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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1913

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

—Christmas in four weeks.

—The County Judgeship is likely to be filled before Christmas.

—The United States is celebrating its National Thanksgiving to-day.

—Turn on the street lights a little earlier in the evening, Mr. Electrician, please.

—Notwithstanding the dry weather during the fall, the swamps are now well filled with water.

—Bouquets of pansies in full bloom were gathered in local gardens on Saturday, 22nd November.

—The Court of General Sessions of the County will be held in the Court House, Milton, on Tuesday, December 9th.

—The "Safety First" signs being put up by the G. T. R. along its line and station premises should have a salutary effect.

—Constable McDonald has been instructed to arrest any boy under age found carrying a gun.—Georgetown Herald.

—The farmers of this section plowed a large acreage during the past week. Farm work is now generally well advanced.

—Several loads of good timothy hay were brought into the city Monday, $17 a ton was the price received.—Guelph Mercury.

—Startling charges are made in connection with the 36th Regiment of Peel, and there are rumors that the regiment will disband.

—During the past few months many electric lighting services have been put in, and the electricians are constantly at work installing more.

—Preparations are steadily progressing at the Guelph Winter Fair buildings for the big show which opens on Tuesday, December 9th.

—If there is any month in the year with hustle in it, it is November. It is good to be alive out in this frosty air, hustling at work generally.

—A man was fined $50 and costs last Friday for pointing a revolver at a Toronto bartender who refused him liquor, and $20 for carrying a revolver.

—Rev. Stephen Bond, Toronto, who was the minister of Acton and Georgetown churches between forty and fifty years ago, preached anniversary sermons in Georgetown last Sunday.

—Principal L. J. Williams of the Oakville High School has resigned to take a position in the new school at Medicine Hat, Alberta. His resignation is to take effect at Christmas.—Star.

—The editor appreciates very much the kindness of Mr. George Ellis, Toronto, in sending a generous roast of venison upon his return from a successful hunting trip to Parry Sound district.

—The handsome addition to our Public School has been completed and the children assembled in the new rooms this morning. Contractor Mackenzie has made a good job and completed it in excellent time.—Georgetown Herald.

—Miss Queenie Smith, of Winnipeg, who is attending Toronto Conservatory of Music, rendered with splendid voice "Ave Maria" set to Cavalaria Rusticanus, in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening. Miss Smith is a vocalist of rare talent.

—Guelph District Sunday School Institute will be held as follows at Carmel on Monday Dec. 1st, Guelph (Paisley Street Church) Tuesday Dec. 2nd, Ebenezer Wednesday Dec. 3rd. Sessions at each at 2 p. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School workers cordially invited.

LIMEHOUSE

Mrs. W. H. McDowell, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. Lepaldavin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Polkinghorne and Mr. and Mrs. W. Gowdy attended the National Horticultural Exhibition in Toronto, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gowdy and Master Douglas spent the week-end with friends in Guelph.

Mrs. T. P. Ivens has returned from visiting in Brantford and Hamilton.

Mrs W. Mills, of Toronto, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. R. Doughty visited friends in Toronto last week.

Weekly prayer meetings conducted by Rev. R. T. Cameron, have been resumed in the Stone Church, and are much appreciated by residents of the village, especially those, who by reason of the distance, are unable to attend the Sabbath service in the sixth line church.

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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT.

No Licenses for Kramosa

Kramosa Council at its meeting last week found the Anti Local Option petition insufficiently signed and consequently rejected it.

The Post Office Clock Tower

The brickwork on the tower at the new Federal Building is about completed. The platform for the tower clock was put in to support clockworks and bell weighing two tons.

Taken Suddenly Ill

Mr. H. S. Holmes, agent of the G. T. R. here was taken suddenly ill at his office on Friday. He has somewhat improved since, and is able to be about again.

