

NEWS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNSHIPS

BY STAFF REPORTERS

BERKELEY

(Last week's items.) Mr. John Watson moved to our village one day last week. Mrs. J. Thompson of Owen Sound is visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. R. Lacey, who is very ill. Mr. W. Crawford's little boy is very ill. They went to Toronto for the two girls, who are home now. Mr. Roy Lowe, Mr. Stafford and Miss Annie Stafford visited in Kimberley over the weekend, the latter staying for a week visiting her friend, Miss Ethel Cornfield.

CHERRY GROVE

(Last week's items.) Mrs. Thos. J. Harvey left on Tuesday for a week's visit in Ploughing operations have come to a standstill, owing to the snowfall. Mr. J. H. Smith, who has been engaged with Mr. T. Harvey on the farm for the past few months left for Toronto on Friday, and has enlisted. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brady motored over to Beaverdale with Mr. and Mrs. W. Hill and visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnston. Mr. R. M. Powley of Saskatoon and his mother, Mrs. S. Powley, of Invermay, were visitors in the burg last week.

GORING

(Last week's items.) Born.—On Thursday, Nov. 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Barker, a daughter. Mrs. T. J. Currie and Mrs. McLean spent a few days with friends in Owen Sound. Mr. and Mrs. J. James Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Neely and Miss B. Thompson, motored to Tara on Sunday, and spent the day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson. We are sorry to report that Mr. Thos. Curry had a bad attack of rheumatism. We are glad he is some better. Mr. George Reid happened with an accident, on Tuesday, having fallen from the tank of the threshing machine, and hurting his arm. The congregation of Ebenezer church are having a bee on Thursday, for the purpose of putting up the fence, and repairing the church.

UNION HILL

(Last week's items.) Winter weather has arrived. Wedding bells are again heard. Mr. Albert Gullin of Flesherton, is visiting his friends Mr. and Mrs. J. Beaton. Devey McAvoy was in our burg on Monday overseeing road jobs, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James McPadden. Mr. Will Crockett of Hayward Falls visited friends in this vicinity last week. Councillor Sarjeant of Holland Centre, was in our burg last week, and put a railing along the

dangerous part of the road at lot 86. Sarjeant is greatly improving the roads in our burg. Mrs. Russell Allison spent the weekend with friends at Lady-Bank. Mrs. Neigh and children of Strathorn, were visiting friends in our burg last week. Mr. John Beaton has rented his farm to Mr. Will Crockett. We understand, Mr. Beaton is moving in short to his other farm on West Avenue. Success John.

VANDELEUR

(Last week's items.) Mrs. Samuel Gilbert has returned home, after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. H. Garner in Toronto. Miss Minnie Graham has returned after a three months visit with friends in the west. Mr. Edward Baker is under Dr's care at present. Miss Lela Purvis is the guest of her friend, Miss Julia Davis. Miss Mary Beard has returned home, after undergoing a critical operation in Toronto Hospital. Mr. Kennedy, of Port Elgin, occupied the pulpit in the church on Sunday. Sons of Temperance will meet on Friday of this week, when an excellent program will be provided by the boys, also lunch by the young ladies.

(This week's items.) Messrs. Charles Buchanan and Alfred Dunlop are in Toronto this week. Mr. Donald McVicar of Flesherton, spent the weekend with his friend, Mr. Will Buchanan.

EUGENIA

(Special to The Standard.) Mrs. David Jamieson died on Thursday, Nov. 17th, 1915, aged 55 at the home of her only daughter, Mrs. R. McMaster, after a short illness, but happy and content through all. Her five sons were home to view the remains, which was taken to the Methodist Church, and there Rev. Madlen preached an able and fitting and also sympathetic sermon to a large congregation of friends, mourners of the deceased, as she was a very highly respected neighbour and member of the church. The sympathy of the community extends to the sorrowing friends. Mr. Walton Williams has returned home to the city. He has been employed with Weston & Co. at the Power House. Eugenia Falls has come to its completion and development Nov. 18th, 1915, by Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario. Their power house is located on the Beaver River, head 590 feet. Present capacity of plant 4,000 H. P.; size of storage basin, 1,700 acres; length of pipe line, wood stave, 3500 feet; steel 1500 feet. Their banquet on Thursday, was a huge success. The members of the Women's Institute at Eugenia purpose holding their next meeting on Friday evening, Nov. 25th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Williams. They

always have a social tea on month; this time they extend a hearty invitation to their good hearts, to give them one square meal. They will be looking forward to meeting the best looking men of this part to enjoy themselves. Visitors welcome usual.

