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A particularly sad death is to be reported which took blace on Monday, when Mrs. Arch McQuaig, south line, Glenelg, passed into the great beyond, a victim of pneumonia. The deceased was the wife of the postmaster at Top Cliff, who was an aspirant for the reeve's chair at the recent election. The funeral will take place on Thursday to Smellies' cemetery, Glenelg, at two o'clock p. m. under the direction of Rev. Matheson, the deceased lady's pastor: Mrs. McQuaig, who was a life-long Presbpterian and highly respected, leaves twelve children, the eldest about twenty-two and the youngest a mere babe. Mr. McQuaig and his sorrowing family have the sincere sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

Our January thaw set in on Friday, the 22nd, with rain and higher temperature, and on Saturday morning we were treated with a heavy thunder storm. The roads are bare of snow and the wheels are in use again.

We are pleased to see Hector McKinnon restored to his usual health, and returned to his normal school studies.

Mr. Donald Gillis, a resident on Townline St. for about a quarter of a century, had been ailing for some time, and his ailments terminated in pneumonia a few days prior to his decease on the morning of the 18th. The funeral on Wednesday proceeded from the residence to Evergreen Cemetery, near the lake, 2nd con. south, Artemesia. Deceased leaves a wife, one son, Donald, and a daughter, Jessie, to mourn his departure. Rev. J. A. Matheson officiated at house and cemetery.

Died—On Wednesday, the 20th, Mr. Hector McLean, aged 78 years. Another landmark gone! Mr. McLean, away back in the fifties, cleared a home for himself in the forest at the corner of the townline and the 3rd con. S. Artemesia. He was a good neighbor, and together with his good wife, was very hospitable and kind to poor wayfaring or homeless persons. None ever went away from their door hungry or cold. His wife, eight sons, Colin and Archie, who live on the eastern side of the village, Neil, William and Alex out west, John, Donald and Malcolm at home, and one daughter, Sarah, who left home a short time ago for the west, survive him, and mourn the loss of a husband and father. Although Friday was very damp a large cortege accompanied the remains o the village cemetery. Rev. J. A. Mathesoh, officiated at the house and cemetery.

The annual meeting of the Artemesia Agricultural Society was held in Union hall on Wednesday, the 20th. Several members who attended the Gillis funeral that afternoon could not be present, but here was a fair attendance, and a peaceful and enthusiastic meeting was conducted with the president, D. McMillan, in the chair. Dr. Dixon, one of the auditors, read the report, which seemed to be entirely satisfactory. The remembrance of the excellent show last fall, the present long roll of members, $386.15 paid in prizes in 1908, and a surplus of $131-53 in the treasury seemed to make the officers and members present feel determined to make next fall's show go one better still. The officers for 1909 are as follows—President, D. McMillan; 1st vice president, W. J. Meades; 2nd vice president, Alex Muir; directors, M. L. McIntyre, D. Harrow, J. J. McRae, George Campbell, D. L. Sinclair, John McArthur, Thos. Nichol, T. A. M. Ferguson, M. G. Orr; Auditors, Dr. I. Dixon and P. F. McArthur. The meeting was unanimous in procuring government judges for live stock. Thos. Nichol and T. A. M. Ferguson were elected delegates to the Fairs Association in Toronto next month. Our fall show will be held on Thursday and Friday, Oct 7 and 8, 1909.

Miss Susan McArthur of Toronto was visiting her sister, Mrs. McKinnon, and other friends here last week.

Mrs. ——— of Orillia (formerly Miss Isabella Waite) has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. McArthur, and numerous other friends about town.

Died—On Sunday January 24th, Mrs. John McKechnie, aged 89 years. This aged lady and her husband, the well-known late John McKechnie, who predeceased her about 24 years ago, were among the early settlers in this vicinity. This aged lady has out-lived several of her married and aged children, and has several great grand-children. The funeral will likely be on Tuesday to the cemetery near by.

Kimberley.

The following items arrived too late to appear last week.—Ed.

The Kimberley branch of the O. W. I. will meet at the home of the President, Mrs. G. H. Walter, on Thurs. afternoon, Jan 28th, at 2.30 o'clock. The district delegate's report of the W. I. Convention at Guelph will be read. A full attendance is requested.

Mr. Lorne Curry and sister, Lily, of Rocklyn, were visitors at Mr. John Plewes's, on Sunday last.

