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A very enjoyable evening was spent at Mr. Thos. Bannon's on the occasion of his birthday. We have our doubts whether it were the very inclement weather or the fun which prevented some of the guests from returning home till—well some time after midnight. Anyway, a poor excuse is better than none.

Mr. George Ludlow has purchased a cutting machine. Get your straw ready, he is ready for it,

Feversham

Our snow has left us and an equal quantity of mud covers the stseets.

Mr. Jim Davidson has returned from his apple picking and reports a good time.

Miss Lily Priestly and Miss Maud Guy, both of Maxwell, paid a flying visit to Feversham on Thursday to attend a quilting bee at the Temperance House.

8th Line, Artemesia.

Intended for last week.

The weather still continues very unsettled.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Robt. Hawkins, when Miss Sarah Leopard was united in marriage to Mr. Alfred Holmes of Feversham, on Wednesday last. We wish them much joy and happiness in their new home.

Still the wedding bells are ringing.

Mr. Barclay of Thornbury visited Miss Mary Jamieson on Sunday.

Mrs. James Magee has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Magee had the misfortune of falling down cellar and breaking a couple of ribs.

Mrs. D. W. Jamieson visited on our line the past week.

10th Line, Osprey.

The snow has all disappeared again and fine weather is again on deck.

Auction sales are the order of the day now, and Mr. Wm. Kaitting, our auctioneer, is getting his full share of the sales.

Mr. Wm. Dand of the 12th line attended the funeral of his brother and his wife, the late Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dand, of Collingwood, who were burned to death in their home on Thursday last. Much sympathy is expressed for the aged mother, and brother and sisters of the deceased, in their sore bereavement.

Miss M. E. Heron spent Sunday with her brother Mr. A. Heron of the eighth line.

Mr. Samuel Ottewell is recovering from his recent illness.

Mr. Ed. Arbottle is just finishing a commodious and comfortable new house on his farm near Lady Bank and will occupy it shortly.

Mr. Fred Long of Kolapore is renewing old acquaintances on the twelfth line at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Julian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weldrick.

Mr. Geo. Cooper spent Sunday with A. Heron of Osprey Glen.

Miss McMillan of Singhampton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Semple, at present.

Mrs. John Weldrick, sr., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alex McGowan, at Ravenna, at present.

Port Law

Intended for last week

The long open fall has allowed farmers to get their ploughing pretty well completed.

Mrs. F. Shires is in the city with her daughter, who lately underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. James Blakie has rented a farm in Nottawasaga, and will remove there in the near future.

Mrs. Geo. Thompson and son Edward Kennedy, of Chatsworth, drove down last Saturday and visited Port Law and Vandeleur.

Mr. Ed. Watson, who has spent the summer at Alliston, arrived home.

Mr. Joseph Badgerow has bought a threshing machine, and Mr. Will Little has bought an engine. They will be ready to start early next season.

Messrs. Geo. Watson and W. J. Caswell have purchased the Kerr farm.

Rev. Ferguson of Dundalk occupied the pulpit of Mount Zion church Sunday last.

Born—On Sunday, Nov. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McMaster, twin sons—both Grits.

We understand than Messrs. W. J. Benson and T. Blakey will be the new firm to take possession of the store and post office after Mr. Osborne's removal It is expected that these busy B's will make business hum, and find themselves in clover when they make their home in the Port Law hive.

Daleside Orange lodge indulged in a scrub hunt on the 5th inst. The captains were Messrs Ned Croft and Cecil Meldrum. On the former's side were Messrs. John McKee, R. Fisher, jr., R. Croft, Ray Pedlar, Wm. Walker, A. Hazzard, J. Gibson, A. English, C. McKechnie; and on Mr. Meldrum's side, J. Fisher, R. Fisher, sr., F. Pedlar, Geo. McKee, Geo. Fisher, L. Bowers, W. Simmons, Wallace Fisher, and E. Hazzard. The first named side was victorious. In the evening a fowl supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Fisher, Collingwood road, and an enjoyable social time spent by the members and their better halfs.

Nine members of a concert company drove from Markdale and spent Sunday with Mr and Mr. H. Arnott.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Turner of Heathcote visited lately with their daughter, Mrs. J. Wilkinson.

