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Eugenia Woman's Assoc.

The Woman's Association of Eugenia met in the church on Wed., February 18th, with a fair attendance. The meeting was opened with Mrs. C. Magee in the chair and the usual opening exercises. Roll call was answered by an exchange of Valentines. Contributions to travelling "Hannah" are always appreciated, as it is carried on from one months to the other, and as the W.A. is planning to have something later. Plans were made to have a St. Patrick's social. Watch for further particulars. The meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction.

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Osprey Council Sets Rate For Township Purposes

The Osprey Municipal Council met in regualr session on Saturday, Feb. 7th, and with the exception of Mr. Thompson, who was absent on account of illness, all the members were present.

The necessary By-laws, to appropriate money for road expenditure to the amount of $25,000.00, and for the appointment of Poundkeepers, Fenceviewers and Sheep Valuers, were read the required number of times and passed.

The Treasurer presented his budget for the year, with expenditures amounting to $28,075.00 and receipts of $15,515.00, which was adopted by the Council with only a few minor changes, and if adhered to, will mean an approximate mill-rate for Township purposes of 9.1 mills, a slight increase over the 1947 rate.

The Clerk-Treasurer's salary came in for considerable discussion and it was decided to grant him an increase of $150.00 per year.

The Reeve, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Moore were appointed delegates to attend the convention of the Rural Municipalities' Assoc. to be held in Toronto this month.

The Road Supt. presented his voucher amounting to $1244.00.

General accounts ordered paid were:- Mrs. J. Smith, care of E. Miller for January $54.25; C. C. Middlebro, account $14; R. L. Carefoot, medical services to E. Miller $4.50; Municipal Assoc., fees $5; Ontario Association of Rural Municipalities, fee $5; Osprey Municipal Telephone, tolls $5.75; Dept. of Health, insulin $2.17; Association of Assessing Officers, fees $10.

Council adjourned to meet Sat., March 6th, at 2 p.m.

Ted Gardhouse Wins Flesherton Curling Bonspiel

Flesherton Curling Club held one of the most successful bonspiels in their history Monday of this week, when 24 rinks took part in the play. Ted Gardhouse rink of Owen Sound took first place with the rink of L. Thibaudeau of Markdale taking second place, the Watson rink from Grand Valley third and E. McKillop's rink from Flesherton in fourth place. One of the best games of play was between Gardhouse and the Schenk rink from Walkerton, the former winning 9-7. The Flesherton rink was composed of E. McKillop skip, Wm. Welton, Doug. Cairns and Ray Richards. The consolation prizes were won by Watt of Grand Valley and Telford of Tara.

Born

MORGAN — At Calgary, Alta., on Thursday, Feb. 19th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Morgan, a son.

McCRACKEN—In Markdale Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 22nd, 1948, o Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCracken (Marie Hutchinson) of Flesherton, a son.

ST. JOHN—At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursign Home, Flesherton, on Thursday, Feb. 19th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Milton St. John (Margaret Kemble) of Dundalk, a daughter, Margaret Lillian.

United Church Notes

Rev. A. G. Macpherson, Minister

"A Well-Balanced Life" is the sermon theme for Sunday, Feb. 29th, at Eugenia, Inistioge, Flesherton.

Remember the "Friendly Hour" after the evening service at St. John's. Everybody welcome.

Junior choir practice in St. John's basement on Thursday, Feb. 26th, at 3:45 p.m.

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Service Club Presents List Of Contributors To Rink

Owing to the recent illness of Mr. F. H. W. Hickling, treasurer of the Club, the matter of publishing all donations to date has been unavoidably delayed. Should any oversight have occurred in omitting the name of any subscriber from this list, it will be appreciated if the matter is brought to the attention of the finance committee.

On the other hand, while it has been attempted to complete a thorough canvass of the village and a partial convass of the rural community, it is quite possible that some may have been overlooked. In this event, donations will be gratefully received by the treasurer or representatives of the finance committee. It is with a sense of deep gratiude and accomplishment that we publish the complete list of subscribers to date. It reflects a prevailing spirit of sincere generosity and community interest. Additional donations will be published periodically. Official receipts will be mailed to all contributors in the early future.

