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BORN
SCHMIDHEIM—At the Louis Mo, on Wednesday, October 29, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidheim, a daughter—Louise Katherine.

Mrs. Schmidheim was Miss Olga Nicklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nicklin, formerly of Acton.

DIED

HARDIE—In Nassagaweya, on Wednesday, October 27, 1920, John Hardie, in his 50th year.

SHAW—At Campbellville, on Monday, October 27, 1920, Kathleen May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sharpe, aged 18 years, 1 month.

YOUNG—On Saturday, October 25, 1920, at the residence of his son, 285 Dufferin Avenue, London, William Nixon Young, formerly of Oakville, in his 50th year.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1920

Brief Local Items

Now for Indian Summer.
November—now for Indian Summer.

October—gone and the frosts are coming on.

A good many fields of turnips still remain to be harvested.

November's advent was true to its eleventh month's characteristics.

The Free Press is now \$2.00 in Canada, \$2.50 in the United States.

The turnip crop is a bumper one this year, and the quality excellent.

Anton Hollers' Memorial Monument is to be unveiled next Thursday.

The time for the payment of the second instalment of taxes is looming up.

Inspector J. M. Denyes, B. A., spent Tuesday in Acton visiting the schools here.

Next Thursday is Armistice Day. What a joy and relief this day brought two years ago.

After two months of political turmoil, the United States presidential election is over.

Four children have broken out in Malaria in Guelph. All here there are now quarantined.

The wet weather of the week has seriously interfered with work on the waterworks system.

Mr. G. H. Berliner has the frame up for a commodious new driving shed and poultry house.

Guelph is going to try to make its street railway pay by increasing the fare to seven cents.

Mr. Fred Denney has an exhibition in the Huron Trust window a turnip which weighs 15 pounds.

Cheques for Victory Bond interest have been received from Ottawa by hundreds of our citizens during the week.

School section, No. 6, Stewartown, won the shield awarded for the highest marks obtained at the annual school fair.

Mrs. John Barr, Park Avenue, sent the Free Press a cabbage with seven distinct heads on Friday. It is a novel article of culture.

Officer Connery is gradually getting all the street drains and catch basins free of leaves and other accumulations before frost sets in.

"Tollywain," the glad girl, starred by Mary Pickford, in "Wonderland" last Friday evening was much enjoyed by the large audience which attended.

Burglars arrived in Elora, in a motor early Sunday morning, broke into Capelli's drug store, and stole \$25 in cash and about \$300 worth of goods.

The express agent at Brighton was fined \$10.00 and costs last week for leaving a stranger to take his freight, the express office without being identified.

Mrs. A. Lee, brought the Penn Puss a pretty bouquet of pink carnations gathered in her garden on October 30. That's pretty, good for Canada, isn't it?

A new line of telephone is being installed on the first and town lines by the Canadian Bell Co. to give quite a number of additional telephone connection with Acton exchange.

Alex. McDonald, the faithful mail carrier of R. H. No. 4, had one of the best gardens in town this season. His cabbages—cauliflower—and potatoes were much above the average crop.

Editor Joe Moore, of the George Town Herald, gave a gay story of an enjoyable vacation trip he and Dr. Watson took to Muskoka a couple of weeks ago in the Herold last week.

Motorists and carriage drivers still have to watch for bumps and "Thank you-mums" on the streets where water service fittings have been made. The roads have not improved, these inequalities.

The filling over the storm sewer, at Frederick Street on Hill has worked out badly lately and the depression makes driving very uncomfortable at that point. A couple of loads of gravel would remove the trouble.

The November issue of Red and Gun contains among other interesting stories and articles, "Where the Amber River Flows," "A Day in the North," "The Story of the War," "How to Roast a Turkey," "How to Roast a Ham," and "How to Make a Turkey." Red and Gun in Canada is published monthly by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ontario.

