

IN DAYS OF YORE

50 YEARS AGO — Jan. 7th, 1886

Local and Other Items

George White of St. Thomas is home on a visit.

Miss Emily Stephens left last Monday to visit her brother in Brandon, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitby spent New Year's day with friends in Orangeville.

Mr. Howland was elected mayor of Toronto by about 1700 majority.

A railway tank has been erected at Owen Sound with a capacity of over 40,000 gallons. The one at Markdale, which is nearly complete, is the same size.

Mr. W. Dundas has commenced the erection of a store on his lot, corner of Mill and Queen streets, where he will continue in the boot and shoe business.

Mr. A. Quinn of Ayr visited with friends in Markdale last week.

Mr. L. Knapp, late liquor dealer of Shelburne, has purchased the grocery and liquor business from Mr. Wm. Hanbury of this place and is now in possession.

We are pleased to state that we are to have an addition to our village in the person of Mr. H. McCay and family of Mono Road. He and Mr. H. D. Irwin, one of our most prosperous and influential farmers, have entered into partnership for the purpose of carrying on the tannery business.

Berkeley

Berkeley Blazing Star L.O.L. No. 176 met in their hall on the 15th of December, 1885, when the following officers were duly elected and installed: W.M., Thos. Abbott; D.M., John Middleton; Chaplain, George Ritchie; Treasurer, Andrew Walker; Rec.-Sec., Geo. Fleming; Fin.-Sec., Robt. Wilson; D. of C., Andrew Ritchie; Lecturer, Jas. Gillespie; Committee, Walter Crawford, John Love, Jas. Gawley, Jas. Rowe, Robt. Anderson.

Maxwell

Nothing like business.—We can now boast of a bakery, fruit and confectionery store in our village, opened by Mr. W. F. Kerton of this place and the bread is A1.

Miss Phoebe Allison of Alliston is visiting her brother, Jas. Allison, of this place.

The election passed off very quietly. The following gentlemen were elected for the ensuing year: Reeve, A. McGirr; Deputy-Reeve, A. McIntyre; Councillors, Jos. Taylor, John Hudson, John Speers.

Flesherton

Mr. Irwin of Thornbury has been engaged by the trustees of this section as principal for the Flesherton Public School for 1886. We regret losing the society of our very highly esteemed friend, Mr. Sproule, late principal of the school.

Mr. Jas. Beecroft has opened up a very commodious restaurant in M. Richardson's block. As Mr. Beecroft has a very fine green-house on his farm those wanting flowers can be supplied at all seasons at his restaurant here.

Municipal Elections

Genelg—Reeve, Moffatt 346, McMillan 272; Councillors, Brown 171, Dunsmore 220, McCuaig 224, Black 167, Binnie 202, Lamb 194, Neil 175, Rutledge 169, Sullivan 183, Williams 189. Elected: Moffatt, McCuaig, Binnie, Lamb, Williams.

Osprey—Reeve, T. Gamey 252, A. McGirr 257; Deputy-Reeve, A. McIntyre 279, E. Potts 204; Councillors, J. Speers 216, J. R. Sing 161, J. Taylor 249, J. Winters 185, R. Sprott 96, J. Duncan 39, J. Hudson 195. Elected: A. McGirr, A. McIntyre, J. Speers, J. Taylor and J. Hudson.

Durham—Reeve, D. Jamieson; Mayor, H. Mockler; Councillors, McKenzie, Scott, Burnett, Hind, Kress, Smith, Laidlaw, Rambough, Rose.

Proton—Reeve, S. Rogers; Deputy-Reeve, J. Agnew; Councillors, C. Johnston, R. Black, P. Shaw.

Euphrasia—Reeve, Gilray 373, Myles 162; Deputy-Reeve, Fawcett 276, Shepherdson 253; Councillors, Boyd 273, Erskine 238, Hurd 259, Patton 174. Elected: Gilray, Fawcett, Boyd, Hurd and Erskine.

Artemesia—Reeve, Dr. Christoe; Councillors, Boland, McArthur, McKee and Pickell.

Markdale Police Trustees, William Lucas, Geo. Haskett and E. Davis.

40 YEARS AGO — Jan. 9th, 1896

Local and General

Miss Fannie Henry is home from Montreal.

Miss Green of Dundalk spent New Year's day with friends in Markdale.

Mr. Thos. Noble of the Moffat Stove Foundry, Weston, is visiting his parents here.

Miss Violet McDuff was the guest of Miss Ada Hanbury during the holidays.

Mr. Geo. R. Herron of Millbank returned home on Monday after spending a week with his sister, Mrs. W. Walker.

Maxwell

Married—A very interesting event took place on New Year's day at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pallister. Mr. Angus Morrison and their daughter, Sara, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. T. Legate. Miss Julia Guy was bridesmaid and Mr. Edmond Pallister, a brother of the bride, was groomsmen.

Mrs. Wm. Heron of Toronto has been visiting her friends here lately.

Mr. Albert McCallum and Mr. Jas. Inkster are getting the timber ready to build a shingle mill.

Mr. Wm. Brownridge has decided that it is not good for a man to live alone, and has united for life with Miss Mary Brownridge on Wednesday, December 25th, by Rev. T. Legate. Miss Pricilla Brownridge was bridesmaid and Mr. Jeremiah Kinghorn was groomsmen.

Walters Falls

Mrs. T. G. Prowd and Ethel Delee returned from Toronto on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. W. C. McLeod spent a few days in Owen Sound lately.

Mr. J. R. Wickham left on Saturday for Brentwood, Simcoe county, to take charge of a school in that place.