This week's items.

Mr. F. Shier has been ill the past week with inflammation.

Miss Ida Osborne has so far recovered as to be able to be brought home. She was brought home a week ago, and is still improving.

Mr. Ed. Watson has gone to Toronto where he has secured a position for the winter.

Mr. Herb Thompson and a friend of Chatsworth are visiting friends here.

Mr. T. R. McKenzie is attending county council at Owen Sound this week.

Mr. Thomas McLean has gone to the lumber woods for the winter.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shiers, who underwent an operation some time ago, is now on a fair way to recovery.

Proton Station

Mrs. O. G. Brooks and Mr. Geo. Shearson attended church at Inistioge Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. C. Wright is spending a few days with Kincardine friends.

Mr. Jos. Park and Mr. Will Ludlow had the "Best" sawing machine last week and got their winter supply of wood cut.

Miss Ida and Clara Binnie, Flesherton, Sundayed under the parental roof.

Miss McMillan, Markdale, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Florence Trelford.

Mr. George McLean, Owen Sound, made a flying visit to his home here last week.

Mrs. Peter Consley is spending this week with her sister in Ceylon.

Mr. Archie Neilson had the misfortune of getting his valuable hound shot, on Saturday last.

Mr. Jas. Wells, who has spent the summer here, returned to his home in Durham.

Miss Mabel Binnie Sundayed at her home here.

Mrs. Ed. Colgan and family and Miss M. Badgero, Dundalk, spent Sunday with friends here.

Dr. Barr, M. P., Found Dead

Dr. John Barr of Shelburne, M. P. for Dufferin, was found dead in bed at Hotel Cecil, Ottawa, on Friday afternoon last. He had retired the night before apparentaly in good health. It is supposed that the cause of death was heart failure, and that he passed away in early morning. His non-appearance at breakfast occasioned no alarm, but after dinner several friends broke into his room, and discovered the dead body.

The remains were sent to Shelburne Friday night in a special car provided by the government, and escorted by Dr. Sproule.

It is pointed out as a strange co-incidence that Dr. Fred Lewis of Orangeville, who, in 1905, succeeded Dr. Barr in the Ontario Legislature, was found dead in his room in the Queen's Hotel, Toronto. That was on May 25, 1907.

Dr. Barr was born in Elizabethtown, Leeds County, in 1843, and educated at London Grammar School and Victoria University. He represented Dufferin in the Ontario Legislature from 1875 to 1879, and also from 1890 to 1894, and from 1898 to 1904, when after the federal gerrymander creating Dufferin as a new constituency, he resigned to accept nomination for the commons. In religion he was a Methodist, in politics a Conservative.

8th Line Artemesia.

This Week's Items.

Mr. John Parsons has recently gone on a trip to Gow Ganda.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cameron have moved to their comfortable new cottage the past week.

Mrs. A. Jones of Toronto, and Miss Ethel Trueman of Flesherton, Sundayed at J. McGee's.

Mr. Geo. Orr and Miss Lever of Flesherton Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cameron.

Mr. Fred Martin of East Mountain Sundayed on the 8th.

A Cap That Fits Somebody

We think the party that made and ciculated the story—that the S. & M. Co. held part of John Kerton's farm as security for the machinery bought by W. and M. Kerton, will see that he has circulated something that is untrue, and our advice is that he had better pull in his bill, as the frosty weather is here, and he might get it nipped. W. and M. Kerton, Maxwell.

To whom it may concern:—This is to certify that we have never held any claim whatever on the farm of Mr. Kerton sr. As a matter of fact, we did not know he owned the farm, nor do we know where his farm may be located. More than this, we have never asked Kerton Bros. for any security as they have always paid us up in a very satisfactory manner. Sawyer & Massey Co. Limited.

The telephone came in handy at the home of Mr. R. D. Simpson, of Albion, a few nights ago. Mrs. Simpson noticed that the roof was on fire. Her husband ad gone to a neighbor's. She gave a general alarm on the telephone with the result that several of the neighbors were on the scene in a very few minutes. By hard work the fire was extinguished and the damage done was not great. Had they not had a phone in the house no doubt the building would have been destroyed as a gale was blowing at the time.—Bolton Enterprise.