KIMBERLEY

(Special to The Standard.) Nearly enough snow to make Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyle and the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Magee, recently. The Misses Emma and Nellie Burritt, who are attending Normal School in Toronto are members of the choir of Cook's Church, in the city. Both are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Burritt, respected residents of our burg. Nina Fawcett, of Markdale, visited at her parental home one day last week. J. W. Flavell, a prominent manufacturer of Toronto, is complaining that the farmers sons are not enlisting the way they should. The very same fellow is raving about increased production; how in under the great tin can of New Hampshire will he get it if all the farmer's sons went to the war. Another thing, increased production will lower the prices of the commodities grown on the farm. Wm. Harris's pair of pet colts disappeared one day last week. Wm. was at a loss to know where they had gone, until he happened to track them back to an unused stable, where he succeeded in getting them. We are pleased to report Mr. Ansley McConnell, on the mend, after his recent serious illness. D. L. Weber made a business trip to Markdale on Saturday last. Born.—On Sunday, November 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cornfield, a daughter. Wind, rain or snow, have no terror for our popular mail carrier, Mr. John Abercrombie. He never misses a trip. The many friends of our soldier boy, Ezra Fawcett, who is on active duty on the western front will be pleased to know that he is still safe and sound.

WALTERS FALLS

(Special to The Standard.) Miss Freda Abercrombie was the guest of friends in Meaford a few days last week. Miss Jean Findlay returned Chatsworth, after having spent several weeks at the home of her brother, Mr. Thos. Findlay. Miss Georgina Gray, left for Meaford last week to take a course in dressmaking. Mr. Stanley Abercrombie, of Greysville had a very pleasant visit with friends here from Saturday till Monday.

PROTON

(Special to The Standard.) Much sorrow is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Sam Badjero, by the death of two children, an infant daughter eighteen months old, and a boy four and a half years old, with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Trelford and Dr. Will spent a few days with J. Trelford. The opening of the new Anglican Church will take place Sunday

Nov. 28th, service 11 o'clock. Dedication of the church, 3.30 Con-Services, 7 o'clock. The Right Rev. Lord Bishop of Huron, will conduct the services. Miss Annie McLean is spending a week with friends at Priceville. Mr. Roy Neilson spent a few days at his home in Toronto. Mr. Walter Robinson, who is at training camp in Owen Sound, spent Sunday at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Porter sailed from New York for Aberdeen, Scotland. Mr. Percy Mitchell has gone to Durham, to take a position with Mr. H. Harding, tinsmith and plumber. Mr. John Ford of Markdale, was a caller in our burg last week. There will be no services in the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, Nov. 28th. Mr. Thomas Green, of Orangeville, spent a few days at the home of Mr. J. Trelford. Mr. D. McKelvie of Flesherton, Sundayed at Mr. Chas. Lyon's. Miss Ethel Judlow visited friends at Wareham last week. Mr. Archie Neilson went to Collingwood on business this week. Mr. and Mrs. Thistlewaite spent Friday of last week at the home of Mr. J. C. Neilson. Miss Minnie Galbraith is spending a few days with friends in Dundalk. Mr. Watson spent the past week at his home at Port Lax. Mr. K. A. Neilson spent a few days last week at Collingwood. Miss Irene Sharp is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. White. Mr. Charlie White Sundayed at Saleon. Mr. Charlie Allan, Durham, was a visitor in town Saturday. Mr. John McConnell, Bethel, Sundayed at James Carbett's.