Mr. J. E. Hammond of Meaford visited at his parental home here on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLean of Eugenia, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. Walter Loucks of Meaford was a visitor at Mr. R. Wicken's on Sunday last.

Following is a copy of the address presented to Geo. Curry, prior to his departure for his new home in Rocklyn. The address speaks for itself:

To Mr. Curry:—Dear brother, we, the members of the Kimberley Methodist Church, knowing that you are about to move from this neighborhood, take the present opportunity of expressing our regret, knowing we will miss you, especially in the church, and as a token of brotherly love, we present you with this Bible, hoping you will be spared to receive from it the knowledge and consolation that will enable you to keep in communion with the Holy Ghost, who can lead you into the truth as it is in Jesus Christ, who is our great High Priest and Redeemer; and we pray that God will be with you the rest of your life to comfort, guide and bless you until death, and then receive you to himself, where you will more fully understand his goodness and greatness, and praise him evermore. Signed on behalf of the Methodist Church, Kimberley:—William Scott, William Stuart, G. A. Hutchinson.

The sad accident of last week has cast a gloom over the entire community. Mr. Ferguson was forty-eight years old and was of Irish parentage. In religion he was a consistent member of the Disciple Church, in politics a staunch Conservative and during his thirty years residence here, made many friends, who much regret his sad demise. Mrs. Ferguson and family have the sympathy of the entire community in this, their sad hour of bereavement.

This Weeks' Items.

Beautiful spring-like weather during the past week. On Sunday the thermometer registered 59 degrees above zero, and to day, Monday, Geo. Proctor ploughed his garden, while J. R. Fawcett was seen spading his garden. The above is, of course, an exception to the general rule for this season of the year.

Chas. E. Stewart left this week for Elk Lake City, where he will spend a few weeks, or may perhaps become a permanent resident of the above town, should the prospects prove encouraging. We wish him success in the silver country as he is one of our highly respected young men.

Mr. Wm. Scott, who some time ago sold his farm in the suburbs has moved into the village and taken charge of the "Travellers' Home". He is now ready to cater to the travelling public. We wish him good success in his new venture.

John Plewis is spending a few weeks in the state of Deleware, U. S. A.

Jasper Stuart recently purchased a lot in the town of Elk Lake City for some $160, and could now sell it at an advance of some five or six hundred dollars. Jasper is quite a speculator.

On Thursday night last a bunch of puck chasers from Meaford drove over to our burg to cross sticks with the locals, but as the ice and weather conditions were unfavorable the game was called off.

While skating a couple of weeks ago Rob. R. Fawcett had the misfortune to fall on the ice; the result being a couple of fractured ribs.

While looking over the report of the recent annual meeting of the East Grey Agricultural Society we were struck by the fact that Euphrasia and Collingwood townships are not represented on the Board of Directors. Perhaps it is only an oversight. If not why are they not represented?

J R Fawcett of this place is the newly appointed assessor for Euphrasia township.

We are pleased to report that Harold Proctor, who has been laid up for the past two months with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, is now able to walk around the house.

Misses Daisy and Kate Davis of Vandeleur were the guests of Mrs. R. J. Stuart on Wednesday of last week.

Roy Saul of Meaford was the guest of his uncle, J. R. Fawcett, on Thursday night last. Roy was a member of the Meaford hockey team that was to cross sticks with the locals.

Mrs. Jacques of Singhampton is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Thos. Hammell.

Edwin Hammell visited friends at Singhampton during the past week.

Reeve W. T. Ellis is attending County Council at Owen Sound this week.

Maxwell Items

Wedding bells are ringing. Particulars next week.

About 30 guests were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott Friday evening, Jan. 15. in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson, of the West, who were formerly residents of the 10th line of Osprey. After all had enjoyed a sumptuous repast in the dining room, the evening was spent in recalling events of the past, while other members of the party enjoyed games and music.

There was a large attendance at Sunday school on Sunday, Jan. 17. Our organist deserves credit for the way she has trained her class of girls to lead in singing.

Miss Ettie Buckingham has been appointed teacher of the infant class and Miss Alma assistant. Fletcher Sharp is treasurer.

Misses Millie and Alma Buckingham are visiting relatives at Stayner and Collingwood.

Miss Alice Fenwick is visiting friends at Woodbridge.

Captain Bemrose spent a couple of days in Collingwood last week.

A number of the young people took in a party at Mr. McQuay's last Friday evening and report a good time.

