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THE CHRONICLE.

DURHAM, June 15th, 1899.

South Grey Farmers' Institute.

On Saturday afternoon last the annual meeting of the S. Grey Farmers' institute was held in the Town Hall here. The attendance was small but active and after the opening by a short address from President Young and the reading of the minutes, Mr. Gorsline spoke in relation to samples of seeds etc. furnished by the Experimental Farm at Ottawa. In his remarks he referred to the cost of carrying on the farm and knowing that only two from Durham had made use of the free samples he regarded it as a shame that so much indifference should be manifested.

Mr. Wm. Irvine, of Lamash, felt dissatisfied with the results of some of his experiments on seeds from Experimental farms.

President Young's experiments with grains were not exactly a success.

Mr. Thos. Clark, of Elmwood, wasn't much struck on the success of his experiments, but for high land he found Sanford clover an excellent variety.

Wm. Smith, Esq., of Glenelg, had good success with Dawson's Golden Chaff, and grows it now. The result of experiments proved satisfactory.

Mr. Binie tried a variety of oats which yielded 63 bushels to the acre. Other varieties were inferior. The White Wonder pea turned out well the first year, but was frozen the next.

Mr. Gorsline's 3 lbs. of potatoes, planted without instructions, produced 65 lbs.

The Secretary read the annual report which showed that four winter meetings were highly successful.

Total Receipts \$183.23; Expenses \$132.13; Balance \$51.10.

It was recommended that all buy their tickets for the Excursion to the Model Farm ahead so that the railway officials may provide sufficient accommodation.

Irvine—Allan—That regular meetings be held in Durham and Hanover.—Carried.

Morice—Irvine—That supplementary meetings be held at Holstein and Ayton.—Carried.

Officers elected:—Pres., R. Morice; Vice-Pres., J. Allan, Egremont; Sec-Treas., Geo. Binne.

Directors:—For Bentinck, Irvine, Derby; Egremont, Swanson, Ramsay; Durham, Calvert, Gorsline; Glenelg, Staples, Smith; Normanby, Gadd, Hoeflin; Hanover, Stone, Poelman. Auditors—Geo. Russell, Arch. Davidson.

After reading a few circulars the new president was called to the chair and gave a brief address.

Irvine—Allan—That a hearty vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Young for the efficient way in which he discharged his office as President.—Carried.

Centre Grey Farmers' Institute.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The annual meeting of Centre Grey Farmers' Institute was held in the Town Hall, Flesherston, on W. Friday afternoon of last week and was fairly well attended. Arte mesia, Osprey and Euphrasia leading in representation. Mr. John Irwin, of Collingwood township, makes a model chairman and presided with tact and ability. At night the indefatigable Secy-Treasurer, J. S. Graham, who after reading the minutes of former meeting which were adopted, presented the annual report which was of an encouraging nature and showed the Institute to be in a prosperous condition. Two regular and four supplementary meetings had been held during the year and with one or two exceptions had been well attended and were interesting and profitable. The receipts for the year were \$111; expenditure \$102, leaving a balance on hand of \$20. The present membership stands 200, showing a slight increase in numbers over last year. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Pres., John Irwin; Vice-Pres., J. M. Davis; Secy-Treas., J. I. Graham; Directors—Artemesia, R. Buchanan, H. Douglas; Euphrasia, R. Carruthers; Collingwood, Geo.

Badger; Osprey, D. W. Clinton, W. Inkster; Proctor, W. Hendrie, J. H. Corbett. Auditors—John Boland, Jos. Buchanan. Regular meetings will be held during the year at Thurnbury and Flesherston, with supplementary meetings at Kimberley, Maxwell, Priceville and Dundalk.

A resolution was adopted favorable to having an excursion to the fat stock show in December, and, after listening to advances made by the Secretary of the North Grey Farmers' Institute, who was present, the meeting placed itself on record favorable to joining with North Grey Institute in its annual excursion to the Guelph Model Farm.

The business proper being over, Miss Laura Rose, Instructor of Dairying at the O. A. College, who was present to address the audience on the art of bread and butter making in the home, was introduced by the chairman and received with applause.

Space does not permit even a skeleton of the interesting address given and we can only say that in the course of an hour and a quarter Miss Rose, who has a pleasing address and through grasp of her subject, gave, we believe, the most practical and instructive address it has ever been the good fortune of the Institute to have delivered here. Miss Rose said she supposed the ladies before her, and she was pleased to see so many present, understood the general principles of good bread and butter making but she would emphasize and did emphasize the necessity of unscrupulous cleanliness and close attention to little things all so necessary in the production of a perfect article. In conclusion, Miss Rose gave the mothers and daughters of this constituency a hearty invitation to visit the College, and if not possible to give the girls a full course in college, let them have at least a few lessons—always given free of charge. Miss Rose was given a hearty vote of thanks and the meeting dispersed.

