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TOWN OPICS

The Public School Board have erected a new flag pole on the school grounds.

Box lacrosse game — Durham vs. Owen Sound, at 8:30 p. m. Thursday July 4th, at big T. F. O. picnic, held in Clifford Young's grove. Don't miss seeing it.

First big street dance of the year, Friday June 28th, in Durham, following the Harrison-Durham girls ball game here. Under auspices of Old Home Week Committee.

While Blue Swoosh will give streamline action to your car, golden color, Sunoco Motor Oil will not permit the formation of power-killing hard carbon. Sold only by Smith Brothers.

The Annual Garden Party of Burns' Presbyterian Church, Rocky Saugene, will be held on the church grounds, Thursday evening, June 27th. Supper will be served from 6 to 8. A ball game is being arranged for a good program. Admission—25c. Children—15c.

Splendid Talkie Next Monday.

Under auspices of the Old Boys Reunion Committee, an outstanding talkie picture "Hearts of Humanity" will be shown in Town Hall, on Dominion Day, July 1st at 8.15 p.m. Come and enjoy it. Admission—25c and tax; children 15c. Including tax.

Anniversary Services will be held at Knox Church, Normanby on July 7th and 8th. Rev. M. Kerr of Hanover, will preach on Sunday at 11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. The Mt. Forest quartette will sing at both services. On Monday evening Allan Park A.Y.P.A. will present a play "The Deacon". Admission—25c. and 15c.

Commemorating the tenth anniversary of the founding of the United Church, special services were observed Sunday last in all the United churches of the county. Rev. W. H. Smith was speaker for the day at Annesley church at Markdale, and Vant-leur, while Rev. H. S. Warren of that appointment, occupied Knox United church, Durham.

The Y.W.A. of Knox church, Durham, struck a wet day Thursday last for their annual picnic to Harrison Park, Owen Sound. Rather than postpone the event, they used the schoolroom of Knox church as a social centre and had a perfectly good time. At the close of the picnic supper, the Society presented Miss R. I. Young, B.A. who has left Durham High School staff, and a valued member of the Auxiliary, with a handsome cup and saucer.

Former Teacher Honored.

Mr. J. T. Tolchard, principal of Kew Beach School, Toronto, and a former teacher of S.S. No. 9, Glenelg, has been transferred to Kimberley School in same city, transfer to take place in September. On behalf of the Beach Home and School Association, a farewell evening was tendered Mr Tolchard, when a presentation was made to him of a Sheffield silver tea service and tray, while Mrs. Tolchard was presented with a basket of roses.

New Masonic Officers Installed.

It was Past-master's night, Monday at Durham Lodge, A.F. & A.M., when Past D.D.G.M. Dr. J. F. Grant ably installed the officers for the ensuing year as follows: I.P.M., J. D. McKechnie; W.M., W. R. Alder; S.W., J. F. Irwin; J.W., R. W. F. Hughes; Chaplain, Rev. W. H. Smith; Treas., J. Morrison; Sec'y, C. H. Moffat; Sr. Deacon, C. McGirr; Jr. D., W. C. McClure; S. S., W. J. Ritchie; J. S., Jas. Rutherford; I.G., W. M. Graham; O. G., C. M. Steinacher; D. of C., D. C. Town.

Following the business, a strawberry supper was served in the banquet hall, and the newly installed W. Master, W. R. Alder acted as toastmaster. Toasts were to the king, to the newly-installed officers, to which all appropriately responded, and the Jr. Warden's.

ENTRANCE CANDIDATES WRITE HERE.

Mr. I. Sharpe is presiding this week over 32 candidates writing their Entrance examinations, at Durham school. They are all in one classroom. Principal Graham has 8 of his class writing. The new departure whereby the pupils obtaining 65% on term work, finds 21 in Mr. Graham's class receiving their standing through this method. About the same average applies to the rural schools. Owing to the smaller number writing, Dromore and Conn are cut off as writing centres.

