

Holstein.

(Our own correspondent.) Mr. Robert Little of Owen Sound is spending a few days in the village with Mr. and Mrs. Orchard.

Seeding operations are almost completed in this vicinity, some of the early sowing having already appeared above ground.

The annual clean-up in the park took place on Friday last. A few of the faithful ones were present. The flower-beds were arranged and planted thereon several shade trees were planted, grounds cleaned up; an electric wire is broken, and when this is repaired all will be in readiness for occupation, either night or day.

The adjoining grounds have been fitted up and are now in good condition for all sorts of games. The football boys had a few workouts and are getting into shape for action. A team has been entered in the W.F.A. but no grouping has yet been made public.

The community circle at a recent meeting elected officers for the summer months and outdoor sports will be indulged in. President, Miss D. Thorne; Vice-President, R. Haas; Secretary, Miss I. West; Treasurer, John Allen; Committees—Soft Ball, B. Eccles, G. Brown, M. Reid; Tennis, G. S. Foster, W. Thorne, Miss R. West; Group Games, Misses Davidson, Floyd and Arnall, and Messrs. Adams and Brown; Volley Ball, G. Koch, H. McDougall and Misses Edwards and Kerr.

Mr. Art. Abbs spent the week-end with his parents at Tiverton. Miss Lizzie Ross of Detroit is here on a visit with relatives.

Mr. Gordon Fisher, Durham, has taken charge of the South End Garage.

Rev. J. W. Hunt of Freeman was present at the morning service in the Methodist church last Sabbath and assisted the pastor in the communion service.

Mrs. Collins of Todmorden spent the week-end with the Hunt and Tyndall families.

The four patrons of the Egremont creamery sending the highest number of pounds of butter fat between April 21 and May 3 are: Henry Damm 70.94 lbs., James A. Smith 62.66, Robert Aitken 62.62, Memo Schenk 53.83 lbs.

Ebenezer.

(Our own correspondent.) The majority of the farmers in this part have finished seeding, while the others are nearing the completion.

Misses Margaret and Janet McDonald of South Bentinck spent Friday afternoon last with the Misses Reay, and with Miss Annie Lawrence.

Messrs. Norman and William McDonald of South Bentinck spent Friday evening at Mr. Thomas H. Lawrence's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander.

Mr. Thomas McCulloch of Michigan, U.S.A., spent over the week-end with his mother, who is ill and not expected to recover.

Miss Margaret S. McDonald of South Bentinck spent an evening the first of the week with her friend, Miss Hazel Johnston.

Mrs. Margaret Smith of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her aged mother, Mrs. William McCulloch, Sr., who is not enjoying good health, but has been bedfast for some time past. Mrs. McCulloch is in her 85th year.

Miss Pearl Wilson, teacher, here, spent the week-end at her home in Elmwood.

Mr. Thomas McCulloch, accompanied by his nephews, William and Joseph, spent an afternoon the first of the week at South Bentinck, where the former was renewing old acquaintances.

Arbor Day was duly observed at the school here. The teacher and scholars were kept real busy during the afternoon removing the old shed which had fallen during the last vacation. The yard was tidied up, and everything looks much better. When the work was completed, Miss Wilson treated all the children and dismissed them. Some returned home, while others went a-fishing.

Rocky Saugeen

(Our own correspondent.) Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson and daughter Jessie, of Toronto, called on some of their relatives along the line on their way to Crawford to attend the funeral of their cousin, Miss Flora McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. William McFarlane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. McLean.

Misses May and Carrie Mitchell spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Neil McLean.

Our Sunday school, which has been closed for the winter, will probably re-open on Sunday, May 10.

Mrs. A. Symonds returned last week after visiting for a few days with her mother, who is very ill.

A number of this line attended the debates in Edge Hill school, No. 7, Normandy, won the cup.

Master Campbell Even is home from the hospital, and his many friends are glad to hear of his improvement.

Glenmont.

(Our own correspondent.) Everybody's busy. Seeding is in full swing; also house-cleaning.

imate accident when he fell and broke five ribs, which will necessitate him taking a few weeks' rest. Mr. Andrew Hay has been engaged to carry on the seeding.

