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The Teeter Re-union.

(Erin Advocate.)

On Tuesday of last week there was a gathering at Stanley Park of friends from far and near that was of more than passing interest. Assembled at the park on that day were many from various parts of Canada and the United States, who, collected and rehearsed incidents that happened when their parents or grandparents played together on the wooded hills or about the sparkling streams of Erin.

The greater number of those assembled could trace their ancestry back three or four generations to one Aaron Teeter, who settled with his family in Erin 75 years ago, and as the first settler came to Erin in November 1820, it can easily be seen what a forest wilderness the Teeters had to face. Fortunately nature had provided them with strong constitutions fitted to hew out homes and preserve life under circumstances none too favorable.

As this was the first reunion after the lapse of so many years it is not to be wondered at that the afternoon slipped by before people had become reacquainted and satisfied themselves chatting of present or bygone days.

The public part of the afternoon's proceedings was directed by Dr. Hamilton, as chairman. In the Doctor's opening remarks he traced the family history back to Michael Teeter, born in New Jersey, U.S., in 1755. Compelled by his loyalist sentiment to leave the U.S. after the revolution he came to Canada, and according to an old history of the township of Clinton, county of Lincoln, he settled in 1783 at a place called Mud Creek (now Spring Creek) 3 miles from the south shore of Lake Ontario and not far from the site of the present village of Beamsville. There in the year 1800, Michael Teeter erected a sawmill and two years later a grist mill, so that what Aaron Teeter was to Erin township his father was to the frontier township of Clinton one hundred years ago. Michael Teeter was married to the widow of one Keefe. She died in 1833, he two years afterward and both were interred in the family burying ground at Thorold. Michael Teeter left a family of six sons and one daughter. They were, beginning with the oldest, Moses, Aaron, Solomon, William, Michael, Ann and Isaac. Moses settled in Hutton County and some of his descendants are in and around Oakville. Aaron came to Erin and his descendants in number more than one thousand. Two of the remaining sons of Michael Teeter died of fever while serving in the war of 1812-14.

The first speaker called was Henry Teeter of Waterford, who gave an interesting address tracing his genealogy back to Solomon Teeter and thence to Michael. Wm. H. Teeter, of Teeterville, was next called on and gave his family history back to Michael Teeter, through Solomon and George Teeter, his father. Mr. Henderson, Warden of our county, gave an interesting address, expressing the hope that he might at some future date get his friends assembled to remember that as blood is thicker than water they might, when some possible future occasion presented itself forsake the prejudices of their forefathers and poll their votes for him. Chas. Overland, Reeve of Erin, was then called on and made a few appropriate remarks. Then followed an able address by Hugh Guthrie of Guelph, after reviewing some of the inherent qualities of successful pioneer, Mr. Guthrie referred in eloquent terms to the stamina of some of Erin's early settlers who stood for right through trying times, making particular allusion to the rebellion of 1837. Mr. Guthrie also paid a high tribute to the loyalty of the ancestors of those assembled, who for the sake of British attachment left the land of their adoption and came to Canada and were among the first to volunteer to defend her borders at Queenston Heights and Lundy's Lane.

Mr. John Near, of Orton, an old resident of Erin township also made some appropriate remarks on early associations in the pioneer days in this township. Among those present from outside points were the following:—Wm. H. Teeter, of Teeterville; S. H. Teeter, Grimsby; Henry Teeter, Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. E. Teeter and Miss M. Teeter, of Hamilton; Mrs. Wm. Engle, of Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Buffalo; Mrs. Grieves and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. John Teeter, Mr. F. Teeter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Teeter, Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Garafra; Isaac Scott, Waldemar; A. Stauffer, Acton; Jno. Stauffer and family, Garafra; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston, Orangeville; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Simpson, Garafra; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Teeter, Shelburne; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Teeter, Luther; Mr. and Mrs. T. McEneaney, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. F. Ross, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Baker, Amaranth; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Garafra; Mr. John Near, Orton.

