The weather is calm with bright sunshine this week. Roads are in a fair condition but still quite frosty. 5th, and will be at home to their Mr and Mrs. Albert Morrison (nee Grace Mountain) who came east from Sask, three weeks ago, to be present at her father's funeral, returned

home Tuesday last.

Some farmers here this winter. have been selling their surplus alfalfa clover hay to the Rob Roy Mills, Durham, where it was ground into alfalfa meal and chopped out. Others have been getting a few tons of clover hay ground into meal at Mr John McGowan's mill for feeding purposes on their own farms.

Mr. and Mrs Richard Morrison marked their 50th wedding anniversary, quietly at their home on Feb 8th, Mr Morrison who has not been in good health for some time was able to be up for a couple of hours, during the day, and enjoyed a little of the fowl dinner.

Mrs Bert Barber spent last week at the home of her parents. Mr and Mrs Geo. A. Turnbull, S. Bentinck.

Mr Albert Morrison visited several times during his two weeks' stay in Grey County with his sister. Mrs F. Noble, and uncle, Mr. Richard Morrison and renewed old acquaintance with many of his old friends here. B. C., in remitting for her Review on ian churches of Fairbairn and Hol- Angus St., Regina, on the occasion He states in their part of Sask, they Feb. 20, writes, I note you are plan- stein was held Monday, Feb. 26, and of their golden wedding anniversary. had a fair crop last year in spite of ning to celebrate Knox Church 75th after a discussion on further pulpit Receiving with their parents were fowing resolution put on the Order the drought in some parts, and he Anniversary. We have been celebrat- arrangements, Mr. McElroy of Sea- members of the immediate family, Paper: "That, in the opinion of this has been fortunate enough to never ing this month the 75th anniversary forth was given a call to become the Mrs E. E. Kells, Mrs R. I. Traynor, House, a special committee should have a complete failure in a crop of Metropolitan United Church in new pastor. since going west a number of years Victoria. We had the Moderator with Mr D. Firth of Durham is taking Thair. ago. He carries on mixed farming us last Sunday. We have had a very Miss N. Shortt's place as teacher in and has quite a large herd of cattle mild winter. For some time we have but like all others, hopes for better had violets, snowdrops and crocus." prices for his grain and cattle soon. The monthly meeting of the W.M.S., of Knox Church, Normanby, will be held at the home of Mrs Bert Barber March 7. The word for roll call is "worship."

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oats, buckwheat, hay and some fur-niture. No reserved 10 mos. credit on approved joint notes bearing 6 COCKBURN BROS. G. E. DUNCAN, Auctioneer CREAMERY,

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WINDOWS

DROMORE

Mr. and Mrs John Bunston celebrate their golden wedding, Mar. friends from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mr Wallace Adams spent the wee end with his parents. Mr and Mrs. Victor Adams. Miss Edith Drimmie, Owen Sound,

spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs John D. Drimmie. Miss Laura Henderson spent the a program consisting of debate, mu-

week end with her friend, Miss D.

The young people are holding their meeting on Wednesday next, Mar. 7, when some young people are staging der and Mrs. Bell of Mount Forest, a debate.

The young people held their meeting last Wednesday, when over 30 were present. The Pres., Ray Adams occupied the chair, opening in the usual way. Orval Eccles read the scripture lesson, followed by Mrs R. Taylor, with an excellent paper on the topic. A short program was heard and games and lunch closed the meeting.

Most of the men folk purpose go- basement of the Presbyterian church ing to the Bodwell sale Thursday Wed. Feb. 21. After the usual ser-Sales have been few and far between vice, lunch was provided by Misses around here this year. Ailene Brown, Merta Alles and Mar-

TAKE NOTICE

died suddenly from heart failure. We, the undersigned, will accept Mrs. McCall and Miss Lillian attendtenders up to March 15, 1934, for the ed the funeral. Buttermilk from our Creamery at Mr Robert Christie Jr. went Holstein, Ont.

Conditions of sale for Tender: at Normal. Amount per ton of Butter - Cash | The social held in the United church WEDNESDAY, March 7-J. W. Johns every 30 days. Vendors agree to on Friday Feb. 23rd, was a success. on Mrs. Douglas farm, Orchard, give Contract for same for three The pictures on the life of Robinson will sell by public auction farm years. Highest Tender that is made Crusoe were enjoyed by all present. stock, implements, 175 bus. seed in actual figures accepted, subject to

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which was postponed from Feb. 15th

on account of illness and bad weath-

er, will be held in the Orange Hall

on Friday, March 9th. There will be

Congratulations to Mrs. Wm. Pin

on their seventieth birthday on Feb.

27th. We wish them many happy re-

daughter, Mrs Alex McPhail, a few

He is living with the Leith family.

