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Presbyterian Church Notes



Minister, Rev. W. A. MacWilliam
St. Andrew's Church
11 a.m., Bible Class and Sabbath School
7 p.m., Public Worship
Choir rehearsal Tuesday night
Ladies' Auxiliary and Thursday of each month
W.M.S. 4th Thursday of each month

United Church Notes

Minister, Rev. S. Martin, M.A.
Sunday, January 15th, 1928
10 a.m., Sabbath School and Bible Class
11 a.m., Divine Services
7 p.m., Divine Service
Monday, 8 p.m., Regular meeting of Young People's Society under the leadership of Christian Citizenship convener. The subject is, "How can young people promote World Brotherhood." All young people are given a cordial welcome to these very live meetings.

Anglican Church Notes

Rector, Rev. J. Graham, B.A., L.Th.
Sunday, January 15th, 1928
10:00 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class, St. Paul's Chatsworth
11:00 a.m., Morning Prayer, St. Paul's Chatsworth
3:00 p.m., Service St. Mark's Holland and Township
7:30 p.m., Evening Prayer, St. John's Desboro
Everyone cordially invited.

United Church W.M.S.

The first meeting of the year of the W.M.S. of the United Church was held on January 6th at 2:45 p.m. with a splendid attendance of members. The meeting was opened by singing of the hymn "Standing at the portals of another year," after which the President, Mrs. Carson, led in prayer. The minutes were read and approved and business done. A discussion regarding what form of social to be put on by the winners and losers of yard of coppers took place, and it was moved by Mrs. F. McFarlane that a vote be taken to have it in the near future. Carried. It was left to the captains to decide. It was also suggested that all members have their fees in by next meeting. The offering was received and the list of names of groups read. Mrs. Wardrop and Mrs. McNabb were asked to visit the sick and shut-ins.
Mrs. J. J. Fraser, the 1st Vice-Pres., then took charge of the meeting. Mrs. Thos. Pingle gave the Scripture Lesson and Mrs. Fraser explained very fully her course of study, it being the North-West Indians for this meeting. The first verse of "O Canada" as sung, which was very appropriate. The Roll Call was then given and some of the members responded to it by giving the name of a Missionary station or worker. Hymn 92 was then sung and Mrs. (Rev.) Martin gave a most instructive and interesting paper on "The Early Missionaries." An instrumental by Mrs. Kiff was much appreciated by all. Mrs. Halliday then gave a splendid reading which told us many things some did not know regarding our Missionary Work. Mrs. H. Bell, in her usual good way gave a vocal solo. The youngest member of the Society, Little Marion Stewart, delighted the ladies with one of Pauline Johnston's poems, which was very much enjoyed. The meeting closed with hymn 109 and prayer by Mrs. Martin.

East Berkeley

Mr. Mark Madill of Indian Head, Sask., is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Madill.
Mr. W. J. Middleton has installed a radio recently.
Mr. Smart of Beaverville was a caller here recently.
Mr. Goldwin Murray has returned home after being with Mr. Gordon Steer for the past month.
Mr. Robinson of Holland Centre has been buzzing wood in the neighborhood lately.
Miss Laura Fee of Welland and her sister, Miss Lillian Fee, of Lauriston, teachers, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steer.
Our mail carrier, Mr. David Bradley, took Monday as his holiday.

CHATSWORTH LOCAL NEWS

Owen Sound Team Lost At Chatsworth 7-3

A team of Owen Sound hockey players journeyed to Chatsworth on Wednesday night and played a game with the sextette of this village, being beaten by a formidable aggregation by 7 to 3. The Owen Sounders scored shortly after the start but they trailed for the rest of the distance, the home team coming back to promptly net the puck twice and went out to increase their lead. Anders and Noble played good hockey on the visiting defence, and Chapman saved some hard shots in goal. Dudgeon, Lenahan and Bomalick were effective on the front line. McFarlane, Woods and Dudgeon starred throughout with their fine work on the Chatsworth forward line. The teams:
Owen Sound—Goal, Chapman; defence, Anders and Noble; centre, Asar Dudgeon; wings, Lenahan and Bomalick.
Chatsworth—Goal, Loucks; defence, C. Dudgeon and Sinclair; centre, A. Dudgeon; wings, McFarlane and Woods.
Referee, Bill Galbraith, Chatsworth.

Chatsworth Hockey League

There was a good attendance at the hockey meeting held in Louck's garage on Friday evening last and at which the Chatsworth Hockey Club was organized. Officers were elected as follows:
President, Dr. M. Phillips;
Managers, L. L. Sinclair and E. McFarlane.
Treasurer, C. Loucks.
It was decided to have a Village League and a schedule of games will be arranged. Three teams will be entered and the following have been appointed as captains, L. L. Sinclair, C. Dudgeon, Ed. McFarlane.

