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Cherry Grove

(Special to The Standard.)

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. E. Rigney on Thursday afternoon, November 23rd. The president, Mrs. Wm. Hoar, in the chair. There were twenty members and one visitor present. The National Anthem closed a very interesting meeting.

Mrs. Will Hutchinson and family moved to Markdale last week. We regret to lose from here a valued family, but we wish them success in their new home.

Mr. Wm. Young, of Markdale, was in the village on Friday evening last.

Mr. Arthur Young has returned home after a few weeks' visit with friends in Markdale and Durham.

Vandeleur

(Special to The Standard.)

Mr. John Weber has moved to Markdale and taken up residence.

Mrs. Will Hutchinson motored to Markdale one day last week.

Mr. Wm. Young, from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Young at Markdale on Friday.

Mr. D. McCallum, who has been engaged as auctioneer for some time past, has given up the business and has taken up his residence in Markdale.

Must Put Name on Mail Box

Under Department of Public Health regulations rural mail carriers will not be permitted to deliver mail to boxes which do not have the name of the box holder thereon. This ruling will be strictly enforced after the first of January, 1923. There is no law that we know of that compels the farmer to put his name on the box, but it is a great advantage to many others than the mail carrier. It is also very simple operation to place the name on the box as all box holders have been furnished with a stencil for that purpose.

Personal greeting cards for Christmas at The Standard Office.

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SCHOOL REPORTS

MARKDALE HIGH SCHOOL

Report for November. The following pupils have taken 1st Class Honors during the month:

Form IV— C. Bennett, 2; L. Henry, 2; G. B. Littlejohns, 1; E. McHugh, 3.

Form III— I. Armstrong, 1; E. Armstrong, 1; J. Beaty, 2; D. Boyd, 1; C. Bowes, 1; J. Colgan, 3; I. Colgan, 1; E. Colgan, 1; E. English, 1; C. Foster, 1; E. Fee, 1; L. Fee, 1; Lillian Fee, 1; M. Littlejohns, 1; E. Lee, 1; R. Shaw, 2; M. Wiley, 1; J. Walker, 1; O. Wilson, 1.

Form II— H. Bowes, 1; M. Dundas, 2; J. English, 1; D. Hare, 2; Eva Lee, 1; A. Foster, 1; M. Noble, 1; F. Stafford, 2; A. Sullivan, 2; M. Thibaudeau, 1; M. Walters, 3.

Form I— E. Boyd, 2; S. Rowe, 2; G. Hannah, 1; C. Stephenson, 1; J. Sullivan, 3; D. McGee, 3; J. Ritchie, 1; C. White, 3; M. Perkins, 1; L. McCarthy, 2; A. Lee, 1; K. Halbert, 1; P. Lawson, 1; J. Mitchell, 2; W. Lee, 2; Marjory Hockley, 1; G. O'Henly, 1.

Report for November of Markdale Public School.

Form IV— C. Boyd, 65; R. Stephenson, 63; F. Armstrong, 61; R. Tooze, 60; I. English, 59; H. White, 57.5; M. McLaughlin, 56.2; E. Fadden, 49.2; W. Erskine, 53; M. Crowston, 51; K. Broadner, 49.4; E. Noble, 49; I. Noble, 48; L. Holley, 56; M. McEachnie, 43; E. Roberts, 41; L. McEachnie, 32; E. age, 25.

Jr. IV— I. Curry, 62.4; John Rossi, 62.7; Junie Rosen, 58; B. Dunn, 55; F. Earl, 53; A. Hockley, 51; M. Sullivan, 47.6; B. Alton, 47.4; D. Stephenson, 47; I. Morwood, 38; L. Barron, 31; H. Alton, 30; N. Mercer, 13; R. McCracken and E. Curry, not for examinations.

The numbers denote percentages. Number on roll, 33. Average attendance, 30.

W. J. Mousseau, principal.

Form III.

Sr. III— Hon. A. Matthews, 573; M. Sullivan, 551; D. Stephen, 516; A. Jackson, 485; J. Doney, 216.

Jnr. III— I. McCutcheon, 168; E. Foy, 141; H. Walden, 112; A. Wells, 128; Arch. Lee, 121; J. Gibson, 74.

Sr. II— Hon. E. Folk, 414; F. Armstrong, 355; M. Bowes, 319; M. McCracken, 241. Failed: A. Noble, 197; G. Hockley, 178; J. Lee, 121; M. Lacey, 133; M. McLaughlin, 124; H. Whitney, 124; S. Stephenson, 41.

Number on roll, 28. Average attendance, 25.

