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Foresters Gave Free Concert at Omeme

Omeme, Jan. 15.—Mr. Isaac Richardson, of Millbrook, king of hog buyers, is back to business at the Commercial House, after a rather severe illness. We are glad to welcome him back.

Two or three sleigh loads of people went out to Mount Pleasant on Monday evening to the Presbyterian tea and concert. Some of the Omemeites taking part in the program were: Misses Parsons, Miss A. W. Ivory, Miss Ingram, Miss Wilson, Messrs. Weir and Brown, and Mrs. White. A splendid turnout is reported.

Rev. Jas. Rollins, B.A., of St. Andrew's, Peterboro, conducted the services in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath morning. His sermon was a masterly exposition, and was much appreciated.

For the first time since her marriage, Mrs. Robt. Williamson will receive on Tuesday, Jan. 23rd, at her residence, King-st. west, from 4 to 6 p.m.

Remember the meeting of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes on the evening of Jan. 19th in Coronation Hall. Miss Hotson's address on educational matters should attract many trustee boards.

Last week Mrs. John McGhie returned from the Ross Memorial Hospital at Lindsay and is convalescing nicely.

In many places the country roads are blocked with snow and the fields are used for travel.

On Friday evening Mrs. D. Blaylock returned home from the Nichols hospital, Peterboro, and her many friends are rejoiced that her recovery has been so rapid.

Last Saturday all records of low temperature in Omeme were broken when the mercury showed 40 below zero. A good deal of a good thing may be good for good people but

the freedom and continuity of this frigidly is nauseating.

On Wednesday evening a grand free concert was given in Coronation Hall under the auspices of Court Nebo, 1316, I.O.F. The auditorium was packed to its capacity, and the lengthy program was enjoyed immensely. The artists of the evening were Toronto people: Miss Lillian Dillon, pianist; Miss Maud Bigwood, soprano; Mr. Harvey Lloyd, comedian; and Mr. George A. Mitchell, superintendent of field work. The latter delivered a stirring address on fraternal organizations, and of course, eulogized the Order of which he is superintendent. His effort was masterly, of an inspiring character and must have produced a profound impression on the audience. Court Nebo is to be congratulated on the success of this social function.

A very pretty house wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. McConnell, when their youngest daughter, Maude, became the wife of Mr. Wm. Gilbert, of Chinook, Alberta. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. Burns, Ph.B., of Omeme. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert took the evening train for Toronto and St. Thomas before leaving for their home at Chinook, Alta. The out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. Irvine, of Saskatoon; Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson, of Bobcaygeon, and Mr. and Mrs. E. McConnell, of Lindsay.

The following officers were elected by Lorne Lodge A. F. & A. M.: I. P. Mc-Dr. Sutton; M.-R. A. Allan; S.W.-J. A. Lowry; J.W.-Rev. H. Earle; S.D.-J. Hart; J.D.-P. Pogue; I.G.-H. Bradley; D.C.-T. A. McPherson; Sec.-W. J. Thorne; Treas.-R. Patterson; Chap.-T. C. Ivory.

LINDSAY DISTRICT L. O. L. MEETING

Annual Meeting of L. O. L. and Royal Scarlet Chapter

The annual meeting of Lindsay District L.O.L., which was adjourned for one week on account of storm and extreme cold, was held yesterday in the Orange Hall, Adams' block, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., and notwithstanding the state of the toads and weather there was a very good attendance from town and country. Wor. Bro. James Courtney, district master, occupied the chair. The returns from the different lodges showed good progress.

After the usual business was finished the master called upon Wor. Bro. Wm. Warren, past district master, to take the chair, and conduct the election of officers, which resulted as follows: dist. master, Bro. Joseph Brown; deputy dist. master, Bro. Robt. Nugent; secretary, Wor. Bro. John Kelly, (past county master); chaplain, Bro. T. A. Newman; fin. sec., Bro. W. H. Skuce; treasurer, Bro. Thos. Trotter; director of ceremonies, Wor. Bro. Downey; first lecturer, Wor. Bro. Allen Currins; second lecturer, Bro. W. Burke.

Bro. Courtney then resumed the gavel and installed the officers, which he did in a very creditable manner, after which short and suitable addresses were given by the newly-elected officers, including some telling remarks by Wor. Bro. (Father) John Kelly, P.C.M., the veteran Orangeman. The name of another veteran, who is now lying ill, was very kindly remembered, being that of Bro. Major John Martin (a Criméan veteran.) May he long be spared.

