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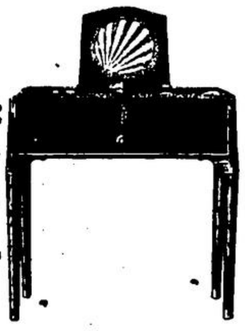

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MARRIAGES

POOLE—SMITH—At Grace United Church, Toronto, on Wednesday, October 16, 1929, by Rev. Geo. W. Barker, Rev. C. L. Poole, B.A., Pastor of United Church, Acton, to Bertha M. Smith, daughter of the late William S. and Mrs. Smith.

BENTLEY—COOPER—At the Presbyterian Manse, Brampton, on Tuesday, October 15th, 1929, by the Rev. J. Wilson, Annie M. Cooper, only daughter of Mrs. Mary Cooper, Glenwilliams, to George K. Bentley, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bentley, Brampton.

IN MEMORIAM

ARMSTRONG—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Thomas Armstrong, who departed this life Oct. 23rd, 1925.

She has gone from this world to the land of her rest,
To the country of the happy and the home of the blest;
Released from all sorrow, suffering and pain,
Rejoicing forever with Jesus to reign.
—The Family.

CASTLE—In loving memory of our dear daughter Iren Castle, who passed away October 15th, 1928, also my dear sister Gertrude Burkenshaw, died October 10th, 1918.

God knew that they were suffering
And the hills were hard to climb
So he closed their weary eyelids
And whispered peace be thine.
—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. James and Family.

FRY—In loving memory of Sadie, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bell, who was called to rest, October 21st, 1926.

Three years have past, our hearts still sore,
Years will come and spring's sweet flowers will bloom on hill and plain,
Yet never in this world of ours,
Will Sadie return again.
Some day we hope to meet her,
Some day we know not when,
To clasp her hand in a better land,
Never to part again.
—Sadly missed by Mother, Father, Sister and Brothers.

OBITUARY

C. H. SONGER

Crofton H. Songer died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, on October 17th, 1929, at the early age of 33 years. Mr. Songer was brought up at the home of Mr. R. L. Brown, Limehouse. He served overseas and was gassed. He had just recovered from an auto accident and suffered a severe cold when he developed pneumonia from which he died. When he returned from overseas he settled in Toronto. He was well respected by all who knew him, and was beloved by those who knew him best. He leaves to mourn his early demise, a devoted wife, Annie Schofield, and a little son four years old, Sammy R. Songer, a sister and two brothers.

SAMUEL GILMER

After being in poor health for some weeks, Samuel Gilmer, an honorable and respected resident of Georgetown for many years, passed away at his home on Edith St., on Oct. 16th. Deceased was born in Trafalgar and was in his 71st year. He came with his parents to Georgetown when a boy and has resided here ever since. A kind and obliging neighbor and good husband and father has been removed. Besides his widow he leaves a family of one daughter Miss Gilmer of Brantford and two sons Fred and Albert, Georgetown. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Fleetham, Burlington; Mrs. Hogg, Toronto; Mrs. Blasell, Fielding, Sask., and one brother William of Winnipeg. Deceased was an adherent of the Presbyterian church and the funeral on Friday last was conducted by Rev. Mr. Maclean when the remains were interred in Greenwood Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Wm. Ashenhurst, Dr. Watson, I. Bullivant, George Wrigglesworth, Angus Duncan, J. M. Moore.

There were beautiful floral tributes from the following:—Knox Presbyterian Church, Provincial Mills Limited, Employees of Provincial Coating Mills, Smith & Stone Employees, Mr. Fred and Lena McNally, Mr. and Miss Ashenhurst, Miss S. Jenkins, Mrs. Shortill, Children of Laycock School, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. H. Thornton, Brantford; Mrs. John Blacker, Brantford; Mr. E. M. Blacker, Brantford; Miss Cousin, Brantford; Miss B. McCormick, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hogg and son, Toronto; Mrs. Thornton and Mrs. Rabjohn, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleetham and family, Freeman; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleetham, Elora; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilmer, Winnipeg; The Family.

