

Wild Bells

Clarion call for... the wild sky... in the night... the new... in the snow... him go... in the true... says the mind... we see no more... rich and poor... and free... kinder hand... of the kind...

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Presbyterian Church Notes

Minister, Rev. W. A. MacWilliam... St. Andrew's Church... 11 a.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School... 7 p.m. Public Worship... W.M.S. 4th Thursday of each month.

United Church Notes

Minister, Rev. S. Martin, M.A. 10 a.m. Sabbath School and Bible Class... 7 p.m. Divine Service... W.M.S. 4th Thursday of each month.

Anglican Church Notes

Rector, Rev. J. Graham, B.A., L.Th. 10 a.m. Sunday School, St. John's... 10 a.m. Sunday School, St. Paul's... 7 p.m. Service, St. John's, Desboro.

Here and There

The west will require 25,000 men... T. O. F. Herzer, manager of the Canadian Colonization Association... The fourth annual ride of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies... A shipment of 1,400 horses purchased in the Prairie Provinces for the Russian Government... Members of the newly-appointed Saint John Board of Harbor Commissioners visited in Montreal recently to confer with officials of the Canadian Pacific regarding... Interest taken by American Railway officials in the latest achievements in the way of Canadian locomotive construction is emphasized by the fact that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has been invited to send their latest and most powerful passenger engine to be placed on exhibit at the Centenary Exhibition and Pageant being held by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Baltimore, September 24 to October 5. The C.P.R. "2300" engine, their latest and finest passenger type, will be sent to Baltimore.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

[The editor will be much obliged to those who will telephone items they would like to see published, by phone 541, preferably between 2 and 6 o'clock of afternoon. Thank you.] Miss Verne Wilson left for Timmins on New Year's morning... Miss Trout, who arrived in Owen Sound from Japan on Dec. 12th, was a caller in the village on Friday... Mr. J. McCormick, of Toronto, was a New Year's visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dowd, Toronto St. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was closed on Sunday evening owing to the illness of Rev. W. A. MacWilliam. A full account of the Continuation School Commencement, held last night in the town hall, will be given in next issue. The Banner regrets that it did not learn of the postponement of the Choral Club concert in time to intimate it in last week's issue. Miss Lillian Wharpe, while missing Christmas at home, came up from Toronto after the holiday, remaining until after New Year's. Visitors over the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. A. Chisholm were Mr. and Mrs. Black, of Cleveland, and Miss Dorothy Chisholm, Toronto. Miss Irene Dowd has an extended holiday owing to the fact that because of the influenza her school in Toronto will not be opened until Jan. 7th. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Pearce, of Moncton, N.B., are holiday visitors with Mr. Pearce's mother, Mrs. F. Pearce, Grand Trunk St. Miss Valerie Pearce returns to Toronto to-day. Mrs. R. W. Simmo and little daughter, Glenn, spent the past week visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Breese, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Wilson, and at the Old Parsonage. Mrs. Harold McGregor (nee Verne Merriam) and Miss Annie Merriam, Toronto, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merriam, Toronto Road, and other relatives in the vicinity. Guests of Dr. and Mrs. McCullough over the New Year were Mr. Hugh McCullough and little Jacqueline, Weyburn, Sask. Mrs. May Hall and Miss Harriet, Miss Lillian McCullough and Miss Hannah Breese, all of Owen Sound. Owing to the prevalence of influenza in Toronto the University will not open this week, and the students here have an extended holiday. In some ways they may think of the old saying "It's an ill wind blows nobody good." A familiar face returned to the United Church choir on Sunday was that of Miss Kathleen Cromar, who is in training at the Victoria Memorial Hospital, Toronto, but is having a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cromar, Owen Sound Road. The shortest "home" visit of which we have heard was that of Dr. Harry Carson, who arrived on the "Ten Train" on Christmas Eve and returned to Barrie on the afternoon train next day. Mr. and Mrs. Will Breese of Owen Sound, were also guests at the Carson home, remaining over the holiday. Miss Frankie Webster, of Thornbury (Continuation School, and Mr. Gardner Webster, of Toronto, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Webster, Holland, Dr. Campbell, who was also a guest at the Webster home had to return to Toronto on Monday owing to word of the death of his uncle. Two more of our teachers in the far north leave on Friday for their schools—Miss Margaret Kelly, to Byng Inlet, and "Bobbie" Hopkins to Franz, a place beyond Chapleau. Tom Bayley goes back to Coldwater, while Russell McAvoy left on New Year's day for Boston Creek, having had an extended holiday owing to his school having been closed before Christmas on account of measles. Miss Marjorie Doherty, who supplied in the Continuation School during Miss Trout's absence (while in Japan) came up from Stratford last Friday and remained until after the New Year. Her kindness in coming to help with the final recess for the Continuation School Commencement is much appreciated by the school and community. Miss Doherty will teach in Stayner this term. The Banner regrets to read (in a recent copy of The Lettbridge Herald) of its founder, Mr. Harry Nelson, who died about Christmas. The reference is to Mr. Nelson, a highly lauded journalist, who was written by one of the ministers of Vulcan, where Mr. Nelson is editor of a very live little paper. Mr. Nelson is a newspaper man from the late D. W. Nelson of Dundas, Ont., in whose place of business he learned to set the type and push the pencil. His father was also an active community man, being the first man to present a resolution asking that Empire Day be observed by the public schools. Harry Nelson has continued with one firm for 22 years. He came to Vulcan some seven years ago, and has since given the public one of the neatest and cleanest small papers it has ever seen. We notice Mr. Nelson printing all the good he can and leaving out all the undesirable things if possible. He gives the churches a page room and makes place for good things where it will be of service. Upon Nelson's mantle in the youth of the city his father had been a school teacher and manager of worked out and expense His delight was to make it the best in the province. His picture for the school has been a member of several lodges he is more active in the lodge because of the opportunity he has to work for and with the children. When at High River he was very active in promoting the agricultural fair and baby contest. He drew a color line when it came to babies. He was active in the movement at High River. See the Prince of Wales Ranch. All his life he has been given to the things that benefit and uplift. He has been active in the sport life of the place in which he happened to live. Being an athlete himself, he was interested in helping others to enjoy the sports. He was at one time grouped with such men as Rev. Churchill of Red Deer, Prof. L. Gilchrist of Toronto University. These are side issues of his life. His main business has been the newspaper work. But he has never been too busy of too weary to listen to any good thing.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

