

MASSIE

M. Walker, who has been in Flesherston for the past week, returned Sunday on a short time with her sister, John Hewitt, before returning to her duties as nurse in Hamilton.

Chas. Taylor, of Fairmount, accompanied by his friend, Mr. J. Abercrombie, spent Sunday with friends in Massie.

Will Howey, of the Toronto City, is home for a short time.

and Mrs. J. E. Walker, of Toronto, spent the 24th with Mrs. John Hewitt, of this city.

Lizzie Matheson, Toronto, on a short visit.

Will Shouldice and Miss K. Keppel, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shouldice and Monday last.

Dell Matheson, from the city, was home for the 24th.

are pleased to hear of Mr. Robson, who had his leg in the winter, being able to get up stairs now.

adult glass has been organized by the Massie Methodist Synod. A few of the members met on Sunday for the first time to learn of the Rev. Richards, pastor of the Holy Centre circuit, leaving us on the 1st of June.

Mac Love, of the O.S.C., came for the 24th.

added linen skirt will be a little to get quite white, but by little washing it and beating the grass you will very redue the color.

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os. Mercer's HORSES FOR SERVICE.

os. Mercer wishes to inform breeders of this district that he has decided to keep his horses for season of 1908 at home, all but GOLDEN LUCK 8275, by the breeding horse, Gold Mine. Home there are for service: ELMARK 12592, by Havana; ADALBANE, by Hiawatha; WYLLAN, 8276, by Lord Derby; CALRAITH, 13711, by Lord Derby; the great show colt, AS ROCKET 534 sire of Bow Rocket, winning this year first prizes in the leading shows in Canada, including the Toronto Spring Show. MONA'S SET has size and quality, nicest of feet, legs and bone, fine silky hair. As a prize he has few equals, winning first prizes, one second and championship in England, also prize at the Spring Show at Toronto, 1908; 1st at Thistleton, Seattle and Malton Spring shows, competing against imported Canadian bred Clydes and of all ages.

os. Mercer has also for service his own stable the grand Hack, colt, ADMINISTER 9580, by noble Administrator 3047, colt has won second in London England this spring and the agricultural papers say had an placed 1st the audience and makers would have been much pleased. He is only allotted for this season at \$15.00.

for GOLDEN LUCK \$215.00. DAY noon, John Hutchinson's fine Euphrasia; Monday night at Elyon.

SDAY noon, Jos. Boyd's 9th Euphrasia; Tuesday night, Taylor's 11th line Euphrasia.

WEDNESDAY noon, Revere House Markdale; Wednesday night, Berkley House, Berkeley.

THURSDAY noon, Priel's Settlement, Glascoot; Thursday night, Pnoch Hotel.

FRIDAY noon, James Allison's; day night, Dougal McCork's, 10th line Glenelg.

SATURDAY noon, Revere House, Markdale.

TERMS.
Golden Luck, \$12.00.
Adalbane, Rowal and Royal Rait, \$10.00.
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KIMBERLEY HAPPENINGS

It is certainly a growing time. Miss Vergie McMullen, Toronto, spent Victoria Day with friends here and was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Stuart.

The Misses C. Meiklejohn and E. Black spent Saturday and Sunday at the latter's parental home at Thornbury.

The Misses Frances Hurd and Mina Weber, of Meaford, spent Victoria Day at their respective parental homes here.

Messrs. Noble Lawrence and Tilford Ellis, of Powassan, spent a few days with friends here during the past week.

Messrs. John Minahaugh, Frank Piesance, Arthur and Willis Court and J. Herbert Fawcett, of Collingwood, came over on Saturday last and spent the day angling for the speckled beauties and were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fawcett.

Miss Ella Karstelt, of Flesherston, was the guest of her friend, Miss Maude Fawcett, on Victoria Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCartney and Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCartney of Centerville, spent Saturday evening and Sunday the guests of Mrs. G. McCartney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McCullough.

The Kimberley branch of the O. W. I. held their annual meeting in the Orange Hall recently. The following are officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. G. H. Walter; Vice Pres., Mrs. W. T. Ellis; Sec., Treas., Miss Maude Fawcett; Directors, Mrs. G. H. Walter and Mrs. Geo. Proctor; Auditors, Mrs. F. J. Weber and Miss Olive Camack.

In last week's items we stated that Mrs. Jos. Dixon had died in the hospital at Brandon, Man. Instead of Mrs. Dixon it was Mr. Dixon who passed away.

Mr. Clifford Camack visited at Owen Sound recently.

Mr. Frank Hutchinson and his friend, Mr. Guy, of Meaford, spent Victoria Day here and were the guests of the former's parents.

Miss Mary Thompson, of Vandeleur, was the guest of her cousins, the Misses Elsie and Maude Plewes, during the past week.

