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Our Mid-summer Sale

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Flesherton.

Intended for last week.

On Wednesday afternoon last week the Methodist church here was the scene of a pretty marquerite wedding in which much interest was taken, not only on account of its public character, but because of the popularity of the fair young bride as well as the high esteem in which the bridegroom is held in the community. The happy couple, who at hymen's altar, lighted their love, were Mr. Jackson E. Fawcett, principal of the Flesherton public school, and Miss Annie Joy, youngest daughter of the late Mr. R. B. Joy, of this place. The ceremony, which took place at a few minutes after one o'clock, was performed by the young couple's pastor, Rev. J. S. I. Wilson, B. D., assisted by Rev. L. W. Thom, pastor of Chalmers' church, and was witnessed by about thirty invited guests and a large company of interested spectators. Mrs. W. W. Trimble, organist of the church, played the Wedding March, to the strains of which the bridal party entered, the bride leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. W. Joy, of Toronto Junction. The bride was attired in a dainty gown of white organdie, trimmed with valenciennes lace. She also wore a bridal veil with wreath and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The only ornament worn was a pretty gold brooch studded with diamonds, the gift of the groom. The bride's sister, Miss Minnie Joy, acted as bridesmaid. She wore a pretty gown of ivory white cashmere, a white chiffon hat, and carried pink carnations. The groom's brother, Mr. Geo. Fawcett, of Forest, discharged the duties of groomsman. The ushers were Messrs. J. A. Boyd, J. P. Bunt, John Stewart and Dr. Murray. The church was prettily decorated with marguerites and ferns, as was also the home of the bride's mother where, following the ceremony, congratulations were tendered the bride and groom and a choice wedding breakfast was served. The Methodist church choir, of which the young couple are members, were among the guests and presented the bride, who is their pleasing alto soloist, with a handsome ornamental clock. The array of beautiful wedding presents also included a fancy chair and table from the pupils of the Flesherton public school as a token of their esteem for the Principal. The groom's gift to the bride, in addition to the brooch worn, was a beautiful gold watch and chain, the case of the former being ornamented with a diamond crescent and artistically engraved monogram; to the bridesmaid he gave a pretty pearl and ruby ring. The bride's going-away gown was a navy blue snowflake cloth prettily

stitched with white. With this was worn a white silk blouse and stylish hat in blue and white. Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett were escorted to the depot and left on the 5 o'clock train to spend a month at Toronto, Forest, Sarnia and other points, after which they will settle in their new home, Mr. Lawrence's residence, Hill St.

That Cupid had been further busy, was evidenced in the conduct of another esteemed and happy couple who also, on Wednesday afternoon of last week, stood at the marriage altar and solemnly promised to love, serve and honor each other till death does them part. The two thus removed to the kingdom of benedictus were Mr. Thos. Kerr, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, of Artemesia, and Miss Nellie Hastie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hastie, of this place. The young couple, attended by Mr. Fred Teeter and Miss Ida Thompson, drove to Markdale where at one o'clock in Christ's church rectory the marriage was performed by Rev. J. R. Newell, after which they returned to the home of the bride's parents where the wedding repast was served. The bride was married in a pretty gown of white organdie trimmed with baby ribbon and chiffon. The bridesmaid wore a gown of pink organdie and black picture hat. The bride's traveling suit was a navy blue cloth skirt and velvet coat, with which she wore a fancy toque of blue and white. The happy couple were also escorted to the depot and left on the afternoon train for Chicago and other points. On their

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return they will reside on Collingwood Street.

On Sunday afternoon last a severe thunderstorm with heavy rain and hail passed over this place, during which the Presbyterian congregation was panic stricken and the service suddenly broken up by a bolt of lightning which appeared to have struck the building, though it was afterwards discovered that no damage had been done. The crash of thunder was deafening and caused the congregation to almost instantly spring to their feet. Many rushed to the doors, children cried aloud with fright, a couple of ladies nearly fainted and others felt considerably shocked. Owing to the excited condition of the congregation and disturbance from the continued storm, the pastor, who was in the midst of his sermon, ceased and instantly announced "What a Friend we have in Jesus," which was sung with manifest feelings of emotion throughout the congregation and the service closed. Some of the horses in the sheds broke loose but were caught before doing any damage. No damage that we have learned of was done by the storm, but many in the village were alarmed with the vivid lightning and crashing thunder.

