

### Glenmont

(Our Own Correspondent)

Threshing is the order of the day in this neighborhood this week. Royce Bees, are the threshers, while Roy Lawrence's outfit is farther to the West.

Mr. Thomas Tucker is having his stables cemented. Messrs. John McBeth and Geo. Lawrence are assisting with the work.

Miss Grace Ramage is spending a few days with her parents in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tucker from Morning's Mills visited with friends around here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Heard and Mrs. R. B. Heard, of Proton, spent Sunday evening at Mr. T. B. Wier's.

Mrs. Ed. Harrison has been visiting in Durham with her daughter Mrs. H. Falmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Harrison, jr. were in Markdale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith and Mr. R. Burgess from near Listowel were recent visitors at Mr. Jas. Weir's.

In our mention of the telephone subscribers last week we omitted the name of Mr. Isaac Hooper, ring 3-1.

The weather these days makes us feel that winter isn't far away, but we hope for better weather yet.

### Swinton Park.

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The past week has been very wet and a good amount of snow fell nearly every night, making the ground very difficult to plough.

Threshing has been the order of the day in these parts and is pretty well completed for another year the Swamp College steam outfit doing most of the work. Oliver Millner and his gas outfit are out near Dundalk but are on the return trip.

Anniversary services were held last Sunday in Salem United Church and drew large crowds to both services, afternoon and evening. The Rev. Mr. Harrower of Flesher-ton was the speaker of the day and delivered two impressive sermons. On Monday evening a fowl supper was put on by the ladies and considering the disagreeable roads and weather a large crowd turned out for the occasion and were highly delighted with the supper and program.

The Douglas Quartette of Markdale were the main feature of the evening and rendered some very popular vocal selections. Rev. Mr. Smith of Durham also was on hand and delivered a humorous address. The Salem choir also delivered some fine selections and also R. Richardson and Carl McLean. On Tuesday evening a Social was held to finish the cats that were left over and a good crowd assembled and had a program from local talent. The proceeds for the occasion were over \$127, which is a very good showing for the church.

Miss M. Knox of Toronto is visiting with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. R. Knox.

Mr. H. Montgomery of Dundalk spent a pleasant evening at the Park.

Mr. J. H. Richardson treated his friends to a good supper on Friday night.

Miss Sadie Ferguson and Miss Taylor of Toronto visited Sunday at Mr. Yeo, Martin's.

### Willowdale

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Willowdale has been kind of slow this last while. We will say it is due to the bad weather. We hope to have a change soon.

Mrs. Joseph Davison spent a couple of days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mighton.

Mrs. E. Armstrong of Hutton Hill spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Goutts.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker and little daughter of Campbell's Corners visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reay Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Torry took in the party at Mr. Dave Adams, Durham, on Monday evening.

Quite a number from this neighborhood attended the funeral of Mr. Arthur Baker last Wednesday afternoon. We extend our sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grat Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reay and family spent a day in Owen Sound recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker of Egremont spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Joseph Brown.

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Mr. Jarvis Scott, a former resident of the village met with a serious accident while motorcycling from Newmarket to Toronto a week

ago last Sunday. A car he was meeting out across the road and he was struck and hurled into the ditch. He was found unconscious and rushed to Newmarket Hospital. The driver sped away.

A meeting of the Library Board was held on Friday last with a good attendance of members present. Our library is an institution much appreciated by the patrons throughout the township as well as by members in the village. It is desirable to put the Library in a better financial position. To meet this a concert is to be held in the near future. The Library has been in existence for over twenty five years and many have enjoyed the privilege of being members and obtaining much useful information at a very low cost. There needs to be a grand rally to keep this useful institution on a sound financial basis.

### HUSBAND KILLED AND WIFE SERIOUSLY INJURED WHEN STRUCK BY TRAIN

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#### Sister-in-Law Witnessed Accident

At the house, which is situated on the hill and only a few yards from the gate and the track, Mrs. Moore and daughter Esther heard the train whistle and saw it coming, and when it was seen that Mr. and Mrs. Highley had stopped at the gate, the daughter remarked, "Uncle John is not taking any chances with the train." A few seconds later Mrs. Moore and her daughter were horrified to see the car start up the incline toward the track, and a moment later move directly in the path of the oncoming engine, which was travelling at possibly 25 miles an hour.

The car had evidently not much more than reached the track, as an investigation after the accident disclosed the probability that the pilot had struck the machine at the back of the engine, hurled it around, and dragged it down the track a distance of 100 feet or more. Mrs. Highley was thrown out by the impact, but Mr. Highley was carried about 20 feet before thrown clear of the car. Both were thrown into the water in the ditch alongside the track. Mr. Highley being rendered unconscious.

The car was completely demolished, having been dragged a considerable distance and badly smashed when it was dragged along the road-bed and crushed against the station platform. Eyewitnesses, including the train crew, say they never saw an automobile more completely demolished and it is remarkable that either of the occupants escaped being killed instantly.