Mr. P. McCullough, Liberal candidate for Centre Grey, also Mr. John Boland, of Vandeleur, addressed a meeting of the electors here on Tuesday evening of this week.

We are sorry to report Mr. Geo. Hutchinson somewhat under the weather with an attack of rheumatism, but hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

The Misses Winnie Stelle and E. Brooks, of Clarksburg, spent Victoria Day here and were the guests of the latter's aunt, Mrs. W. S. Bishop.

Master Dave Fawcett, of Duncan, spent a few days at his parental home here during the past week.

The Misses Maud and Myrtle Smith, of Toronto, spent a few days during the past week at their parental home here.

The picnic held here on Victoria Day under the auspices of the Kimberley Court C. O. F. was a good success. The weather being ideal, a large crowd was present. The Flesherston band was engaged to furnish music during the afternoon, but rendered very few selections, and practically three-thirds of those present were much disappointed in the band. Following are some of the prize winners: Football match between school teams was won by Kimberley, who defeated Heathcote by a score of 2-0. The intermediate football match between Kimberley and Flesherston resulted in a tie, however the former were awarded the first prize, as Flesherston refused to play off. The baseball match was between Redwing and Flesherston, and it was a continual chew (we might say throughout and resulted in a tie at the end of seven innings. Girls' race under 12, Addie Gaudin; girls' race over 15, Pearl Lawrence; girls' race for all, Addie Gaudin; old men's race over 60, John J. Martin; open race, Ernest Said, Meaford; running high jump, Ernest Saul; broad jump, Ernest Saul; throwing shoulder stone, Ernest Saul; boys' race under 15, Wiley, Wodehouse.

JOE DICKSON DEAD AT BRANDON

On Thursday afternoon of last week, Ben Dickson received the sad news of his brother Joe's death at Brandon. The deceased had been ailing for the past year and a little over a week previous to his death went to Brandon Hospital, at which place he died, the cause of death being pernicious anaemia.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson came to Manitoba from the County of Grey, Ont., in the year 1897, and has resided in the vicinity of Boissevain since that time. Four years ago he purchased Mr. Brigg's farm, two miles north of town, and this spring, owing to ill-health, he was unable to farm it himself.

A widow, daughter of Robert Snell, near Markdale, Ont., of three brothers, Ben and Jack, of Boissevain, and Archibald, of Thornbury, Ont., and three sisters, Mrs. Albert Harris, of Boissevain, Mrs. Purdue, of Stayner, Ont., and Mrs. Foster, of New Jersey, mourn their loss.

The funeral service was held at the family residence, 2-4-20, by the Rev. A. Hamilton, on Saturday afternoon last at three o'clock, after which the remains were taken to the Boissevain cemetery. The funeral was largely attended, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends in the community.—Boissevain Recorder.

CHEESEVILLE

Mr. Robert Sturgeon is somewhat improved in health.

Mrs. James Foster, of Corbetton, spent a week at Mrs. Foster's recently. A number from here spent the 24th at Kimberley.

Mr. Robert Boyd, Miss F. Boyd and Miss Mabel Dunlop, of Temple Hill, visited friends in this vicinity the first of the week.

Mrs. Jos. Boyd and two children spent a couple of days at her parental home here.

Miss Drew, of Owen Sound, spent the holidays at J. Walker's.

Mr. Jack Mercer is home from Quebec.

Miss Leona Bellamy is visiting at Harry Shaw's.

A couple of Cheeseville boys spent a few hours angling in Cherry Grove district recently, and report a catchy catch.

Mr. H. Purvis attended the races in Toronto this week.

Mr. Wm. Crockett is under the doctor's care.

HARKAWAY

Seeding operations are completed in this locality and sheep washing and potato planting is the order of the day.

Mr. J. Boyd, of Riveedale, was the guest of friends in this locality recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elliott, of Markdale, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Taylor, over Sunday.

Mr. J. Hawken, Jr., spent Victoria Day with friends at the County Capital.

Mrs. J. Elliott, Miss Tena and Master Robbie of Meaford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Logan last week.

Miss Edith Lyons arrived home from the city last week.

Mrs. J. Moore, sr., Mrs. D. D. Muirhead and Miss Laura Moore, all of Markdale, visited with friends in this locality recently.

Mr. Johnston, of Dundalk, has been visiting during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Acheson.

Master Harry Middleton wheeled down from Owen Sound on Friday returning this morning.

Miss Minnie Williamson, of Owen Sound, and Miss Mary B. Halbert, of Markdale, holidayed at the parental home here.

WALTERS FALLS

The air is sweet with the odor of the blossoms.

Most of the farmers are through with their seeding.

An electric storm passed over our village Monday night.

