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Presentation.

On Tuesday evening a large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar, Pleasant Valley, to bid adieu to them before leaving for their new home in Shallow Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar have resided here for a number of years, and will be greatly missed throughout the surrounding country. The best wishes of a host of friends follow them to their new home.

The evening was spent in a social manner. The following address was read by Miss Vera Winterburn: Pleasant Valley, Feb. 3, '14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar:

Dear Friends—We, your neighbors and friends have gathered here this evening to spend a few social hours in your midst. You have spent a number of years in this community since coming to reside here. You have been genial, kindly neighbors always willing to lend a hand; you have made many friends in this community. We feel that wherever you go the same spirit of helpfulness will characterize your actions and that some other part of our great young country will be the better for your toil, energy and thrift. We are sorry to lose you; but we wish you and yours every success wherever you may decide to make your home.

We ask you, Mr. Edgar, to accept this watch fob, and you, Mrs. Edgar, this tea set of Limoges dishes as merely slight tokens of our regard and we hope they may bring you in the future many kind thoughts of your friends and neighbors who are gathered here: this evening to wish you good luck and God speed.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors:

Although entirely taken by surprise, Mr. Edgar responded feelingly in behalf of Mrs. Edgar and himself, and expressed his surprise and pleasure and extended a hearty invitation to all to visit them in their new home if an opportunity presented itself.

WHEN YOU'RE SICK YOUR WAGES STOP

You know what that means—misery—worry—big bills—debt!

You know you can't afford to get sick. Keeping in good health means food and clothing for you and your family. It is up to you to take care of yourself. It is up to you, whenever you don't feel right, to take something to make you right, to strengthen you, build you up, ward off worse sickness—protect you and your family. It is up to you to have in Ready Relief Oil Emulsion. In offering it to you, we protect you against money-panic, by personally promising you that, if it does not restore your health, for old people, for convalescents; for busy children, we know of nothing that will give health and strength as quickly as Ready Relief Oil Emulsion. It is a real builder of good blood, strong muscles, good digestion. Pleasant to take. It contains alcohol or habit-forming drugs. If you don't feel well, economize both money and strength by beginning today to take Ready Relief Oil Emulsion. It costs only 50c. The Ready Relief Oil Emulsion is sold only by the Ready Relief Oil Emulsion Co., Toronto, Ont.

B. L. STEPHEN, Markdale.

AROUND THE HUB

Items Clipped and Re-written from Our Exchanges

MEAFORD

The adjourned liquor case against the "British Born" Club was resumed on Friday afternoon before Magistrates Johnston and Kent, with the result that the Club was fined \$100 and costs. The complaint was lodged against Mr. Walter Holloway, President of the Club, by Inspector M. Beckett, who raided the Club room with Chief Clarke on the evening of January 3rd, prior to the Local Option vote, and confiscated a quantity of beer and a portion of a bottle of whiskey. An earthquake shock of a pronounced type was felt in Meaford on Tuesday afternoon about 1.38 o'clock, causing quite an alarm in some quarters of the town. Not having noticed anything out of the ordinary ourselves, Mr. W.F.C. Arledge was the first to apprehend the presence of anything irregular, and he assured us that he and his family very distinctly felt the shock, and related how the pictures and electric wiring in his home quivered for some seconds. Being convinced in his own mind that the commotion was not due to any force or effort around his home, he at once concluded that it was shaking of the earth itself, and in talking to others found his contention to be correct.—Express.

WALKERTON

A Walkerton citizen the other day was surprised to get through the post office here an offer of marriage from a Greenock lady. As the recipient is already engaged, he has been showing the epistle industriously to his male friends, and the fact that many local bachelors have copied her address and are purchasing stamps, is evidence that a preacher may get a job before long.

People who saw D. S. Calman, a C.P.R. bridge builder floundering in the Saugonee river on Sunday, would imagine that he was a Baptist and was being submerged on the Sabbath. But there was nothing religious about Calman's plunging, except it might have been Divine wrath for working on Sunday, as it was while employed for the C.P.R. bridge that he missed his footing and fell in. Luckily he was taken out before it was necessary to off-panel a Coroner's Jury to examine him.

While Dan Craig was driving a huge log across the narrow bridge near Trux's office, into the mill yard here on Monday morning last, the log struck a post and slued around, knocking Mr. Craig and one of the horses into the river; which at this point is very deep and swift. Breaking through the ice, Mr. Craig and the horse were both submerged over head in the stream, and at the time it looked as if the Saugonee was about to claim two more lives. Mr. Craig had already gone down twice when help arrived and removed him from the deep. The horse was also got out after much difficulty, a stout rope being placed around its neck and a heavy team doing a hard-pulling stunt to land the animal.—Times-Herald.

DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pirth and family, and Mr. Allison, of Markdale, attended the party at Mrs. F's brother's, Mr. T. Moore.

The Council at the last meeting appointed Mr. Herbert Pettigrew as the town officer who combines the duties of constable, caretaker, street inspector and a few other things, but not Assessor. The salary is \$500 and fees.

Mr. Edward McAnulty, of Brock, Sask., is spending the winter in this locality. It is five years since he went west and like all westerners he likes the country, but is not so enthusiastic as some. He thinks it is the country for an ambitious young man, who can find greater opportunities for his energies than are to be found in the older settled east. He says it is cold and he feels it, but not so much as the same temperature with a moister atmosphere.—Chronicle.

OWEN SOUND

Miss Wright, housekeeper and dietician of the General and Marine hospital handed her resignation to the hospital board a few days ago and on Wednesday night it came before that body for their acceptance. Miss Wright wishes her resignation to take effect on April first.

For the first time in about thirty years the residents of the town of Owen Sound felt an earthquake tremor, the quiver coming at about two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. The quake was most marked more particularly on the west side of the river, with dishes rattled, chandeliers swung and oscillated, furniture shifted and oscillated perceptibly in the most every manner.

Mr. A. E. Torry, the county superintendent of the Children's Aid Work is a busy man these days. For instance, on Wednesday he was called upon to go to Hanover to attend to a case which fell within the jurisdiction of his work as Grey county superintendent. Hardly had he got home than he was obliged to go down to the heart of Euphrasia on another trip of a similar nature. He left yesterday for Euphrasia from whence complaints in which a family there were wintering, with emphasis on the treatment of the children.

On Thursday morning, very early, as William Young drove into

Patrons on Markdale Rural Mail Routes

We publish herewith a list of names of those who have rural route boxes on five routes now in operation which should prove a great convenience to readers of The Standard. Clip it out and keep for reference.

R. R. No. 2.

Thos. Harvey, Courier

Jno Abercrombie Geo. Lawson
Jno Appleyard W. E. Meyers
Fred Birch Jno Manarey
Hugh Baird Jno Millar
Wm. Boyd R. J. McAfee
Joseph Boyd J. A. McArthur
Balm Bradley Jno Merrifield
L. Brades Andrew Manarey
W. Conley Richard Millar
Geo. Cowan O. Merrifield
Thos. Cutting James Nelson
Thos. Davidson Geo. Nesbitt
R. Dunlop Jno Ormsby
Alex. Donnelly Hugh Eaton
Henry Erskine Mrs. W. Richardson
R. Erskine J. L. Snell
C. Fothergill J. S. Squire
T. I. Fawcett W. P. Stephenson
Ed. Fothergill Geo. Thompson
Ed. Graham F. Thompson
J. B. Hutchings W. J. Ward
John Henning Wm. Wright
O. Leopold W. A. Wilson
J. Leopold Jas. Wilson
John Lee S. W. Walker
Jacoby Loughhead Sam Walker
Jos. Lanktree Jas. Wiley
D. McIntosh

R. R. No. 3.

Thos. Neely, Courier.

Fred Sarjeant E. Ptolemy
Jas. Walker F. Squires
Sample, A. & F. John Dixon
Fred Eagle Thos. King
J. A. Fawcett Thos. Breadner
W. Rowley J. Erskine
John Burton J. Shepherdson
John Graham Joshua Bowler
T. Richardson John Murray
John Doubleday J. T. Currie
D. Binns Jos. Murray
Alex. Acheson Jas. Moore
W. T. Lyons W. Ellis
W. J. Lyons Jos. Breadner
W. J. Hawken Angus McInnis
A. A. Lyons A. Kirkpatrick
A. Rusk Jos. Manarey
John Thompson H. Breadner
Jas. Rodman W. Johnston
G. F. Kinney Roy Thompson
J. A. Halbert R. J. Manarey
A. Rae Geo. Merrifield
C. Thompson J. A. Hawkins
R. Lyons L. Hawkins
R. Johnston G. S. Taylor
W. T. Lyons H. Wells
W. Madill Chester Rodman
R. Wiley John Peniston
H. Barry Wm. Hodgins
W. Carbert John Hodgins
J. W. Hawkins John Hodgins
R. S. McLaughlin J. L. Irving
Jas. Page J. T. Hill
John Murdoch Robt. Hill
Peter Smith Nat. Hill
D. Smith Geo. Meyers
F. Ellis Wm. Taylor
J. Johnston Thos. Harvey
M. Paton Wes Wyville
D. Torry Mrs. W. Taylor
J. J. Seabrook Geo. Taylor

DUNDALK

A wildcat, trapped by Eric Bell, of Melancthon, was shipped on Friday to Mr. Charles Morley, commercial traveller, Hamilton, who purchased it for presentation to Dundurn Park Zoo.