11 Mill Tax Rate in Grey County

The tax rate for the County of Grey will be 11 mills on the dollar for the year 1936 it was decided at the Thursday afternoon session of the county council as Reeve John Dolphin of Derby introduced a by-law to fix the rate.

The finance committee found it necessary to provide the sum of \$287,512.50 to meet the current expenses and liabilities of the County of Grey for 1936 and to meet the expenses of Provincial highways and County Roads. The tax rate is based on the total value of the rateable property of the county, according to the equalized assessment of \$26,137,500.

A total of 7 1/2 mills on the dollar is required to meet the current expenses; 1 1/2 mills on the dollar for County Roads, and 2 mills on the dollar for the expenses of Provincial highways in the county, making a total of 11 mills.

Fifty percent of the amount to be levied is to be paid over to County Treasurer before January 15, 1936, and the remaining 50 percent April 15, 1936.

The question of legality of levying taxes in Grey County for the year 1936 in the county for the council sat in committee of the whole during the passing of the by-law which gave the equalized assessment of the municipalities of the county. Mr. John Dolphin, chairman of the finance committee, asked that the clause which read "for the year 1935 and 1936" be struck out.

The clause was left as written but it brought forth the whole matter of levying taxes a year in advance. Mr. Wm. Riley first brought the matter to the attention of the council. After considerable debate Mr Fred Rutherford, county clerk stated there was no doubt it was illegal but many counties and municipalities have done it for years. The Ontario Government official, Mr Cummings, states that the system cannot possibly be changed in one year and it may be that at the next session of parliament a bill will be introduced to legalize this method. If not some legislation will be brought forth to deal with the matter and have the various municipalities straighten the thing out. Mr. Cummings will be in O. Sound in July when he will likely be able to explain what is to be done, concluded Mr. Rutherford.

The equalized assessment of the county of Grey totals the sum of \$26,137,500, according to the report brought in by Mr. John Dolphin, chairman of the finance committee. By municipalities the assessment is as follows: Artemesia, \$1,417,500; Bentinck, \$1,470,000; Collingwood, \$1,587,500; Derby, \$1,250,000; Egremont, \$1,830,000; Euphrasia, \$1,887,500; Glenelg, \$975,000; Holland, \$1,143,750; Keppel, \$1,012,500; Normanby, \$2,025,000; Osprey, \$1,387,500; Proton, \$1,650,000; Sarawak, \$236,250; St. Vincent, \$1,725,000; Sullivan, \$1,800,000; Sydenham, \$1,875,000; Durham, \$405,000; Hanover, \$825,000; Meaford, \$750,000; Thornbury, \$217,500; Chatsworth, \$101,250; Dundalk, \$213,750; Flesherton, \$123,750; Markdale, \$251,250; Neustadt, \$127,500; Shallow Lake, \$75,000.

The amount levied on each municipality is as follows: Artemesia, \$15,592.50; Bentinck, \$16,170; Collingwood, \$18,562.50; Derby, \$12,375; Egremont, \$20,130; Euphrasia, \$118,562.50; Glenelg, \$10,725; Holland, \$12,581.25; Keppel, \$11,137.50; Normanby, \$22,275; Osprey, \$15,262.50; Proton, \$18,150; Sarawak, \$2,598.75; St. Vincent, \$18,975; Sullivan \$19,500; Sydenham, \$20,625; Durham, \$4,455; Hanover, \$9,075; Meaford, \$8,250; Thornbury, \$2,392.50; Chatsworth, \$113.75; Dundalk, \$2,351.25; Flesherton, \$1,361.25; Markdale, \$2,763.75; Neustadt, \$1,402.50; Shallow Lake, \$825, making a total of \$287,512.50.

