

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Interesting Items Concerning Other Centres and Communities in Which Many of Our Readers are Interested

KEVIN

Miss Jean Anthony spent the week-end with Miss Laura Johnston, near Acton. Mrs. Elmer Miller and two children are visiting friends in Toronto. Mr. Geo. Hamesbottom has returned home after visiting with his son, John, at Walkerton. Mr. Jerome Hunter returned home last week after spending the summer at Muskatoon, Sask. We are pleased to report that Mr. Clayton Justice, who is under treatment at the Toronto General Hospital, is making satisfactory gain toward recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Coulter and two children, of Acton, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Long, at Toronto. At a meeting of the Erin Curling Club, at the office of the rink, on Wednesday evening of last week, the officers of the past year were, on motion of the meeting, requested to continue in office for another year.—Advocate.

GEORGETOWN

Mr. B. H. Moore, of Toronto, was in town on Monday and made the Herald a pleasant call. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galloway and children, of Burlington were week-end visitors in town. Mr. Wesley Cook announces the engagement of his daughter, Florence Edna, to Mr. Calvin Traver Miller. The marriage is to take place the latter part of the month. Major G. Cousins and Lieut. A. J. O'Neill attended the first no-nation banquet of the newly-formed Imperial Officers' Association of Canada at the King Edward Hotel last Friday evening. Major Cousins was elected a member of the Association Committee. The remains of the late James T. Smith, of Toronto, were interred in Greenwood Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Frith conducted the service at the grave. Miss Oliver and staff of the United Church Girls' Home, entertained the ladies of the United Church on Tuesday afternoon. A splendid program was followed by delicious refreshments served by the girls.—Herald.

OAKVILLE

Twenty-seven men, with James Jackson as Superintendent, and T. Medland, foreman, began work on the storm sewer on Monday morning, starting at Spruce Street. Oakville expects to have a junior and an intermediate hockey team this season. The Juniors defeated Willowsdale in Toronto on Monday evening, by the score of 7 to 2, in their first game in the S. P. A. series. Chief Kerr was in Bradford on Monday attending the funeral of his nephew, William Kerr, a member of the police force of that city. W. J. Leach, eighth line, who underwent a major operation six weeks ago in the Private Patients' Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital, has returned to his home.—Record. Early Thursday morning thieves made an entrance to Byers' drug store, by a rear door, and got away with thirty-five dollars in cash, some cigarettes and small articles. Rev. G. W. Tebbis, of Burlington, on Monday evening addressed the A. Y. P. A. of St. Jude's on "A Huddle Through England." He described historic places. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Billing of Oakville, announced the engagement of their sister, Annabel Agnes MacLeod, to George Kiborn Lammiman, of Kincardine. The marriage will take place in November.—Star.

MILTON

Jan. Rison, of Queenston, was here on Saturday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Walter R. Walker. Last Monday was musical night at the Tripartite Society of St. Paul's Church, and the programme given was exceptionally good. The annual meeting of the Milton Curling Club, held Monday evening, was largely attended and much enthusiasm prevailed. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Honorary Patrons, Judge and Mrs. Effitt; President, Fred Dewar; Vice-President, Harold Earl; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Leocq; Auditors, J. Irving and J. W. Blain; Tankard skip, J. J. Peacock and J. P. Robinson; District skip, C. Tolstaka and Fred Dewar.—Ottawa. Mrs. Palk, of Shanty Bay, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. O. A. Hemstreet. Ex-Mayor John Maxted, who was seriously injured a few weeks ago when the scaffolding on which he was working in the Princess Theatre, collapsed, is able to be out again. The establishment of a game preserve in "Preston" Township is announced in this week's issue of the Ontario Gazette. The size of the preserve will be approximately 400 acres in extent, where birds and animals will be protected from the rifles of hunters. J. P. McCallum, of Milton, recently appointed as Governor of Eaton County Jail, here to succeed Archie McGillish, resigned, was sworn into office on Monday by Crown Attorney W. I. Dick. Ex-Governor McGillish and Mrs. McGillish will reside with their daughter, Mrs. Hutcheon, in Toronto.—Reference.

—Woodside School Concert will be held on December 19. —Lorne School Concert and Play will be held on December 17.

CAMPBELLVILLE

The Mission Band of St. David's Church held their annual Thank-Offering meeting on Sunday evening, November 23. The music offered by the Boston choir was very much enjoyed. A very generous offering was received. Mr. David Hubbert spent the week-end with his parents. Miss Mary Roberts had the misfortune to fall in Milton on Monday and break a small bone in her arm. Mrs. A. Moore visited at her home here a few days last week. A play, entitled "The Ways of the Irish," is being given by a number of young people from Hamilton Thursday evening. The Young People's Society of St. David's Church held their opening meeting Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. P. Peters, of Cleveland, are holidaying in this vicinity. The Campbell Lodge, A. P. and A. M., paid a visit to the Georgetown Lodge on Tuesday evening.

