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Wodehouse

Christmas visitors, with T. J. and Mrs. Fawcett were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Cornfield and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fawcett and family of Epping and Mr. Leslie Fawcett. Miss Violet Cornfield spent the past week at the home of her grandparents here and also visited her aunt, Mrs. E. W. Cox, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wiley of Epping passed through our place and spent Christmas with the former's mother in Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wiley and family have been confined to the house for the past week by two with bad colds but we are pleased to hear that they are on the mend at present.

We are sorry to report three of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fawcett's children confined to the house with colds.

Messrs. Geo. E. Cornfield and Geo. Hicks are engaged getting wood on lot 11, con. 7.

Christmas was celebrated by a good sized family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wiley entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Wiley, Ella, Viola and Victor and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiley and two children on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cherry spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. David Symes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Carruthers and daughter Jean celebrated Christmas at the home of Mrs. Soul near Duncan.

We are sorry to report our teacher, Miss Gillespie, confined to the house at the home of her parents near Greenvale with an attack of the flu. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. John Thompson of Paskaway visited relatives in this vicinity during the past week.

Lauriston

A Happy New Year to all.

Our school concert and Christmas tree which was held in the school house on Thursday evening, Dec. 20, was a decided success. The school was pretty well filled and the receipts were about \$14.00. Mr. John McCadden was the capote chairman of the evening. The well chosen dialogues, recitations and choruses by the children were good. Messrs. Harry Leslie and Melvin and Willard Wilson, as a "colored trio" with their humorous selections were most heartily enjoyed several times. Two solos, "Star of the East" by our teacher, Miss Ward, and "Holy City" by Miss Eva Law, were both sweetly rendered. Miss Angelina Love read the report of all the work in connection with our school since it reopened in September. Last but not least, "Blundering Bill" given by local talent was all that could be desired, and kept the audience in a state of laughter from beginning to finish.

Santa Claus arrived with his bag full of nuts and candy which he freely shared with all had soon unloaded the well laden top of its gifts. The concert was brought to a close by the singing of "O God Save the King."

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilson spent Christmas with Mrs. Myers of Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon More and children visited from Monday until Wednesday with relatives in Owen Sound.

Mr. Evergreen Walden of Knox College, Toronto, was a visitor during the week with his sister, Mrs. Wiley Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wilson and family spent Christmas with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wiley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

East Berkeley

We wish the Editor, under all a Happy New Year. Relatives of the late J. L. who have our deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

Mr. Mark Madill of Inglewood home with his mother for Mr. James Connell was teacher for the school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Cherry of Cherry Grove at Mr. Sack of Harlawway was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley visited recently with Mr. James Connell, Master and returned with them for a holiday.

Mrs. R. Qupton of W. Falls spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Qupton.

Mr. Gordon Hill of W. Falls was a caller in our burg recently.

Mrs. Jane Madill and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McCallister spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacCallister.

Mrs. N. McCallister and Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley were recent callers.

Those who have had their flu are recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wiley and family are recovering.

Eugenia

New Year's comes! New Year's goes! Here's to wish you for this year Prosperous days and all good cheer.

We understand that there are several serious cases of "flu" in surrounding districts but we have escaped it so far, although several in the village have colds. We sincerely hope the epidemic does not wander here. Some preventative measures are—Eat freely of vegetables and fruits; dissolve a half teaspoonful of salt in a cupful of warm water and sniff it up the nose often; drink plenty of good salty water—this is said to be a cure as well as a preventative.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Queneau and children of Owen Sound and the MacDonald children, 5th Line, spent Christmas with Mr. Jos. Shogwood and granddaughter, Miss Lucy MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Purvis and family of Saugeen Junction visited on Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. Purvis.

We are pleased to report Mr. Bert Marge recovering from his recent operation for appendicitis. He returned home from Owen Sound Hospital last week. We wish him a speedy and complete recovery.

We are sorry to report Councillor Robt. Purvis on the sick list the past few weeks. He is now all to be out again. We hope he continues to regain his health.

Miss Georgia Smith, nurse-in-charge of Toronto's Great Christmas Hospital, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Storey, here.

in Kimberley.

Misses Mary and Isabel McKee of Toronto came up Saturday night and visited over Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKee.

Mr. Wes. Cooley of Toronto is spending the holiday season in the village and is also visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Carruthers.

Mr. Wm. Fawcett and son, Willie, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis near Kimberley on Christmas day.

The teacher and pupils of our school held their annual Christmas concert in the L.O.L. Hall on Friday evening, December 21st. Much credit is due the teacher, Miss Sylvia Acheson, and her pupils, assisted by Mrs. W. E. Morgan as organist for the excellent program they furnished. There were about 30 numbers, all well given and well received by a full house. There were three school choruses and a number of recitations. The drills are of special mention—a hoop drill by the girls; a Christmas tree drill by the boys, and a Christmas tree drill by the boys and girls. The children played their parts well in the four dialogues: "Squire Hawley's Christmas"; "Joseph's First Courtship"; "Buying Eggs"; and "Sally's Christmas." The little girls rendered very sweetly a song "Jolly Santa Claus." "Reuben and Rachel" song given by Vernice and Herbert Puyce was much appreciated. There was a pantomime song by three little girls and a game of letters by the little tots. Orchestra selections by Mr. Donald MacDonald and Misses Muriel and May Carruthers and Marjorie Park were appreciated. A song given by a quartette composed of Messrs. Jacob Williams, Bruce Morgan, Al. Carruthers and Ed. Puyce was also appreciated.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Storey and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fawcett and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. X. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Wiley and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wiley.

Wishing the Standard staff and all its readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year!

The entertainment given in the school house here on December 17th was a success financially and otherwise. Some have asked that it be given over again, but it has not been decided yet.

Mr. E. Peterson, who has been in the West for some time, is spending Christmas at his parental home here.

Mr. George Caldwell of Holland Centre has the contract of cutting and skidding logs on the old Stitt property and has a gang of men at work these days.

Miss Eva Quinton of Toronto spent Christmas at her home here.

Mrs. J. C. Storey is visiting with friends in Thornbury this week.

Mr. Will Sewell had a radio put in a few days ago by Mr. Alofta Smith of Rockport.

Miss Eth. Quinton is spending a few days in Kitchener.

Mr. C. Fleet of Meaford had his hay press on the line a few days ago.

Miss Laura Adams of Meaford spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. R. J. Murray.

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