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Correspondents' Newsy Letters

OAKWOOD

(Special to The Post) Our village was greatly shocked on Tuesday morning when it became known that Mrs. John MacPherson, had died at the Ross Memorial hospital that morning. Mrs. MacPherson (formerly Miss Mary Hadley) was taken to the hospital on Monday with appendicitis, but the doctors decided not to operate, her death taking place there. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband and two little girls, May and Greta, both under ten years old, also her mother. We extend our sympathy to the many friends.

VALENTIA

(Special to The Post) Miss Adair, of Norland, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Swain, returned home on Monday. A number of our young people took in the Oddfellows' concert at Little Britain last Wednesday evening and report a good time. Mrs. Matthew Emmerson, of Manitoba, is visiting her many friends and relatives in this vicinity. She is looking well and speaks in glowing terms of the west. She also noted the marvellous changes around here during the twelve years of her absence. Many of the younger people have entirely grown out of her recollection. The long looked for winter has come at last, though the early part of the fall was so dry that scarcely any ploughing could be done, yet the long open fall enabled most of the farmers to get things straightened up nicely. Crops were rather light this season, especially late oats, also straw, is very scarce, but if the winter continues to be mild it will help relieve those who are short of feed. Our citizens are taking advantage of the snow and getting up their year's supply of wood. There is scarcely any water in the swamps. The water supply for stock will be a serious problem if we do not have rain or the snow melt and fill the wells.

WOODVILLE

(Special to The Post) Quite a number from here attended the anniversary services at Cannington on Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore spent Saturday with friends in Lindsay. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Trebleco spent Sunday with relatives in Eden. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Ruan and Miss Ethel Thomas were in Sunderland on Sunday. Miss Mary Burns, a one time Woodville girl, is renewing acquaintances here at present. Mr. Snell, of Prince Albert, exchanged pulpits with the Rev. Mr. Whattam on Sunday. Don't forget the Mechanics' Institute concert on Friday evening. All local talent. Miss Lily Ray entertained a number of her friends on Tuesday evening. Mr. Ed. Wright, of Linden Valley spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith. We are sorry to hear that our young junior teacher, Miss S. Moore is leaving here at Christmas. Mrs. L. Bowie, who has been in the west for the past summer, has returned home. Mrs. Jno. McPherson is visiting her sons in Blythe. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Iverson gave a party for Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Fairview Farm, before leaving there. We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Currie, which occurred on Tuesday morning after a serious illness. Deceased was eighty-eight years of age and had been a resident of this neighborhood for sixty years. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at the Presbyterian church thence to Eldon cemetery. Miss Ethel Thomas entertained her Sunday school class on Saturday evening. The Methodists are busy preparing their annual cantata, and it will likely be the best they have ever given. They intend to give it Wednesday night before Christmas. Miss Florence Campbell entertained a number of her friends on the evening of last week.

FENELON FALLS

(Special to The Post) Mrs. W. Ellis, of Filmore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Aldous. Mr. Wm. Brokenshire, of Cornwall is home, and we are sorry to hear is on the sick list. Mr. Cresswell is visiting friends in town. Mrs. Dr. Gould left on Tuesday for Guelph, where she is to attend the annual convention or winter fair as delegate from this branch of the W. I. Miss Emily Nic left on Tuesday, to attend the convention at Guelph as delegate. Mr. Geo. Wilson spent Monday in Lindsay.

GELERT

(Special to The Post) Messrs. Oliver and Stevens are talking of building a factory for the manufacture of the explosive they

