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LOCAL NEWS LETTERS.

CHRONICLE CORRESPONDENCE.

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Myrtle Station

After working since early last spring near Utica, N Y., Mr Archie Johnson arrived home on Saturday of last week.

The Editor of the CHRONICLE being present at the plowing match last week we leave the report of the matter with him.

If reports are true the hotel here is about to change its occupants. A man from Orono is to take the place of Mr Newsom the present proprietor.

It seems that Mr Wm Derby, of Oshawa, has or is about to rent his dwelling house here to a Mrs Bryant who formerly lived on the F W Hodson farm.

Mr M McTaggart received a car load of coarse bran from Toronto last week and after keeping some of it for his own feeding sold the remainder to farmers R and T Duff, A, B and E Fisher, Ashburn and others.

The very sad news reached here on Saturday last that Mr Lyman Forsyth, of Uxbridge town, was dead: It seems that the deceased had only been down with typhoid fever about twelve days. Mr Forsyth was an agent for the Massey Harris Company, Toronto, also for McLaughlins carriage company, Oshawa, at the time of his death. Mrs Forsyth is a daughter of Mr Manly Brigge of this place and much sympathy is felt in this neighborhood for the widow and five children in their very sad bereavement.

KINSALE

Many around here have been suffering from severe colds of late

Miss Moon, of Seagrave, spent sabbath last with Jos Tripp and family,

The voting on the local option bylaw here on Wednesday was very quiet.

Mrs Jno Lewis has almost entirely recovered, we are pleased to be able to report.

Mr Frank Brown had a sudden attack of illness recently, but is now on duty.

Mrs K R Mowbray presented her husband with a bouncing baby boy last sabbath.

Miss Martha Tripp has returned home after spending a few weeks with friends out north.

Farmers are still ploughing and desire a prolongation of fine weather as much yet remains to be tilled.

Mr Saunders, to the south of Salem, sold his farm stock and implements on Tuesday last; fairly good prices were realized.

That fur coat lately found is still in the possession of C J Stevenson. The owner is entitled to the same by proving property.

Our teacher, Mr Holiday, is engaged for another year at an advanced salary. He has given general satisfaction and no doubt will continue to still do so.

Rev G R Clare preached an excellent sermon on sabbath. He dealt some very hard blows at the liquor traffic in concluding. The singing by the choir was good.

Mr Henry Spencer, from near Brooklin, we understand, has lately purchased the property owned by the deceased Mr Jas Coultis, and will soon take possession.

Messrs Jos Harbron, Jno Emerson and company have returned from their north hunting trip. Game was plentiful, and they returned with no mean share of the same.

Mr Tommy Richardson went as far north as Scugog island recently, buying up fowls for the Toronto market. He drives a team now and gives the top figures for all marketable articles.

Mr Corner and family have recently moved into the house on the corner, where Mr Neal and family left last spring. We welcome this family amongst us and hope they may meet with success.

A good meeting in the interests of local option was convened in the hall here on Tuesday evening. Addresses were delivered by Rev McAuley of Pickering, and Rev Clare, and both gentlemen gave excellent addresses. The meeting was fairly well attended. Mr C Rogers ably filled the chair.

It is some few days since the unexpected departure to parts unknown of Mr Steward Corbett, of Greenwood, took place. Steward was well known here, having worked for Messrs Jno Dunn, C J Stevenson and others in this vicinity. He was always considered an excellent workman and we regret to learn of his recent hasty departure,

Prospect

Mr James Mandersons son is down with typhoid fever, but with the aid of Dr Dales of Myrtle Station, the little fellow is expected to pull through.

Mr. Thomas Platten has lately moved from near Oshawa to the farm of the late William Gilroy on the ridges and expects to work the farm the coming season.

Pastor Wetherill of Prince Albert conducted special services here during the evenings of last and present week, and he has been much encouraged in the work, seeing about twelve persons commencing to live christian lives.

On Monday night of this week death again entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Smith and took away their only child a little boy about two years old, and on Wednesday Rev. Mr. Wetherill conducted a short but impressive service at the Smith home, and the little boys body was taken to the Pine Grove cemetery. Mr and Mrs Smith will have the sympathy of the friends in this section in the loss of their beloved and only child.