Mrs. Geo. McCall received a mes-

sage last week that her sister's hus-

band, Mr. Polleski of Toronto, had

Stratford Tuesday to finish his course

Mrs J. W. Brown is spending a few

days last week.

jorie Moore.

Mrs James Hamilton visited

in aid of the Institute work.

The Saugeen C.G.I.T. are meeting with the Boys' Bible Class of the

Presbyterian church on Thursday evterwards Mrs. W. Hastie is serving them soup. The Woman's Institute 'At Home'

Community Circle held their week-Morrison in the chair. Scripture sic. etc. There will be a small charge there to enjoy it. Community singing was led by Robert Christie, A half hour of games, led by Islay Sim, was then enjoyed. Meeting closed daughter. Mrs Harry Pinder last get your collection next Monday Mr Corbett of Markdale visited his

The Saugeen C.G.I.T. met in the REGINANS MARK THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Miss Minnie Halpenny of Victoria. A joint meeting of the Presbyter- ning, Jan. 23, at their home, 2075 Mrs N. H. Pearce and Mrs W. S. be set up to investigate the causes

the Junior room during her illness, reception room and the tea table was prettily arranged in colors of the criminal." I believe the sunshine white and gold. Presiding at the tea of the south would have induced m table during the afternoon were Mrs to have delayed my return to this R. T. Brown and Mrs W. E. McNiv- frigid city had it not been that I was en and assisting were Miss L. Brown, most anxious to allow discussion on Miss Marjorie Kells and Miss Ruth my resolution, since, while it stood Traynor. In the evening Mrs G. Gow- in my name no one else could put er poured tea and Misses Bessie and on the Order Paper. Mable Brown, Miss Archibald, Miss The Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Ministe Atcheson and Miss Ramage assisted of Justice, crossed the floor and askin looking after the pleasure of the ed me if I intended to proceed with

Over 300 guests attended the re- told him I did not feel physically caception during afternoon and eve- pable of undertaking it that day, nor ning. Many telegrams and phone calls of congratulation were receivdays this week in Mount Forest with ed by Mr and Mrs Thair from friends and expressed my appreciation to one in Toronto and points in Eastern of my colleagues who said he did We noticed in Monday's Star that Canada. Many bouquets of flowers not understand how it could stand

ALLAN'S CORNERS

Mr John Kirby.

hay to Mr McGowan, Durham and has been busy delivering it during House the resolution is allowed to seeming indefensible position, I want stands at \$126,301.

ed recently at the home of J. C. the Speaker." ed recently among his congregation at St. Paul's Church and preached

his farewell sermon last Sunday. He

If you have something you are not using, why not sell it? A small ad-

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LEADER Record of Former Convict Unknown to Miss Macphail have sunshine and fresh air.

ening, in the form of a social. Af Realizes that she Made a Mistake in failing to Inquire into have never asked an ex-convict what his past record .- Government making capital of it?

As you know I have had a great

interest in penal reform for rears and a belief that our penitenould be done toward reforming the lease, they could with safety to ciety again take their place as ci zens. You know, too, that there have been riots in several of the Canadian penitentiaries and for the first time an awakened public opinion on subject. I felt that a debate in the House of Commons would serve a use ful purpose and I felt too that many een developed had there been group of Parlamentarians constantly of crime and to determine whether Flowers in profusion decorated the the penitentiaries of Canada are doing all that could be done toward protecting society by the reforming of

> my resolution on the 12th of Feb. had I my material ready. He told me he would arrange to have it stand

uncommonly kind, I took the trouble commencement of my speech on the made to protect the healthy from the responsible citizens. let in the Review may find a buyer. "It is true also that tubercular pa- or the beginning of 1929, I do not re-

much the same views I do in regard telling me that he had been senten- er too adroit to spoil a delicious sit-Executor for the John Wilson Estate rie made his reply, in which he blam- tiary. He did not ask that I try to do 'yet!"

