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BORN

MULLIN—At 10 Purdy St., Belleville, on Thursday, May 22, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Mullin, a son—William Scott.

MARRIED

BROWNIDGE-KENNEDY—At the home of the bride's parents, Toronto, on May 22, 1919, by Rev. J. B. Kennedy, John William Brownidge, 11, St. A. of Eglar, to Norma Emma Kennedy, 11, St. A. of Eglar, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kennedy.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1919

Brief Local Items

—Mr. Fred Helm is erecting a neat veranda at his double house on Mill Street.

—Mr. Ambrose McCann has the foundations in for his new brick house on Park Avenue.

—The big event of this district this year will be the Chautauqua at Georgetown, June 26-July 2.

—Mr. Gordon Beardmore is having a commodious garage erected on the Beverly House property.

—Excavations are being made for a new brick residence on Mrs. John Allan's lot of Lake Avenue.

—Mr. Robert Scott is preparing to make extensive improvements to his residence on Lower Avenue.

—Engineer Bell was at the Tansley bridge last week and reports work well advanced. The bridge is progressing favorably.

—A meeting of the directors of Acton Fall Fair will be held in the Council Chamber this evening at 7:30.

—The foundations are being put in for two new houses on Church Street by Messrs. John and Robert Watson.

—Horby now has a Farmers' Club with Robert E. Hill president, and Geo. A. Kennedy as secretary-treasurer.

—Mr. R. J. Kerr has the foundation of his new house on Lower Avenue well advanced. The brick has been delivered on the site.

—The annual meeting of Halton Reform Association will be held at Milton on Friday, June 13, at 2:30 o'clock. The ladies are invited.

—Oakville Basket Factory proprietors and employees will present a monument in honor of the four employees who fell during the war.

—Little Jack Homer sat in the corner, thinking what he should say; "I have it," he cried, and swelled with pride, "Buy War-Savings Stamps this day."

—The Intermediate and Junior Epworth Leagues held a very enjoyable picnic on Tuesday afternoon in Warren's grove. The pastor and superintendents gave the children a delightful time.

—Mr. John Watson has purchased from John T. Eason the double tenement on Church Street and the double house on the adjoining lot from Mrs. J. Lane. He will improve both properties.

—David Mills, for some years an esteemed resident of Acton, died at his home in Guelph on Sunday. He suffered a long and painful illness from cancer. The funeral was held on Tuesday.

—Under the direction of the Department of Education Dr. Sires will make a medical inspection at Acton Schools next week. She will address the parents of the pupils on Friday evening, 20th inst.

—The work of re-surfacing some of the bad places on the second line has been completed. Hill Leaky took the steam roller down to a section below the mountain, on Tuesday and is now at work there.

—The Tennis Tournament scheduled for last week, but which did not reach the enthusiasm desired, was started over again on Monday evening and is being played on the Hardmore Courts throughout this week.

—A meeting of all interested in the Children's Shelter of the county will be held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. Mr. J. M. Derrice, President of the Children's Aid Society, will address the meeting.

—Reports from many of the cities of towns in Western Ontario show that the outbreak of measles is spreading and the M. O. I. suggests that citizens should avail themselves at once of the benefits of vaccination. Guelph has had several cases lately.

—The postoffice department has issued notices to all postoffices advising the public to put their names on the outside of all mail matter sent away. Every business man, farmer, mechanic or private citizen should use printed envelopes bearing their name and address.

—The committee of Ward 1, Esquesing, on soldiers' receptions has a number of real "live wires" in its membership. They are making strenuous efforts to make the reception at Roberts' grove next Monday an historical event. It will be a very enjoyable affair.

—Mrs. (Dr.) Robertson, of Milton, died last Thursday after an operation for appendicitis. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Robertson was among the best known ladies in Halton county. Her late husband some years ago represented this county in the legislature.

APPRECIATES "THE OLD MAN"

Dear Mr. Moore:

Please allow a reader of your paper to celebrate the King's birthday by writing a line of appreciation to the interesting way of "The Old Man in the Clock Tower" which the weekly Journal writes. I think the Editor of the Press is the capable writer of this new column.

Yours sincerely,
FRED PHIBBS HEADIST
Toronto, June 3, 1919

[This correspondent is entirely astray as to the personality of "The Old Man." The versatile "Old Man" has never occupied the journalistic chair. He calls himself just a busy workman.—Editor.]

MARE ABSTRAY

A Black Mare has strayed to lot 21, con. 3, Esquesing Township. Anyone can have same by paying expenses.
C. H. CUTTS

Neighborhood News—Town and Country

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. George E. Polkinghorne, who was Guelph for a slight operation is home again and doing well.

Pie Mack McGill, of the 7th Battalion, arrives in Toronto on Sunday afternoon. Three motor cars load from five to meet him and accompany him home. Mrs. V. G. Gandy took his father and mother and sister to meet him and brought them home in his car. Mack came home feeling in the best of health.

DALLINAFAD

Miss Abbie Campbell, who has held the office of Sec.-Treas. for the past five years but has resigned, was very kindly thanked for her faithful services.

Dallinafad Women's Institute held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Shortill, when the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. W. Shortill.
Vice-President—Mrs. E. Campbell.
Sec.-Treas.—Miss Violet Hayers.
Organist—Miss Annie Shortill.
Members—Mrs. J. H. Hays, Mrs. H. Shortill, Mrs. J. Lindsay.

