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LETTERS FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

SONYA

A convention of the Sabbath School and Young People's Associations of Lindsay Presbytery will be held in St. Andrew's church, Sonya, on Monday, June 26th. Mr. D. Fotheringham, school inspector, Toronto; Rev. Mr. Patterson, Toronto; and Rev. J. W. Macmillan of Lindsay will take part. Everybody invited.

COBOCONK

The following is the relative standing of pupils for the month of May in the junior department of the public school:
St. 2nd—A. Dayman, J. Barjarow, G. Hall, E. Simpson, P. Bowins. Jr.
3rd—H. Wilkinson, H. Arbuttle, G. Wakelin, R. Wailla, R. Fockler, B. Eagle. Sr. pt. 2nd—Chas. Bowins, E. Logie, C. Lloyd, G. Carl, E. Lake, G. Holland, E. Jordan, N. Holland, Sr. 1st—A. Moffatt, W. Callan, A. Barjarow, G. Dayman, S. White, P. Wailla, Roy Shields, K. Harvey, P. Simpson, E. Johnson. Jr. 1st—Jos. Storey, H. Dayman, H. Brader, A. Watson, G. Callan, I. Angers, H. Jackson, E. Bowins, R. Harvey.

HALL'S LAKE—STANHOPE

Mr. John Hewitt is building a fine stone residence.
Miss Rhoda Davies of Philadelphia is visiting friends here.
Mr. George Hewitt is making some improvements on his house.
The Stanhope cheese factory owned by Mr. Godwin was opened for the season on June 13.
Mr. Wm. Deacon of Toronto is spending the summer with his brother, Mr. Robt. Deacon of Hall's Lake.
A number of new boats and canoes are being launched this summer which shows that our beautiful little lake is not unappreciated.
The pupils of Hall's Lake school propose holding their annual picnic on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 28th at the school grounds. The afternoon will be spent in boating, ball-playing, races, games, etc., and an unprecedented time is anticipated.

BETHANY

Burglars effected an entrance to the store of Henry Riley of this village a short time ago and but for the pluck of Mrs. Preston, who lives next door, would have got away with considerable booty. This lady heard the thieves at work and slipping out of her house in her night clothing gave the alarm. Examination showed little had been stolen, except some four dollars worth of change from the till. The burglars had started away with Mr. Riley's fur-coat, but found it cumbersome and it was found on the road where it had been carried. The thieves were preparing for a good haul when they were frightened off. They had taken a large roll of cotton from the shelf, spread it on the floor and had piled some of the best goods in the store, including some ordered suits ready for wrapping up. There was no one left as to who the burglars were. Mrs. Preston's bravery in giving the alarm undoubtedly saved Mr. Riley's goods from the pilferers.

KIRKFIELD

Work has again commenced on the canal with Mr. Wm. Kennedy in charge. This will have the effect of making our town boom.
Mr. T. Ernest Godson, barrister, of Beaverton, will be in his Kirkfield office (Gusty's Hotel) the 2nd and 4th Wednesday in every month.—7-lyr.
Owing to the removal of Dr. Wood from here the position of postmaster has become vacant. We learn, however, that Mr. E. Magrove has been appointed. Ed. will make a most capable official.
The celebration of the battle of the Boyne will take place here on the 12th of July, and intending visitors to our village can depend on being well accommodated as our hotels are up to date. A special train will run from Lindsay and intermediate points at

reduced rates. This will be a grand opportunity to see the Trent Valley canal and the celebrated peat works, which will then be in full running order.

MARIPOSA STATION

Mr. J. Foster has gone to Niagara with the red coats.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Channon of Darlington visited Lindsay and Mariposa friends recently.
Mr. Arthur Washington has erected a stone wall under his barn. Mr. Ewart of Oakwood did the work.
Very few from this locality patronized the excursion to Guelph last Tuesday, as it was deemed unsafe to travel while the strike was on.
Everybody was glad to see the trackmen go back to work again on Monday morning. The strike has been declared off, and the promise of a settlement within the next thirty or forty days.

