Stephen's Corners Reporter)

A large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Redge Londry Monday evening, March 4th, in honor of their son, Seymour, and his bride. At an opportune time, Mr. and Mrs. Londry were called forward and an address, expressing best wishes, was read to them by Mrs. Emerson Wright and the presentation of a 64-piece set of dishes was made by Messrs. Vern Wright and Orval Broderick. Seymour and Muriel each expressed sincere thanks for the gifts. The evening was spent in dancing and cards.

Friends from a ditsance who attended the presentation were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Londry of Heathcote and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Housing of Redwing.

McKillop Brothers Join Father In Local Business

A business change took place in Flesherton on Monday, when two young men joined their father in the plumbing and hardware business. These are Emerson and Athol McKillop who have joined their ftaher, Mr. Ernest McKillop in partnership. Emerson has been employed in the Flesherton Woollen Mill since his discharge from the army and Athol has been assisting his father since last summer. We wish the new firm the best of success.

Prime Minister King Will Have Served Longest Term

Liberal supporters and friends of Prime Minister Mackenzie King of various other political stripes are, on June 8, looking forward to celebrating with Mr. King the point at which his political career as Prime Minister of Canada outstretches in time the political career of any other of the ten Prime Ministers which Canada has ahd since Confederation.

On June 8 Mr. King will have been Prime Minister of Canada for nineteen years plus a few days, which will be one day longer than the terms of Sir John A. MacDonald. Sir John first became Prime Minister on June 6, 1867, and held that office to November 6, 1875 He was out of office for almost three years returning on October 1, 1878, and remaining Prime Minister for the next thirteen years, or until his death on June 6, 1891.

Mr. King ha served three terms as Prime Minister. His first one was from December 29, 1921, to June 28, 1926. His second was from Sept. 25, 1926, to Aug. 7, 1930. His third and the current term began on Oct. 23, 1935, and he has been Prime Minister without interruption since then, going on eleven years.

It is interesting to note that the man who held the Prime Minisership for the longest single period was Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was in office continuously from July 11, 1896, to Oct. 6, 1911, a period of fifteen years and three months.

Card of Thanks

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking my many friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown me with flowers, treats, cards and phone calls and to all who visited me since I was hurt. Your kindness is much appreciated. Thank you.

— Mrs. John McDonald.

Hog Producers Desire Higher Grade Of Hogs

The annual meeting of the Hog Producers' Association of Ontario was held in the Royal York Hotel in Toronto. The president, Mr. Chas. McInnis, and the secretary, Mr. W. E. Tuman, each ably outlined what had been accomplished so far, and the past, present and future opportunities as hog producers. The requirements in order to hold he present export market in producing a No. 1 bacon hog, with a regular or steady supply week by week was reviewed. The great need of raising the output of 43% Grade A hogs to at least 75% was urged. To do this, a definite policy and some organization will be required, back to the township districts.

Hon. T. A. Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture, in an address, expressed himself as being one of his happiest days to see farmers having accomplished so much under the Hog Producers' Scheme, making use of such a grand opportunity under the Farm Products Act, which goes into force on April 1st, when hog producers will have a part in controlling, breeding, raising, processing and marketing of hogs. In his mind it was the biggest thing yet accomplished by farmers, and he was looking forward to all of Canada being organized in a similar manner.

Under the Hog Scheme, Ontario is divided into seven districts, with each district electing a member to a Provincial Board, with a president, Vice-President and Secretary. They in turn, appoint a three-man committee to meet with the Packers' Council from time to time, to discuss and act on matters relating to the marketing, etc., of hogs. Two cents per hog will be deducted from the price of all hogs marketed on and after April 1st. Mr. George Johnston of Derby Township represents District No. 6, which comprises Grey, Bruce and Huron Counties.

The Osprey delegate to the convention was Doug. Stephens and Mr. Ward Harrison represented Artemesia Township.