After the speech making a program of music by the Erin band, a sumptuous supper, and some sports brought to a close a very pleasant and profitable afternoon at Stanley Park. Not the least important feature at a gathering of this kind is the work of the camera, which was admirably manipulated by T. Hinton, of this village, with we are told, excellent results. The committee that so successfully arranged this assembly was composed of the following:—Isaac M. Teeter, Isaac H. Teeter, Lew. A. Teeter, John Robinson, Lewis Teeter and Dr. Hamilton.

A valuable cow belonging to Mr. Sangster Hemphill at the Station met with a strange death on Friday night last. She was found dead in the field on Saturday morning, and no cause for death being visible, an autopsy was performed by Dr. Ottewill, V.S., who discovered that the animal had at some time swallowed a common pin which had gradually worked its way to the heart, and the instant the point had touched that sensitive piece of mechanism poor "Bossy" dropped dead.—Flesherton Advance.

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BORN

NOTE—On Sunday, 16th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. John Noble, Jr., of a son.

District News

Contributed by our able staff of Correspondents.

Kimberley

Sept. 24.—The printers' ink will make things correct, etc. It should read thus: Mr. Vincent Gibert returned from Dakota in last week's issue.

Master Lorne Curry and his eldest sister, Lilly, visited their uncle, J. H. Caswell, last week.

Miss Agnes Bishop, of Sherbrooke, Que., will remain here with her brother and family for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis went to Collingwood fair.

Mr. James Stuart and our post master took a trip to Collingwood to view the show, and Dr. Sproule gave them an introduction to the Hon. Hugh John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper, who gave them a cordial greeting.

We had a short visit from Editor Fanson of the Thornbury "Herald" last week. Perhaps he was looking for more (scent) (sense) cents I mean, subs, etc.

Mr. R. D. Carruthers is too busy with the purchase of stock to attend to other shows but he will attend a meeting at Flesherton with others to-day.

Mr. John McGowan is very short of water at his roller flour mill lately, but we hope he may have all he requires soon, as he is a good miller and a good citizen, too.

Mr. George Gibson returned to Pullman, Ill., U.S.A., and may return to Canada his native home soon again. His brother Robert called on friends here last Sunday.

Mr. White, of Eugenia, preached to the Sabbath School children of this place last Sunday from the following text: "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not." He said no doubt the Saviour did smile as he uttered those words to the disciples.

Now we sincerely request all to read the editorial of last week's STANDARD under the head "Public Morals," and to ponder on such as this truth teaches.

Mr. John Plewes and Mr. Clark, of Kirkville, came up last week.

Master Sanford Knott returned from Owen Sound, but Miss Mary will remain a week longer there.

Priceville

Last week witnessed a great sale of "Christie Stiffs" in our burg. They were of the latest fashion—10 years ago, and retailed at the enormous figure of 15 cents each. The boys look very becoming in their new titles, especially when perched on a load of hay, driving the bus, holding the lever, riding a bicycle, standing behind a

counter, or attending a threshing. It is needless to say that the usual salutation when meeting the aforesaid dudes, is "Where did you get that hat?"

One morning lately a partridge flew into the parlor of the residence of Mr. John Williamson, through an open window. John soon took the intruder into custody. A similar event occurred in our burg last Sunday morning, when a young pheasant flew through a bedroom window at the Crown Hotel, smashing a pane of glass in its reckless course. It was also captured, but the "game wasn't worth the candle."

The old fence along the north side of the cemetery has been removed and a neat structure is in course of erection. It was badly needed.

We are very sorry to learn that Mrs. Jones, Miss Lottie Jones, Abram Jones and Mr. Thos. Conkey are at present in the hospital at Owen Sound, suffering from typhoid fever. Mr. R. J. Conkey left for O. S. last Friday and remained until Monday night.

Messrs. George and William G. Watson spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at Walters Falls taking in the fall show at that burg.

Messrs. Hugh McCrae and Herman McLean returned last week from a pleasant trip on their wheels through parts of the counties of Grey, Wellington and Waterloo.

We are very sorry to learn that Mr. John McPhail still continues in a very low state of health. We trust he will soon take a change for the better.

Mr. Robert McMilly, of Manitoba, is renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity at present.

Miss Dean, of Hopeville, spent Sunday with Miss M. E. McArthur.