that I said "an illness reveals the praised very highly the new superin- the man's record and I dare say causes one to know again that under- very lavishly from ministers of the made it possible for those who wish Aitken. The next topic was by Cliff great well of good will which in the thing was quite allright, chided me he pful as life goes on, one is bound for studying the Royal Commission to make mistakes. I think it is ineviof 1914 and the Doherty Com. of table and so, when such a time as report of 1923, and directed my at- pay the price in suffering. tention to the recently issued report of Gen. Ormond. Then he read to the House the telegram which I had sent -he said some time in November or December, asking that the man whom we shall call X, to whose tubercular condition I have previously referred, be sent to Burwash, Mimico or Guelph. In the telegram I stated "I have known this man favorably for four years. He is an ex-service man with a good record. Tuberculosis due to army." He then proceeded to put the man's record Hansard. It is a very bad one and as follows: "His first conviction was M.A., of Meaford presiding. In spite for indecent assault (sodomy) in of the sub-zero weather there was a Winnipeg. His second was for a bes- good representation of both ministers tial crime which I will not mention and laymen in attendance. The dein the Chamber, for which he was votional address was delivered by sentenced to 5 years in the British Rev. G. W. Rose, B. A., Annan, on Columbia penitentiaary. He was re- the subject "The healing of the cenleased on ticket of leave, to enlist in turion's son". Rev. Wm Howey B. A. which he served, but before he went B.D., spoke on vocational schools and he was again convicted of indecent Rev. C. W. Krug, B. A. B.D., on Junassault (sodomy) and sentenced to ior congregations. Rev A. M. Pope, 12 months. In 1919 after the War, he B.A., B. D., in presenting the report In 1920, again at Toronto, he was tee delivered a very interesting adconvicted of indecent assault (sod- dress which he illustrated by show-

was transferred to Manitoba peniten- ses. tiary. On Oct. 13, 1933 at Ottawa, he Kindly greetings were ordered sent was again sentenced to 5 years in to Rev. W. N. Carr, Rev. G. Kendell, the penitentiary for indecent assault. Rev. T. Snowdon, and Rev J. H. Jar-That is the case. I do not wish to make any comment more than to say that the tubercular condition spoken of has not yet developed to a ser- the advanced age of ninety years in ious extent. The case is being closely early March. watched and every medical attention It was reported that 37 bales of being given." The Government is gloating over the West from the United Churches of the House. However, the records the serious reflection cast upon me, of Owen Sound, Durham, Flesherton, severely mauled by a large police dog Mr. and Mrs Thair were married will show that on the 12th of Feb. and it was told me by one whom I Walters Falls, Sydenham, together

have been dropped from the Order ing prepared for distribution setting citizens of Thornbury and Clarkseye was torn and he also received idents of Regina for the last fifteen said: "Mr. Speaker, a special arrangthree severe scalp cuts about four years. Mr and Mrs Thair are both en- ement has been made at the request gone through such anguish since the inches long, and several smaller cuts joying good health. —Regina Leader of the mover of this resolution who, first Parliament I attended. I do not for the year 1933 was not completed on account of ill-health is not pre- want to think that Mr Guthrie delib- but an interim report was presented pared to proceed with it." Mr Speak- erately withheld the knowledge that which showed that present memberer replied: "My understanding was he possessed regarding X, and of ship is 19,125, that 267 united with that in order to keep the resolution which I knew nothing, so that he the church, that \$46,571 had been Mrs W. O .Pinder and family spent alive the debate would be commenc- might slay me with it on the floor of raised for local expenses, \$48,834 for Sunday at Orchard, at her father's, ed and adjourned; then the motion the House. I took his kindness for ministerial support, \$18,635 for Miswould hold a place on the Order Pa. what it seemed to be, just as I took sionary and Extension Fund, \$19,134 Mr Jas. Kerr sold a quantity of per." (A place on the Order Paper X for what, in four years, he seemed for the Women's Missionary Society, meaning at the foot of the list.) "If to be. That you may be able to unwith the unanimous consent of the derstand in a measure at least my and the grand total for all purposes stand and not leave the Order Paper, to give you some facts which only I An invitation to have the next Mr. and Mrs Wm. Atcheson visit- there is no objection on the part of know. Many ex-convicts have, thru meeing of Presbytery in Annesley the years, come to my office to testi- Church, Markdale, was accepted and Thinking Mr. Guthrie had been fy the truth of statements I have the date of meeting set for May 1. made regarding prisons, to suggest to thank him and the House at the reforms that they think would be beneficial, and to discuss most par-14th of Feb. I am not at the moment ticularly the great difficulty of re-esgoing to summarize the material us- tablishment. May I say that I have lost a valuable horse from purposes leaving Durham this week ed except to say that in dealing with had the great joy that comes from mysterious malady. Two other anithe health of the imprisoned men I seeing a person take a fresh start in mals are stricken, though it is be-Mr. Mervyn Reuber, teacher, spent pointed out that the clothes of cona recent week end with his parents, victs suffering from loathsome dis- Christmas each year I hear from ex- ton veterinary surgeon was called, eases was washed with the clothes convicts whom I had the privilege but he could not diagnose the troubof healthy men. The same was true and pleasure of assisting one way or le and a specialist from Toronto was of healthy men. The same was true another, enabling them to become a summoned. He, too, was completely

