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KIMBERLEY

Rain and more rain. We had the greatest electric storm last Friday night that we have had for years. The lightning was nearly continuous and thunder was loud. Most of the Valley people got up and lit their lamps. No damage done.

Donald Wallace has purchased the house on the corner of Front and Centre streets from Mrs Hammond. We are pleased to have him in the business part of the town, as he is an enterprising gentleman

H Lawrence is making improvements on his lot.

Albert Ellis is busy cutting down the hill south of the village. Albert is a worker, shure,

Vernon Bishop, electrical engineer, has been engaged by a Montreal company and has left to take up his work. He will be missed, as he was a good ball player and a general favorite.

Jasper Stuart and wife visited with friends in Burk's Falls last week.

Miss Elva Bishop is visiting with her parents. She has been teaching in a university in the United States.

East Mountain

Special Correspondence

Present weather conditions are ideal for spring crop.

East Mountain Volunteers are going to Owen Sound to train this week.

Mr John Orr is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

A number from this locality attended Mr Joseph Ward's barn raising and on returning in the wee small hours of the morning reported a good time.

Victor Ford visited in this locality recently.

Prayer meeting was held at the home of Charles Fawcett on Sunday evening last, when a large crowd was in attendance.

Mrs Little of Wareham visited her daughter, Mrs Jas Fawcett, recently.

Toronto Line North

Wilfred Lever left on Tuesday for camp at Sarawak.

Mrs Irwin attended the Watson-McKechnie wedding at Markdale on June 9.

John Hawton, wife and son, of Collingwood, and Mr Brownridge and wife, of Maxwell, were visitors at T Sled's.

Messrs Bellamy and Duncan have the carpenter work of Fred Brown's house well under way.

Mrs Robert Richardson spent a day with her mother at Vandeleur.

Mrs Will Colquett and daughter of Port McNicoll visited her aunt, Mrs. Albert Stewart,

Will Not Be Published

The Minister of Education announces to all concerned that this year it will not be practicable to publish in the daily newspapers as heretofore the results of the Departmental and Matriculation examinations conducted in the high and continuation schools throughout the province. This situation is due partly to the change in the regulations whereby candidates are permitted to divide their examinations over several years and partly to the fact that the number of candidates this year has increased greatly

The increase in the number of candidates will necessarily extend by at least one week the time required to read the candidates' answers. It is hoped, however, that this loss of time will be offset by the gain due to not having to prepare lists for the newspapers. Accordingly, it is expected that the certificates will be mailed to the Principals for distribution to the candidates at least as early as heretofore. The principals concerned are requested to make timely arrangements to send on the certificates to the candidates immediately on receipt of the same from the Department.

Notice

Any person found trespassing on lot 29, con. 10, by way of hunting, berry picking or otherwise, will be prosecuted according to law.

—S. M. OSBORNE, Maxwell.

ROCK MILLS

Mrs J Croft, Mr Meryan Croft, and daughter Myrtle, spent Sunday with the former's son, Sam Croft, wife, and family here.

Mr Chas Newell and wife visited with relatives near Maxwell.

Mr Art Porteous and wife spent Sunday with the former's parents here.

J O Dargavel, Bob Croft, and B Field, spent a day last week in Durham.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Bunt, and J Wedgewood, of Toronto, spent a few days fishing here, and were the guests of W T Pedlar and family.

B Field and wife spent Sunday with the former's mother at Maxwell.

Ed. Fisher of Toronto, spent a couple of weeks with his family here.

Fred Osborne visited recently with his sister, Mrs Walter Russell.

Miss Mandy Warling spent the past week with her brother, Gordon, near Maxwell.

East Mountain

A number from here attended the big day in Kimberley on June 3 and report a good time.

We are pleased to see Miss Winetta McMullen out again after her illness.

Charlie Thompson is engaged working for P. Somers on the 8th line.

James Harbottle spent a couple of days with C Martin at Eugenia.

E. Morris and son, Ernie, of Owen Sound, visted friends lately.

The recent showers of rain were a great benefit to the crops in this part.

Our boys are making preparations to attend military camp in Sarawak, near Owen Sound, from June 20 to 28.

Mr and Mrs Dave Genoe and Miss Dorothy visited with C H Martin and family recently.

Councillor Carruthers is busy these days having the roads improved in his ward.

Miss Kate Orr of Flesherton high school spent the week end at home.

Highwayman Near Holstein

Holstein and vicinity has experienced a "hold up" week. A highwayman or possibly more than one, has been holding up young men on the township roads at the point of a gun. So far he hasn't had much luck, although he has created a feeling of terror in the neighborhood.

As far as can be gathered the modern Jesse James hides in the swamps or bushes. No fewer than five people have been face to face with the man, while others have seen a suspicious character in the distance. He is described as tall and dark.

Elmer Ross was driving home one evening and had to draw up where the road was blocked by rails. Then the gun man flashed his weapon and demanded the young man's wealth. Elmer tried to bluff him with 35 cents. It was no use, and Elmer had to extract his last and only $2 bill from his jeans before proceeding. Two little daughters of James Kerr, 2nd con,, were picking strawberries when a man accosted them and demanded money. Having said they had none the man departed and the girls ran for home. Walter Farrel at J. Stephenson's, and a young man named Harper who works for J. Queen, have also had the unpleasant experience of being held up by the desperado but both boys were "broke" at the time and the gunman left them.

High County Constable Pembroke of Owen Sound was investigating in the neighborhood on Tuesday but no arrests have been made so far. It is believed that the robber is a simon pure amateur at the hold up game, as his methods show. To catch this man 28 farmers of North Egremont, some with fire arms, surrounded the swamp where he was supposed to be in hiding. The raid was futile—Durham Review.

