

**Allan Park**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Thrashing machines are humming on all sides of us. The men report the thrashings as being almost unbearable for dust.

We are sorry to report Mr. Ed. Everett's misfortune. While assisting Clayton Davis catch a horse last Friday evening the horse held by Clayton became scared and sprang into the air throwing him and in some manner also struck Mr. Everett. Just what happened is not yet known but Mr. Everett was the loser as he is now suffering with two broken ribs and a cracked one.

We are also sorry to report the sudden sickness of Mr. C. Eberth from an attack of appendicitis. He was at Mr. Everett's home inquiring as to his condition when the attack seized him with the usual tremendous pain. He went home and on calling a doctor soon had the pain somewhat relieved. On Sunday he was improved and more so Monday morning but by Monday evening he was not so well and was taken to the Hanover Hospital where a successful operation was performed and we are glad to note that he is now doing well.

Miss Eva Hallman of Hanover is spending a few weeks in this burg being ordered by the doctor to go to the country for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Metcalfe spent Sunday afternoon with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crispin and family spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. James Park.

Last Sunday special services were conducted in the Anglican church, afternoon and evening. The church was beautifully decorated with grain, fruit and vegetables, and the pews were all filled with people. Rev. Mr. Alliston conducted the services and certainly delivered a wonderful message each time.

**Crawford**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Parks and daughter Lillian, of Allan Park, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. George H. Torry.

Mr. Ray McGlocklin of Zion visited Sunday with his sisters, Mrs. Wm. Campbell and Mrs. Frank Twamley.

The Misses Flynn and Scarborough of Hanover, Messrs. Walter and Tom Scales and Miss Lizzie Henderson, of near Hanover, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hastie and the Henderson family.

Mr. Edgar Boyce and son, Beverly, are spending a couple of days visiting at Mrs. Boyce's former home in Brant.

Mr. Harvey Stevens of Chesley, spent last Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hastie.

The Young People's Society met last Thursday evening, September 30. A large crowd was in attendance and a good program was provided. Miss Ethel Henderson and Mrs. Ergar Boyce gave good addresses entitled, "What Is the Church?" and "What Does Our Church Teach About God?" respectively. Mrs. Dougald McDonald and Mr. Herman Bierworth sang two beautiful solos. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Young gave many helpful suggestions. The next meeting will be in charge of the Missionary. The topic is India. Come and hear more about this distant country which is part of our British Empire and where there is a big task for the church in Christianizing the heathen.

Congratulations to Miss Ruby Blyth, our teacher, in scoring high in the marching and also in the fine showing of physical exercises at the Bentinck School Fair. We also congratulate Mr. Herman Bierworth on securing third place among the schools. His pupils too showed excellent training.

Many from this community attended the anniversary services in the Mulock Baptist church on Sunday morning and evening and enjoyed the addresses delivered by Rev. Mr. Taylor of Durham.

**Calderwood**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Our weather is nice and warm now. We must be having Indian summer.

Miss Agnes Orchard spent the week-end at her home near Mount Forest.

Liebold Bros. are busy doing some cementing. Joe Schoen of Pike Lake is helping them.

The Teachers' convention is being held this Thursday and Friday in Markdale. This will mean several more holidays for the pupils.

Mrs. Thomas Ellis of Salem spent a pleasant afternoon with Mrs. McMullen last Tuesday.

Almost everyone is nursing a very bad cold these days.

Miss O'Reilly had a summons last week to her home, as her father was very sick. We trust that he is on the road to recovery.

Mr. Kaufman is shingling his

house and making preparations for moving on to our line.

The children at Nenagh are enjoying some holidays at present, as their teacher is on the sick list.

**Glenelg and Priceville**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. Editor, it is some time since you heard from us and this Tuesday, October 5, we are trying to collect some matter for The Durham Chronicle.

The seasons are swiftly passing by and as an old colored man said in a rhyme, "The fall ob de year comes in October, and I am sometimes drunk and sometimes sober," and he lay down to have a nap in his old hut to get sober.

The maples are turning to the shades of fall, the fields are beginning to be in readiness for a coming year by being ploughed in many instances, so the weary farmer has strong faith in the promises given by the Creator, firmly trusting that their lot may be engaged in the duty entrusted to them year after year. All have strong hopes, although somewhat discouraged this year by a failure in the crops; but still trusting that the year 1927 will be a prosperous one. But we must pass on, giving some of the passing events of the season.

The order of the day in general is thrashing. The Newell Bros. are on the Edge Hill line, while Colin McLean is taking up the Durham Road, Glenelg. Complaints are that the grain is light, especially oats. Fall wheat has a fine appearance. We noticed a field of Mr. David Robinson's, across the road, has a fine-looking appearance, and others just as good.

