

EUGENIA

Dobson - Williams

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the parsonage, Maxwell on Saturday, Feb. 11th at 3 o'clock p.m., when Miss Mabel Olive Williams, daughter of Mrs. Bearcroft and the late Mr. James Williams, of the 19th line, Artemesia, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Joshua Dobson, son of Mrs. John Dobson and the late Mr. John Dobson, of the 12th line, Osprey. Rev. McNeill performed the ceremony. Their attendants were Mr. Ernest Fenwick and Miss Teresa Leppear. The bride looked charming in a pretty frock of monet blue, crepe-back satin, trimmed with grey with hat, shoes and stockings harmonizing. After the wedding ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's mother, where a sumptuous wedding repast was served to the immediate relatives, the table being centred with a delicious wedding cake.

A pleasant evening was spent, after which the newly-weds departed for the groom's home, where they will reside for a while. We join in extending our heartiest congratulations to them and hope they may enjoy many happy and prosperous years of wedded life.

The Sunday School social is being held this Friday evening, Feb. 17th, in the basement of the church. There will be contests, games and music. Ladies will provide lunch. We hope it will be a nice night for the occasion.

Mrs. Sloan has returned home from a visit the past week in Toronto.

Mr. Johnston Wood of Mimico visited the past couple of weeks with his sister, Mrs. Will Magee.

Miss Margaret Sinclair, teacher, 8th line, spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Donald Sloan.

Mrs. Wilfred Magee and Mrs. Garnet Magee, 8th line, spent an afternoon the past week with the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. Hislop and Mrs. J. Campbell.

The dance which was to be held last Friday evening in the L.O.L. hall here was postponed until Friday evening, Feb. 24th, on account of the inclement weather.

KIMBERLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Semple of Feversham spent a day recently with Mr. Geo. McConnell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fawcett.

Miss Winnie Graham of Flesher-ton was a recent guest of Mrs. S. Burritt.

Messrs. Carl Carruthers and Ted Ayles were in Toronto for a few days last week.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. F. Weber on Tuesday last. The new president, Miss Haines, conducted this first meeting of the year. There were fifteen members and four visitors present. It was decided to make a quilt, also some aprons for sale and to continue the ten cent teas at the meetings. \$3.70 was taken in for the tea and fees.

Mr. W. Bennett had the misfortune to break his arm while cutting wood at Mr. W. Haines'.

The annual meeting of Kimberley United Church was held in the church Feb. 2nd. Mr. McCausland gave an opening address after which the different reports were given: Mr. G. Hutchinson for the Sunday School, Mrs. F. J. Weber for Ladies' Aid, Miss Mary Haines for W.M.S., financial report for board of stewards by Mrs. B. A. Carruthers, secretary. Election of Board of Stewards resulted as follows, Mr. G. Hutchinson, Mr. F. Chard, Mr. Wm. Haines, Miss Mary Haines, Mrs. S. S. Burritt, Mr. Wm. Grieve, Mr. F. J. Weber, Mr. Bruce Carruthers, Mr. Rutledge Stafford.

A vote of thanks was moved for Mrs. B. A. Carruthers for her careful and good work as treasurer.

Miss Geraldine Weber, stenographer at the Toronto Globe office is spending a week at her home in the village.

Mrs. Frank Davis spent a day with her mother Mrs. Plewes.

WODEHOUSE

While summing up the peculiarities of the passing winter, it would be unbecoming to over-look this up-to-date district of Wodehouse. It is quite unnecessary to travel as far as London to see flowers in the winter time when your neighbor district had them here in full array. Several of our alert and observant men espied dandelions during the latter part of January. We haven't a doubt, though, but that they need their unseasonable visit during the frigid spell of the past. How about it Riverdale. Any signs of vegetation?

A few from this community attended the sale of Mr. Haddon Hutchinson of Flesher-ton district on Wednesday of this week.

The many friends of Mrs. John Bussey of Markdale, (nee Miss Edna Cherry) are pleased to learn that she is improving after an operation for appendicitis in the Owen Sound hospital recently.

The height of the influenza epidemic has passed over without any

casualties, much to our pleasure.

We have in our burg at present a few efficient checker sportsmen. This game is becoming popular here and also creates interest to the on-lookers and contestants alike.

Mr. Jas. Kirkpatrick is engaged at present with his team assisting M. R. D. Carruthers and son of Kimberley putting in their stock of ice for use in their butcher shop. They are getting the ice on the mill pond here. It is of first class quality.

