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BORN

WARREN—On Saturday, Sept. 2nd, 1916, at Toronto General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Warren, a daughter, Mary Lennox.

DIED

GRAHY—At the home of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Turner, Little Current, on Thursday, August 31st, 1916, Lizzie Grant, daughter of the late Alexander Grant, J. P., of Acton, in her 65th year.

The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1916

EDITORIAL NOTES

UPON ENTERING THE WAR Roumania promptly enacted a law prohibiting the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquors, following the lead of such countries as Russia and France. The Police Commissions have forbidden the sale and consumption of alcoholic liquors in all parts of Roumania under penalty of severe punishment.

MR. J. KERR BROWN, Druggist, Winnipeg, has sent the FREE PRESS a copy of the report of Chief License Inspector McLean, relative to the operation of prohibition in Manitoba for the three months the law has been in force in that province. Referring to the effect on drug stores the report says: The license department has made very strict inquiries from the druggists of Brandon and Winnipeg and find that there has been no increase in the sale of liquor over the drug counters during the past three months. In fact, the Brandon druggists report a decrease. These facts, said Mr. MacLean, completely explode the little "lullaby" the liquor interests only a few short months ago used to sing:

"Hush, little drug stores, don't you cry,
You'll be a bar-room by and by."

THE CHIEF LICENSE COMMISSIONER of Manitoba has just issued his report for the first three months under the Manitoba Prohibition Act, ending August 31st, and says: "Surprising revelations as to the effect the introduction of prohibition has had on the general conduct of Manitobans are made in reports just gathered from the records of the five judicial districts of Manitoba and the police department of the city of Winnipeg. Drunkenness in Winnipeg has been reduced 60 per cent. while all crime throughout the whole province has been reduced 58 per cent. Prohibition has had a remarkably beneficial effect upon all other crime in the province is strikingly apparent from the records." The New Ontario Prohibition Act is the same in principle as the Manitoba. It was in fact, modelled from that Act. By Christmas Ontario will probably be able to give a similarly favorable report.

IN NINE DAYS the Ontario Prohibition Act comes into force throughout Ontario. Indications show that the public generally consider that the days of the retail sale of intoxicating liquor will be permanently abolished with the coming into effect of the new law. Both the retail and wholesale liquor stores have been disposing of their stocks at reduced prices and many of these men have made arrangements to go into other lines of business. Referring to the coming into effect of the new law the World said on Saturday: "It will signify in any event the launching of a great experiment; it may prove the last day to see the public dispensation of spirituous beverages. The tide of events in the next few months will decided the latter." The Globe the same day said: "The saloons and liquor shops of Ontario will be closed in two weeks, in all probability forever. After three years of practical prohibition as a war measure the electors of the Province will endorse the abolition of the bar by an overwhelming majority, provided the law is well enforced, as it promises to be."

CREWSONS CORNERS

A number from here have taken in Toronto Exhibition the past week.

There are a couple of holes in the road at the little creek just past Mr. W. A. Murray's gate that requires attention, before some accident occurs.

Mrs. George Lants and children have moved to Acton to be near the High School for Clara to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Wansborough, Toronto, spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gamble, Buffalo, spent the holidays with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hamstreet, Milton, and Mrs. W. D. Anderson, Acton, visited at Mr. W. A. Murray's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. VanNorman, Lenore and Donald, Guelph, visited over the holiday at Mr. J. Gamble's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crewson and children, Guelph, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Crewson, Acton, spent Labor Day with friends here.

SPEYSIDE

The splendid stone road through here has brought an unusually large amount of motor traffic. Most of the motorists from Acton and Milton take this route to Georgetown now, and numbers of Actonians and other motor drivers from the west prefer this route to Toronto. The seventh line, en route to Georgetown, has gotten into bad condition.

The Sunday School service here, which was resuscitated some weeks ago, is growing in interest. It is serving a real need here, because of the somewhat isolated position of Speyside from church privileges.

Farmers hereabouts are getting in their seed for fall wheat.

The honey crop in this section was very good and the demand this year is much larger than usual.

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. Alf. Marshall was home from Detroit for a few days during the week.

Mrs. Robt. Brown spent Tuesday with Acton friends.

The stone crusher on the sixth line is ready to turn out abundance of stone for the new road on Acton crossroad.

The threshers have been busy in this locality this week.

The High School students have resumed their studies.

The bell on the old school rang out its call to studious ways again on Tuesday, after the long vacation.

Limehouse has sent a large contingent of citizens to the Toronto Fair this year. They invariably report favorably respecting its excellent attractions.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. G. H. Brown spent the week in Toronto.

Miss Lettie A. Moore was home from Toronto.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin visited in Guelph this week.

Mr. A. L. Marshall was home from Detroit for a short visit.

Mr. Mac Smith was home from Toronto over the holiday.

Mr. J. Costello spent the holiday with friends in Toronto.

Miss Wilma Johnstone visited friends at Freelton last week.

Mrs. Frank McIntosh, of Orillia, was in town for a few days.

Mr. N. F. Lindsay is nicely recovering after his long illness.

Master Wilfred Proctor, of Toronto, is visiting Acton relatives.

Miss Laura Moore was here from Guelph for a few days last week.

Mr. Linton Kenney, of Toronto, spent the holiday at his home here.

Mr. Campbell Clark was home from Wallaceburg for Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Somerville left yesterday for Battleford, Sask.

