

Swinton Park

(Our Own Correspondent)

The wet weather that continued for so long a spell has delayed the farmers with their work and there is considerable ploughing to do yet. A good many acres will be too wet to plough this fall.

Mr. Sam Wilson is the latest one here to drive a Ford, he having purchased one last week.

Mr. Carlyle McMillan, who has been in the West for the harvest, has returned home.

Messrs. J. H. Richardson and G. McLeod spent the week-end at their homes here. They are taking out timber near Berkeley.

Mr. E. Kinsman returned from the West, having spent the summer months there.

A number of the young people from here attended the Halloween social held in the hall at Priceville, on Wednesday evening and assisted the young people there with the programme.

Threshing is completed for the year although there is still grain in the stook and even some standing yet, but on account of the wet fall it will be left on the ground.

Mr. Richard Hardy made a business trip to the city last week and returned home on Wednesday.

The choir from Swinton Park journeyed to Priceville last Sunday evening and had charge of the singing.

Mr. William Lane spent part of last week in Toronto attending to business. Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hamilton, of Harrison are visiting at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Haw.

Crawford

(Our Own Correspondent)

Misses Jessie McCaslin and Elsie Boyce were the guests of Miss E. Petty over the week-end.

We wish to extend heartfelt congratulations to Miss Carrie Sherman and Mr. Roy Urstadt on the occasion of their marriage which took place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastie and little Evelyn of Toronto have taken up residence on the farm formerly owned by Green. We welcome this young couple back to our community and hope they may enjoy the change of occupation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Honess, who sold their farm last Spring to Mr. Blain Fortune of Chesley, have moved to the Manto farm now owned by the Boyd Bros. on the 8th con. Before their departure the friends and neighbors of the 10th and 12th concession met to spend a social hour with them and to present them with a purse of money. Mr. and Mrs. Honess are highly respected citizens and no doubt will be missed by their neighbors and friends. We are pleased that they decided to settle down nearby and we hope that the old associations may still exist.

The address is as follows:

Dear Friends and Neighbors: It is with great pleasure that we, your friends, have gathered tonight to spend a few pleasant hours with you before your departure to a new community.

It was with deep regret that we learned of your intention to leave the community. During the time spent in our midst you have always been willing to give your time and strength to assist in any way those who needed help.

We would ask you to accept this purse as a token of the love and respect we hold for you and of the many happy hours spent together.

The best wishes of the community go with you to your new home and we trust that you will make friends there as you have here. What is our loss is another's gain.

Signed on behalf of your friends, Wilbert Anderson, G. Subject and Ed. Bailey.

Latona

(Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Mary Melosh went to Toronto last week for the winter.

A number from here attended Neu McLean's sale on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. James Renton of Bromore visited with Skene's recently.

Misses Dorothy Pickering, Norma Gagnon and Myrtle Mortley spent the week-end with Mrs. Robt. Mortley.

Sorry to hear that Miss Margaret Ray was seriously ill last week. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Gordon McCracken is employed with Bob Mortley at present.

Communion Service was held last Sunday in Latona Presbyterian church. Preparatory and baptismal services were held the Friday previous. Four new members were enrolled and four babies baptized. They were Mrs. Iethia King, Evelyn Ruth King, Jessie Margaret Mortley and Percy Henry Michael Walker.

Messrs. Jim Crutchley and Bob Mortley have treated their families to a radio.

Glenroadin

(Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Mary Melosh returned to Toronto for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller and family of the Rocky spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Trafford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Patterson spent Sunday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Gillen Boyd.

Miss Bella McKillop of near Markdale, spent a few days with her old friends at Glenroadin.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Schildroth of near Chesley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Laughlin have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their house and contents by fire Monday evening. Mr. Laughlin is a live wire as he has already bought a house from Mr. Alec Vaughan on the late Mrs. Kingston's place and will have it removed at once. It is hard to be burnt out at this time of year.

Quite a number attended the sale on Mr. Neil McLean on Tuesday. We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. McLean.

The W. M. S. met at the home of Miss Ada Banks on Wednesday afternoon. There was a good attendance. Solos were sung by Mrs. Vessie and Miss Helen Watson. Several readings were given. A special collection was given for the bala. A social half hour was spent. Miss A. Banks and helpers served a dainty lunch.

The poles are all in readiness for the wire.

Mr. Alec Vaughan and mother spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vaughan of near Arthur.

A few of us attended the presentation and Mr. and Mrs. L. McLean's for Mr. and Mrs. Nett McLean on Friday night.

The radio is a wonderful invention. We have enjoyed the speeches on Hoover and Smith and now are enjoying the returns of the election.

South Bentinck

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Bert Barber of Varney spent a day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Turnbull.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mountain and son Clarence spent first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Grierson.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, Miss Janet and Master James of Durham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cresswell of Toronto motored up and spent a few days with friends in this burg.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Johnston, who were recently married and have commenced home-making in this neighborhood.

