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Eugenia W.A. Meeting

The May meeting of Eugenia W. A. was held last week at the home of Mrs. Jas. Ottewell, with Mrs. S. Campbell presiding. Roll call was answered by payment of membership fees. Two contests were conducted and the winners were Mrs. A. G. Macpherson and Mrs. J. Campbell, Mrs. Macpherson tieing the second one. Mrs. T. Stewart gave a reading, after which a dainty lunch was served. The June meeting will be held in the church.

An Ohio judge contends that most people can be trusted. But folks would prefer that they pay cash.

Fixed bayonets held back strikers at a Chicago meat plant. It would please many housewives if the prices, rather than the bayonets, were fixed.

Future Events

PLAY AT MAXWELL

The W.A. of the United Church will hold a play entitled "Keep It Under Your Hat," presented by Owen Sound talent, on Monday, May 31st. Admission: 35c.

SHELBURNE RACE MEET

Shelburne Rae Meet on June 9th, $750 in purses. Three classes: 2:28, 2.22 and Free-for-All. Bradley and Gregg starting gate to be used. First race at 1:30 p.m. Admission 60c.

DANCE AT FEVERSHAM

Dance at Robinson's Hall, Feversham, on Thursday, June 3rd, music by Grove's Orchestra, under auspices of the Athletic and Improvement Assoc. Admission: 50c.

SHORTHORN SALE

Grey County Shorthorn Breeders' consignment sale in the skating rink, Chatsworth, on Wednesday, June 2nd—412 males, 15 females. Catalogue on request. T. Stewart Cooper, Secretary, Markdale.

PLAYS IN FLESHERTON

2 Short plays "Crazy to Reduce" and "Have You Had Your Operation?" will be presented by Collingwood United Church W.A. in the Flesherton Town Hall, Friday, May 28th, at 8:30 p.m., under auspices of St. John's W.A. Admission: 35c and 25c.

Mrs. Pinkerton Again Heads St. Mary's Guild

The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Angliacn Church, Maxwell, held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Pinkerton, 8th line. Following the opening of the meeting the annual reports were read and other business completed. At the election of officers, Mrs. Wm. Pinkerton was re-elected president, with Mrs. Hardy as vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Ling, as secretary and Mrs. A. Grummett the treasurer. Mrs. G. Seeley was elected convener of the sick committee, and Mrs. Londry and Mrs. G. Seeley were appointed auditors. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess served a dainty lunch.

The Late Archie McArthur

(By Priceville Reporter)

The funeral of the late Archie McArthur was held Friday afternoon in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church when many friends and neighbours were present.

The service was conducted by A. J. Simpson who delivered a fine message, while Miss Eileen Harrison sang a solo.

The pall-bearers, neighbours of deceased, were: James Sturrock, Neil Black, Elmer Neun, Wally Wellwood Donald Black, and Archie MsKechnit. Many beautiful floral aributes surrounded the casket, which bore silent messages of love. The flower bearers were Marybelle McLachlan, Alan McLachlan, Jimmie Wellwood, June Bender and Mildred Meyers.

Friends from a distance attending were: Mr. and Mrs. James Wellwood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maycock, Wally Wellwood, Donald and Buster, all of Dundalk. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott and son and William Scott, all of Egremont; Mrs. Mary Bender; June Bender; Dorothy Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hicks, all of Owen Sound. Mrs. Gerald Magee and son, Eugenia.

Interment was made in McNeill's Cemetry.

In Memoriam

WHITE — In loving memory of Marjorie, who passed away on May 29th, 1944.

Not dead to us who loved her,
Not lost, but gone before.

—Sadly missed by Mother, Dad and Sisters.

Life Begins Again For Ruth McKee Of Toronto

A story with a happy ending is that of Ruth McKee, patient of Dr. Gordon Murray, who has just undergone a successful operation for congenital heart disease.

Ruth is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs Kenneth McKee of Harvie St., Toronto, and is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKee and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boyce of the 4th Line, Artemesia Township.

"She was only in kindergarten six months when she was sent home for good," Mrs. McKee told The Telegram. "Our doctor diagnosed her case as being the stoppage of one of the heart valves."

From then one Ruth's life was one of rest and quiet. She took bottles and bottles of iron medicine to nourish her failing heart, spent hours in bed, never climbed stairs, and—worst of all—never went back to school.

However, Ruth was a bright little girl. She would not give up hope. To keep her mind occupied, home instructors, sent by the York Township Board of Education, called twice a week to give her lessons at home. According to her present teacher, Miss Madia Post, Ruth is qualified to pass her entrance this year without trying examinations.

And the operation? That was the most wonderful part.

