Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births, 50c; Marriages, 50c; Deaths, 50c; Memorial Cards, 50c, 10c per line extra for poems.

MARRIED

REDBURN-BRIDGER—At the Baptist parsonage, Acton, on Monday, June 2, 1923, by Rev. W. H. Howard, Albert Redburn, to Caroline Bridger, both of Hamilton.

SIMMONS-ELLIS—At Ebenezer Baptist Church, Islington, on Saturday, June 30, 1923, by Rev. W. H. Howard, Acton, Charles Colonze Simmons, of Islington, to Lily Violet Ellis, of England.

BROWN-WILDFONG—At the Methodist Parsonage, Acton, on Saturday, June 30, 1923, by Rev. Charles Hackett, Albert Brown, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown, Acton, to Lillian Wildfong, of Dunnville.

GRIFFIN-REID—At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 27, 1923, by Rev. W. H. Howard, Harold Leslie Griffin, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith Griffin, Esq., to Jessie Victoria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid, all of Erin.

DIED

HOWES—At his residence, Milton, on Monday, June 25, 1923, George Spears Howes, in his 92nd year.

McCULLA—At his residence, Queen Street, Brampton, on Sunday, July 1, 1923, W. A. McCulla, postmaster, in his 66th year.

WHELER—On Wednesday, June 27, 1923, at Royal Alexandra Hospital, Fergus, John R. Wheler, in his 70th year.

McCUTCHEON—At the family residence, lot 8, concession 3, Erin township, on Monday, July 2, 1923, Matthew McCutcheon, in his 63th year.

WARNE—At her residence, lot 7, concession 5, Erin township, on Wednesday, July 4, 1923, Rachael Brownlee, widow of the late William Warne, aged 73 years.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1923

Brief Local Items

—Coal is moving more freely again.

—Garden parties have the right of way now.

—Had your FREE PRESS subscription paid up yet?

—The strawberry crop is proving an unusually good one.

—The strawberry crop is proving a most abundant one.

—The holiday was favored with real old summer-time weather.

—Say it with FREE PRESS ads. Reasonable rates. Try them.

—There was quite a downpour of rain again on Tuesday afternoon.

—Canada's natal day was fittingly referred to in the churches on Sunday.

—The hay crop is being housed with difficulty owing to the frequent rains.

—There was more "moforing" on Dominion Day than any previous first of July in history.

—Thistles and obnoxious weeds are too plentiful on some vacant lots and some back streets.

—Numbers of our citizens attended the Dominion Day celebrations at Brampton and Milton.

—With the frequent rains the weeds are growing rapidly as well as the crops. Keep on hoeing.

—The frame of Mr. Alex. Cripps' new house on Frederick Street is up and will soon be enclosed.

—A good deal of newly-mown hay was damaged by last week's rains. It will, however, make good fodder.

—Thrift is the art of resisting the blarney of the man who offers you something on the easy-payment plan.

—A Liberal exchange says: "The U. F. O. cheered in 1919, the Tories cheered in 1923, and the Grits will cheer in 1927."

—Girls generally like to choose June as the month of their marriage—but they won't stick at any month if the right man turns up.

—It is reported that a number of cattle on farms in this neighborhood were killed by lightning during the thunderstorm on Tuesday.

—Sixty candidates wrote at the entrance examinations here last week. Twenty-nine were Acton pupils and thirty-one from outside schools.

—If you plan to work the earth, and get full value from your ground, remember—his remembrance worth; the wise man gardens all the season round.

—Erin Village folks are evidently not staggered at preparing for celebrations. They had a big one on Dominion Day and have another staged for the Twelfth.

—Some fine specimens of black bass have been taken from Fairy Lake by local anglers lately. One fisherman claims he caught one weighing 3½ pounds.

—New waterworks trenches across Victoria Avenue, Guelph Street, on Beardmore Crescent, make it necessary for motor cars to detour at those points.

—The "Rangers" Football Team have secured their new uniforms of blue and white, and the boys make a very natty appearance in these new outfits.

—Mr. J. P. Worden is building a new two-storey house on his lot in the rear of the Ryder & Mowat Glove Works. The frame is up and the work is progressing.

—An exchange says: "If you find an article, it is up to you to advertise it. The laws calls a person who neglects to do so by a very saucy name, with trouble ahead."