Threshing was finished last week for this year. Everyone had a good run of grain.

Wedding bells are ringing real loudly.

Glenmont

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tucker have moved to their new home on the South Line, Glenelg.

The community was shocked to hear of the fatal accident that befel little Beatrice Rawn, and the deepest sympathy is felt for the grief-stricken parent.

There is a lot of sickness, flu, etc., around, but we hope all the ailing ones will soon be better.

Mrs. James Tucker spent a few days last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ed Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ritchie, Misses Marjorie and Dorothy and Master Dan, and Miss Margaret Edge, of Edge Hill, spent an evening recently with the Weir family.

Mr. Alfred Tucker has been improving his stables by putting in some cement flooring.

Mr. Jim Hargrave is getting a lot of plowing done on his farm here.

Mrs. John Calder spent a day or so last week with her aunt, Miss McDonald, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tucker entertained a number of friends one evening recently.

The teachers and pupils of the surrounding schools entertained the parents and others to a Halloween social last week.

Traverston

(Our Own Correspondent)

(Too late for last week.)

October 29th—down comes the snow! There is a lot of turnips, mangolds, fruit and vegetables to be gathered in yet. Here's hoping for a month of Indian summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holmes and family of Durham were Sunday visitors at Mrs. William Firth's.

Mr. Albert Kleist and family and Mr. D. Brodie and family of the 10th concession moved their stock and household effects to the farms they have purchased a few miles from Walkerton. The old neighborhood wishes them every success.

Miss Agnes Ewen spent the first of the week with Miss Catherine Timmins.

Mrs. M. J. Davis is with her daughter, Mrs. Rob Webber of Hutton Hill, the latter being in poor health at present.

Miss Margaret Greenwood motored her cousin, Miss Reta Glencross back to her school near Meaford on Sunday.

The members of Zion League were invited by the Young People's classes of Queen St. United church last Thursday evening for a social evening. The Zionites supplied the program which received most complimentary references by the Durhamites, while the latter furnished a most varied and interesting number of games and a splendid repast at the close.

When Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFadden of Orange Valley visit kindred they nearly always attend Zion's service. They added greatly to this on Sunday, as she presided at the organ and he sang most sweetly and impressively—“Jesus Remembers, When the World Forgets”. Rev. H. S. Fiddes preached a most eloquent sermon.

Miss Mina Edwards left on Monday to spend the winter months in Toronto. Prior to her departure, she spent the week-end with Miss M. E. Lyons at her

home at Harkaway and attended the big fowl supper on Friday evening. She was greatly pleased with the kindness of the Lyons family and the fine success of the church's social night.

‘Twas a genuine pleasure to have Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wallace of Knox, Normanby, with us for a few hours on Sunday evening. They are a fine young couple and true to the finest things in life.

Zion Sunday school closed for the winter months last Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cook visited the latter's old home, near Chesley, on Sunday.

Mulock

(Our Own Correspondent)

(Last Week's Items)

Inspector Robert Wright of Hanover visited our school Friday of last week and found things progressing nicely under Miss McQuarrie's tuition.

About 30 of the B. Y. P. U. members from this place motored over to Walkerton Friday evening and were the guests of the Young People's society of Walkerton Baptist church. The program was given by Mr. John McDonald. In behalf of the Walkerton society, the president, Miss Hazel Bailey extended a hearty welcome to the visitors. A splendid program was given consisting of readings, recitations and solos, followed by a number of contests. Refreshments were served by the Walkerton young people at the close. All report a most enjoyable evening.

Rev. C. Cameron, secretary of the Baptist Home Mission Board, Toronto, took the service here Sunday morning. He also preached anniversary services at North Glenelg in the afternoon and evening and delivered forceful and telling sermons on each occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Findlay McCuaig and sons attended anniversary service at Hanover Presbyterian church Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Brown.

Mr. Wilfred Vickers is engaged with Mr. Hill, bridge contractor, to work at Teeswater for a time.

Miss Annie Hobkirk visited her sister Mrs. Hugh McDonald and niece, Mrs. Pete Hay of Durham and Mrs. H. Reay of Ebenezer.

Welbeck

(Our Own Correspondent)

Mud, mud, and more mud! Mud everywhere we go. Our patrol man got stuck in the mud hunting for the superintendent, but if the County Engineer should come this way I should smile if the whole bunch got fired if he ever gets out. It does seem queer that even though we upset the council every time we come out and put in a new bunch, on the promise of this and that, while they do call around when the roads are dry and swear that they would not live around here and pay taxes for it yet they go back to the Township hall and shoot on a few more dollars on the taxes. Guess that is for damages to the flippers—the only thing we can see it's for. Thank the Lord they don't come back when the mud is on, if they did we guess our taxes would be so dogasted high we would have to move out. However, when the poll is open and the ballot set, we know how to mark it.