Miss Tissa Coleridge has got a school on the 9th line of Euphrasia and took charge of it on Monday.

Mr. Robt. Quinton of Holland Centre is spending a few weeks under the parental roof on Stoney Bank Farm.

Traverston

Great home gatherings in this vicinity during the Yuletide.

The Peart family had a complete re-union: Miss Minnie from Toronto, John and Esther from Brantford.

Mr. John Hunt has his daughter, Emma, up from Guelph.

The Nelson "boys", Paul and Will, came up from Galt and remained a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Galt are visiting at Mr. Jim Nelson's.

At No. 5 school meeting Mr. Edwin Hunt was elected trustee.

The Robson family had two of its members from a distance—for the big Christmas dinner: May from her school near Priceville and Charlie from the Ottawa Normal.

Will Edwards arrived on Monday afternoon from Priceville and will remain for a couple of days.

Miss Minnie and Master Hiram Banks of Laurel returned home on Friday, having passed a happy four weeks with relatives here.

Wodehouse

Mr. Samuel Moore of Victoria College, Toronto, spent Christmas holidays with Mr. D. R. Ellis and family and other relatives in the vicinity.

Mr. R. D. Carruthers came home on Christmas for two weeks. He is engaged in the bark business at Parry Sound.

Miss Rorke of Parkhead is the guest of Miss Lawson.

Mr. R. J. McAfee moved to his new home on the 9th line.

Public School re-opened on Monday last with Miss Black re-engaged as teacher.

Mrs. Joseph Burns and little daughter of Parkdale are visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Flesherton

Our public school is again in full swing for 1896 with Principal Irwin and Miss Slack at the helm. The former has entered upon his eleventh and the latter her sixth year of service here.

The members of Artemesia Council have all been returned to office for 1896. Candidates in the field: For Reeve, J. Boland and T. Wright. Majority for Boland 59. For Councillors, Wards 1 and 2, Kells and



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McMillan by acclamation; No. 3, J. Best and J. Boyd. Majority for Best S. No. 4, Geo. Thompson and A. Madill. Majority for Thompson 9. Flesherton Police Trustees elected: W. J. Bellamy, D. McTavish and C. J. Leitch.

Mr. Geo. Mitchell and Master Kendall spent New Year's day in Alliston.

Mr. Jos. Stafford, B.A., and wife, who have recently returned from Germany, and Rev. Dr. Stafford of Kansas visited the parental home, 4th line, and their sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Ottowell, here last week.

The Elections

Markdale—Reeve, R. S. Rae by acclamation; Councillors, W. Jackson 95, T. Boland 82, J. W. Sproule 82, W. J. Benson 74, Os. Walker 69. Trustees, John Lyons 112, Dr. Ego 96, A. Macpherson 95, H. Mercer 85, C. W. Rutledge 64, Thos. Elliott 30, W. G. Pickell 26.

Dundalk—Reeve, S. Bell by acclamation; Councillors, J. Sheffield 108, A. Henderson 103, G. Sharpe 94, J. Gilmore 79.

Proton—Reeve, J. Corbett and S. Rogers 303 each; Deputy-Reeve, G. Wilson acclamation; Councillors, G. Watson 429, D. McKenzie 364, Pat. Shaw 388, J. McArdle 253.

Holland—Reeve, A. Shute by acclamation; 1st Deputy-Reeve, Wm. Hampton; 2nd Deputy-Reeve, Thos. Willisroft by acclamation; Council, Wm. Foster and J. Murray.

Genelg—Reeve, Geo. Binnie; Deputy-Reeve, Jas. Staples; Councillors, Geo. Lamb, Jas. McFadden and G. E. Arrowsmith. All elected by acclamation.

Euphrasia—Reeve, T. Gilray by acclamation; 1st Deputy-Reeve, J. M. Davis 410, A. C. Paterson 314; 2nd Deputy-Reeve, J. Erskine 325, A. McAuslan 181, Kerr 168; Council, Eaton 334, Miller 237, C. Knott 220, J. R. Fawcett 176, Shore 94, W. Fawcett 51.

30 YEARS AGO — Jan. 11th, 1906

Local and General

Miss Lillian Sproule visited in Toronto for a few days last week.

Mrs. H. Legard and son, Elmer, of Holland Centre spent New Year's

day with Mr. and Mrs. A. McCutcheon.

Mr. Berton Dowsett of Crosby and his bride have been visiting Mr. Dowsett's brother, J. H., for a week.

Mr. W. D. Ellison of Tisdale, Sask., was married on Wednesday, the 27th of December, to Miss E. C. Hans of that place, formerly of Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith moved last week into the comfortable flat over Mr. Mercer's store, recently vacated by Dr. and Mrs. Oliver, who moved into Mr. J. E. Walker's house on Toronto St.

Townline A. and E.

Mr. Arthur Sewell is preparing to build a barn next summer.

Mr. Fitzsimmons is hauling logs for a new barn and Mr. D. Johnston is having timber taken out for his

new barn.

Mr. R. Hutchinson is visiting the parental home.

Holland Centre

Mr. Marshall Erwin returned home from the West last week.

Mr. G. Eglestone of White Church, our new school teacher, arrived on New Year's night.

Mrs. Walton has returned home after a week's visit with friends at Kimberley.

Miss Ethel Rolston, who has been spending her holidays at her home here, returned to Toronto last week.

Mr. Henry Holmes, accompanied by his bride, arrived home on Wednesday evening.

Proton Station

Mrs. A. Sherson, accompanied by (Continued on page seven)

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