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## Local News Items

**GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.**

READ Miss Dick's change of ad. on page 8.

RAIN has been plentiful during May and so far this month the crops are very promising.

DON'T forget the Baptist Lawn Social to be given on the evening of Tuesday July 5th. Particulars later on.

FOR SALE.—A second hand cook stove with reservoir, nearly new, will be sold cheap. Apply at this office.

REMEMBER the Farewell Garden Party in the Parsonage grounds Tuesday night next. Admission 10c.

A NUMBER of our Lacrosse boys went to Owen Sound Tuesday and were defeated by the Wellingtons the score being 8 to 0 in favor of Owen Sound.

The Rev. Thos. Colling, B. A. appointed to Durham Methodist church has been elevated to the office of chairman of Mount Forest District.

A PETITION for better mail service brings fruit, by additional mail on the night train in, and another bag out at 3 p. m. This change has long been felt necessary, and will be appreciated by the general public.

THE I. O. F. Members may look forward to a happy future, especially those who are old enough to participate in the benefits of the order. Mr. Archie Sinclair receives this week one hundred dollars, being the first instalment of his beneficiary, and every birthday from now on is entitled to a similar cheque, for the next ten years. The beauty of it is too, that he has nothing more to pay.

SOME mean mortal stole a gobble last Sunday night from Adam Watson east of the town. In heathen times 30 or 40 years ago, such thefts were common amongst burners of brick, lime or charcoal, one night of which was set aside for a sort of jollification, when feasting and drinking were freely indulged in. It must not be forgotten that the thief can be punished, if discovered, and we hope all perpetrators of such actions will be found out and made to pay the penalty.

We are pleased to report the success of Mr. Archie W. Hunter, who recently made a creditable showing in his second year Medical Examination at McGill College, Montreal. There were over one hundred in the class, and our young townsman stands seventh on the list, with honors on every subject. This speaks volumes for Archie's ability, and with such a record we are confident he has been keeping down to business. We tender our congratulations and hope the remaining years of his course may be marked with similar success.

THE Volunteers left for Niagara Tuesday morning and for ten or twelve days will be under drill. It seems difficult to get enough men to form a company and notwithstanding the efforts of Captain Snider to go out with a full force there were only eighteen to leave with his company. They were nearly all young fellows, many of them going out for the first time. It's a busy time now, and many who were anxious for the war were forced to stay home through pressure of circumstances. The farmers are busy. The factories are busy and few employers care to spare the men, while many employers are disposed to stay with their jobs rather than to go to camp at a much lower remuneration. The boys from here are Alister Gordon, Howard Lawrence, John McGirr, Alex. Sanders, Sid. Willis, Chas. McGillivray, Arthur Aljoe, Alex. McComb, Oscar Turner, Geo. Burnett, Robt. Vollet, Thomas Reid, Tom Moore, (Thistle) Wes. Arnett, Alf Noble and Thomas McComb with Staff Sergeant, Wm. Ramage, and Captain O. M. Snider. We hope the boys may have a profitable and happy outing, get plenty of exercise, and return home with well-developed muscle, and a good knowledge of military manoeuvring. Mr. G. L. McCaul, who knows something of camp life sent with the boys a bundle of Magazines for perusal during leisure time. The act was commendable and shows forethought on the part of the donor. We expect a letter from the camp in next issue. Hope we'll not be disappointed.

SEEDS.—Corn and all kinds of root seeds, at Geo. Lawrences.

STEADY work for first-class plumbers, gas and steam fitters. Samuel A. Esswein, Columbus, Ohio.—3.

MR. PARKER'S Sale of Shorthorns to be held on Wednesday the 22nd should bring a large number of buyers.

THE Farmers Excursion to the Model Farm takes place on Thursday next and should be well patronized.

THE I. O. F. will attend Divine Service in the Methodist church on Sunday morning June 20th. All the members are requested to meet in their Hall at 10.30 a. m. from which they will proceed in a body to the church. Wm. Johnston Jr. R. S.—2.

THE Owen Sound Association of Baptist churches meet in Warton this week, and the following from the Baptist church here are in attendance:—Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Newton, Miss Flora McKenzie, Mr. Chas. Browne and two daughters, Miss Ada and Bessie Browne.

The Rev. Wray R. Smith will preach a blackboard Sermon on Sunday morning in the Methodist church, Subject "Sifters and Separators." The members of the Junior League and the pupils of the Sunday school will meet in the basement at fifteen minutes to eleven o'clock. Parents invited, good music, hearty singing.