THE ROLL CALL

MRS. JOHN S. MOODY

At her home in Durham Tuesday afternoon, death came to Mrs. Margaret Moody as a release from a period of suffering. For several years she has not been in good health, and since January, has been practically bedfast. Early last Friday morning she took a stroke which hastened the end, and destroyed any hope for her recovery.

The late Mrs. Moody was in her sixty-second year, and was formerly Margaret Jane McFadden, born on the old homestead at Wilder's Lake, Egremont. Here she lived until her marriage to John S. Moody 42 years ago, when they took up residence on 17th con., Proton near Dundalk. Six years ago, Mr and Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Lloyd gave up farming and removed to Durham.

To them were born three children: Mrs. Robt. E. Johnston (Martha Ellen) of Bounty, Sask.; James Percival, near Dundalk and Lloyd at home. There are two grandchildren, Marguerite and Evelyn Johnston. Deceased was one of a large family of seven daughters and one son, of whom five survive: Mrs. Jas. Matthews (Mary Ann); Mrs. Thos. Davy (Martha) and Mrs. Sam Chapman (Eliza) all of Durham; Mrs. Wm. Wilson (Nellie) of Boothville and Wm. J. McFadden of Orange Valley. Predeceasing her were Mrs. H. Wilkinson (Sadie) of Edmonton and Mrs. John Wilkinson (Etta) of Mt. Forest. Mrs. John Whitmore, Durham's oldest citizen, is an aunt of the deceased.

The late Mrs. Moody was better known throughout North Egremont and Proton where most of her life was spent, than in Durham, but all who knew her admired her sterling qualities and esteemed her friendship. The funeral will take place at 2.30 Friday afternoon from her late residence to Durham cemetery. Her pastor, Rev. R. G. Halbert, will conduct the service.

WARDEN MERCER NEW TREAS.

MEAFORD REVEE NEW WARDEN

E. D. Bonnell, treasurer of the County of Grey, resigned his office owing to ill health at Thursday's session of County Council. It was accepted and eight applications were received by Friday noon for the position. Warden J. C. Mercer of Markdale received the appointment to take effect, July 1st, after an audit has been made. Wm. Kernahan of Feversham, former Conservative candidate, was also an applicant.

Mr. Mercer's appointment necessitated his resignation as reeve of Markdale, and will bring about another election for that office. He has been reeve since 1931, and is now 45 years of age.

The appointment of an assistant to help the treasurer was thoroughly discussed in committee and it was deemed advisable, in view of the amount of work to be done, to appoint an assistant at a salary of not less than \$600 per year. The assistant will also help the County Engineer. Salary for the treasurer was set at \$1,800 per annum and he will be bonded in the sum of \$50,000.

With the wardenship vacant Mr. Fred Rutherford, County Clerk took the chair and nominations for the position were held. Five nominations were made, Reeve Riley of Meaford, and Reeves MacDonald of Bentinck; Brown, Collingwood; Himmler, Neustadt and Allan of Shallow Lake. As Messrs MacDonald, Brown and Allan have already occupied the position they withdrew and the contest was left between Reeves Riley and Himmler with the former elected. Reeve Himmler thereupon voted the election be unanimous.

In accepting the Wardenship, Mr. Riley briefly thanked the council for the confidence it had shown in him, after which the business of the session was resumed.

The new Warden of Grey County has had a wide field of municipal experience. He was first elected to the County Council in the year 1922 when he was elected Reeve of Meaford, a position he held until the year 1927 when he retired. Again in 1933 he was elected as reeve and has held that position since. Due to the fact that no mayor was elected this year in Meaford, Mr. Riley has been acting Mayor. In other fields he has also been prominent. For seventeen years he was secretary treasurer of the Meaford and St. Vincent Agricultural Association retiring only last year, and in politics a strong Conservative he was appointed returning officer at both the last Federal and Provincial elections.

Mr. Riley is a native of Meaford, born on May 6th, 1876. In his younger days he was known throughout the country as a wire walker, but long ago gave up this hazardous occupation and for the past 25 years has owned and operated a bill posting business in Meaford.