#### Engineer Did Not See Car

The train was in charge of Conductor Robert Campbell and Engineer G. Moore of Walkerton. The engineer knew nothing of the accident until he heard the crash, as he had blown the whistle and was watching the public crossing a few yards farther east, as the train had on several occasions been compelled to slow down to escape hitting cattle at this point. When he heard the crash he knew something was wrong and brought the train to a stop in a comparatively few yards.

Conductor Campbell hurried to the spot where Mr. Highley had been thrown and attempted to left hip when he heard Mrs. Highley scream and, thinking Mr. Highley dead, he went to render assistance to Mrs. Highley, both of whom it was soon seen, were seriously injured.

#### Injured Brought to Durham

As soon as she saw what had happened, Mrs. Moore ran to the barn and notified the threshers and a call was sent in to Durham for a doctor. At this point the conductor showed a quick appreciation of the situation when he got in touch with the doctor and told him that he thought the best plan was to place the injured ones in the caboose and run them into Durham. This was done and when the train arrived at the Garafraxa street crossing conveyances were on hand to render any assistance possible in conveying the unfortunate victims to the hospital. From the time of the accident until both patients were in the hospital only 35 minutes had elapsed, the accident occurring at 2:30, while it was 2:55 when the hospital was reached.

At first it was thought that Mr. Highley's back was broken but a subsequent examination by Drs. D.B. Jamieson and Bell showed he had a badly fractured left leg, was cut about the head and had three ribs broken. For a time it was thought he had a chance to recover, but he passed away about 9:30 Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Highley had two ribs broken as well as several cuts about the body. These are not regarded as serious but, owing to the shock and a weak heart it is not thought she has much chance of recovery.

#### Took Body to Toronto

The late Mr. Highley was born in England 56 years ago, but has lived in Toronto ever since a small lad. He was a carpenter by trade, owned his own home in the city and was in comfortable circumstances. On learning of the accident and his sub-

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### BRUCE YOUTH SHOT BY VAGRANT INDIAN

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has ordered an inquest. The Provincial police were also called in, but up to a late hour tonight they have been unable to get any trace of the fugitives. McKay was an unmarried man and lived on his farm about two and a half miles southeast of Tiverton.

For some years past it has been the custom for the Indians from the Southampton district to move down this way and establish camps for the making of baskets and other articles of trade. It is believed that the party in question arrived in the forenoon. So far as can be learned there was no provocation to cause the shooting as the young men were merely out for a walk, and coming across the shack in the woods they approached it through curiosity alone.

Dr. Crowl, who is well known in Durham and vicinity was later, with his son, arrested and lodged in Walkerton jail, where they are at present confined. So far they have not divulged the name of the Indian who did the shooting.

### THEN AND NOW

Science and invention and machinery, though they are of incalculable service in making life easier and in many ways pleasanter, are nevertheless steadily robbing it of picturesqueness and thrill.

The season of the agricultural fairs is with us once again, but this year one of the oldest and most interesting events will have a new setting. The pulling contest for horses and oxen, instead of being determined by the weight that the contestants can draw on a "stoneboat", will be settled by the figures registered on the dynamometer. The records will be definite and scientific, but—

Let us look for a moment at a scene in the yard of a combined saw and grist mill on the bank of the White River, at Randolph, Vermont. It is near the end of a summer day in the year 1795. In the yard are a number of men and horses. The men have come in from the outlying hill farms with logs to be sawed or grist to be ground, and they have been amusing themselves by matching their horses in an attempt to move a great pine log that lies just beyond the saw carriage. There are horses that weigh twelve hundred pounds, but not one of them has been able to move that log.

Another man is coming down that road, and, seeing the little group, turns in. It is Robert Evans. He is driving a little horse that he has been working all summer in clearing a piece of land. He stops for a few minutes' chat and learns what has been going on. "Huh," he says, "I bet anything you like my little horse will draw that log to the carriage in three pulls." There are eager takers. Evans gets down, leads his horse from the shafts and hitches him to the log. Then he turns to the men. "It's kind of a shame to ask a horse to pull a little stick like this, but if three of you men will sit on the log, I'll start him."

Three men, jeered at and jeering, seat themselves. Evans takes the reins and says merely, "Come Justin," and the log moves. Half way to the saw carriage the log stops. The horse rests for a few minutes. Then, at a word, the log starts again and this time covers the rest of the ground.

That horse, "of oblique shoulders, high crest, fine ears, prominent and sagacious eye, perfect head, large and expanded nostrils, strong loins, long hip, deep and well-spread chest, high withers, short pastern, strong and sinewy limbs, with all the important muscles for surpassing those of any other horse of his weight ever seen in America," was destined to make equine history by becoming one of the most valuable sires that ever transmitted their great qualities to their get, for the horse was Justin Morgan.

