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Flesherton

(Special to The Standard)

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute held last week at the home of Mrs. F. H. W. Hickling was well attended and specially interesting. Papers of unusual merit were given by Mrs. (Dr.) Murray and Mrs. (Rev.) Oke, the former on "Girls' Rights and Duties to the Home," and the latter on "Little things that make life beautiful." During refreshments the usual social time was spent.

Dundalk Junior Hockey team played a match with the intermediates here last week and contested it well, but the score was against them 8 to 2.

Mr. G. W. Littlejohns, Toronto Line, had a trying experience a few days ago saving one of his horses from drowning. While being watered at a near by creek, the animal went out on the ice over a dangerous sink hole and breaking through, sank until only its head was above the water and mud. A neighbor came to assistance, but all efforts to get the beast out were futile until another horse was hitched to the perishing one, which was, with difficulty, hauled from its dangerous position and taken to its stable. With blankets, quilts, etc., the shivering animal was heavily wrapped from head to feet and a coal oil stove used to restore warmth to the body. After several hours' care circulation was restored and the animal came back slowly to normal condition, apparently none the worse for its chilling. Mr. Littlejohns and neighbor got a cold drenching, but were gratified at saving the beasts life.

Genoe—Duckett—The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duckett, 4 miles from Flesherton, was the scene of a pretty wedding at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening, February 7th, 1923, when their youngest daughter, Mary Maude, was married to Mr. Alfred R. Genoe, of Eugenia. About seventy-five guests witnessed the ceremony, which took place beneath an artistically decorated arch of evergreens and was conducted by Rev. F. C. Fowler, B. A., of Flesherton. Miss Muriel Carruthers played the wedding march. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a pretty gown of blue silk, and was attended by her niece, Miss Mary Duckett. Mr. Roy Genoe, cousin of the groom, was best man. After the ceremony a choice wedding supper was served and the pleasure of the occasion continued until a late hour. The house decorations were very pretty. The bride received many beautiful wedding gifts.

Rev. J. F. Latimer, for many years a superannuated Methodist minister, died last week in Toronto in his 94st year. Mr. Latimer was one of the early pioneer ministers here who labored successfully and endured the hardships of those early days. He was stationed at the then large Flesherton Circuit from 1861 to 1864. There are but few living now to whom he ministered then. Mrs. Wm. Clayton and Mrs. Geo. Rutledge are, we believe, the only two old residents of Flesherton who have survived him.

We are pleased to learn from Lieut.-Col. A. G. Campbell, of Toronto, that his esteemed sister, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, a former well-known old resident here, is recovering from a severe illness in which her life was despaired of. Her old friends here are pleased to learn of improvement and wish complete recovery.

Mr. Ray Pedlar, 4th Line, has met with misfortune recently by the loss of a valuable horse, one of his matched team, which dropped dead suddenly, and a fine beef animal ready for market. Mr. Pedlar has had a severe attack of flu from which his friends are pleased to see him recovering.

The numerous friends of Mr. W. H. Wright, K. C., of Owen Sound, are pleased to learn of the honor conferred upon him by being elected a bencher of the Law Society of Upper Canada. Congratulations to our Flesherton boy.

Among wills probated in Toronto last week we noticed that of Mr. Samuel Wauchope, of King Township, who bequeathed his estate of $5350 entirely to his widow. The deceased was brought up at Saugeen Junction and spent many years of his life in Artemesia.

The High School Board here are alive to the interests of the school in keeping up complete equipment. For greater efficiency in work more black board space was needed and last week the want was well supplied.

The Methodist Young People's Society held a Valentine Social on Monday evening and realized a nice sum. A varied and pleasing program was rendered and with refreshments an enjoyable time was spent.

The executive of the Presbyterian Guild have decided to issue a fortnightly paper in the interests of their work. The Pastor, Rev. F. G. Fowler, is appointed editor, together with the following reporters: For the village, Miss Amanda Stewart; The Guild, Bert Sparks, Jas. Stewart, Elsie Ferris, Pearl McMaster; Sunday School, Miss Mary Paton; W. M. S., Mrs. Frank Duncan; Ladies' Aid, Mrs. (Dr.) Turnbull; The Choir, Mrs. Jos. Blackburn; The Bethany Class, Mrs. (Rev.) Fowler.