Mr. (Rev.) Kemp went down to Toronto to attend the Mission Band of Ontario, of which she is Secretary.

Mr. Mac Stain came up on the holiday excursion from Toronto, returning on Tuesday morning.

Mr. John McKenna went to Owen Sound for the 24th.

Miss Olive Wilkinson and Mr. R. Cruickshank, of Owen Sound, spent Victoria Day with the former's friend, Miss Georgina Bonnell.

Mr. James S. McCullough, of Toronto University, is home for the summer vacation.

Miss Allie Barker went to Hanover his success in passing his Exams. Mr. Atton now signs his name with a Rev.

Miss Lizzie Seabrook, of Chatsworth, spent a couple of days at the parental home.

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The Sale of the Year in Ladies' Dress Skirts.

In point of fact never before have we been able to offer such high class Dress Skirts at such a big saving of the regular values. We have bought from the Canada Cloak Company, the well known makers of the celebrated Roger Garments, one hundred and fifty Skirts, being samples and regular lines. These we put on sale this week at a saving of ONE-THIRD AND MORE off regular prices. The following should be of interest to you.

LOT 1.

110 Ladies fine Dress Skirts in fine light Tweeds, fancy Mohairs, Alpaca, Cashmere and Panama Cloths in nearly all the leading shades such as Light Greys, Fawn, Brown, Blue, Black, Cream, also Tan, and in the regular way these skirts would have to sell for 4.75, 5.50, 6.00 and 6.50. All on sale this week at the extraordinary value, your choice for..... **\$3.48.**

LOT 2.

38 Ladies Fine Dress Skirts belonging to the same purchase but in the lower priced lines consisting of Fine Tweeds, light and dark colors, Mohairs and Lustres, the selling value of these lines in the regular way of buying and selling would be 3.25, 3.75, and 4.50, on sale this week your choice per yard..... **\$2.48.**

CARPETS

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Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums.

This week we have passed into stock a very large amount of Linoleums and Floor Oil Cloths, also Rugs, and if you wish to inspect the finest and largest collection of Linoleums and Rugs in this part of the country come to this store. Prices never were easier.

This week we are showing yard wide Floor Oil Cloth for 23c to 28c per yard.

2 yard wide " 48c to 50c "

4 yard wide Linoleums from \$1.50 to \$2.25 per yard.

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Selling Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose

two pair for 25c.

This week we put on sale 300 pairs Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose, fast black, seamless feet, all sizes, 8, 9 and 9 1/2, at **TWO PAIR FOR 25 CENTS.**

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Already hemmed and ready for use selling for 18c. 6 dozen Fine French Cotton Pillow Cases, already hemmed and ready for use on sale this week for..... **18c.**

Selling Girls' and Ladies' Shoes

a Big Saving.

This week we have been going through our shoe stock picking out all lines that have not been selling freely. Many are not just the latest styles, but when you consider the unusually low price what better would you want for every day wear. All sizes up to 4. These \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$2.00 lines..... **85c.**

Millinery! Millinery! Millinery!

This season we have more than excelled in this department. Our showing of the best, the dainty and up-to-date styles are appreciated. If you are particular about what you wear for your new hat and have not already visited this department of our store we would like to see what we can do for you, we will please you at a very moderate cost.

Hardware and Crockery Departments.

In these two departments we carry a full line for which we accept all kinds of produce in exchange. We are the only departmental store in town carrying a full stock; it is a great advantage to you to be able to do your shopping all under one roof, also a big saving to you, as we do not have to pay Hardware Merchants 10 per cent to supply us your wants in these lines, hence we save all these departments for all your wants.

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Mr. E. McKibbon, of Strathavon, were the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Philip Walter, a couple of days.

Miss Myrtle King, of Owen Sound Business College, accompanied by Miss P. Ireland and Mr. Chandler spent Victoria Day at her home here.

Do not forget the Garden Party in connection with St. Phillip's church on Tuesday, June 23rd, on the fair grounds. A good program is being prepared. Baseball match and other amusements on the grounds. An excellent time is anticipated. Posters later.

A number from here took in the celebrations in town on Monday.

Miss Emma Campbell is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell.

We congratulate Mr. A. L. Atton on his success in passing his Exams. Mr. Atton now signs his name with a Rev.

Miss Lizzie Seabrook, of Chatsworth, spent a couple of days at the parental home.

Miss Alice Consley, of Gainsby, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Consley.

Miss Ruby Slatpe, of Flesherston, spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Hannah Lyons.

Mr. J. W. Whitty, of Dundalk, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Nelson.

EATING BETWEEN MEALS.

Swift breakfast and dinner, and dinner and tea, and any may get hungry. If he's impatient, and eats right away, his appetite's gone for the rest of the day. Weeds by just waiting, this fact I assert, his bread and potatoes will taste like desert.