KIMBERLEY HAPPENINGS

The nice, warm weather, together with considerable rain, is proving to be of much benefit to vegetation.

Messrs. Clayton and Wilmer Lougheed and sister, Miss Laura of Clarksburg, visited friends here last week, and were the guests o their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs John Fawcett.

Miss Elsie Plewes is visiting Collingwood friends this week.

Mr. Herbert Fines, of Granger, spent a few days this week at the Traveller's Home.

A series of Gospel Meetings will be held in the Union Church commencing next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Preaching by evangelist Neal, of Meaford. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Geo. Knott, of Collingwood, visited friends here this week and was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. J. Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Proctor spent Saturday eve. and Sunday last with the former's mother in Thornbury.

Miss Lottie Fawcett, of Parry Sound, who has spent the past few months with friends here, returned to her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stuart have retired from farming and will hereafter reside in our village. To Mr. and Mrs Stuart we extend a hearty welcome.

Our new school house when completed will cost some $5,000. This will be at least $1,000 or more than expected when it was first decided to build, and we think the ratepayers should have been consulted again before going ahead with the building. With 20-year debentures it will mean an extra $400 in round numbers each year to be raised off the section for 20 years. With an assessment of some $75,000, you can figure it out what a burden the new school will be to the property-holders of said section.

Following is the list of officers of the local Branch of the O.W.I. for the ensuing year:

President.—Mrs. W. T. Ellis.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Geo. Proctor.
Sec.-Treas.—Miss Kinross Boyle.
District Directors—Mrs. G. H. Walter, Mrs. Geo. Proctor.
Auditors—Maude Fawcett and Edith Hammond.
Committee to assist officers during the year—Mrs. John Plewes (Convenor), Maude L. Fawcett, Edith Hammond, Nellie Wickens, Annie Hill.
Delegate to County Convention at Owen Sound in June—Mrs. W. T. Ellis.

Bran Mashes for Horses.

Some useful information in regard to the feeding of bran mashes to horses is given in Wisconsin "Agriculturist" as follows:

Every feeder of horses that understands the digestive system of the horse makes use of the bran mash at least once a week to regulate the action of the bowels, to relieve the system from heavy feeding, and at the same time to cool it out. The regular feeding of the bran mash on Saturday evening saves many horses from constipation and also from lymphangitis, or Monday morning disease. While the bran mash alone may not prevent the latter trouble, it helps very much in doing so, and if, besides, the feed over Sunday would be reduced to onehalf the usual amount, there would be few cases of disease occurring. The bran mash having a cooling and laxative effect upon the system and the bowels, relieves the lymphatic system, which under heavy feeding of dry, carbonaceous feeds, becomes sluggish and overcharged. It is due to the latter condition that lymphangitis takes place and manifests itself in swelling of either one of the hind legs accompanied by lameness.

HOW TO MAKE THEM

Bran mashes are made up in many ways, but as a rule it is only in large feeding stables, studs and racing stables that they are made up properly. A little cold or luke warm water poured over bran in a pail or in a large feed can and mixed, with a little salt added is the usual bran mash. Frequently hot water is used, and sometimes it occurs that the mash is given to the horse so little cooled off as to scald its mouth, or the horse refuses to eat it and it is left to sour in the manger. The cold or luke warm mash is better than none, but the latter kind is worse than none.

To properly prepare a bran mash covers more than a mere few minutes of time, and the mixing of the water and the bran. At noon put the boiling water into a clean bucket and into this stir the bran. Then put a cover over the bucket to keep in the steam so that the cooling off takes place slowly and prevents souring at the same time. Then feed in the evening when the bran has been well acted upon by the steam and has cooled off enough to be readily taken by the horse. Whenever salt is to be added to the mash, add it at the time when the mixing is first done.

Linseed Meal and Bran.

It may be desired to have the mash consist of a mixture of linseed meal and bran, and often this is prescribed by the veterinarian in special cases. To prepare such a mash, one part of linseed meal should be used in two parts of bran. This should be cooked for several hours by allowing it to simmer slowly on a stove with a low fire. Plenty of water should be added and the cover kept on the containing vessel until the cooking is almost completed. Then the cover should be removed and the water allowed to evaporate so as to make a thick mash, when the latter should be taken off the stove and allow it to cool ready for immediate use.

