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Bought MacMillan Home

Mr. Wm. Madill, prominent race man of Shelburne, has purchased the residence formerly owned by the late Miss Mary Macmillan, and moved into his new home on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Madill is well known as an owner of harness horses and he expects to bring his string of some twelve horses to town shortly. We welcome Mr. Madill and family to the village.

District Fall Fair Dates

Arthur	Sept. 26, 27
Barrie	Sept. 25-27
Chatsworth	Oct. 5, 6
Chesley	Sept. 8, 9
Clarksburg	Sept. 20, 21
Collingwood	Sept. 21-23
Dundalk	Sept. 14, 15
Durham	Sept. 12. 13
Grand Valley	Oct. 6, 7
Hanover	Sept. 13, 14
Holstein	Sept. 27, 28
Markdale	Sept. 22, 23
Meaford	Oct. 6, 7
Mount Forest	Sept. 16 & 18
Neustadt	Sept. 15, 16
Orangeville	Sept. 19, 20
Owen Sound	Sept. 28-30
Paisley	Sept. 11, 12
Rocklyn	Oct. 4, 5
Shelburne	Sept. 12, 13
Tara	Sept. 27, 28
Teeswater	Oct. 3, 4
Royal Winter Fair	Nov. 14-22

If the leaves of the coming fall try hard enough, they may look almost as wonderful as those we colored in kindergarten.

Future Events

AUCTION SALE

Comprising 20 cattle, horses, 2 sows and young pigs, 275 young poultry, grain and standing corn, implements and furniture, Friday, Sept. 8, 4 miles east of Maxwell. Wm. Radley, Prop., Geo. Duncan, Auctioneer.

Drainge Day at Farm Of F. R. Oliver This Friday

Drainage Day will be held on the farm of Hon. F. R. Oliver, South Line, Artemesia, on Friday of this week, Sept. 8th.

The organizations sponsoring this drainage day demonstration are the Grey County Council, Grey County Federation of Agriculture, and Grey County Crop and Soil Improvement Association.

According to T. S. Cooper, agricultural representative, there are too many areas of land that are not producing maximum crops because they are not properly drained. The demonstration on the Oliver farm will show how land can be drained by open ditches or closed tile drains, and tile laying, drainage surveying, possibly dynamite ditching operations, conducted by specially trained and experienced agricultural engineers.

Special speakers, in the persons of Hon. F. R. Oliver, the host; Hon. T. L. Kennedy, Hon. MacKinnon Phillips, F. S. Thomas, M.P.P., chairman of the Select Committee, and officials of the Agricultural Engineeering Deparemtn of the O.A.C., will be included in the day's events.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to neighbors and Rev. Mr. Macpherson for his visit and words of comfort to my dear brother, John Magee, also to Nurses Crawford, Devitt and Mills for their kind attention during the last few hours before his death when he was admitted to the Centre Grey General Hospital.

—Mrs. Robt. Gorley

A department store tycoon says women are too satisfied with their clothes. He must know an unusual group of women.

Astrologers say people born in August are apt to run into financial difficulties. This also applies to those born in 11 other months.

The Price of Freedom

"Government is the most inefficient feature of life in a free society." We cull these words from a modest but interesting and pertinent medium of opinion, "The Printed Word." We cull it because it says succinctly what many of us have felt without ever putting into word, that a free society is not as free as it might be. Any sensible person must admit that the maintainance of essential freedom must, sometimes, require the restriction of less important rights. It is not these minor sacrifices that are themselves important, but rather that the control of our liberies requires officials to administer, and both officials and controls tend to perpetuate themselves. So we lose to government, responsibilities that should be our own.

Perhaps the growing necessities for preparedness that face us today —when most of our substance has been spent in political generosities that are beyond our means — may arouse us to the wisdom of the old adage, "Evil is wrought by lack of thought, as well as lack of heart." If our free society is to remain free it had better be as critical of government inefficiencies and inexperienced generosities as an individual would be of the inefficiencies of a business in which all his resources were at stake. That is our position, and that is the price of freedom, today.

Kimberley W. I. Held Very Interesting Meeting

Kimberley W.I. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Joe Rudney with 19 members present. The roll call was naming prominent Canadian people and what noted for. Mrs. Ellis Weber gave a reading on Archibald Lamplan and current events on up-to-date news was given by Mrs. Jas. Kirkpatrick, both of which were very interesting. A prize was given to the oldest grandmother present, being awarded to Mrs. S. S. Burritt. A poem was read by Mrs. Leslie McMullen on "hand-hooked Rug" which was interesting. An invitation was given all members to attend the W.I. meeting at Vandeleur on Sept. 21st. The meeting was closed with the National Anthem, followed with a dainty lunch served by the hostess.

