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Read Our Story, "The Man from Brodney's"

NEWS AROUND TOWN

Wanted.—A young girl to do light housework. Apply to Mrs. H. D. Batcheller, Mill Street.

On returning to their lodge room on Sunday last, the Orangemen carried a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Farquharson and the choir for the instructive address and appropriate music furnished at their service in the Presbyterian church.

The Women's Auxilliary of Amos church will hold a garden party in Mr. Andrew Henry's bush, Tartan, on July 21st. A good program is being prepared. Tea served from six till eight o'clock. After tea, football. Admission 15 and 25c.

The garret or store room of the average home contains many articles that have "seen their best days," which could, with very little trouble or expense, be converted into "things of beauty" as well as use with a coat of Wood-Lac. Ask Mr. Hunter for color card.

Rev. and Mrs. Bice, of London, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kress from Saturday till over the 12th. Mr. Bice assisted Rev. Mr. Hartley in Trinity church Sunday morning and evening. Needless to say, both Trinity congregation, as well as their many friends, are pleased to see them looking the picture of health, and are also glad to know that Mr. Bice's new field of labor is thoroughly agreeable to him.

The annual garden party under the auspices of the Presbyterian church was held on the manse grounds on Thursday evening last. As usual a large crowd was present and, the evening being warm, the ice cream and lemonade booths did a flourishing business. A good program was also rendered during the evening, and the 31st Regimental Band enlivened the evening's proceedings with a big program of good music.

The beautiful rain on Sunday filled a long felt want, and the crops have been greatly improved in consequence. Things were beginning to look serious, and a few days more would have been disastrous to some of the farm products. The ground, however, was not so badly dried out as one would suppose, much moisture of the early spring rains being still retained. Crops, generally, are good.

Mrs. Newton was given a very happy evening, and what was a glad surprise on Friday evening last, it being her last night of rehearsal with the choir, before leaving town. The members of the choir had planned a pleasant surprise by having a supper after practice, at which Mr. Bell made a very able speech, testifying of Mrs. Newton's talent as a musician, and of her great assistance to the choir, and help in the services of the church, he also touchingly referred to the talent being cheerfully given to the sick and suffering in his own home. The passing away of his loved ones had been brightened by her presence, and she had ever been a comfort to them by the singing of beautiful hymns. He then asked her to accept a purse of money, presented by Miss MacKenzie, as a token of their esteem, and love. Mrs. Newton made a suitable reply, saying she took no credit to herself for her talent, God had given it and in the gloryland, she wished to return it to Him, polished and brightened, by using it to the very best of her ability for Him and His dear service. She was thankful to be able to help them as a choir, and the church she loved so well, and her parting message was "Be faithful, and do your very best." Thanking them most heartily for their thoughtfulness, she bade them a fond adieu. Mr. Wright, Mr. Search and Mr. Grant McComb also made fitting reference to Mrs. Newton's work, and their appreciation of it. The singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" closed a very happy evening. The purse amounted to twenty dollars.

"The Fact of Christ," and "Is it easy to be a Christian?" will be subjects of sermons in the Methodist church next Sunday.

On Monday last, Mr. Geo. Arrow-smith received notice of the death of his brother, Thomas, who died at Moose Jaw on the 7th inst. Some years ago, he was a resident of this town, but subsequently moved to Niagara district, and about three years ago went West. He leaves a widow, three sons, and one daughter.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. H. D. Batcheller, Mill Street will not receive until the Fall.

Miss Grant has been successful in passing her Normal examination.

Inspector Campbell and son, Wm. left Wednesday for Lake of Bays.

Mr. Geo. McDonald, of Hamilton, is visiting his family here.

Miss Brooker, of Cleveland, is the guest of Miss Aljoe.

Miss Beckwith, of Guelph, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Rowe.

Mr. J. C. Telford, his sister, Miss E., and Master William, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Percy Lawrence, and two children, of Swanton Park are visiting with Mrs. R. Marshall.

Miss Laura Adlam is visiting for a few days with her aunt, Mrs. R. Marshall.

Misses Bertha and Emma Harvey of Toronto, are visiting with their parents here.