The amount of bran mash fed to each horse will depend upon its size. A horse 1,600 pounds in weight will easily take eight quarts. Driving horses should not be fed bran mashes on evenings previous to days of hard driving unless driven a good deal every day. Horses that are worked hard every day and that are not allowed any pasture at all do much better if given bran mashes twice a week—Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

WODEHOUSE

Seeding is a thing of the past in this neighbourhood.

Master Danard Cook, of Rocklyn, has been visiting with his cousin, Mrs. B. Abercombie, the last couple of weeks.

Mr. W. J. Woods and a lady friend, of Goring, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. Kirkpatrick on Sunday.

The grain around is beginning to show up and the fields are looking quite green.

Miss L. Abercrombie, of Rocklyn, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Abercrombie on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Hicks and family, of Markdale, were visitors in New England on Sunday.

Mr. J. Morwood visited with Meaford friends on Sunday.

Mr. W. Lawson has been making quite an improvement to his house by erecting a fine verandah. There must be something in the wind, W.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Fawcett and daughter, Miss Edna, spent Sunday with the former's father and mother at Heathcote.

SICK HEADACHE.

Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Canker Sore Mouth Cured by Mi-o-na.

Sick headaches are caused by indigestion, and the headache, nausea, heartburn, sour stomach, and that "all in" feeling will vanish.

Mi-o-na tablets will cure indigestion or any other stomach trouble. They will relieve almost instantly. W. Turner & Co. have so much faith in them that they will give you your money back if they don't.

Mi-o-na cures by making the stomach strong enough to produce enough gastric juices to digest all the food you want to eat. It promptly put new life and energy into the overworked and played-out walls of the stomach.

Use Mi-o-na for a week, and you can eat what you want any time you want it, and take pleasure in doing it.

Your blood will be redder, richer, purer after taking Mi-o-na, and it only costs 50 cents a large box.

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PER SUIT. Truly we are leaders in fine Clothing, and are satisfied only when you are pleased.

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Men's Rain Coats, $6.50 to $12.50.
Men's Umbrellas, Self Openers, at 90c, worth 1.25.
Men's Summer Underwear Shirts and Drawers, at 25c to $1.00 each.
Linen Blouses for Boys 3 to 7 years, 50c each, worth 75c.
Linen Suits for Boys 3 to 7 years, 75c Suit, worth 1.25.
Men's Collars, Anchor Brand, new shapes, 2 for 25c.
Men's Fine Colored Shirts in all the newest patterns 50c to 1.50.
Men's Ties in the new shapes, 25c to 50c.
Ladies' Lisle Gloves, black or white, 25c. Pure silk Gloves 50c.
Excelda Handkerchiefs, white or colored, 10c each.
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Ladies' Heatherbloom Underskirts at $2 and 2.25, worth $3 to $3.50.

Buy your Wall Paper and Lace Curtains here. We can save you money. Come and see.

Bring us your Butter and Eggs. We pay highest prices in Cash or Trade.

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ROCKLYN

Miss Mary Armstrong, of Parry Sound, is visiting relatives in our vicinity.

Miss Lilian Abercrombie spent a few days with her brother, Mr. C. B. Abercrombie, Wodehouse, this week.

The annual meeting of the Womans' Institute met in the basement of the church, Temple Hill, on Thursday, May 19th. The following officers were elected for the coming year; President, Mrs. Lewis Sewell; Vice Pres. Mrs. R. Bradner; Sec. Mrs. Williams; Auditors Mrs. A. Patton and Miss Ethel Kirkpatrick; Directors, Mrs. P. Sparling, Mrs. J. F. McLaren and Mrs Robt. Clugston; Delegates to District Convention, Misses Martha Wood, M. Dunlap and Lillie Sparling, Mrs. A. J. Cook, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Geo. Kelly. The Programme Committee for the coming year have been asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Williams on Thursday May 31st, at 8 p. m. The following are the members: Mesdames Patton, McLaren, Csabtree, Williams, Sparling, and Yeadell.

Miss F. Clugston left on Monday to resume her work in Meaford.

