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Interesting Slander Action

At the sittings of the Assizes at Orangeville on Tuesday, April 25th, a case of great interest to the people in the southern part of the County of Dufferin was tried before Honourable Mr. Justice Riddell and a jury. It was an action for slander entered by a young school teacher, Miss Muriel Scott, who taught school at Honeywood, against Robert E. Tipling, a blacksmith, of Honeywood, for slanderous statements which she claimed Tipling circulated about her character. There was a great deal of interest taken in the trial and a great number attended from the neighborhood of Honeywood.

There were three distinct charges laid in the statement of claim. The jury found the defendant guilty on all three charges and assessed nominal damages on each charge of \$5.00. Judgement was accordingly entered by the Judge for the amount and costs.

It is a good lesson to Mr. Tipling and to all who may gossip about others. During the Judge's charge to the jury he commented very strongly upon the condition of the law in reference to actions of this nature. It formerly was that a woman might be slandered ever so much but she had no remedy in court unless she could go into court and prove that she suffered special damages, that is, some monetary loss. Her character might be ruined by some false report but before she would have the right to vindicate her character she would have to prove special damages. The law was subsequently changed by Statute, leaving it now that a woman may sue for slander and recover nominal damages but cannot recover anything more than nominal damages. The husband may be slandered and could go into court and recover all the damages that a jury might give him. This is the condition of the law at the present time, and the Judge was very strong in expressing his view that it was time the law was changed in this respect and woman placed on the same footing as a man in actions of this kind.

Mr. W. D. Henry, of Markdale, acted for the plaintiff, and C. R. McKeown, of Orangeville and J. R. Layton, of Shelburne, for the defendant.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. William Crawford and family, of Berkeley, wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown in their recent sad bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Late William Crawford

The late William Crawford, of Berkeley, was born in 1865 2 miles from Berkeley, on the farm which his parents settled in the early days when they came from Ireland. He was the last of a family of three.

He was married to Miss Harron, of Perth County, in 1894, and settled on the farm occupied by him until his decease. He took a keen interest in any movement for local improvement, and for 22 years faithfully discharged the duties of trustee and secretary on the school board of S. S. No. 5, Holland.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, Berkeley, and about a year ago was appointed trustee and steward, the work of which he was deeply interested in, and carried out efficiently until a few weeks ago, when after a short illness, he passed to "The Great Beyond" on April 25th.

The funeral took place from the home to the Methodist Church on Friday, April 27th. Crowds of people gathered to pay their last respects to a good citizen. Rev. A. J. Eagle spoke from 2 Tim. 4:6, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith," and concluded his sermon with a solo "Jesus Remembers When the World Forgets." Rev. W. G. Wakefield also assisted. The choir sang an appropriate anthem.

At the home the hymn, "Asleep in Jesus," was sung and Rev. Mr. Conn led in prayer.

The local tributes were numerous, and very beautiful, including from the family, a wreath; brothers and sisters, a wreath; Miss Myr, Toronto, a pillow; Mr. and Mrs. J. Love, of Toronto, a wreath, and sprays from T. Eaton Co., The Bible Class of St. Paul's Methodist Sunday School, of which Miss Pearl Crawford is a member; sprays also from Berkeley Methodist Choir; Mr. and Mrs. Read, of Toronto; Mrs. and Mr. P. McLean, of Durham; Mr. and Mrs. L. Schell, of Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. J. Montgomery, of Toronto; Misses Anna and Margaret McLean, and Messrs. Fitzsimmons, Head and McQuarrie, of Toronto.

Three daughters, two sons and his widow remain to bear a heavy loss, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

This and That

(By The Janitor.)

The man of few words generally has something worth while to say when he speaks.

It is easier to criticize others than it is to live so that the other fellow can't criticize you.

Human hogs don't add to the prosperity of the country in the same proportion as bacon hogs.

Fishing stories are now in order. We mean, of course, the stories told about the big fish which got away.

Effort spells success; success spells prosperity, and prosperity begets satisfaction. Are you satisfied? If not, you know who should put forth the effort.

We've seen some big fish which have been landed by local fishers during the first few days of the season, and we've heard about a few of those big fellows which got away.

Here is a question which we have never seen satisfactorily answered yet: "Do all fishers lie, or do only liars fish?" Of course, the fellow who first asked the question didn't know that we sometimes fish ourselves.

The first of May has a peculiar attraction for those who enjoy fishing, or for those who imagine they enjoy the sport and are content to abide by the law, which says that trout may not be caught previous to that date. For those who try to beat their neighbors out by fishing out of season, the first day's legal fishing has no particular attraction. "He is not a real sport who wilfully breaks the regulations."