CANADIAN Winter forest fires are being fought in Northern Saskatchewan. A reply "completely favorable on all points" was received by the Paraguayan delegate to the Pan-American Conference on Conciliation and Arbitration, at Washington, last week. A camera which will take pictures of the interior of the stomach, has been invented by Franz Gorard, of Vienna, Austria, and will be of great use in the study of stomach ulcers, cancer, etc. On Dec. 26th, Commander Byrd sent a wireless message to Secretary of the U. S. Navy Curtis D. Wilbur, stating that his airplane had reached the great ice barrier of the south, a solid barrier of ice tall as a ship's mast, and 400 miles from the nearest human habitation. J. S. Secretary of State Kellogg informed Sir Isaac Howard, British Ambassador at Washington, on Dec. 24, that two American financial committees will serve upon the Export-Import Commission to revise the present plan for adjusting the German reparations problem. The 85th meeting of the American Society for the Advancement of Science, which opened in New York on Dec. 26th, was the largest in the history of science. Over 2000 addresses and papers were scheduled to be given in the various halls in which the meetings were held. Recognition of China's new National Government by several European nations was revealed in the announcement, on Dec. 27th, of treaties between China and Great Britain, Holland, Sweden, Denmark and Portugal, all of which concern tariff and Chinese tariff autonomy. A treaty whose provisions are not yet known was also cancelled with Spain. Dr. Dawson Turner, famous X-ray pioneer, died in Edinburgh, on Dec. 26th, of an illness caused by thirty years experimenting with X-rays. He was in charge of the radium department at the Royal Infirmary in Edinburgh for 25 years, when, in 1903, he was forced to retire through ill-health, having lost three fingers and an eye during that period, because of experiments. Afghan officials of high rank studying in Constantinople have been recalled to Kabul to take part in military operations against the tribesmen who are in rebellion against King Amanullah because of his campaign of modern reform. Several days ago the British Legation in Kabul were carried to Kandahar by airplanes, and it is stated that the whole city will be evacuated in the shortest possible time. Meanwhile clothes have occurred, and the latter have caused much damage to property in the disinfected areas. Massie (Myrtle McKoscock, Reporter) At the annual school meeting last Wednesday Harvey Taylor, retiring principal, was returned to office. The board decided to send a delegate to the "Trustees' Convention in Toronto at Easter time, and Jas. Howey was appointed to that honor. The chief event of the Young People's meeting of Thursday was the election of officers for the year, which resulted as follows:—President, Malcolm McPherson; 1st Vice-Pres., Jean Cook; 2nd Vice-Pres., Marlan Martin; 3rd Vice-Pres., Percy Hamill; 4th Vice-Pres., Clarence McPherson; Secretary, Isabel McPherson; Treasurer, Myrtle Kink; Organist, Isabel Taylor; Jack Neildans, Charlie McPherson; Social Committee, Caroline Taylor, Evelyn Hamill. Shonhite gave the talk of the evening on the topic "Why Should a Christian's Christmas be Different?" It was decided to have only one meeting a month during the winter, on the last Thursday of each month. Mrs. Marshall Hewitt had as Christmas visitors Mr. and Mrs. Laycock Saskatoon; Willie McKibbin and children of Stratford. Mr. and Mrs. Laycock remained over until Thursday. Again the schoolboy outgrows his clothes. Publishing circles report the expenditure by the Family Herald and Weekly Star of close upon a half million dollars for huge new printing presses to cope with their fast-growing subscription list. At their new low subscription rate of three years for \$2, one is prompted to ask "How long before they outgrow this one?" BRITISH AND FOREIGN News of His Majesty, the KING, has not been as favorable, according to latest reports. Both houses of the First National Parliament elected under the general manhood suffrage law in Japan were opened in Tokio on Dec. 24th. The Simon Commission's investigation now going on in India finds that India's most extreme demand for Dominion Home Rule within the British Empire. The Prince of Wales, on Dec. 25, broadcasted an appeal on behalf of the 250,000 miners who, with their families, are in utter destitution in England, because of unemployment.