MRS. GEORGE MARTIN

The sudden death of Mary Michie, beloved wife of Mr. George Martin on Oct. 15th, after two weeks illness came as a shock to her family and friends. Deceased was born in Morris Township Huron County 47 years ago and was a daughter of the late William Michie. In 1910 she was married to Mr. Martin and has resided in Georgetown ever since. Besides her husband she leaves three children Gordon, Gladys and Jean. She is also survived by her mother, one sister Mrs. Lorne Nichol, Morris Township, and seven brothers James, Robert and Ernest, Morris Township; John of Saginaw, Mich.; Christopher of Haspeler, William of Acton, and Thomas of the Scotch Block. Deceased was a member of Knox Presbyterian church and the funeral on Wednesday last was conducted by Rev. Kenneth Maclean when the remains were interred in Greenwood Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: A. Tost, F. McNally, F. Armstrong, A. Kean, H. Hamilton and N. Tuck. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

Friends from a distance present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Michie, Mr. J. Michie, Miss Gladys Michie, Saginaw, Mich.; Mrs. Wm. Michie, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Nichol, Mrs. Frank Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, Mr. Wm. Grasby, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Michie, Mr. Robt. Michie, Mr. Ernest Michie, Brussels; Mr. J. Kirton, Miss Bella Kirton, Wroxeter; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ratz, Waterloo; Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Eden Mills; Mrs. T. Langford, Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Colin Cameron, Woodbridge; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Michie, Haspeler; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Norris, Mr. Russel Smith, Milton; Mr. and Mrs. W. McArthur, Mrs. Huffman, Mr. Wm. Worden, Miss Roberta Michie, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. S. Gisby, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, Toronto; Mr. Wilbert Haw, Mr. Leonard Michie, Mr. Chas. Darby, Rockwood.

Card of Thanks

We hereby convey to friends and neighbors our sincere thanks for kindnesses and sympathy extended to us on the occasion of our sad bereavement by the death of our beloved little son Floyd William Hilts.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hilts, Glenwilliams.

69th Anniversary Presbyterian Church

SPLENDID SERMONS BY REV. DR. MACKENZIE ON SUNDAY—DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT MONDAY

Anniversary services were held in Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday last when large congregations had the pleasure of listening to eloquent and inspiring sermons delivered by Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, Principal of Montreal Presbyterian College.

In the morning after reading the bible lesson from St. Luke, 12 chapter, Dr. Mackenzie chose as his text the 25th verse of the chapter, viz:—"And which of you with taking thought can add to his stature one cubit?"

The speaker said in part:—After all the knowledge we have acquired in this wonderful age of marvellous achievements we cannot add to our stature. This is true in other things, there are human limitations. Man has wrought wonders in conquering the air and annihilating distances; he has given us the radio and the advances in all sciences, medicine, etc., has been marvellous. We are amazed at ourselves when we think of the things we may yet do. There is a danger of getting to think we can do everything and that we do not need God, but with all our skill we cannot add one cubit to our stature, that remains the same. This is a rude reminder and teaches us the great lesson of trust in God who has left so many things in our hands. All things are in the hands of a power higher than ourselves and we should not be too ready to assume we can perfect everything. Conditions that are not as we like we can plan to work and improve them by co-operation with God. His spirit works in the hearts of men and teaches us the gospel of service. We must preserve a proper balance by the knowledge that our powers are limited and we are still dependent on God and his help. If this fact were realised the people would fill the churches and prayer meetings. The reason so many absent themselves from the house of God is because they overlook the fact that it is God and not ourselves that has charge of things in this world. Some seem to think prayer is a waste of time. There are times when the fact of our own helplessness is brought home to us. There are moments when other helpers fail and comforts flee that man turns to God in prayer. Why only at this time when we are continually dependent? We are obliged whether we like it or not, to trust daily in God for the very air we breathe and life itself. Adversity is a test of faith when God's goodness is questioned. The children of Israel were warned not to forget dependence on God and we need the same warning to-day. We cannot dispense with God, to-morrow is in his hands. The veil over the future is impenetrable to all but God alone. That which may seem most secure may be snatched from us without a moment's warning. The rich man was reminded that his well-being was in the hands of a higher power. Are we surrounded by temptations to be taunted? We know that while there are things God has kept in his own hands there are other avenues where no limitation is set. Life eternal is ours if we go freely forward in the way God is calling us and not try to force doors He in his wisdom has seen fit to close. God bids us cease spending time trying to do that which He does not want. He who marks the sparrows fall can be trusted for the morrow. We cannot increase our physical stature but we can increase our mental faculties without limit. There is no limit to our growth spiritually. We can grow in the likeness and knowledge of Christ. Life is open at the top and all are invited to live it. Why think so seriously about ourselves when we know not what an hour may bring forth? What matter about to-morrow when we can secure eternity? Nothing can separate us from the love of God. Do your part and leave the rest with God, He knows your needs and all things are yours in Christ."