HANNOCKBURN

The regular monthly meeting of the Haddockburn Women's Institute was held at the home of Miss A. Crean on Wednesday evening, November 19. The meeting was largely attended, when about a hundred members and their families and friends gathered to spend a social evening. After the business had been disposed of the following programme was given: The meeting opened by singing the "Maple Leaf"; mouth organ selection, Messrs. Melvin and Harry McCullough; solo, Mr. Wilfred McIntyre; duet, Misses Mildred and Daisy Foster; recitation, Miss Pearl McHenry; solo, Mr. Frank Freeman; duet, Misses Betty and Dorothy Clarridge; solo, Mr. W. J. McDonald; instrumental, Mrs. A. Fisher; instrumental, Miss Vera McEachern; duet, Misses Vera McEachern and Audrey McIntyre; violin selection, Mr. W. Kennedy; violin selection, Mr. Frank Freeman. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. Lunch was then served and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and playing cards.

ROCKWOOD

The Women's Institute held a eucuro party and dance at Terrace Gardens recently, which was largely attended, when over \$60 was taken in at the door. On Monday evening, 24th, the annual social evening was held, at the home of Mrs. M. P. Barry. Mrs. D. Calvert had charge of the programme. Last Thursday evening a successful concert was held in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Boy Scouts, when the following programme was given, with Rev. W. J. Taylor, of the Citizens' Committee as chairman for the occasion: Selections by the Orchestra; address by the choir; piano duet by Mrs. J. Ayles and Miss Mae Watson; recitations by Miss Gladys Hanna and Mr. Roy Hindley; boxing exhibition, by Guelph talent; dancing by Dr. Perkins; music by Mrs. Laird, George Peal and Mr. Salmon; minstrel, George Peal, Fred Meadows, Mr. Salmon and Allan Laird, Mrs. Laird at the piano; athletic exhibition, by the Guelph talent; solo by Mr. George Plummer; guitar selection by Fred Meadows; minstrel; recitation by Mr. Roy Hindley; boxing exhibition by Guelph talent; solo by Miss Mae Watson; dancing, Dr. Perkins, with Mr. Salmon and violin. Over \$50 was taken in at the door. Mr. Elliott Patterson had the misfortune to break his leg while operating a tractor plow on the farm of Leslie and Dearen, recently. At the time of writing he is reported as doing as well as can be expected. The quartette of the United Church, and Miss Mae Watson, assisted in the anniversary services at Eden Mills last week. Rev. John Little conducted anniversary services at Hampden United Church last week. Recent visitors in our midst: Mr. A. L. Squires, of Georgetown. Mrs. R. McParlane, of Pushtel, and family, at Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Little's. Miss Ann Pennell, R. N., of Guelph, with Miss Kathleen Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Langdale, of Guelph, at Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Miller's. Mr. and Mrs. L. Stewart, of Hamilton, at Mr. J. W. Leslie's. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McArthur, of Moorefield, at Rev. W. J. and Mrs. Taylor's. Work has commenced on the highway west of the village, which will do away with the big bend in front of the Ostrander and Barnard farms. A steeply angled is busy cutting down the edge of the bank where a lot of filling in will take place. When Mr. Frank Day was returning home from his visit to England, he met Rev. Mr. Ross, of Waterdown, on the boat, who exchanged pulpits with Rev. W. H. McCrecken at Thanksgiving time. Mr. Day called on Rev. Mr. Ross while at the Manse. As mentioned in last week's issue, of Mr. Malcolm Smith leaving Rockwood, it should have been Woodbridge, instead of near Whitley, where he has secured a position as manager on the farm of Mr. George Rowntree. The Women's Association of the United Church are holding an afternoon tea and sale of baking, also a bazaar, in the Town Hall.

EVERTON

Mrs. T. Atkins and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McCutcheon, Springside, spent Sunday with Mr. T. D. McCutcheon and family. The Young People's Society held a social meeting at the home of Miss Lucy Fisherwood last Friday evening. Mr. Albert Alton gave a splendid report of the Young People's Convention, held in Toronto a short time ago. Along with games, a very pleasant evening was spent. Rev. W. P. Reynolds is spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives in Michigan. Miss Jessie Trout, a missionary on furlough, will speak Sunday morning, and Rev. Richardson, of Eldburg, in the evening, at the Church of Christ. Practice is underway for the Christmas concert.

BURLINGTON

Councillor Ernie Tuck and Sam Clarke are away on a hunting trip by north. Mr. Alex. Leitch returned home from British Columbia on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blesinger and Kathleen left by motor for Florida this (Wednesday) morning, where they will spend the winter. James Cox, Pearl Street, died at the General Hospital, Hamilton, last night. He had been a resident of the town for several years, and is survived by his wife and family. Mr. John Lock, town caretaker, has asked the Gazette to state that he did not find the marked ballot in the Town Hall, and knew nothing of it until it appeared in the local paper. Ward was received here on Sunday of the death of Mrs. Vernon Tuck, at Grimsby. Mr. Tuck is an old Burlington boy, and will have the sympathy of his friends in his bereavement. Mrs. W. O. Kerus, accompanied by Mrs. Bob Huggins of Toronto, motored to Burlington last week and spent a very pleasant day with Mrs. Kerus' sister, Mrs. Gen. Henner, "Sunset Terrace"—Gazette.