Revs. R. Keefer and Geo. S. Smith, Flesherton boys, now occupying Methodist pastorates in Ontario, have, with their wives, been recently given tangible tokens of appreciation from their congregations with whom they had labored and from where they were going to new fields of labor. Before leaving Washington Mr. Keefer was presented with a gold-headed cane and Mrs. Keefer with a silver teapot, and on the eve of departure from Westminster Mr. Smith was the recipient of a thirty dollar purse and Mrs. Smith of a silver fruit basket. In both cases the presentations were accompanied with appropriate addresses.

Ten pupils of the Flesherton school wrote at the recent entrance exams, but two only, Willa Wright and Mary Wilson, were successful. We congratulate these two and also sympathize with those who were plucked. The arithmetic paper appears generally to have been the sticker.

A baptismal service was conducted by Rev. G. S. Hurlburt in the Baptist church on Sabbath morning last when two candidates were immersed in the Baptistry of the church. In the absence of Rev. Mr. Wilson at Detroit service in the Methodist church was conducted in the morning by Mrs. Fred Nicholson and in the evening by Rev. Mr. Hurlburt.

Among the Toronto people who took in the Grey Old Boys' excursion on Saturday and visited friends here on Sunday and Monday were Dr. A. E. Webster at Mr. M. K. Richardson's, Dr. R. H. and Mrs. Henderson, Dr. Thos. Henderson and Miss Watson at Mr. Joseph Blackburn's, Dr. E. W. Paul at Dr. Murray's, Mrs. E. Vazant and Mr. Mervin Vanzant at Dr. Ottewell's, Misses May and Rita Damude at Mr. A. Munshaw's, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chadwick at Mrs. Bulmer's, and Mr. A. D. Thurston with his brother, the Editor of the Advance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hooey, of Thornbury, paid Mr. and Mrs. W. Neil a visit last week.

Mr. G. Dunbar, of Arthur, was the guest of Rev. L. W. Thom over Thursday night.

Miss Lottie Armstrong, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Hickling.

Mrs. J. W. Henderson, of Toronto, is again paying a visit here.

Miss Lowes, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) Murray.

Rev. John Stafford, B. A., of Worcester, Mass., is on his annual visit with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Ottewell, here, and mother on the 4th line.

Mr. M. K. Richardson was home from Ottawa over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Beggs and Mr. Chas. Begg, of Collingwood, and Mr. W. Young, of New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sheppard on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell spent from Saturday till Monday with the latter's brother at Meaford.

Mrs. John Wright, sen., returned on Monday from an extended visit with her sisters at the Soo.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wright left on Tuesday for their home at Penetang.

Mr. Geo. B. Richardson, who has been for two years at Anaconda, Mont., arrived on Monday to holiday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bellamy are on a short visit with relatives in Nottawasaga.

Mrs. Chris. Patterson visited last week with her parents at Mt. Forest.

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.

S. S. NO. 10. GLENELG & GOREMONT.

January to June, inclusive.

IV cl. to v. cl. Entrance.—John L. McKinnon, Bertha Hooper, Bertha McIntyre.

III. to IV. cl.—Mary J. McCuaig.

II. to III. class.—John McEachern, Archie McDonald, Isaac Hooper.

Part II. to class II.—Nellie Sullivan, Kate McCuaig, Joseph A. Dixon.

Part I. to Part II.—Eddie Sullivan, Annie McDonald, Roy McDiarmid, Charlie McKinnon, Joseph Burnett, Cassie Sullivan, Sam. Cherry, John Cherry.

Total Promotions for half year, 18.

Average attendance, 25.

W. L. Dixon, Teacher.

Holstein.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robertson and little son, of Toronto, are spending their holidays at the home of D. Allan, Sr.

Since our last items our boys have met and defeated the Varney team at a game of football by a score of 2 to 1.