New House of Refuge Physician

At the joint meetings of the County Councils of Peel and Halton last week Dr. R. C. Edwards, of Brampton, was selected on the first ballot as physician of the House of Refuge. The vacancy was caused by the death of the late C. Y. Moore. The salary is $300.

New Books for Free Library

The Book Committee of the Free Library visited the publishing houses in Toronto on Friday and selected about 150 of the newest books for the various classes. These will be classified and catalogued and ready to issue about Christmas. The selection is a very fine range.

Big Day's Work at Stone Crushing

One of the last days the County good roads stone crusher was at work on lot 9, first line, Esquesing, the biggest day's work of the season was accomplished. James Wilson ran the crusher and Alex. McDonald did the feeding. During nine hours and fifteen minutes 154 yards of stone was crushed.

The County Plowing Matches

The annual plowing matches of the Halton Mouldboard Association came off on Tuesday on the farm of W. N. Scott, adjoining Milton. Some fine plowing was done, but the attendance was small, as it had been at previous matches for some years. There were only thirteen competitors. There was a banquet in the evening at the Hotel Royal.—Champion.

Milton Boys Shot Tame Rabbits

On Wednesday two boys, Nelson Freeman and Fred Morley, were brought before R. J. Campbell, J. P., on the complaint of David Lawrence, who charged the boys with shooting and carrying off two tame rabbits belonging to his son, who breeds and sells rabbits. The boys pleaded guilty and were released on suspended sentence on paying the costs and the value of the value of the rabbits, 80 cents.

Narrowly Averted Railway Smashup

The 11.15 passenger train from the west and a freight from the east narrowly escaped disaster in the G. T. R. yards here on Thursday morning. Two freights had come from the east, one took the east siding and the other ran up the main line to back into another siding and had not gotten in when the passenger train approached. The engines were reversed and the engine crews jumped, but fortunately both trains stopped opposite the pump house with a yard to spare between their pilots.

More Vandalism at Milton

Some time ago we reported the breaking of the iron fence on Main Street in front of Knox Church Manse and a number of panes of glass in the windows of the church itself, next the alley. The fence was repaired lately and new glass put in the windows. Since then a whole section of the fence ten feet, has been smashed out and more glass broken. This malicious destruction of church property is hard to understand. A detective should be put on the case. Complaints continue to be made of loafers congregating on Main Street sidewalks after night. A constable in uniform should be put on duty after night and should enforce move-on regulations.—Champion.

Got Three Months in Jail

Herman Lessman and Joseph Bell, two Hebrews, arrested at the G. T. R. station on November 11th, on a charge of entering the store of Samual Love, on Quebec Street, and stealing two fur-lined overcoats, and two pairs of gloves, when arraigned before Magistrate Watt at the police court, pleaded guilty to the charge. Early in the evening they asked him to assist them as they intended to go to Berlin. He gave them their supper and money with which to purchase tickets. They showed their gratitude by robbing the minute his back was turned. They were each sentenced to three months in jail at hard labor.—Guelph Mercury.

Killed on the Street at Milton

As William Buck, of Milton Heights was crossing the street last Saturday evening in front of the Presbyterian Church, he was run into and knocked down by a rig driven by George Hillson. When he fell his head struck the pavement with such force as to cause concussion of the brain, from which he died on Sunday night in the Royal Hotel, where he was taken after the accident. Coroner Dr. McColl opened an inquest on the remains on Monday and after empanelling the jury adjourned the inquest until Monday next. The remains were then taken to Campbellville for interment.—Reformer.

Presbyterian Young People's Society

The Young People's Society of Knox Church has been re-organized and the first meeting was held on Monday evening. A social was given by the newly organized society and it proved to be a very interesting function. Mr. John Cole, the President, occupied the chair very acceptably. Instrumental numbers were provided by Lelshman's Orchestra. A piano duet by Misses Gray and Williams was highly commendible. Miss Nellie Williams gave a reading and Mr. Wildgust, leader of the Choir, rendered a solo. The proceedings were also enlivened with numbers on the gramophone. Contests were indulged in and at the close a very dainty lunch was served. The society starts out with every prospect for very interesting meetings throughout the coming season and its success is well assured.