Miss M. J. Caldwell has arrived home from Buffalo for her vacation.

Mr. Moore McFadden, of Pickering visited his parents here from Saturday till Wednesday.

Mrs. Herbert Goudreau, and son, Montlade, of Detroit, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lawson, and brother Dan. McDonald, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adlam, and son Herbert, of Cheboygan, Mich., are visiting the former's father, Mr. R. Adlam, and aunt, Mrs. R. Marshall. They intend leaving on Saturday for Toronto and Grand Rapids.

HYMENEAL.

KEMP—KERNEY.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kerney, Balmly Bay Farm, Saskatchewan, on June the fifteenth last, when their fourth daughter, Araminta, was united in marriage to Mr. Howard Kemp, of Kirby, Sask. The ceremony took place on the lawn under a prettily decorated arch, at five o'clock in the evening. At the appointed hour Miss Eva Socolofsky, who presided at the organ, struck up the strains of the wedding march, and the groom, accompanied by his brother, Robert, who acted as groomsmen, took his place, being followed immediately after by the bride, leaning on the arm of her father. Her sister, Miss Olive, was bridesmaid. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Hanley, of Elbow, Sask., in the presence of about fifty guests. The bride was becomingly dressed in white satin sofa silk, trimmed with all-over lace with hat to match. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her traveling suit was a navy blue panama. The bridesmaid wore a dress of cream gloria cloth and carried a bouquet of apple blossoms.

After congratulations, the guests repaired to the dining room, where they partook of a sumptuous repast. The presents were numerous and costly, showing the esteem in which the young couple were held. The groom's gift to the bride being a gold watch and chain.

During the evening the company enjoyed themselves with music, games and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp left on the morning train for their home near Kirby, Sask., amid the good wishes of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kerney formerly resided near Markdale, and are now living near Loreburn, Sask. Doubtless many will remember them.

Battle of The Boayne.

Attendance Estimated at Over 7,000. Twenty-one Lodges of Men and One Lodge of Ladies in The Procession.

A MOST ORDERLY GATHERING

On Tuesday last, the 220th anniversary of the Battle of the Boayne was celebrated in this town, and notwithstanding the somewhat unfavorable appearance in the morning, and a subsequent downpour of rain about noon, it was a record day for attendance of Orangemen and their friends in this part of the province.

Large numbers came in by special trains from Walkerton, Shelburne, Dundalk and Proton, on the C. P. R., and over the G. T. R., special from Southampton, by way of Palmerston. The C.P.R. specials arrived early in the forenoon, but it was nearly noon when the Grand Trunk pulled in to the station.

The citizens wished to appear in something better than their everyday garb, and Monday was almost wholly devoted to the erection of arches and otherwise beautifying the town, which, we must say, had a very respectable appearance, and was favorably spoken of by many of the visitors.

At the crossing of Garafraxa and Lambton Streets, there were four arches, with appropriate mottoes facing each way. A short distance south was an emblematic arch which excited admiration for its artistic make-up, and its uniqueness of character. It was the work of Mr. James Erwin, a young Orangeman just out from Ireland a couple of years. The emblems worked into the arch were all pertaining to the order, and showed much skill and ingenuity in the manner of arrangement. Another arch stood at the end of Lambton Street bridge, and up town, opposite the Central Hotel, one of the best arches of the lot was erected by the Roman Catholic proprietors, McGrath & McAuliffe, whose action on this occasion shows a generous spirit, and deserves commendation.

In addition to these and other arches, the business portion of the streets was lined with evergreens, and many of the shop windows were neatly decorated with colors, and assisted very much in giving the town a gala day appearance.

About two o'clock, the parade began, the procession being led by Mr. Geo. Noble, who represented King William. Starting from the Durham Rink, the lodges followed one another along Albert Street, then west on Saddler to Garafraxa, and north to the Old Durham Road forming a complete line all the way from there to Lambton Street. Looking up the hill, it was a prettily sight to see the regalia members lined on either side, with their flags and banners floating in the breeze, and the spectacle was beautifully intensified as the counter-march was in progress.

