



OVER 100 YEARS of attendance to Women's Institutes is represented by two Port Elginites at the Centennial Hobby Fair held by the Bruce Centre District Institutes in the Port Elgin Arena last Wednesday. The president of the Bruce Centre District Institutes (centre) Mrs. Earl Busch of Southampton, congratulates (left) Mrs. Eldon Galliher, 83 years of age and a member of the Port Elgin W.I., and (right) Mrs. Mel Black, 80 years of age and a charter member of the South Saugeen W.I. for their long years of service.

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REGISTRATION at the school reunion held on Sunday at S.S. No. 4, Saugeen, numbered 485. Former pupils came from as far away as British Columbia and California for the reunion. Part of the large crowd is seen enjoying the picnic lunch.

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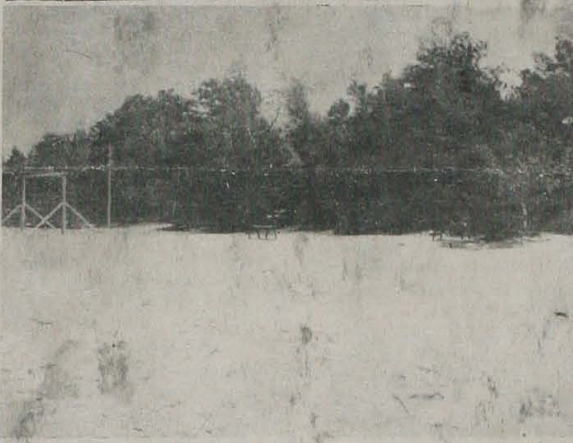
The Gobles of Gobles Grove

New residents to the Port Elgin area are often mystified by the names of certain districts and wonder how they came about. When they read in the newspaper about an accident happening at Sparks' Corner between Port Elgin and Southampton little do they realize that it was a well-known family by the name of Sparks who gave that dangerous bend on the road its name. The Sparks used to live at the spot at one time.

Likewise with Gobles Gove! Local people go to the beach at Gobles Grove many of them wondering how the place got its name.

The grove on the beach at the 6th of Saugeen was named after the ~~Goble~~ family who lived there at one time bringing forth several generations of the name. With the death of old John Goble in Vancouver at the age of 77 years, the last of the Gobles family had gone. This was on May 10, 1923.

The beach area is still called Gobles Grove on that same spot and perhaps will be called this for many years to come in honour of one Saugeen Township family which is no more.



SAUGEEN TOWNSHIP CENTENNIAL PARK will be officially opened on Sunday, July 30th, about 2:30 p.m. The park is situated at the 4th of Saugeen on Lake Huron. It is intended for picnicking, not for overnight camping. Washrooms, change houses, picnic tables and swings have been provided. Bring a picnic lunch and any necessary dishes and cutlery to the Saugeen Centennial Park on Sunday afternoon and join in a picnic lunch about 4:30 p.m. Tea and coffee and drinks for the children will be provided.

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MRS. WM. SCHILDROTH VERY VERSATILE LADY

A versatile lady, despite the fact that she has been without her sight for the past 14 years, is Mrs. William Schildroth, R.R. 5, Paisley, who occupies her time and thoughts with many a worthwhile project.

As she works about her well-kept farm home, or is settling down to sleep at night, her mind is occupied by composing poetry. She has enjoyed writing poetry for the past 28 years, when her sight first began to fail.

Mrs. Schildroth has been a valuable correspondent for The Port Elgin Times for the past 14 years. She gathers most of her news by telephone and types it on her portable typewriter before sending her news copy to The Times office.

It was a great thrill to Mrs. Schildroth to be awarded the Col. Baker Trophy for bowling the highest score for the blind in Canada. She is a member of the Grey and Bruce Blind Club.

She plays the piano with accuracy and expression. One of her hobbies is collecting salt and pepper shakers shaped like pigs. Her collection includes all sizes, colors and varieties.

Mrs. Schildroth takes an active interest in the activities at the Port Elgin United Church and the Saugeen Women's Institute.

Despite the loss of sight, Mrs. Schildroth maintains a happy sense of humor and a cheerful personality, gets about her home and does her work with amazing ease to the onlooker, and is thoughtful of others.

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Mr. J.B. Muir, of Saugeen, has shown what advanced methods of cultivation and scientific farm management can do by selling \$4500 of stock, grain and produce from his 150-acre farm this year.

1927

50 years ago

(From the Advocate files of November 16, 1927)

Mr. Wm. Atkinson of Saugeen has made a big showing as a prize winner at the plowing matches this fall. The Advocate notes that Mr. Atkinson uses the old-time famous plow made in Paisley by the late J.E. McArthur.

75 years ago

(From the Advocate files of November 13, 1902)

Greenock, Elderslie and Paisley men were the principal bidders at D.J. McKinnon's sale of thoroughbred stock at Queen Hill on Friday, Mr. And. Alexander, conc. A., Greenock, bought the 8-year-old cow, Red Rose, for \$72. Mr. Hugh McArthur, of the Balmoral Hotel, bought two cows, Lady, 11-years-old, for \$80., and Lady Teasle, 3-years-old, for \$85. Other prices ranged from \$63. to \$122.