Evansville

Wet weather last week. No news.

Farmers are getting their feeding cattle stalled.

Our mill is still inactive and so miller Florence is having a snap.

A few friends spent Sunday and Monday with Mr and Mrs Florence.

We wonder if any marked their ballots wrongly unintentionally this year.

Miss A Linton and F Brignall Sundayed with formers parents of this place a week ago.

Some from here attended a "two step" in Uxbridge one night last week and did not return until next day.

Did you know that the CHRONICLE gives you free their paper for the balance of the year. Its a fact. Send your name, and then give them $1 for their valuable paper for next year.

A much beloved child in the person of Alice Ward passed away last Saturday very suddenly. The funeral, which passed through here on Monday was attended by many from here. We extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy.

From the clear explanation given by the CHRONICLE of last week on the Rouge Bridge affair, we hope our representatives have done their utmost for this township and this county. The Markham Economist tries to make it appear that this municipality should take it.

The second regular meeting of public school literary was held last Friday with Miss Ettie Linton in the chair when the following program was given:—Secretarys report, James Coates; Critics report, Mabel Edwards; recitation, Laura Arbuckle; solo, Mabel Edwards; reading, Gertie McAvoy; chorus, school; reading, Mr. Lawrence; reading, James Coates; closing chorus, school. God save the Queen. No more programmes will be given until last of term when the pupils will hold an etertainment.

Brooklin.

Mr Geo Liddle jr., of North Bay, was here for a brief visit last week.

Mr Geo Wilson, of Oshawa, spent Sunday last with his parents here.

Mr M D Coltman will occupy the pulpit in the baptist church on Sunday.

A purchase of three hundred books was made for the public library on Saturday last. Those will be shipped as soon as possible.

"Herbageum," the king of foods for horses, cattle and all other farm animals. Get a fifty cent package (4 pounds) at Holliday Bros.

The executors of the Whitevale Hall estate have advertised a sale of 10 acres of standing hardwood and cedar to take place on Tuesday, 23rd inst.

Mr Chas Frayn, who has been picking apples for R Moore, has gone to Oshawa where the other members of the family have now been living for several weeks.

Mrs J Pollock and Mrs H Liddle have both been suffering from attacks of sciatica. Mrs. Liddle is able to be out again but Mrs. Pollock is still confined to the house.

Mr John Magner will sell his household effects etc, by auction, on Saturday, 20th inst. He is going to Michigan to spend the winter with a son and a daughter who are living there.

Dr F L Starr of Bath, N Y, arrived home last Thursday. He is again suffering from a similar sickness to that he had a year ago last summer. We hope he may soon have a speedy recovery.

Mr Wm Wickett was struck by a falling brace while assisting at the barn raising at Mr John Morrisons on Monday and had his left arm injured. It was a fortunate thing that it was not broken.

Hon John Dryden will address the C E society of the presbyterian church next Sunday evening on the Thanksgiving topic "Gratitude; for what and how shown?" All who can attend will be cordially welcomed.

The township council is making arrangements to have wire fences replace those now in use at several points where the roads are always badly drifted in the winter. Mr Alfred Spencer is now putting up one hundred rods of this fencing along from his shoe shop north.

Mr John Morrisons barn raising came off on Monday afternoon. There were many helpers and all went well, but darkness set in so early that the work was not completed till next day. The new structure will be 50x80 with stone stable underneath the whole and when completed will be one of the finest farm buildings in the township. Mr Bishop, of Markham, has the contract and the work will now be rushed. It was intended to have the job completed this week but this will not now be possible.

The annual Thanksgiving day tea will be held by the W F M S of the Presbyterian church on Thursday next. Rev Mungo Fraser of Knox church, Hamilton, who is favorably known here as a lecturer will give his lecture "From Egypt to Jerusalem." This promises to be a genuine treat and will no doubt attract a large audience. Free will offerings for the missionary fund of the society will be collected at the tables. The Brooklin auxiliary has contributed one hundred dollars to the general fund for each of several years lately and are hopeful of being in a position to do so again now as a result of their years work, together with the proceeds from the gathering next Thursday.

R T of T rally.