Rev. T. A. Rodger who has conducted special services in Temple Hill church during the past two weeks has returned to his home in Owen Sound.

An important feature of the May meeting of Victoria W. M. S. which was held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Lanktree was the presenting by Mrs. Sewell on behalf of the society of a Life Membership Certificate to Mrs Geo. Crabtree. Mrs. Crabtree has been President of the W.M.S. during the past five years and it is much through her zeal and effort that the W.M.S. of Victoria is so thoroughly progressive. We hope she may long live to enjoy her Life Membership Certificate and to aid in the great Missionary work of the Church.

Miss Conn spent the week-end at her home in Heathcote.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Devitt spent Sunday with Reeve and Mrs. John Eaton at St. Vincent.

Many from hereabouts attended the sports at Markdale on Victoria Day.

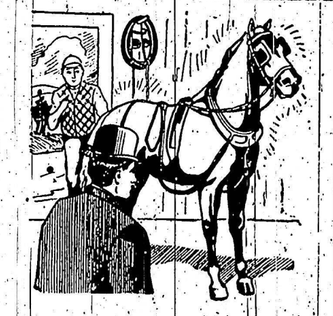
In Womans World.

The newsgirls of Toledo, Ohio, have the use of the newsboys' building from four to six every day, and can avail themselves of the baths, gymnasiums, and other things that the boys exercise with.

Miss Emma Kneel, of Carthlage, Mo., has been called to Muskogee, Oklahoma, to take charge of a fair association there. She managed a fair in Jasper County, Mo., and was so successful that when called to Muskogee she was allowed to name her own terms.

Miss Crystal Eastman was the only woman complimented by Governor Hughes of New York in being appointed a member of the State Commission on Employer's Liability. She is giving lectures throughout New York State on "The Workman's Compensation vs. the Employers' Liability."

Becoming tired of society, Miss Jessie Key Habersham, daughter of A.W. Habersham, a wealthy broker of Baltimore, has become a gypsy queen. She is now known as "Queen Jessie, the wife of King John Mitchel," head of a little Romany band now occupying a kingdom in a grove on the outskirts of St. Louis.



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Rudd Mathews,
Markdale.

The Clydesdale Stallion

GOOD LUCK

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ROUTE FOR 1910

Monday, May 9, from his own stable, lot 18, con. 10, Euphrasia, to Robert Wiley's, Harkaway, for noon; and to his own stable for night and until Tuesday noon, then to Rocklyn for night.

Wednesday to Abe Knott's for noon, and Kimberley for night.

Thursday noon, Eugenia; night, Flesherton.

Friday noon Vandeleur; night, Markdale until 5 p.m. Saturday; then home.

Terms $7 for insurance.

JOS. MANAREY,
Manager, Goring.

Wanted—

CREAMERY patrons are reminded that our Collectors will commence duty on Monday, May 16.

During the past few weeks we have made as many personal visits as possible, but in case we have missed YOU, please remember we now solicit your patronage.

It is perhaps a little early to forecast prospects for the season, but we are looking forward to a generous patronage and a period of good prices.

Have you a neighbour or friend whom we might interest?

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MARKDALE.

DIRECTORY

Under this heading we publish in brief form notices of Municipal, Educational and Religious institutions for the convenience of our readers. Such institutions are invited to keep us posted so that the list may be full and correct.

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The P. O. will be open from 8 o'clock a.m. to 7 p.m. every working day. Mails close 20 minutes before the arrival of trains.

Traverston, Waudby and Eugenia, 12.30 noon Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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ROUTE FOR 1910:

Monday, May 9, leave his own stable, Bownlee House Duntroon at 9.30 a.m. and proceed to Browns Hotel, Singhampton, noon; night, Maxwell.

Tuesday noon, Flesherton; night, Markdale House, Markdale, and Wednesday noon, thence to Manarey's, lot 17, con. 10, Euphrasia, for night.

Thursday noon, Rocklyn; night, Chas. Hill's, lot 17, con. 11, Collingwood township.

Friday noon, Arthur Stouteburg's, Banks; night, Cook's Hotel, Collingwood.

Saturday proceed to Coughlin's Hotel, Stayner, for noon; to his own stable, Duntroon, until the following Monday morning.

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Duntroon, Ont.