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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their help and kindness during the illness and death of our father, Mr. Wm. White.

—The Family.

Good Concert At Mount Zion Hall

Portlaw Dramatic Club rendered their commedy, "Our Awful Aunt" last Friday evening in the Mount Zion Hall. There were ten characters in the play and they surprised the large audience with their display of dramatic gifts, proving that we have right here in our midst talent that only requires the passing of the magic wand to arvise to activity. Other numbers on the program were music by the Patton orchestra, a pantomine by four young men, treo by Miss McCannell and Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Pedlar, also a song by five scare crows, led by Mrs. Lawrence Lyons, and a number of readings. Altogether the entertainment was pronounced the most enjoyable affair ever given here, and much praise is due to all those who took part. A good many people claim that they went away with some sides produced by excess meriment. The proceeds, which amounted to a tidy sum, were equally divided between the Sunday School and the Public school library.

Mr. J. W. Lyons met with an accident last week while working in the bush h unfortunately fell on a snag, breaking a rib.

Mrs. W. J. Reid is very poorly at the present time with heart trouble.

Mr. R. McMaster of Flesherton visited lately with his brother here.

Mrs. W. Wright, Maxwell visited Mrs. T. F. Taylor recently with her daughter, Mrs. F. T. Taylor, and laughed with others at the entertainment.

Mr. Thomas Yates of Berkley visited with his brother here.

Mr. Burton, and his teacher, Mr. Hardwick of the High School, Flesherton spent the week end with W. A. Morton's.

Mr. Douglas Kendall has been substituting for his father, and his preaching is very much appreciated.

Mr. Alvin McKenzie shipped three head of cattle to Toronto lately which sold for the tidy sum of $436.45.

That man you noticed going down the street with the sad expression on his face may have just read that skirts were to be two inches below the knee next summer.

EUGENIA

We are sorry there were a few errors in the obituary of the late Mrs. Jos. Sherwood. Her daughter's name is Mrs. Jas. Porteous. There was also Mr. John Williams as a pallbearer and seven grandchildren survived. Mrs. Quesnel's name was not mentioned, whose maiden name was Miss Mabel Leitch, daughter of the late Fred Leitch made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood from a mere child of seven years until old enough to seek employment for herself. Your cor. did not mention that the minister preached his sermon from that beautiful and familiar passage taken from Chap. 14, Book of St. John, "In my father's house are many mansions.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Plantt and family have moved from the village back to their farm in Kimberley.

Mr. Harold Falconer, and family will move shortly to the Graham residence recently vacated by Mr. Wilfred Plantt. We wish both families succes in their new homes.

The Parks family are under quartine at present. Master John having contracted the mumps. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Spring appeared on March 21st. The snow is disappearing fast. The roads are not in a very good condition in our vicinity at present. Some people have the stately maples tapped to obtain their toothsome sweetness, the run has not been very good yet.

We were pleased to see the pleasant face of Dr. Guy (formerly of Maxwell) now of Toronto, in our vicinity last wek.

Stanley Magee, 8th line visited his Uncle Sandy Hoy here a few days recently. In company with his uncle they visited in Collingwood township where they traded Stanley's smaller dog for a larger one. He has a fine well matched team of dogs now. Sandy is Stanley's right hand man, he having made the dog harness and fixed up his sleigh for him. If there is a Santa Claus in Flesherton next Christmas time, and there are dog races there, you'll see Stanley at the show with his real team of dogs.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION

Mr. F. H. Graham, of Walkerton underwent a successful operation for goitre trouble by a Lockwood clinic at the Orthopedic Hospital, Toronto.

Feversham Tennis Club Held Concert

On Friday evening last the Feversham Tennis Club presented their play "Safety First" to a record crowd in the school house, Feversham. Mary Ann O'Flinnerty (Pauline Clements) the Irish maid created much laughter by her many humorous speeches. Mabel Montgomery (Dot Robinson) made a real hit, particularily in her ability to sob when her hubby failed to return home, likewise her sister, Virginia Bridger (Rose McGirr) when her Jerry was surpassedly shipwrecked. Their mother, the stately Mrs. Barrington Bridger (Mrs. Jas. Long) was properly horrified at her daughter, Virginia, flirting with, as she thought McNutt, in reality Jerry. Zeulika (Annie Robinson) the tender Turkish maiden was very fetching in her Turkish costume, and we have no doubt captivated many young hearts in the audience, as well as Elmer Flannel. Jack Montgomery (Harry Burke) the young husband, showed ability in catching butterflies when it became necessary to feign insanity, in order to save himself from the terrible Turk. Jerry Arnold (Clarence Alexander) his best friend proved very effective in contracting fibs to preserve Jack and himself from the righteous ire of Mabel and Virginia. Elmer Flannel (Jack Robinson) proved not to be so shrinking as the Turk suggested when it came to winnig the love of Zuelika. Ben Macha (Jim Davidson) very satisfactorily filled the roll of the Terrible Turk in his frantic search for his little daughter and encountered with many acidents therein. Mr. McNutt (Jim Eby) provided much laughter as the defective detective, and in the end, won, as his prize, Mary Ann O'Flinnerty.

The scenery was conceded by all to be very effective and was materially helped by the flowers, furniture, etc., which was so generously loaned.

