Flesherton Advance.

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Wodehouse Doings

Intended For Last Week

Christmas day was a fine, bright day, yet a heavy frost was in the air. Considerable driving was indulged in, some coming and some going out to celebrate.

What new resolutions for the new year?

Mr. and Mrs. Edbar Donnelly gave a musical evening to a few ot their friends Christmas evening, which was heartily enjoyed by all present. Your cor. was one of the lucky number.

W. J. Ward had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse recently from acute indigestion.

Miss Ella McArthur, who is wielding the birch in Cherry Grove school, is holidaying with her parents. The excellent concert she and her pupils had prepared was postponed until Dec. 26.

We are glad to report Mr. Sam Wiley Jr. much improved, he having suffered an attack of pleurisy.

The following spent Christmas in and out of our burg: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Abercrombie with the latter's mother, Mrs. Cook, Rocklyn; Mr and Mrs. Ernest Morwood with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hawkens, Epping; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and children with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyville, townline A. and E.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiley with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irvine, Riverdale; Mr. Joseph Lanktree and daughter with his mother at Rocklyn; Mr. and Mrs. James Harbottle with the latter's mother, Mrs. Neely, Vandeleur; Mr. and and Mrs. W. T. Wiley ate Christmas dinner at the latter's parental home, "Greenhill," and tea with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Wm Wiley; Mr and Mrs John Lawson and family with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs Wm Wiley; Mr and Mrs Victor Bowes and family of Strathnairn at the latter's parental home, Mr Bush and family; Mr and Mrs Fred Cullis and family with the latter's sister, Mrs. Ephraim Brodie, and family, townline A. and E.; Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Gilray and children, also Messrs. Ken Donnelly and Tom Gilray of Epping, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnelly; Mr. and Mrs. A A Thompson and babe, Mrs. Wm. Thompson, also Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thompson and family, of Sligo, with the aged grandmother, Mrs. Aaron Thompson, and daughter, Sarah; Mr. and Mrs. John Ward with their daughter, Mrs. J B Hutchinson, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Will Ward, Messrs. Arthur and Willie and Miss Queenie Bowen, also Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawkens and family of Eugenia, made a pleasant reunion with the Mesdames' mother, Mrs. Westwick; Mr. Lorne Cornfield with his sister, Mrs Bridge, in Markdale.

Dundalk

On December 24th Mrs. Elizabeth Fry, formerly of this place, passed away at her home in Toronto in her 80th year.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Brown, near Wareham, on Wednesday, Dec. 23, at high noon, when Miss Adelaide Ross was united in marriage to Mr. Samuel G. Grummett, of Hatherton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Abbott, of Dundalk. The bride and groom were unattended.

The fire alarm at midnight on Wednesday gave the citizens a scare when a blaze was discovered in the jewelry store of G. W. Gordon on Main street. The brigade was soon on the spot and after a good hard fight got the flames under control. The flames started apparently in a wall show case or below it near the rear of the front store, and burned its way into the ceiling above. Luckily the hose men were able to reach it. The side wall and end wall were damaged and the stock was damaged by water and smoke. Champ's barber shop in the same block was also badly smoked up. The building is owned by James Cole of Clarksburg. We understand there is insurance to cover the loss.—Herald.

The License Inspector of South Grey must be sound asleep these days if he can't see that some parties in Hanover are brazenly breaking the law. The number of young boys, apparently under age, who are coming to Walkerton under the influence of liquor from the factory town, is causing the local authorities here to wonder how the ordinance can go on and the Inspector not get wised up to the fact that there is "something rotten in the State of Denmark."—Herald.

Vandeleur Happenings

The Meaford Road Sunday school held their anniversary on New Years eve. A fine night and good roads brought a full house, and an excellent program was rendered. The proceeds amounted to $28.

Mrs. Will Timmons of Glenelg spent Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Warling.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Smith of Meaford attended the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Eva Gilbert, on Wednesday.

Miss Leslie returned to her duties at the school after spending the holidays at her home in Markdale.

At the annual school meeting W. J. Alcox was elected trustee. John Flynn secured the contract for supplying wood, John Warling was appointed caretaker, George Pritchard Sec.-Treas., and Geo. Shannon auditor.

Mr. Fred Garner of Toronto spent the Christmas holidays with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and daughter, Jean, spent New Years with friends in Markdale.

Mr. Sam Buchanan of the Northern business college, Owen Sound, spent the holidays with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harcourt Ready of St. Marys and Miss Kate Davis of Orillia were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davis.

A large number of friends and acquaintances took possession of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Johnston on the evening of Dec. 23, and presented them with a number of useful and valuable presents as a token of their esteem.