Palmer - Sayers

Summer flowers decorated the Gospel Mission, Collingwood, for the wedding on Saturday, Aug. 19th, of Donelda Edith May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Sayers of Singhampton, to Charles Albert Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer of Collingwood. Rev. H. W. Crone officiated. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Fields and Miss Mildred Rice sang "O Perfect Love."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a white moire taffeta street-length dress with finger-tip veil and corsage of red roses. The bride's sister, Miss Muriel Sayers, was bridesmaid and wore blue taffeta with a corsage of pink roses. Mr. Donald Palmer was best-man for his brother.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Singhampton. After a short wedding trip the young couple will reside in Collingwood.

The average human should be much more diligent in being human.

Quebec City is handing out "polite traffic tags." It is to be hoped that drivers take the hint and practice courtesy too.

145 Pupils In Attendance At Flesherton High School

District high and public schools commenced their term work Tuesday of this week. Five bus routes are bringing in pupils to Flesherton high school and Tuesday 145 pupils had registered for the new term. The high school teachers are: K. G. Goheen, principal; Murray Juffs Beaverton; C. John Armitage, Toronto; Mrs. H. H. Mercer, Markdale; Mrs. K. G. Goheen and Miss Eleanor Heron. All were members of last year's staff, except Mr. Armitage, who was added as the sixth teacher in the school, to take care of the increased attendance.

Flesherton public staff remains the same, with Miss Emma Oliver as principal and Mrs. C. J. Bellamy in charge of the junior room.

Artemesia Teachers

Eugenia, Miss Blanche Walker; Victoria Corners, Mrs. Neil Winters; Portlaw, Mrs. Elmer Meredith; Rock Mills, Miss Eleanor Proctor; 8th line, Miss Tena Hutchinson; Springhill, Mrs. A. Pattison; O.D.R., Mrs. Irene Brown; Ceylon, Miss Dorothy Erskine; Priceville, Mr Louis Bondi; Orange Valley, Mrs. H. McGee; Vandeleur, Miss Doreen Alcox.

Teachers To District Schools

Melancthon — S.S. 9, Miss Eleanore Sparks; S.S. 10, Ruth Smith; S.S. 12, Marion Stauffer. Egremont —S.S. 11, Betty Hincks; S.S. 12, Mr. Barry Thurston; S.S. 10, Miss Jane McLennan. Toronto — Kate Macmillan, Laura Boyd, Evelyn McTavish; Rouge Hill, Anne Akins; Joan Turney, Amaranth; Janett Hass, Kimberley.

Labor Day Message At St. John's Church

The world's choice to-day lies between a truly Christian democracy or Russian communism. The decision will be made not only on the largest number of submarines or the largest pile of atomic bombs, but upon which system, if either, serves the highest welfare of men and women. The only sure basis of a Christian Social Order is the individual redeemed by the spirit of Christ Himself, redeemed for service to God and one's fellowman. These were some of the thoughts underlying Rev. A. G. Macpherson's Labor Day message last Sunday.

Mr. Macpherson went on to say that the individual, not the nation or the race or the group, is of supreme value in the eyes of God. The welfare of the individual, therefore, is the ultimate test of every institution and organizationi, whether it is a labor union, a corporation or a government.

"The Christian Warfare" is the title of a new series of sermons to be commenced next Sunday.

Cousins Meet For First Time

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McNicoll and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart had their guests recents, Mrs. George Stewart and daughter, Georgina, of Grindstone City, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller and daughter, Betty, of Bad Axe, Mich. This was the first time the cousins had ever met. Mrs. Stewart had known of Mr. and Mrs. McNicoll and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart for several years, but never had the opportunity of meeting them and they greatly enjoyed their visit here. Mrs. Geo. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McNicoll, were born on a farm near Markdale, while Mrs. Stewart's husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stewart, were also born there.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirkpatrick of Meaford wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Freda Margaret, to Mr. Vernon Douglas Fawcett, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fawcett of Vandeleur. The wedding will take place September 16th.

Editor Enjoyed Trip Through Haliburton

The glories of the Haliburton highlands were investigated by the editor of The Advance, his wife and Jimmie, during the holidays which came to a close when we returned home Friday evening. It was a lovely trip, taken over territory where we had never been before and was thoroughly enjoyed.

We left home Thursday, the 24th, and spent the first night in Sunset Lodge, Huntsville, and Friday morning turned east to Dwight and down Highway No. 35 through Haliburton. We visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor at their boys' camp near Hall's Lake, which they were just closing up after a successful summer. The camp is ideally situated on a little lake, has a sand beach and good boating. It was a pleasant interlude in our trip. Friday night was spent in one of the King cottage at Mountain Lake, four miles north of Minden, which is a beautiful location for a camp and on Saturday our Journey took us to Fenelon Falls and Bobcaygeon, where we spent four days, loafing and fishing. Incidentally we caught three pickerel and two bass. Our ambition is to take a muskalonge, and some hefty ones have been caught there this year, our next-door cottager from Batavia, N.Y., having caught a 26-pounder the week previous in Pigeon Lake. We made an interesting call on Editor M. Thurston of the Bobcaygeon Independent.