The C. P. R. will add a thirty-foot section to the S. S. Athabasca this winter at Collingwood.

Warning.

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal in this week's issue are warning their present subscribers to renew earlier than usual this season, as there is an enormous demand from new subscribers and there is apt to be a congestion at the close of the year. The new premium picture, "The Soul's Awakening," is causing a perfect furore of enthusiasm in all parts of the Dominion. It is certainly a beautiful picture and is appreciated more and more the oftener one sees it. It is 19x24 inches, ready for framing. A copy is sent to every subscriber for 1910, and along with such a paper as The Family Herald and Weekly Star at one dollar a year certainly is the best bargain of the year. Clergymen of all denominations are urging parents to become possessors of a copy of this interesting picture.

With the Lordly Moose in Algoma

For several years now The Advance man has been taking in the annual fall deer hunt and letting his readers share by describing the charms and otherwise of the localities visited. This fall he decided to try something new and out of which could possibly be gleaned some interesting "copy" for perusal by his readers, who, whether sportingly inclined or not, like to read about such things.

Wednesday night, Oct. 27, saw our party of eight aboard the Midland at Owen Sound. The boat did not leave until 7 a. m. next morning, and after lying behind Griffith's Island three hours and Cape Croker for two more, owing to the wind, arrived at Killarney on the north shore of the Georgian bay at 1.30 a. m. Friday morning. Here a guide was secured and a tug chartered to take us 28 miles around the mountainous coast to Bay Fin—a narrow bay cutting inward towards the east for ten miles between mountainous shores. At the head of this bay we pitched our tent and spent the night. Next morning a lumberman's team was engaged to portage our supplies over a half-mile portage to Long lake, across a mountain some 200 feet high. Here we found an "alligator," upon which our supplies and the bunch of hunters was transported up the lake for six miles to a fire ranger's shanty, where we were to be domiciled for the coming two weeks.

For the uninitiated we may say that the alligator was not of the orthodox southern variety, but a species peculiar to the lumber districts of our north country where it is found necessary to sail on land as well as water. An alligator is a boat built on the scow principle which can run three miles a day overland and six miles an hour on water. Captain Lewis was one of the jolliest heads we met in the north. He weighed 225 lbs. and every ounce exuded jollity and good nature. He insisted on landing us without any pay whatever and that, of course, was something worth appreciating.

After locating reconnoitering for game commenced. Plenty of fresh moose signs were found and red deer appeared to be abundant. One of the latter was secured the first day and during the week one and two were captured each day, but up to Saturday night no one had come in contact with a moose and a degree of discouragement settled over the company. Seven deer was the count up to Saturday night.

Before going farther let us more fully describe the location. We were between two high mountain ranges towering up from 600 to 1000 feet, in a valley four miles across. In this valley lay Long lake, a body of water of varying dimentions, wide stretches of water, narrows just wide enough for the alligator to steam through, bays and inlets innumerable. This lake was one of the most picturesque we have ever seen, and the mountains around and pine forests added very materially to its charm—a lake which, though ten miles long, not more than a mile or so of its expanse could be seen at one time, owing to its winding channel. It abounds in splendid landlocked salmon and bass, as our frying pan testified (of course before the close season came in.)

Sunday was quietly spent, but three of the party, including Bill the guide and ye scribe, climbed to the highest point on the north mountain and were more than repaid for the arduous task by the magnificient panorama unfolded to the vision. Looking westward we could see as far as Little Current, 35 miles away, and the La Choche mountains ten miles further on. Long Lake lay below us, but only a few of its stretches could be followed by the eye owing to its piney shores being hidden to view. One day while holding down a stand on a narrows of this lake the alligator came along. From where we stood no water could be seen, and as she passed the view was weird in the extreme, bearing the appearance of a vessel steaming through a pine forest with no vissible water on which to ride. All her upper works were in full view and her steam trailed off among the pines, causing a most fantastic effect.

OUR FIRST MOOSE

Monday morning bright and early of the second week we were all on the war path. About ten o'clock the scribe, who was stationed on a moose run, heard firing not far away and shortly afterward a yell that would have done credit to a

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