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Maxwell

The funeral of the late Miss Annie Scutt, which took place last wednesday, was one of the largest ever seen in the township. Great sympathy is felt for the bereaved family, and many kind friends, living at a distance, have sent letters of condolence.

Mr. Marshal Kerton left last week to accept a situation in Vaughan, near Toronto.

Mr. John Clark and family leave for the West on Tuesday. Several neighbors assisted in moving his affects to the station on Monday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Wright, of the 10th line, died of pneumonia on Sunday morning. Rev. T. Scott conducted the funeral at Bethel church and cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Mr. Sanders Hudson and his daughter, Mrs. Cameron of Michigan, who came to attend the funeral of the late T. Hudson, are still staying with the former's brother, Mr. John Hudson, and visiting old friends in Osprey.

Ceylon.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons of Holstein visited Friday and Saturday at Mr. H. Tucker's.

Mrs. E. White of Markdale, called on friends in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin, near Priceville, spent Easter Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cairns.

Mr. and Mrs W. Smith of Toronto are spending the Easter holidays at J. Ashdown's

Mr. Lester Huston of Huron, spent Sunday at Mr. Cook's.

Mrs. Talbot is visiting for a week at D. Madills.

Mrs. Corbett of Corbetton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McPhatter of Owen Sound are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm Wright

Mrs. Trueman of Orangeville is spending the Easter week with her daughter, Mrs. John Wright of the back line.

Revival meetings are being conducted in the hall by Rev. Wilson.

On Friday last while returning from Flesherton, Tom Ashdown met with an accident, which might have proved fatal. At the foot of the Orange hill, he left the road and drove up on the bank. In some unaccountable way he got his head between the spokes and was dragged some distance, but fortunately the horse was stopped, and Tommie escaped with a few bruises and scrapes on the face.

Priceville

The school concert last Friday evening was a complete success in every way Rev. Mr. Matheson was elected chairman and as usual the best order prevailed. Every piece was well rendered and full of interest and amusement for old and young. Mr. Eastman like King Edward VII, is a good organizer of ceremonies and seems to have the ability to arrange the minutest details successfully. Many persons have expressed their wonder at the ability of the scholars to produce such a fine program and all prepared after school hours, and on Saturdays during the last three weeks. The drills were well executed, the musical selections on pipes and violins were much admired. The dialogues were well acted and brought great roars of laughter. The Masked Witches, in odd apparel, and queer movements in the dim reflection of the red and green foot lights, presented a weird appearance. The songs and recitations were excellent. We gave the following program as rendered: bagpipe selection, Mr. H. McDonald; violin selection, Mr. Alex. McLaughlin; Recitation, "Dolly's Lesson," Martha Burnet; song, "Killie Crankei," Alex. McDonald; recitation by Maggie Tryon, "The smallest unit in School"; Highland fling, Alex. McDonald; dialogue, "Yankee Stratagem"; duet, "My Bonnie", Lou and Gladys Watson; Recitation, "The lost Penny", Mabel Burnet; chorus, "Three blind Mice", (encore, "The Three Kittens") Glee Club; "Mary Antony's funeral Oration," W. Cameron; Sword drill (girls); Recitation, "The Grumbler," Annabella McLeod; Gaelic song, ——— Alex. McDonald; Recitation. "Charge of Gordons at Dargai," D. McKinnon; Selection by school band; Recitation, "The Minister to Tea," A Cameron; Violin duet. N McKinnon and H. McDonald; Dialogue, "Going to Dentist"; Duet, "Hundred Pipers," Tena McDonald and M. Tryon; Dialogue, "Courtship under Difficulties"; Chorus, "Bulldog", by Glee Club; Recitation, "A School Idyll," Gladys Watson; Sword dance, Alex. McDonald; Pantomime; Solo, "My Shepperd Laddie," encore song in Gallic, Emma McLean; Dialogue, "Brought to his Senses"; Recitation, "Trials of a Twin," N McKinnon; Witches Parade; Trio, "Three Crows," Bert Watson; Violin selection, N. McKinnon and H. McDonald; Military drill; Chorus, "Rule Britannia"; Tableaux, "Britannia" "God save the King."

Miss F. McMillan, one of the teachers in the public school, was confined to her home by illness last week. Mrs. Alex. Whyte has been seriously ill last week, but is somewhat better we understand.

During one of the recent cold spells L. McDougal kept his horses in exercise by drawing a carload of hides from the station to the tannery.

Miss Hogarth, formerly of Priceville, is visiting Mrs. Reiley and other friends here during the holidays.

John A McLeod, who has been in British Columbia for some years, is home visiting his mother.

About ten or eleven of our senior scholars, who have been attending high school in O. S. are home for the holidays.

Misses McKinnon and Ferguson were guests of Miss G. Nichol, one afternoon at beginning of week

Mrs. M. Reiley was able to attend church last Sunday for the first time since she was taken ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nichol were the recipients of an infant daughter last Sunday.

