Come Home for the Flesherton Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion August 3, 4, 5 and 6

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Grade A Large Egg Inside Large Goose Egg

An egg within an egg was the find made by Mrs. Bert Porteous of Maxwell, when she opened a goose egg. Out popped a fully formed egg that weighed 2¾ ounces. The large egg had a yolk and also the smaller egg. Mrs. Porteous brought the shell and egg to the editor and also brought another large goose egg which measured 11½x9 inches and weighed 10¼ ounces. These eggs were laid by a goose 15 years old and up to last Thursday had produced 30 eggs this season. She is quite n accomplished goose in her line.

Butter Rationing Came To End Tuesday

Butter rationing came to an end on Tuesday morning and you can now buy all the butter you need, if you can buy it. Other items were taken off the ration list, but strawberry and raspberry jam are still rationed. A list of articles still on the ration lists may be found on page 5 in this issue. Read it carefully.

Received Award For High Marks At Musical Festival

Kenneth Hincks of Priceville, who sang Friday aftenoon at the musical festival in Owen Sound, was given 90 marks by the adjudicator and won the J. A. Cowie Award of $10.00, gaining the highest marks in the rural boys vocal solo section, and also received a certificate. The presentations were made in Westside United Church, Owen Sound, on Tuesday evening, when winners in the various groups appeared in a post-festival concert.

Graduated From Normal

Graduation exercises were recently held at Toronto Normal School, when three former students of Flesherton High School graduated. These were Misses Evelyn McTavish, Ena Adams and Isabel Karstedt of Priceville. Evelyn took high marks in her practice teaching, and she and her cousin, Isabel Karstedt, will teach in York County schools.

Just because a quarrel is ripe you dont have to pick it.

DRESSMAKING

Having recently graduated from a course in dressmaking in Owen Sound, Miss Joyce Hodder is now prepared to accept custom orders of sewing and dressmaking of all kinds at her home in Flesherton. 49c4

MISS IVA BROWN

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Flesherton, who graduated last week from the training school of St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto.

Roy Neilson Dies In Toronto

Neilson — Suddenly, at his residence, 210 Beech Ave., Toronto, on Sunday, June 8th, 1947, James Roy Neilson (formerly of Proton Station) beloved husband of Adelaide Wright, dear father of Janet, Douglas and Bruce; brother of Ethel C. of Toronto, Mrs. (May) Dr. J. S. Wray, Lethbridge, Alta., and Milton A. Neilson of Buffalo, N.Y. Resting at the Wm. Sherrin Funeral Home, 873 Kingston Rd., Toronto. Service in the chapel on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Interment in Pine Hills Cemetery.

Mrs. D. McKechnie Passes

Mrs. Donald McKechnie passed away at her home in Flesherton on Wednesday of last week in her 87th year. She was formerly Martha Hamilton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton of Badjeros district. Her husband, Donald McKechnie, predeceased her on July 19, 1941. One brother, David Hamilton, of Flesherton, survives.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon with Rev. A. G. Macpherson, pastor of St. John's United Church, conducted the service held at her late residence. Interment was made in Badjeros Cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Jack Morrison, Albert Morrison, W. J. Chard, Russell Park B. Field and A. E. Sparks.

Among the lovely floral tokens of sympathy was a spray by the friends and neighbors.

Blossom Festival Held At Thornbury Sunday

Blossom Sunday was observed in the Georgian Bay area, centred on Thornbury, on Sunday, and hundreds of cars were in the five mile long cavalcade, viewing the orchards covered with bloom. The finest orchard we saw was owned by Lougheed Brothers. The cavalcade wound its way to the high hills to the west of Thornbury and a splendid view of the Georgian Bay and countryside was enjoyed. As we came out on the paved highway a turn was made to Meaford and the first fifty cars landed in Meaford, a former apple district. It was rumored that the president of the Meaford Board of Trade was the perpetrator of the dastardly deed against Thornbury, but it later found out that the Reeve of Thornbury became mixed up in the direction he was supposed to go. We suggest you become acquainted with the roads around Thornbury, Ivan. However, the weather was fine and all enjoyed a pleasant outing.

