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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

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he said, are not two separate institutions. The Sabbath school is one of the most important departments of the church. It is a child of the church, it springs from the church and bears its name. Its officers and teachers are members of the church or should be. It is held in the church or the school room. Union schools are not identified with any church, but these are supported and carried on by members of different churches. The Sunday school is an organization of the church to assist in doing its work, to teach the Word of God, to lead souls to Christ and build them up in Christian life. It is one with the church in object and aim. There should be no antagonism or feeling of independence. The church that has the most efficient Sunday school will be, all things considered, the most successful. It will have the largest congregations, the largest membership and the most useful band of workers, the best life blood and enterprise. On the other hand, the Sunday school that has a church that is alive to all its interests, that does everything to make the Sunday school efficient, sustains it most liberally, throws its life and enterprise into it, provides its best workers and gives its earnest prayers and identifies itself most fully with the school, that Sabbath school will be most successful. One of the great discouragements in Sabbath school work is the apathy and indifference of the membership of the church to this work. What is needed is for Christians to consecrate themselves to this work. It is the Divine intention. "He hath appointed some apostles, some prophets, some teachers." No grander field presents itself for Christian work than the Sabbath school and no greater duty rests on the church than to feed the lambs and lead them to Christ and train them for God. The church in the future must draw its membership from the Sunday school. The most important work a church can do for God is through the services of the church, the teaching of the Sabbath school and the training of Christian homes to raise up a generation that will take its place in the church and in the world to live and work for God. How may the church work through the school to ensure success? Let the church realize that its mission is to teach. The command is to go teach all nations. Let the church develop its teaching power. Correct the idea that the Sunday school is only for the children. It is for adults, middle-aged and gray-haired. The early church owed its success largely to the fact that it was a teaching church. The success of the Roman Catholic church is due largely to her faithful teaching and her schools. Let the Sabbath school and church move along the same line in teaching the Word of God. Let the church members prepare thoroughly for the work of teaching. The Sunday school should guard against making itself a substitute for the church. Let the teachers encourage the school to attend the regular service of the church and set the example themselves. Pray for the church and pastor. The Sabbath school and church should aim at the conversion of the young before they are lost to both school and church.

Stone's Settlement.

From Our Own Correspondent.

And he lifted up his voice unto the people, saying: "Vote for Richardson." "All right, Dix, me bhoy, we'll be wid ye in the ould school house on eliction day, and faix it's not on the dure post we'll fix the X, d'ye moind."

Since last writing the threshing has been completed in this section, and, although not up to the mark, the yield has been fair considering the season. Fall wheat turned out very poorly, but spring wheat was good, peas and oats good, though in a few cases the latter were rather light.

The acreage of fall wheat sown in this section this fall is small but it presents a healthy appearance. Messrs. R. Whittaker and John McLeod have each a field of fall wheat opposite each other which wou'd require a competent judge to decide which is best.

Taking up root crops has been the order of the past few days and is now about completed, with satisfactory results.

As some people were not aware that Thanksgiving Day had been changed to an earlier date this year, the day with them passed unobserved and several goblers are enabled to strut around for a while longer.

Mrs. T. McArthur spent a few days in Proton with her sister, Mrs. A. Ferguson, who is very ill.

Mrs R. Stone is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fee, near Holland Centre, and Bennie was home for a few days last week.

We are glad to state that Mrs. R. Whittaker, who has been under the doctor's care for the past three weeks, is rapidly improving and hopes to be able to attend to her usual household duties in a few days.

We are informed that the members of our Sabbath school and Epworth League intend giving a concert in the near future to aid the building fund for the new building which is to be erected next spring. We hope they will have a crowded house.

On Saturday last the executor's sale of the property of the late William Stone took place at Markdale, when the east half of lot 9, 50 acres, was knocked down to Mr. F. Sprout for $630, and the east half of lot 8, 50 acres, to Henry Stone for $800.

Miss Annie Harrow returned to the Owen Sound collegiate on Monday. She has been attending teachers' convention.

Vandeleur.

From Our Own Correspondent

Mr. Thos. Dunlop met with a serious mishap one day last week while returning from Markdale. In some way he was thrown from his wagon and the hind wheel passed over his head, tearing one half of his scalp almost off. Dr. Ego sewed up the wound, putting in fourteen stitches. The patient is doing as well as could be expected.

Miss Maggie Neely of Rocklyn is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robert Buchanan.