We notice that the Traverton correspondent has resumed his old manner as a writer, and after his defeat says that he doesn't lose any sleep over his failure. His opponents in general wish him success in the duties attending his large business as a farmer.

We were pleased to meet Mrs. (Dr.) Dixon of Calgary, nee Mary Ellen McArthur, daughter of the late John McArthur of Priceville. Mrs. Dixon was reminded of the days of her girlhood in the old town and many of her girl chums are now in many instances mothers. Her mother, Mrs. Waite, is living with her.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon, who had a severe accident last winter, is at the old home now and is fairly well again.

Rev. W. H. Smith of Durham paid a flying visit to some of his parishioners at Edge Hill one day lately.

We spent some two weeks at the old home lately and attended service in the Presbyterian church, Priceville, and listened to good sermons by pastor and other clergymen. Rev. Mr. Sutherland is improving and will be able in a short time to resume his work again with his congregation.

We see the Presbyterian church, Durham, is progressing fast and by the approach of winter will be under cover.

Mr. Colin McMillan, who spent the summer and part of last winter on a visit is again back and at his brother and sister's, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKinnon's, South Glenelg.

Top Cliff school is to be congratulated on getting two prizes lately, one at Edge Hill and one at Durham. The teacher, Miss Lizzie MacGuaig, deserves credit for her manner of educating her pupils.

A number from Glenelg attended Mr. Dugald McPhail's sale last Monday under the hammer of Auctioneer O'Neil. Everything went high. Mr. McPhail would like to call off, as a natural consequence.

Mr. John L. McKinnon, B.A., of Saskatoon Collegiate, motored from his old home in South Glenelg, through the States 2,000 miles, in seven days.

The many friends of Hugh McDonald, who died in a far away country lately, will regret to hear of his death. He was a cousin of the writer and many others in the county of Grey. He leaves one brother, Charles McDonald, of Bruce, to mourn his loss. Mr. McDonald was born one mile west of Dornoch 80 years ago when all was a wilderness. He left the old home 50 years ago.

Mrs. Staples, mother of Mr. Fred Staples at Edge Hill, is still ailing.

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but hopes she will be around again soon.

Mr. Thomas Nichol is progressing fast on the good roads on the other side of Maxwell.

The funeral of the late Miss Bridget McArthur of the Glen, Glenelg, last Friday, was one of the largest seen for some time, he being an old resident of some 76 years on the Durham Road, Glenelg. He was familiar with the many residents of the place. He was buried beside his wife in the old cemetery at Priceville. The Rev. Mr. McCormick, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Sutherland, preached the funeral obsequies. Mr. McArthur was an old Presbyterian and while able to attend his place in the church was seldom vacant. The condolence of many friends goes to the bereaved family in the loss of their aged parent.

**Aberdeen**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Ruby Hestlett of the N. B. C., and friend, Miss Miriam Johnston of Owen Sound, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Hestlett.

Mrs. David Lamb spent an afternoon recently with Mrs. Dugald Clark at the Rocky.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McArthur attended the funeral of the late Mr. John McArthur, Priceville, on Friday last.

T. Francis, cattle buyer, Hanover, was in this burg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lamb motored to Blenheim Saturday to spend the week-end with their daughter, Miss Mary, who is teaching there.

**Dornoch**

(Our Own Correspondent)

The monthly meeting of the Presbyterian W.M.S. was held Monday with a full attendance.

Misses Norah and Agnes Sullivan of Owen Sound spent the week-end at their home here.

The annual beef-ring meeting was held Saturday evening, all the officers for the coming year being appointed, including Mr. T. Turnbull as butcher.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnston of Barrie visited friends and relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. John Vasey, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Kennedy, attended the convention of the Catholic Women's League at Preston, as delegates from St. Paul's church here.

We are all very sorry to hear of Mr. James Sullivan being ill at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip McDonald of Mulock spent Sunday with the Corlett family.

The funeral of the late Miss Bridget Barry of Glenelg, took place at St. Paul's church here on Saturday morning.

We are glad to report that Mrs. William Smith is improving after a severe attack of blood poisoning in the face.

Contented to Know He Had It Dad: You don't know on which side your bread is buttered, young man!

**Glenroadin**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Neil McKechnie is visiting her son, Mr. Dougald McKechnie, in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kenny spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horst, near Elmwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKechnie motored to Meaford and spent a few days with friends there.

Mrs. Cameron, son and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Barlow of Glen Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Trafford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trafford of town, Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of the Rocky, and Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd, all spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Trafford.

Miss Genevieve Eadie has returned to her home in Toronto, where she is attending the Normal school.