OAKWOOD

Mr. Workman's house is rapidly progressing.
Miss Thomas of Lindsay is visiting her brother here.
Mr. Wm. Rich erected a fine barn one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. G. Prouse of Flint, N. Y., is visiting friends in Oakwood.
Miss Rossie Hill was visiting friends in Lindsay a few days last week.
Mr. John Eck of Little Britain paid Miss B. Rilance a flying visit on Thursday.
Several people from this vicinity attended the excursion to the Model Farm, and were well pleased.
The busiest spot in this vicinity every morning for about two or three hours is at the creamery. The wagons come in loaded with about all they can draw, reaching over the 10,000 lbs. mark every Monday. Last week the patrons received their cheques for the month of April and May. The returns were lower than usual owing to the low price of butter. At the last meeting of patrons it was decided to make butter during June, and another meeting is now called for next Monday evening, June 26th, at 7 p.m. to settle which they think will pay the best to make for the balance of the season, cheese or butter. The meeting will be at the factory and a full attendance of the patrons is expected.

REABORO

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham by the members of Court Reaboro No. 557 C.O.F., when the following address and presentation was made: DEAR SIR AND BRO.—We the members of Court Reaboro No. 557 C.O.F. having learned with regret of your departure from our midst feel that we cannot allow you to depart without showing our appreciation of your valuable services in the past. Since the organization of our court you have been an earnest and zealous worker, and have done all in your power to promote the interests and welfare of the order by your regular attendance to duties and the efficiency with which you have filled the various offices in the court. We therefore ask you to accept this chain and pin, not for its value, but as a mark of the esteem in which you are held, and to show you that you will not be forgotten among your brethren here, and trust that though departing from us you will still remain a member of our Court. Wherever your lot is cast in the future you will carry with you our best wishes, and we hope that all your efforts will be crowned with success; and we trust, as you go from our midst, you will ever cherish the fond recollections of the past, and may the motto of our order—Liberty, Benevolence and Concord—ever be retained by you, and may the divine hand of providence always be your guide till we all meet in the Heavenly Court above.—Signed on behalf of the Court,
J. GREER, F.C.,
THOS. DOWNEY, R.C.

After the address was read, the chain and pin were placed in their proper place by two of the brethren. This was followed by short addresses. Mr. S. J. Fox, M.P., Court Deputy, and Wm. Reid, P.C.R., also gave short addresses, followed by vocal and instrumental music, after which the brethren, with their lady friends, partook of a sumptuous supper. The meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem.

FINGERBOARD

A severe thunder storm Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Cornil visited friends in Ops last week.
Present appearances would seem to indicate poor crops.
Mr. and Mrs. Osborne visited friends at Bowmanville last week.
The fishing season has commenced at last, and many are taking advantage of it.
Mr. Alfred King of Poro Perry wheeled through our little village on Friday last.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster, sr., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. George Ross of Hamilton.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mease, who have been visiting friends at Exeter, have returned home.
Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dawson of Little Britain spent Sunday at her sister's, Mrs. T. H. Mease.
Mr. Henry Mease and wife have

returned home after spending a week with friends in Exeter.

Mr. Frank Coad, accompanied by his brother and sister, were the guests of Miss Edith Frise on Sunday.

Miss Annie Moase is progressing nicely with her paintings, under the skillful teaching of Miss Windrim.

Our honorable school teacher, Mr. John C. McKinnon, has purchased a fine wheel to go to and from school each day.

Mr. Wm. Foster, sr., and wife have returned home after spending a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. Ross at Hamilton.

Our enterprising trustees are having placed on the public school a fine bell weighing some four hundred pounds. This will supply a much needed want.

Mrs. Cory and her son Thomas of Peniel, Mr. Amos Hancock of Oakwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Grote of Toronto visited at Mr. Robt. Frise's last week.