Miss Amelia Johnston is home after making a short visit with friends in Caledon.

Mr. Wes. Carson of Niagara is home on a short visit.

Our tax collector, Mr. Blair, paid us his annual visit last week.

Ceylon.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Bertha Whittaker, formerly of this place, now of Caledon, is visiting friends and acquaintances here.

Mr. Greenwood and Miss T. Glencross visited the Misses Cook on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McDell of Dundalk spent Sunday at Mr. D McDell's.

Mrs. Dyee visited her sister in Proton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Egan have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their little infant baby, which died on Wednesday morning.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. T. Chislett, postmaster of this place, on Wednesday, when his sister, Miss E. Chislett, was united to Mr. A. Cellie of Genelg by the Rev. Mr. Varley of Priceville. Miss Anna Chislett assisted the bride, while the groom was supported by his brother. We wish them life's choicest blessing.

The Rev. Mr. Ward will preach at 10.30, Sunday morning and the Rev. Mr. Mills at 7 o'clock in the evening.

We understand the grain buyers along the line are going to take five cents a bushel off for uncleaned grain.

Kimberley

From Our Own Correspondent

Many of our citizens have taken advantage of the cheap railway rates, to visit friends and relatives in Parry Sound. Among those who are gone, are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lawrence, and Messrs. Robt. and Geo. Stuart.

Messrs. Leslie Plewes and Walter Baker of Kirkville visited friends in this locality on Sunday.

Special meetings were held during last week in the Methodist church.

Mr. Chas. Smith has left for Ashland, Wis., where he will reside with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ridell left for their home in Lockport, Pa., after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hammond.

Mr. Melvin Harris has purchased a building lot from Mr. Albert Ellis, and is erecting a new house, having sold his property on Centre street to his brother, Mr. W. Harris.

Mr. John Plewes and family are preparing to move to Kirkville, where they intend to spend the winter.

The recent rain has raised the streams so that our miller can run the mill continually.

A ragman, who was gathering up worn out clothing in the country, purchased a pair of discarded trousers at a farmhouse and remarked to the man of the house as he paid for the stuff he had bought: "I see, sir, you are about to lose your land on a mortgage." "Guess you are right," said the discouraged looking farmer, "but will you tell me how the Sam Hill you found that out?" "Easy enough," said the cheerful ragman, as he settled back on the seat of his peddling wagon. "I notice that these old pants are completely played out so far as the part of 'em you sat down on is concerned, but they show mighty little wear anywhere else."

An exchange says: "In the face of the automobile the price of the horse is likely to remain as high as at present and the chances are they will increase in value. We have only to look at the last few years. Horses were very cheap and people said it was because of the electric cars and the bicycle. Everything was low at the time and naturally horses would follow. Bicycles and electric cars are used more than ever before, and the price of horses is higher than for several years. Many of our best horses are bought from the farmers by exporters and shipped out of this country. As long as we have a foreign demand for our stock it is going to remain at a profitable price for some one."

Mr. Addison McDonald, of Campbellford, has had an experience which few people can relate, and which brings back recollections of former days. When he was a boy about 8 years of age, he accidentaly swallowed a needle and it remained in his body without producing any injurious effects. That was about forty years ago. In the early part of last month Mr. McDonald felt a pain in his leg, between the knee and the ankle, it swelled considerably, and a lump formed in the calf, and during the greater part of five weeks was unable to work. Medical treatment was given, to no avail until one day last week he told the physician something must be done to relieve him. The lump was probed, when to the astonishment of Mr. McDonald a needle made its appearance and was removed. Mr. McDonald says it must be the same needle he swallowed when a boy, as he has no remembrance of any other having entered his body during these long years. The swelling is now abating, and although Mr. McDonald feels some pain he has been able to resume his daily employment.—Herald.

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On Saturday last Daniel McDonald, aged about 17, son of Mr. Angus McDonald, blacksmith at Melanethon Station, was out shooting along with some other boys. They hunted plover for some time and then returned to the granary near the station to shoot sparrows. A shotgun had been resting among some logs, and young McDonald was drawing the weapon towards him when it was discharged, the shot lodged in his right fore arm, smashing the bone on the inner side blow the elbow, and some of the grains lodged in the elbow joint. Dr. Norton, the attending surgeon, says the boy is doing nicely, but that the usefulness of the arm will no doubt be impaired.—Economist.

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