A very social evening was spent at the home of Mr. Hillyard a week ago Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of British Columbia visited at Mr. W. H. Guy's last week.

Miss Ida Pivnic returned home last Monday after visiting the past month with friends in Toronto.

Miss Madie Hamlin returned last week to her home in Toronto.

The Institute meetings on Saturday, Jan. 16, were a decided success. Those who heard Mr. Carlow and Mrs. Campbell will give them a hearty welcome back to our village again.

10th Line, Osprey.

The beautiful snow has all disappeared and springlike weather was on deck last week.

Mrs. Wm. Poole of the 12th line is seriously ill with pleurisy at present, but under the care of Dr. Rykeman of Maxwell, we hope to see her well again soon.

Mrs. John Duncan, sr., passed peacefully away on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Duncan came to Osprey with her husband about 50 years ago and has lived here ever since her husband died about 3 years ago. Mrs. Duncan lived to be about 89 years of age and leaves four children to mourn her loss; John of Collingwood, Mrs. John Dand of Portland, Oregon, Mrs. John Newlove of Ripley, New York, and Wm. in Osprey. The sympathy of the neighborhood is extended to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. John Newlove of Ripley, New York, has been visiting her brother, Wm. Duncan, for the past few weeks, and attended her mother through her last illness.

Captain Bemrose spent a few days in Collingwood last week.

Another close call at a level crossing on the H. B. of the G T. R., a mile south of Nottawa station on Saturday evening. A buggy with a gentleman and lady came from toward Collingwood and had got within a few feet of the track when the train whistled about 10 rods from the crossing. This is a bad crossing as a piece of woods prevent the train being seen or heard till it is right at the crossing. This is three or four close calls your correspondent has seen at that crossing in the last few years.

Miss M. E. Heron is visiting her neice, Mrs. Harry Horton in Collingwood at present.

Miss Etta Spofford spent a few days with friends in Collingwood last week.

The Holiness Workers are holding special services in their church at present.

Proton Station

The tie social given by the church of England, last Wednesday evening was a decided success. The proceeds amounting to $13.65.

A number of our young people attended the hockey match in Markdale, last Friday night.

Messrs D. C. and George McLean attended the funeral of Mrs. Robinson, Bethel, on Saturday.

Miss McLean, Markdale, visited her friend, Miss Florence Trelford, a few days last week.

Miss Ethel Ludlow spent a few days last week with Dundalk friends.

Mr. Peter Pickett spent Sunday with friends in Markdale.

Mrs. Kearns, of Dundalk, spent a few days this week at the home of Mr. Jos. Trelford.

Mrs. Jas. Neilson, Dundalk, is visiting Miss Mabel Saunders, Saugeen Junction.

Mrs. Dal Hopkins is visiting friends in Durham.

East Mountain

The thaw of last week has left us without any sleighing, the roads and fields are entirely bare. We hope soon to see more snow so that business will be carried on again.

Mr. Thompson Allen is confined to the house with what is known as the shingles.

Mr. Peter and Mr. Alexander Thompson, who were visiting their sister, Mrs. J. Martin here, have returned to Owen Sound.

Mr. Fred and Charlie Martin ploughed all day Monday (Jan. 25.) This is something unusual for this time of the year.

Port Law

Mr. Geo. Haney has gone to Toronto to learn the barbering.

Mr. John Winters is visiting his sister, Mrs. Service of Nottawasaga.

Mr. Hector McIntyre of B. C. visited with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, recently.

Mr. W. A. Morton has been in Toronto the past few weeks on account of the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Mr. Orr.

A sleigh load of young people drove out to Bethel one evening last week and spent an enjoyable time.

T. R. McKenzie is attending County Council at Owen Sound this week.

Miss Ida Osborne has gone to Toronto to spend a few weeks at the millinery.

Mrs. Chas Napier, who has been ill, is recovering.

The Royal Templars at their last meeting installed the following officers:—P. C. and Treas., J. H. Watson; S. C., Mrs. McKenzie; V. C., C. Holman; R. S., Alvin McKenzie; Chap., Mrs. Watson; Herald, S. Shier; Dep.-Herald, Pearl Watson; Guard, R. Watson; Sentry, W. Napier; Organist, Mrs. Watson.

Dr. Dougall of Goderich, formerly of Walkerton, is in hot water over a recent sermon of his. A local lawyer on behalf of parties has been instructed to take proceedings against him.

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