There were expressions of regret among the male members that more of their daughters and wives too, had not been out to enjoy the treat, but it is again the old song of "locking the stable after the horse is stolen."

FLESHERSTON.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Quigg, on Wednesday afternoon of last week when their daughter, Miss Jane, was joined in wedlock to Mr. Major Ernest Wurtz, one of the esteemed and thrifty young farmers of "Tyrone" settlement. The bride's pastor, Rev. L. W. Thom, performed the ceremony. The groom's brother, Mr. Fred Wurtz and the bride's sister, Miss Emma Quigg, discharged the duties of groomsman and bridesmaid, the only guests being the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

Following the marriage the guests partook of a nice wedding repast after which the happy couple left on the evening train for a short honeymoon at Brampton where the groom's parents now reside.

The Directors of the East Grey Agricultural Society held a Board Meeting here on Friday last for the purpose of selecting judges, appointing committees, revising prize lists and other business. The Fair will be held the 19th and 20th of Sept.

Quarterly Communion service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Sabbath morning last. Mr. Mahaffey, student at Corbettion preached at the preparatory service on Friday.

Dr. Christoe, Principal Slaughter and Mr. Felstead supplied Rev. Mr. Ward's work on Sabbath in his absence at Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. McTavish, and Mrs. White attended the funeral of their cousin at Galt last week.

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DORNOCH.

Miss Bella McKinnon, of Queen Hill, Bruce Co., was for a few days last week the welcome guest of her cousins, the Stewart family.

Rev. Mr. Finlay, of Bruce Co., spent a few days here lately while en route to and from Durham to fill the Presbyterian pulpit there.

Miss Susie McIntosh is here at present and intends to enjoy for the summer the healthful breezes of our village.

Mr. John Hodgson arrived home last week from a visit to his former home near Holstein. He enjoyed his trip immensely.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hewitson in their bereavement having lost a bright little fellow of thirteen months from blood poisoning, the result of a bad scratch with a rusty nail.

Messrs. Grierson and McLean of Mull Corners, pass through here daily with immense loads of ship timber for Chatsworth. They are workers.

Mr. John Hay returned last week from Orchardville where he had been visiting a lady friend. While down there he invested in a handsome bike and wheeled home.

Messrs. A. McDonald and Jas. Hay are in camp this week at Niagara having for the first time enrolled as volunteers. They looked handsome in their uniforms and Capt. Galbraith may well feel proud of his Dornoch contingent.

Mr. J. Mills left over a week ago for Waleeta, Kent Co., to spend a couple of months with her son, Robert, who resides there.

Emkie's gang of masons last Saturday completed the foundation of Mr. A. Jackson's barn. It is a splendid piece of masonry and reflects credit on the builders.

For the first time in six years Mr. George McIntosh is enjoying the comfort of the parental home having spent the intervening time principally in Cloquet, Wisconsin. Geo. looks well and is the recipient of many a hearty handshake at present.

Miss Annie Corlett has for the last week been a guest with friends in the Queen City. She is expected home.

We extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh on their matrimonial venture, both are formerly from these parts where the happy groom spent his life and where he owns considerable property.

We were pleased to meet Mr. Geo. A. Corlett, contractor of Calumet, Michigan, who was for a few days the beginning of the week on a visit to his parents here. George looks well and is prospering financially in the Wolverine State.

On the evening of June 7th on the lawn before the handsome residence of Mrs. W. Ledingham, surrounded by a large number of relatives and invited guests the solemn words were spoken which proclaimed Mr. Edward Boyce, of Crawford, and Miss Mary E. Ledingham man and wife. Rev. Mr. Little, of Chatsworth, assisted by Rev. Mr. Mathew, of Elmwood, and Rev. Mr. Graham, of Dornoch, tied the nuptial knot. The bride looked charming in a cream cashmere dress and was assisted by her sister Miss Elsie while a like duty was performed by the groom by his brother Mr. Henry Boyce. Congratulations and a sumptuous repast followed after which a very enjoyable time was spent in singing and popular games. The presents were costly and numerous and testified to the esteem in which both were held, but want of space forbids us enumerating them. We extend congratulations and good wishes for a pleasant life.

Miss Jean Ledingham arrived home last week from Rat Portage where she has spent the last six months.

Piles For 15 Years.

Mr. Jas. Bowles, Councillor Emporo, Ont. writes:—"For over 15 years I suffered misery of bleeding, protruding piles. The many remedies I tried all failed. I was advised to use Dr. Chase's Ointment, and must say that the first application gave relief after the third day the bleeding stopped and two boxes cured me completely."

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