The Royal Templars held their rally on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of the members and twelve or fourteen visitors from Ashburn council were also present. A very interesting feature of the evenings programme was the reading of letters from absent members. Those were received from many points, including London, Rochester, St Marys, Brampton, Cedar Dale, Schomberg and Woodville. A number of short addresses were given which were characterized by earnestness, hopefulness and a determination on the part of the speakers to continue to work in opposition to the drink traffic till it is finally swept from one land forever. Several selections of vocal music were interspersed through these. A petition from the members of the council will be sent to the legislature asking them to amend the license law as requested by the Dominion alliance.

W. A. H.

Business Directory.

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TYRONE

Mrs R Collacott, sr., Mrs Levi Skinner and Harold have been visiting Mariposa friends.

Mr Wm Moore is getting his fine his residence and outbuildings, King st east, nicely remodelled.

Mrs Jas Byers has been very ill since moving back to Tyrone. Miss Susannah McFeeters has also been on the sick list.

A valuable horse belonging to Samuel Pollard was only saved by heroic measures from choking to death with a carrot.

The senior league expects another enjoyable evening with Ian McLaren through the kindness of Mr W J Roy. A good attendance is requested for Friday evening.

PORT PERRY

Dr Clemens was in town from Saturday till Monday of this week.

Died, in Port Perry, on the 14th inst., Sidney Houch, in his 68th year.

Mrs Kellett and her mother, Mrs Shaw, returned last week from Grand Rapids.

Mrs W White and Mrs Thompson, Lindsay, were visiting friends in town last week.

Miss Electa Whitney was visiting the Misses Graham and Natan in Uxbridge last Sunday.

Died, in the 2nd con. Reach—High Point—Orville Lloyd, only child of Mr and Mrs W Smith, aged 2 yrs.

Messrs A M Secor, of Toronto, and Thos Wilbur, of Darlington, were visiting with W Willard and family last week.

Jos Fisher, who has been with the Allan Carriage Works for several months, returned to his home at Kincardine last Friday.

Rev Mr Chisholm of Dunbarton delivered an address on Monday evening in the Baptist church on the great Christian Endeavor convention held at San Francisco.

Jos Calvert, well known to our citizens, is one of those who will receive a medal as one who took part either in the Fenian Raid of 1866 or the Northwest expedition of 1870.

The nimrods from this vicinity have returned and also brought home some fin deer. Messrs Brooks, Stovin and Bowerman did well, as also did the Rev J H Mallett, of Scugog.

Dont forget the Casmorama under the auspices of St Johns presbyterian church choir on Thanksgiving evening. It promises to eclipse anything that has been in the town for some time.

A Good Industry

The foundry is in full blast again; the bell ringing four times a day sounds very familiar. Several of the old hands are at work and orders are coming in, so that in a short time the foundry will again be the industry of the town. The business is in good hands now, being owned by Mr Matt Williams, who has plenty of capital to run the business in a proper manner. All orders and job work given to the present proprietor will be promptly attended to and good work done and at reasonable prices.

Fatal Accident

William Kerr, who for many years was a resident of this town and lately has been living in Toronto, was struck by an engine of a freight train near Cavanvelle last Friday. He was struck on the side of the head and was thrown down an embankment and seriously injured, from the effects of which he died that afternoon without recovering consciousness. The injured man was taken to Millbrook and medical aid secured, but it was of no avail. A bottle containing whiskey was found on his person. The body was buried at Millbrook on Saturday afternoon.

Re-opening Services

The re-opening services of the methodist church were held last Sabbath. Rev Leonard Phelp of Millbrook delivered two discourses that were listened to with the closest attention by the large audiences that were present. The free-will offerings for the day were $120. The soul-inspiring music rendered by the choir was an important part of the services. Pastor McCamus is deserving of no small amount of credit for the pains he has taken with the choir. The services for the day were very satisfactory to the pastor and board of trustees. The improvements amounting to some $150 have made a change in the choir seating and having the centre aisle from the pulpit to the rear end of the church, making a decided improvement and being far more convenient.

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MANCHESTER.

Miss Lillian Martin is visiting with her uncle, the Rev Geo McCullogh, at Richmond Hill.

After spending two years in Montana Mr Wm Norton returned to his home here on Friday week.