Miss Lulu and Mr. Earl Somerville, of London, visited Acton relatives.

Master Grayson Richmond, of Elma, visited Acton relatives this week.

Dr. and Miss Lindsay, of Guelph, visited at Mr. N. F. Lindsay's last week.

Miss Ivy Littley returned on Monday from a visit to friends in Toronto.

Capt. John Shaw, of Moline, Ill., visited friends in the old home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gurney, of Wingham, were guests at Mr. Robert Wallace's.

Mr. Charlie McLeod and his sister, Jessie, spent the holiday with friends in Toronto.

Messrs. Andrew and Michael O'Brien visited the parental home over the holiday.

Miss Lizzie Prevost visited her friend, Miss F. Ford, of Toronto, during the holiday.

Mr. Leslie Cockburn, of Wyandotte, Mich., spent the holiday with Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McLean and Miss Stella spent the week-end with Toronto friends.

Mrs. W. H. Stewart and Miss Marguarite spent a few days during the week in Toronto

Mrs. Wallis and family, of Milton, spent Labor Day at Mr. Wm. White's, Lake Avenue.

Mrs. Geo. Cook and baby Thora spent the holiday at Borden Camp with Corp. G. W. Cook

Mrs. Mason, of Peekskill, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Williams, of Sault Ste. Marie, visited Acton relatives during the week.

Master Sandy McIsaac spent the past week with friends at New Hamburg and Woodstock.

Mrs. Arch McNabb went to Cresmore last week to spend a couple of weeks with friends there.

Mr. James McKague, of Rochester, N. Y., spent the holiday with his sister, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy.

Mr. John D. Brown, who was very ill for a couple of weeks, is able to be about the farm again.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tweedale and Master Frank Clark were here from Guelph over the holiday.

Mr. Cyrus Stafford, of St. Thomas, and Miss Hannah Stafford, of Guelph, visited Acton friends this week.

Miss Bertha Brown went to Toronto Monday evening to take a position on the occasional teachers' staff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reid, Miss Luella and Master Harold spent several days in the city during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hamilton, of New market, motored to Acton and spent Sunday at Principal Stewart's.

Mr. H. B. Davis of the Mitchell Advocate, and Miss Alleen, spent a day or two this week with Acton friends.

Mrs. D. B. Freeman and Mrs. Stirling, of Ridgetown, visited their sister, Mrs. Thomas Somerville, during the week.

Mr. C. C. Speight was the delegate from Acton Court of Foresters to the annual session of the High Court at Toronto last week.

Misses Florence Holmes, Margaret Bennett, Ruby Clark and Jean Smith returned to Toronto on Monday evening to resume teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Reid and Mr. Elliott Reid, of Detroit, were guests at the home of Mr. Reid's uncle, Dr. Gray, during the week

Mrs. John C. Nelson returned home from California last Friday after her two months visit with her father and other friends at Los Angelos.

Mr. B. E. Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDonald motored to Ethel last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Caldwell's aunt.

Mr. Henry Rouse, and Mrs. Thos. H. Burton, of Syracuse, N. Y., spent a day or so this week with their sister, Mrs. John Barr, Park Ave.

Rev. Mr. Wren, of Brussels, was entertained at the home of Mr. Neil McDonald during his stay in town. He was pastor of the family some years ago.

Mrs. Will Near and babe, who have been spending the summer months here, returned to Detroit on Tuesday. Mr. Near came over to accompany them back.

While on her way to Welland to resume her school duties Miss Mabel F. Howie stopped over here on Monday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown.

Mr. L. C. Price, teller at the Merchants Bank, has been transferred to the branch at London. Mr. Joe Hynds, son of Reeve Hynds, has been given a place on the staff as junior.

Mrs. C. H. Banks, of Moose Jaw, who spent some weeks at the home of her father, Mr. John Harvey, left for home last week. Mr. Banks came over for a few days and returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnston, Orval, Edna and Roy and Mrs. Ramshaw motored to Norwich on Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin. They had a delightful trip and returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ruddy, Miss Violet Ruddy and Miss Mawhinter, of Georgetown, and Mr. W. Alderson, of Hamilton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Denny, Queen Street, on Monday.

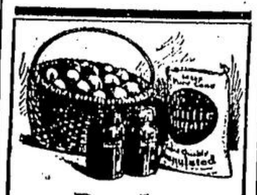
Mr. Nelson Lambert, who moved to Eramosa last spring, has decided to return to Acton and will move into Mrs. McKown's house on Agnes Street. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert will be cordially welcomed back to Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Anthony, of Norval, announce the engagement of their daughter, Myrtle, to William Lewis McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McClure, Chaltenham. The marriage will take place on September 13th.

Mr. John H. Dick, Principal of Fergus Public School for the past twenty-four years, died very suddenly on Saturday afternoon. Heart failure is given as the cause. He was in his sixty-sixth year, and had been a school teacher for forty-eight years.

The death occured last Thursday at Little Current of Miss Lizzie Grant, a former esteemed resident. Miss Grant has resided for some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Turner. She was confined to bed since April and suffered very much. The funeral, which was private, was held on Saturday.

Warden L. E. Flack, accompanied by Mrs. Flack and children, motored to Erie, Penn., last week. Mr. Flack returned home by train and Mrs. Flack after remaining a few days motored home, a distance of over 250 miles, in a day. She was accompanied by her mother, Mr. H. T. Anderson, who is now visiting her for a few weeks.—Georgetown Herald.



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