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EUGENIA

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams' home was the scene of a happy reunion on Thursday, Feb. 19, of old friends, relatives and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell, their daughter Cora, to celebrate the seventh anniversary of their wedding. About fifty guests were present and a real good time was spent in dancing and games. The music was surplied by Messrs. McDonald and Genoe. A dainty lunch was served.

Messrs. Munshaw and Tuohy had a successful wood bee. Mr. Purvis owns the gasoline outfit.

We are glad to regort Glen Pedlar recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. He was under the care of Dr. Guy and Nurse Graham.

The sympathy of this community goes out to Mrs. Isaac Sargent and family in the loss of her husband. Mrs. Sargent is a daughter of Mr. James Carson, formerly of the eighth line.

Geo. Lawlor's sale last week was a success. Mr. Lawlor and family move to Maxwell. Garnie McGee has bought the Lawlor farm. We wish both families success in their new homes.

A sleigh load of Eugenia young people took in the concert at Rock Mills last week where Mabely Hoy. Fred Large and Eileen Tuohy assisted in a trio.

Born—On Tuesday, March 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osborn, a son.

Mr, Laurie Munshaw of Allston spent a few days with his parents here.

Mrs. O. Truemen and sister spent a few days with Mrs W. Hislop before moving to the home of her brother.

Mr. Parliament has purchased a fine two year old colt to match his own.

Mr. John Wickens of the Valley has moved his family into T. Gilliland's house.

ROCK MILLS

The Baptist Ladies' Aid held their first meeting on Thursday, March 4th, at the home of Mrs. Robert Clark. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Levi Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Atkinson visited last week with the former's uncle, Mr. Thos. Betts, and family.

Mrs. John Hargrave was in Toronto last week purchasing furniture for her home.

Miss Belle Howard is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Robert Croft.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Croft spent the past week with the former's parents on the 4 h line.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Radley, Toronto, visited recently with friends in this vicinity.

Quite a number around here attended George Lawler's sale last Wednesday.

SPRINGHILL

An enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. George White on Monday evening last, when Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Corbett were presented with a silver coffee set and tray. We are very sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Corbett from our midst.

Mr. W. J. Caswell had a very successful sale on Friday last.

A sleigh load from here drove over to Mr. W. J. Blackburn's at Saugeen Junction and spent a pleasant evening in games, etc.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Porter Beard to our neighborhood.

Mrs. Hill, Sr., is visiting at the home of her son, Lewis Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Thistlethwaite gave a party to their friends on Friday last and an enjoyable evening was spent in games and music.

DUNDALK

Rev. F. Stotesbury, pastor of the Methodist church, Corbetton circuit, has been invited to remain for the fourth year and his salary is increased to $1500

F. V. Bellamy, who returned from Algoma last week, has purchased from the George Nixon estate the dwelling on Main street west occupied by James Hemphill, also five lots on Victoria ave. west.

KIMBERLEY

Saw logging is the order of the day here.

Miss Jean McGowrn has returned to her home in Durham.

Mrs. S. Thompson of Orangeville visited Mrs. Geo. Lawrence a few days last week.

We are glad to report our junior room teacher, Miss Abercrombie, improving after an attack of jaundice.

Miss Maud Plewes visited her parents over the week end.

A most painful accident happened to little Mervyn Hammond, 8 year old son of Mr. Hugh R. Hammond, while sleigh riding with a number of little folk on Mr. Plewes' hill on Saturday evening. They had three hand sleighs hitched one behind the other. Mervyn was with two others on the second sleigh. His sleigh slewed and was going with such force down the hill that it ran into a gate post, causing both bones in Mervyn's right leg just about an inch above the ankle to be broken. He was carried home and Dr. Ego of Markdale was sent for who set the broken limb. Mervyn is a bright little chap and has a host of warm friends who hope to see him around before a great while.

Born—On Monday, March 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Plantt, a daughter.

Mr. Bruce Hall visited Mrs. George Lawrence recently.

We are glad to see Mrs. Eber Smith able to be out again.

Sorry to report Mr. T. Lewis on the sick list but hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

Mr. Saul Fawcett had the misfortune one day last week to have his driver badly kicked. Dr. Ottewell dressed the wound which required 19 stitches.

Mr. Joe McClung visited Mr. W. Fawcett a few days last week.

