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LEAD A YEAR IN

YOUR COLUMN

Mrs. Kinchen returned Sunday after spending a few days with Mr. and M.t. Jas. Griffin in Ottawa.

Mr. A. Goulet M. P. had the misfortune to lose his beautiful home at Bourget by fire Monday.

The Annual Meeting of L. O. L. District No. 2 was held at Metcalfe on Tuesday. A report will be given later.

Little Miss Jean Hamilton had the hard luck to fall while skating on Saturday night and break her arm near the shoulder. The arm is incased in a plaster cast, and she will be laid up for a time.

After winning their first three games Russell dropped Tuesday night's game to Chesterville by a score of 2 to 1.

Mrs. A. Fitzpatrick left this week to spend the rest of the winter with her daughter, Mr. Holmes and Mr. Holmes at Napanee.

The many friends of here of Mr. Jos. D. Eadie, formerly of Russell, will regret to hear of his sudden death at his home in Ottawa on Wednesday evening. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from his late residence to North Russell cemetery.

The new council met Monday and to look the other way.

A new man in the personnel selection gingers up the organization as the introduction of Mr. Brisson seems to have done to the Council.

They proceeded to clean house. Every official under their power was changed except the caretaker of Imbrun Hall. They divided jobs and cut salaries.

The appointment of assessor was left for the next meeting.

The majority of the business was done by three men.

Some dissatisfaction was expressed, but the proceedings of the council will be watched very closely, and it is to be hoped that no friction will arise to mar the good feeling which has prevailed for the past number of years.

Word was received by friends here of the death of Mrs. Wm. Fraser, of Halifax, N. S., on Jan. 4th. She was the mother of Mr. H. V. Fraser, formerly garage foreman at McArthur's garage.

Mr. Roy Hay, of Irma, Albt., is spending a few days with his father, Mr. Arthur Hay, who is seriously ill, having suffered a stroke of paralysis.

We would ask those indebted to us to call and pay us something as our creditors want their money and we want to pay them. We cannot live on air. Help us voluntarily or we will be forced to take steps which you will not like, and which we would not take in a less compelled.

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DISASTROUS FIRE

On Monday evening our town was visited by one of the most disastrous fires in its history which broke out in the factory of the Williams Chemical Co. about 8 o'clock.

Being situated at the station it had gained considerable headway before being discovered, and an open window on the east side with a lantern which had been left inside standing on the snow nearby, leads to the belief that thieves were responsible.

The Chemical building burned fiercely, and the chemicals stored made it dangerous to be around, as several explosions occurred, sending embers flying in all directions.

The factory was adjoined by coal sheds on both sides and on either ends were feed warehouses belonging to MacEwen and Stephenson and McArthur-Warner, Ltd.

MacEwen & Stephenson lost two coal sheds and feed warehouse with several hundred bags of feed.

McArthur Warner saved about three tons of clover, alsike and Timothy seed, but lost a few tons of mill feed. A warehouse about 10 feet west was saved by the hard work of volunteers assisted by the local chemical engine.

The O and N. Y. station was in danger for a time but a shift of dirt put it out of danger.

The Imperial Oil Company's storage tanks were just east of the fire but escaped injury.

It was a most spectacular fire and attracted crowds from nearby towns.

The loss is somewhere about \$20,000 with insurance of about \$12,000.

The Williams Chemical Co. are already making plans to rebuild a fireproof structure and the others will be rebuilt in the near future.

Russell United Church

Rev. Thos. McNaught B.D.,
Minister

11 a. m.—Message, The Call of Isaiah.

7.30 p. m.—Public Worship.
Sunday School will assemble at 10 a. m.

A Christian Welcome to All

CARD OF THANKS

Words fail us to express what is in memory of the favors, kindnesses and sympathy shown to us by friends and neighbors, and especially by Mr. and Mrs. Dougal Cumming and Mr. P. A. McGregor, during the illness, death, and burial of my beloved husband, father and brother, and special thanks to Mrs. Tweed organizer.

Mrs. John A. McLaren and Family

Miss Margaret McLaren

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters, both male and female, for the excellent support they gave me in the recent Municipal election, and will endeavor in the future to be worthy of their continued support.

Adrien L. Triger
Reeve

FOR SALE

Three Milch Cows, two are now freshened and one to freshen soon also young horse, sound and right
Hackett Cherry
Russell, Ont.

The annual meeting of Russell Horticultural Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Browne, on Saturday evening, Jan. 13th, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and general business.

Howard Hamilton, Sec.

The annual meeting of Russell Agricultural Society will be held in the Forester's Hall Saturday afternoon, Jan. 20th., at 1.30. Reports of officers, election of officers and general business.

Howard Hamilton, Sec.

LOST

In Russell, on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd., a red and white collie dog. Anyone seeing him please notify
E. Rice
Kenmore, Ont.

TENDERS FOR WOOD

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, Jan. 15th., 1934, for a supply of Hard Maple or Elm Wood for S. S. 17 and 18 Russell and Cumberland Wood to be delivered at school
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