—Iroquois Village Council has passed a by-law requiring the closing of all dance halls and pavilions at 11 p. m. on Saturdays, and at 1.00 a. m. on all other week days.

—Add your name to the membership of "The Help-a-Bit" Society. Anybody may become a member by being ready and willing to boost any and every good cause.

—The annual garden party, under the auspices of Knox Church Ladies' Aid, will be held on Wednesday evening, July 18. See later announcement. Don't forget the date.

—At the annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, held at Halifax, Lorne A. Eedy, of the Walkerton Telescope, was elected 1st Vice-President.

—Rev. Mr. Speedy, General Secretary of the Religious Tract Society, preached an interesting sermon in the Baptist Church Sunday. He also gave a brief resume of the work of the society.

—Sunday bathers in Fairy Lake are reported to be abusing their privileges by the use of foul language and exposing themselves to nearby residents while dressing. This must be stopped.

—Gunnar Gould and Harry Harrison took rinks to the Guelph bowling tournament on Dominion Day and Tuesday. They enjoyed the bowling very much, but failed to bring home any trophies.

News of Local Import

New Motor Vehicle Parking Laws

On December 31, 1923, a new Motor Vehicles Act will go into force in Ontario. The following being the provision governing parking lights: "A motor vehicle while standing upon any highway, at such times as lights are required by the provision of this section for such vehicle may show one light carried on the left side of the car in such a manner as to be clearly visible to the front and rear for a distance of at least two hundred feet, and to show white to the front and red to the rear of the vehicle, provided, however, that such light shall not be displayed while the motor vehicle is in motion."

Milton's Dominion Day Celebration

The week-end celebration at Milton was quite an interesting affair. The baseball match between Bronte and Milton, on Saturday, which was won by Bronte by 6 to 2, drew a big crowd, and the concert in the arena that night was largely attended. On Sunday Milton Citizens' Band played at two concerts in Victoria Park, and special services were held in all the churches. Dominion Day had a good programme of sports and special attractions, which were much enjoyed. The big Old Home Week at Brampton no doubt affected the attendance somewhat, but there was a fairly good turnout. It is reported that pickpockets got in some good work again during the day.

Old Milton Citizen Passes

After a long illness, Mr. G. S. Howes, one of our oldest and most highly esteemed citizens, passed away at his home here on Monday last, in his 92nd year. Deceased was a life-long member of the Methodist Church, and took a very active part in its work, and was especially interested in the young men and boys of the congregation, teaching a class in the Sunday School as long as he was able to be about. He is survived by his widow, and two daughters, Miss Bowes, teacher at home, and Mrs. W. J. D. Richardson, of Whitby and one son, Geo. C. Bowes, druggist, of New York. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, interment in Evergreen Cemetry. The service at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. T. H. Bole—Reformer.

Death of Richard Clark, Guelph.

The death took place at St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday afternoon of another of Guelph's old and highly esteemed residents, in the person of Mr. Richard Clark, 249 Suffock Street. The late Mr. Clark, who was in his 73rd year, had undergone a serious operation about two weeks and although he was well on the way to recovery, he developed pneumonia on Friday last which was followed by a relapse and he passed away on Sunday. Mr. Clark, who was probably one of Guelph's best known builders, had lived there for a great many years, and had assisted with the erection of a number of the largest buildings in the city. He was a native of England, but after his marriage in 1862 to Mary Ann Kadwell, he came out to Canada. He learned his trade as a builder in the Old Country, and had followed the trade ever since coming to Canada. Besides his wife he leaves to survive a family of eight daughters and two sons.—Guelph Mercury. Richard Clark and his brother-in-law, Edward Kadwell, were the bricklayers who built the Methodist Church in 1875-8. They both resided here at the time, and afterwards removed to Guelph.

OBITUARY

MATTHEW McCUTCHEON

The township of Erin lost a highly-esteemed citizen when Matthew McCutcheon, of lot 8, third line, passed away on Monday morning.—Mr. McCutcheon was in poor health for some time. In May he went to Guelph Hospital for treatment. After about a month there he returned home and gradually failed until death came. His devoted wife ministered to him with self-sacrificing solicitude. Matthew McCutcheon was a son of the late Thomas McCutcheon and spent his life in Erin township. He was sixty-eight years of age. In his young manhood he married Miss Nellie Mitchell, of Everton. Two children blessed the home, Grace at home, and Thomas, who resides at Preston. He was a man who aimed to live an upright life and was a regular attendant of the Disciples' Church at Everton. He was a thrifty farmer, very handy with tools, and quite adept in the making of whiffletrees, neckyokes, sleighs and other farming sundries. The funeral to Everton cemetery yesterday was largely attended. The mother of deceased died last winter at the ripe age of 86 years.