COUNTY DISTRICT

Greensboro street cost \$41153.26. It is estimated that \$70,000 to pave the street and install sewers in "Dunlop" ward. Henry Wright, a highly esteemed resident of Greensboro, passed away at his home, aged 74 years. Mrs. Jos. G. Myers, and Mrs. Alfred Harwood, passed away at her home, near Greensboro, a week ago. George Allister, a highly respected resident of Greensboro, passed away on Dec. 23rd, aged 74 years. Miss Christina McDermott, of Greensboro, passed away at her home, near Greensboro, a week ago. Allan Francis of Greensboro, passed away at his home, near Greensboro, a week ago. J. A. Cowie, of Greensboro, passed away at his home, near Greensboro, a week ago. A. C. Champ, a former resident of Greensboro, passed away at his home, near Greensboro, a week ago. Dr. Dawson Turner, famous X-ray pioneer, died in Edinburgh, on Dec. 26th, of an illness caused by thirty years experimenting with X-rays. He was in charge of the radium department at the Royal Infirmary in Edinburgh for 25 years, when, in 1903, he was forced to retire through ill-health, having lost three fingers and an eye during that period, because of experiments. Afghan officials of high rank studying in Constantinople have been recalled to Kabul to take part in military operations against the tribesmen who are in rebellion against King Amanullah because of his campaign of modern reform. Several days ago the British Legation in Kabul were carried to Kandahar by airplanes, and it is stated that the whole city will be evacuated in the shortest possible time. Meanwhile clothes have occurred, and the latter have caused much damage to property in the disinfected areas. Massie (Myrtle McKoscock, Reporter) At the annual school meeting last Wednesday Harvey Taylor, retiring principal, was returned to office. The board decided to send a delegate to the "Trustees' Convention in Toronto at Easter time, and Jas. Howey was appointed to that honor. The chief event of the Young People's meeting of Thursday was the election of officers for the year, which resulted as follows:—President, Malcolm McPherson; 1st Vice-Pres., Jean Cook; 2nd Vice-Pres., Marlan Martin; 3rd Vice-Pres., Percy Hamill; 4th Vice-Pres., Clarence McPherson; Secretary, Isabel McPherson; Treasurer, Myrtle Kink; Organist, Isabel Taylor; Jack Neildans, Charlie McPherson; Social Committee, Caroline Taylor, Evelyn Hamill. Shonhite gave the talk of the evening on the topic "Why Should a Christian's Christmas be Different?" It was decided to have only one meeting a month during the winter, on the last Thursday of each month. Mrs. Marshall Hewitt had as Christmas visitors Mr. and Mrs. Laycock Saskatoon; Willie McKibbin and children of Stratford. Mr. and Mrs. Laycock remained over until Thursday. Again the schoolboy outgrows his clothes. Publishing circles report the expenditure by the Family Herald and Weekly Star of close upon a half million dollars for huge new printing presses to cope with their fast-growing subscription list. At their new low subscription rate of three years for \$2, one is prompted to ask "How long before they outgrow this one?"