The farmers beef-ring has opened out for another season, with Mr. Wm. Rodgers for their butcher. Mr. Rodgers is a man that understands his business thoroughly, and thereby will prove a satisfaction to each member of the ring.

A large congregation assembled at Pleasant Point church last Sabbath afternoon, expecting to hear Rev. Mr. Cook's farewell sermon, but he failed in coming and many were disappointed as Mr. Cook is a general favorite at the Point.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. Moase, Thursday last, when their daughters and granddaughters met together for the purpose of holding a quilting. After the quilt was finished they all entered the dining-room and sat down to a sumptuous repast, which had been prepared by Mrs. Moase.

News of the Week

—George Shaver, a member of the firm of Grant & Shaver, wood dealers of Cornwall, died Friday night while riding a bicycle. Several ladies noticed his wheel wobbling, and then he fell over on his side. Heart failure was the cause.

—Frank, the 16-year old son of J. B. DeSauriers of Wallaceburg, was drowned Saturday evening while bathing in the river. He could not swim, and, getting into deep water, was drowned before assistance could reach him. The body has been recovered.

—Mrs. Sarah Bennett, St. Thomas, has received word announcing that her son, Alfred Bennett, railway engineer, had been killed at San Luis Potosi, Old Mexico, on June 6th. The fatality occurred in a wash-out, deceased being buried beneath his engine. He leaves a widow and one child.

—Official confirmation has been received at Madrid of the seizure of the yacht Fire Fly at Arachon, a popular bathing place, 35 miles by rail south-west of Bordeaux, France, with 4,000 rifles, said to have been intended for the Carlists. It is claimed the Fire Fly belongs to Lord Ashburton, who is looked upon as being the representative in England of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender.

—The turning of a switch near the Kingston and Pembroke railway round-house, at two o'clock Sunday morning, caused the derailment and wreck of the Grand Trunk suburban engine and passenger coach, and nearly cost twelve passengers and a number of train hands their lives. No one was injured. The switch was opened with a regular key, and detectives are now at work ferreting out the wretch guilty of such dastardly work.

—Fred Price, a young Englishman, employed at Wilson's hotel, Hazersville, died under peculiar circumstances on Friday night. He was discovered in his room in a dying state, and the doctors were unable to save his life. It was discovered that he had taken a dose of laudanum, but as no inquest was held it is not known whether the drug was taken to produce sleep or with suicidal intent. The deceased had relatives in Nottingham, England.

—A great scandal has been caused in Vienna, by the apparent elopement of Monsignor Bernard Bauer, who is seventy years old, with a ballet dancer of the Opera house. Monsignor Bauer, who, it is supposed, is not quite right mentally, was born at Pesth of a wealthy Jewish family. He enlisted in the French army in 1848, when nineteen years old. He became a convert to Catholicism and joined the Carmelite order. He has not been in good standing in the Catholic church for a few years because of his eccentric conduct.

—Minnie Ross, a Canadian girl, was found dead in a house at Havana, Saturday afternoon. She had been murdered. Her skull had been fractured by blows with a hammer after she had been choked into insensibility. The murderer of the young woman is unknown, but a man named McCrea, said to be a former American officer and now an employe in the Civil Service, has been arrested by order of the court in connection with the crime. The Ross girl was very beautiful, and attracted a great deal of attention by driving splendid horses on the Prado and by her profuse display of costly jewels.

—The Warimoos arrived Saturday afternoon from Sydney, N. S. W., Brisbane, Queensland, Suva, Fiji, and Honolulu. She brings news that the days of bush-rangers are not over in West Australia. Kalgoorlie has been greatly excited over a robbery by a masked man, who held up Clerk Mortimer and Accountant Crooks, of the Lake View Consol Company. They were returning in a buggy from the bank with a month's wages of miners, amounting to \$25,000. The robbery was witnessed by a number of men working near the spot, and also by cyclists and others passing along the road, but the robber kept those who attempted to interfere at bay by threatening to shoot them. Black trackers were sent out after him.

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