In Memoriam

RADLEY — Treasured memories of a dear mother and grandmother, Christena Mary Sullivan, who died March 17, 1944.

Now calm be thy rest, dearest mother,
For well was thy life's journey run,
And closely you followed your Saviour
Till Zion's bright glory was won.
The works of Thy hands shine resplendent,
More bright than the world's greatest fame,
And high in the archive of Heaven,
Have angels recorded thy name.

— Ever remembered by her Family and Grandchildren, Marion and Pat Stauffer.

In Memoriam

KENNEDY — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Maria Kennedy, who departed this life March 16, 1945.

The midnight stars are gleaming
On a lone and silent grave;
Beneath sleeps one we loved,
But one we could not save.
The golden gates were opened,
An Angel's voice said come;
It was the Angel calling,
Now she has entered home.

— Sadly missed by Husband, Daughter and Son.

KEITH CAIRNS KILLED IN BUSH ACCIDENT

Tragedy entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Cairns Monday when the youngest member of their family, Richard Keith, was instantly killed when struck on the head by a falling limb, as he was working in the bush with Jas. McMullen, a neighbor. Keith was 22 years of age. He was rushed to the home of Mr. Jas. Sinclair, half a mile away, and two doctors called, who found that he had been almost instanly killed. He and Mr. McMullen had been falling a tree and it is thought that a rotten limb on the tree came loose and fell when the tree swayed. Mr. McMullen was a short distance away at the time and when he returned, Keith was lying on the ground with the broken limb beside him. The coroner, Dr. R. L. Carefoot and Provincial Constable Harold Black, Flesherton, investigated the accident and decided an inquest was not necessary.

Keith was one of those likeable young chaps always full of fun and was of sterling character and his happy disposition will be greatly missed throughout the community.

Besides his grief-stricken parents, he leaves one brother and two sisters, Bessie (Mrs. Walter Scrace) of Todmorden, Catherine Cairns of Toronto and William, on a farm next ronto, and William, on the adjoining farm. The people of the entire community share wieh Mr. and Mrs. Cairns and family in their sorrow.

Premier Drew Wishes F. R. Many Happy Returns of Day

At the opening of the day's business at the Ontario Legislature on Wednesday of last week, Premier Geo. A. Drew took occasion to direct attention of members to the Opposition Leader, Farquhar R. Oliver, whom he described as a veteran of the Legislature though "today he is celebrating only his 42nd birthday." "For 20 consecutive years he has sat in this House," said Premier Drew, "and it has been not a result of any machine politics but because of his own merits. He represents a healthy industry (farming) and is a worthy representative of that industry. It is a pleasure and a privilege of wishing him many happy returns of this day."

Former Liberal Leader Harry Nixon, who is dean of the Legislature with 27 years of continuous service, echoed the Premier's sentiments and warned the Premier that greater honors would "before long fall upon the shoulders of the now Opposition Leader."

Mr. Oliver described himself as a "farm boy just trying to get along down here." The greatest benefit he had experienced, he said, had been the associations in the Legislature that he had made during 20 years, and this was reflected in the kindness of the Premier and the others who had spoken kind words to him.

"It will be difficult to rise tomorrow and flay this Government after its leader's pleasant remarks," he said. "However, a night's sleep can work wonders." — Globe & Mail.

Died

CAIRNS — Suddenly by accident in Artemesia on Monday, March 11, 1946, Richard Keith Cairns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Cairns, aged 22 years. Funeral service Thurs., March 14th, in St. John's United Church, Flesherton, at 2:30 p.m., interment in Flesherton Cemetery Chapel.

HAZARD — In Flesherton Mon., March 11th, 1946, Edna Jean Teeter beloved wife of Guy Hazard, aged 56 years. Funeral service Wednesday, March 13th in Cedarside Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m., interment in Flesherton Cemetery Chapel.