Road and Bridge Accounts

Passed at the June Sitting of Nassagaweya Township Council

At the June meeting of Nassagaweya Council, Road and Bridge accounts were passed as follows:

W. Jones	$19 00
A. McIntyre	25 75
A. McPhail	5 50
W. Johnson	8 25
M. Ellenton	15 15
A. Richardson	7 65
N. McLaughlin	99 50
E. Robertson	16 75
Canada Ingot Iron Co.	3 14
W. E. Britton	48 75
W. Howard	24 75
D. W. Britton	24 75
V. Chisholm, registering by-laws	5 05
J. Marshall, postage and express	12 50
L. Eisley, wood for hall	24 00

The Council adjourned to meet at the call of the Reeve.

J. Marshall, Clerk.

PROFANITY

Profanity is used by poor talkers to fill in blanks in their conversation when their brains are missing fire. By the aid of profanity a man with a one-candle-power brain can talk steadily for a long time.

—Rev. John Lindsay, of Erin, occupied the pulpit of Knox Church last Sunday evening. His sermon was timely and interesting. Rev. Mr. Stewart preached at Ospringe that evening in connection with the Presbyterian anniversary there.

—St. Alban's garden party in the park this evening. The Fax Fun Co., with Miss Lina Craine, vocalist, Chas. Stanley, Mamie G. Mason, and Jas. Fax, humorist, are the splendid entertainers, and these will no doubt be ably supported by Acton Citizens' Band.

—"Enclosed please find cheque for FREE PRESS subscription. I regret very much that the patriotic which was talked of being held in the near future has been abandoned for the present, as I for one had fully planned on attending."—D. D. Campbell, Winnipeg, Man.

—The use of the old-fash loned but useful split log drag on some of the streets of Acton would improve them wonderfully. This applies especially to Main Street, Bower Avenue and Lake Avenue. The graders being used on the provincial highways are doing excellent service.

Twelve Appeals were Heard

At Esquesing Court of Revision Five Appeals were Allowed and Seven Dismissed

The Court of Revision of Esquesing township preceded the session for general business at the June meeting.

There were present Reeve Hampshire, and Councillors Brown, Leslie, Gowdy and Appelbe.

Twelve appeals were heard and decided as follows: Jas. Fiddler, allowed; John McDonald, dismissed; W. H. McCullough, allowed; F. Balaid, allowed; Georgetown Waterworks, dismissed; Gilbert Cresmore, allowed; W. W. Scott, dismissed; John Stewart, dismissed; C. Hollingreen, dismissed; R. T. Noble, allowed; Chas. H. Scott, dismissed; G. O. Brown, allowed.

The assessment roll was then corrected and confirmed.

The business session was largely taken up with passing accounts, as follows:

Grading on west half 4th concession, No. 10 side road, S. Mountain, Milton, 15 hours at 55c, $8.25; A. Evans, R. R. No. 5, Milton, 15 hours at 55c, $8.25; Hyde Hume, R. R. No. 5, Milton, 15 hours at 55c, $8.25; Howard Hume, R. R. No. 5, Milton, 16 hours at 55c, $8.80; A. M. Hume, R. R. No. 5, Milton, 7 hours at 55c, $3.85; J. Stoddart, hauling and putting in 4 foot culvert, lot 7, 3rd line, $26.13; 15 hours on No. 10, grading, $8.25; 10 hours at 55c on No. 15, $5.50; total $39.88; J. W. Harris, Oakville, for check protector, $30; Alex. D. Laing, P. M., $38.50, being good roads money and returned taxes to date; Municipal World, St. Thomas, supplies for road Superintendent, $1.77; Chris. Hollingreen, 60 rods wire fence at 25c, $15; W. D. Shortill, 2 trips valuing Evans' sheep, $4.00; J. A. Brown, supplies to John McConnell, an indigent, $9.41; Alex. McKay, P. M., 2 men 3 days filling gravel at $2.75, $11; 1 man 1 day spreading gravel, $2.75, 84 yards gravel at 15c, $12.60, total $36.35; Bell Telephone Co., account to date, $2.04; John H. Smith, repairing fence on property of R. Stone, it having been cut last winter, $3.85; also for placards and fumigating, April 25 to June 18, $43; John Giffin, 48 hours shovelling gravel at 27½c, $6.60; 70 yards gravel at 35c, $24.50, total $31.10; John Appelbe, 75 hours on ditches and roads in Stewarttown, $22.50, to be charged to Good Roads accounts, also 35 hours at 27½c, $9.53, total $32.12; Jas. Brown, work on cinder patif, Norval, on statute labor account, 2 men, 38½ hours each, at 27½c, $21.17, 1 man and team 38 hours at 55c, $20.90, filling in approach to bridge, $2, total $45.57; Freeman Robertson, for filling in bridge, 12, making leveller, $5., drawing tile and opening gravel pit, $11.50, total $28.50; John Lawler, grading 15 side road, 8th concession, $47.27; Norman Devereaux, drawing and shovelling gravel on Cheek Line, $21.45; Alex. McKay, hauling 113 yards gravel on 9th line, at 70c, $84.75, 3 days spreading, $3 per day, $9, 113 yards gravel at 20c, $22.60, total, $116.35; J. J. Thompson, 90 yards gravel at 25c, $22.50; Robert Darling, 163 yards gravel for 4th line, $48.90; C. Vallance, $6, for drawing culvert to lot 20, 1st line, and putting in same, 2 Armco iron culverts, 8 inches by 16 feet, at 90c, $14.00, 10-inch by 16 foot at 75c, total $21.77, ordered by J. A. Tracy; Canada Ingot Iron Co., 1 culvert, 48 inches by 22 feet, $184.80, 1 culvert, 12 inches by 22 feet, $27.50, 1 culvert, 15 inches by 20 feet, $31, 1 culvert, 18 inches by 18 feet, $32.02, tax, $4.95, total, $287.17; pay G. A. Wrigglesworth, grading on No. 5 side road and No. 10 side road with team, 20 hours at 55c, $11, 2 days labor on No. 10, concession 4, at $2.75 per day, $5.50, 115 days on No. 15, concession 7, $4.13, 1 day on 15 side road, concession 8, $2.75, Commission work earned to date $60, total, $833.38; George Mino, operating grader, half concession on No. 10 side road, and half concession on No. 22, $18.40, new doubletree, $1, team, 15 hours at 55c, $8.25, J. Scott, 15 hours at 55c, $13.75, C. Meredith, 20 hours, $11, total $52.40; Municipal World, St. Thomas, 6 collector's rolls and stationery $29.38; Wm. Panton, Milton, advertising tenders, 2 insertions, $1.00; Fred C. Bonathan, repairs to scraper blade, $1; Canada Ingot Iron Co., for 2 drag scrapers, No. 1 with runners, $31.35; Toronto Lime Co., 114 feet elm planking for bridge on 22 cross road, $5.36; Jas. Grant, for putting plank on bridge and spikes, $7.85.

A by-law was passed to prevent the running of express wagons, etc., on the sidewalks of the township.

Council adjourned to meet on July 16, at 7.30 p. m.

Raney's Majority 1,373

The Official Figures Give Him Larger Vote than Before

In East Wellington Returning Officer Edward Boyd, of Damascus, announces the official majority of Hon. W. E. Raney over Lieut.-Col. J. J. Craig, Conservative, as 1,373. The vote in the various municipalities was as follows:

	Craig	Raney	Maj.	Maj.
Erin Village—				
Craig	140		58	
Raney	82			
Erin Township—				
Craig	282			
Raney	809			527
West Garafraxa—				
Craig	192			
Raney	527			335
Fergus—				
Craig	470		78	
Raney	393			
Elora—				
Craig	260		67	
Raney	193			
Nichol—				
Craig	157			
Raney	401			244
Arthur Township—				
Craig	313			
Raney	512			199
West Luther—				
Craig	176			
Raney	371			195
Mount Forest—				
Craig	369			
Raney	344			25
Total majorities	203			1,576
Summary—				
Craig				3,316
Raney				5,683

Majority for Raney, 1,373.