"We took Ruth to Dr. Murray," her mother says, "and he said she had patent ductus arteriosus." (Ruth calls it 'poconductus'.) Within two weeks he performed the delicate heart operation which has given Ruth a new lease on life.

"The day after the operation, Ruth celebrated her fourteenth birthday.

Ruth is still palid, and underweight and has been told to "take things easy" for a year. After that, there will be no limit to what she can do.

Srys Mrs. McKee: "She will be able to go to high school like other girls, ride a bike, do anything."

Ruth plans to keep on with her music — she loves the piano — and take up dress designing.

Adding to the thrill of her hospital discharge was a letter Ruth received from Mrs. Gibson, of Suffolk, England. At the time of Princess Elizabeth's wedding last November, when school children all over the city contributed to Toronto wedding gift of food for hungry Britons, Ruth gave her teacher a basket of groceries for distribution.

She had forgotten about it until the arrival of the letter from Mrs. Gibson, widowed mother of six children, ranging in age from two to fourteen years. So touched was she by the "thank you" letter, that Ruth is planning to do all she can for the family, and women of Mrs. McKee's church group are combining to send clothes for the six children.

For Ruth this is some repayment of her debt of gratitude for a new life. — Toronto Telegram.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Orange Valley wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Dorothy Marguerite, to Mr. Wallace Rice, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rice of Collingwood. The marriage will take place the latter part of June.

Picture Show

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Feversham Fall Fair Dates Set For September 29-30

The dates for the Osprey Agricultural Society fall fair at Feversham were set for Sept. 29 and 30 at a meeting of the Board on Wednesday evening of last week. Canvassers were selected to solicit contributions as in the past. The Societly appreciates the support accorded the fair and would again welcome the loyal support of all approached. Considerable discussion arose over placing the fair grounds under the Municipal Hall Act, and as a result a general meeting of the Association has been called for Friday evening, June 4th, at 8 p.m. in the Orange Hall, Feversham, at which all members are expected to attend.

ROCK MILLS

The weather was dull and cold over the week end and holiday, but many sportsmen were out trying their luck at fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clark of Toronto were week end visitors at the fromer's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newell spent the week end with Durham friends.

Misses Ruby and Eunice Dobson of Owen Sound spent the week end and holiday at their home.

Mr. Glen Croft, who is now employed at Stayner, spent the week end at his parental home.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey on the arrival of a son on May 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lonsway of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Walker and son, Donald, of Galt were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Partridge.

(Intended for Last Week)

This locality had a heavy rain and hail storm Sunday afternoon, but no damage was done, although the hail stones were quite large.

Our sinere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Arthur Porteous in her bereavement by the passing of her mother at Maxwell. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Mr. R. Armstrong of Paisley and Mrs. Margaret Whitmore of Durham were vistors over Sunday at the home of Chas. Newell.

Mr. Bill McMaster moved his family to Flesherton where he purchased a home. The Betts house is still vacant.

The Late Mrs. M. Guy

The death occurred on Sunday, May 16th, of Mrs. Susan Ann Guy at her residence in Maxwell, in her 91st year. She had been bedfast for three weeks previous to her death.

The late Mrs. Guy, whose maiden name was Susan Ann Gorley, was born in Uxbridge and at the age of twenty-four years moved to Osprey with her husband, the late Hugh Young and their three children; they were blessed with seven in all, namely: Elizabeth, the late Mrs. Wm. Parker; Robert, of Maxwell; Susan, Mrs. Wm. Blakey, of Portlaw; George, of the third line; Jessie, Mrs. Jas. Winters, of Maxwell; Mabel, the late Mrs. W. M. McQuay; Bertie, Mrs. Arthur Porteous, Rock Mills; 38 grandchildren, 66 great grand children and 12 great great grand children. She spent her life on the farm two and a half miles south of Maxwell, now occupied by her son, George, where they raised their family. Later in years she moved to Maxwell and was married to Mr. Medlar Guy, who predeceased her by some years. She was a member of the Presbtyeran Church.

The funeral took place on Monday, May 17th, with service at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Winters, being conducted by Rev. Holmes of Maxwell United Church, who delivered a most comforting message. Interment was made in the Presbyterian Cemetery at Maxwell.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Fred Young, Alvin Young, Emerson Parker, Lorne McQuay, Bob Blakey and Wesley Young.

Among the beautiful floral tributes were a spray from Maxwell L.O.B.A., and a spray from the Mission Circle, Rock Mills.

Among the large number who attended the funeral were friends from Ravenna, Collingwood, Dundalk and Flesherton.