Communion was dispensed in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning when Miss Eva Inkster was received by letter from the Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto.

In the absence of Rev. F. G. Fowler, who was preaching near Ingersoll on Sunday, Mr. Bentham, a Knox College student, supplied the Presbyterian pulpit and delivered a good sermon. His subject was "Joy," based on St. John 15:11.

The grippe epidemic is felt in many homes here, but not as severe as in many places. Among those who have been confined to their homes for a few days are the following business men: Postmaster Trimble, W. H. Bunt; F. G. Karsted, Jas. Stewart and Wes. Armstrong.

The press despatches from Vancouver on Monday, reporting the finding of the dead body of Dr. J. W. Mahan, missing for several days, was a shock to those who knew him here.

Mr. Jos. Field showed us an interesting photograph on Monday, taken at Niagara Camp 48 years ago, of the old No. 6 Volunteer Company here, one of the best in the 35th Regiment. Many of the young men have long since gone from here. Joe was then an officer and an active member of the Company and received his military training under his father, who was a born soldier and an efficient officer. The souvenir is highly prized by the owner. Lieut.-Col. A. G. Campbell was in command.

Messrs. Henry Down, Alf. Down, Thos. Bentham, G. H. Weston, J. A. Stewart, J. A. Hogarth, Ed. Best and C. J. Bellamy, of the Orange Lodge here, attended the County Lodge meeting at Dundalk last week. Those from Orange Valley Lodge were, W. J. Beatty, G. W. Littlejohns, W. J. Sutherland, W. Alcox and W. Bowles. It was decided to hold the County celebration at Flesherton on the 12th of July next. The semi-annual County meeting is to be held at Flesherton, when it is expected the Grand Master will be present.

Mr. John Runstadler, of Toronto, made a business trip here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henry were in Toronto last week visiting their daughter.

Mrs. W. J. Meads was called to Toronto on Saturday last by the illness of her son and daughter.

Mrs. W. J. Bellamy returned last week from an extended visit with her sisters and brothers at the old home near Collingwood.

Mr. G. A. Keith, of Toronto, spent Sunday with his wife and children who are visiting Mrs. Hickling.

Miss Ruby Armishaw, of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hickling, and other relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Hodgson returned to her home at Lisbon on Saturday after visiting her mother, Mrs. Trimble, whose condition is slightly improved.

Mrs. F. G. Karstedt, whose health has been very poor for some time, but was recovering, suffered a relapse recently from which we are now pleased to learn she is making good recovery.

Miss Laura Henry leaves this week to attend the millinery openings in Toronto, from where she will return to her former position in Meaford.

Mrs. C. N. Richardson has been in charge of the postoffice for a few days, owing to the illness of her father with the grippe.

Water has run very low in a number of wells in the village and we learn some farmers outside are suffering for want of water. Mr. F. Cairns here is taking advantage of the low water to clean out and improve his former curbed well by having it filled up and made more than ever sanitary.

Mr. John Burk, of Shelburne, and Mr. James Orr, of Toronto, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Henderson last week.

Eugenia

(Last week's items.)

We have been favored with some real cold weather in our burg.

We are pleased to see Mr. J. K. Jamieson out again after being confined to the house for some time.

Mr. Cardwell Graham and Mr. Harry Foerster spent a few days in the city.

Mr. Fred Pedlar entertained his Sunday School Class of boys on Friday evening last, when all enjoyed a fine time.

Sorry to report Mrs. Jos. Sherwood on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hoy and daughter, Miss Mabel, visited over the week-end with Mrs. Hoy's sister, Mrs. A. Tuohy, of Meaford. Mr. Dan. Fawcett and Miss Lily Campbell accompanied them. Mrs. Tuohy is slowly recovering from her recent operation.

Miss Marguerite Lever, of Toronto, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Martin.

Mr. Wesley Cooey is home from the city recuperating from an attack of pneumonia.

East Berkeley

The roads are in a poor condition, owing to the late storms.

Some of our young people attended the Anglican Concert at Berkeley and report a good time.