Mr. H. Watson was on the sick list last week, but is as busy as ever at present plastering Mrs. Butter's new kitchen.

Mrs. Henry Dietz left for her home in Detroit last week after a lengthened visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Tryon.

Traverston

Persons from this vicinity report Markdale show as improving each year; but the ladies say there should be seats provided for sightseers.

Miss May Robson has been engaged by Cherry Grove School Board for the balance of the year. She is an excellent teacher.

Mr. Bert Cook left for Toronto University last week to resume his medical studies.

Miss Taylor, of Euphrasia, is the guest of Miss Carrie Greenwood this week.

Mr. M. J. Davis has purchased the 100-acre farm of Mr. Chas. McArthur, of Durham, No. 5 school is situated upon it and the lot is an excellent one for stock-raising. The price is \$1200. M. J. has made a wise purchase.

Will Banks, Will Jack and Jim Nelson leave for Singhamton this week, there to make square timber for Mr. John Jardine. "Jack" has also engaged Messrs. W. Kerney and Steve Cooper to work in Glenelg.

It is some time since Misses Mary and Maggie Delaney left for Toronto, Miss Mary to enter St. Michael's hospital for two years to become a trained nurse; Miss Maggie, Loretta Abbey, to take up the commercial course.

Mr. Henry Moffat has rented his farm to Tom McNally, jr., for five years at \$60 a year. Henry purposes moving up to Port Arthur in the spring.

Mr. John Ryan, of the 6th, is becoming one of our most progressive farmers. Lately he purchased a thoroughbred Durham animal from McKechnie Bros. of Durham. He is now improving the appearance of his property by a new gate and a straight fence.

Few road contractors are as upright and conscientious as Mr. Richard Haley of the 6th. He has had two bridge contracts this summer and both are a credit to him. They are neatly finished besides being strong.

Messrs. Ed. and Joe McGrade are doing well out in E. C. Joe is getting big pay mining, while Ed. is drawing good wage from road-building.

Mr. C. C. McKechnie has been re-engaged in S. S. No. 5 for 1901 at an increase in salary. C. C. is doing well.

W. J. Edwards has had an 82-foot well sunk on his farm this season and has got a windmill erected over it. There isn't quite two feet of water in the well, but it's a strong spring.

We regretted very much to hear that Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison lost their four months' old baby last week.

Miller Penfield is running quite a force of men at present. They will have most of the logs sawn this week.

'Tis surprising the amount of work that Mr. James Hastie has every day. The shop is nearly always full. Few young men are as true to their work as "Jim." He will be one of our wealthiest in a few years. Hustler.

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MARKDALE.

Berkeley

On Tuesday night of last week and Mrs. Jas. E. Rowe, of the west bank line, were bereft of their child, a bright boy of nearly three years of age. A large number of friends attended the funeral at the Markdale cemetery on Thursday noon.

Mr. J. T. Quinn left on Monday for Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., his family followed on Saturday and understood Mr. Quinn intended to go into the coal and wood business and we wish him success.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tucker returned from the Soo on Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Coulter died at the residence of his daughter Mrs. St. John on Wednesday last. The remains were taken by C.P.R. train on Thursday to Milton accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Strubbel and were interred.

Master Jas. A. Gillespie left for Toronto on Thursday last for the purpose of consulting Dr. Ross.

Mr. W. Caesar, of Protector, visited our village last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lackey, of Owen Sound last week to attend the marriage of Mr. Lackey's sister.

Messrs. Ralph Purvis, Wm. Purvis and F. E. David returned from London where they have been attending the Western Fair and visiting friends in that locality.

Mrs. Muir is at present visiting friends in Chicago.

Amongst the visitors who spent Sunday in our burg were Miss Agnes Allen and Mr. John Dowdle, of Preston Stn.

Harvest home services were held in St. Matthias Church on Sunday last. The church was fittingly decorated. The Rev. Mr. Henderson, of Toronto, preached a very eloquent sermon, which was much appreciated.

Meaford Road

Mr. Jno. Davis and daughter left last week for the Soo.

John Wilbert of Toronto is visiting here. His visit this time was rather an interesting one. On Wednesday he and Miss McQuarry of Guelph were united in marriage. We extend our congratulations.