R. J. Boyd $50, K. Alexander. Shelburne, $50; C. O. League $25; A Friend $25, John Nuhn $100, Bob McCracken $7, Alex. Henderson $10, Jack Kennedy $25, F. Eagles $25, C. S. MacTavish $50, Ken Betts $50 G. MacTavish and Son $50, M. Piper $10, York Trading Co. $10, Owen Sound Wholesale $15, Ross Cameron Co. $15, Owen Sound Sun-Times $10, Owen Sound Creamery $10; An Owen Sound Creamery $10, Flesherton W.I. $30, Old Home Week $850, H. Milligan, former rink funds $43.40, O. & A. Co-operative $50, E. Holley $10, Hanover Transport $10, Ross Stevens $3, Fraternal Hall Board $200; Thos. Sled $2 Laura Boyd $10, Harold Best $25, S. Sutton $50, Lorne Turvey $100, Geo. Best $16.95, T. Eaton Co. $25, W. Adlam $10, Jas. McMullen $4. Keith Parker $100, Semi-Pro Hockey Club $10, Robt. Simpson Co. $25, Durham Furniture Co. $46.96, Wilf Lever $15, R. Piper $10, G. McGee $5, E. Wickens $5, F. Russell $2, R Thompson $1, M. McKinnon $1, H. Montgomery $5, Aitcheson's Bakery $1, Dundalk Creamery $10, W. E. Harris $25, Dominion Auto Supply $10, Wm. Taylor & Sons $25, Em. Thomson $19.20, M. Bannon & Sons $50, Grafton Co., Ltd., $10, Dr. R. L. Carefoot $25, A. E. Bell $5, F. W. Duncan & Son $50, M. Hutchinson $2, F. Gorrell $25, H. A. McCauley $100, C. J. Bellamy $10, R. Andrews $25, Wes Littlejohns $10, W. Hamilton $50, J. W. Cook $25, Francis Genoe $25, Jean Proctor $10, Jean McCracken $10, Al. Duxter $5, C. N. Richardson $2.

J. McWilliam $5, Kate Macmillan $10, Chas. Adams $5, Dr. Milne $10 E. Bellerby $2, W. E. Myers $25, F Betts $100, Les and Art Chard $25, Elmer Best $5, J. H. Duncan $5, A. Hill $1, H. Milligan $25, E. McCracken $5, A. Avis $3, G. B. Welton $5, Roy Best $5, I. Henderson $5, Wes McCracken $10, L. McCracken $10, Emma Oliver $10, Jas. Oliver $10, F. J. Thurston $25, S. L. Stauffer $25, A. E. Bellamy $25, D. Aberdein $10, Alex. Aberdein $10, Mrs. W. Moore 50c, Mrs. J. Brown 50c, Stan Teeter $5, Jas. Johnson $5, Mrs. E. Nuhn $5, W. A. Hawkin $25.

O. W. Phillips $10, L. Pedlar $10, Mrs. G. Lawler $5, J. H. Hutchison $7, T. Williams $5, R. J. Fisher $10, T. J. Fisher $5, H. Fawcett $15, McDonald Electric $10, R. Park $10, W. McNichol $1, Miss M. Macmillan $1, W.A. St. John's United Church $50, D. Reid $10, Hon. F. R. Oliver $25, John and Elma McKinnon $4 Mrs. W. J. MacMillan $3, H. Black $10, R. Boden $10, J. Stewart $20, H. Bibby $5, C. Thistlewaite $5, J. Thistlewaite $5, W. Meredith $5, G. Cornfield $2, A. Jeffery $2, Miss E. Hemphill $1, Mrs. L. Fisher $1, J. MacDonald $1, Mrs. C. Thomson $1, K. Goheen $50, W. R. Johnson $10.

Art McDonald $5, Miss K. Stone $10, Dr. Park $10, Miss T. Henderson $5, J. Brackenbury $10, C. J. McKechnie $10, Mrs. Q. Park $5, Geo. Akins $25, Mrs. Mercer $5, F. Brackenbury $5, A. Bradshaw & Sons $50, F. Taylor $25, G. Cairns $10, W. J. Chard $15, D. Williams $5, W. Kernahan $50, Manjuris Ltd $15, Snag-Proof Ltd. $10, Rev. A. G. Macpherson $25, Walter Russell $25, R. B. Heard $25, E. J. Fisher $25, Geo. Boyd $50, Bob Phillips $25, P. S. MacDougall $25, Flesherton Creamery $50, J. A. Richards $25, F. H. W. Hickling $100, Geo. Swan[illegible] Sparks $15, Harold Richardson $15, H. McGee $25, Northern Transport $15, Alex. Miller $1, Ray Richards $25, Rev. W. A White $5.