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations. Tuesday Evening, Dec. 8. Liverpool wheat future closed to-day 3/4 to 1/2 lower than yesterday, and corn closed 1/4 lower. At Chicago—December wheat closed 1 1/2c lower than yesterday. December corn closed 1/4c lower, and December oats closed 1/2c higher than yesterday. Winnipeg Options. Wheat—July 21.00 bid, December 21 asked, May 21.04 bid. Oats—December 37 1/2c bid, May 41 2-3c bid. Toronto Grain Markets. Wheat, fall, bush 1.00 to 1.02. Wheat, red, bush 1.00 to 1.02. Wheat, roose, bush 1.00 to 1.02. Rye, bushel 1.00 to 1.02. Buckwheat, bushel 1.00 to 1.02. Peas, bushel 1.00 to 1.02. Barley, bushel 1.00 to 1.02. Oats, bushel 1.00 to 1.02. Toronto Dairy Market. Butter, separator, dairy 0.25 to 0.28. Butter, store lots 0.25 to 0.28. Butter, creamery, solids 0.27 to 0.28. Butter, creamery, lb rolls 0.28 to 0.30. Eggs, new-laid, dozen 0.40 to 0.45. Eggs, cold storage 0.24 to 0.28. Cheese, large, lb 0.12 to 0.14. Cheese, twin, lb 0.14 to 0.16. Honey, extracted 0.10 to 0.12. Honey, combs, dozen 2.25 to 2.75. Liverpool Grain and Produce. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 8.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 88 1/2d; futures steady; Dec., 78 1/2d; March, 78 1/2d; May, 78 1/2d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed new (via Galveston), 58 1/2d; futures quiet; Jan., 58 1/2d; March, 58 1/2d. Lard—Firm in tierces quiet, 47s 6d; American refined in pails dull, 48s 6d. New York Dairy Market. NEW YORK, N.Y., Dec. 8.—Butter—Steady; receipts 14,000; western factory firsts 29 1/2c to 30c. Cheese—Firm; unchanged; receipts 317L Eggs—Easier; receipts 707L. State, Pennsylvania and nearby brown and fancy, 42c to 45c; do., fair to choice, 38c to 40c; western first, 38c to 39c; do., seconds, 38c to 36c. CATTLE MARKETS. Cables Unchanged—Hogs Take Another Drop at Buffalo. LONDON, Dec. 8.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13 1/2c to 13 3/4c per lb. dressed weight; pigmeat beef is quoted at 11c to 11 1/2c per lb. Toronto Live Stock. TORONTO, Dec. 8.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways, were 112 carloads, consisting of 865 cattle, 876 hogs, 3004 sheep and lambs, with 50 calves. Reporters. No export steers were reported as being on sale. A few head of bulls sold from \$3.75 to \$4.20 per cwt. Butchers. Prime picked lots of butchers are worth \$2.20 to \$2.50; the bulk of the best cattle offered sold from \$4.20 to \$4.50, very few going over the latter figure, in fact the bulk of cattle offered sold under \$4; medium, \$3.75 to \$4; common, \$3.50 to \$3.75; canners, \$3.50 to \$3.75. Feeders and Stockers. H. and W. Farley reported the market for stockers and feeders as being quiet, as usual on Tuesday; there were few customers waiting either class, but it is expected there will be on Thursday. There was one very good load of dehorned steers over 100 lbs. each, very nearly what could be called short-horns, for which the drover stated he had refused \$4.50. The Messrs. Murby reported prices unchanged from quotations given last week, as follows: Best feeders, 50 to 1100 lbs. each, at \$3.80 to \$4 per cwt.; best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at \$3.25 to \$3.75; stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. each, at \$2.50 to \$3.15; common and medium stockers, 500 to 600 lbs. each, at \$1.75 to \$2.30. Milk and Springers. The market for milkers and springers has lost its vim, although choice quality cows still bring a good price. A moderate supply which were principally of medium quality sold from \$2.50 to \$3 each. Donald and Haligan sold 13 milkers and springers at \$5 each. Veal Calves. The market for veal calves was firm at \$2 to \$2.50 per cwt. Sheep and Lambs. There was a large delivery of sheep and lambs, 300 and over, but this did not cause the market to weaken, but on the other hand lambs went higher than at the Union Yards on Monday. Lambs sold from \$4.50 to \$5.30 for the general run, but a few lots of choice selected ewe and wether lambs sold at a little higher quotations as will be seen by sales given below; export ewes \$3.25 to \$3.40. Hogs. Mr. Harris quoted selects fed and watered at the market at \$6; lights at \$5.75. East Buffalo Cattle Market. EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; active and firm; prime steers, \$6.25 to \$6.50. LIVE POULTRY WANTED. Chickens over 8lb s. a pair, 11 cts.; turkeys, choice young hens, 14 cts.; turkeys, choice young gobblers, 13c.; ducks, large, young, 11c.; all fowl starved day shipped. Money returned day goods received. References, Bank of Commerce, cor. Spadina and College. Write or phone to HORACE WALLER, 673 Spadina Avenue, Toronto.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, fresh, per doz. 0.25 to 0.28. Butter, per lb. 0.25 to 0.27. Lard 0.15 to 0.16. Dicks 0.09 to 0.10. Chickens, per pair 0.60 to 0.80. Hens 0.70 to 0.75. Turkeys, per lb. 0.15 to 0.17. Geese per lb. 0.10 to 0.12. Best Manitoba Patent flour 2.95 to 3.15. Straight rolled flour 2.45 to 2.85. Peas, small, bus. 0.80 to 0.80. Oats 0.37 to 0.37. White oats 0.35 to 0.35. Hay, new 12.00 to 12.00. Straw, per ton 5.00 to 6.00. Butchers' cows 3.50 to 4.25. Butchers' meadow cows 2.75 to 3.50. Export cattle 5.00 to 6.00. Beef cattle per lb. 0.03 to 0.10. Sockers' cattle good 3.00 to 4.00. Milk cows 30.00 to 50.00. Dressed hogs 8.00 to 8.60. Hogs, live selects 5.75 to 5.75. Hogs, fat 3.00 to 3.60. Sows, heavy 4.25 to 4.50. Small pigs, pair 4.00 to 5.00. Wool, unwashed 0.08 to 0.09. Wool, washed 0.13 to 0.15. Potatoes, new, bus. 0.45 to 0.50. Apples, per bag 0.65 to 0.65. Watermelons 0.10 to 0.10. Cream 0.15 to 0.20. Venison per lb. 0.05 to 0.15.