Mr D F Hagerman is buying grain on a large scale this year. In one day last week he took in fifteen loads.

Mr Jas Pearson will shortly move to Brooklin, in which place he will shortly look after the interests of the Massey-Harris Co.

Mr Jno Bentley returned from the northwest last week. He reports having had quite a successful seasons business in threshing.

The Rev Mr Weatherall, Prince Albert, has been conducting special meetings at the little white church, Prospect, during the past week. Such good results were obtained, that he will likely continue for some time.

About two weeks ago Mr Jerome Sutliffe cut a finger on his left hand with a piece of steel wire. The sore grew into a nasty sore, and during the time that intervened he suffered intense pain. It looked at one time as if the finger might mortify and so have to be cut off, but under the careful treatment of Dr H Archer that difficulty is now overcome, and Mr Sutliffe is feeling in better spirits.

We now have a tailor shop in town. Mr Jos Munro, one of our promising young men, after serving ample time at the trade in Port Perry and other places, has shown pluck and push to start out for himself, and is now plying the needle in rooms over the store. He has a number of orders ahead now, and it is hoped the public may encourage him. Look out for his adv. later on.

Court of revision was held here on Monday, His Honor Judge Dartnell presiding. Messrs Jno Thompson, L Burnett, M.P., and E Williams looked after the interests of the Reform party, and Messrs N F Paterson, Wm Smith, ex-M.P., and C Calder for the Conservatives. The latter party succeeded in getting on a number of new names, but unfortunately the former were a day late in serving their notices and therefore could do nothing. All the work was finished by noon.

P. C. GRAHAM.

WICK

The trustees have been putting up a new fence and otherwise improving the school ground lately.

Mr Case, of Uxbridge has been engaged as teacher here for next year, a gentleman who comes well recommended.

Mr W F Beaton has lately returned from a two months trip to the north-west. He says he likes the country and had a good time.

The only representative at the plowing match from here was Mr Timothy OLeary who carried off second prize in the boys class. We congratulate him on his success.

Mr Dennis Collins blacksmith has lately moved to Cresswell having purchased a shop and business there. He carries with him the good wishes of numerous friends here.

A little child of Mr and Mrs George Trip died on Saturday the 6th inst and was buried at Myrtle the following Tuesday. Rev Mr Dean, of Sunderland, conducted the funeral service.

Two weeks ago Rev Mr Cameron was absent at Fenlon Falls preaching anniversary services and next week he goes to Barrie for a similar purpose. His services are much in demand on such occasions.

On Friday evening of last week Mr Edward Ferguson gave a party to a number of friends at his residence on the town line, guests were present from Sunderland, Saintfield, Sonya, Pine Dale and other places and an enjoyable time was possed. All who were present are loud in their praises of the manner in which they were entertained.

The ladies of the W. F. M. S., expected to have held their annual Thankoffering meeting last Thursday night when Rev Mr McMillan, of Lindsay, was expected to be present, but the night was so wet and the roads so muddy that the meeting was postponed and he was telegraphed not to come. The meeting will be held later on but the date is not yet fixed.

GREENBANK

Mr and Mrs W Mark have gone on a visit to friends in the county of Bruce.

Messrs Burton and O'Neills sale of live stock on Saturday last was not very largely attended.

Dr Archers telephone office has been removed to Mr W M Reals residence east of the village.

Five of our young ladies went to Uxbridge last Sunday evening and received the rite of baptism by immersion, in the baptist church.

Another large congregation met in the presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon to hear Mr Camerons third sermon on baptism. It was expected that he would start at Johns baptism and take up the different instances of baptism in the new testament, but his whole time was taken up in replying to a criticism of his last sermon, published in the Uxbridge Journal, the author of which is generally supposed to be Mr Ross, the student pastor of the Uxbridge baptist church. As Mr Cameron will not be able to occupy his own pulpit next Sunday, the subject will not be resumed until the following Sunday.