Mrs. J. D. Roberts has returned after an extended visit with friends out West. During the visit she had the pleasure of attending the wedding of her cousin, Miss Tena Main, who was united in marriage on the 8th July to Mr. Melville Giddes.

Our cattle king, J. Brown, met with a heavy loss lately. Twenty six hogs died while being shipped to Toronto. The loss is estimated at about \$275.

Another of the pioneers of this vicinity has passed to join the great majority in the person of Mrs. O'Connell. She was born in the County Cork, Ireland, in 1821, and at the time of her death was 82 years of age. She had been in failing health for some time and the end was not unexpected. Her remains were interred in the Mount Forest cemetery.

D. Christie, of Bathgate, Scotland, arrived here on Friday, of last week to visit his aged parents, who left the old land over nineteen years ago. He says this is a great country and is well satisfied with what he sees. He delivered a plain and practical address in the Methodist church here last Sabbath morning.

James Barton, accompanied by his little daughter Mabel spent a couple of weeks here lately. They returned to their home in the American "Soo" on Monday.

Quite a railway wreck occurred about three miles north of the village on the G. T. R. The afternoon train became derailed in what is known as Bradley's Swamp. Several freight cars left the track also the baggage and passenger coach. No one was seriously hurt. Nearly all the village turned out to watch the clearing of the track.

Rev. J. Little has left for his vacation. He goes to Glengarry and other points.

The Methodist parsonage has been re-shingled lately.

Geo. T. Calder has disposed of his residence on Centre St. for the sum of \$975 to Geo. Klempf. George moves in this week.

A change has taken place in our post office again. We understand that Mr. Alvin Durrant is to take charge of that institution in the near future.

Geo. Freeman has erected a verandah in front of his mill. This improvement was needed.

The Myers Bros., of Listowel, have purchased the elevator here and are about to take possession.

Miss Maggie Smith, of the Queen City, is spending a few days with her mother and other friends here.

W. J. Sharp went to Dundalk this week and purposes visiting Rowbottom's, the paradise of speckled beauties. He hopes to succeed in landing a few of them before he returns.

BORN.

DAVIS.—In Glenelg, July 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Davis, a daughter.

KRESS.—In Durham, on June 27th, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kress, a son.

HOLT.—In Durham, on Friday, June 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Holt, a daughter.

THIBEAUDEAU.—At Wetaskiwin, N. W. T., July 2, to Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Thibeaudeau, a son.

MIGHTON.—In Bentinck, 3rd con., near Aberdeen, on Wednesday, July 15, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Mighton, a son.

MARRIED.

FISHER—MEREDITH.—In the Anglican church at Yale, B. C., by Rev. Charles Croucher, Mr. John Mc-Nee Fisher, of Vancouver, B. C., to Leonora Warburton, eldest surviving daughter of the late Thomas Meredith, of Durham, Ont.

WILSON—SWALLOW.—At Jarvis St. Baptist church, Toronto, on Wednesday, July 15th, by Rev. B. D. Thomas, D. D., Mr. Frank Lynn Wilson, of "Homewood," Ingersoll, Ont., to Miss Eleanor Swallow, daughter of Mr. Thomas Swallow, of Durham, Ont.

ROWE—FAIRMAN.—In Hanover, on Friday, July 24th, by Rev. Mr. Rowe, Mr. George Rowe, of Durham, to Miss Maud Fairman, of Guelph.

DIED.

MACKENZIE.—In Montreal, on Monday, July 20th, Alexander C. Mackenzie. Interment at Durham on Wednesday, July 22nd.

JOHNSTON.—In Bentinck, near Mulloch, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Lunney, on Thursday, July 23rd, Mrs. Johnston, relict of the late Noble Johnston, aged 83 yrs. and 2 mos.

CLARK.—In Bentinck, on Monday, July 20th, Catherine Clark, beloved wife of John Clark, Sr., aged 76 years.

MIGHTON.—In Bentinck, July 15th, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. F. Mighton.

McDERMID.—At 81 Oak Street, Toronto, July 24th, Duncan McDermid, aged 51 years.

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