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Holland Centre

(Special to The Standard.) Mr. and Mrs. James Crowther and Miss Alice Warling, who have been visiting the former's parents and other relatives of this village, left for their home in Coburg, on Saturday last.

Mrs. Ligard of Toronto is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowther.

Master Gerald Foster of Toronto is visiting relatives in the village.

Mr. Rob. Bell and friend of Toronto spent a couple of weeks with the former's parents here.

Mr. Russell Crowther of Trenton visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowther, last week.

Mrs. West Sparrow of Owen Sound is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Thompson.

The Holland Centre girls baseball team journeyed to Mogile on Thursday evening to play a friendly game of ball with Mogile team. Holland Centre won by a large score.

Mrs. Stevens (nee Annie Sexton), after spending two weeks visiting relatives in and around the village, left for her home in Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamilton and Miss Helen Conway of Flint, Mich., are visiting Mr. Frank Hamilton's.

Mr. Wm. Hatch of Coburg and Master Almer Jellett of Owen Sound visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Crowther last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weiler spent the weekend in Midway.

Mr. John Peacock spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. J. P. Hare was in Markdale on business on Monday.

Miss Myrtle Givens left for Detroit on Friday.

(Intended for last week.)

A large number from these parts took in the celebration at Dundas on the 13th inst. and report a splendid parade.

Miss Lotte Silverlock of Owen Sound, who is leaving shortly for Washington, spent a few days, as guest of Miss Carrie Farley, and other friends of this place.

L. O. L. No. 740 attended divine service at the United church on Sunday evening last. Rev. Mr. Bushell delivered a very fine address.

Mrs. Alice Fee, nurse-in-training in the Owen Sound hospital, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, was able to return home recently for a longer period of rest.

Friends of Rev. Mr. Eagle of Toronto, formerly of this place, were pleased to meet him in Dundas on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meddough of Puslinch, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy of Owen Sound.

Mr. Smith and two daughters and Miss Ella Smith of Mimico were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Semple and daughter motored to Durham and spent Sunday with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boyce, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy of Owen Sound.

Mr. Smith and two daughters and Miss Ella Smith of Mimico were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Semple and daughter, accompanied by Mr. Jas. Brown and son, Herb, and daughter, visited friends at Collingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Miller, Cherry Grove, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Semple.

Mr. Rev. Bushell is at present in Toronto attending her sister's funeral.

We are glad to report Mr. F. Hamilton, who underwent a slight operation for the eyes, able to be out again.

Mr. J. Armstrong of the suburbs held a sheep fair raising recently.

A number from these parts attended the Berkley garden party on Wednesday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirkton returned to their home at Medicine Hat, Alberta.

Mrs. Fred Stevens and children of Toronto are spending this week with Mrs. H. Minion.

Mrs. Legard and son, Elmer, of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of the former's parents here.

Miss Myrtle Givens of Detroit is holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Givens.

Mr. Clifford Cooper of Toronto, formerly of this place, and Miss Leila Cooper attended Divine Worship here on Sunday evening.

Miss Alice Warling of Coburg is holidaying with friends in and around Holland Centre.

(Special to The Standard.)

Miss Graham of London, England, is a visitor with her sister, Mrs. Stevart Thompson of this place.

We noticed an article in the Meaford Express in regard to the car which went off the road on the mountain on the 9th and 10th sideward, which is rather misleading as several parties who visited the scene of the accident soon after it happened give a different view than what appears in the Express. The log mentioned was a piece of stick about 2 or 3 inches thick. Rev. Mr. Ellison drove his car down the same hill at night a short time before the Durham car went over. Another resident of this vicinity has gone down the same road with his Ford coupe in safety.

Mr. Samuel Wiley Jr., we are sorry to report, is on the sick list at present.

The Cherry Grove League were welcome visitors to the New England League on Wednesday evening of last week and supplied the program which was appreciated by the large number present. Every one taking part carried out their respective parts splendidly. The ladies of this League treated the visitors to ice cream and a general good time was enjoyed.

A cordial invitation is extended to them for another visit in the near future. The meeting was

opened by the president, Mr. Wm. Walker. Mrs. W. E. Myers, Missionary Vice-President, had charge of the meeting. The scripture reading was given by Margaret Harvey, the topic by Mrs. W. E. Myers and a paper by Mrs. Wm. Walker. The singing consisted of a chorus by the children and two trios by Mrs. Wm. Dickie and Olga and Perry Lawson, and a duet by Mrs. Wm. Walker and Miss Olga Lawson, also three selections by the orchestra and readings by A. Smart, Mina, Dickie, Vera Smart and Tom Penleton, and a recitation by Jack Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison and son, Joe, are leaving this week on a three weeks' vacation, during which time the service here will be supplied next Sunday, July 26, at 11 o'clock a.m., by Mr. Bailey, Prohibition Secretary of Toronto, while Rev. Mr. Wakefield of Walter's Falls will supply for August 2nd, also at 11 a.m., and the following Sunday, August 9th, at 3 p.m.

Owing to the numerous marriages in our neighborhood recently the New England choir has decreased somewhat in number, but, thanks to the organist, a re-organization has taken place, and it is once more its usual size. We sincerely hope no such disasters will occur.

The service given by Rev. Mr. Ellison on Sunday evening was largely attended and a splendid sermon was given.

(Special to The Standard.) Having appears to be the main rush among the farmers this week.

Mrs. Will Timmins, who spent the past fortnight in Toronto, returned to her home recently.

Misses Isabel, Margaret and Lillian Flinn returned Saturday to their home in Toronto after spending a delightful holiday with the Greenwood and Robson families.

