Mt. Albert, Queensville, Keswick and Sutton

R. H. TINSDALE, AGENT, MOUNT ALBERT.

Mount Albert.

DOGS WERE SCARCE.

Mr. W. A. Doan, the Township Assessor, was paying his official visits to Mount Albert citizens this week.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Fred Piper desires to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of his wife.

CONCERT.

The Mission Band will give a Concert in the Methodist Church on Monday evening next, April 9. Readings, Recitations and Choruses will be given by members of the Mission Band. After the program a lunch will be served.

Silver collection will be taken.

BRIEFLETS.

There was a large crowd at the Market on Tuesday, although the roads are in bad condition.

There has been a good flow of sap for Maple Syrup making the last few days. Unfortunately many farmers have been unable to go into the business this year on account of the scarcity of help.

The Methodist Choir are preparing a special program of Easter Music for next Sunday.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Eugene Rowen on April 12th at 3 o'clock. A paper will be given by Mrs. McCordick, subject selected. A prize will be given for the best home-made cake or candy, all members being asked to compete. Music. Everyone welcome. Bring your knitting. The contributions from our monthly envelopes for the Red Cross amounted to $26.41 for the month of March. Will those who have taken envelopes please remember that our only source of revenue now is from this system, and we are very anxious that they will all be returned.

PERSONAL.

Pte. Guy Ramsden arrived at his home in town on Monday.

Sig. Lorne Mainprize is at his home in town for a few days.

Mr. Geo. E. Rahmer has moved to Keswick, which will be his home for the future.

Sig. Lorne Stokes is seriously ill with pneumonia at Ottawa. His parents are both with him.

Mr. Frank Coon, teacher of Scott School, is suffering from a severe attack of quinsy.

Miss Willoughby, teacher of the Junior Department of our Public School, has recovered from her illness, and able to resume her duties.

Lieut. F. C. Ramsden is at his home in town for a few days.

REPORT OF MT. ALBERT CONTINUATION SCHOOL

Form I. (Total 1200)—G. Wagg 822, L. Olonam 801, S. Lunau 760, K. Stiver 754, M. Cupples 747, E. Rogers 663, G. Statton 589, V. Cain 587, O. Tinsdale 485, M. Dike 476, A. Metzgar 439, F. Johnston 249.

Form II. (Total 1200)—L. Lapp 707, M. Gibney 847, S. Rowland 747, L. Stiver 725, F. Ross 438, A. Brooks 675, F. Moorhead 657, F. Brooks 470, A. McFarland 353, R. Ramsden 452, J. Oldham 530, O. Lloyd 399, N. Oldham 473, R. Foote 330, L. Shuttleworth 221.

Form III. (Total 1100)—O. Vandewater 802, O. Dike 652, E. Ross 609, M. Moore 593, L. Toole 533, N. Lockie 416, A. Cupples 346, B. Rowen 418, W. Stokes 254, G. Earle 318.

LETTER FROM A SOLDIER

Dear Friends,—

Just a line to thank you for the parcel I received from you yesterday, the 30th of January. I appreciated it very much. Everything in it was O. K. I can't thank you enough for it. If you could only see the glad smile on our faces when we receive our mail you would know how much your work is appreciated. We have it a bit rough sometimes, but no one grumbles, as we are doing it for a good cause. There is lots of excitement here to keep us from worrying. We cannot tell you much about what is going on. We see our air men fighting above us every day. Our big guns are going continuously. It was hard to get asleep the first night or so, but you soon get used to it, and lie down as if nothing was going on whatever. The guns are going heavy to-night. Fritz wont get much rest. I will close now, thanking you again for your kindness.

I remain yours sincerely

Sapper W. G. Storach.

Received by Mrs. C. W. Davidson, Sec'y of Women's Institute.

NOTICE.

We would advise all farmers who have Harness to be repaired to bring it as soon as possible. Never before have we been so busy at this time of the year. Collars faced with real deer hair made as good as new. Harness made to order. Finest workmanship and classy in appearance.