L. Howard, teacher.

Form II, Markdale Public School, for November:

Sr. II— M. Perkins; L. Folk; B. Jones; N. Hutchinson; B. Johnston; E. Noble; W. Broadner; B. Gallagher; M. Lyons.

Jr. II— H. Irwin; W. Bradey; A. Noble; J. Noble; R. Irwin; C. Cargo; V. Richardson; E. Thibaudeau; G. Sloan.

I— C. Russell; M. Cullis; R. Armstrong; V. McCullough; M. Lee; N. Taylor; M. Summers; V. Ward; J. Alton; B. Hutchinson; C. Gibson; I. Moon; E. Freeman; M. Gibson.

Number on roll, 33. Average attendance, 31.

Ruby M. Sargent, teacher.

Sr. Primer— H. Sims; V. Burnside; J. Taylor; B. Hockley; C. Elder; E. Irwin; M. Folk; J. Gibson; Jack Gibson; E. Ward; E. Stephenson; W. Summers.

Average attendance, 27.

M. E. Mann, teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 9, Euphrasia, for November:

V— M. Parker.

Sr. IV— P. Parker; E. Murray; R. Rennie; M. Clarke*.

Jr. IV— B. Parker.

Sr. III— L. Sparling; A. Parker.

Jr. III— A. Parker; B. Rennie; L. Bestward; G. Murray; F. Surry; I. Sparling; B. Stewart.

Sr. II— J. Rennie; F. Rennie.

Sr. I— S. Rennie; J. Sparling; L. Breadner.

Pr.— I. Parker; E. Woods; H. Parker and V. Rennie, equal.

M. Coffey, teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 6, Holland, for the month of November.

Jr. IV— R. Walton*; M. Stafford*; W. Baille*.

Jr. III— D. Bailie*; D. Walters*; V. Hannah*; I. Bradley*; S. McFadden; J. J. Matthews.

Jr. II— Elmer Ransom*; M. Ransom*; G. McFadden*; H. David; R. McFadden*; E. Hannah; G. Walker*; E. McFadden; G. Lyons*.

Jr. I— G. Walters*; G. Clarridge*; V. Flyan*; C. Allen*; M. Matthews; Earl Ransom.

Pr. A— R. McFadden*; E. Gawley*; M. Walker*; M. Kirke*; D. McFadden.

Pr. B— C. Ransom*; M. Kirke; G. Ransom.

A * denotes perfect attendance. Number on roll, 33. Average attendance, 30.

Mamie McPherson, teacher.

Report of U.S.S. No. 18, Glenelg and Artemesia, for November:

Sr. IV— L. Hill, 62; M. Wilson, 67; B. Hill, 55.

Jr. IV— C. Davidson, 72; L. Thibaudeau, 62; C. McKechnie, 47.

Sr. III— L. D'Arcey, 50; T. Norris, 43.

Jr. III— J. Hamilton, 40; V. Davidson, 69; W. Wilson, 49; S. Thibaudeau, 55*; B. Hill, 33; W. McKechnie, 35.

Sr. II— B. Norris, 64; G. Hamilton, 57*.

Jr. II— R. Norris, 69; A. Hill, 70; H. Wilson, 84; R. McKechnie, 77.

I— B. Kinney, 73; I. Sewell, 77.

Pr.— W. Brodie; M. Brodie; V. Sewell.

A * denotes that pupil has missed one or more examinations. Number on roll, 25. Average attendance, 24.

Mrs. Francis J. Seeley, teacher.

Report of the Junior Room, Kimberley School, for November:

Jr. III— C. Camack; R. Hammond; R. Stuart; M. Hammond, absent; L. Lawrence.

Jr. II— D. Berry; S. Ellis; S. Harvey; M. Cornfield; I. Wickens; E. Weber; K. Gilbert; M. Flood, absent.

Jr. I— C. Soul; M. Flood; I. Harris; B. Berry; E. Harvey.

Jr. Pr.— N. Stuart; G. Turner; A. Wickens.

Pr. A— H. Harvey; G. Cornfield; T. D. Berry; C. Lawrence; K. Flood.

R. Hutchinson, teacher.

HOLLAND COUNCIL

Holland, November 6th, 1922.

Council met on the above date for the transaction of Township business. All the members present. Reeve Howey presiding, the Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Gardner—Sargent—That a grant of $10.00 be made to the Farmers' Institute, in order that all farmers in the Township may become members.—Carried.

Gardner—Sargent—That Roy Whiddon be refunded his land tax for 1922, amounting to $33.80, on account of loss by fire.—Carried.

Gardner—McLean—That the opinion of this Council is that the Township Council should co-operate with the Cattle Breeders' Association in getting the Assessor to take a census of all bulls in the Township.—Car.

