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Maxwell

From our own Correspondent.

News scarce as usual, also plenty of snow for sleighing.

Mr. Taylor was in town for a number of days organizing a lodge of "Chosen Friends."

The "Cyclone," (which is the paper in connection with the Lit.) seems to take the lead now. If you wish to hear the contents, come to the Orange Hall on Friday evening.

Taylor Clark will be in Singhampton for a time, taking in the cutting.

Mr. Albert McCallum and sister took a trip to Collingwood lately.

Messrs. Sullivan and Tuskey, from Collingwood, were in town last Thursday.

Mr. Thos. Guy is getting in harrows, etc., in great numbers. He is a hustler.

Mrs. Maxwell returned to her duties in Buffalo last week.

Mrs. Woodger has been unwell for a time but is recovering.

The postponed quarterly business meeting in connection with the Methodist Church took place on Monday.

Mr. C. M. Field has purchased for himself a handsome driver.

Rob Roy.

From our own Correspondent.

On the 23rd inst., the people of this vicinity met as a surprise party at the residence of Mr. A. Cameron, to celebrate the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron's silver wedding. There was a large gathering. After all were comfortably arranged the chairman called on an address to be read, wherein they presented to Mr. and Mrs. Cameron a silver cruet stand, silver butter dish and knife, and a very handsome pipe, which were given as a token of the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Cameron are held. Then came the chairman's speech, and music from the choir. After hearing some very pleasant remarks suitable for the occasion, also solos and songs, etc., the ladies provided a very delicious supper. Other amusements took up the time till 4 a. m., when all hands left for their respective places of abode, well pleased with what they had done.

Mr. John Bauner lost a valuable horse last week.

This part is great on surprises. Mr. Wm. Davidson was favored with one the other night. We believe they had a good time.

Meaford Road.

From our own Correspondent.

A Court of Canadian Order of Foresters has been organized at Vandellur with a membership of 20 to start with. The following are the officers:

J. Boland, C. R.; G. Pritchard, V. R.; O. F. Crane, R. S.; G. Warling, Treas.; S. Gilbert, S. W.; S. Warling, J. W.; D. Walker, O. B.; M. Beard, J. B.; Dr. Ego, Physician.

A special school meeting was held in the School House on Friday last, pursuant to notice from township clerk, re change of boundary of section. A motion was carried instructing the trustees to attend next meeting of council and oppose such change.

Eugenia.

From a special correspondent.

I omitted to state that Prof. Kent demonstrated at his scientific entertainment the other evening, that machinery would run easier and be more durable, if all wheels revolved from west to east, the direction in which the earth is turning. This is an important fact for machinists, threshers and farmers, and it would be well to take note of it. This fact could be turned to advantage in building barns, the threshing floor facing west to east, and also in placing machinery of all kinds.

A trifling error slipped into the Eugenia items last week. Leave off the "uthers" in Carruthers and you will have little Billy alright, who performed so creditably

in the dialogue mentioned. Miss Mary Williams, Mr. A. Carruthers and Willie also entertained us with a very pleasant dialogue.

We have pretty changeable weather out here just now. At the Orange-hall the other evening it was just about boiling point, and last night it was near 30 below freezing point, but fortunately there was nobody either roasted or frozen. The whiskery ones looked very old with their hoary whiskers and I think I looked a pretty old codger myself. I wish some nice girl would give me that hint, but alas! I'm afraid not.

Miss Annie Whitby, who has favored us with an extended visit, will soon return to her home in Newberry, Mich. Miss Lizzie Roy in company with Miss Ida Rutledge will soon leave for New York. We are sorry to learn of their departure, but while their many friends here will be made sorry, others will be made glad and that is slightly consoling.

A man, formerly represented as a millionaire, borrowed \$5.00 from one of our neighbors the other day. It would be interesting to know if the debt is discharged. There are some complaining that they have had enough of these so-called millionaires long ago. Enough is the word.

Flesherton Station.

From our own Correspondent.

Our Station people were much shocked on Saturday when word came that our former teacher, Miss Little, was dead and buried. Miss Little, who taught here for two years, was a favorite among all her pupils as well as the parents. We can only sympathize with the friends, and trust that she is among the blest in that happy land.

Mr. W. Wood, of King, arrived last week. We understand he intends going into partnership with his sister, Miss C. Wood.