Cooke's Church Notes.

Divine Service Morning at 11; Evening at 7. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:30 p.m.

Prayer meeting on Thursday from 7:30 to 8:15.

Choir practice Thursday evening at 8:15.

Mr. E. P. Stewart of the Dominion Alliance, will present the claims of the Alliance at the Morning Service. The Minister will conduct the devotional part of the Service.

Evening subject: "Because of those who Stand By." The Minister will preach.

The extra musical section of the evening service has proved beneficial and will increase in interest and instruction during the spring and summer months. The Choir is using every means to make the Service of Praise what it is ordained to be.

The Presbyterian Record is now to be had at the Church at 40 cents per annum. Single copies from the office \$1.00 per annum—be one of the Record Club and secure one for 40c.

The W.M.S. and Mission Bands of the Church are doing most useful Christian service and are doing much to increase the Missionary Spirit in our congregation. God bless their work.

Methodist Church Notes

Prayer Meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The following are the new officers of the W.M.S.: Hon. Pres., Mrs. H. Irwin; Pres., Mrs. M. Bellerby; Vice Pres., Mrs. Fred Curry; Rec., Mrs. Harry Noble; Cor. Sec., Mrs. (Rev.) F. N. Bowers; Strangers Sec., Mrs. Jarvis Henry; Treas., Mrs. C. McLaughlin; Supt. of Xian Stev., Mrs. Thos. Cook.

The Mission Band will meet in the Church parlors on Thursday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock for the re-election of officers.

The Ladies' Aid Society elected officers as follows: Hon. Pres., Mrs. M. G. Armstrong; Pres., Mrs. J. E. Walker; Vice Pres., Mrs. Harry Noble; Sec., Mrs. Fred Curry; Treas., Mrs. C. E. Armstrong; Parsonage Com., Mesdames S. Henry, Erskine, Howler, Perkins. In addition Field Secretaries and a Visiting Committee were appointed.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of next Sunday morning's service.

The League will motor to Owen Sound next Monday evening to meet Westside in the semi-final of the debating series.

May 14th is Mothers' Day. Special service in the morning. Also a Baptismal service.

Anglican Church Notes

A nice number of Odd Fellows turned out to their annual church service. This year they attended Christ Church. The Rector took for his subject the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man. The Organist and Choir provided music suitable for the occasion.

A pleasing feature in connection with the service at St. Matthias Church, Berkeley, was the presentation to Mr. Ed. Beatty of a copy of the new Revised Canadian Prayer Book. Mr. Beatty has been the faithful and efficient Vestry Clerk of this church for many years.

Anglican Church Notes

BEAVERDALE
Service next Sunday, May 7th, at 7:30 p.m., with a number of interesting lantern slides at the close.

Sunday School will re-open on Sunday, May 14th, at 10 a.m. Service at 11 a.m. This date is also set apart as Mothers' Day.

25 YEARS AGO.

May 6th, 1897.
McFarland and Son have shipped several cars of potatoes over the lakes for the Gold Mines.

Centre Grey Baseball

At a meeting held in Flesherton on Tuesday evening, Centre Grey Baseball League was re-organized with five Clubs in the running, namely: Dundalk, Ceylon, Flesherton, Vandeleur and Markdale.

The following are the officers elected: President, Geo. Mitchell, Flesherton; 1st Vice Pres., Geo. Hanbury, Dundalk; 2nd Vice Pres., C. Boland, Vandeleur; Secretary-Treas., S. H. Buchanan, Vandeleur. The Umpires are, Art. Wilson, Owen Sound; Arch. Vance, Corbetton; A. E. Colgan, Markdale.

The games, as follows, are all on Thursdays; with the exception of the game between Markdale and Dundalk on the 12th of July at Markdale, and one or two others.

June 1 Ceylon at ... Markdale.
3 Vandeleur at Flesherton.
8 Markdale at Vandeleur.
8 Dundalk at Flesherton.
15 Flesherton at Markdale.
15 Dundalk at ... Ceylon.
16 Vandeleur at ... Ceylon.
23 Markdale at ... Dundalk.
23 Flesherton at ... Ceylon.
29 Ceylon at ... Flesherton.
29 Vandeleur at ... Dundalk.
July 6 Markdale at ... Ceylon.
6 Flesherton at ... Dundalk.
12 Dundalk at ... Markdale.
13 Flesherton at Vandeleur.
20 Markdale at Flesherton.
20 Dundalk at Vandeleur.
27 Vandeleur at Markdale.
27 Ceylon at ... Dundalk.
AUG 3 Ceylon at ... Vandeleur.