Mr. Edgar Fawcett is assisting his brother, Harold of the valley cutting buzz wood for a few days this week.

HARKAWAY

Born—On Sunday, February 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Halbert, a daughter.

Born—On Monday, February 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Madill, a son.

Mrs. Harry Baker and little son Jack, of Vandeleur, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Halbert and family.

On Sunday, Feb. 5th, Mr. T. H. Richardson had charge of the service in the United Church on Sunday afternoon owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Laycock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin, Shirley and Marshal were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Richardson visited on Tuesday last with Rev. and Mrs. Wakefield at Holland Centre.

Mr. A. A. Lyons and son Harold, attended the funeral of the late W. S. Walker on Wednesday. We extend our sincere sympathy to the widow and son and relatives in their loss.

The friends in this vicinity were shocked to learn of the sudden passing of the late William Leavens on Wednesday evening last. We extend our deepest sympathy to the widow and relatives in their loss.

EBENEZER

After a severe cold snap the weather is again fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Kirkpatrick and children of Wodehouse visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sewell one day recently.

Pleased to report Mr. Harold Knight able to be out a little after an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. R. W. Douglas and Lorne, also Mr. W. J. Morrison, were in Flesher-ton on Saturday of last week, attending the Artemesia Educational Association meeting at which the former had the honour of being appointed vice-president for the coming year.

The funeral of the late Mr. W. S. Walker at the church here on Wednesday afternoon, was largely attended. Rev. H. S. Warren, B.A., was in charge of the service.

SAUGEEN JUNCTION

Mr. Ed. Badgerow visited recently in Toronto.

Sorry to report Mrs. Charles Doupe ill at present.

Messrs. Ed. Batchelor and Joseph Park were in Toronto last Monday. Mr. Park remained for a few days.

Quite a number from here attended the hockey games in Markdale on Monday night and did their share of the cheering.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batchelor attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. McNulty at Balsam Valley on Tuesday.

CHURCH DEFICITS

Last week we reported a couple of annual meetings of local churches says the Editor of the Warton Echo. In both instances financial deficits were reported. Several members were mad at the Echo for giving publicity to this state of affairs. We fall to see what good could be sought in suppressing the truth. In fact much good may come of publishing the fact, "that we are in the hole." It may stimulate greater activity on the part of church members to get busy and exert themselves. I have been attending church annual meetings for forty years and in all that time I never remembered one of them, when things were ever different, there were always deficits. Churches are not expected to pay money dividends. If so they would not be functioning properly. And there is no disgrace in this state of affairs. It has been a bad year for most people in their own private financing and it must reflect itself in the churches as well as in all other public bodies. I once stated at a church meeting that the time would yet come when being a rich man, instead of being a matter of pride, would be a disgrace. After all is said and done very little of our wealth will stand up under the "plumb line" of Christianity. No man can accumulate a lot of money and at the same time live in the spirit of Jesus Christ. How many of us have yet grasped all that is implied in that old Biblical truth that "it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven."

GLENELG COUNCIL

According to the resolution of adjournment, met in the Township Hall on Saturday, Feb. 11th. All the members were present and the minutes of January meeting were read and confirmed. Communications were read from Ontario Bridge Co., re monthly literature; Geo. McCung, re patrol and present system; R. C. Muir, Chief Engineer Municipal Roads, acknowledging receipt in detail of expenditure on township roads in 1932. The Treasurer and Road Superintendent reported meeting the Reeve and Road Superintendent of Egremont in Durham re township expenditure. After comparing expenditures there was found to be an account of \$8.00 due Glenelg. This report was passed.

Accounts for relief were paid to the amount of \$35.82.

McGirr - MacCuaig—That Voucher No. 2, as presented by Road Superintendent, be passed, total amount \$9.10.—Carried.

The Clerk was instructed to notify County Treasurer to erase from his books arrears of taxes against lots 32, 33, 34, con. 3, N.D.R.

A letter from W. E. Harris, township solicitor, regarding certain tax arrears, was received and filed.

The following accounts were passed: Treasurer, postage and exchange to date, \$9.51; Treasurer, telephoning, 48 cents; McFadden's Drug store, journal paper \$1.20; Grey and Bruce Insurance Co., 2nd premium on township hall, \$7.20; Durham Chronicle, printing Treasurer's statements, ballots, stationery and advertising in 1932, \$151.08; Markdale Standard, nomination notices, \$1.00; Wm. Banks, on salary as caretaker, \$5.00; H. H. MacDonald, registering 20 births, 7 marriages, 13 deaths in 1932 \$10.