Desboro

(Mrs. A. Magoh, Reporter) All the churches remain closed so far. This has been the quiet Christmas season in ten years in this vicinity. Mr. Will Palmer returned to Paris on Friday. Mrs. Palmer, who took the flu on arriving here, will remain until fully recovered. Mrs. Martha Hutton, who suffered from bronchitis last week, is up and about the house. Mrs. S. Palmer was confined to bed for Christmas with the flu but is able to be up again. Mrs. J. Peiner sr. has been suffering from bronchitis for the past week or so. Mr. J. Peiner jr. has a mild attack of the flu. Mr. T. Magee has been in bed for the past week suffering from an attack of his old trouble. Mrs. W. M. Nabb sr. and son Bert, have been ill for several days but both are now improving slowly. Send in your news items. We would like to get them all and your friends will enjoy hearing of your activities.

Long Distance Forecasts for

(By James B. Boyen) The following forecast for any part of the northern hemisphere located in the position between the equator and the pole as North America. The forecasts are not to be applied to the tropics or areas which receive from the torrid or equatorial belts such as Great Britain, the British Columbia coast. These forecasts are more applicable to the 45th degree of latitude. Often the storm or blizzard of the North will be rain in the South. A decidedly cold wave will take its start in the great Northwest before it reaches Newfoundland. I leave the task of figuring this to yourselves. I expect to be correct. In these forecasts not for local, but for conditions. January—Decidedly calm. February—About the same, with rain and cold. Centre portion of the continent will be very cold. March—Will be noted for a few days of thawing days will be quite cold. April—About the same, with rain and cold. May—About the same, with rain and cold. June—First few days winds heavy rains and snow. July—Very warm and good for thunder storms. August—A very calm month, with probable rain. September—Very calm, with rain and snow. October—About the same, with rain and snow. November—A very dry month, with rain and snow. December—Stands a good chance of being a record breaker, with rain, snow and cold. January 1929—Most of

Here and There

Tourists to Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, this year numbered 370,000 according to the statistics of the Victoria Publicity Bureau. Travel from Canadian points and from the west coast of the United States to Vancouver Island and Victoria via the C.P.R. has increased considerably since the inauguration of the steamship service which began early last summer, being in spite of the increased demand for short water routes. The New York newspaper campaign against the use of the word "scrap" in the headlines of the United States press has been somewhat bitter. The observation of Guy Weadick, manager of the Calgary Stampede, returned to Canada recently from participating in Tex Rickard's radio in Madison Square Garden, New York. "They wanted real hot pictures for photos," he said, "and we had to pass policemen from the top of buses on Fifth Avenue to please them." Grain storage facilities of the harbor of Vancouver, B.C., which have exceeded 15,000,000 bushels, will be largely increased next season. It is believed, in view of the fact that storage bins are already nearly full, and the westward flow of grain may have to be reduced in consequence. It is being reported that the Alberta Wheat Pool, the Midland-Pacific Terminal, and other groups will add storage capacity to existing terminal houses. Over 175,000 trees have been planted along the main highways of the province of Quebec during the past two years by the Roads Department, in following out its policy of beautification, which includes cooperation from residents along the roads. "Since the beginning of the season," states an official bulletin, "the Minister of Roads has been insisting on the importance of beautifying roads. Tourists can now travel throughout the province on modern and perfectly maintained roads." "Canary" Korndyke (Alcatraz) Holstein-Friesian cow belonging to the herd of Ben. H. Thompson of Bohram, Saskatchewan, has been declared world's champion butter producer, according to an affidavit received by the owner from a live stock commission at Ottawa, stating that the cow has won the world championship with an extraordinary margin to spare. The record of Canary Korndyke-Alcatraz for 306 days was 1,080 pounds of butter-fat or 19 pounds more than any previous record holder. In the 305-day period the cow produced 28,396 pounds of milk with an average test of 4.04 butter-fat. There is no doubt in the mind of L. S. James, of New York, as to whether moose will attack humans. Although the subject is a controversial one among big game hunters, decisive testimony was afforded recently in the experience of Mr. James in the Saginaw district, lying between Saginaw and Chapeau in Northern Ontario. He was paddling in his canoe along the shore of the Saginaw River and came upon a bull moose unawares. The animal, at once gave chase and only by dint of hard paddling by Pete Conroy, the Indian guide, was the able to escape. Another canoe in rear was similarly pursued.