BLANTYRE

(Special to The Standard.) Threshing is finished here for this season. Mr. J. W. Paterson started his new chopping mill last week. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irwin, of Berdale, visited with friends here recently. Mrs. Hodgkinson, Sr., of Meaford is spending a few days with her son, Charlie of this place. Messrs. Sandy Murray and A. C. Paterson, who have been the past two weeks on a deer hunt returned on Friday. The Ladies Aid held at the home of Mrs. R. J. Quinton, on Wednesday, was very successful, over thirty-five ladies being present and a very enjoyable time being spent by all. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Story, of Heathcote, are visiting with friends here at present. We are pleased to report that Mr. Will Blanchard, who has been confined to the house the past eight weeks with Rheumatism, is improving, and we hope he will be able to resume his work again. Mr. Ed. Donnelly of Whitehouse, is assisting Mr. Will Sewell putting in cement stables this week. Mrs. Henry Free, one of the early settlers of St. Vincent, and a highly respected old lady passed away early Sunday morning in her 84th year. The funeral was largely attended one, which took place on Tuesday afternoon, at Stone Cemetery, where the remains were laid beside those of her late husband, who predeceased her 27 years ago. The family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement.

HEATHCOTE

(Special to The Standard.) Threshing is about completed in our neighborhood. Mr. George Wellman of Radison, Saskatchewan, returned to his home here on Friday last. Mr. John Pratt, who has spent the past month with his evaporator here, returned to his home in Toronto on Tuesday last. Misses Vivian and Fern Hutchinson spent the week with their aunt, Mrs. Wallace of Kimberley. Miss Gladys Gilmore of Fairmount, visited with her cousin, Miss Elsie Gardner the latter part of the week. Mrs. James Reekie left for Toronto on Friday, where she will remain for the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Payne. The Oyster Supper held in the village hall on Friday evening, by the members of St. Augustine English Church was a grand success, considering the evening. Mr. James Gardner has purchased Mr. Perry's farm, on the eighth line of Collingwood, near Thornbury. Mr. Gardner will take possession early in March. Mr. Samuel Kerr of Meaford High School, spent Sunday at his parental home here. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gardner and family accompanied by Mr. and

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Mrs. James Gardner motored to Priceville on Sunday last.

TEMPLE HILL

(Special to The Standard.) Wedding bells are ringing. One day last week Mr. Wilbert Manney had a very painful accident, the result of being thrown from the back of one of the horses. His knee was badly wrenched, and he was confined to his house for a number of days, but we are pleased to learn he is able to be out again. Miss Lizzie Wood, who has spent the past year and a half at Strongfield, Saskatchewan, returned on Saturday to spend a while with her parents. Practices for the Christmas Tree in Temple Hill Church, has commenced. The Misses Mable Clarke, Annie Paton and Marion Thompson, and Mr. Herb Haines, visited with Miss Jean Dunlop the first of the week. Doherty Brothers are finishing the threshing in this vicinity. The farmers are wearing broad out of grain. Miss Priscilla Manney is visiting with friends at Kimberley. Mrs. A. Rankine has returned from a visit with Toronto and Smith's Falls friends. Miss Dell McLean has left to spend a while in Owen Sound. Mr. Milton Caesar of Bognot, visited his cousin, Mr. Ed. McLean, one day last week. Do not forget the social under the auspices of the Patriotic League, to be held in the church, on Thursday evening, Nov. 25th.

Osprey Council.

The members of the Municipal Council of Osprey, met at Feverisham on Saturday, Nov. 20th last, according to adjournment from Oct. 9th last. The members were a present: Communications, Accounts, etc., were received from: Rev. Albert Mills, asking to be furnished with a marriage Register; Hydro Electric Railway Association asking for the appointment of delegates to attend the meeting to consider Report of Engineers and Commissioners, as to the plans, estimates, and Routes of proposed lines. Municipal World account \$189 for gravel; W. J. Adair, giving notice of damage to lot 48 and 49 Con. 1 N. D. R. by the construction of Dam No. 3; E. Marr acct. \$12.50 repairing grades; G. G. Cole, Collingwood Hospital, regarding Fred Leach; John H. Milne, claim of \$6, shipped killed by dogs. Orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay:— P. Marr \$12.50 re-

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