ERIN

Guelph City Band in full will furnish the music for the celebration here on July 1.

A. D. Leitch has been appointed treasurer of Erin Council to succeed P. E. Walker, who removed to Niagara Falls.

The tender of Chas. Mattin, for McLean's bridge, lot 11, first line, for the concrete work was accepted by the township council.

Mrs. Stanley Bird is home from France, where she saw some heavy fighting. Fortunately she escaped safe and looks well.—Advocate.

MILTON

The town council has passed the Housing Act by-law, and it is now up to any reputable citizen to take advantage of its provisions.

Mrs. Roper, widow of the late John P. Roper, Milton, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Denoon near Milton, on Saturday last, in her 77th year.

Calvin Fleming, who was one of the emigrants in France, arrived home last Monday evening. He is still under the surgeon's care.

Under the auspices of the Provincial Department of Education, Dr. Sires and Miss E. J. Jamieson, as nurses, are making a thorough medical inspection of the children in the township.

Geo. Dayless, who was sent to the county jail last week for assaulting Burlington's postmaster, broke jail last Saturday. He was caught an hour or so later on the Greenleaf farm.

Russell Peacock, who went over with the 14th, returned home last week. He came over on the Aquilina.—Reformer.

NABSAWAGWEYA

The recent rains and warm weather have caused a rapid growth of hay and grain crops.

The seasons are at work putting up the foundation of Harvey Bird's new barn at Knatchbull.

The many friends of Mr. Angus McTavish were shocked to hear of his being killed last week by an electric wire, and general sympathy is extended to the bereaved family in their sorrow.

—Rev. Geo. I. Stephenson, B. A., preached his farewell sermon at Ebenezer Church on Sunday. Many regret Mr. Stephenson's removal. He has been an active worker. He will move to Allenton to commence his new pastorate there.

The death of Mr. George Grummett of Eramosa, formerly of Guelph, occurred on Thursday last. He was 72 years of age. The funeral on Sunday afternoon from his late residence to Ebenezer cemetery was very largely attended. The service was held in the church and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Cook, of Eramosa. The pall bearers were Messrs. Leonard McDougall, E. W. Forsythe, David Wilson, J. W. Norris, Gilbert Kingsbury and Peter Clark. The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

BANNOCKBURN

Mrs. Clarridge, Mrs. T. Kennedy and Miss Moffat were appointed as delegates to the annual meeting of the county institute at Milton on June 11.

On June 3 the institute held their meeting at Mrs. R. Leith's, when Mrs. Duncanson, of Toronto, spoke very ably on "Women's Responsibilities." Mrs. Geo. Havill, of Acton, gave an interesting talk on the work of the institute. Miss Betty Lewis sang a solo, and a recitation was given by Mrs. Cole, instrumental by Miss Alva Harvey, Acton, solo by Lillian Alderson, instrumental by Genevieve Clarke, after which Mrs. Lindsay served lunch.

The annual meeting of the Bannockburn Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Meredith, when the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. A. G. Clarridge.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. L. Nickell.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. H. N. Brown.
Secretary-Treasurer—Miss Tena Moffat.

Convener of Social Committee—Mrs. T. Kennedy.
Convener of Programme Committee—Mrs. J. Nickell.

GEORGETOWN

Mr. A. H. Caspell has been re-engaged as musical instructor at the Public School at a salary of \$125.

Georgetown's newest industry is a basket factory in the evaporator building at the G. T. H. station.

Mr. and Mrs. Hault, of Detroit, Mich., motored to town last week to visit their son, who was operated on for appendicitis at Guelph Hospital last week, is progressing very favorably.

Court of Revision will be held on Monday, June 10, at the town hall at 8 p.m. to hear complaints against the assessment roll of 1919.

A garden party under the auspices of the Ashgrove Methodist Church will be held at the home of Mr. H. K. Russell on Friday, June 20.

Two brothers and a sister of advanced age spent an hour together at the home of Mr. J. H. Deasey on Wednesday. They were Robert Deasey, 83, J. H. Deasey, 87, and Mrs. Galbraith, of Milton, 86.

Many regrets were expressed last week by business men and citizens generally, when it was learned that Mr. C. W. Wray, the popular manager of the Merchants Bank here, was about to remove from town. Mr. Wray came to Georgetown three years ago. As a member of the High School Board, Secretary of the Board of Trade and town auditor he rendered our municipality valuable services.—Reformer.

CREWSON'S CORNER

The last service to be conducted in the church here will be on June 22. On Monday, while Martin, the little five-year-old daughter of Mr. Wm. Millar was playing near where her father was working, she ran behind him and a string which he was using struck her, inflicting an ugly gash in her forehead, that required several stitches to close.

Mr. George Harber and children, Acton, visited friends here on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hault, Headier, visited at Mr. M. Crewson's this week.

Mrs. W. A. Murray spent a week with friends in Erin, helping to nurse her little niece, who was ill of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leshman and Mr. and Mrs. John Leshman, Acton, spent Sunday at Mr. W. Dennis'.

Miss Ethel Dampier, Guelph, was a week-end visitor here.

Mrs. V. Lamb, Acton, visited at Mrs. W. A. Murray's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lambert, Acton, visited friends here over the week-end. Minister Murray and Miss Hieslo Kinigary visited friends at Arkell this week.

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