The school concert last Friday realized $38. The guns and other paraphernalia purchased for the concert have been paid for, and turned over to the trustees as school property.

Our teacher, Mr. Eastman, had a visit from his father, Rev. Mr. Eastman of Meafard, mother and sister on Friday. Rev. Mr. Eastman gave a short address at the concert.

Kimberley

Mr. John Huff is spending his holidays at the parental home at Meaford.

Mr. John Hammond of Toronto spent Easter holidays at his parental home.

Mrs. Wm. Scott and her father, Mr Snell, are visiting her uncle at Caledon East.

Miss Johnson is visiting her parental home near Thornbury.

Seeding has commenced.

Mr. C. Knott has finished his lime kiln.

M. Charley Stuart of Meaford is spending holidays at his parental home.

Mr. George Proctor and gang have commenced work at Rockvale.

Misses Clara and Ella Hurd are at the parental home for the Easter holidays.

Reeve Erskine was in town Saturday, also councillor Pringle.

Miss L. Fawcett of Heathcote is visiting friends in town,

The township council have applied for a provincial audit. Who is to blame for the muddle?

A sure sign of spring: J. Plewis and family are moving to look after their bees and fruit trees.

The township council at its meeting on Wednesday, appointed the reeve to go to Ottawa in the interests of the Port Burwell and Georgian Bay railroad, and of course Kimberley sends its biggest man, Squire Stuart

The best known man in Ontario is R. R. Gamey.

Fashionable House Wedding

A very pretty and fashionable wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hockley, Proton, Thursday afternoon last, at five p. m., when their only daughter, Miss Rosetta, was united in wedlock to Mr. Albert Haney of the same place. The Rev. Mr. Thom officiated in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The pretty bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her father, While Mrs. Woods, sister of the groom, played the wedding march. The bay window in which they were married was beautifully decorated with green and white. The bride was charmingly attired in white Duchess satin with trimming of sequin and pearls. She also wore a veil and orange blossoms, and carried a beautiful bouquet of bridal roses, tied with white tulle. Miss Maud Moore, London, cousin of the bride, made a charming bridesmaid. She wore a beautiful gown of pink with trimming of white and carried pink roses with streamers of tulle. The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Robt. Haney, and the little Misses Ethel Diver and Hazel Spence made pretty little flower girls. They wore pink and carried pink and white carnations. Mrs. Hockley, mother of the bride, wore a beautiful gown of pale blue and white voile with trimming of all over lace and applique. Mrs. Moore, London, another aunt, wore black satin. Mrs Brittan, aunt, also from London, wore old rose. Mrs. Lou Spence, Georgetown, cousin of the bride, wore a beautiful gown of fawn crepe de chene, over pink with point de sprite yoke and oriental medalions. Mrs. Wm. Allan, Glen Williams, another cousin, wore a beautiful pink silk waist and black skirt. Miss Lulu Westram, cousin, Berlin, wore a white organdy with a collar of blue and point lace. Mrs. Woods, Ceylon, sister of the groom, wore a cream waist and black skirt. Miss Westhead, London, wore old rose with trimming of all over lace

Among the numerous and beautiful presents were—A handsome parlor suit from the bride's parents, a couch from Haney Bros., dining room chairs from Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Taylor, dining room clock, from Mr. and Mrs. J. Haney, a five o'clock tea table from Messrs. Stevenson and McDuff, and a beautiful hand painted picture from Mr. J. W. L. Forster, Toronto. These are only a few of the many beautiful and costly presents, which they received.

Among the guests from a distance were —Mrs. Fredrick Diver, Master Victor and Miss Ethel Diver, Toronto; Mr. J Mino, Guelph; Mrs. Moore, Miss Maud Moore, Mrs. Brittan, and Miss Minnie Westhead, London; Mr. Wm. Mino, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allan and Master W. Allan, Glen Williams; Miss Westram, Berlin; Mrs. L. Spence and Miss Spence, Georgetown; Miss Dorcas Diver, Messrs John and Thos. Diver, Miss Annie Anderson, Mr. T. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Thibet, Miss Gertie Thibet, Mr. Percy Thibet, Holland; Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Miss Laura Whittaker, Ceylon; Mrs. Morrow, Ed. Haney, Ed. Stephens, Miss Lizzie Carson, Mr. W. Carson, Dundalk; Messrs. Thomas, Robert, George and John Haney, Wareham; Mr. and Mrs. Best, Ella Best, Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw, Mr. and Mrs. John Hockley, Mrs. Brignal, Mrs. Allan, Mr and Mrs. Dony, Mr and Mrs. Rider, J. Rider, Alex. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Miss Maud Carson, John Carson, Jos. Park, Miss H. Lyons, Messrs. Ed. and Jared Lyons, Miss Jessie Nelson, Lottie and Margaret Quin, Mr. Quin, Thos. Mino, Miss Mary Consley. The bride and groom left on the five train Friday evening, for Toronto, London and other places. The bride's travelling suit was gray Etteine with waist of pink velvet. After returning from their trip, Mr. and Mrs. Haney will reside in Proton.