Rev. W. L. Callis of Laurel spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cullis.

Miss Violet Gilbert of Kimberley spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Will Hutchinson.

Singhampton

Mr. Campbell has the skating rink in splendid condition and that it is appreciated was made plain by the large number on the ice on Saturday evening.

Miss Susie Bristow suffered the loss of one finger. Some time ago blood-poisoning set in in her hand and despite the best efforts of her physician who tried to save the member, it was found necessary to perform the operation and amputate the finger. Much sympathy is felt for her.

Mr. and Mrs. English, sr., spent the Christmas holidays with their son, Mr. John English.

The Young People's Christian Association meet each Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, when the leaders always try to have an instructive and enjoyable program. A society of this kind is just what our village has been looking for, and we trust that all will do their best to keep it flourishing.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the friends of Miss Nellie Taylor, who is seriously ill at her home in the West. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Blakey of the townline who celebrated their silver wedding a short time ago. Their friends are now looking forward to the golden wedding.

Our friends at Rockside have opened a Sunday school in the school-house, and are having a large attendance.

A Valuable Paper

The opportunities of the coming year, from a farmer's point of view appear to be many. Owing to the war there will be a shortage of crops in Europe, and therefore an extra demand for all kinds of farm products in Canada. This will afford an opportunity for the farmer who manages his farm in a business like way to reap a rich harvest. Every farmer, who is farming for profits, should be a reader of the Weekly Sun, the Farmer's Business paper. There is no other farm paper in Ontario that supplies the farmer with the same reliable information as the Sun does. By perusing the Sun, you will gain a knowledge the markets, which will enable you to sell your products to the best advantage. The subscription price will only be a fraction of the additional profits you will make by reading the Sun. When renewing your subscription for the Advance, you will make no mistake if you subscribe for the Sun, the Farmer's Business Paper.

Ceylon Clippings

Mr. Cecil Legate of Hardsly, Alberta arrived home Thursday to spend a couple of months with his mother here.

Miss Trasville of Hillsburg returned home Friday after spending a week with her friend, Miss Agness McPhail.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDonald spent New Years with the former's mother in Priceville.

Mrs. (Dr.) Holmes and little daughter, Jean, of Owen Sound, and Fred Chislett, Shelburne, spent New Years with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Chislett.

J. W. Cushnie returned to Toronto Saturday after a fortnight's visit at R. Cook's.

On Thursday evening last the home of Mr. Frank Cairns was invaded by the young folks of the vicinity and gave a miscellaneous shower to Mr. and Mrs. A. McDonald. After a pleasant evening spent in games and music all repaired to their respective homes with best wishes for the young couple.

Miss Kate Wilcock left Saturday to take up her duties at Alton.

R. Cook was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. Patterson and Miss Zilla McLeod who have been visiting the latter's parents for two weeks, returned to Toronto Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Adams left Monday for their home in Brampton.

Mr. Griffin and Stanley and Jack White returned Saturday from visiting Toronto friends.

At the trustee meeting Wednesday Mr. J. McDonald was elected in place of Jas. Radley.

Miss Myrtle Radley is very ill and is under the care of Dr. Lane, Priceville.

Mr. Woods of Corbetton supplied the pulpit here on Sabbath for Rev. Mr. Kerr and preached a very impressive sermon on prayer.

Word was received Saturday evening that Mr. Allan Saunders who had been taken to Owen Sound hospital on Monday night to be treated for blood poisoning in his hand, had passed away. Later pneumonia and pleurisy had set in. The remains were taken to the home of his mother at Saugeen Jct. on Monday, and were interred in Flesherton cemetery on Tuesday. He leaves a young wife and three little children to mourn his loss, the youngest being about 4 months old. Much sympathy is expressed for the family.

Heathcote

Intended for Last Week

Cold and stormy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Armstrong are visiting with friends in St. Catharines.

Miss Leaves, our junior school teacher, is visiting at her parental home at Clinton.

Mr. C. J. Devins, of Thornbury, who is attending University at Toronto, called on friends here while home on his vacation.

Mr. Hammond Maxwell, who has spent the past year with his father at Kincardine, Sask., returned to his home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Isaac and little son, Cecil, of Truax, Sask., are visiting with friends here.

Bert McMorris of Sedley is visiting with friends here after an absence of thirteen years.

Dr. Creasy, our senior school teacher, is visiting with friends in Toronto.

Pleased to heor that Miss M. Dales is improving.

Dr. and Mrs. McKee, and the latter's brother, Archie, are visiting with friends in Toronto.