Sargent—Gardner—That Daniel Telford be allowed to refund to the Treasurer $2.40, overdrawn for sanitary service.—Carried.

McLean—Davidson—That the pay for Pelliny Roche in the Township be changed to $3.00.—Carried.

Mr. Gardner presented Report No. 9, of the Finance Committee, amounting to $128.80.

Sargent—Davidson—That Report No. 9 of Finance Committee, amounting to $128.80, be adopted as read.—Carried.

Mr. Sargent presented Report No. 9 of Road and Bridge Committee, amounting to $389.56.

Davidson—Sargent—That Report No. 9 of Road and Bridge Committee, amounting to $389.56, be adopted as read.—Carried.

McLean—Davidson—That H. W. Sargent be authorized to have all necessary repairs to all attended to and also to procure two cords of wood.—Carried.

Council then adjourned until Friday, December 15th, at 10 o'clock.

JAMES P. HARE, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL

The Council met at the Township Hall, Rocklyn, on Friday, November 10th, all members present, the Reeve in the chair. The Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Patton—Erskine—That the account of Henry Leed, for gravel supplied the Euphrasia Lumber Co., on 3 and 4 sideroad, con. 1, be not entertained.—Carried.

Thompson—Hutchinson—That the Treasurer receive from W. H. Erskine the sum of $53.00, being Artemesia's share for money spent on townline, south.—Carried.

By-Law No. 15, levying school rates; No. 16, arranging nomination meetings and appointing deputy returning officers and poll clerks; No. 17, arranging fees to be charged for rents of Hall, were passed and filed.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid: R. A. Rennie, for Euphrasia's share for moving crusher, $8.60; Wm. Breadner, for drawing gravel, $10.00; T. H. Richardson, for putting in culvert at lot 6, con. 11, $11.00; Jas. Leopard, to pay for work in his road division, $18.09; Jess Mears, for 4 yards of gravel, 80c.; E. Manning, for cedar and ditching on 28 and 28 sideroad, $8; B. Smith, to pay for work on crusher on 27 and 28 sideroad, $94.84; A. Taylor, for Euphrasia's share for work on townline, west, $79.50; H. Parker, for repairs to grader, $4.15; Wes. Patton, for repairs to Township Hall, $1.50.

The Council adjourned until December 15th.

N. L. CURRY, Clerk.

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Department of Agriculture

Hog Grading Results

After a month of hog grading it has been found that Ontario farmers are delivering only 35-40% of select bacon hogs. Hogs shipped from Quebec are only 25-30% select, but there have been a large number of Approved Bacon Type Sires sent to that province, so that the future is bright for a large percentage of selects.

The low percentage produced explains the decline of popularity suffered by Canadian Bacon products in the British Markets. It behooves every farmer to waken up so that the British Market will not be lost altogether.

Advertising Farm Products

It is regrettable that Farmers' Products are not more largely advertised. A recent article in one of the Farm Journals makes mention of the fact that on the Butter Exports to England there did not appear the name of "Canada." The people seeing the dray loads of butter did not know where it was produced.

We find that same condition within Canada. There does not seem to be an understanding of the value of advertising our produce. It pays big manufacturing establishments and it will pay farmers.

In an endeavor to produce a distinctive Grey County product last year, the Department of Agriculture, Markdale, had a large cotton sign, bearing the inscription, "Eat Grey County Lambs. Highest Quality Obtainable." That sign was hung over the pens of Grey County lambs at the Union Stock Yards. It resulted in a large premium over top marked prices, and even after the lapse of one year that premium is still paid whenever high grade lambs are consigned. It pays to advertise farm products as well as manufactured articles.

LAMB IMPROVEMENT WORK

The official list of the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair gives an account of the sale of 92 Grey County Lambs on August 1st, 1922. Briefly the Report is as follows:—

10 lambs for 13c. per pound; 15 lambs for 13c. per pound, and 72 for 12½c. per pound, when the prevailing prices on the market that day for the lambs marketed was from 11 to 11½c. per pound. The advance was thus 1c. to 2c. per pound.

The main reasons for the increase was the use of a pure bred sire, docking, and castrating. The lambs were well fitted, and of the proper weight.

If every lamb marketed in Grey County had been bred right and marketed at the right weight, the extra money secured would have gone a long way in paying the farmers' taxes in Grey County at the present time. Let every farmer get busy and properly take care of his sheep. They are the most profitable animals on the farm.

WOOL PROSPECTS

In a letter recently sent out by the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers, it is claimed prospects were never better. The supply of wool on hand is being quickly used and Sir Arthur Goldfinch, one of the best authorities on the woollen trade, declares that all classes of wool will be scarce. He forecasts a big demand for cross-bred wools. It is this type which is produced in Canada. Stay with the sheep. They will pay big dividends.