A GUARANTEE

The publishers of The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal are doing the right thing with their publications. They are giving the publishers a great deal of value for money. The Family Herald, publishers guarantee a full year's subscription at the old rate of \$1.50 a year, to all those who will subscribe for a year on behalf of Mrs. Murray and himself. We learn that many old subscribers are renewing for two years in advance and thousands of new subscribers are being added. It is a great service and the best value on the continent.

Worries—improvements have lately been made in the British Empire. Members of the Imperial Press Conference say it has no equal in the British Empire. Canadians should appreciate such a paper at the price. After number 1 they may have to pay more.

Neighborhood News—Town and Country

ERIN

M. Stugerman, the proprietor of the Erin Garage, which was concluded and sold \$25 and costs by Magistrate Wett at Guelph last week for violation of the Cream and Milk Purchase Act, and who later gave notice of his resignation, has now come back to the community and recommended the master and notified the magistrate that he would abandon the appeal. Mr. Stugerman will file the papers got off this week on their annual excursion to the North.

HORNBY

Some time previous to her marriage, Mrs. Ernest E. Patterson, nee Miss Maude Brown, was organist of Hornby Presbyterian Church. She has now come back to present a check for a handsome sum, in recognition of her valuable services.

The maple crop is about all harvested now. Although the prices paid seem to be at the figure of sales to be above that of the average year.

The benefit of the shooting and gleaning of the flocks of birds from the six lots covered is beginning to be realized now that the fall rains have commenced.

A few of our enthusiastic hunters went north this week in search of deer.

OAKVILLE

The funeral of W. H. Young, one of Oakville's most highly esteemed pioneers, took place on Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended. The offerings at the re-opening of the Methodist Church aggregated over \$1,000 cash.

The Council has fixed the chief constable's salary at \$1,300 and that of the town clerk at the same amount.

The new bridge will be erected

Mr. H. Forbes, of Hamilton, whose tender was \$11,261. The hot water heating system will be put installed by W. Whittaker, Jr., for \$1,000.

We are considering the advisability of offering the next issue of debts to local investors.

The Methodist Church Ladies Aid, interested in the C. S. P. Society, held their afternoon and evening.

Mrs. H. E. Kyle this week picked six quarts of large and delicious thimbleberries. They were the best seen this year, although somewhat out of season—record.

TERRA COTTA

Work has been suspended on the Smiths of Henry Townsend, of Guelph, Manitoba. Deceased had been in poor health for some time with suffering of the arterios. He passed peacefully away on October 13. He was a former resident of this place and was well-known here.

Mrs. and Mrs. D. Butterfield have moved to Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard have moved to their new home on Main Street which they recently purchased from W. G. Marshall.

Josiah Townsend & Son have taken over the business of Marshall and are doing an excellent trade.

Master George Townsend and Harold Lyons have arrived home from the west well pleased with their trip.

Mr. Sutherland, of Brampton, has leased the blacksmith shop here and is doing a good business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Eaves and family have moved in to Mr. W. J. Hutton's house on Maple Ave.

GEORGETOWN

Miss Marjorie Clark, of Greenwich, Conn., is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Norman Houghton and son, Royden, are spending a couple of weeks with friends in Guelph.

Mrs. Douglas L. Ross, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark and attending her sister's wedding, has just returned home.

Rev. Father McLean's Convent, of New York, will receive a portion of its income for the month of November 14, under the auspices of Holy Cross Church—Herald.

There is a danger trap for the wheels of baby carriages, etc., between the cement wall and the iron fence.

Mr. M. M. McLean, hostmaster at the gravel pit on the 8th line, fell between 40 and 70 feet over the embankment into the gravel pit last Thursday evening, and was severely injured.

Mr. Reid, of Guelph, is visiting him in hospital.

Mr. Clifford Creelman has been elected a member of the track team of McGill University and will be in Guelph to compete in the intercollegiate games.

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Mr. G. W. M. Wilkinson has sold his farm here to a Mr. Guenther from Ohio, who will shortly take possession.

Miss E. L. Moore, of the post office staff, has been spending a few holidays with relatives at Whitchurch.

The First World War veterans of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, of Guelph, have gathered here to night to show their esteem and appreciation of your long service in the war.

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