—The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church are having a sale of home-made baking Saturday 29th in the store opposite the Post Office. Open 3.30 p. m.

PERSONAL AND TRAVEL NOTES

Social and Personal Items of Interest to Free Press Readers

GLEANED DURING THE WEEK

Rev. C. D. Haspe spent Tuesday in Galt.

Miss Bertha Brown was home from Hamilton for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey visited friends at Lowville last Monday.

Mr. John L. Moore, of the Burlington Gazette, was home on Sunday.

Mr. Glenn Wray was home to Elmwood for a few days during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Moore are spending the week with Mr. Moore's sister, Mrs. Butlin and family, St. Clair, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mann spent a day or two last week at the National Fall Fair.

Mrs. Jennie Smith and Miss Edith were with friends in Toronto during the week.

Miss Helen Carroll, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Smith.

Mrs. James Moore went to Dundas on Saturday to visit her son, Mr. C. H. Moore, editor of the Star.

Mr. Warren Brown, who is now with Hamilton Bridge Co., was home from New Hamburg during the week.

Mrs. P. J. Smith and Miss Queenie, of Winnipeg, visited at the home of Mr. Wm. Walker during the week.

Messrs. W. A. Storey and Robt. Scott were on a business trip to Gloversville, N. Y., during the week.

Messrs. William, James and Frank Sayers were at Drayton last week attending the funeral of the late John Pyfer.

Mrs. Sunderland Taylor spent Sunday with her friend, Mrs. W. Foulds, Guelph, who leaves in a few days on a trip to England.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ferguson have moved to Acton from Erin township, and are getting settled in their home on Lake Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barlett left for their new home at Elmwood on Saturday. They appreciate very much all the kindness bestowed during their two years residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Day, Norval, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Laura A. to Mr. Sidney C. Mackenzie, son of Mr. J. R. Mackenzie, of Beaverton, Ont. The marriage will take place in December.

NASSAGAWEYA

The by-law setting Campbellville apart as a Police Village was passed at last meeting of the County Council. The nomination for the first election of Trustees will be held at the Orange Hall on Dec. 20th.

MIS RESIGNATION NOT ACCEPTED

Secretary-Treasurer of the Board of Education not Believed as Desired

At the last regular meeting of the Board of Education the Secretary-Treasurer, H. P. Moore, placed his resignation in the hands of the Chairman.

In his letter tendering his resignation Mr. Moore stated that with next month he will have completed thirty-five years of continuous service as Secretary-Treasurer of the Board, and he felt that this was a sufficiently long term to hold public office. He desired the resignation to take effect on the 31st December, or as soon thereafter as the municipal auditors could make the annual audit of the books and vouchers of the Treasurer. Mr. Moore's letter explained that he had placed his resignation before them thus early so that the Board might have ample time in which to find a successor to fill the office.

The chairman called a special meet- last week to consider the resignation.

Members present: C. O. Speight, Chairman, Robert Scott, N. Forbes, John R. Kennedy.

The chairman explained that the members had been called together principally to consider the Secretary's resignation.

Moved by R. Scott, seconded by N. Forbes, that the Board go into Committee of the Whole to consider the resignation of our esteemed Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. H. P. Moore, and that Jno. R. Kennedy occupy the chair.—Carried.

The Committee met and after due consideration rose and reported to the Board that they had unanimously decided that it was not in the interests of the Board and the important business of the schools to accept the resignation and recommended that it be not accepted.

Moved by Jno. R. Kennedy, seconded by Robt. Scott, that the salary of the Secretary-Treasurer be increased to $125 per annum, including the present year.—Carried.

The Chairman was requested to wait upon Mr. Moore upon his return from Toronto to apprise him of the action of the Board.

