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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

Haying is very general now.—The raspberry crop is now ripening.—You can get a meal on the Twelfth.—Fall wheat cutting will commence in another week.—Milton Board of Education will continue the half-day system in the primary room.—The last week has not been good haying weather, but it's been fine for the roads.—Joseph Collier has removed his cleaning and pressing business to Rockwood.—The brickwork of Mr. James Symon's new residence on Willow Street is completed.

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CREWSONS CORNER

Mr. John Murray celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday on Saturday. Mr. Murray is still in good health and is very active for his years. His many friends hope he may be spared to enjoy many more birthdays.

Mr. Harold Taylor, Buffalo, who is visiting friends in Acton and vicinity, spent a day or two here with his aunt, Mrs. A. W. Murray, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Walker, Nassagawaya, visited at Mr. H. D. Danper's last week.

Misses Robertson, Burlington, visited at Mr. W. F. Fryer's, Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williamson, Nassagawaya, visited at Mr. W. A. Murray's last week.

Mr. G. L. Danper visited with Campbellville friends on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Smithmeyer opened his pastorate here on Sunday, when several people were present to welcome him home. He won the hearts of all by his introductory sermon, which was earnest and heart searching.

Miss Mary Burridge, and her little brother, Melvin, of Toronto, visited at their uncle's, Mr. John Burridge's, last week.

Mr. A. J. Murray, Acton, spent Sunday at Mr. W. A. Murray's.

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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT

The Excursion to Berlin.—One hundred and sixty-eight excursionists took in the excursion to Berlin, under the auspices of St. Alban's Sunday School yesterday. The weather was very pleasant and the day most enjoyable spent.

Again Fined \$10 and Costs.

E. J. Collier, an Acton man, was assigned before Magistrate Watt this morning on a charge of having been under the influence of liquor while on the "Indian List." He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and costs.—Guelph Mercury.

Red Cross Activities

Miss Jean Arnould, of Toronto, who recently returned from the front in France where she was engaged in Red Cross work, gave a very vivid and interesting address in the Baptist Church last Friday afternoon. The great need for just such work as the local Red Cross Society is doing was very prominently set forth.

Both Managers from Santo Town

It is quite a coincidence that the managers of both the chartered banks here natives of the same town. Mr. F. A. McLean, Manager of the Merchants Bank and Mr. A. L. Wyant, Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, both claim Petrolia as their place of birth. Petrolia has reason to feel proud of herself.

Another Change at St. Joseph's

At the close of the annual retreat of Hamilton Diocesan at Berlin last week Father Dowling announced a number of important changes in stations of the Roman Catholic clergy, to take effect August 1st. Among these is the removal of Rev. Joseph Collier, who has been placed in charge of the parish upon the removal of Father Taynor. Father Flahavan goes to Markdale and Rev. Father Boyle, of St. Basil's, Brantford, comes to Acton.

Horso Stolen from Erin Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Watson, Main Street, went to Erin on the Twelfth to participate in the Orange celebration. His horse was tied in a vacant lot in rear of the hotel by the hostler, but when he went to get it in the evening to return home both horse and rig were missing. Mr. Watson notified the police and returned home next day. In the evening Chief Laing called a phone message informing him that his rig was found in the hotel stable at Orangeville. Watson was sent to the police to secure his property.

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