HOW HE GOT OFF.

The juryman ran into the court in great excitement.

"Oh, my lord," he exclaimed, "if you can excuse me, please do. I don't know which will die first, my wife or my daughter."

"Dear me, that's sad," said the judge. "Certainly you are released."

Next day the juryman was met by one of his friends who had been in the court. Going up to him, he asked sympathetically:

"How's your wife?"

"Oh, quite well, thanks!"

"And your daughter?"

"She's quite all right, too. What makes you ask?"

"Why, yesterday you told the judge you did not know which would die first."

"No, I don't. That is a problem that time alone will solve."

Neighborhood News--Town and Country

NASSAGAWEYA

The Dominion Day function at Ebenezer Church was quite a success. The baseball tournament Monday afternoon attracted a large crowd. The garden party in the evening was a gratifying success. Mr. J. H. Cameron, the entertainer, Toronto, gave an interesting and high class repertoire of selections.

Splendid sermons were preached on Sunday by Rev. Henry Caldwell, the new Methodist pastor at Georgetown, ex-President of Hamilton Conference. Rev. Mr. Caldwell is always cordially welcomed to Ebenezer Church. His sermons last Sunday were much appreciated.

DUBLIN

The following are the results of promotion examinations at S. S. No. 8, Esquesing:

Junior IV. to Senior IV.—Merle Stewart, 686 (h.); John Black, 624 (p). Total 850.

Senior III. to Junior IV.—Margaret Wahlie, 667 (h); Donald McDugall, 589 (p). Total 850.

Senior II. to Junior III.—Howard Webster, 545 (p). Total 800.

Sr. I. to Junior II. Wilfrid Waldie, 310 (h); Lawrence Webster, 304 (h). Total 400.

Primer to Junior I—Wilmer Fryer, 364 (h); Stewart Ruddick, 290, (h); Walter Fryer, 260 (p). Total 400.

A to Junior Primer—Annie Black, 234 (h). Total 250.

Enrolment, 11; percentage attendance for June, 97.

C. F. Acheson, Teacher.

BANNOCKBURN

The following is the report of the June promotion examinations at Bannockburn School, S. S. No. 13, Esquesing:

Class V.—Cora Scott.

From Junior IV. to Senior IV.—Ethel James, *Nellie Young, Margaret Brown.

From Senior III. to Junior IV.—*Harry McCullough.

From Junior III. to Senior III.—*Stanley Morrison, *Elva Murray, Bertha Weaver, *Ethel Anthony, *Willis Dobbie.

From Senior II. to Junior III.—*Harvey Young, Tillie McCullough.

From Senior I. to Junior II.—*Aileen Claridge, Ada Weaver, *Allan McCullough.

From Junior I. to Senior I.—Arthur Weaver, *Gwen Dobbie.

From Senior Primer to Junior I.—*Laura Wiley.

From Junior Primer to Senior Primer —David Darvel, Kyty Chuby.

Junior Primer.—Marjorie Cross, Johnny Chuby.

Those marked with an asterisk (*) had perfect attendance.

Evelyn Wilkinson, Teacher.

CHURCHILL

A very pretty wedding was solemnized last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubt. Reid, Erin township, when their daughter, Jessie Victoria, was united in the bonds of holy matrimony to Mr. Harold L. Griffin. The home was beautifully decorated with plants and carnations, while the bridal arch was formed of oak leaves decked with orange blossoms. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William H. Howard. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a gown of French grey canton crepe, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses, lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern. The only jewellery worn was a plantinum bar, beautifully set with diamonds, the gift of the bridegroom. The bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. Ed. Perrin, who also played during the signing of the register. The happy couple were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents. After the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Griffin left by motor for Leamington and Detroit, and will return by way of Buffalo and Niagara Falls. The bride travelled in a navy tricotine suit with hat to match. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Smith Griffin, parents of the groom, Mrs. Christopher Swackhamer and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Griffin, grandparents of the groom.

ROCKWOOD

Mr. Robert Thatcher and Mr. Thos. Harrison left last week for a vacation in Southampton.

Mr. L. R. Guild left on Wednesday of last week for a two months' trip to Regina and other western points, and will visit also the Pacific Coast.