OSPRIDGE

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church held a bazaar and home-made baking sale on the market on Saturday. Quite a nice sum was realized and the ladies in charge were very pleased with the affair. Mr. J. Edy, who has worked this summer for Mrs. M. Cooke, leaves this week for England, to visit relatives. Mrs. Atcheson, of Missos, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. D. Stewart.

Master Douglas Robertson is visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jackson, townline. Miss Grace Burrows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burrows underwent an operation at the Guelph Hospital last week. She is doing nicely now at her home. Miss G. Carter and Miss S. Johnson, of Guelph, spent the week-end with the former's sister, Mrs. D. G. Robertson. Mr. Ross McLean and Murray, of Guelph, called on relatives here on Sunday. Friends of Miss Ada Currie, who broke her ankle some time ago, will be pleased to hear she is able to be around now with the use of crutches.

LIMEHOUSE

Miss Nellie Davies, of Toronto, is visiting her uncle, Mr. E. Davies. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Neill, of Toronto, visited at his father's last week. Mrs. Mitchell and Doris visited in Toronto last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Cowdy have returned from their holiday in Detroit with Dennis. Bill came from the hospital on Sunday afternoon and is making a very satisfactory recovery. The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church held their Thank-Offering meeting at the home of Mrs. John Newton on Thursday, with a very fine attendance. Mrs. K. McLean, of Wingham, gave the address. Mr. Charles Stockford, of Georgetown, a candidate for the Boys' Parliament, visited Limehouse last week, and should get a generous vote. Dr. R. G. Agnew, on furlough from West China, is announced to give an address in the United Church on Sunday morning, and he and a number of his "missionary friends" from Toronto will give a concert in the United Church on Monday evening. Dr. Agnew was a very popular member of the University Glee Club, and the Johns sisters, well known musicians of Toronto, with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker, of Islington, should give a very fine concert.

EDEN MILLS

On Wednesday afternoon the Women's Institute met at Mrs. Frood's. The subject for the day was "Education." Quite a lively debate was held, viz: "That the School exerts greater influence in moulding character than does the Home." Mrs. J. Gilberston and Mrs. W. H. Wilson sustained the affirmative, with Miss A. Argo and Miss I. Wilson the negative. The latter won by several points. A paper was read on "Armistice Day and why we celebrate it." Mrs. Wilkie Wilson was appointed delegate to attend the Annual Central Convention in Toronto. Mrs. Jas. Barden read a very interesting article on "Our Flag." The meeting closed, in the usual form, when a social half hour was spent. Mrs. Ross, of New York, is visiting at Mr. J. Barden's. Mr. and Mrs. Leitch, and Mrs. Barden, of Osprey, are also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barden. Mrs. Burtin returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. Parkinson, of Barrie Hill, and is not very well. The Police Village have had the grading outfit on the townline and the work has made the road in much better shape than formerly.

LEGAL WIT

In a recent interesting book, "Gentlemen of the Jury," Mr. Francis L. Wellman related many instances of legal wit, English and American. Two noted London lawyers were John L. Adolphus and Charles Phillips; but Phillips was an Irishman, and his rapid success at the English bar after his arrival from the Emerald Isle naturally annoyed some of his rivals, for they saw much of their business passing into his hands. Adolphus, meeting him in the robing room of the court, said to him bluntly, "You remind me of the three D's—blarney, bluff and blunder." "Ah," said Phillips, "you never complained of my bees until they began to suck your honey."

It was another Irishman, John Philpot Curran, who in the course of one of his trials when he was pleading the "jury" rather intently was irritated by observing the judge frequently shaking his head, thereby indicating to the jurymen his dissent from what was being said. "Gentlemen of the Jury," said Curran at last, "you may have noticed his lordship shaking his head. I ask you to pay no attention because, if you were as well acquainted with his lordship as I am, you would know that when he shakes his head there is nothing in it." In that instance the lawyer had distinctly the better of the judge. In another instance a judge used his wit with cruel effect at the expense of a lawyer. Appearing before an English judge, a young lawyer whose memory failed him at the beginning of a long speech that he had prepared in advance resorted to his confusion to the repetition of his opening words: "The unfortunate client who appears by me—My Lord, my unfortunate client."

The chief justice, Lord Eldonborough, interrupting almost, whispered in a soft and encouraging tone, "You may go on, sir; so far the court is with you." It was in the United States in a court in Chicago that a lawyer, Mr. Parsons, was trying a case before a judge who, he felt, was very hard upon him and upon his client, the defendant. After the judge's charge the jury retired and promptly brought in a verdict of guilty. Parsons moved for a new trial. The judge denied his motion and remarked, "The court and the jury think the prisoner a knave and a fool." Instantly the counsel replied, "The prisoner wishes me to say that he is now perfectly satisfied for he feels that he has been tried by a court and jury of his peers."

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