The dynamometer tests will be interesting but here and there on the fair grounds you will find old men who would rather see a "boss" snake a saw log.—Youth's Companion.

### FATTENING THE SURPLUS COCKERELS

An improved quality of diet increases consumption. If all table poultry were properly conditioned before killing it would quickly result in greatly increased consumption.

It is a short sighted policy on the part of any poultry raiser to sell table poultry in a thin condition; he is not only losing the profit which he might secure through an increased weight and an improved quality of flesh, but he is actually discouraging the use of poultry by the poor quality he is supplying.

In experiments conducted at the Central Experimental Farm it has repeatedly been shown that the rate of feeding of poultry pays. It has also been demonstrated that a wide ration, that is, one rich in carbohydrates, gave better results than a narrow ration, one rich in protein. It also has been demonstrated that for the greatest gains in both quantity and quality of flesh, milk in some form is essential. This is especially emphasized in a series of feeding experiments carried out at the Kapuskasing Experimental Farm, where in every instance where milk was fed as part of the rations the gains were much better in both quantity and quality than where the ration contained no milk. This series of experiments also brought out strongly in parts of the country where corn can not be grown that home grown feeds, wheat, oats and barley, may be used with good results, but that the ration is made more efficient by the addition of corn, especially where it is fed in conjunction with milk.

### THE FRIENDLY ICE-MAN

In Japan, the demand for telephones so far exceeds the supply that applicants have to wait years before they can have a telephone installed. Realizing that Americans are so accustomed to telephones that they miss them very much, the friendly ice-man, who supplied ice to Mrs. Theodate Geoffrey, an American lady resident in Japan, insisted that she should make free use of the telephone he was fortunate enough to possess. Not only that but his nine children, five sons and four daughters instituted a messenger system for her benefit that rivaled that of any telegraph company. At any time of the day or night, she was likely to hear a clatter of get-a-Japanese-toehold sandals—down the road and a shrill little voice at the door: "Oku San, denwa yo!" (telephone lady!)

She enquired of the chief of her Japanese household staff if it would not be permissible to reward the little messengers; she already knew too much of Japanese ways to offer payment of any kind to Koriya San, the friendly ice-man, himself. But the man was shocked at the idea. "Oh, no, Oku San," he protested, "that would be very rude; you would offend Koriya San. One does not reward courtesy with money."

Her acquaintance with Koriya San the friendly ice man began in an amusing way. Artificial ice has been taken Japan by storm, and he had made a large fortune in it; he was reported to be worth a million yen. But sudden wealth had not changed his simple and frugal habits. It was upon the beach they first met, where he was thrifflily picking up bottles that had washed ashore from passing liners. He appealed to the foreign lady:

"Oku San, would you be so good as to read these labels and tell me what is good to eat? I should not like to poison my wife and family, but I cannot read English."

She recommended a bottle half full of tomato catsup and saved him from eating brown shoe-polish on his rice, and after that they were fast friends.

### WOMAN TO FACE COURT TUESDAY

#### Kate Hardman To Be Tried On Murder Charge

Charged with the murder of Edward McCoy on July 27, Kate Hardman, of Albemarle Township, Bruce County, will appear in Walkerton next Tuesday before Justice Logan and a jury for trial. She was given a preliminary trial at Warton and was committed for trial at the Bruce fall assizes. George Sedgewick of Toronto, will be Crown prosecutor, assisting Crown Attorney J. W. Freeborn. Gordon Waldron, K.C. of Toronto will be the defending counsel. It is believed that there will be little evidence other than that offered at the preliminary hearing.

### SEEING THE LIGHT

A man, it is said, has to live long to learn much, and it is pleasing to behold the light finally breaking in on that veteran apostle of Free Trade, Mr. R. E. Truax, ex-M.P. for South Bruce, who, as head of the firm of R. Truax, Son & Co., sash and door manufacturers of Walkerton, is applying to the new King Government for "protection on his products. Everybody who knows world conditions and how foreign markets are practically closed against Canadian goods, will admit that the local firm is entitled to adequate protection if it is to survive and develop. The light has been a long time breaking in, but for a last minute reprieve that published about good results, but that the ration is made more efficient by the addition of corn, especially where it is fed in conjunction with milk.

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### HON. HUGH

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Former Egremont Away Saturday At Daughter in Toronto From Holstein by pondent.

The funeral of the Durant, who passed 25 in Toronto, took place at the residence of her daughter, on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 11 o'clock. She was born in England, 94 years of age. She was married to Mr. J. M. Durant in 1855, who predeceased her. For many years she resided in Holstein, she went to live in her daughter's home, and although she was blind she was able to do her own housework before her death. She leaves four children: Mr. J. M. Durant, Toronto; Mrs. G. M. Durant, Toronto; Mrs. J. M. Durant, Toronto; and Mrs. J. M. Durant, Toronto.

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