A meeting to complete Markdale's organization will be held at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening in the Department of Agriculture.

Tea Prices Highest in Years

During 1920 so much more tea was produced than was required throughout the world that the market dropped to a comparatively low point. So serious was the position of the growers in India, Ceylon and Java that they agreed to produce 20% less tea during 1921. The result was that less tea was produced than was required, and now all surplus stocks have pretty well been exhausted to fill the deficiency. Prices in the last four months have steadily advanced, until the market to-day is at a level as high as was ever before reached, even during war years.

Markdale Public School

April report of Markdale Public School:
Sr. II—E. Folk; M. Bowers; M. Armstrong; G. Hockley; M. Matthews; H. Whitney; A. Allison; M. Lee; G. Noble and E. Levi, equal; M. Lucas; I. Gibson; B. Stephenson.

Jr. II—M. Lyons; B. Dundas; B. Johnston; M. Perkins; L. Folk; N. Hutchinson; A. Noble; B. Galbraith and I. Noble, equal; W. Brender.

Sr. I—W. Bradey; J. Noble and E. Thibaudan, equal; A. Forster; G. Colgan; C. Cargo; A. Richardson; C. Gibson, absent.

Number on Roll 21. Average attendance 28.
Ruby M. Sarjeant, teacher.

Room III
A—above 50%. B—below 50%.
Sr. III—Hon. B. Dundas. (A)—G. Conn; Jen. Rosen; John Rosen; I. Curry; E. Curry; F. Eagles; L. Barron; A. Hockley. (B)—M. Sullivan; H. Alton; I. Morwood; R. McCutcheon; L. Morwood; A. Wright; A. Wells.

Jr. III—Hon. J. Matthews. (A)—J. Doney; E. Foy; D. Stephens; N. Colgan. (B)—M. Gibson; E. Roberts; F. McCutcheon; G. Dennison; H. Walden; P. Wright; L. McLaughlin; M. McEachnie.

Average attendance 27.
L. Howard, teacher.

The Report of the Markdale Public School, Form IV, for April, in subjects of Composition, Arithmetic, History and Spelling.

Sr. IV—S. Rowe 74; J. Sullivan 72; Chas. Stephenson 71; R. Stephenson 67; C. White 66; J. Ritchie 65; M. Hockley 64.4; M. Perkins 64; K. Halbert 63; K. Squire 60; O. McLaughlin 59; A. Lee 58.6; W. Lee 58; I. English 58; W. Erskine 57; L. Kelly 55; W. Mercer 54; M. B. Hockley 53; E. Fadden 49; F. Armstrong 46.8; M. Summers 46.4; A. Noble 46; H. White 39.

The numbers denote percentages.
Jr. IV—Names in order of merit: M. McEachnie; R. Teeter; E. Rob-

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to R.S.O. 1914, Chap. 121, Sec. 56, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the Estate of Mary O'Brien, late of the Village of Markdale in the County of Grey, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the 15th day of April, 1922, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to Lucas & Henry, Solicitors for the Executors of the Estate on or before the 12th day of May, 1922, their names and addresses, a full description of their claims, in writing, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, AND take notice that, after such order at The Standard Office.

Princess Mary's Wedding

The following communication appeared in The Farmers' Advocate and by request we publish it:—

"We were very interested readers of 'The Farmers' Advocate,' and we do enjoy reading the Home Magazine, also Sandy Fraser's items. I have been wondering if any one else has had anything said to them about Princess Mary's wedding. I have heard a lot and a large number of people have the idea that it was a waste of money. My idea is that if Princess Mary could have had her way, she would have gone to some remote little chapel and have been married quietly. If that could have been done, our King would not have transferred so much money from his own pocket to other peoples'. England and Scotland at the present time have millions out of work; and look at the work that wedding made! Not only with Princess Mary's clothes but with all the clothes worn by the ladies and gentlemen in the Abbey.

The material of the clothes (there is no doubt about it) was woven on the looms in the mills in England and Scotland. Just think of the employment it would mean in that way as well as many others.

And our King, as you saw by the papers, supplied the school children, of the poorer classes with treats, (treats as I saw them get years ago), a regular lunch in a paper bag; each child got a bag. I think he did his best to let all enjoy the occasion.

Some people say if the King wanted to help those out of work, why didn't he give them the money? I say he would have done so if he didn't know that an Englishman or a Scotchman would show good manners enough to thank you for your money, but thank you most heartily for letting him earn it.

Here's hoping that this will give a different view to some, anyway, of our Royal wedding. From, A. Loyalist.

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