JAMES KERR

As the result of a paralytic stroke suffered two weeks ago, Mr. Jas. Kerr, a respected resident of con. 3, Egremont, died on Monday evening in his seventy-fifth year.

The deceased was born in Erin township the son of the late Mr and Mrs David Kerr, who removed to Bentinck near Allan Park when he was a child. Forty-one years ago he was married to Miss Margaret Derby of Normanby and they farmed near Hampden for some years, then thirty-six years ago came to Egremont which has since been their home.

Surviving him are his bereaved wife, five daughters and one son: Mrs. Milford Matthews, (Annie) of Egremont; Mrs. George Brown (May) of Holstein Mrs. Wm. Porter (Jean) of Normanby; Mrs. Geo. Hooper, (Violet) of Egremont; Edith and Donald at home. There also survive three brothers and two sisters: Sam and Peter Kerr in Sask.; Wm. at Allan Park; Mrs. J. Switzer, Hanover and Mrs. Ed. T. Hopkins of Bentinck.

The deceased was of a quiet nature, highly esteemed by all, and his death will be sincerely regretted. The funeral takes place at 2.30 on Thursday afternoon from his late residence, to Maplewood cemetery.

AUSTIN HANN

In poor health for over a year from heart trouble, Mr. Austin Hann died last Friday evening, June 21st, at his home in North Egremont. He was born 66 years ago at Milbourne Port, Somerset, England, the youngest son of the late Mr and Mrs Wm. Hann. Fifty years ago last April, he came out to Canada and for sixteen years he was in the dairy business in Toronto, the last five years for himself.

He was wedded forty-two years ago next August to Mary Ann Bell, daughter of the late Mr and Mrs A. Bell, and eight years later he bought his father-in-law's farm, lot 10, con. 21, Egremont, where he has since resided. To them were born two children, Albert who died 16 years ago and May, Mrs. Wm. Gordon of 2nd con., Egremont. Besides the bereaved wife and daughter, there will mourn his departure, seven grandchildren, also one brother and two sisters in England. Three brothers previously predeceased him.

The late Mr. Hann was always of a cheery disposition and an energetic farmer. In religion he was a member of the Ebenezer Methodist

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Mary Bond, is spending the summer months with her sister, Mrs. Alex McCormick.

Mrs. Robert Smith was a recent visitor with her daughter in Toronto.

Miss Clara Jack has been engaged as teacher at Zion school for the coming year.

Miss M. H. Gerrie left on Friday for vacation at her home at Ingersoll.

Mrs. John Renton and daughter, Mrs. S. H. Lind, of Stevenson, B. C., were visitors at home of Mr R. Lenwick, Sr. and other friends on town the first of the week. Mrs. Lind leaves on Monday next to return to her home after a month's trip east.

Mr. John McKechnie, teacher, Mr. Hugh R. Riddell and his sis'er Esther of Rochester, were guests this past week at the home of Mr. Duncan McArthur.

Mr. Freeman McFadden, of the Royal Bank, Tillsonburg, is holidaying at his home here.

Manager G. C. Webster of the Bank of Commerce and family, are holidaying this week at their cottage at Bruce Beach.

Miss R. I. Young left Saturday for Horning's Mills for a few days before leaving for Leamington to visit friends.

Miss Jean Murdoch holidayed last week with her aunt in Hamilton.

Miss Alva Greenwood of Toronto is visiting this week at the home of her brother Archie here.

Mr and Mrs N. Bell and children of Elora, spent over the weekend with Mr. Bell's mother and brothers at Varney.

Miss Julia M. Weir is at Lake Couchiching taking a summer course.

Mr and Mrs C. H. Darling have rented the cottage of the late Mrs. John Kelly on Queen street.

We omitted to congratulate last week, Miss Jean Grant, who was successful in passing her second year Art exams at Toronto University.