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FEVERSHAM

Wonderful growing weather with plenty of rain.

John Burns and Mr and Mrs Howell of Toronto are holidaying in our village and angling for the speckled beauties with some success while here. They are the guests of Mr and Mrs I H Perigo.

Miss May Whiteoak of Toronto is holidaying at her parental home here.

Hugh Davidson of Toronto is visiting with his parents here.

Joe Ewing of Singhampton is assisting Rob Whiteoak at the butcher business and is on the road with the butcher 'bus.

Mr Smith of London, Ont., was a caller in the village this week.

Will Colquett of Port McNicoll spent Sunday with his parents here.

Don't forget to come to the sports in Feversham on July 1st.

Rules of the Road

There are many who are not familiar with the right of way rules. They are worth remembering, and the observance of them may save you a repair bill and keep you out of court. They are:

At any street or intersection the right of way belongs to any vehicle approaching from your right.

In overtaking another vehicle pass to the left.

Slow moving vehicles should keep as near the curb or edge of the roadway as possible.

The right of way of pedestrians should be recognized at regular crossroads.

Unnecessary noise or the use of muffler cutouts is illegal

In case of accident, if you are not known stop and give your name and address to the person concerned.

Graham-Irwin

At the Kew Beach Presbyterian manse, Toronto, on Wednesday, June 14, at 3 o'clock p.m., there occurred the marriage of Mabel Lilian, daughter of the late Samuel Irwin and Martha Irwin, to Mr. Wilford R. Graham, son o Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Graham of Vandeleur, by the Rev. J. A. Cranston. The bride was very popular here and will be much missed when she takes up her residence in Markdale. On Monday evening previous to the wedding the Presbyterian Guild presented the bride with a handsome carving set, and she also received numerous other lovely gifts. The best wishes of her many friends go with her to her new home,

Charles Penrose, a well-known farmer living on the third line, Euphrasia, was found dead in his barn late Monday evening. When his family left at eight o'clock that evening he seemed to be in good spirits and health, but on returning at eleven o'clock he was found to be missing, and a search revealed the body lying on the floor of the barn. No marks of violence have been found. and no indication of poison. An investigation by the Corner has not revealed any further developments, and it is intimated that a post-mortem will be held. —Review Herald.

Home-made Spray Keeps Flies Away.

By preventing flies from tormenting the cows a much greater flow of milk is obtained during the summer months and the remainder of the lactation period. The following home-made mixture has given good results. It is better than several other mixtures tried and quite as efficient as the prepared sprays costing a dollar per gallon. It is made as follows:

1½ quarts of any standard coal tar dip,
1½ quarts fish oil,
1 pint oil of tar,
1 quart coal oil,
½ pint oil of eucalyptus.

Mix in ten gallons of lukewarm soft water in which a bar of laundry soap has been dissolved.

Spray twice a day, in the morning after milking and in the afternoon when cows are brought in for silage or green feed. When a half-barrel cart with spray nozzle attachment is used, two men can spray a herd of forty cows in ten minutes. This mixture is not perfect and does not keep all the flies away and, furthermore, it leaves the coat rather harsh and causes dust to adhere; however, it is very beneficial and practical.

Shelter from the hot sun of summer must be provided if efficient and economical production is to be expected.

Dept. of Agriculture

County of Grey

SCHOOL FAIRS

Grey County school fairs will be held from September 12th to October 12th. An endeavor has been made to arrange them so they would not conflict with the fall fairs. At least one week intervenes between a school fair and fall fair.

GRASSHOPPERS

During the past two weeks we have been endeavoring to combat the grasshoppers in the Lily Oak and Harkaway districts. Complete organization is now effected and some of the land has been sown. This year we are using the following mixture:

1 bran sack full of sawdust.
3 pounds white arsenic.
1 quart of molasses.
1 double handful of salt.
Water to moisten—1 to 2 gallons.

DESTROYING GROUNDHOGS

Several have come to the office re the destroying of groundhogs. The cheapest and most effective remedy is to buy some carbon bisulphide which can be secured in any drug store. Soak a teaspoonful in a rag and throw it into the hole. Cover the hole with earth, being sure the rag is not covered, and the groundhog will be smothered.

CEYLON

S Hemphill and daughter, Maud, motored to Dundalk the first of the week to visit friends,

Mrs Ross Leslie and little daughter of Toronto are visiting her parents, A McMullen and wife.

Many friends here will learn with regret of the death of Mrs A McPhatter, sr, of pneumonia. For many years she was a resident of this place. She passed away at the home of her son, Owen Sound, on Thursday last at the age of 74 years. The funeral took place to Greenside cemetery Saturday afternoon. She leaves one son, Archie, with whom she made her home, and three daughters in New York—Minnie B McPhatter, Mrs Geo Laver and Mrs H E Allinger.

Mr Morewood and wife of Markdale spent the first of the week at J J Patterson's.

Gordon McMullen of Moncton and Stanley of Toronto spent a couple of days here last week under the parental roof.

Mrs G Collinson and daughter, Jean, are visiting friends in Port Dalhousie.

A very interesting game of ball was played here on Thursday last between Dundalk and Ceylon, result 9 to 7 in favor of the home team. Another interesting game is to be played on Friday of this week between Flesherton and Ceylon.

Mrs A McMullen underwent a slight operation last week when Dr Ego of Markdale and Turnbull of Flesherton were in attendance.

Miss Allen, who has spent the past fortnight with her friend, Miss Ruby Stone, returned Saturday to Toronto.

Mrs Isthma of Norval is visiting her sisters, Mrs Geo Arrowsmith and Mrs A McMullen.

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