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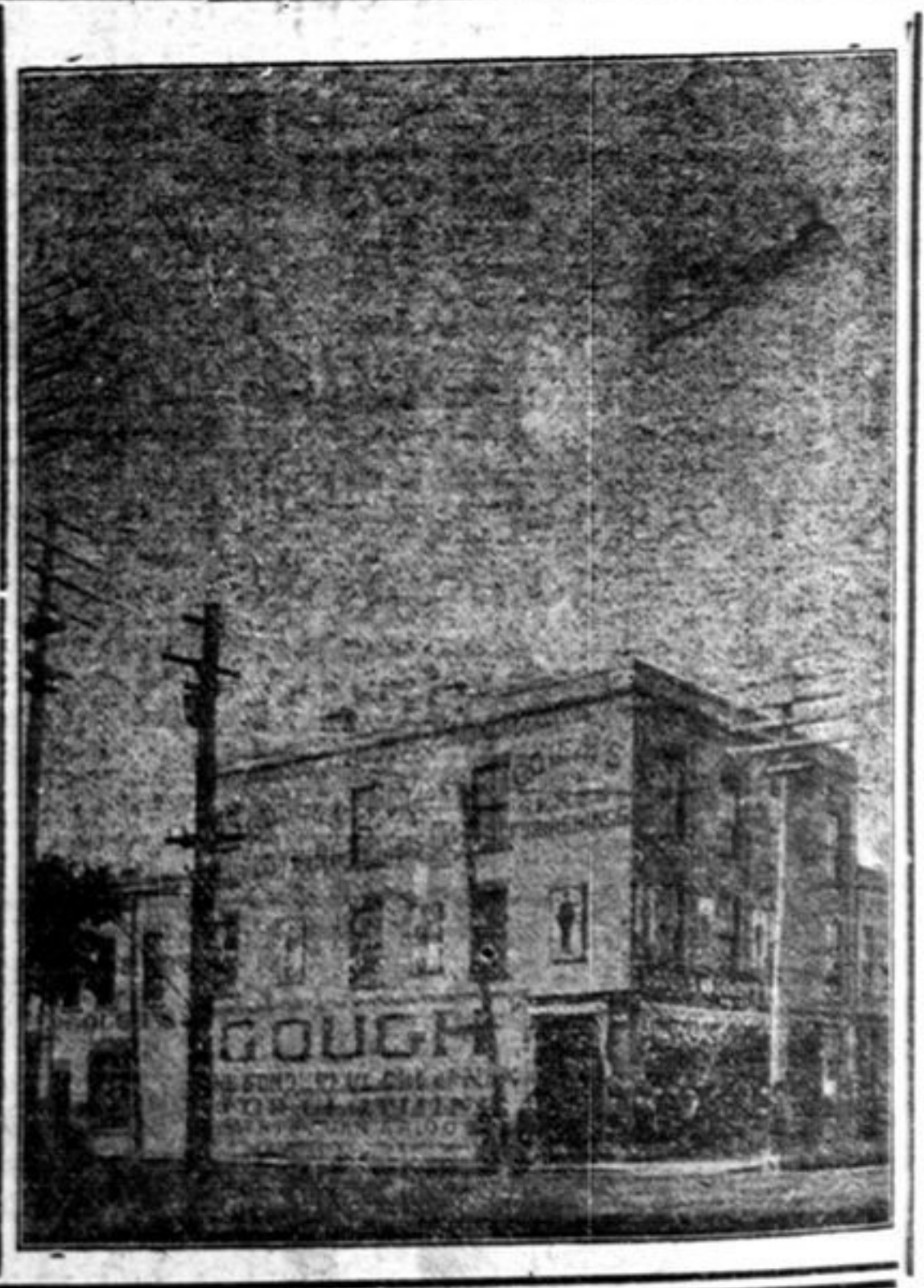


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Gifts to be appreciated must be useful. Look through our List and select what you think he will appreciate.

- Overcoats, Raincoats, Suits, Trousers, Fancy Vests, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, Fur-lined Coats, Fur Coats, Fur Collars, Fur Caps, Neckwear, Gloves, Hoisery, Underwear, Suspenders, Umbrellas

- Shirts, Hats, Mitts, Neckscarfs, Armlets, Collars, Cuffs, Mufflers, Shirt Protector, Sweaters, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handchiefs, Phoenix Mufflers, Cuff Buttons, Stick Pins



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NOTICE. It will pay any ambitious young person to read, in another column, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterboro. The winter term opens Jan. 4th-dw1. The appeal of the Dominion Power and Transmission Co., of Hamilton, against the assessment of \$125,000 on its property, was not favored by Judge Snider. London Collegiate Institute closed by smallpox scare, will reopen on Wednesday.

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