Big Barn Collapsed

Mr. George Sargent, who lives on lot 11, con. 2, Derby, met with a severe loss on Friday last, when his big barn, one of the largest in this section, almost completely collapsed, the east side going out entirely. The barn is 100 x 50 feet and was exceptionally well built. The collapse occurred about 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon and was witnessed by Mr Sargent. The east wall fell out and the roof dropped in. The cement and stone foundation on one side also spread out, standing at an angle of about 60 degrees from the ground. The rest of the foundation remained in place. Mr. Sargent's loss will be at least one thousand dollars, though little of the timber or lumber appears to be damaged. It was not the weight of snow on the roof, as one side was quite clear and at no place on the other side was the snow more than 15 inches deep. Mr. Sargent believes that some of the pins holding the frame work together were broken during the storm on Nov. 29th, and that as the barn was well filled with hay and straw at that time, the building remained perpendicular. With the feeding of the hay and straw to the stock the support from that source was withdrawn, and the collapse of the building was the result. Apparently there is no damage to the contents of the building, the roof falling square. There were six head of cattle in the basement stables, three horses and some other stock, but these are uninjured. The foundation was of stone and cement. —Sun Times.

VANDELEUR

Mrs. Chas. Boland is visiting her mother, Mrs. Douglass, of Creemore, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warling celebrated their Golden Wedding on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Geo. Douglass has returned to his home in Creemore after spending a couple of months with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Boland.

The Vandeleur Farmer's Club held their March meeting on Monday evening of last week. A large number of members were present and considerable business was transacted.

The youngest child of Charles Dobson of Walters Falls was so badly scalded one day last week when she pulled a kettle of boiling water off the stove that she died last Saturday evening.

FEVERSHAM

Emerson Osborne of Collingwood is visiting relatives here previous to leaving to spend the summer with his brother at D'Arcy, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Perigo, who have been spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Ab. Stewart, Flesherton, returned to their home here last week.

Mr. Eli Robinson made a business trip to Collingwood one day last week.

Mas. W. R. Colquett of Port McNicoll is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Alexander, at present.

Miss Ruth Spencer and friend, of Rob Roy, spent Sunday with the former's parents on the eighth line.

Mr. J. L. Alexander is visiting friends in Toronto this week.

We are sorry to report Mrs. George Julian very ill at present, but hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Grey Farmers Retiring

(Farmers' Sun)

That we have not yet reached the limit of our rural depopulation is evident from conditions in Grey county, as reported this week by R A. Petch of Meaford, who is connected with the Rocklyn U. F. O. Club, the largest in Ontario in the point of membership with 450 members, and also in the amount of business done,

Mr. Petch tells how 21 young men are leaving the farms in his neighborhood and going to the towns and cities to get work, while 20 farmers have retired and moved to Meaford during the past year. The great rush away from the farm is due to the hard work and the scarcity of help; men can't stand the pace and so they simply sell out and quit. His own son is going West, and he faces a rather difficult situation, with a large farm and 28 acres of orchard.

One farmer in his neighborhood, whom he describes as one of the best farmers in Grey County, with 58 head of fat cattle, 100 hogs, about 100 sheep and 8 head of horses, with a tractor, and so on, is quitting the farm and will have a sale. He had a man hired for the coming summer, but the man decided to quit, and help is so scarce that he has decided to give up the farm.

It is incidents such as these that point to the gravity of the situation. Mr. Petch is of the opinion that the present attraction of urban prosperity is a passing phase, and that we are headed for the time when a crash will come, and then those who are leaving so readily will be glad to get back into productive work again, and will find that farming after all is of the one permanent, solid industry which will repay confidence year in and year out,—and upon which the prosperity of the country depends at all times.

Weekly Report Flesherton H. S.

FORM 2

Grammar—R Boyd 75, K MacDonald 70, M Acheson 66, A Buchanan 64, A Stephen 61, A Parslow 59, J Karstedt 56, K. Orr 56 R McGirr 55, Vera Moore 53, M McLachlan 53, W McKenzie 51, G Lever 48, E Muir 43, J Dow 42, E Wilson 40, G Akins 37, G Irwin 34, G Large 30.

FORM 3

Algebra—K Boyd 92, F White 90, K Cameron 90, I Sproott 84, F Stewart 82, M Spencer 75, R Belfry 74, E Consley 62, W Stewart 57, E Ferris 47, A Murphy 41.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 16th of April, 1920, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week on the route

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from the Postmaster General's pleasure next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Flesherton and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Toronto.