Officers of L.O.L. No. 841

At the regular meeting of Chatsworth L.O.L. No. 841, held on Thursday evening of last week the following officers were installed for 1928:
W.M., A. Elliott.
D.M., Rev. J. Graham.
Chaplain, Rev. S. Martin.
R.S., S. L. Crane.
P.S., H. W. Norton.
Treasurer, V. Richardson.
Secretary, H. Davidson.
Deacons, Jas. Byers and W. Davidson.
Worship, A. Carson, J. McNabb, W. Elliott, S. Hamilton.

Women's Institute

The Abbott Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. A. G. Chisholm on Tuesday, January 10th. The meeting opened in the usual way with the opening exercises. The roll call was answered by New Year resolutions. Twenty-one members and several visitors were present. Letters of thanks were read from the sick and convalescing members. After the business was over the program consisted of community singing and an instructive talk by Mrs. R. Webster on "Distinguishing textiles, how to tell cotton from linen etc." An interesting program was given by the proprietress, Mrs. Alex. Elder giving a splendid paper on "How to Care for House Plants" and Mrs. Robt. Hogg, Mrs. Alex. Elder telling of their way of making biscuits. Rev. W. A. MacWilliam gave a very impressive address on "Temperance" which was very much enjoyed. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to him by Mrs. Robt. Webster and closed by singing "Best be the Tie that Binds." Lunch was then served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. H. Merriam and Mrs. J. Collins.

Strathavon

(Special to The Banner.)
The Annual School Meeting was held on Wednesday, December 28th, with a good attendance of ratepayers. The Trustees for the ensuing year are Jack Anderson, Sec., Norman Dixon and Edward McKibbin. Mr. James Mustard has the contract for care-taking and cleaning the school. The Mr. Duncan Morrison and Archie Mustard. Mr. George Ramage was chairman of the meeting.
- Sorry to report Mr. J. Anderson and Miss Marjorie with erysipelas; also Mrs. Chas. Sutherland.
- Miss Margaret Howey returned to Toronto, having spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howey.
- School re-opened on Tuesday after the Christmas vacation.
- Mrs. E. Price returned to Owen Sound on Saturday after spending the past two weeks with her niece, Mrs. Norman Dixon.
- Mr. Dave Sutherland spent Sunday with friends at St. Vincent.

The Late Mrs. M. Shute

Another of the pioneers of Holland township passed away on Monday, January 9th, in the person of Mrs. Mary Shute. The late Mrs. Shute was born in Scotland in 1851 and came to this country with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. James Tennant, at the age of two years. The family settled near Georgetown, afterwards moving to Bruce Mines. Sixty years ago she was married to the late Richard Shute and came to Holland township, where she has resided ever since.
Mrs. Shute was of a quiet, homeloving disposition but was always ready to lend a helping hand. Since the death of her husband ten years ago, she has resided with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Hampton, of Holland township. A few days before Christmas she went to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Heighes, where she took suddenly ill and died after an illness of one week.
Of a family of nine children, there are eight left to mourn the loss of a loving mother, one daughter, Mrs. George Lihby, having died last January. The surviving members of the family are: Mrs. William Atchison, Owen Sound; Mrs. Joseph Hampton, Holland; Mrs. John Heighes, Walters Falls; James, of Port Frances; Anthony, Chatsworth; Richard, of Edson, Alta.; George, Pelly, Sask.; and John, of Sanford, Man.
The funeral will take place on Thursday at 1:30 p.m. to St. Mark's Church, Holland, of which the late Mrs. Shute has been a member ever since it was built.

Dornoch and Vicinity

(Special to The Banner.)
Wedding bells have been ringing in our burg again.
On Wednesday, January 4th, Miss Ruby Smith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Dornoch, became the wife of Mr. Wilfred Brown, formerly of Princeton, but now of the Town of Pictou. The bride's dress was of dark blue georgette and velvet. She wore a string of pearls and was unattended. The bride's uncle, Rev. James Fraser, Smith, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of only the immediate relations. Miss Annie Morrison and Miss Gladys Corlett waited on the table. Mr. and Mrs. Brown intend leaving for Pictou next week after spending a few days with friends here. We wish them a happy and prosperous journey through their married life.
We one and all congratulate Mr. Wm. Runnings on his success at being elected as Councillor for Sullivan. He headed the poll.
Mr. Angus McIntosh is wielding the rod at the Rpd Brick School in the absence of Miss Sybil Lawrence, who has been detained at home owing to the serious sickness of her mother. We all hope to see her back before long.
Mrs. Joe Frizzell returned home after spending a couple of weeks with her mother in Owen Sound, who has been sick.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Dargavel spent a few days last week with the former's sister, Mrs. E. McIntosh, and family.
Mr. Nelson McIntosh returned to Rock Mills after spending a week under the parental roof.
Mr. Archie McArthur bought a driver from McIntosh's last week. Cutting wood is the order of the day in our neighborhood.
A number from here attended the dance in the Hall at Williamsford last Friday night and report a good time.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robertson and family spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Morrison and family.