J. L. BARRETT,
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STRAYED OR STOLEN.

From the premises of the undersigned, lot 21, Con. 1, Scott, a Gordon Setter bitch; brown with black tips to her hair; long tail; about one foot high. Reward for her return.

P. F. COPELAN,
1*3w — R. R. No. 2 Zephyr.

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Very heavy, plump, white Oats for sale. "White Wave." Apply to J. C. PURDY, Keswick. 3w8

HOUSE FOR SALE

At Queensville. Cement block. 3 Rooms. Excellent Garden with abundance of small fruits. Apply to Geo. Bond, Queensville. *3w8

We think Spring has come, but would not like to write too positively, as it is unpleasant to have to retract our words.

Those who tapped their maples report a splendid run.

While some of our sick are recovering nicely, others are taking their places, and we are sorry to report the serious illness of Mrs. M. Mainprize and Mrs. Jno. Graham. Mrs. R. Hayes also is still confined to the house.

Mr. D. B. Stokes received a telegram from Ottawa on Thursday, saying that his second son, Lorne of the "Signallers" was seriously ill with pneumonia, and he left for Ottawa by evening train. On Sat. morning Mrs. Stokes received a telegram that Lorne was no better and she also left for Ottawa. A letter received on evening mail stated Lorne was improving, but as Mr. Stokes' telegram was sent some hours after this was sent, he evidently had a turn for the worse. News from them is anxiously awaited here.

Mr. Coon, teacher in a Scott Tp. School, is seriously ill with Quinsy, at Mr. J. Lawson's here.

Mr. Percy Croutch of the Signallers is home from Ottawa on last leave.

Mr. J. Croutch has been fitting up his house and it is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Grove.

Thrifty householders are now studying the seed catalogues, when the day's quota of war news has been read and digested.

Despite the bad roads, farmers are busy drawing grain to and from the mills and lumber. Evidently the building trade is not quite dead.

Misses Nettie and Olive Ross of Toronto are at their homes here for the Easter holidays.

SECOND ST., E.G.

On Monday evening of this week a Social was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright, under the auspices of the Second St. Red Cross Society. The evening was spent in cards and other amusements and a good time is reported. After refreshments were served, ticket for a quilt was drawn. Mr. Eugene Kitely of Sharon being the holder of the lucky number, which was 31. The proceeds of Quilt $50.75—in aid of Red Cross and Field Comforts.

Holland Landing.

There was a large representation at the Easter meeting of the Methodist Ladies' Aid Society. The Thank Offering to the W. M. Society amounted to $10. The Easter W. M. S. Program was rendered, after which the ladies enjoyed the usual five o'clock tea. All present realized that the time had been well spent.

The Easter Service at the Methodist Church next Sunday evening promises to be specially good. Every person welcome.

Mrs. Wm. Dalmage is spending a few days in the City.

Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. McCallum, Douglas and little Helen have returned home.

Miss Mae McCarnan spent Sunday with friends in the Landing. We are glad to hear that Mrs. Robert McCarnan is convelescent.

Wm. West, son of Mr. H. West, died suddenly of pneumonia at Bradford, Pa., on Thursday last, where he has been residing the past few years. The remains were brought here Sunday evening and interred in Christ Church Cemetery Monday at 11 A. M. The following relatives from a distance attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. J. West of Hamilton, Mrs. S. Shunk, Mr. H. West of Toronto. The family have our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement. Deceased was in his 46th year.

Pte. R. Corrigan of Toronto spent Wednesday last with Mr. S. C. Sheppard.

Pte. Wilmot West of Toronto spent Wednesday last with his father, Mr. G. W. West.

Pte. W. Sadler of Toronto spent a few days at his home here this week.

Mr. D. Bell, Jr., who has been in Detroit the past three months, returned home last week and is confined to the house with rheumatism. We hope to see him around soon.