The lodge closed in harmony, and the royal scarlet chapter resumed for business and election of officers, with Wor. Comp. in Com., Sir Kt. Wm. Warren in the chair. The following officers were elected: Comp. in Com. Sir Kt. P. Conquergood; Ext. Comp. Sir Kt. W. Burke; chap., Sir Kt. T. A. Newman; scribe, Sir Kt. John Kelly; treas., Sir Kt. Thos. Trotter; inner herald, Sir Kt. W. H. Skuce; outer herald, Sir Kt. H. Neddo. The officers were duly installed by the presiding comp., and this sublime order was duly closed after a most successful meeting.

HOME PROBLEMS

INTERESTING PAPER AT W. I. MEETING.

Little Britain, Jan. 15.—The township Sunday school convention did not take place in this church as announced because of the severe storm and the state of the roads. We understand that the committee are communicating with the speakers from a distance to see if a date can be arranged for the near future.

We offer our best wishes for a long and happy future to Mr. and Mrs.

LECTURER COMING

Mr. J. P. Ryley, treasurer of the Lindsay Poultry Association, received a communication from Mr. A. P. Westervelt, director of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, live stock branch, to-day to the effect that Mr. A. J. Harris, of Burk's Falls, will address a meeting in connection with the poultry show at Lindsay on Wednesday, Jan. 24th inst., in the afternoon and evening.

This will prove a most interesting talk, as the lecturer is in possession of facts which will be of untold benefit to all who may be interested in the industry.

BIRTHS.

MARSH — To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marsh, of Reaboro, on Jan. 15, 1912, a son.

OBITUARY.

MARY HUDSWELL.

There died at the Ross hospital on Tuesday, Jan. 16, Miss Mary Hudswell, aged 56 years. The deceased had been employed as a weaver at Horn Bros. Woollen Mills for two years. She was faithful at all times in her duties, and well thought of by her employers.

The deceased was at one time a resident of Campbellford, from which place she came to Lindsay. She was born in the Old Country, and has been a resident of Canada for ten years. She was a faithful and active worker of the Salvation Army, both in the Old Country and in Canada. In the local corps she will be greatly missed by fellow workers.

The late Miss Hudswell is survived by one brother, Mr. Kershaw Hudswell, Queen-st. east ward.

EMILY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Omeme, Jan. 8.—Council met at eleven o'clock. Present, all the duly declared elected members, that is to say, the reeve, Isaac H. Fee and Councillors Samuel B. Carew, Martin Carroll, William Herlihey and Robert W. Wilson. The reeve in the chair. The following communications were received, perused and filed: From the Municipal World, soliciting renewal of subscriptions for 1912; from the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, with the usual appeal for donation; from the Bank of Toronto, showing the balance at credit of the municipality on the 31st day of December, 1911, to be \$767.68; from Allan Gillies, re renewal of printing contract.

Moved by S. B. Carew, seconded by M. Carroll, that the following township officials be appointed, that is to say: Norman H. Sutton, as medical health officer for the ensuing year at a salary of \$10; John J. Magee and John C. Leary, as auditors at respective salaries of six dollars each; John J. Ashmore, as member of the local board of health for the ensuing term of three years; Francis Fee, as trustee of the Omeme high school and public school for ensuing term of two years, and that the clerk do now draft the usual by-law confirming these appointments.—Carried.

Moved by Robt. Wilson, seconded by Wm. Herlihey, that orders be issued on the treasurer for payment of expenses in connection with the recent municipal election amounting to \$55.90 to be paid.—Carried.

Moved by Robt. Wilson, seconded by Wm. Herlihey, that by-law No. 385 for the purpose of confirming the appointment of the medical health officer, the auditors, a member of the local board of health and a trustee of the Omeme high and public school board, be now introduced and read a first time. By-law was read a second and third times and passed.

Moved by Wm. Herlihey, seconded by Robt. Wilson, that orders be issued on the treasurer for payment of the miscellaneous accounts and charitable donations amounting to \$78.56.—Carried.

Moved by S. B. Carew, seconded by M. Carroll, that this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday, the 5th day of February, 1912, at the hour of ten o'clock a.m., when the assessor and other municipal officers (with the exception of the pathmasters and fenceviewers) will be appointed.—Carried.

Mrs. Charles Harding is spending a few days in Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Keswick, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Archie Glenney.

Dr. and Mrs. Moore are visiting his parents at Marmora.

