

In Days of Yore

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May, daughter of Mr. Isaac Irwin, to Mr. Thos. Henry Mower of Holland Centre.

Ceylon

Mr. M. Burrows of Riverview visited his sister, Mrs. H. Tucker, on Sunday.

Mrs. Sargeant of Holland Centre is visiting her son, Mr. Ed. Sargeant.

Miss Agnew, our esteemed teacher, is gaining the confidence and love of her pupils every day.

Priceville

Mrs. Boyce and son, Cyril, are guests of Mrs. Roach for a while.

Mr. A. Ostrander of the Proton townline, finished seeding 60 acres on April 30th.

Mr. Wm. Webster of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting former friends and schoolmates here at present.

Death again visited our village on April 26th and removed another of the pioneers in the person of Mrs. John Simpson.

Kimberley

Miss Nellie Wickens is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Owen Sound.

Mr. Walter Loucks and sister, Eva, of Flesherton visited friends in this neighborhood on Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wickens.

Mrs. J. R. Fawcett, who has spent the past month with friends at Collingwood, returned home on Saturday last.

Master Frank Hutchinson has gone to Bolton on an extended visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McCullough Jr. of Markdale visited friends here on Sunday.

Rocklyn

Messrs. Will Lang and Albert Patton have gone to the West.

Mrs. Williams and children have returned from a fortnight visit with friends in Shallow Lake and Owen Sound.

Messrs. Trotter and Gilray have finished sawing here and have removed their mill to Sligo.

Miss Freda Crabtree and Mr. W. Sinclair spent Sunday of last week at the home of Geo. Crabtree.

Miss Ethel Muxlow is spending her vacation at Blantyre.

Flesherton

Mr. James Cargo bought from W. A. Armstrong last week the Parks residence he has occupied the past year.

Mr. D. McLeod of this place is having his residence brick veneered and Mr. VanDusen's residence is being re-shingled. Among those in the township who, we learn, are erecting fine new residences are Mr. John Teeter, Mr. J. C. Adams, Mr. W. Patton (South line) and Mr. W. Wyatt.

Mr. John Whitten and Son expect to resume work on the tunnel at Eugenia this week. Over one hundred feet of the tunnel has been completed but from some unavoidable cause the work has been at a stand still for some time.

Mr. J. P. Nicholson of Oakville is visiting his son and daughter in this vicinity.

Mrs. N. Dunsmore and children of Owen Sound are spending a couple of weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bellamy.

Vandeleur

Miss May Douglas is visiting with friends at Riverview.

Mr. Alex. Carson of Priceville Sundayed with friends here.

Miss Laura Reid of Markdale spent Sunday with Miss May Pritchard.

Holland Centre

Miss T. Willisroft is visiting in Owen Sound.

Messrs. Jackson and McKay spent Sunday in Owen Sound.

Miss M. Holmes has returned from Toronto.

Mr. Thos. Troughton spent Sunday at Mr. John Hampton's.

Mr. Thos. Moore jr. left for Fort William last Thursday.

Mr. Moses Smith has again taken possession of the grist mill.

Wodehouse

Mr. Thomas Ward of Meaford visited his parents on Monday.

Mr. Richard Bennett of the sub-

urbs had a successful barn raising on Monday under the able management of J. Woods, contractor.

Mr. Perry D. Carruthers renewed acquaintances hereabouts last week and left on Saturday for Winnipeg.

Walker's Corners

Mrs. Robert Larkin and Master Walter Tebbutt visited with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tebbutt of Chatsworth.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Campbell of Bentinck visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds.

Mrs. Percy Tebbutt of Chatsworth spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tebbutt.

Miss Macphail's Letter

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duced from 45% to 27½%, was increased to 30%. Some concessions were made on cut flowers, potatoes and eggs.

Mr. Dunning spoke hopefully of trade, saying that while twenty-four countries had increased their trade by 4.1%, Canada's trade had increased 11.3% and we had moved from eighth to sixth place among the trading nations of the world.

A sharp division of opinion was shown in the House on the question of land settlement and resettlement. The government proposes spending under three items two and a half million dollars to put people who have been on relief, on the land. Some of them are put on small plots of crown lands in the northern parts of the provinces, are given \$600 to provide equipment, and in some cases \$100 a year for the two succeeding years. These are often small plots of five and ten acres. This particular scheme is relief on the land; the other two are more in the nature of land settlement. Some of us argued that the more people are put on the land, the more depressed agricultural prices will become, partly through an increase in production and partly by the elimination of consumers of farm products. We pointed out that help to the

farmers who are striving so hard to save their homes and stay on the land would be a much wiser policy and that if trained and hard-working farmers are going deeper into debt, there was little hope of raw and untried recruits making a success of it.

Mr. Howe, the Minister of Railways and Canals told the House that he had been successful in selling five Canadian National boats operating between Halifax, Australia and New Zealand. They were sold to the Elder Dempster Line and it was guaranteed that the service should continue for five years. On another occasion he presented to the House the proposed change in the organization of the railway management. The new act provides for a board of directors of seven instead of the present set-up of three trustees. The government is to have no representative on the board.

I had the opportunity of visiting Government House the first time since the coming of Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir on the occasion of the Victorian Order of Nurses convention early in the week. An afternoon session was held in the ballroom at Rideau Hall and was attended by Their Excellencies, who followed with interest the story of the increased activity of the Order. If the services of the V.O.N. could be extended over all Canada much unnecessary suffering would be prevented. The report showed that 60% of all deaths due to pneumonia occurred outside hospitals, only ten per cent. of which had nursing care. That we are putting the cart before the horse in things medical is shown by the fact that we spent 311 million dollars on the treatment of disease last year, and only seven million on prevention.

At the tea which followed the business meeting of the Order, I had the privilege of a brief visit with Her Excellency the Lady Tweedsmuir, which I enjoyed very much. She is a splendid woman, deeply interested in people and their welfare.

The death of Harry W. Anderson has brought sorrow to many people. His warm-hearted, generous nature had endeared him to all those with

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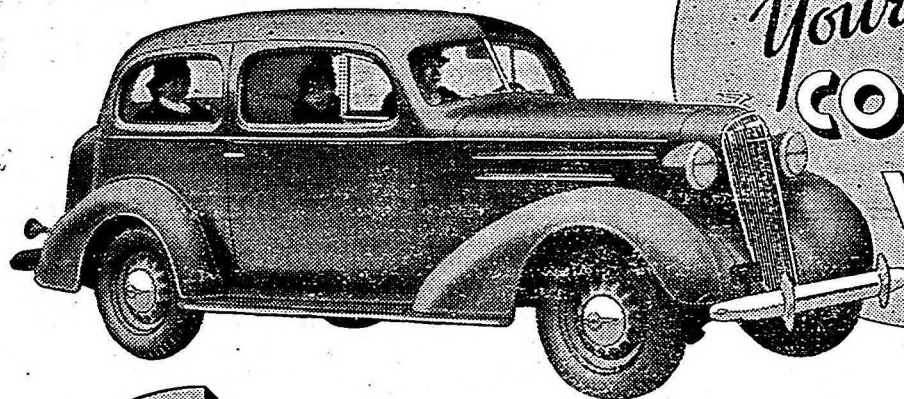
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whom he worked or came in contact. His years of interest in penal reform had led to his appointment to the Royal Commission for the investigation of prisons and his death at this time is a distinct loss to the cause of penal reform. Mr. Anderson's interests as an editor of a

leading Ontario daily were necessarily wide and national in outlook and made for him friends over the whole nation who to-day mourn his loss.

AGNES MACPHAIL,
House of Commons, Ottawa, May 1st, 1936.

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