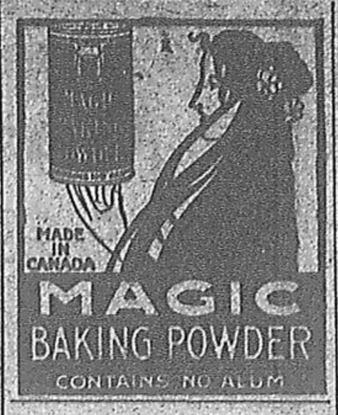
Mr. Angus Sweet intends moving to his residence on Church Street shortly.

Miss Emily Callicott of Bradford spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. F. Bell.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

There will be evening service in Mt. Pleasant Church on Easter Sunday. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the regular service in the afternoon.

..German subs. sunk 31 vessels during week ending April 1st.



BALDWIN BREEZES

The mill-dam stood the racket of the flood O. K., though the floating field looked suggestively formidable. Frank did some very important repairs this winter. A stitch in time saves nine.

Johnston Cryderman's only living sister, who has spent the winter with him, intends taking her departure for her home in Mich., next week.

Yielding to the ernest solicitations of many friends, who refused to take "no" for an answer, J. J. Foster put his buzzing outfit into commission and buzzed much wood in close neighborhood. I was much pleased to see this. Joseph will not forget it in a hurry. Buzzer Brown don't get all the snaps, no siree!

A bad, bad boy! Somebody had the impudence last week to go to Uncle Johnston's sugar bush and try his hand at sugaring off. They are evidently greenhorns a the business, as they burned up wood enough and got no sweets. I'm positive they'd have got some if Uncle Johnston had lit on them. He wasn't in the best humor imaginable when he found the clumsy fist they made of it. Granny gossip says "I know who did it."

Farmer's faces wear a look of stolid patience waiting for the word "Go!" There is their wood to be split and piled.

A woman, formerly Mary Ferguson, daughter of Daddy Ferguson of Cole's Settlement, E. G., and her daughter, were hunting up acquaintances about here last week. She is the widow of Joseph Little. The four brothers, Robt., Johnnie, Harry and Jos. Little, were well-known residents of North and East Gwillimbury some forty years ago. Brought up at Peregrine's Corners, Joe moved to Mich. and died there.

Hen fruit is such an exhorbitant price that a big gorge is only within the means of a fat pocket book. No ten-cents-a-dozen brand to be had this year. Stale fruit is out for high prices.

Our young men are looking cheerful and quite happy. Now that those Oldhams have gone they have a fair field, and have got back their old loves. Yum! Yum

Who can it be that is sending those billy ducks (billet doux) through the trail. I thought it was against the statutes to send live stock per H. M. Mails.

It is reported that it has been a very cold winter in California. Canadians who went to spend a winter in its balmy air returned home in disgust to enjoy home comforts. Whew!

Chas. Tomlinson is sawing lumber.

Now spring has got to work we hope to hear of a Canadian boy "Kitching" the Kaiser Bill. Let it be known.

Miss Lottie Sheppard is the new assistant at Cryderman's Store. She makes an ideal clerk, so sweet and obliging, you know.

It's nice to feel the earth beneath your feet once again.

HOPE

The roads were getting quite dry, but are very muddy now after so much rain. Monday sure was a blue day.

Quite a number out to Church on Sunday. Also a splendid Sunday School. We have another organized class. The report for the first quarter of the Home Department is quite encouraging. It just started this year and has a membership of 24. Offering $2.-24—pretty good for a start.

Not many out to the Teacher Training Class last week, no doubt on account of the roads.

Mr. Joe Clark is moving into his new home on the sixth line.

Glad to see Mrs. T. Stickwood out again.

It looks at time of writing as if the maple syrup crop will not amount to much. The sap does not run very good and there is so much rain all the time, which spoils the flavor of the syrup.

We believe there is a wedding to take place near here this week. Congratulations. We thought that quilting on the Fourth meant business.

Mrs. Tom Woodruff, spent the week-end at Longford Pegg's.

Buzzing wood is the order of the day around here. Mr. T. Fairbarn had a large buzzing last Thursday.

One of our peaceable citizens sports a black eye.

Mrs. G. Morris and Mrs. A. Dyke visited at Mark Hall's on Friday.