We referred recently to the purchase of the Durham Brick yard by Mr. W. Black of this town, and we have pleasure this week in telling our readers that negotiations have been concluded, between Mr. Black and Mr. Walker, of London, a practical brick-maker who is highly recommended. Operations have already commenced and in the course of a few weeks the first kiln will be ready for sale, and we hope the results will be so satisfactory that many who think of building will find it a great benefit to get brick at home. During the past two years a great many brick have been shipped in at a cost for transportation of a dollar and a half to two dollars and over, per thousand for railway carriage alone, besides an additional fifty to seventy-five cents for taking them off the car and carting them to the ground. We do not presume to fix a price for brick by the new manufacturers, but a large percentage of the transportation charges should go to the purchaser and still leave the manufacturers a good price for their work. Now that they have started they'll need wood, and for an article such as they want we are told there is plenty to be had, which should be secured at a fair price. We expect to learn more of this matter in the near future, and we wish the re-opened industry a large measure of success.

OUR reference in the Chronicle three weeks ago to Mr. Frank Irwin's attachment to the United States roused our esteemed young friend's Canadian patriotism in a manner quite refreshing to us. In a letter received from him last week he duly credits the United States with being "a great and grand country," but at the same time expresses in no uncertain manner his admiration of Canada and the love that still warmly burns within his breast for the land of his birth. We take the liberty of quoting from his letter as follows:—"I saw your reference in the Chronicle and it seems you imagine I am quite American. Don't think, dear friend, I am one of that class who is ashamed to acknowledge and hold up his country. I am still as willing to uphold the old sod as ever, and strong enough to fight the man, especially these Canadian born adopted sons of America, who are, some of them, only too willing to run down their native country, and try to impress people of their intense loyalty to this country, after a few days residence across the line. I am proud I am a 'Canuck,' for they have proved themselves time and again, to be men of nerve and backbone, superior statesmen and warriors. I shall always love and think well of dear old Canada, the land of my youth and forefathers, and also the people there who are second to none on earth. Just let America try to make a state of Canada without her consent and you will see which country I'll stand by, no matter if I have to walk from here to the line to join the 31st Battalion." With respect to the latter we have no fear that Frank's service will be required, but we are pleased, as doubtless his Canadian friends who read this will be, at this expression of his loyalty.—Flesherton Cor.

## People We Know

**THE GOING AND COMING OF VISITORS IN THE MONTH OF JUNE.**

Miss MacFarlane left last week for a visit at Flint, Michigan.

Mrs. Wm. Smith visited her son at Holstein last week.

Mr. Charter Smith was in Toronto, last week to visit a sister who is seriously ill.

Mr. Benjamin Williams left Monday morning for Bad Axe Michigan, where he intends to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Thos. Jackson and her mother, Mrs. Paul Nelson, are visiting friends near Galt.

Mr. W. H. Bean is in Toronto this week as delegate to the Grand Lodge of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Mr. Ed. Kress and family moved Monday into their new residence over the furniture ware rooms.

Mr. Turner, of Garafaxa, drove over Monday to visit his brother Anthony Turner of this town.

Mr. Thos. Swallow returned Friday from an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. F. Lynn Wixson, of Ingersoll.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jamieson left Monday morning for Centre Island Toronto, where she will spend the summer months.

Mr. Chas. Mighton and Mr. John Caiger, of Bentinck left Monday morning for Michigan where they intend to spend some time.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Smith returned last Friday night from conference and visiting friends in the vicinity of Brantford.

Mr. J. H. Burrows left Tuesday morning for Calgary where he has secured a good position as Druggist. We wish him success.

Mr. Adam Robertson is in Palmerston to-day Thursday, attending the District Meeting of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Mr. Joseph Corbett of Gravenhurst and his grandson Elijah Armstrong, G. T. R. Agent at Longford, spent a few days last week visiting old friends in this town and vicinity.

Messrs. Will Robertson and Art McDonald, accompanied by Misses Cassie McDonald and Mary Marshall visited Miss Annie Neal, Mt Forest, on Sunday.

Mr. H. J. McArthur, brother of Mrs. J. C. Nichol, of this town recently passed his Medical Examination at the Omaha (Neb) University and is now in the practice of his profession at Plattsmouth in the same State.

Mrs. Jake Kress and family are now living in their new home on College Street. Mr. Kress himself is at the Sanitarium in Muskoka and we hope soon to see him back amongst us in the full enjoyment of health.

Mr. Roy Cook and Miss Walker, of Mt. Forest, spent Sunday in town with friends. Mr. Cook who possesses a rich sweet voice sang a solo in the Baptist church at the oddfelloes service in the afternoon, which was highly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lynn Wixson, of Ingersoll, Mr. and Mrs. Allan J. Langley, Toronto, Mr. B. Donaldson, of the General Post Office, Toronto, Miss E. Swallow, of Toronto, and Wm. Swallow of Winnipeg were present at the burial of Miss Lydia Swallow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ackert, of Holyrood, Ont. accompanied by their daughters Mrs. Robert Harper, and Miss Ackert, and son Harold, spent from Saturday night till Monday afternoon with Mr. Ackert's sister, Mrs. W. H. Shaw. They are on their annual summer holiday, and will drive through to Meaford before their return.