The following is the order of the procession:

- George Noble, on horseback.
- Durham Band.
- L. O. L. No. 49, Conn.
- " " 632, Durham,
- " " 689, Varney,
- " " 1192, Glenelg,
- " " 668, Allan Park,
- " " 861, Dromore,
- " " 607, Normanby,
- " " 547, Hanover,
- " " 856, Cargill,
- " " 244, Proton,
- " " 797, Dundalk,
- " " 737, Proton,
- " " 460, Walkerton,
- " " 1136, Proton,
- " " 1202, Proton,
- " " 1745, Proton,
- " " 735, Vesta,
- " " 633 Mt. Forest,
- " " 777, Normanby,
- " " 936, Conn
- " " 1258, Cedarville.

Ladies' Lodge of True Blues, of Cargill, passed through in carriages, about the centre of the procession.

All proceeded to the Agricultural Park, where an address of welcome

was given by Mayor Laidlaw, the position of Chairman being ably filled by Mr. Allen, of Mt. Forest.

Brief addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Powell, of Chesley; Lieut.-Col. Scott, of Walkerton; Rev. A. A. Bice, of London; Rev. Mr. Buchanan, of Dundalk; Rev. Mr. Smith, of Farewell, and all the local clergymen.

The prizes were awarded as follows:

Best dressed Lodge.—No. 607, (McFarlane Lodge) Normanby, 1st; No. 633 Mt. Forest, 2nd.

Best marching.—No. 633, Mt. Forest, 1st; No. 244, Proton, 2nd.

Largest number in procession.—No. 244, Proton, 1st; No. 1136, Proton, 2nd.

Lodge coming greatest distance.—No. 735, Vesta 36 miles, 1st; No. 1745, Coronation Lodge, Proton, 35 miles, 2nd.

Oldest member.—George Keyes, of Garland Lodge, No. 656, 83 years of age, and a member in continuous good standing for 66 years.

The lacrosse match between Walkerton and Durham at the close of the afternoon's speaking, developed into a one-sided game, the locals winning easily, 11 to 1.

The concert in the evening was listened to by a packed house. The entertainment was furnished by a quartette of artists, each being high class in their respective lines. Mr. Millard G. Stauffer, impersonating Harry Lauder, delighted the audience in "Mrs. Mick," "Birds of a Feather," "The Husk-in' Bee," and others, and was forced to appear two and three times to each selection. He had a good stage appearance and a pleasing personality, and his renderings, which were extremely funny, were altogether reined, and devoid of anything objectionable.

Miss Annie Hope, the Champion Scottish dancer, gave a splendid exhibit on of her skill in the Highland Fling, Japanese, Sailors' Horn pipe, Irish Jig, and other dances. Connor Meehan, tenor soloist, added to his reputation in a fine rendering of "When the Kye Comes Home," "Nora," and other numbers.

The Maple Leaf orchestra, a local musical organization, consisting of Messrs. Banks, and the McClocklin Bros. gave a few spirited selections that delighted the audience.

Notwithstanding the large crowd we believe that very little difficulty was experienced in providing the necessary accommodation. It was felt that the hotels alone would not be able to feed them, and the English church, in the town hall, and the Methodists, in the basement of their church, relieved the situation very much, by providing dinner and supper. The former fed over 1000, and the latter nearly as many. Besides, there was eating accommodation and refreshment rooms in many other places. The hotels had a big day and had all they could do. The order was good, and all seemed to enjoy themselves fully.

The dancing pavilion, and lunch and refreshment counter in connection were well patronized.

SAUGEEN VALLEY.

Mr. Jas. McGillivray had a very successful garden party last Tuesday night, and they had an enjoyable time, and an abundance of ice cream and lemonade. A good program was also given, which included singing by Durham and Glenelg Centre choirs.

The Misses Davis are visiting at the parental home for their holidays, from the Queen City.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Styles were the guests of Mr. Geo. and Sarah Craig.

Messrs. Robt. and Jas. McGillivray drove out to the garden party at the Presbyterian manse, Durham, on Thursday night, and were accompanied by ten fair ladies of our burg.

Quite a number of our neighbors have started haying, on account of the hot and dry weather.

—Fairy Queen.

Mr. Jos. Moore was home from Toronto for a few days, and took in the 12th celebration here.

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