Miss Emily Peach, graduate nurse, Hamilton, is holidaying with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Jersey City, N. Y., visited with Miss Mary Hill last week.

Mrs. J. A. Little attended the graduation exercises in Fergus last week. At the alumni meeting in the afternoon Mrs. Little, who was for several years superintendent of the hospital, was elected honorary president of the alumni association.

It is surely a compliment to Rev. John Little that within the month in which he retired from the ministry of the Presbyterian Church, Rockwood, he was called to Barrie's Church, Kramosa, and the Presbytery concurred in the call. The induction will take place at the Kramosa Church on Thursday, July 19, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. M. F. Stewart, of Linwood, will preach. Rev. H. H. MacPherson, of Guelph, will address the minister. Rev. W. H. Nichol, of Fergus, will address the people.

Rev. Mr. Speedy, of the Religious Tract Society, gave an interesting address on the work of the Society in St. John's Church on Sunday afternoon.

MILTON

J. S. Deacon, Col. F. H. Deacon and his eldest son, of Toronto, attended the funeral of the late G. S. Bowes here last week.

Rev. T. Bole and family left last week on their vacation, which they will spend near Montreal.

Union services of the Presbyterian and Methodist congregations will be held during the month of July in the Methodist Church and during August in the Presbyterian Church.

The Milton Sunday School will hold their annual excursion and pic-nic at Burlington Beach on Wednesday, July 11.

The post office is to receive a new coat of paint, we understand. 'Twould improve its appearance somewhat, although it is one of our best looking buildings as it is.

On account of the storm putting Hydro power out of business, all our industries in town, and at the brick works have been at a standstill and will be until connections have been restored, which it is hoped will be soon.

During the big storm Monday afternoon Thomas Dunn, aged 75, of the 7th concession, Trafalgar, was so badly injured from flying timbers when the roof of his barn was blown off, that he died Tuesday morning.

There has been an increase all around of the teachers' salaries at the Public School, the Principal's salary being increased from $1,600 to $2,000 per annum. We understand that the Principal of the High School has also been favored with an increase to his salary.—Reformer.

OSPRINGE

The Dominion Day holiday brought the usual quota of fishermen to the river from outside points. Fishermen were here from Guelph before daylight.

Interesting, well-attended anniversary services were held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. The weather was fine and the attendance good. A concert was held on Monday evening. The programme was very enjoyable.

Haying operations are quite general now.

Quite a number of our boys and girls who are occupying positions in the outside world, were home for the holiday.

LORNE SCHOOL

The mid-summer promotion results at Lorne School were as follows:

Senior Fourth—Lucinda Graff, Ethel Graff, Mary McEachern, Vivian Wigging (on trial).

Junior Fourth—Hector Guthrie.

Senior Third—Leslie Swackhamer, George Graff, Leona Waller, Wilfred McEachern.

Junior Third—Barbara Guthrie, Renetta Waller, Chris. Swackhamer, Verna Murray, Ted Harrop, Willie Harrop.

Senior Second—Thelma Graff, Ruby Murray, Roy Denny (on trial).

Junior Second—Corlinne MacDonald, Fanny Troupe, Harry Murray, Howard Graff, Chester McBain (on trial).

First Class—Agnes McBain, Bob Anderson (on trial).

Senior Primer—Wallace Swackhamer, Laura Johnston.

Junior Primer — Elsie Anderson, Willie McBain.

Anne MacDonald, Teacher.

CREWSONS CORNERS

Road work and haying are keeping the farmers busy now.

Mr. Geo. Graham, Jr., and Miss Mary McCane, two of our most popular young people, were quietly married in Guelph on Saturday, June 30. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. E. Abraham. After a short honeymoon the happy couple returned to their home here. A host of friends wish them every happiness and success.

Miss Cynthia Cripps returned home from Guelph General Hospital last week. Her friends here and elsewhere will be glad to know that her sight in her one eye is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. J. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCaig, Mrs. E. Cripps, Misses Tillie and Bessie Cripps and Mr. and Mrs. B. Cripps were in Georgetown over the week-end, attending a gathering of The Christians.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Young and little Miss Taylor, Toronto, visited at Mr. Geo. Graham's, Sr., this week.

LIMEHOUSE

Mrs. T. Gowdy and Miss Gowdy and President and Mrs. Reynolds, of the O. A. C., Guelph, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Gowdy last week.