Port Law

Seeding has now fairly commenced, but the most of farmers have been content with preparing the land, and are waiting for warmer winds to blow. Fall wheat in general looks rather brown and sear as a result of the frequent severe frosts. Clover has come through the ordeal well, and looks all right.

A little boy has been given to add joy to the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. E. McCallum

Mr. Wm. Chard has bought the Russell farm, and Mr. Wm. Kenny, who has resided thereon for some years, has moved to a farm near Dundalk

Mr. Geo. Thompson has added to his general store an implement agency. Last week he received an advance shipment of stock, and no doubt the business will prove very convenient to the district and lucrative to himself.

Mrs. (Dr.) Murray of Flesherton visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs J. L. Wood of Stone Settlement are spending Easter holidays in this neighborhood.

Mrs. McLean and sons have moved to their farm on the 4th line recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Blakey have taken possession of the farm bought lately from Mrs. McLean.

Mr. George Beecroft and Miss Mary visited a sick relative near Priceville recently.

Mr. Fawcett closed his evangelistic meetings a week ago Sunday and as a visible result of his labors a cottage prayermeeting has been started on the 4th line, which is being well attended.

Mr. James Coutts has burned his first lime kiln of the season and who has therefore done his part toward house cleaning.

Mr. John J. Benson of Owen Sound visited with his aunt, Mrs. Jamieson Saturday.

News has reached us that Mr. Albert Haney, formerly of this neighborhood, has linked his fortune with a Proton lady. We extend congratulations.

Obituary

Mr Henry Mathewson of this township died on Wednesday morning of last week at the age of 75 years. The deceased gentleman was a native of Ontario, having been born in York county, near Toronto, in the year 1838, where he lived until 25 years of age. He then moved to Innisfil township, near Barrie, where he remained a short time, and then came to Artemesia in 1864. He has lived in this township since that date. In 1858 he married Ann McLeary, a native of Ireland, by whom he had eight children, six of whom, with his widow, are still living The members of the family are as follows: William, of Markdale; Mrs. Wilson of Manitoba; Robert, of Maple, York county; David and Maggie at home, and Fred, who lives on the Pearson farm near the village. The funeral took place to Irwin's cemetery on Friday last.

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50c. TWEEDS FOR 38c.
300 yards Fine Wool Tweeds, in assorted light medium and dark patterns, very suitable for boy's school wear and good value at 50c. a yard, our price 38

16c. DRESS DUCKS FOR 12½c.
20 pieces, about 800 yards, Dress Ducks in navy and black, assorted stripe and spot patterns, extra heavy weight and full 26 inches wide, splendid for girl's school wear, regular value to day, 16c. yard, our price 12½

5c. WALL PAPERS FOR 3½c.
1,000 rolls new patterns Wall Paper, white ground with neat design in glimmer, the quality usually sold at 5c. single roll, on sale this season at 3½

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10 Toilet Setts in heavy porcelean china. six pieces to set, in fancy colored decorations of pink, blue, green, brown and pencil. Regular $2.00 values, on sale at 1.68

Grocery Specials.

35 lbs. pure Jamaica brown sugar for $1.00
6 lbs. choice Ceylon black tea for $1.00
Choice new Hallowee Dates per lb. 5c.
10 lb. tin choice clover honey, per tin 80c.
Large size tin canned peaches only 10c.
Large sized tin canned sugar beets (sliced) 5 cents.
Large size tin suckotash (mixture of corn and beans) per tin 10c.
Choice spice English mixed pickles, 2 bottles 25c.
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Men's Fur Caps, Bell coney, only 6 left for 1 40
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Great reduction in Ladies' Cloth Coats. A large assortment of Men's Pea Jackets and Heavy Ulsters at rock bottom prices.....
Men's Heavy all-wool guernseys at per suit. 89cts
100 pairs Ladies' all-wool hose, very heavy at per pair..... 25ct

Groceries A Specialty

5 lbs. Choice Japan Tea 1 00
5 lbs. Choice Black Tea 1 00
Good salmon per can 8c
3 lbs. sel. Raisins 25c
6 lbs. fresh Figs 25c
3 lbs. Coronation biscuits 25c
2 cans Cresent Baking powder 25
Flaked Peas, per packet .....
3 Bottles Extracts 25c
Good Granulated Sugar 24 lbs 1 00
Brown Sugar, 31 lbs 1 00
Trinidad Sugar, 28 lbs 1 00
3 plugs Prince of Wales Tobacco .. 25c
3 plugs Brier Tobacco 25c

Come and inspect Our stock of Carpets. You will find the prices right and the goods first class.

All wool Sheeting 72 in. wide, on sale at 48 cents per yard.

12 Men's Cardigans, regular $1.50 for $1.19 each. Large New Stock of Sterling Boots and Shoes.

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