Let Bridge Contract

The contract for the construction of a new bridge at Mt. Zion, over the Saugeen River, has been let to the firm of Looby and Looby, Ltd., of Dublin, Ont. Construction of the reinforced concrete bridge will be commenced immediately and the contract price is $6500.00. The old bridge was demolished during the spring floods.

Mrs. O. W. Phillips Passes

After an illness extending over a period of two months, Mrs. Oscar W. Phillips, passed away in Markdale hospital Friday afternoon, June 6th, in her 73rd year.

The late Mrs. Phillips was formerly Mary Jane Thompson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thompson, pioneers of this district. Besides her sorrowing husband she leaves to mourn one son, Robert, and three brothers, William of Newmarket, Robert of Sudbury and Edward of Dryden.

The late Mrs. Phillips was a charter member of Grey Chapter O.E.S. of Flesherton, and served as treasurer from its inception. She was president of the Women's Institute and was active in other organizations and a great worker in church organizations. She was an active member of St. John's United Church.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon, with service at her late residence, at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. A. G. Macpherson, who spoke very feelingly on "the will to live," which characterized her life the past few months, and was very comforting to members of the family. Interment was made in Flesherton Cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. G. B. Welton, Robt. Swanton, C. N. Richardson, G. A. MacTavish, W. A. Hawken and F. J Thurston.

Among the beautiful floral offerings of regard to the deceased and family, were tokens of sympathy from the business men, Eastern Star, Women's Institute and Friends.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mr. Wm. Thompson, Mrs. W. Tracey, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tracey, Mrs. Marshman and Mrs. R. C. Phillips, all of Toronto; Mr. Frank Phillips, Seaforth; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips and family and Mr. Wilfred Phillips, Owen Sound.

GRADUATED FROM UNIVERSITY

Miss Jean Duncan graduated from Toronto University on Thursday last. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Duncan, attended the graduation exercises held in Convocation Hall.

ERNEST RUSSELL

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell of Flesherton, who graduated recently from the Ontario Agriculural College, Guelph, taking up field husbandry for his degree.

Uurges Women Named To Film Censor Board

Miss Agnes Macphail was guest speaker at the regular meeting of Flesherton Women's Institute held at the home of Mrs. Fred Jamieson, 8th line, Artemesia, this Tuesday afternoon. Miss Macphail spoke on juvenile delinquency and urged that the W. I. pass a resolution to have the mothers and teachers (women) who understand children, on the Board of Censors of radio programs for children. In dealing with this problem, the most important angle is to find out the cause. In almost every case it is found the child has had no social security as a result of broken homes or bad conditions in the home. "Woman," Miss Macphail stated, "must carry her whole weight of responsibility in the community, as well as the home." The speaker also thought that men and women should have equal pay for equal work.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Miss Macphail for her fine address.

The roll call was answered by payment of hospitalization fees. An invitation was received and accepted to attend the July meeting of the Priceville W. I. on July 3rd. In this connection, Mrs. G. Johnson and Mrs. N. Stoddart were appointed to look after conveyance to Priceville.

A letter of thanks was received from the local branch of the Canadian Legion for money donated.

Mrs. Dargavel gave a very full and interesting report on the District annual meeting held at Priceville in May. A two-minute talk was given by each of the conveners of standing committees on the work of her own group.

After some discussion it was decided to give up the plan for serving meals on Monday, Aug. 4th, during Old Home Week, and the motion was rescinded. Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Aberdein were appointed to the "treat" committee.

Presentation To Teacher

A presentation of a pen and pencil set was made to Mr. E. E. Clement at the High School prior to the start of school Friday morning. The presentation was made by Wesley Lawler, on behalf of the students. Mr. Clement thanked the pupils for their kindness in presenting him with the gift. Mr. Clement resigned from the staff several weeks ago.

At Stratford Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hindle and daughter, Jean, of Saugeen Jct., accompanied by Mrs. Bill Izard and Mrs. Bill Tyler of Feversham, attended the Croft-Hindle wedding in Central United Church, Stratford on Thursday, June 5th. The reception was at Mrs. Hamilton's Tea Rooms. The young couple will reside at Stratford.