Mr. John Newton is having his barn, which was wrecked by the cyclone last week, put into shape again.

Limehouse has been sending strawberry pickers to Norval during the past week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil LePoldiven, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Millere, of Georgetown, visited at the home of Mr. A. Millere over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merritt and children, of Georgetown, visited at the home of Mr. J. Grant on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Storey and children, Mr. Ross and Mrs. Rhea McDowell, of Toronto, spent the holiday at the home of Mrs. H. LePoldiven.

Miss Hazel Howard returned to her home at Lynden after the school closed for the holidays.

A very enjoyable pic-nic was held in High Park by the Sunday School last Friday afternoon.

Mr. R. W. Johnson is away to camp at Pettawawa with the heavy battery for a week.

Mr. D. M. Gowdy left on Monday for Grimsby Beach to take up the work of the boys' activities for two months.

Miss Winnie Ivens is home from Toronto for the holidays.

Mr. F. W. Brown, President of the Toronto Lime Co., is improving after a serious illness.

Mr. David Swackhamer is holidaying with friends in Detroit.

Mr. Wm. Gowdy went to Toronto last week to attend the funeral of the late John Lucas, who was Vice-President of the Toronto Lime Co. His place will be missed when the Directors make their annual call at Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson L. Lane, of Toronto, were home over the holiday.

Our good friends the Pollette have returned to town. They are the kind of visitors we like to see.

The Fords and others have got to take a back seat now that a Dodge has come to town.

TERRA COTTA

Miss Myrtle McClenahy, of Toronto, is spending her holidays with her parents here.

Quite a number from here attended the school picnic at Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thompson, 10th line, held in honor of their teacher, Miss D. V. McCollan, on Saturday afternoon. A very pleasant time was spent. The important event was the presentation of a beautiful basket of flowers and a gold signet ring by Master Gordon McCraine and an address was read by Miss Idella Burgess to Miss McCollan, as a kind recognition of her services as teacher.

Mr. Frank Rogers, of Toronto, has purchased the Fleming quarrie on the 8th line, and is making the necessary preparations for operating this new quarrie here.

The pupils of the 5th line school presented their teacher, Miss I. Black, of Chesley, with a cut glass water set in recognition of her services.

Mrs. G. R. Campbell and family, of Toronto, are visiting with Terra Cotta friends, after which they will remove to Detroit, Mich.

Our brick yards are running their plants here to their fullest capacity.

Mrs. J. Edge, of the mountain, is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. F. Rogers and family, of Toronto.

Mr. J. Connelly, of the mountain, met with a painful accident recently. While cutting wood he almost severed two of his fingers from his right hand. We are glad to learn the doctor was able to save the fingers and they are now healing up nicely.

The Rev. Mr. Douglas, our new pastor, preached a splendid sermon in the Methodist Church last Sunday.

Our ball team look fine in their new suits and were successful in beating the Brampton juniors here recently.

Real estate is still on the move in our thriving burg. Mrs. K. Ivan has purchased Mr. Jas. Lang's estate here for $450.

Miss Wilma Hunter spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. McKeown and family, of Acton.

Mr. L. Rogers is laid up with a cataract on his eye.

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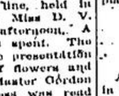

MURINE FOR YOUR EYES

The Week in the Police Court

Robert Mitchell, of the Town Line, Nassagaweya, was Fined $200 and Costs for Having a Still

Robert Mitchell, of the town line, Nassagaweya, near Kilbride, came before Police Magistrate Moore at Milton on Tuesday, charged with having a mash for making spirits and part of a still. The evidence proved his guilt and he was fined $200 and costs. Mitchell's outfit was rather crude and his mash a mixture containing wheat, corn, sugar, raisins, etc. He admitted that his liquor was not very good and he had not had time to make a large quantity.

Mrs. Joseph Verone, of Guelph, was charged last Thursday with keeping liquor for sale. She pleaded guilty and Police Magistrate Watt fined her $200 and costs.

A young farmer was caught with two bottles of beer in his car by Wellington County Officers last week. It was eight per cent. beer and he paid $200 and costs for this infraction.

James Ballantine was charged by Chief Jackson, of Georgetown, with being intoxicated on May 6. The accused took a trip to Detroit and upon his return was summoned before Police Magistrate Moore. This being the second offence, upon pleading guilty, he was fined $20.00 and costs.