Wm. Best of Beaverville, with his threshing outfit, is finishing up the work in this neighborhood and it was not a heavy job this season.

Word has been received from Robt. Buchanan who is in the Northwest. He has taken up land and moved his family there shortly.

Rocklyn

Miss Vina Gould, of Markdale, the guest of her sister, Miss Maggie, this week.

Mrs. Jas. Clugston, Mrs. Armstrong, and Miss Clugston, of Powassan, were all home to attend the funeral of their father, John Clugston, who died at half-past two Saturday morning after a very short illness. The funeral took place on Monday and the corpse was the largest seen in this neighborhood for some time. Mrs. Clugston and daughter are also very sick, but we hope soon to hear of their recovery.

Dundalk

Rev. Buchanan is preaching a series of sermons on the prominent biblical characters which are of a very interesting nature.

Mrs. Nesbitt, of Markdale, visited her sister Mrs. J. Whitty here last week. Mrs. W. is just recovering from an attack of malarial fever.

If the Herald was expressing the sentiments of the citizens of this place that a feeling of hostility existed, but the people of your township do not lose any sleep over the vapours of an editor, whose only aim is to

There is at present prospect of a

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Vegetation continues vigorous. Grain is coming to market. September has been a very allright.

New school supplies and at Stephen's drug store.

Proton fall show will be held on the 9th and 10th Oct. Paris, Ont., recently was is to have an \$18,000 post-poned.

Flesherton fall fair takes Tuesday and Wednesday and 3.

Get your watch repaired. Shortill and you run for for prices.

Whole peckling spick, and cantsp spice for picklen hen's drug store.

The Straxan will be subscribers the balance of cents, any address.

Mr. J. Warrlow has dis interest in the Royal H Sound, to Mr. Geo. L. Holland Centre.

Owing to the material price of print paper many are either increasing the of decreasing the size of the tion.

Mrs. Wm. Blakely will auction sale of farm stock, etc., at her premises, 11th rasia, on Tuesday next; Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

A fowl supper will be given Church, townline, evening, October 1. Adm children 15 cents. S. M. preached Sunday morning September 30.

The 12th annual convention Ontario Christian Endeavor held in Guelph on Oct. 4th and 5th inclusive. The that this will be the 15th Convention Ontario has

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In the report of the 5th Convention published in overlooked mentioning Boyd had been appointed the Provincial convention in Brockville and Wm. appointed of the 15th Provincial Sunday School

The harvest home festival at New England industrial interest. Rev. Fr. Langley the Owen Sound at 10:30 a.m. and in the afternoon a fowl supper will be served from 7 to 9 p.m. Dr. Langley Buchanan will be the musical program and music and singing. The latter will be services.

East Grey, Ontario, Central, Waterloo, St. Vincent, Michigan, Euphrasia, Rocklyn, North Grey, Owen Sound, Kemble Acl. Rocklyn, South Grey, Durham, Orangeville, Holland, Chatsworth, Collingwood, P. C. Artesmia, Priceville.

D. J. Shanahan is On Wednesday of workshops of Mr. D. J. Penetanguishene, with blacksmith, were together with a lot of hand vehicles; loss about \$2,000 insurance. The ing to the Bayview burned. About three similar misfortune Bay Shanahan in Markdale.

Church Renovation Opening. The Presbyterian church place has been undergoing renovating, consisting of strapping, lathing and side, rearrangement of additional seating, repair of which has resulted in improvement in the appearance. A furnace is now and when complete the will have a very comfortable worship. The cost of a ments will be about \$15 which is already provided re-opening services the Sabbath, when the Rev. Mr. of Owen Sound, and much appreciated. ing and evening at the School is the amount to

The Old Reliable Remedy for Diarrhoea and Dysentery.



Grandma Mrs. Thos. Sherlock, Am prior, Ont., recently writes: "My little girl, three years old, was taken very bad with diarrhoea and we thought we were going to lose her when I remembered that my grandfather always used Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry, and often said that it saved his life. I got a bottle and gave it to her and after the third dose she was better and slept well that night. She proved right along and was completely cured."