Mr. Nathan Rodman is drawing brick to build his house in the spring.

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BOMB THROWN AT PREMIER YUAN

Peking, Jan. 16.—An unsuccessful attempt was made this morning to assassinate Premier Yuan-Shi-Kai, one of the central figures of the national upheaval of the Chinese Empire striking the object of their attack.

The would-be assassins instead of threw the bomb among his escort, killing two soldiers and injuring a large number of bystanders.

The assailants selected a moment when the Premier, who has been one of the pillars of the Manchu dynasty was on his way from the Imperial Court, where he had another long audience with the princes of the imperial clan.

The men who attempted to take Yuan-Shi-Kai's life hoped to get away from the scene of their crime by mixing with the crowds in the streets, which were thronged at the time. They were, however, pursued and captured, and were taken by a detachment of Manchu soldiers into a house in the vicinity.

The public executioner was at once called, and with his assistants is now standing sentinel in front of the house where the assassins are confined. He will remain on duty there until he receives orders from the Imperial authorities, who, it is expected, will command that the men be executed immediately.

Within a few days an edict will be issued at Peking, not only announcing abdication, but decreasing the establishment of a republic, the people to elect a president.

It is confidently expected also that the republican leaders at Peking will recognize Yuan-Shi-Kai's paramount claim to the presidency, as he alone commands a powerful following of both Manchus and Chinese together with the devotion of the best of the troops, and confidence and respect abroad.

MARRIAGES.

MORKIN-KENNEDY—At St. Peter's church, Toronto, on Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1912, by Rev. Father Minehan, parish priest of St. Peter's, Miss Nora M. Kennedy, of Lindsay, daughter of the late John Kennedy, to Mr. Jas. P. Morkin, of Edmonton, Alta.

HYMENEAL.

KING-HILL.

A very pretty December wedding took place at Fenelon Falls on the twenty-eighth of the month, when Miss Mabel Hill, of the township of Verulam, was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Mr. Horace King, of Hamilton. The pretty ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Moynes, Bond-st., east, Rev. C. S. Lord officiating.

The bride was charmingly attired in a very pretty steel grey silk, her traveling suit being of brown cloth, with hat to match.

KENNEDY-MORKIN.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at St. Peter's church, Toronto, on Jan. 17, when Miss Nora Kennedy, of Lindsay, was married to Mr. James P. Morkin, of Edmonton. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. Father Minehan, in whose parish Miss Kennedy has been residing for several months.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Peter Kennedy, of this town. The only guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Margaret Cairns, of Lindsay, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Korman, of Toronto. After the wedding, nuptial mass was celebrated, at the conclusion of which the wedding party motored to the Queen's Hotel, where a wedding breakfast was given by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kennedy. The happy couple left on the 9 a.m. train for Buffalo and New York. After their honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Morkin will reside in Edmonton, Alberta.

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METCALF.—To Mr. and Mrs. James Metcalf, Lindsay, a son, on Jan. 1, 1912.

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Advance in Agriculture

At the convention of Eastern Ontario dairymen at Campbellford recently, the new Minister of Agriculture of Canada made a fine impression in his addresses, which were inspiring and full of information. He will be a factor at the agricultural and kindred conventions to be held from time to time.

Particularly interesting were some statistics given by the Minister to show the marvellous advance in agriculture that Canada has made in recent years. Ten years ago in British Columbia there were only 7,000 acres of orchard, while to-day there are 120,000 acres. In all Canada, to-day there are about 550,000 acres of orchard, worth about \$150,000,

000. Agriculture in all branches has made rapid strides. For instance, in 1909 British Columbia produced \$8,000,000 worth of farm products, and this increased to \$14,000,000 in 1910. The best way that the government can help the farmers of Canada, said the Minister, is to help the farmers to help themselves. It is the purpose of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, under the new government, to assist the farmers in every way that is practicable, and especially in the way of more and better education. They will not be "spoon fed." The department is closely in touch with dairy work, as is evidenced by the work being done in cold storage problems and

in cow testing. One difficulty that governments have is to know just what the industry wants and needs. To the dairymen the speaker advised that they impart to others the knowledge that they already have, and not be niggardly about it, and then ask for reciprocity. For the development of the dairy industry it is necessary also to get an intelligent grasp of the work that is being done in dairying in other countries, and this the government is endeavoring always to keep informed on and to impart to the dairymen throughout the Dominion.

Woodstock will now give 20 per cent. discount on electric lighting bills, instead of 10 per cent.

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