While on a side trip to Thurstonia Park on Sturgeon Lake, we had the pleasure of going into a store and finding Bob Fawcett of Toronto, formerly of Kimberley, in behind the counter of his store, which he conducts along with his large number of cottages, cabins and dormitories. He can accommodate 100 persons who find pleasure at that popular summer resort. Bob and his wife are conducting a successful tourist business. Another side trip was made to Lindsay.

The return trip was made through Peterboro, spending Wednesday night at a cottage on the Ottonabee River. A visit was made to the Quaker Oats plant Thursday morning and a guide conducted us through the buildings, showing us the manufacture of Muffets, one of their main products, from the wheat kernels through the process of being formed into the well known round cakes and through the ovens where they were cooked. The packaging was interesting, and the whole process was completed without human hands once touching the cakes. Each of us received a box of Muffets on leaving, which we have enjoyed since coming home.

Thursday night and Friday we attended the Exhibition, but the time was too short to see all the interesting exhibits which are offered to the visitors during the world's largest annual exhibition.

Saturday we were back to work again, very pleased with the trip. We might say that the trip from Huntsville to Coboconk is very interesting and there is hardly a straight sretch of three hundred yards the entire length of the road, which twists and turns around lakes and outcroppings of granite, around high granite hills and across muskeg. However, the road is all paved and in excellent condition. Some other time we hope to enjoy a trip over other roads in beautiful Haliburton.

Sam: "Dey say dat de parrot am one o' the longest lived birds there is."

Rastus: "Ah spects de reason fo' dat am, he ain't no good to eat."

Successful Vacation School Held At Priceville

(By Priceville Reporter)

A summer vacation school was held in St. Columba United Church, with Rev. L. W. Mould and Mr. Douglas Gordon as leaders and 56 students on the roll. Misses Susie McKinnon and Joyce Tucker were in charge of the arts and crafts for the juniors, Emma Meads and Christina McKinnon in charge of the crafts for intermediates, and Isobel Karstedt and Betty Hincks in charge of the music, while Eleanor McArthur, Marilyn Hincks and June Meals had charge of games. Rev. A. J. Fletcher, and Rev. A. G. Macpherson of Flesherton, and Rev. Bailey of Dundalk were present and gave messages to the children.

A concert was given Rriday night by the Daily Vacation Bible School students that was enjoyed. The program opened with the singing of a hymn, followed by a chorus by the primary pupils, while choruses were also rendered by the juniors and intermediates, repeating verses from the Bible, the Ten Commandments, and the Beatitudes. They also repeated chorally the 23rd Psalm. Two puppet shows were well given by the intermediates, under the direction of Emma Meads and C. McKinnon.

Presentation of certificates to the pupils were made by June Meads and Eleanor McArthur, and two trios were sweetly rendered by Helen and Reta McKeown and Eleanor McArthur, accompanied by Isabel Karstedt at the organ. An address was read by Joyce Tucker and Arthur Vergoz and Judy Campbell made the presentation of gifts to Rev. Mould and Mr. Gordon, on behalf of the teachers and pupils, in appreciation of the their work and time spent with the school. Both ministers expressed thanks for the gift and said they had enjoyed working with the teachers and children. The singing of a hymn closed a very enjoyable evening.

Jean McMillan was presented with a cross and a Bible for being the best missionary, bringing the most pupils to the school. The display of handwork done by the pupils was in the basement and showed careful coaching by the teachers. Each piece was neatly done and was claimed by the children at the close of the program. A generous offering was taken to help defray the erpenses.

MR. AND MRS. M. S. McLEOD EXPRESS THEIR THANKS

It would be impossible for us to personally thank the many friends who contributed to the presentation to us, so with your co-operation and through the columns of The Advance we are desirous of extending our sincere thanks to our friends of the entire district.

It would be difficult for me to convey regrets at finding it necessary to leave my old home. For three generations my forbearers have enjoyed the privilege of residing in the old County of Grey, with roots so firmly planted it is difficult to pull out and transplant elsewhere, but with your good wishes and kind Providence we are hopeful that we will eventually be able to return to the shelter of friends who are part of our existance. In heartfelt appreciation for all you have done for us, and wishng everyone good luck and happiness,

Sincerely and gratefully,

—Snowden and Shirley McLeod

The best definition of domestic disaster is a two-year-old getting hold of mother's finger-nail polish.

Poultry Time Is Here

We are once more approaching the Poultry Season and we are again paying top market prices. So why not have our truck call and pick up your poultry. Just Phone 66, Flesherton and reverse the charges.

CLOSING WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

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Dundalk Fair

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Calf Club - Tractor Rodeo - Old-Fashioned Parade

School Children's Parade - Special Features

Dance Thursday Night

Concert and Dance Friday Night