Flower bearers were: Marie White, Laverne Wickens, Henry Blakey, Mrs. John McLean, Beverley Young and Jim Monaghan.

Born

ALLEN — At Markdale Hospital on Saturday, May 22nd, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allen, a son, John Richard.

EVANS — At East General Hospital, Toronto, Wednesday, May 19, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Evans (Ruby Akitt) 433 Oconnor Drive, Toronto, a son.

Mrs. Thos. Irwin Passes

(By Priceville Reporter)

A wide circle of friends and neighbors learned with deep regret of the passing of Mrs. Thomas Irwin. The funeral was held at her late residence Thursday afternoon and was largely attended by friends and neighbors who came to pay their last respects to one who was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her.

Rev. A. G. Macpherson, St. John's United Church Flesherton, gave a most comforting message to the bereaved family and friends and many beautiful floral tributes paid silent testimony to the respect in which the deceased was held.

Deceased leaves to mourn three sons, John of Regina, Bert at home and Bradey living near by and three grandsons.

The pall-bearers were, Cecil Fawcett, Edgar Patterson, William Beaton, Donnie White, I. B. Whittaker and Russel Purdy.

Friends from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer McCauley, Holland Centre; Mr. and Mrs. Dave McCauley, Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schell; Mrs. McCannell and Norma McCauley, Holland Centre; Mrs. Bill Halbert, Hillis and Ethna; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnston and Reginald; Mrs. Richardson, Wallace Graham, Jean Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bradey, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hill, Mrs. Walker, all of Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. John Fairbairn and Ralph, Holstein; Mrs. Herbert Irwin, Dundalk; Russell Purdy, Toronto.

The flower bearers were: Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hill, Mrs. Halbert, Ethna Halbert, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Richardson, Jean Bradey, Wallace Graham, Mrs. Connell, Norma McCauley, Reg. Johnston, Ralph Farbairn and Hillis Halbert.

Interment was made in Markdale Cemetery.

VICTORIA CORNERS

Mrs. Albert Stevens, Melancthon township, spent Thursday with her son, Elwood, and family, also in the Ed. Stinson home waiting word from her daughter, Violet, Mrs. Wm. Cantrell, Tronto, who underwent a surgical operation that morning. Friends here are glad ti know that Mrs. Cantrell is making a good recovery.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Stevens, Wilma and Doneldia, entertained the Inistioge Y.P.U.

The telephone work crew, while engaged on the lines in this district, have been boarding in the Ed. Stinson home.

Mr. Ernie Stewart has the sympathy of the community in the loss of his sister, Susie, Mrs. Norman Stewart, Maple Valley, whose death occurred at her late home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart attended the funeral Sunday afternoon, with service at the home and interment in Badjeros Cemetery.

Mr. D. Wiltshire, Mrs. J. D. Wiltshire and three girls, Hopeville, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Acheson. Miss Lulu Cooke, Toronto was a week end and holiday guest in the same home and with her niece, Mrs. Geo. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hawes, Mary and Kenneth, of Bright spent the holiday week end with Mrs. Hawes' mother, Mrs. Albert Stinson, and renewed acquaintances in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Les. Brooks of Toronto visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stinson and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bannon. Other Sunday guests in the Bannon home were Mr. and Mrs. Art Robinson, Etobicoke, Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman and Jim and Doris Bannon, Toronto, who spent the week end with their parents. A pleasant highlight of the evening was a telephone call at 9 p.m. from their daughter, Kaye, from Winnipeg, who had the pleasure of speaking to each member of the family.

(Remaineder of news next week)

Local Shorthorn Breeder Ships Cattle To U.S.A.

Grey County Shorthorn breeders have been selling cattle to purchasers from the United States and quite a number of choice animals have been secured for export. All animals are pedigreed. The first of the week Mr. Roy W. Piper of Ceylon shipped ten fine head of cattle, which had been purchased last week by Mr. J. H. Rose of Kinsman, Ohio. Mr. Rose had been purchasing registered Shorthorn cattle around Toronto and he stated that the quality which he was buying in Grey County was equal to any he had yet secured. This speaks well for Grey County farmers, who are continually trying to improve their herds.

ANDY CLARK PASSES

The death occurred at his home in Toronto late Wednesday last week, of Andy Clarke, former newspaperman and well known radio commentator. He was known to thousands through his Sunday morning broadcast of 'Neighbourly News' gleaned from weekly papers. He was scheduled to make this broadcast from Thornbury, on May 30, in connection with 'Blossom Week'.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and for the many beautiful floral tributes, extended to us during the illness and loss of our dear mother, the late Mrs. Thos. Irwin, especially thanking Rev. Mr. Macpherson for his consoling words.

—The Irwin Family.

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