Mrs. Madill has returned from her recent visit to Toronto and Port Perry.

We are glad to have Mrs. Haines home with us again after her visit with Waterford friends.

Mr. Albert Livingstone is ill at the home of Wm. Foster and is under Dr. Dyde's care.

February has been a real winter month so far.

When you feel uneasy in your spectacles, don't hesitate to call and see us. Examination free.—J. Lucas.

Wodehouse

(Special to The Standard)

Owing to the prevalence of the influenza epidemic which is going the rounds in this vicinity the Girls' Club are forced to postpone their Box Social until a later date.

Nearly every house in this neighborhood has been visited by la grippe or Flu; some calls it one thing and some calls it the other, but either one is bad enough.

Since writing a couple of weeks ago, seven or eight families have been taken down with sickness and in some cases all in the house were down at the same time, with no person to look after their stock, which had to be cared for by neighbors who were on their feet and able to get around.

We were rather surprised, on reading the Riverdale Cor's. items of last week, to notice the outburst of illiteracy which he pulled off, as there was nothing in our reference to him in the previous week's items, to ruffle him. We don't think the majority of Standard readers enjoy reading such stuff, as we do not consider it news and it appears to be getting stale. If he is wise he will make a retraction, as this is our last reference or answer to him.

Mr. Haslam, of Markdale, was in this part on Saturday last, picking a load of cattle for shipment on Tuesday of this week.

The storms of last week made bad work of the roads north of here to Rocklyn for a day or two, but Mr. Johnston had men and teams out opening a track through.

The Services and Sunday School in New England Church have been cancelled for the present.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.

ALBERT WALKER, Lot 5, Con. 8, Euphrasia, will sell by public auction at his premises on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd, 1923 the following:

HORSES— Team of Agricultural Mares, 7 years old, matched; Driving Mare, [illegible]

CATTLE— [illegible] years old, due March 15th; 2 Yearling Steers; Heifer, 2 years old; [illegible]

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.— McCormick Mower; Deering-Harris Horse Rake; Set Iron Harrows; Scuffler, nearly new; Seed Drill; Walking Plow, nearly new; Disc Harrow; Gravel Box; Wagon; Hay Rack; Set Sleighs; 2000lb. Scale, nearly new; Buggy; Cutter; Set Team Harness, brass mounted; Set Single Harness; Range, nearly new; Heating Stove; Cream Separator; Churn; Butter Bowl and Print; Quantity of Alfalfa Hay; Quantity of Potatoes; Whiffletrees; Neckyokes; Forks; Chains; Shovels and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to Commence 1:30 Sharp

Hay, Potatoes, and all sums of ten dollars ($10.00) and under, Cash; over that amount ten (10) months' credit will be given on approved joint notes of five per cent. (5%) off for cash in lieu of notes.

Kindly keep the date in mind and arrange to attend this sale where everything is in good condition and must be sold without reserve as the Proprietor is giving up farming.

J. S. SHEPHERDSON, Auctioneer.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.

HERBERT JOHNSTON, Lot 30, Concession 11, Euphrasia, will sell by Public Auction at his premises on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD, 1923 the following:

HORSES— Filly, rising 3 years old, Agricultural; Filly, rising 2 years old, Agricultural.

CATTLE— Cow, 6 years old, calf at foot; 2 Cows, 5 years old, calves at foot; Cow, 4 years old, due time of sale; Cow, 6 years old, due March 18th; Cow, 5 years old, due March 12th; Cow, 3 years old, due April 20th; Cow, 3 years old, supposed to be in calf; Cow, 5 years old, supposed to be in calf; Cow, 9 years old, supposed to be in calf; 2 Farrow Cows; 10 Steers, rising 2 years old; 9 Heifers, rising 2 years old; 4 Fat Steers, (exporters); Steer, rising 3 years old; 10 Calves.

SWINE— Brood Sow, due time of sale; 2 Brood Sows, due April 18th; 9 Pigs, 3 months old.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.— Massey-Harris Hay Loader, nearly new; Massey-Harris Manure Spreader; Deering Fertilizer Disc Drill; Set Chatham 2000lb. Scales.