Mr. A. Dyke has to undergo a slight operation this week. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Choir practice at Mark Hall's last week. Glad to see Miss Lottie Tansley in the Choir again.

We believe our Choir is preparing special music for Easter.

Miss Alice Tansley was very poorly on Monday.

The President, on behalf of the Ladies' Aid, presented Alice with a beautiful Cyclamen Plant.

Keswick.

Everything is in readiness to handle a huge crowd at the Sacred Cantata in the Christian Church Wednesday night next. But get your ticket now and be at the door soon after seven P. M.

The Christian Endeavor next Monday evening, gave a complete surprise to bid farewell to Miss Ella Morton at her home. Ella left on Tuesday to begin training as a nurse in Wellesley Hospital, Toronto. After a very jolly evening of games, the President on behalf of Endeavor Young People, gave a short but very concise and sincere expression of appreciation for her invaluable services as Organist and Chairman of Flower Committee, as well as heartiest wish for her success in her new field of service. As a seal of their appreciation the Secretary presented her with a beautiful monogram ring with the word "Mizpah" engraved on the inside. Mrs. Morton then gave another surprise as she served off with "Maple Taffy."

Anyone who has not yet had the measles and wish then might apply—at well, almost any house in Keswick.

Miss Bertie Willoughby is again in our midst. We are glad to see her.

Ross Pollock was the first to use his car in this vicinity.

Mr. Wm. Marritt was in Toronto this week seeing a specialist in regard his eyes.

Rev. Grandy preached very acceptably in the Methodist Church last Sunday night.

Mr. G. Shaw moved this week to the Anderson Farm near Queensville. Mr. Carmen Marritt is moving from Toronto to go in partnership with him on same farm.

A beautiful Communion and Reception Service in which six joined the Church last Sunday morning. Next Sunday morning a special Easter Service.

Queensville.

A most enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Eves, when the young people of the vicinity gathered there for a taffy pull. The evening was spent in music and games. Those who did not attend certainly missed the treat of the season.

In spite of the unfavorable weather Sunday evening, there was a good attendance at Epworth League. A most interesting and helpful topic was given by Mr. Robert Knights.

Don't forget to come to Mission Study Class every Tuesday evening sharp at 8 o'clock, with a social evening after the lesson. You'll certainly enjoy the evening if you come.

Glad to report the sick are all on the mend. Hope Rev. Kemp and family will soon be around again.

Sorry the skating is over in Bradford. What will our Queensville lads do now? Drive through the mud?

Mr. Frank Lloyd of Toronto spent the week-end at Bert Peregrine's.

Hope Mrs. J. B. Cowieson will soon be well again.

Mr. Russell Strasler spent Sunday at Jersey Farm.

April Fool's Day came on Sunday this year, but what about Charlie on Monday?

Don't miss the Sacred Cantata on Easter Monday night. For particulars see bills.

Get your coppers ready for Friday evening, April 13—why? The Methodist Epworth League are holding a social evening in the basement of the Church at 8 o'clock. Don't miss this. Come before you are any older. Details explained to those present on Monday evening.

Rev. Grandy of Newmarket gave us a splendid sermon on Sunday morning, but hope Rev. Kemp will soon be able to take his place again.

The "Bound-to-Win" Class of the Methodist Sunday School are glad to welcome Miss Edith Palmer, our new Central girl.

Hand-tatting is the latest style in Queensville. Have you ordered your supply?

Special music is being prepared by the Methodist Choir for Easter Sunday morning.

Mr. W. G. Hill left for the West with a carload of horses last week.

If you want your name on the Autograph Quilt of the B. T. W. Class of the Methodist Church, hand it in to the Secretary, Viola Hill. It only costs five cents, and it will help on the splendid work this class is doing for Red Cross.

Wonder if Levi went to Sharon to see his electric iron on Sunday evening. No signs of him at League. Watch out for the batts these dark and stormy nights.

Fred. They claim they can see in the dark.

A very successful Red Cross Tea was held in the basement of the Methodist Church Tuesday evening.

Easter Lilies.