Two of the girls were airing their troubles. "I'd like to get a divorce," said the first. "My husband and I just don't get along."

"Why don't you sue him for incompatibility?" asked the second, sympathetically.

"I would if I could catch him at it," replied the first.

Hockey Games Retarded On Referee Dispute

The past week has been a hectic one in Central Ontario Hockey League circles. It all started when Flesherton went to Markdale Wednesday night of last week to play the fourth game of their play-off series, but the game was not played despite the fact that the rink was packed with spectators.

The following statement has been issued by the management of the Flesherton team: "To our supporers: An explanation is necessary as to the reason the Flesherton team did not play their game in Markdale on Wednesday night. It was a question of referee. The Markdale Club was notified at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the game that they would not play under Mr. Hayward of Owen Sound. Two referees were appoined by the League Secretary and were Banks and Grainger of Shelburne, who were present. Markdale would not have them, but had gone ahead and secured the services of Hayward. Flesherton made the concession that they would play with Banks refereeing and Hayward as linesman, but this did not satisfy Markdale, stating it was Hayward or nobody, hence Flesherton did not appear on the ice."

Since then an attempt has been made to have the two teams play. A League meeting Friday night ruled that Flesherton be thrown out of the competition and this vote was declared illegal by the secretary. On Monday Coach Bob Phillips received a letter from the League announcing that the game in which Hayward refereed the week previous would be thrown out and a sudden-death game played in Markdale this Wednesday night. Another League meeting was held Monday night at Dundalk and the ruling was again changed that the best in five series would be continued with the standing the same (Markdale have won 2, Flesherton 1) and League referees be used. This was not satisfactory to Markdale and they still insist on outside referees. They are the only club in the League that have so far insisted on outside referees. So there the matter rests this Wednesday morning.

It seems to us that the appointment of referees for the games should be left in the hands of the League without interference by the teams, and this is the stand taken by the Flesherton club.

In the previous game at Markdale, Flesherton protested the use of an outside referee, but agreed to play the game, although they were dissatisfied with the arrangement, and for the second game they stuck to their principles for League referees, of whom Markdale would have nothing to do, and so the matter rests.

To call the Flesherton players and management "poor sports' as was done that night before the facts became known, does not get a persoo anywhere, and while we do not consider that we have a monopoly on sporting instincts, we do believe that our sporting blood is as good as can be found anywhere. The same boys playing for Flesherton were not "poor sports" when they played for Markdale a couple of years ago, but now apparently are, as they are on the otherside of the "fence." If the games are to continue, the League will have to give a definite ruling and then enforce their decision.

Feversham Twins Have Birthday Next Sunday

Congratulations will be extended on Sunday, Feb. 29th, to Messrs. John and James Hudson of Feversham who will celebrate their birthday. It is a rare event for twins to observe their birthday on Leap Year day. They have always been unfortunate that they could not celebrate their birthday except every fourth year. May these two estimable gentlemen have the privilege of observing more birthdays.

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Osprey Agricultural Society Elects New Board of Officers

The adjourned meeting of the Osprey Agricultural Society was held at Feversham on Friday last, when much enthusiasm and interest was apparent, and all were agreed that something could be done to place the Feversham Fair on a par with the best one-day rural fair. Everyone freely took part in discussion as to what might be done to interest a greater attendance and attractions. A new enthusiasm and interest has been awakened and all can be assured the new Board resire and deserve the confidence of everyone in the effort put forth to improve the Fair, having in mind, also, some constructive movement towards commemorating the boys who fought for our defence and liberty. A Beef Calf Club is also on the agenda for the boys and girls between 12 and 21, of which further particulars will be given later.

Following the discussion, a new board of Directors was elected, as follows:

Hon. Pres. — Geo. W. Ross.
President — Victor Wright.
1st Vice Pres. — Kendal Hawkins.
2nd Vice Pres. — Albert Moore.
Sec.-Treas. — Dougald Stephens.
Board of Directors — F. Hannah, C. Sprott, Thos. Stephens, J. Weldrick, J. McLean, J. Robinson, Russell Hawton, A. Buie, R. Hudson.
Lady Directors — Mrs. C. Sprott, Mrs. A. Priddle, Mrs. W. Inkster, Mrs. F. Hollingshead, Mrs. Jos. Crawford, Miss Mable Ross, Mrs. T. Ferris and Mrs. A. Buie.

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