Sale Commences 1:30 o'Clock Sharp

TERMS OF SALE:

All sums of ten dollars ($10.00) and under, Cash; over that amount ten (10) months' credit will be given on approved joint notes or five per cent. (5%) per annum off for cash in lieu of notes.

It will be to your advantage to attend this sale, which affords an opportunity to purchase good Milch Cows or Young Stock at Auction Prices. All must be sold without reserve as the Proprietor is moving to a small farm immediately after the Sale.

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CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.

W. T. LYONS, Lot 20, Concession 12, Holland, near Harkaway, will sell by Public Auction at his premises on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1923 the following:

HORSES— Agricultural Team; Gelding and Mare, splendid pair.

CATTLE— Jersey Cow, 3 years old, due April 1st, good one; Cow, 3 years old, due May 19th; Cow, 9 years old, supposed to be in calf; Heifer, 2 years old, due May 19th; Heifer, 2 years old, due April 12th; 3 Heifers, rising 2 years old; Steer, rising 2 years old; 3 Calves.

SWINE— Pure Bred Tamworth Sow, due May 12th, splendid type; 6 Store Pigs.

POULTRY— 40 Good Hens.

IMPLEMENTS— Deering Binder; Also Deering Mower for repairs; Hay Loader; Land Roller; Corn Cultivator; Deering Cultivator and Harrow; Cockshutt Disc Drill, nearly new; Corn Cultivator; Deering Wilkinson Plow; No. 4 Hay Rack; Gravel Box; 2 Sets Heavy Harness; Set Single Harness; Buggy; Cutter; Boiling Pan and 40 Buckets; Sugar Kettle; Fanning Mill; Scuffler; Wagons; Wood Rack; Oak Hogshead; Set Spike Sks; Set Iron Harrows; A Number of Grain Bags; A Quantity of Corn Ensilage; Quantity of Potatoes; Chatham 2000lb. Scale; Whiffletrees; Neckyokes; Chains; Forks and other articles too numerous to mention.

Chevrolet Touring Car, in good condition.

Sale Commences 1:30 o'Clock Sharp

TERMS— All sums of ten dollars ($10.00) and under, Cash; over that amount ten (10) months' credit will be given on approved joint notes, or five per cent. (5%) per annum off for cash in lieu of notes.

Kindly keep the date in mind and arrange to attend this Sale, which is an exceptionally good offering and must be sold without reserve as the Proprietor has disposed of his farm and is leaving immediately after the Sale, and remember the Sale will start on time.

J. S. SHEPHERDSON, Auctioneer.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Of Pure Scotch Shorthorns and Grade Cattle

W. J. BOWES, 1½ miles south of Markdale, on Toronto and S. Road, will sell by Public Auction at his premises on FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST, 1923 at 1 o'clock sharp the following:

PURE BRED CATTLE — 9 Bulls, [illegible] from [illegible] to 18 months old; Bull, [illegible] 2 years old; [illegible] Calf; Heifer [illegible] supposed to be in calf. This herding of Shorthorns is an exceptionally well bred lot and are individuals as good as is along the most approved Scotch lines, viz: Crimsons, Shank Village Blood Lines, Campbell Clarets, Nonpareils, Floras and Missies and Duke of Richmond Lassies. The bulls and young cattle are robust individuals such as will, develop into profitable sires, while the two females are animals of high merit. Don't overlook this opportunity to purchase a herd sire.

GRADE CATTLE— Cow, 6 years old, due May 5th; 2 Heifers, two years old, due May [illegible]; 4 Yearling Cattle.

HORSES— Team of Agricultural Mares, well matched.

SWINE— Pure Bred Tamworth Sow, due March 15th.

Sale Will Commence at Two o'Clock Sharp and Will Be Held Under Cover.

TERMS— Eight months' credit will be given on approved joint notes or five per cent. (5%) off for cash in lieu of notes.

J. S. SHEPHERDSON, Auctioneer.

Tenders Wanted

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Sealed tenders, marked "Tender," will be received by the undersigned up to 6 o'clock p.m. on Monday, March 5th, 1923, for the erection of a School Building in S. S. No. 2, Artemesia, according to plans, specifications of which may be seen at the office of The Markdale Standard in the Village of Markdale.

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