Early birds—Geo. Dale, of this place, is the owner of a real smart, ambitious hen, which hatched out on Monday a flock of seven fluffy chickens out of ten eggs set. These are the first arrivals in the poultry line this year and they will have a long wait on that count.

St. James' (Anglican) Sunday school presented Dufferin Lodge, I.O.O.F., with a Bible for use in the lodge. The old bible had been in use since the Lodge was first instituted in Pleasanton, in 1876, and it is not altogether worn-out yet.

Roy Mitchell got a bad fall on the ice at the rink the other night. He struck the ice with the back of his head, and was completely knocked out. He regained consciousness after some minutes, and dazed for a while, is now alright, excepting a sore arm.—Herald.

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Credit Sale

The undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction at Lot 5, Concession 9, on Highway 20th, 1914.

The following Chateaux, viz:

1 gen. pur. mare 8 yrs. old; 1 colt rising 2 yrs. old; 1 cow due Feb. 27; 1 cow due Mar. 1st; 1 cow sup. to be in calf; Farrow cow, heifer rising 2 yrs.; Steer rising 2 yrs.; 1 yearling calves; 2 turkey hens and gobbler; Peter Hamilton plow, new; Peter Hamilton pulper, new; Cream separator; Glass cupboard; Bedroom suite; Gopherich organ; Heating stove; Wash Stand; Fall table; Cutter, road cart, stone boat, wheelbarrow, grindstone, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

A quantity of potatoes to be sold for Cash.

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Rupture Expert in O.S.

Secley, Who Fitted Czars of Russia, Called to Owen Sound.

F. H. Secley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted expert, will be at the Posterson Hotel and will remain in Owen Sound Wednesday only, February 25th. Mr. Secley says: "The Serratic Shield as now used and approved by the United States Government will not only relieve any cause of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in 9 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain producing results without surgery, harmful injections, medical treatments or prescriptions. Mr. Secley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D.C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interest call he will be glad to show same without charge or fit them if desired. Any one ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this opportunity.

Wedding Gifts Are Wife's

Poor Hubby Cannot Claim Any, So Itules Court.

To whom do wedding presents belong, you or your wife? Answer—Your wife.

That is the ruling made by Judge Dietz, at the behest of Maurice Geckler, who sued to replace in certain wedding gifts he and his wife received. Geckler wanted her to turn over to him certain articles which, he said, had been given to him by his friends. The Gecklers have separated.

The court pointed out that the invitations are sent out by the bride's parents, and when you accept their invitation you are present by them and thus your presence is due to them—for the bride. And there you are. The costs were assessed against Geckler.

Organize Motor League

Every Motorist in Grey and Bruce Counties May Join Now.

At a meeting of Owen Sound motor enthusiasts, which filled the council chamber to its limit on Tuesday evening, Feb. 10, a new motor club, to be known as the Owen Sound and Georgian Bay Motor League was organized. The officers were elected: President, F. W. Harrison; Vice-President, F. E. Merritt; J. G. Hay and J. Peel; Sec.-Treasurer, Geo. Fleming; Good Roads Committee, J. A. Leslie, D. J. Kennedy, H. Bonnell and Wm. Taylor; Membership Committee, A. J. Frost, Herb Leeson, H. Bowman, W. J. McLinden; Sign Committee, A. J. Frost, H. H. Bowman, F. McDougald, L. Bloch; Entertainment Committee, J. Buzz-Christ, Taylor.

The new organization is not confined to the immediate vicinity of Owen Sound but will include the

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(Corrected each Wednesday)

Fall Wheat	...
Spring wheat	...
Oats	...
Peas	...
Butter, tub	...
Butter, roll	...
Eggs	...
Beef	...
Hides	...
Geese, per lb.	...
Ducks	...
Chickens	...
Fowl	...
Turkeys	...
Hay	...
Flour, per bbl.	...
Flour, Manitoba	...
Chop Oats, per wt.	...
Wool, washed	...
Wool, unwashed	...
Bran, per wt.	...
Sheeps	...
Sheep Skins	...
Potatoes	...

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