Chas. Stewart Dies In West

Word was received by Mr. John Stewart of town that his brother Charles, had passed away on Friday of this home at Kindersley, Sask., as the result of a paralytic stroke, in his 62nd year. His brother, William had arrived in Flesherton that morn and left immediately to attend funeral. The late Mr. Stewart the youngest of the family,

Old Home Week News

Chat About The Doings For The Big Event

Why do I intend to visit Flesherton Old Home Week in August? Because I want and expect to see many of my old school mates, including Flo Richardson, Hattie Sullivan "Dutch" Armstrong, Bill Barnhouse, Bob Thompson, Harry Stewart and last, but not least, Reg. Smith. Reg. and I used to bat one another's ears off on an average of twice a week. I still think I can take him, if only for a walk. So, if anyone knows his address, see that he is notified, and this goes for many others, whose address we do not have. We had approximately 6000 for the 1929 celebration. Let's make it at east 7000 this time.

—Burton E. Field.

Why am I going back to Flesherton for the Old Boys and Girls Reunion? It is because I wish to renew old acquaintances, many of whom were my school mates at the Red School and at Flesherton school. A lot of water has run under the bridge we travelled over so many times together. How I would like to see those faces again — Sullivan girls, Barnhouse girls, Pedlar girls and many, many others. Some say we were born thirty years too soon, but I do not think so, really. The fun we used to have, they were the good old days 'way back when ! ! ! You and I were young.

So let us meet again in the old town in August. I hope to see you in Flesherton. How about it?

—Alva M. (Petch) Houden.

OUR LITTLE TOWN

Our little town — God bless it!
Is the grandest place to live;
It has all sorts of happy things
And blessings, fine, to give.

It realy makes my heart feel glad
When up the street I go,
I say hello to Ann and Bill
And others that I know..

It's nice to pass the time of day
At grocery stores and such,
And meet the certain lady
Who always knows so much.

Our Flesherton's so friendly —
I know most every one;
Feel sure that I shall see some friends
Before the day is done.

I never feel quite all alone
Amidst my friends so dear —
So, is it any wonder
I thank God I live here?

Charlie Flynn of Brantford was in town over the week end and is very enthusiastic about getting back for Old Home Week and seeing some of his old pals whom he has not seen for years. Charlie has a cottage at the Hydro Lake and is here requently during the usmmer.

POWER OFF THURSDAY

Hydro power will be off in Flesherton on Thursday, June 12th, from 1 to 2:30 p.m.

Making trouble is too much trouble to be fun.

Coon Returned Home

A few weeks ago we related the disappearance of the pet coon of John Milligan from his home in town. On Saturday afternoon the cats ran into the house in great excitement and when Mrs. Milligan investigated, the coon was seen making himself quite at home in the wood shed. Apparently he had become tired with his freedom and decided there was more fcn at home with the cats. He makes himself right at home around the yard, but at present is penned up to keep him out of mischief.

Andrew Beatty Passes

BEATTIE — At Toronto on Tuesday, June 3rd, 1947, Andrew Beattie, formerly of Orange Valley, beloved husband of the late Calista Jane, in his 96th year, dear father of Jean (Mrs. C. P. Rutty); Luella (Mrs. B. (Harrison); Etta (Mrs. G. I. Willis); Belle (Mrs. B. L. Thompson); Lolita (Mrs. Shenson), and Dr. P. A. Beattie Funeral service was held Thursday, June 5th, at the Mack Burial Chapel, Danforth at Main St., Toronto, at 3 p.m. Interment was made in Pine Hills Cemetery.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my thanks to the many friends who sent me flowers, letters, treats and cards while I was at the hospital and at home.

—Gloria Mae Ferguson.

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Evangelist Eric Strain will provide a special musical night on Friday, June 13th, and will be playng about 12 different instruments.
The Clarksburg Orchestra will be present.
COME EARLY AND GET A SEAT