In the evening Dr. Mackenzie preached another splendid sermon from the text Psalm 127, 1st verse "Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it; except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."

The special music by the choir under the able leadership of Mr. Frederick Pollett, and the splendid vocal solos of Mrs. Leutl of Weston at both services, were much appreciated by the large gatherings.

There was a large attendance at the chicken dinner served by the ladies of the church in the Sunday School room on Monday evening. It was a splendid dinner, well served, and heartily enjoyed by all present. The program which followed in the auditorium of the church was excellent and contributed by Miss Jessie Leavitt, Miss Francis Weiler of Guelph; Miss Gibson of Acton, Mr. McDonald of Claude and Mr. Kaye of Boston. During the program Rev. Mr. McLean, chairman of the evening called on Rev. Mr. Rumley who spoke briefly. The singing of the National Anthem brought to a close another happy event in the history of the church.

Local Council of Women

The local Council of Women met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Adams, on Friday afternoon. As this was the first regular meeting since May, there was several matters to be brought up.

Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie gave a very entertaining report of the meeting of the Provincial Council held at Niagara Falls in June. Miss Lawson read the report of the committee appointed to examine the voters' list. This showed that much time and effort had been spent on the same and in personal visiting of new comers to the town and others whose names had been left off, but the result was very gratifying for seventy names of women voters were added to the list.

The playground equipment placed in different quarters of the town a few years ago required repairs and removals, and the work was done so that everything should be available for use in the holidays. Expressions of appreciation have come to the society from the towns-people and even tourists using the motor camp at the Park. The work has been well worth while, though it has left the treasury rather low.

A letter of appreciation had come from the League of Nations Society in Canada for the work done at the time of the annual drive for membership in April. By such means the aims and objects of the League are being made better understood in the smaller towns and the rural districts of the country.

Another matter which has been the concern of the Council for some time was brought to a satisfactory conclusion by the passing of the by-law to create a Parks Board with the special view of placing the cemetery in good condition and providing for its care. Credit is due to the committee of the Council for assistance given in correspondence and interviews and in getting the necessary petition.

Plans for future work were discussed while Mrs Adams and Mrs. Morley served tea, and the council adjourned to meet at the Public Library in November.

ILLNESS PREVENTED PREMIER'S VISIT

GEO. HILLMER, HON. J. E. COOKE AND F. G. McBRIEN ADDRESS MEETING

It was a disappointed audience at the Gregory Theatre on Monday afternoon when Chairman Samuel Kirk, President of the local Conservative Association announced that illness prevented Premier Howard Ferguson being present and delivering his address as advertised. He was pleased however to introduce Hon. J. R. Cooke and F. G. McBrien, who would substitute for Mr. Ferguson, and Mr. George Hillmer who had represented Halton in the Legislature during the past term.

Mr. Hillmer was the first speaker and spoke regarding the finances of the Province, hydro, provincial, county and township road grants; township school bill, government liquor control, etc. He gave assurance that the Government had no intention of forcing through the township school bill in opposition to the people; that automobile licenses would be cheaper next year; that hydro rates to farmers would be reduced and the grants to township roads would be about doubled. He believed Government control of the liquor traffic a decided improvement over the O.T.A., and asked the electors to return the Ferguson Government to power on Oct. 30th by supporting him on election day. People who had opposed him in 1926 were now promising him their support.

Mr. Cooke, who has been returned by acclamation for his home riding, North Hastings, spoke mainly on hydro, his closest interest in government affairs.

He stressed that while urban municipalities had to pay back every dollar of the money loaned them for plants the rural consumer paid back only half. In this manner, the government had made a gift of six million dollars to rural consumers in subsidies in past years.