Miss Susie Tucker and some friends from Southampton motored to Mr. Alfred Tucker's the first of last week.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at Ebenezer Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

The Quarterly Council Board will be held on Monday night.

Mr. John Lawrence of Durham is visiting a while with his daughter, Mrs. Jones Harrison.

Mrs. E. Ritchie and son John are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Harrison, Swinton Park.

George Ostrander is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Dave Hooper.

Mulock

(Our own correspondent.) Every sympathy is extended to the bereaved sisters and brother, as well as the large circle of friends of the late Flora McDonald of Hamilton, who passed to the higher life at the Hanover hospital on May 3, 1924.

She was of a quiet disposition and Christian character, and had a personality that won the friendship of all who knew her.

She loved the Lord's house and its services, desired and sought for the prosperity of the Lord's work.

Her sunny smile and hearty handshake will be sadly missed by a host of friends who loved her here.

The hearse and casket evidenced the sincere affection of her many friends.

Loving and kind in all her ways, upright and just to the end of her days.

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Mr. Edgar Boyce has rented the Hobkirk farm for the year 1924.

Miss Annie Hobkirk leaves this week for her new home in Durham. Having been born and brought up amongst us, we assure you there were many expressions of regret when it was learned of her intention to leave us.

We cannot estimate the value of a kind and obliging neighbor such as she has been, and her place in the community life and in all organizations of the church will be hard to fill.

The wish of her many friends here is that she may long live to enjoy her declining years in comfort in her new home.

We are pleased to report that the Rev. Aird and family are again out of quarantine. The regular church services are to be conducted as usual at Mulock and Glenelg; in the morning at Mulock at 11 o'clock, and at Glenelg at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Mr. Dan McDonald and family motored up from Toronto Saturday and spent Sunday with friends here.

Swinton Park.

(Our own correspondent.) The weather for the past week was ideal for seeding operations, and a good many here are well advanced.

Another fine week and a lot of ground will be seeded.

A good many here have tried for the speckled beauties, and a few have been successful in landing—clubs.

Mr. William McKinney is at present framing a driving shed for Mr. J. Lane.

Mr. Andy Lane has completed seeding on farm No. 1 and will be having a good start on his home piece this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan of Dundalk spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill and family spent Sunday at Mr. R. Knox's.

Mr. J. A. Martin has purchased a Ford from Dr. A. D. McAlister, Dundalk.

Auto agents are very busy these days in this neighborhood. A good many sales will be made in the near future.

Miss Ruby Haw of Toronto is spending her vacation at her home here for two weeks.

South Bentinck

(Our own correspondent.) Mr. George Constable, accompanied by his cousin, Miss Ruby Blyth, of Varney, spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Derby.

Priceville.

(Our own correspondent.) This community has been visited during the past week with snow and rain storms. The farmers are busy getting the seed in but remark the lack of growth, as the earth is so cold, and up till recently the lack of rain. We have had no really warm weather as yet.

Several of our local fishermen have tried their luck since the season opened, but with very little success. However, we are glad to see the fish being fed so liberally.

Mr. Angus Clark is confined to bed with an attack of pleurisy. Nurse McKinnon is in attendance, and we are glad to hear of his continued improvement.

Mrs. Mary Hinks of our village, who has been ailing for some time, was moved out to her son's home, North Line, Artemesia, where we are sure she will receive the necessary care towards complete recovery.

We are glad to see the Misses Minnie and Margaret Simpson of Chicago also Mrs. Wright, back in our community again, where we understand they intend spending the summer months.

We hear that the good roads will soon be in full swing again when steady work will again be possible for those requiring it.

Rev. Mr. Mathewson of Eastern Ontario preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday, and was very well received and highly spoken of. We understand that a congregational meeting is called for Monday, May 12, to vote on a call on this last group of ministers. We hope for better luck this time.

Would it not be advisable for our community to get behind an agitation to start some sort of sports for the young folks this spring. What about a football team? or a basketball team, or tennis? We will have sufficient young folks around this season to make any or all of these games a success.