Mr. Geo. Turnbull, of Bentinck left Monday morning for the Land of the Heather, and will be gone a couple of months. His destination is Lochinvar, Sutherland, Scotland, the land of his boyhood. We really wish him a pleasant trip and hope he may fully enjoy his well-earned holiday. He intends to be back in time to attend the Toronto Exhibition, but he's going to miss the big Scottish Demonstration here on the 1st of July. He's Scotch and it might be a wide guess, and perhaps a wrong one to think he leaves to escape the bag pipes, which charm the heart of every true-hearted son of the Heather. It is about fourteen years since we crossed "the puddle" twice and we would like very much indeed to be a fellow passenger with Mr. Turnbull.

Mr. Will Moffet is down with Typhoid fever.

Mr. J. M. Hunter, though not well is slightly improved.

H. W. Mockler is seriously ill and his friends are anxious about his condition.

Mr. Arthur Laidlaw, of Jackson, Michigan, was a guest of his parents over Sunday.

Mr. Walter Park, of McGill's Medical College, Montreal, is visiting in town.

Mrs. Guy Williams leaves in a week or so to join her husband at Tisdale Saskatchewan, N. W. T.

Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald returned from a fortnight's visit with friends near Toronto.

Mrs. Jackson and her daughter, Miss Christine, returned from North Carolina last week.

The following from Mt. Forest attended the I. O. O. F. church service on Sunday last:—R. Ainley, James Brown, John Wolfe, Alex. Hackett, Louis Pfaff, Dan Krusp, Ben Sibbald, O. E. Koenig, Wm. Davis.

Joe Burnett and Alister McIntyre are going to Winnipeg next week. They intend to push the sale of Oxford Cream Separators, and readers in the West can take our word for it that they have an excellent article.

## June Weddings.

LANGLEY—SWALLOW.

An interesting event amid unusually pretty surroundings, took place at "Homewood," the residence of F. Lynn Wixson, brother-in-law of the bride, yesterday, when Mr. Allan James Langley, of Toronto, was united in marriage to Miss Mabel Swallow, youngest daughter of Mr. Thos. Swallow of Durham. The beautiful lawns at the charming home, with their rich profusion of floral and evergreen surroundings, was an ideal spot for the ceremony which was celebrated in the presence of a number of intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties, Rev. S. E. Gregg, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle officiating. Miss Emma Swallow, sister of the bride, was the daintiest of bridesmaids, and Mr. Will Langley, of Toronto, assisted his brother in a like capacity. At the conclusion of the ceremony the company partook of a dainty luncheon. The bride, who is one of Eve's fairest daughters, was most becomingly gowned in ivory crepe de chine, over Valenciennes lace. The skirt was made en train, with panel front and the bodice had a yoke of rich point. She wore a picture hat of white chiffon and carried a bouquet of Lilies of the Valley. The going away suit was of Scotch tweed in a fawn mixture, with a waist of palest green silk, and a black poke hat of folded chiffon. The petite bridesmaid wore silk viole of pale blue, over taffeta, with a yoke of Valenciennes and a black picture hat. She also carried a bouquet of lilies. After receiving the congratulations of their friends the happy couple left for the west on a short honeymoon trip. Mr. and Mrs. Langley will reside in Toronto where a pretty home awaits them on their return. The friends of the family here will unite in ardent wishes for many years of unalloyed happiness in their new relationship.—The Oxford Tribune.

## CLENDENING—MITCHELL.

The marriage of Miss Laura Irene Mitchell, eldest daughter of Mr. John Mitchell, publisher of The Hanover Post, and Mr. Wilfred George Clending, of the Westing House Electric & Manufacturing Co., Pittsburg, and eldest son of Mr. W. S. Clending, of Walkerton, public school inspector for East Bruce, was solemnized at the bride's old home on Tuesday morning of this week at six o'clock. Rev. W. W. Leech, pastor of the Hanover Methodist church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Neither bride nor groom was attended. Upon the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served, after which the party drove immediately to the depot for the early train south. The young couple spent the day in London with friends of the groom and took the evening train for Wilksburg, Pa., where they will reside. The bride received a large number of very beautiful gifts. On the evening preceding the wedding, her mother gave a reception for her when all old friends called between the hours of eight and ten to bid adieu.—Hanover Post.

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