Miss Mayme Dunbar of Toronto is holidaying at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blair and family spent an evening early in the week with Zion friends.

Mr. Bryson Morlock of Durham, accompanied by Mr. Lorne McCally of Detroit, Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McArthur.

Miss Gladys Firth is spending this week with Mrs. Philip Harrison of Swinton Park.

Miss Mary Hastie of the Queen City spent the past week at the Pearl and Haste homes.

Mr. Essel Edwards was a guest at the Edwards home a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Harrison of Swinton Park Sunday at the Nelson home.

Mr. James Dean of Galt was a recent visitor at the Nelson home, and on his return to Galt Mr. Paul Nelson accompanied him and spent a few days among kindred.

Recent visitors to the Edwards home were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Henry and son, Billy, and Mrs. William Henry of Flesherton, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Ivan Edwards of Toronto.

Miss Isabel Mays of Guelph is spending her vacation at the home of her grandfather, Mr. W. R. Firth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinsell and family of Toronto spent a few days recently with Mrs. J. O. Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Edwards, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Edwards, spent over July 12 with Lucknow friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cook of Detroit recently visited the W. J. Cook homestead. Their son, Murray, is remaining here for the school vacation.

There was quite a successful barn raising held at Mr. Jas. Murphy's on Wednesday of last week. The hostess treated the young folk to a jolly party in the evening.

There was a monster garden party held on July 15 at the home of Mr. Geo. Torry under the auspices of the Baptist church. Rev. Crickington presided over an excellent program. Reports say there was over \$100 of gate receipts, so this surely announces a real successful garden party.

A very interesting event took place on July 15, 1925, when the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Black gathered at the home and expressed their good wishes to the parents on the 50th anniversary of their wedding. They also presented them with a purse of gold. The home was opened in the evening to about 130 friends and neighbours where all the guests enjoyed a real sociable time in the hospitable home.

(Special to The Standard.) Our congratulations go out to Mary Woyce in obtaining success at the entrance examinations, also to her teacher, Miss Smith.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brett; we wish them a long, happy married life.

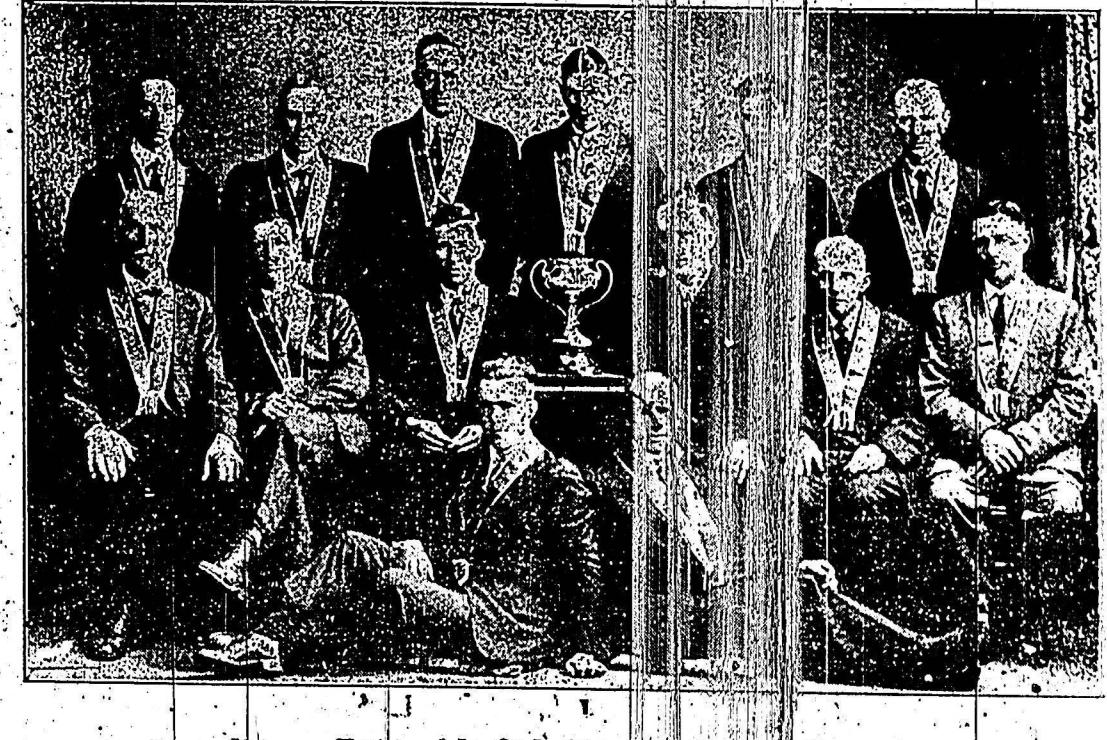
Miss Beulah Steer of Toronto is spending her holidays at the parental home.

Mrs. Gawley of Toronto visited with Mrs. Madill recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Clark of Holland Centre spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. McCauley.

Mr. Clark of Markdale called in our burg recently.

A number of our citizens spent July 13th at Bognor and Durdal. All report a good time.



Degree Team of L. O. L. No. 140 Holland Centre

The above illustration is that of the degree team of the Holland Centre Lodge No. 140, composed of the members of the District Council in a masterly manner, and the honors which were given away.

Back Row, left to right—H. Jack, 1st Vice-Pres.; T. Truett, 2nd Vice-Pres.; W. Sutcliffe, Marshal; M. McMullen, Candidate; J. McMullen, Receiver.

Middle Row—Alex. Shute, Pres.; Alex. Stewart, P.M.; V. Hampton, Master; T. W. Thompson, D.C.M.

Front Row—C. Cathalan, 2nd Liec.; Wm. Gordon, Deputy.

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