The proceeds of the evening amounted to $60.00 and the club wish to extend a hearty vote of thanks to all those who assisted in any way.

FEVERSHAM

The Misses Winnifred and Jeanette McMullen of Toronto came home to attend their brother's wedding, which took place on Saturday. last to Miss Ellis of Kimberley. Leslie has rented Mr. Jas. Davidson's farm on the 12th line and will reside there. We wish the estimable young couple a long and prosperous passage thorugh life.

Miss Rose McGirr is visiting with her friend, Miss Pearl Fawcett.

Mr. Hugh Wright visited last week with Miss Campbell on the 8th line.

Messrs. Clarence and Cecil Alexander, and sister, Hazel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Semple and family at Lady Bank.

Mrs. Fred Tyler spent the past week with Mrs. Wilbert Poole.

Miss Nellie Spence visited recently with her sister, Mrs. Wes. Beatty in Toronto.

A number from here attended the dance at Mr. Wes. Fawcett's last Friday night.

Dr. D. H. Guy of Toronto was a caller in the village on Monday last.

KIMBERLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmur Turner and family are now settled in Mr. Hill's house. They had a successful sale on Tuesday, March 20.

The Ladies' Aid held a social evening in the hall on Tuesday to finish the chain of teas that have been held the past winter.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McMullen gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ellis, on Monday, March 19, asd presented them with a miscellaneous shower. A pleasant evening was spent in games and dancing.

BORN—On Wednesday, March 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ellis, a daughter, both are doing fine.

The Institute meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jos. Cornfield on Thursday.

Messrs Allen and Thompson Ferguson and Alfred Graham are home after spending the winter in the north.

EAST MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Thompson and babe spent Sunday with friends at Duncan.

Born—On Monday, March 19th, '28 to Mr. and Mrs. Conford Thompson, son.

We extend our happiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McMullen, who were united in marriage on Saturday, March 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMullen and family attended the McMullen-Ellis wedding on Saturday March 17th.

Mr. Alfred Graham spent Sunday with his friend, Mr. William Thompson after spending the winter in the north.

CEYLON

Mrs. Allie Muir, and son, Grant, andMiss Catherine Muir are visiting with Toronto friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hunt spent the week end with Durham friends.

Mrs. Hooper, who has been on an extended visit with relatives in Creemore, returned home on Friday.

Mr. S. Hemphill is visiting his daughter in Toronto.

Mr. Stanley White of Toronto and Mr. Dave White of Owen Sound, who attended the funeral of the late Wm. White on Friday, visited with Mrs. W. White here.

Miss Hazel Bender of Priceville spent the week end with her friend, Miss Jennie Chesney.

Mr. Fowler of Proton visited the week end with Mr. J. J. Patterson's.

Born—On Sunday, March 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Duckett, the gift of a daughter. Congratulations.

Mr. T. Stewart near Portlaw moved his family the past week to Mr. M. Ferguson's farm, which he has rented for a year. The community extend a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and family.

Mr. J. J. Patterson visited his brother-in-law Mr. G. Morwood, of Markdale on Saturday, who was very ill. Mr. Patterson received a message on Monday that Mr. Morwood had passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cook of Ebordale, Glenelg, visited the past week at R. Cook's.

The Ladies' Aid held a very successful social in the church on Thursday evening of last week. Mr. Prosser opened with prayer, after which a short program was given of solos, duets, which were heartily encored. There was a guesing contest of 7 Proverbs, which were acted by a class of young ladies, Mrs. Haw and a group winning the prize for the most correct guesses. Next was a singing contest between 8 groups which caused much merriment, M. Cook and a group winning a prize for the best singing. The next was a hat trimming contest in which Miss M. Hemphill advertised for men trimmers. There was no lack of men to answer the advertisement; Mr. Brady Irwin won the prize with Mr. W. Gibson second. The ladies will have no need to go out of town for their spring bonnents; by the way the needles flew the men were experts at the busniess Mrs. Percy Hunt made and donated the three boxes of delicious candy, which was given to the prize winners ofthe evening.

The debate, which was the centre of interest, resolved "That Women Should Propose." The negative being taken by Mr. Prosser and Miss Stewart and the affirmative by Mrs. W. Gibson and Miss Kate McMillan. The judges, Mr. A. Hincks, Mrs. Haw and Miss Marion Muir gave their decision in favor of the affirmative by 3 to 2 points. All the debators did well, giving some fine points on their side of the question. The bachelors are sure wearing very broad smiles and are delighted with the decision of the judges and are now living in hopes not in dispair. The ladies served a very lainty lunch. Mr. T. Gilchrist, who was at the door, announced the proceeds as $15.60. The ladies are all very grateful to those who helped to make it a success. A very enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

ROCK MILLS

Now that spring is here sugar making and house cleaning are the order of the day.

Miss Margaret White returned to Goderich after a visit with her mother Mrs. D. White and family.

Prayer meeting will be held this Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ned Croft.

Unity U. F. W. O. Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Thos. Betts on Wednesday, April 4th, at 2 p.m. Cooperative orders will be taken.

Chas. Newell has a number of men on these days shovelling out the roads where the snow is too deep for wheels to run.

Mrs. T. Betts visited last week with her son, Mr. Herb Betts, and family, 4th line.

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