The auditors, Messrs. W. A. Robinson and Patrick MacMillan presented their report showing the total receipts for 1932 to be \$44,399.63 and total expenditures \$36,422.83, leaving balance on hand of \$7,976.80.

McGirr - Wright—That the Auditor's report be accepted and that this Council have 50 copies of same printed and that the auditors be paid \$15.00 each for their services.—Carried.

Wright - McKechnie—That this Council appoint a relief committee as follows: John McGirr, Robt. McFadden, Hector H. MacDonald.—Carried.

McKechnie - Wright—That the Clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law in blank to set amount of money to be spent in each patrol section during the current year, said by-law to be filled in at next meeting of Council.—Carried.

McKechnie - McGirr—That the Clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law in blank setting the salary of the Road Superintendent's Secretary for the current year, to be filled in at next meeting of Council.—Carried.

The Council adjourned to Saturday, April 1st.

H. H. MacDonald, Clerk.

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THE CASTING VOTE

The statutes provide that when two candidates for the wardenship have the same number of votes the reeve of the municipality with the highest assessment shall have the deciding vote. In the case of the tie vote for the wardenship of Bruce the reeve of Brant had the casting vote. Brant with an equalized assessment of \$2,582,000 (we are not quoting the hundreds) had already two votes on the wardenship and was, under the existing law, granted a third. Carriek with an assessment of \$2,431,000, Huron with \$2,327,000, Greenock with \$1,884,000, Culross with \$1,943,000, Elderslie with \$1,802,000 and Arran with \$1,791,000 had only one vote. Because these large municipalities fall short of having enough votes to entitle them to a deputy reeve they have only one vote for the wardenship this year. Brant had three times as many. Three votes for \$2,582,000 assessment is one for every \$860,000 while in the case of the other townships referred to they have only one vote for over twice as much assessment. It would be an improvement on the present law for a tie vote on the wardenship if the statutes were amended to give the casting vote in case of a tie on the wardenship to the most highly-assessed township with only one representative. So far as the result is concerned there would not have been any difference but it seems manifestly unfair that in a vote on any question one municipality should have three times the voting strength of others which have nearly as large an assessment.—Chesley Enterprise.

LOWER SCHOOL EXAMS

The Department of Education has just announced a change in the method of conducting the Lower School examinations. Commencing this year, these examinations will be conducted by the High School Entrance Boards instead of the Department, which will, however, prepare the examination question papers as usual. Presiding officers are to be appointed and placed by the High School Entrance Boards and the Boards are also charged with the duty of appointing the examiners, who will be paid at the rate of 25 cents for each paper examined instead of the flat rate of \$10.00 a day, which has heretofore prevailed. A fee of \$1.00 is fixed for each paper written, the total not to exceed \$5.00. The County Council or the High School Board holding the examination shall pay the expenses, but if these are in excess of the revenue derived from fee, the excess costs will be paid by the Department of Education upon receipt of a statement from the Secretary of the High School Board or the Treasurer of the County Council as the case may be. Principals of Schools have still the right to recommend candidates for certificates on subjects without requiring them to write.

A. H. Williams of Warton has purchased the Commercial Hotel at Beeton.

WILL ASK FOR REBATE

(Orangethorpe Banner)

At last week's meeting of Dufferin County Council, Reeve Hoare and Deputy Reeve Wardlaw, the Orangethorpe representatives, introduced the following motion:

"That the Warden name a Committee to consist of himself and three other members of the Council to interview the Honorable Minister of Public Highways relative to a rebate on the cost of construction of the two pavements from Melancthon north on Highway No. 10 and, if a satisfactory settlement can be arranged, the Government be asked to extend the work to the northerly limits of the Dufferin and Grey boundary in order to create employment within the County of Dufferin; if in the event that a satisfactory arrangement cannot be entered into the Department of Highways be asked to not construct any pavement within the county this year, and that the Clerk be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Minister of Highways; also that application be made for an extension of time for payment without interest on the construction done this year."

As far as our reporter could gather, the council takes the position that the reconstruction of this section of pavement should not have been necessary, had the road been properly drained and paved in the first instance. If the engineers advised the wrong type of road in the first place the mistake rests with them and the Department, and the ratepayers of this County should not be expected to pay twice for their share of the cost of construction. Mr. Baker, Chairman of the Good Roads Committee, Messrs. Donaldson and Hoare were named by the Warden as members of the committee.

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