BLACKSTOCK

Alleged Attempt at Robbery

There has been considerable under talk since the recent shooting match at Edwards and Hawkins hotel here. "Chief Constable" Tom Robinson was at the shooting match, and took a liberal amouut of stimulants to enable him to discharge the arduous duties of his position. Besides having a large amount of whiskey in his head he had a big wad of money in his pocket which he flashed frequently, claiming that it amounted to over $100. Many saw Robinsons display of cash, and thought he was a fool to let his money talk whilst he was drunk. Shortly after 11 p.m. Edwards closed the hotel and Robinson went out with the others. Edwards was straightening things around when he heard cries for help in the shed. He ran out and found Robinson under the manger shouting "Murder!" some person having hit him a crack on the head with a club. Some person also fired off a revolver. Just as Edwards entered the shed a man ran out, and Robinson shouted, "Thats you, Geo. Nesbit, I know you!" There has been talk of legal proceedings.

Town Line.

Mr. George Rodd spent Sunday week with his friends here.

Mrs D W Carruthers is still visiting friends at Victoria Square.

Miss Ada Carruthers, Markham, is visiting with her cousins Misses Eva and Annie Carruthers.

Mr Ernes McGregor has been laid off for a few days this week, but at time of writing is somewhat better.

The boys of the Town Line school have a new foot-ball. The neighboring teams may soon look for a challenge from our boys.

There were several visitors at our Endeavor on Tuesday evening. All try to come next Tuesday evening. Our president Mr Milton Brown takes the meeting as a Bible class,

Whitby Town Locals.

Mr W H Newberry is knocked out with a cold.

Mr Jerry Lick has gone to London, Eng, on business.

For sale cheap, a house and stable with 9 lots covered with choice fruit trees, on centre street, just south of Mayor Rutledges property, town of Whitby. Apply to L Fairbanks.

Railway Employees Must Pay.

In future all railway employees of the G T R must pay their debts. The following news item from headquarters at Montreal gives the details:—Railway employees around the Point St. Charles shops and the Bonaventure station are discussing with some interest a circular issued by Mr. Chas. Perry, the treasurer of the G. T. R., and countersigned by General Manager Hays. The circular calls attention to the fact that by a recent provision of the law in Quebec, when garnishee proceedings are instituted against an employe of the company, the latter is compelled to go through certain formulas, and states that compliance will entail so much additional expense, trouble and risk of loss upon the company that in future any employe who allows his wages to be seized for debt will draw upon himself the penalty of dismissal unless he makes the arrangement with his creditors before the writ is returnable, and the provision will be strictly enforced. The treasurer also complains that the number of garnishee writs served upon the company in the Province of Ontario make it necessary to enforce the same rule there. Employees are directed that the proper time to protect their interests in this respect is when the judgement is given and not when the writ has been served.

Windsor Fire—Church Relief.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific the people have been moved to feelings of sympathy by reports that have come to them that the once beautiful town of Windsor, N. S., now lies in ashes, as a result of that fatal fire on Sunday, Oct 17th, which destroyed about two million dollars worth of property. No person can fully conceive the utter desolation of the town, unless, like ourselves, he has passed over the ruins. All that is left of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches are the chimneys that stand as monuments in a cemetery. Food, clothing and money have been forwarded to relieve the people. Shall we now be satisfied with what we have done, or shall we still come to the rescue? Will not the church-loving people, all over the Dominion, help the friends at Windsor to secure a church home? We believe they will. We, on behalf of the pastors and churches, most earnestly request that every generous hearted person shall send one dollar, or more, to at least one of these churches. CROSSLEY & HUNTER. Kindly mail your contribution to one of the following:—Rev Fred H Wright, Pastor of Methodist church, Rev. Henry Dickie, Pastor of Presbyterian church, Rev. A A Shaw, Pastor of Baptist church, Windsor N. S. Letter from the Pastors.—We and our beloved people feel as did Nehemiah, as we behold the desolation of our town, and think that our churches are burned with fire. We are grateful to our friends, Hunter and Crossley, for the accompanying plan they have inaugurated, and shall be very thankful to those who may respond to this urgent call. We might say that after the church debt is deducted from the insurance money, each church will require about ten thousand dollars to erect suitable church and Sunday-school buildings. Henry Dickie, Fred H. Wright, A A Shaw.

Trip to Toronto.