If no bonus were paid on primary and secondary lines, the rural service rate to-day would be $6.20 a month the speaker said. As it was, with line subsidies, the rate was $4.55. Now the government was making another reduction, bringing the rate down to $3.50 a month.

A law prohibiting the manufacture of liquor was suggested for Ontario by Mr. Lethbridge, Progressive leader. Mr. Cooke pointed out. Surely, he contended, either the present Mr. Justice Raney or Hon. W. F. Nickle, both outstanding prohibitionists, would have introduced such a measure while they were attorneys-general, if such prohibition was not known to be impossible for a province.

He pointed out that the brewers and distillers annually paid from sixty to sixty-seven million dollars a year in taxes to the Dominion government.

"They are paying that money in order to get the privilege of selling that liquor to a customer," Mr. Cooke stated, "and if they can't get it to the customer by legal means they will do it by illegal means."

Mr. McBrien said that the Liquor Control Act was the best act of its kind in the Dominion; that while it had defects, it could and would be strengthened. There were two classes of people that were dangerous, he said, to the cause of advanced temperance. These were the fanatical wets and the fanatical grys. In carrying forward its policy of promoting sobriety and self-control the Government, he stressed, was paying no attention to either of them.

The meeting was closed with the singing of the National Anthem and cheers for the King, Premier and Candidate.

GOLF

A very enjoyable closing was held by the Halton Golf and country Club on Thursday, Oct. 17th. In the afternoon a mixed foursome was taken part in by about 50 members of the Club, after which a very delightful dinner was served at Cedar Crest, the summer home of the owner, Mr. J. A. Willoughby.

During the evening which was spent in bridge and dancing the presentation of prizes took place as follows:—

Ladies Shield Competition—1st flight, 1st Mrs. J. A. Willoughby, 2nd Mrs. O. T. McKay; 2nd flight—1st Mrs. J. L. Thompson, 2nd Miss May Langan; 3rd flight—Miss Annie Hickey, 2nd Jean Mackenzie.

Ringer Score—Mrs. J. McDermid.

Mixed Foursome—Best gross score—Miss P. Herbert and J. McDermid; best net score—Miss Pettit and R. B. Foulis.

Fewest putts—Mrs. F. B. Coffen and Mrs. J. McDermid.

Best score No 6 hole—Miss Matthews and J. L. Thompson.

GLENWILLIAMS

One of the best entertainments ever put on in the Town Hall, Glenwilliams, was given Tuesday of last week by the following artists: Mrs. Swain's Orchestra, played snappy pieces, and the Kitchen Orchestra was repeatedly encored. Comic duets were sung by Mrs. O. Cain, Mrs. W. Preston, Mr and Mrs. Andy Dewhurst, and several songs by comedian Harry Hale, Georgetown. The Hawaiian duets by Bert and Joe Marchment could not be excelled. Recitations by Miss E. Matthews, also an accordian number by H. Dewhurst. The mock marriage was put on by Andy Dewhurst, who played the minister; Mrs. W. Cain, the bride; Harry Hale, the groom; Mrs. Alf. Collins the deserted wife; Mrs. Dewhurst and Mrs. Chris. Sargent, the bridesmaids. Mr. Robert McCartney was an excellent chairman. The proceeds were in aid of J.O.L. No. 7, Glenwilliams.

The entertainers have been invited to put the same program on in the surrounding districts, Milton, Acton, etc. Watch this paper for the date of the entertainment in Georgetown. You are going to have a real treat, at a moderate price.

CHURCH NEWS

THE SALVATION ARMY

Sunday, 11 a.m. Holiness Meeting; Sunday School 3 p.m.; 7 p.m. Salvation Meeting, conducted by Captain A. Cume and Lieut. G. Gayland.

BAPTIST CHURCH

10 a.m. Bible School; 11 a.m. there will be no service in order that all may attend the anniversary service at the United Church; 7 p.m. Pastor A. N. Frith will preach.

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 27th, anniversary services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Special preacher, Rev. F. O. Farrill, M.A., B.D., Chairamn of Halton Presbytery Sunday School and Bible Classes at 10 a.m.

Rev. W. L. Davidson of Guelph will be the special speaker on Monday evening's program.

St. George's Church

Services next Sunday: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 11 a.m. Matins and sermon by the Rector; 7 p.m. Evensong and sermon by the Rector.

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