One thing we might suggest, is that if they cannot, or will not fix the mud holes and make the roads passable they erect detour signs and close up some of those dangerous places. Or perhaps they would exempt us from taxes if we get our local black-smith to build a mud plough and get a few local teams which are idle at present to slush the mud off the roads, so

that they could carry on with the good work next season by grading it on again.

We regret very much the departure of two of our blithe young ladies from the community, but hope that they return with the birds in the spring—after the mud dries up.

We must congratulate our teacher on her Halloween masquerade held in the old school house on the hill and trust that though the mud be deep that the good work carry on.

Mr. Gordon Goldsmith had a very successful bee last week and erected a new shed for the horses.

Dornoch

(Our Own Correspondent)

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed at the Presbyterian church here on Sunday with a large attendance, there being three new members.

Mr. Lorne McIntosh of Niagara Falls spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. Cameron Corlett returned home from Western Canada on Saturday. He also visited relatives in North Dakota, U. S. A.

We are sorry to report Miss Margaret Reay as at present very ill, being under the care of two doctors.

Mr. John Sweeney and two sons, Exxie and Bernard, returned home from the Prairies last week.

Misses Ruth and Jean Lowe of Niagara visited recently with their sister, Mrs. B. Dargavel.

Miss Willa Robertson is visiting in Owen Sound this week.

Mrs. D. Mitchell, who has been very sick, is not recovering as rapidly as her many friends would like.

Misses Myrtle Mortley, Norma Gagnon, and Dorothy Pickering of Durham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mortley.

Miss Muriel Heft has secured a position in Toronto for the winter months and left for there on Thursday.

Mr. James Vasey, Jr., returned to his home here after spending the past year in Western Canada.

Mrs. James Buchanan and daughter, Vera of Paisley visited relatives here on Sunday.

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Clark Metals Limited Take Exce

Claim Chronicle Write-up of 25 Relative to Fire in The Was Libellous and Serious Re on Their Business.—Nothing Farther From Our Intention.

We have received a letter from Clark Metals Limited of formerly of Durham, through solicitor, H. B. Morphy, complaining our write-up in reporting a their premises here, which appeared in our issue of October 25. The ment taken exception to is: “The town loses nothing by as after the original Clark Company went to the wall the Company purchased the building, the town in order to take of chartered of the defunct company. In analysing the letter received Mr. Morphy in behalf of his we would take it that the objection taken on the ground that in to Clark Metals Limited as we have, as is claimed, tended to reflect seriously upon Clark Metals has already damaged their credit in hands of rival manufacturers have every reason to believe further damage this company's. We are very sorry indeed if inference has done anything to even in the slightest degree, was no intention of so doing, of the article reporting their loss by fire was merely a news item. It was written with an unfortunate happening, a paragraph referred to publication show that the building, on which town formerly held first through the guarantee of bonds, had no further interest building, this interest having been sorbed by the Bassick Company they purchased the obligations Metals Limited for the sum in cash, and carried on the business Canada under the name Metals Limited. Since the Company have taken hold company it has enjoyed increased perity, and it is too bad if the the one word, “defunct” in this article should have caused the net any loss of business or affected credit in any way, as they are be one of the strongest companies the North American continent. Clark Metals Limited, the company, came to Durham in at least the first publication of H 735 was on June 10, 1920, and the company came to town, year. The bylaw guaranteeing bonds of the company to the of \$15,000 was voted on and on July 5 with a majority of 228 a well-known fact and further reference here that Metals Limited Company in could not live up to their finaligations, and the last audit shows that of the \$15,000 in the town's guarantee, there is unpaid balance of \$11,577.25 and interest which will have up by the town.

This was the company that referred to in our write-up as original Clark Metals Company went to the wall, and we regretting that anyone should so our statement as to make that we meant the present Metals which is now a subsidiary the Bassick Company, and are pleased to learn, is doing a prosperous business in. We trust that this explanation acceptable to the present Clark Company which, as we have viously in this article, is in sound, financial condition, aged so far as we know, able to take care of any finaligations which they may incur are sorry if the article in reflected upon the standing Metals Limited and may was published in the best faith and with no ill-will or of doing any harm to the. We are in justice to Clark I setting this explanation at the opportunity.

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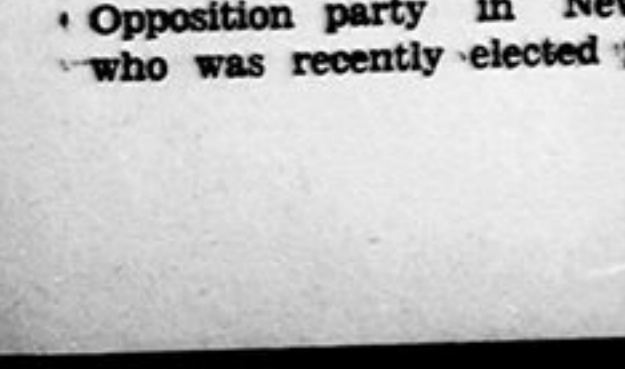
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