Our community is falling behind sadly this last few years in sports, and it is time some thing was done to encourage the young folks along this line, as it is a fine education in many ways for young folks to be good in any or all games. We wonder if we can start something! Let's try!

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Thomas Kennedy of the Town Line, South, on Monday morning, after a short illness with pneumonia. The deceased has been unwell for quite a long time and when attacked by pneumonia was in a very poor condition to withstand it. We sympathize with the family in their bereavement. The funeral is to take place from his late residence on Wednesday, May 7, at 2 p.m.

Traverston

(Our own correspondent.) Seeding operations are badly held back this week. Nature often upsets the farmers' plans, and off his profits, too.

Mrs. George Blair was very low with pneumonia the early part of the week, but has taken a change for the better. Nurse Sims of Owen Sound has charge of the patient.

Mrs. Peter O'Neil is down on a visit to her brother, Mr. R. Doyle, at Paris. He has been quite ill of late.

Mrs. Thomas Meagher and family visited with Mr. Pat. Fogarty part of last week.

Miss Elizabeth Hughes and Miss Margaret Whiteford of Hampden, were guests of Mrs. J. J. Peart over the week-end. Miss Mary Hughes is a visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFadden of Orange Valley were the guests of the cook homestead on Tuesday.

Miss E. J. Allan and pupils of No. 5 did a lot of tidying up on Arbor Day and, then, the youngsters had a big candy treat.

Messrs. Rob Garland and Roy Cunningham of Palmerston, accompanied Mr. Ed. Cook home on Saturday evening, returning Monday morning.

A big congregation partook in sacramental services in Zion on Sunday.

Stockers are being picked up earlier than usual this spring at fair prices. Mr. George Ryan bought some good ones from Messrs. J. H. Robson and P. Nelson.

Three cream trucks passed along the line this week, so there is competition a-plenty. Dairy cows are all stabled yet and the hay mows will be well cleaned up this spring.

Knox Corners.

(Our own correspondent.) The farmers are busy with their seeding, and the farmers' wives are doing their best to persuade the old gray cluckers to hatch out as many eggs as they can—and as soon as possible.

The Knox Sunday school started last Sabbath with a fairly good attendance. Not only there will be an increase as the summer advances.

A speaker sent by the Provincial

Prohibition League, formerly called the Dominion Alliance, took charge of the service at Knox on Sunday. He spoke very earnestly on the temperance question and gave figures to show that the O.T.A. was of more benefit than Government control, as they have it in British Columbia and Quebec.

Mrs. Ferguson has returned from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Moses Donnelly, Bentinck. Mrs. Allan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace.

The funeral of the late Charles Birr takes place this Tuesday. We sympathize with the family in their loss.

A meeting will be held in the church this Tuesday night to organize a girls' baseball team.

Our sick ones are improving slowly. By the way, most of the lassies around Knox have their hair bobbed!

SATISFACTORY RESULT
An Englishman said to a Scottish friend, "How is it that Scotsmen get on well in business?"

"Brains, my boy," was the reply. "You should eat more fish. Give me ten shillings, and I'll get you some of the fish I generally eat."

The Englishman paid the ten shillings, and the fish was sent to him.

A few days later he met the Scotsman again.

"Well, how did you get on?"

"Do you feel any different?"

"No, I can't say that I feel any different," said the Englishman, "but ten shillings was a lot for a piece of fish, wasn't it?"

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Dr. McComb's work has received much commendation throughout Grey County and is beyond criticism. Arrange an appointment for examination with Mr. McFadden between 9:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., May 12.

BORN
Stegman.—On Thursday, May 1, 1924, at the Private Patients' Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Hammond Stegman (nee Jean Allen), a daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

Animals are kept on the roofs of the houses in Lima, Peru, and it frequently happens that a cow passes her whole life on a roof, being taken there as a calf and brought down finally as fresh beef.

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MRS. W. McCULLOCH DIED ON TUESDAY

Passed Away At Home of Her Son After Illness of Five Weeks From Heart Trouble and Complications.