McLOUGHRY — In Artemesia on Monday, March 11th, 1946, Marion Eliza Bowes, beloved wife of the William McLoughry, and mother of Elliott and Annie of Galt, Mary (Mamie), James and Burt at home, and sister of Mrs. John Heard of Flesherton. Service on Wednesday, March 13th at 2:30 p.m. Interment in Markdale Cemetery.

Surprise Parents On Their 25th Wedding Anniversary

(By Ceylon Reporter)

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Meads, prepared a surprise event for their parents on the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, held on Saturday last, March 9th, when a large gathering of relatives were present for the event. The celebration of this occasion had been planned by their two sons, Bob and Wallace, while they were fighting overseas, in collaboration with Mrs. Meads' sister, Mrs. Jean McMurdo.

The dinner table was decorated with silver and pink candles and was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake. The room was decorated with pink streamers. Following the dinner the bride and groom of 25 years ago were escorted to the living room, where Mr. Alf. Bowden of Burlington, brother-in-law, acted as chairman for the occasion. Their eldest son, Robert, read the address in which he stated that they wanted their father and mother to know that they believed in their prayers and that He who watches over us has made it possible for the family to be together on this occasion. "Never at any time could we ever repay you for all your work, worry time and patience you have spent on us, trying to make us mind our P's and Q's. We hope in the days that lie ahead you will be able to take life a little easier. We sincerely hope and trust that we may be able to again gather on your Golden Wedding Anniversary." The address was signed by the members of the family: Bob, Wallace, Emerson, Kenneth, Glenn, Emma and June, who presented their parents with a chesterfield suite, while June presented her mother with a bouquet of spring flowers. Many other gifts were also received by Mr. and Mrs. Meads.

Among those who attended the anniversary were: Mr. and Mrs. Alf Bowden and family of Burlington; Mr. Robt. Meads, Will Meads, Mrs. Jean McMurdo, all of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knox, Robt. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blakey, Billie McLean and Mrs. Sackett, all of Swinton Park.

Plowing Match Locations Fixed For Three Years

At the annual convention of the Ontario Plowmen's Association, of which J. A. Carroll is Secretary-Manager, the delegates, looking ahead to the future, not only confirmed Port Albert, in Huron County, as the location for the 1946 International Plowing Match, the first since the war, but picked the counties in which the match will be held in 1947 and 1948. Frontenac County was successful in securing the 1947 match while that of 1948 will be held in Victoria County. It was emphasized that it was necessary to look three years ahead in planning this big event, in order that the proper rotations can be arranged on the land where the match is to take place, and so that the local organization can be set up well in advance. One of the interesting features of the meeting was the large number of delegations from counties all over the province to press their claims for the 1947 and 1948 mathes.

National Employment Service

benefits THE WHOLE community

Regular employment and pay envelopes make for carefree families—for prosperous communities—for "good times" for employer and employee alike. The National Employment Service, with offices in more than 200 cities and towns across Canada, serves the needs of both employers and employees—and the local N. E. S. office takes its place in importance to the community among the time honoured community institutions—the Post Office, the Court House, the City Hall . . . . . .

Without National Employment Service, the worker is left to his own initiative to find a job to support himself and his family. The employer may be unable to reach workers he requires. National Employment Service is the clearing house through which employer and employee are brought together, so that both may have their free choice of the entire employment market.

National Employment Service has 5 main functions:

1—Organization of the whole employment market, and bringing together employers and employees;

2—Collection of information on employment problems for the use of Government, Management and Labour;

3—Administration of Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act;

4—Dealing with Unemployment Insurance Benefits;

5—Dealing with Out-of-Work Benefits for Ex-Service Personnel.

Make full use of the Local Office of National Employment Service. It is there to serve your needs, and those of the entire Community.

NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE
Dominion Labour Department
HUMPHREY MITCHELL, Minister of Labour — A. MACNAMARA, Deputy Minister

CENTRAL LOCATION

Our convenient location is readily accessible by the city's leading automobile and street car thoroughfares.

Bates and Maddocks
FUNERAL CHAPEL
124 Avenue Rd. — KI. 4344