> tients are allowed to mingle with member exactly, a fair, presentable had been given to the horses, and a Three Meaford boys skated on their fellow convicts. I am expecting looking man came in and gave me his thorough analysis of these may help Georgian Bay on Sunday week from this statement to be denied, but may name, said he had just finished serv- to determine the cause of the horses' their town to Thornbury. They made I say that it need not be because I ing a 5 year term at Kingston and ailment. the trip in one hour and 25 minutes. hadpen to know very well a man who that he was determined to go straight It is many years since the skating is sentenced to a five-year term in and to compensate in a measure for trip from Meaford to Thornbury was Kingston Penitentiary, a man who is the past by doing what he could by Agnes C. Macphail M. P., says that possible, though these boys also en- 100% pensioner, is very ill with tub. helping soldiers and prisoners, since what makes the following anecdote erculcsis, having had hemorrhages as it happened that he had been both, especially piquant is the fact that she There is much more ice on Georgfor several months after that time
>
> This was the man X. He worked on has often been taken to task for her case after case of soldiers who had inability to hoard money and has ia Bay right now, than there has was in a military hospital. He is a not pensions who should have had, more than once been warned she been for many years. Indeed, says man with a fine social outlook and on the pension law he was very well informed would "end up in the poor-house." of old when trotting races were held people I know who are not in peni- won. He was exceedingly interested For some weeks recently Miss Macin prison reform: he studied the re- phail was in hospital at Markdale. Rich teamed their produce to Mea- At this point Mr Jacobs, the witty ports of the superintendent from year Her friend, Alderman Nora Frances ford across the bay. The ice is of member from Montreal, who always to year with great care and when he Henderson of Hamilton, made up her ford across the bay. The ice is of great thickness and splendid qualifor the amusement, not so much of the House I think as of himself and that Great and splendid qualiform the House I think as of himself and having that odd quality of the amusement are thought he had a suggestion of use mind that at the earliest possible him at all times especially well-mannered and having that odd quality of dale and see Canada's only woman that Georgian Bay is frozen right me, interjected — "Will the Hon. nered and having that odd quality of suffering over the sufferings of oth. M. P. As soon as the municipal ea strong south wind would probablly she knows who are not in?" And I, ers. I last saw him just before the lections were over she jumped into move the ice away. However the bay in the same spirit, replied: "It would House rose last Spring and at that her car and did so. is apparently frozen over to the take too long. I want to finish in 40 time he told me he believed he was Arrived at Markdale, she looked minutes." I then went on to say that being shadowed by the police and hither and you for the hospital. Afit was impossible to get direct sun- that should I hear from him, would I ter some search, she spied a building light and fresh air in the peniten- do what I could to ascertain whether which looked like a public institution tiary as it was constructed. I con-tinued then to discuss shackling men rested. He wrote me during the sum-fice of that description in town. So to the bars with their hands above mer to say that he had been arrest. fice of that description in town. So their heads, leaving them there thru ed in the Chateau Laurier, I think, she parked her car outside and strode of Egremont, Grey co. Lot 8 has that this fact had been denied by Mr but that since he was playing bridge "Is Miss Macphail here?" she askgood frame house with woodshed; Lapointe when he was Minister of bank barn 54 x 58 with L, driving Justice, showing that he had not ment departments at the time at Miss Henderson had, unwittingly, shed and pig pen combined. Lot 9 known all that was going on in the which he was supposed to have com- entered Markdale's House of Refuge.

anything about the length of the sentence, but did request that he b sent to a jail farm so that he mighth

I need not say to my friends that I knew nothing of the man's record. he served time for. I have heard other people ask, but I have never heard them get a satisfactory answer. You

Agnes C. Macphail

24 Feb., 1934

PRESBYTERY

Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, convened in Division Street Church, O. Sound, on Tuesday last, with the chairman Rev. S. Martin. was convicted at Toronto of forgery. of the Church life and Work Commitomy.) On Dec 27, 1920, at Toronto, ing a series of church posters which he was convicted of theft and sent-enced to six mos. In August 1925, at he had himself prepared. These min-Otiawa he was convicted of a charge isters received the thanks of the of indecency and sentenced to four Presbytery for the information and years at Kingston. In March 1926 he inspiration imparted by their addres-

> vis, with a special letter of congratulation to the latter, who will attain

clothing and \$48 in cash were sent to the motion was called and would believe knew, that a pamphlet is be- with two carloads of apples from the

baffled and could neither name the unhealthy. I went on further to say: Some time in the last part of 1928 trouble or determine the origin. He

has a comfortable frame mouse and policy and hen house. Will sell together or semember for Kingston, who holds heard from him from Carleton jail, ar too admit to spoil a delicious situation. to penitentiaries. And then Mr Guth-ced to 5 years in Kingston Peniten- uation. His reply was a laconic "Not

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Presented will The Young Presbyterian home of Mrs. on Thursday few words, e their visit. M greatly respon ion of this ailing interes

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