SHORT COURSES

Beginning on January 2nd, and finishing on February 3rd, Short Courses in Agriculture, Domestic Science and Home Nursing, will be held at Clarksburg and Holstein. If possible, a few three-day judging courses will be held in conjunction with several Agricultural Societies. These are staged in order that the greatest number of young men will be given an opportunity to learn the fundamentals of Stock Judging.

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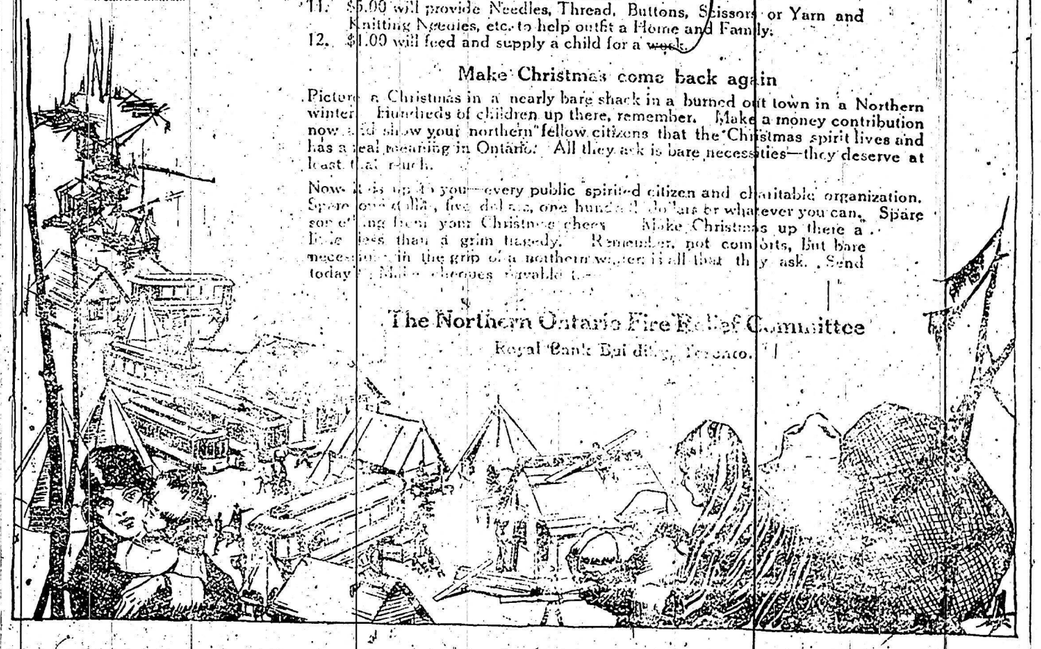

The patriotic folk of Northern Ontario deserve your practical sympathy. Hundreds, yes, ten hundred families have been burned out—and must start all over again. These wonderfully rich farms, mines and aggressive young towns will be rebuilt and come back to their own—but it takes time. And in the meanwhile they must live, they must have temporary shelter and there's nobody to give it to them if we don't.

Suggestions for contributions from Clubs, Factories, Organizations, etc.

1. $100.00 will provide a Shelter Shack for a Family and Rough Stable for Cattle.
2. $50.00 will provide a Shelter Shack for Family.
3. $50.00 will provide Food and Supplies for a Family to May 1st, 1923.
4. $100.00 will provide a Wagon for Settler.
5. $75.00 will provide a Set of Harness (double).
6. $60.00 will provide a Set of Bobs or Sleigh for a Farmer.
7. $25.00 will provide a Sewing Machine for a Home.
8. $20.00 will provide Kitchen Furniture for a Family.
9. $15.00 will provide Cooking Utensils for a Family.
10. $9.00 will feed a Family for a week.
11. $5.00 will provide Needles, Thread, Buttons, Scissors or Yarn and Knitting Needles, etc. to help outfit a Home and Family.
12. $1.00 will feed and supply a child for a week.

Make Christmas come back again

Picture a Christmas in a nearly bare shack in a burned out town in a Northern winter. Hundreds of children up there, remember. Make a money contribution now and show your northern fellow citizens that the Christmas spirit lives and has a real meaning in Ontario. All they ask is bare necessities—they deserve at least that much.

Now it is up to you—every public spirited citizen and charitable organization. Spare one dollar, five dollars, one hundred dollars or whatever you can. Spare something from your Christmas cheer. Make Christmas up there a little less than a grim tragedy. Remember, not comforts, but bare necessities in the grip of a northern winter is all that they ask. Send today. Make cheques payable to—

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1922

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