H. S. Wilson was driving up the second line recently when the lights on the Ford car he was driving went out. He was met near Walter Fryer's gate by Provincial Constable Cousans. In court on Saturday Mr. Wilson said he knew this was an infraction of the law, but he was hurrying home to get the tires fixed when the constable came along. A fine of $2.00 with costs was imposed.

Three young men drove from Milton to Acton on Sunday afternoon. Motorists passing them noticed that one of the number gave evidence of being badly intoxicated. His loud talk and wild gesticulations attracted general attention. When they reached Acton Chief McPherson was notified and had an interview. He took their names and number of the car. They went back to Milton and later in the evening came back to Acton to the chief and desired to settle the matter. The chief informed them that settlement would have to be made with the magistrate. The young man, who was intoxicated, came before Police Magistrate Moore on Monday evening, pleaded guilty and sworn the liquor he had was dandelion wine and that he got it at home. He was only seventeen years of age. He was fined $10.00 and costs and promised to leave dandelion wine alone.

James Clark, Georgetown, was charged by Inspector Reevely before H. P. Moore, Police Magistrate, at the town hall, Acton, on Monday afternoon with having liquor in an unlawful place. The Inspector learned that he had purchased a case of wine at Oakville. He was at Ashgrove a day or so later and W. J. Barnes found two bottles of the port wine on his kitchen table after Clark had called there. The liquor was drank, but no one saw anyone else drinking, and the Barnes' father and son, swore that they did not see Clark bring the liquor to their home. There was none there before Clark came, and none remained after he had gone. Owing to lack of evidence the charge was dismissed.

W. Robinson, of Guelph, was charged by Constable Atkins with driving his motor car in Acton on which a "spotlight" was installed. The Motor Vehicles Act prohibits spotlights Robinson pleaded guilty and was fined $2.00 and costs.

SMILES

There is a preacher, says a Western newspaper, who should have his salary raised for making the following announcement from his pulpit.

"Brethren, the janitor and I will hold our regular prayer meeting next Wednesday evening as usual."

A certain clergyman was complaining that the people just would not come out to hear him. hard-headed but shrewd philosopher, who heard the complaint, said:

"When I was a boy our neighbor had to pay his boys ten cents daily for bringing the cows home from the range. Often the boys had to return without the cows. Our cows came home of themselves every night. We put the ten cents in the feed trough."

Enough said.

IN CAT LANGUAGE

Little Alice was cuddled up in a big chair reading aloud to her kitten, which was on her lap. Mother, coming into the room, smiled as she watched the two.

"What on earth are you doing, Alice?" she asked.

"Reading fairy tales to kitty," the little girl replied soberly.

"Who ever heard of such a thing!" her mother exclaimed. "Why, don't you know your kitty can't understand fairy tales?"

"Of course I do," Alice admitted. "But I stop every little while and explain them to her."

A SCOTCH HINT

A Cleveland man, who visited friends in Manis, England, last year, tells the following story of a canny Scot, a boadle, whose habit it is to show tourists the remains of the abbey in his parish. One day he had thus conveyed a party through the place, every member of which had tipped him with the exception of a crabbed old fellow of his own nationality.

As the offender left, the beadle whispered in his ear:

"Weel, when ye gang hame, if ye fin' out that ye hae lost your purse, ye maun recollect that ye havena had it out here."

WISDOM OF THE ANCIENTS

The true father of the English literature of the farm is John Fitzherbert. He was a Derbyshire man, whose "Boke of Husbandrye" was printed in 1523. He did not presume to write on farming until he had accumulated a practical experience of forty years. Even in those days Derbyshire was famous as a horse-breeding county. Fitzherbert owned "60 mares or more." He knew the trade. He had as little faith in a horse-dealer or a "horse-leche" as in a "potycarye." "It were harde," he says, "to trust the best of them."

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To The Electors--

I wish to thank all my workers and supporters for the splendid way they co-operated on June 25 to assure my election.

I desire to specially express my appreciation to all those who placed the affairs of the Province above party consideration.

The verdict of the people on June 25 must be accepted as a protest against the unbusinesslike methods of the Drury Government. The people are the final court, and they have expressed their righteous indignation.

The electors will have no cause to regret electing a Conservative Government.

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