Tulips are up, the grass is showing green and housecleaning is on the move. Everyone is enjoying the door-yards.

Mrs. Pearson of Richmond Hill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Watson Wright, and other relatives.

The Presbyteran Ladies' Aid is talking about a Pan Cake Social to be held about the 18th. Hope the syrup is forthcoming. Particulars later.

The Red Cross Tea on Tuesday evening in the Methodist Church was well attended, and the menu was second to none, no doubt owing to the help of the two new brides.

Everybody is talking about going to the Choral Choir Concert on Monday night in the Methodist Church here. Funds in aid of the Red Cross.

Everybody who attended the taffy pull at Mr. Norman Eves last Friday night reports a fine time. About 35 or 40 were present.

We are sorry to hear of the number of sick in the community, and are anxiously waiting their recovery.

Miss Doris Stephens is home from Normal School on her Easter vacation.

Sutton West.

The usual monthly tea given for the "Red Cross" was held on Tuesday afternoon in St. James' Hall. About twenty-five people were present. Proceeds were $2.20.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. R. Greenwood, on Wednesday, the 28th, when a tea was given by the W. A. for the benefit of the Society. The amount realized was $3.95.

Mrs. Morrison spent Sunday in Town.

Mrs. J. Percy spent a few days in the city last week, visiting friends.

Be ready with your waste on Saturday, April 15th. The girls will call on you, and would be very glad if everyone would tie the papers in bundles and put other scraps in small paper bags, as it makes it much easier to handle.

On Easter Day, April 8th, service will be held at St. George's Church, Lake Shore at 11 a. m. and in St. James' Sutton at 7 p. m.

Sergeant Greenwod, Pte. Burch, Bagg. Kaiser, of the 208th O. S. B., are up for their last leave before going overseas.

The 220th gave a moving picture show in the Town Hall Tuesday last. The Hall was well filled.

Mr. R. G. Norman of the Bank of Nova Scotia has moved down to his Town Line house for the summer.

Sugar making is now the order of the day. The run of sap, however, is rather disappointing.

Mr. Cornell, formerly G. T. R. Agent here, was visiting friends in Sutton last week.

Reports from Owl Town would indicate that the Express Company still deliver cases of bottled hilarity.

Dr. Frank Savery, our popular Vet. has signed up for overseas service.

Sutton Fair will be held this year on Sept. 20 and 21. Following are the Officers:

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SIR WM. HEARST, Minister of Agriculture, Toronto,
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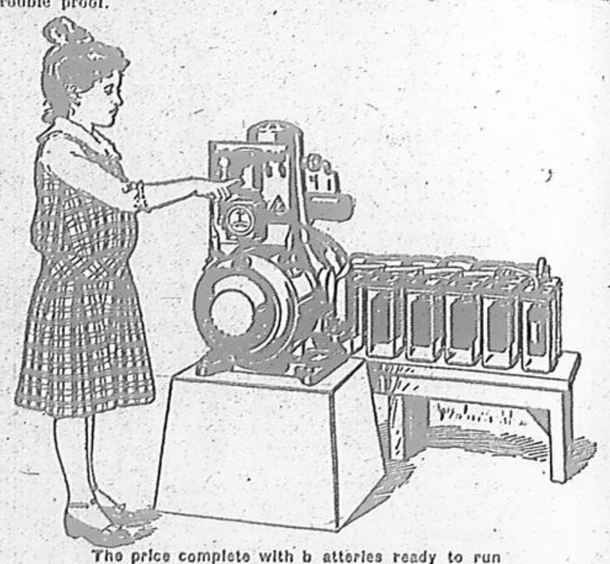

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..Francis James McKay, a New Zealander, 35 years of age, an ex-member of Canada's military force, pleaded guilty to four charges of uttering forged cheeks, and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.

St. John, N. B., April 3.—A British freight steamer which arrived in port to-day encountered a German submarine on the trip over, and after a brief fight sent the U-boat to the bottom with all her crew. The ship bears the marks of a shell fired by the Huns, but escaped serious damage. The engagement took place about ninety miles out of Queenstown, Ireland.

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