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SCHOOL REPORTS

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Sr. III.—James Sullivan*.
Sr. II.—Nora Lister, Denis Vasey*.
Sr. I.—John Vasey, Monica Vasey, Marguerite Hott.
II.—Stella Moran, Francis Kieffer*, Rose Moran.
Sr. I.—Walter Henderson, Gordon Henderson*, Murray Smith*, Alleen Dargavel, Wilfred Hott.
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No. on roll 22; average attendance 18.
Present every day during term marked*.
Mayme Sullivan, teacher.

Grey County Mothers' Allowances Board Payments

Sixty families in Grey County are beneficiaries under the Mothers' Allowances Act and receive a total of \$1910 monthly, half of which is paid by Grey County. The report for November showed that one family received \$55; two \$50; two \$45; nine \$40; eleven \$35; sixteen \$30; thirteen \$25; five \$20; one \$15.
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Special Announcement

With this issue The Banner is reduced to a four page paper and the price now is \$1.00 per year in advance. Hand or mail your name and address, along with a one dollar bill, to G. W. Collins, Chatsworth, and The Banner will come to you for the next twelve months. Those who have already paid for 1928 will have their dates extended accordingly.

J. B. Bowes, Chatsworth Weather Sage, Issues Annual Predictions Covering the Coming Year

Mr. J. B. Bowes, the well-known Chatsworth weather forecaster, is to the fore with his long distance weather prognostications for 1928 and the first part of 1929, which will make very interesting reading for all who make any pretence of watching the weather conditions and its variations from year to year. Mr. Bowes has been spending quite a considerable time of late in calculating his forecasts for the next twelve months, and is satisfied that he will not be very far out. He bases all his predictions on scientific principles and maintains that he cannot go far wrong at any time.
With regard to 1927 he admits that he was a little bit off in the spring predictions, but that taken as a whole his forecast of a fairly dry season came true. A glance at the 1928 forecast goes to show that there is not a great deal of change from that of the past year, and that the coming year is going to be another dry one, although he does not think that it is going to be dry enough to be at all harmful to the farm crops.
These forecasts are for any part of the Northern Hemisphere located in the same relative position between the equator and the pole as North America, and are not to be applied to countries or areas which receive their heat from the torrid or ocean currents, such as Great Britain or the British Columbia coast. Mr. Bowes is very proud of his record of past years, notwithstanding the many criticisms which have been levelled at him, and he is prepared to stand back of any prediction he makes, admitting that no person can make a perfect forecast of weather conditions for a year. Following are his forecasts:
January—First ten days very cold; strong winds; heavy snow falls; balance very mild and calm.
February—First fifteen days quite mild and calm; about 17th cold and unsettled; 24th strong winds, rain, December 13, 18 and 23.
March—First few days the finish of the February storm, then real mild and dry to about the 24th, then cold, windy and wet.
April—About the 6th a very decided storm of wind, rain and heavy snow, very cold. This storm will be followed by very mild and dry weather for the balance of the month.
May—First week, very strong and heavy rains; balance very warm, calm and dry; conditions conducive to thunderstorms.
June—First few days mild. About the 6th very strong winds, heavy rains and frosts in Northern districts.
July—First week strong winds and heavy rains; balance very warm, calm and dry; conditions conducive to thunderstorms.
August—First half average temperature and quite dry; strong winds with rain about the 16th to 22nd, with balanced mild.
September—Average temperature, calm and dry to about the 26th, then cold winds with rain.
October—About average temperature, calm and dry to about the 20th, then very strong persistent winds, heavy rains and a very decided storm which will fill in the last 10 days of the month.
November—First few days will see the finish of the October storm; balance very decidedly dry and warm.
December—First ten days quite warm and calm; next fifteen days will have a very decided storm of strong, persistent wind, rain, and decidedly cold; last few days mild.
January, 1929—First three weeks very mild.
February, 1929—Quite mild. Strongest winds over the whole of the first week in January; and the following dates: February 22, March 24, April 6, May 1, June 5 and 29, July 1, August 16, September 28, October 24 and 28, November 13, 18 and 23.

CHATSWORTH NOMINATIONS FOR 1928

A meeting of the Ratepayers of the Village of Chatsworth will be held in the Town Hall at 7:30 o'clock sharp ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 13th, 1928

For the purpose of nominating properly qualified persons for the Offices of Reeve and Councillors for the Village of Chatsworth for the year 1928; also School Trustees for the School Board for School Section No. 1, Holland, Sullivan and Chatsworth. In the event of more candidates qualifying than are required to fill the Offices, and a Poll is demanded, an election will be held in the Town Hall, Chatsworth, on MONDAY, JANUARY 23rd, 1928 at 9 o'clock in the morning and shall continue open until 5 o'clock in the evening

G. W. COLLINS, Clerk