Our merchant, Mr. J. B. Egan, was presented with a little daughter Friday night. John thinks he will have to raise a cent a loaf on bread.

Rev. Mr. Rupert will preach Sunday morning at half-past ten.

Mr. D. McLeod is still very ill.

R. Cook took a trip to Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Connor, of Dundalk spent Sunday with Mr. Egan.

Thomas McArthur, while drawing timber one day last week, slipped and fell, breaking his arm above the wrist.

A load of our young folk drove over to the 4th to take in the party given by Mr. Boyce. Tired limbs and wearied eyes prevailed next day.

Priceville.

From our own Correspondent.

The return of fine weather and the good roads have resulted in a wonderful increase in business. Our grist mill was pushed to its utmost capacity lately, supplying the wants of its customers.

We are glad to see the mill yards so well filled with sawlogs this winter.

Although the roads are passable, yet they are none of the best for hauling hay. Last Monday three farmers from the South Line started before daylight, each with a heavy load of hay, with the intention of taking them to Durham. They reached this burg about 2 o'clock, p. m., having travelled a distance of about 3 miles in the interval. They disposed of their loads in Priceville.

The S. O. T. are still on the increase. Three initiations last Thursday evening and more to follow. They are now comfortably situated in their new lodge room on Kiross st.

The I. O. F. have brightened up their Hall considerably by putting in a new window with a neatly painted directory on the panes. If the S. O. S. go and do likewise the arrangement will be complete as the A. O. U. W. have a window similarly decorated.

Already the hum of political discussions fill the atmosphere of our stores, etc. If the excitement increases proportionately

Midwinter Snaps.

Fine black worsted suit for \$14, regular price \$16.50, to clear out balance of that line.

No charge for cutting goods.

C. J. LEITCH,

Merchant Tailor,

as the elections draw near we may look for some warm debates on the different topics of government interest.

Mr. John Coburn, who has been working in Markdale lately, is home at present and is laid up with an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. Alex James is suffering with a somewhat serious attack of congestion of the lungs.

The Rev. Mr. Hartley preached missionary sermons on the Woodford circuit last Sunday. Mr. Curry, of Woodford, filled the appointments on this circuit.

Died.—On Tuesday morning, Feb. 27, after a lingering illness, Mr. James Johnston, aged 63 years. The deceased has been a respected resident of this village for a number of years. The children are having their share of sorrow, as their mother died about a year ago, and now they mourn the loss of their father. No definite arrangements have been made at the time of writing regarding the funeral. The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of the community.

Mission Work in Quebec.

Communicated.

According to appointment, Rev. E. Bosworth, was present and delivered an address in the Baptist Chapel, Flesherton, on Thursday last. Those who were in attendance were privileged to hear a clear, instructive and intensely interesting address, relating to a work that is surely not of secondary importance to the christian community, viz.—The Gospel work in Quebec. Mr. Bosworth is well able to interest and instruct an audience in dealing with this subject, for he sides a good voice and delivery, he has also a wide experience, through immediate contact with the conditions and needs of the people of whom he spoke. "To see Roman Catholicism in her true colors," says Mr. Bosworth, one must go to Quebec. In Ontario we do not see her as she is, for it is one of the features of her policy to adapt herself to her surroundings, with this always in mind, however, namely: The supremacy of the Church. The speaker exhibited before his audience several little articles, worn and used in worship by the roman catholics. Amongst others was a scapula made of brown cloth, to be worn on the person, the wearing of which, together with a repetition of prayers addressed to St. Anne, insure safety to the wearer from physical or moral harm. Few of us, perhaps, in Ontario, realize to what extent the spirit of idolatry is rooted in the minds and hearts of our fellow country-men, the French-Canadians in Quebec. When we hear of a mother bringing her dying child to the cold graven image of St. Anne, (mother of Virgin Mary,) that the shadow of the saint may fall upon her and affect a cure, we are lead to exclaim, are these things done in our own country and in one of Canada's oldest provinces! And what is the remedy? Light in the darkness! Beelzebub does not cast out devils, but the Spirit of God. Nothing but the presence and power of God's Spirit in the poor R. C.'s heart can cast down and break the grinning dragon set up there, and give light and liberty to the darkened mind. Let us give Quebec the gospel.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.