Having some business affairs to draw us hither, we took the opportunity of visiting Toronto on Saturday to see the final in the great struggle for the rugby championship of the Province. The struggle was between Osgoode Hall and the Hamilton Tigers, and many thousands shivered like aspen leaves a whole afternoon whilst they scrapped it out on the Rosedale field. It was a great battle, in which there was no victor until the day had been spent and the night was black. The time-keepers proved incompetent to keep the reckoning, and as a result the play was allowed to go on in the second half until one could not see a player half way across the field. Towards the last the Tigers made a final struggle and won by a great push in the darkness. The Hamilton people made a big procession headed by the 13th battalion band, and celebrated their victory by a loud huzzah all over the city. We do not propose to write much about the football game, but will give a more extended notice of a lecture we listened to in St Georges hall on Sunday night. Rev Dr Hix, said to be a returned missionary of some sort from India, was the lecturer, and he opened his meeting by singing "Let the Sunshine in," and managed to get along without any prayer, although he claimed it was a religious meeting in the highest sense of the word, and continually extolled the Christian faith throughout. He then read manuscript giving translations from the Sanskrit, the language of the ancient Hindus, his main object being to convince his audience that the Sanskrit writings were genuine and full of wisdom. His object was developed later on, and proved quite startling. Manu is said to have been the greatest writer in the Sanskrit tongue, and from his works Hix read passages containing many of the leading principles of law and religion most popular today. He showed that the ancient Greeks gathered their mythology from the Sanskrit by adopting words of clearly expressed meaning as the names of gods. Thus in Sanskrit Mars meant warlike, and Hercules meant strong, and so on. He traced Gaul to mean a soldier who wanders and conquers as he goes, Erin to mean people who live on an island, Scandanavian to mean northman. He read from the Justinian code of laws as compared with the Sanscrit to show that our system of jurisprudence came from Manu. When Hix had established Manus name and fame to his satisfaction, he then read a translation of an alleged story of a Christ who flourished among the Hindoos about 10,000 years. This story sets out with the fall of Adam, from which Hix asserted that Moses wrote the book of Genesis. At Adams fall a saviour was promised, to be called Krishna or Chrishna, meaning Christ. When the time came a virgin was overshadowed by a supernatural being and conceived and bore a child, which first saw the light of day in a sheepfold. Rumors spread around that prophecy had been fulfilled and a new ruler for the people had been born, whereupon the existing ruler caused all male children under two years to be massacred in order to put this new Christ out of the way. When the soldiers approached the sheepfold the shepherds fought hard to keep them back and thus save the life of the wonderful child, but the military men overcame them and then entered the fold. Their mission failed, however, for in an instant the child became a big boy, and played innocently about among the lambs whilst the soldiers sought in vain for a child. Thus the Christ escaped, and grew up to be a great and good man. He went about preaching salvation to the people, healing their ills and doing them good. Next Sunday night Hix will read and comment upon the striking features of the life of this Chrishna. From these things, one would suppose that Hix wanted to shake ones belief in Jesus Christ by showing that our saviour was only a second edition of a Hindoo saviour; but singularly enough Hix asked his hearers to give all the more credence to the story of Jesus because of the fact that it was not the first saviour the world had seen. Hix believes there have been many saviours, running back perhaps millions of years. This is the teaching of the new-fangled religion they call Theosophy, and Hix and his audience are theosophists. They do not pray, but apparently expect the Saviour to atone for their sins without the asking. This method of gaining forgiveness requires that new saviours be sent to the earth at regular epochs. Theosophy may be justly termed the religion of the imagination, a thing which accepts some known facts, and seeks for the rest among legendary or imaginary things. Its adherents claim that theosophy is beautiful, and we do not doubt this, for it frees the imagination from restraint and indulges the fancy in anything it chooses to contemplate. Hix had what appeared to be a rather cultured audience, who sometimes clapped their hands when his point struck their warm approval, and especially at one point when he said that womans demand to be placed on an equality with man was a mistake, and that soon women will be slaves while men will be on their "uppers." Instead of a becoming gallantry by which men shall free woman from all labor but that of maternity and the home, the women are now grasping to do the work, and are fast becoming physical wrecks in sweat shops. If this does not change Hix claims that our race will run out as has the indian and all other races which did not cultivate a high physical and intellectual standard in in its females.