Mrs. William McCulloch, one of the oldest and best-known residents of the Township of Bentinck, passed away on Tuesday of this week after an illness which confined her to her bed for the past five weeks.

Mrs. McCulloch was in her 83th year and was one of the hardy pioneers who hewed their home out of the virgin forest. Always a strong woman, she little knew what sickness meant, but five weeks ago was taken down with an affection of the heart, and at her advanced age, recovery was scarcely looked for.

The deceased was born at Invernesshire, Scotland, and lived in the land of the heather until twenty-two years of age, when she came out to Canada, the land of promise and for three or four years resided in Puslinch vicinity, and Hamilton, where she entered domestic service.

It was in Hamilton that she met her late husband, Mr. William McCulloch, who passed away twenty-three years ago.

Mr. McCulloch came to Bentinck over sixty years ago, and shortly afterward the deceased, then Miss Christina Clark, came to Durham by stage coach and the young couple were joined in wedlock by the late Rev. William Park. Since that time, with the exception of three years spent in Michigan, Mrs. McCulloch has been a continuous resident in the neighborhood of Vickers, and was a very highly respected and much esteemed resident of the township.

Besides one son, who died in infancy, a family of five sons and one daughter survive: William G., at whose home she died, and who has always resided on the farm with his parents; Thomas, in Pontiac, Mich.; Alex., in Detroit, Mich.; Angus, Scotch-Peterborough, Ont., and Mrs. W. P. Smith of Detroit, who arrived last week and was at her mother's bedside when she died. One brother, 89 years of age, and residing at Duluth, Minn., also survives.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence near Vickers, and interment will be made in Durham cemetery.

NORMANBY RESIDENT DEAD IN NINETY-SEVENTH YEAR

Died Sunday and Interment Was Made Tuesday at Aytun.

Mr. Charles Birr, an old resident of Normandy Township passed away on Sunday in his ninety-seventh year.

The late Mr. Birr was born in Germany and came to Canada over fifty years ago, settling in the township in which he died. During all this time, we understand he has been a resident on the 46th Concession of Normandy, a couple of miles west of Knox church.

Mrs. Birr predeceased him three years ago.

The late Mr. Birr, who was a well known and respected citizen, leaves a grown-up family of three sons and three daughters, as follows: John and Alf, in Normandy; August, in Hanover; Mrs. Walter Horsburgh, in Normandy; Mrs. Charles Weber, Aytun, and Miss Bertha, at home.

Misses Zetta and Mary Birr of this town are grandchildren of the deceased. The funeral was held on Tuesday to the Lutheran cemetery at Aytun, the Rev. Mr. Langlois officiating.

UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY MET IN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. P. J. McLaren Delivered Good Address.—Year's Business Reviewed in Reports of Local Officers.
A meeting of the Durham branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society was held in the Baptist church here last Thursday evening.
The feature of the evening was an address by the Rev. P. J. McLaren, Toronto, Secretary of the society, who spoke on the aims and work of the society.
Reports dealing with the work of last year were received from the Secretary, Mr. C. E. Watson, and the Treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Derby.
After some discussion it was decided to ask the members of the town to speak at a date to be announced later, when a special offering would be asked for.
A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. McLaren for his interesting address.
The old officers of the society were elected as follows: President, Dr. J. L. Smith; Secretary, C. E. Watson; Treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Derby.
THOMAS KENNEDY DIED ON SUNDAY AT PRICEVILLE
Passed Away After Long Illness—Interment Made Wednesday in McNeill's Cemetery, Priceville.
Thomas Kennedy, a man about 55 years of age, living on the Artemesia side of the Glenelg town line about half a mile from Priceville, passed away Sunday night after a long illness from bronchial trouble. The immediate cause of death was pneumonia.
The late Mr. Kennedy leaves to mourn their loss four brothers and one sister: Dan, at Markdale, John, at Varney, Colin, in Durham, Allan, in Egremont, and Miss Bella at Varney. Interment was made Wednesday in McNeill's cemetery, Priceville.
We have no other particulars.