Miss Maud Boyd is remaining in Toronto, where she has accepted a good position.

**Holstein**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Rev. C. Jay, wife and little son, left for Toronto Monday to attend the missionary convention, to be held in Massey Hall Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Miss Gilmour of Burgessville spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hunter.

Mr. C. Lucas, manager of the Bank of Montreal here, returned on Tuesday evening after spending three weeks with relatives at Haliburton and other points.

Miss M. Swanson spent a week recently with her nephew, W. Horsburgh, near Fordwich.

Mr. George Hostetter left Saturday for the west, where he will continue his work as commercial traveller.

Mr. Hildyard was in Harriston last Saturday attending the High and Continuation school convention.

Mr. Gordon Koch spent the week-end in Allenford.

Miss Floyd was in Owen Sound over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fenton had as guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. R. Fenton and son of Port Elgin.

Rev. Mr. Cross of Toronto conducted the services in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath.

Mrs. Archer of Toronto is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garson.

Mrs. William Geddes of Hanover visited Mrs. H. Lamont last Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Sharpe returned to his home in Guelph after spending a week with relatives and friends here.

The new closed-in sheds are about completed and will provide ample accommodation.

The Woods Concert Company are providing a week's entertainment in the village. They are having full houses.

Mr. L. Cross, who has been relieving in the Bank of Montreal here during the absence of Mr. Lucas on his vacation, returned to his home in Guelph on Wednesday.

W. B. Rife and family motored to Wiarton Sunday.

Messrs. Percy Whyte and Colin McArthur of Detroit spent a week here recently with relatives.

R. J. Arnill and family motored to Toronto Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Parr.

Miss Elda Manary went to Toronto last week to spend a few days with her sister and other relatives.

Mr. George Woolis of the 10th of Egremont passed away Wednesday morning. He was stricken with paralysis about a week ago.

**Edge Hill**

(Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Marjorie Ritchie was home from Owen Sound over the week-end.

Mrs. Adam Anderson is visiting friends in Palmerston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ritchie spent the beginning of the week with his brother, Mr. John Ritchie, Holland.

Miss Rubena Little of Dundalk is visiting her uncle, Mr. Robert Ector.

The 28th annual meeting of the Edge Hill beef-ring was held at Mr. Robert Ector's on Tuesday evening, with a good attendance of members present. The President, Mr. D. Robinson, occupied the chair. The average weight of the beef for the season was 422 pounds. After winding up the business for 1926, the ring was reorganized for 1927 with the following officers: President, Thomas Ritchie; Secy.-Treas., Cecil Moffat; Auditors, Robert McFadden, Jas. Atkinson; Inspectors, Albert McNally, Victor Williams, Robert Ector. Mr. Thomas Turnbull, who has been the butcher during the 28 years, has been again appointed for 1927. The rules are practically the same this year and the ring is to commence the second week in June.

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**50TH WEDDING D QUIETLY O**

Mr. and Mrs. John Back Were Married Fifty Years of this Month and Their Whole Lives in a City.

Last Saturday, was a day of much importance in the lives of Mrs. John Back, of 5th of this month and on that date 50 years ago married at the home of parents in Bentinck. Versaries are seldom of course of human life and the fiftieth milestone of married life we can assure Backs, who had his lives in this vicinity as highly regarded, that the congratulations of the city side on having of which is denied the great of our citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Back, the absence of their far West and elsewhere, anniversary of their 50th of married life very quiet home on Gantness street is more than possible celebration will take summer when the family under the parental roof to the scenes of their here. While not present casual of the anniversary children and friends were mindful of the occasion and the venerable couple congratulations and telegrams their family and others of the hope that they have time to enjoy their health and be long as (Continued on page)

**NEARLY READY FOR THE**

Work on New Presbyterian Going Ahead in Satisfactory and Will Likely For Occupancy at End

The backward in the byterian church at the Lambton and Albert streets completion and this the commencement of upward, putting on the roof in place, it will a before the work of filling interior is commenced, thought that the building ready for the regular service congregation toward the year, or early in 1927. ment weather during the mer and the frequent caused more than usual, nevertheless the work being on satisfactorily. The contract for the was held by the Ritchie that for the roof has been by Mr. J. H. Harding of roofing material is special Brantford extra he states. It is expected ing of the states early next week.



HAD NO LUCK IN C The world was thrilled in stages of the Great War story of Michael O'Leary, the Victoria Cross for and wiping out slightest of German soldiers. been in Canada before returned after it was over not prospered. After jobs and more than his hard luck, he is returned Ireland, where a rich promised to look after his wife and four children of Hamilton is arranging his return.