Mr. William Cruickshank of Rock Haven, Sask., on hearing of the death of his brother, James, left for Thornbury, but had the misfortune of being delayed on the way and was too late for the funeral. Mr. Cruickshank, after an absence of a number of years, returns to his old home to mourn the loss of two brothers, who died within a week of each other. The sympathy of the neighborhood is extended to the bereaved families and friends.

While working down a sixty foot well on his farm west of Walkerton, Mr. Ben Waechter was struck on the head by a 4 lb. stone which became loosened at the top of the well and dropped onto him. Twelve stitches were required to mend the damage.

Elections

Flesherton village election on Monday was a hotly contested affair. All the old Council stood for re-election and five new aspirants. The race for the Reeveship was a neck and neck affair between Mr. Fisher and Mr. McTavish, the latter winning out by only four votes. The old councillors were simply bowled over like ninepins, only one, Mr. Mark Wilson, weathering the gale. The new council is: D. McTavish, Reeve; Councillors, C. Munshaw at head of poll, James Patton, Mark Wilson and Wes Buskin.

OSPREY COUNCIL

Reeve—John Thomson, acclamation.

Dep.-Reeve—Irwin Morrison, accl.

Councillors—Albert Arnott 198, W.H. Guy 224, Jos. Henderson 173, John R. Muirhead 263, Geo. W. Ross 141, T. H. Wetherall 121. Thos. Scott, Clerk.

Death of Earl Beattie

A well known young man, Mr. Earl Whitby Beattie, aged 27 years, passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Beattie, "Inglehame," Orange Valley, Christmas afternoon. He had been poorly for some weeks before going to the sanitarium at Gravenhurst. After being there three weeks he took the advice of a doctor and returned the first of September last, thinking that a few months on the farm would bring back his health. In spite of all that nourishment and the best of care could do, he continued to fail. For four months he lay in bed without a murmur. But heart failure and inward hemorrhage hastened his death. For some years he had lived in Toronto and thirteen months ago was married to Annie C. Paul of Toronto. His young wife nursed him during his long illness. He was laid to rest in the Flesherton cemetery on Sunday, Dec. 27. Service was held at the house, conducted by Rev. James Dudgeon of Flesherton and the Markdale I.O.O.F. He leaves a young wife, mother, father, six sisters and two brothers to mourn the loss of their beloved one. The flowers contributed were beautiful, being a wreath from the Broadview I.O.O.F., Toronto, a spray from the Markdale W. C. T. U.; a spray from the Orange Valley neighbors and friends; a sheaf of white roses and ferns from the sisters, Jean and Luella, of Calgary. A beautiful Bible was presented Mrs. E. W. Beattie by the neighbors and friends. Owing to it being a holiday and Sunday following the absent ones of the family could not be home except Dell of Toronto, and Lolita of Timmins, New Ontario, who had just arrived for the holiday, Friends who came from a distance were: Mrs. E. W. Beattie's mother, Mrs. Junks, her brother, Mr. George Junks, and his wife, all of Toronto.

Address and Presentation

About thirty of the young people of Chalmers' church Sabbath school, mostly members of Mr. Charles Stewart's class, spent an enjoyable time at the home of Mr. William Stewart on Wednesday last. During the evening the scholars of Mr. C. Stewart's class presented him with a beautiful, large sized Bible, accompanied by the following address, as an appreciation of his services:

To Mr. Charles Stewart:

Dear Teacher,—We, the members of your Sunday school class, have met here this evening to show in a small way our appreciation of your services as teacher of our class. You have always been faithful and painstaking on our behalf, and in spite of our indifference you have labored on for our good. We ask you, therefore, to accept this small gift, not for its intrinsic value, but a a small token of our appreciation of your services. May you live long to continue your good work, and may you see around you, in the lives of those who are your scholars, the good fruits of your labours. Signed on behalf of the class—Ettie Thompson, Reta Buskin, Donald McVicar, Lawson Whitehead.

Honor Rolls

Report of Priceville Junior Room for December

Sr. 3—R Clark, W MacLean, A MacLean.

Jr. 3—L Sackett, R Carson.

Sr. 2—A MacLean, G MacLean, E MacLean, K MacDonald, T Clark.

Class 1 Sr.—D Nicholl, F MacDougall, R MacDougall, E MacLean, D MacLean, E Watson.

Primary (c)—K Mathewson, J Ferris, H Sackett, M Carson, N MacDougall.

(b)—N MacLean, M Watson, D MacDonald.

(a)—J MacMeekin, D MacLean.

—M. Little, Teacher.

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