Mr and Mrs A. W. H. Lauder attended the funeral in Chatsworth on Tuesday of the late Mr. Galbraith, aged 92 years. He was the father of the late Dr. Archibald Galbraith, who was known in Durham many years ago.

Congratulations are extended to Misses Jean Harding and Jean Webster, who were successful in their exams at McDonald Institute, Guelph on the two year Normal course. Miss Jean Harding attained A standing, 75% or over, while Miss Jean Webster attained C standing, 60% or over.

Mr and Mrs E. W. Limin had the pleasure of entertaining their family of six daughters, some of their grandchildren and their one great grandchild, Donald MacCall, Friday last. Some of the family members were not certain of being able to be back for Old Home Week, and as they could foregather now, deemed it an excellent time. Present were Mrs. H. S. Jackson and son Robert, Flight Lieut. and Mrs. MacCall and son Donald, all of Ottawa; Mrs. J. Morris and her daughter, Miss Marion Green of Woodstock; Mrs. Alex McLoughlin and Mrs. N. T. Harding of London; Mrs. R. G. Savage, of Stratford, and Mr and Mrs Art McGowan of Durham.

Fatal Motor Accident near Owen Sound

John McMillan, aged 24, and Rex Dawes, aged 26, were fatally injured Sunday afternoon last, on the Owen Sound-Allenford highway, when a roadster in which they were riding with Elmer Deacroft and Ralph Smith (owner) capulted into the ditch, at Jackson. McMillan was instantly killed, while Deacroft and Dawes were seriously injured. Dawes died in Owen Sound hospital, late Monday afternoon while Deacroft is likely to recover.

The scene of the accident is a well travelled main highway of gravel on which a dressing of oil had been laid only on Tuesday previous for keeping down the dust. Heavy rains during the week had mingled with the oil and turned it into a greasy covering which made mooring at a fast speed hazardous, and there is little doubt the Buick motor was going a fast pace.

John McMillan is a son of Mrs. Anna McMillan, postmistress of Cayton, and a grand-son of the late Tristram Chislett, one time of the south line, Glenelg. John was in the employ of the Owen Sound Auto Company.

Rex Dawes came to Owen Sound but three weeks ago from Clarksburg, where he conducted a grocery business for four years.

Annual U.F.O. Picnic Here Next Thursday

Ninth Annual U.F.O. Picnic will be held in Clifford Young's grove, opposite Hospital at Durham, Thursday, July 4, 1935, maintaining the same High Class standard of former years. Afternoon of sports: Girl's softball—Doboro vs. Durham; Men's softball—Doboro vs. Durham, Edgewood vs. Hutton Hill; Box lacrosse—O. Sound vs. Durham. Races for everyone. Brunswick Concert Company; 5 radio artists; music, songs, a comedy, featuring "The Wilkinson" and his guitar; Rita Dardeno, the novelty Acrobatic Dancer, "Doc", "Jock" and "Wally" the Harmony Boys. Big, snappy, variety program—"Something new". Speakers: Miss A. C. Macphail, M.P.; F. R. Oliver, M.P.P.; and others. Dancing—Music supplied by the popular Cliff-ord Orchestra. Booths on grounds. Bring your basket and have a good time. Admission: Adults 25c and tax. Children under 12 free.

NOTICE TO DURHAM CITIZENS

All residents of the Town who can provide accommodation for visitors to the Old Home Reunion in August, are asked to notify B. H. Willis, Sec'y of the Committee as early as possible just how many they can accommodate at this time, and whether for overnight board, or for meals only. Call at or phone Mr. Willis at his office, Phone 31.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr and Mrs. Valentine Alles, Holstein, Ont., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Margaree Ethel, to John Gordon Leith of Dromore, Ont., eldest son of Mr and Mrs Wm. Leith, the marriage to take place early in July.

Durham's Great Old Home Week is now but five weeks away.

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