Mr. Moore stated in the interview with the Chairman that he would have much preferred to have retired and seen a successor appointed to take up the duties he had endeavored to faithfully perform, for more than a generation, but, in view of the feelings of the Board and their earnest solicitation that he continue in office, he felt that he should reconsider his decision,—and would therefore withdraw his resignation.

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OUR TOWN FATHERS IN SESSION

Deliberations of the Regular Semi-Monthly session

BEARDMORE CRESCENT WANTS LIGHT

The Council met on Monday evening at 8 p. m. Members present: Geo. Hynds, Reeve, R. M. McDonald, A. T. Brown, Wm. Cooper, Wm. Smith.

The Committee on Finance presented their 22nd report as follows:

GENERAL ACCOUNT—

Robt. Storey, labor	$ 9.70
John Harvey, charity	.75
John Harvey, stationery	2.10
Dom. Sewer Pipe Co., pipe	75.90
Jas. Symon, supplies	2.54
W. H. Storey & Son, pipes	2.00
Acton Tanning Co., crushed stone	7.35
	$100.34

ELECTRIC PLANT—

Acton Tanning Co., dry cells	$ .50
J. H. Landsdell, labor and supplies	.75
Jas. Symon, supplies	2.30
	$ 3.55
Total	$103.89

The report was adopted as read.

Mr. Geo. Caswell was present and asked that his dog tax of $2.00 be refunded, as he had destroyed the animal upon finding that a tax was levied. On motion of Messrs. McDonald and Smith the request was granted.

A request from the High School, asking for the use of the town hall, Friday, December 19th, free of charge was granted.

The Council discussed at some length a request of Messrs. Beardmore & Co., for a continuance of the street lighting service along Beardmore Crescent. The request was found to be impracticable during the present year.

Adjournment took place 9.30 p. m.

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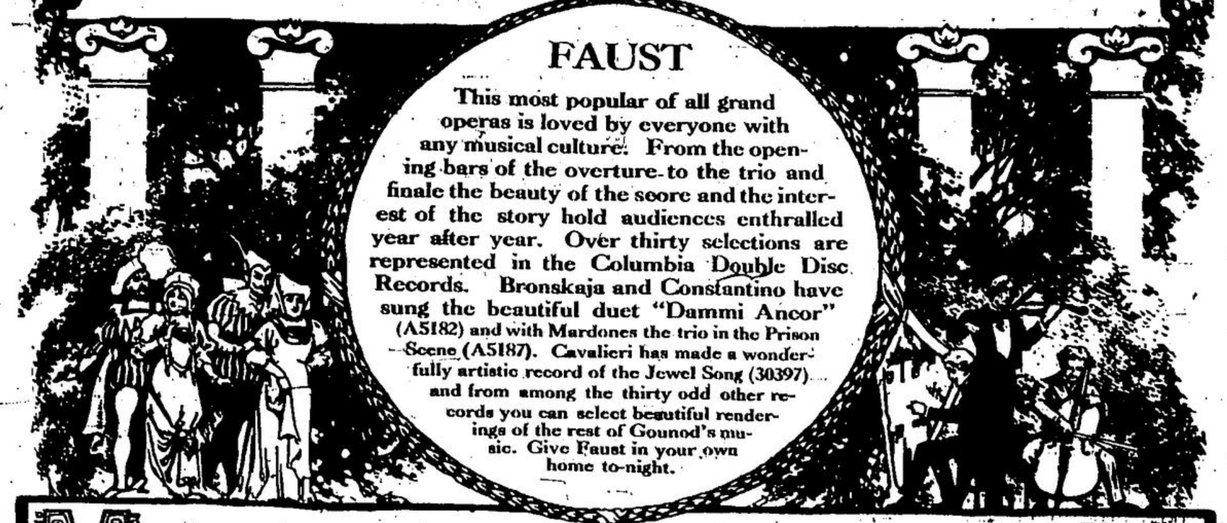

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