A. SUTHERLAND.
Post Office Inspector

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Toronto, March 4th, 1920.

CEYLON

Mrs. James Pattison spent part of the past week in Toronto.

Mrs. J. Whittaker and sister, Miss Maggie Stone, of Toronto, spent the past week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Stone, Mrs. Whittaker returning to Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Morwood of Markdale and Mr. Thomas of Shelburne spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Patterson.

Mrs. Harvey Griffin of Alton visited Mrs. W. White the first of the week.

A surprise and farewell party was given the Misses Gilchrist on Friday evening by a number of the young people, when a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. White of Markdale were visitors at R. Cook's the first of the week.

PORLAW

Mr. Joseph Croft is reported to be very seriously ill.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Thos. Phillips' family are recovering.

Miss Vina Watson has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism. We hope she may soon be restored to good health.

Miss Florence Parliament of Eugenia visited lately with Mrs. J. W. Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watson visited with members of the family in Toronto.

Mr. W. G. Jamieson has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

Mrs. John Winters visited lately with friends in Toronto.

Born—On Friday, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fisher, a daughter.

On two charges of breach of the Inland Revenue Act and breach of the Ontario Temperance Act, Edward Vanalstyne of Owen Sound faced the Police Magistrate, with the result that a fine of $200 was imposed in the first case and the second was adjourned to await report from the Dominion Analyst's department. The charges were the outcome of a visit paid to Vanalstyne's house by Inspectors J. J. Johnston and M. C. Beckett, when they found about three gallons of home brewed spirits which Mr. Johnston tested and found to go 44.4 per cent proof. There were also several buckets, a tub and a kettle, all of which bore marks of having been used for making alcoholic liquor. They found, too, two bottles and part of a third, part of a case of Walker's whiskey. Everything was seized and taken to police headquarters. —Advertiser.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere appreciation of kindness and sympathy extended to us in our recent bereavement

—Mrs. Jos. Watson and Family.

Proton Station, March 2, 1920.

School Reports

S S No 14, Osprey

Sr 4—G Pedlar.

Jr 4—K Findlay, N Pedlar, C Cameron, A Hilton, O Findlay.

Jr 3—B Hilton, M Findlay, M McInnes.

Sr 2—B Pedlar, M Kendall.

Jr 2—L Cameron, W Findlay, P Thompson.

First—Cornelius Sullivan.

Farm For Sale

Lots Pt. 147, Con 2 N E, and 147, 3 N E, Artemesia, 90 acres, are offered for sale. On the lands are a brick clad dwelling and a good frame barn and other outbuildings. For particulars apply to —JOHN BROWN,

Or W. J. Bellamy, Flesherton. M-11

Tenders Wanted

Sealed Tenders, marked "Tender" will be received up to March 31st, for the following supplies for the House of Refuge for 1920:

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Sheffield Standard seed oats	$1.20 per bus.	Sweet Clover white blossom	28 00 per bus.
Timothy No 1	10 00 "	Alfalfa No 1 northern	36 00 "
Timothy No 2	9 50 "	Bran	2 70 per cwt.
Red Clover No 1	46 00 "	Shorts	3 00 "
Red Clover No 2	44 50 "	Perfection feed	6 60 "
Red Mammoth No 1	45.00 "	Chop oats	3 75 "
Red Mammoth Dove No 2	44.50 "	Buckwheat, seed	2.00 "
Alsike No 1	43.00 "	Feed oats	1 10 "

Groceries

Grape Fruit, each	10c	Campbell's Soup, per can	18c
Lemons, per dozen	40c	Fresh Lake Trout, per lb	20c
Oranges, per dozen	60c	Royal Household Flour per cwt	$7 15
Prunes in bulk, per lb	25c	Five Rose Flour per cwt	7 15
Figs in bulk, per lb	20c	Eclipse Flour per cwt	6 85
Dates in bulk, per lb	23c	White Lily (pastry) per cwt	7 00
Mince Meat, per lb	23c	Rolled Oats per cwt	6 00
Seedless Raisins, per lb	30c	Corn, Peas, Tomatoes and Pumpkin per can	20c
Seeded Raisins, per lb	30c	Neilson's Ice Cream Bricks	30c
Sugar (no bags) per lb	18c	A new assortment of Chocolate Bars on display at 5c each.	
Edwardsburg Corn Syrup 5 lb	65c		
Edwardsburg Corn Sprup 10 lbs	$1.25		

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