

Flesherton

(Crowded out last week.)

Mr. William Neil, a very highly respected resident of this place, passed away on Thursday afternoon last after only a day's confinement to bed. The news was a shock to many as but few knew that Mr. Neil was seriously ill. He had not been feeling well for a week but the day before his death was seized with a weak spell. Dr. Carter was called and finding his heart action very feeble administered the usual restoratives but all failed to produce the desired result and the patient gradually sank till the end peacefully came. The death was particularly sad for Mrs. Neil, who had been very ill with pneumonia and was yet too ill to be with her husband in his last moments. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon to the public cemetery. Previous to interment an impressive service was held in the Presbyterian church of which the deceased was one of the founders. Appropriate addresses were given by the pastor, Rev. L. W. Thom, Rev. Dr. Caldwell and Mr. M. K. Richardson. Mr. Thom spoke of the exemplary christian life of the deceased who was the oldest member of the Session having been an elder over 33 years. His daily life honored the office the solemn duties of which were most zealously and faithfully performed. He was devoted to the church and was one of its most liberal supporters. Chalmers church has suffered a great loss by his removal. Dr. Caldwell spoke of the deceased as he had found him in neighborly relations; a man of not many words but possessing a kind christian heart; he was ever ready to bestow kindness and good deeds whenever opportunity offered. Mr. Richardson spoke of the deceased as a citizen whom he had known well for over forty years. The speaker paid a very fitting tribute to the memory of the man who with a large heart but modest nature was the soul of honor; whose word was as good as his bond and whose deeds of kindness were many—His unquestionable integrity and love of the Sanctuary was known to all. By request the choir sang "The Beautiful Golden Gate", and whose service was felt to be a mellowing character. The congregation was visibly affected as they viewed for the last time the face so familiar to all. The pulpit and pew of the deceased were appropriately draped. Sympathizing friends presented appropriate floral tributes, one containing a sheaf of ripe grain beautifully emblematic of the matured life of the deceased. The pall bearers were Messrs. Frank Cairns, Frank Chard, and W. J. Stewart representing the Session and Messrs. J. L. McMullen, W. L. Wright and Andrew Gilchrist the Managing Board of the church. The deceased who was 76 years of age, was born on the Isle of Man, when about 20 years of age he came to Rochester, N. Y. and subsequently to Canada settling in Darlington, county of Durham where on Christmas 45 years ago he was married to Miss Martha Nay, who alone survives him. With his bride he came to Artemesia and settled on the west bank line where he successfully farmed until he sold out and moved to this village 26 years ago. Order was the first law of his nature and his well preserved home and beautifully kept grounds were always greatly admired. Mrs. Neil and Mrs. John Stewart, niece of the deceased, but took a daughters part in his afflictions have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their sorrow. The writer feels very keenly the loss of his beloved friend, who with unwearied kindness and attention devotedly ministered to our comfort during the past 17 years of our affliction. His memory we shall ever cherish.

Mr. Wm. Clayton spent the past week in Toronto attending the Royal Templars Grand Council and the Dominion Alliance Convention. Dr. Murray is in Toronto this week attending the Ontario Dental Convention. He is accompanied by his little daughter Shirley. Mr. R. J. Sproule was in Toronto a couple of days last week and was also at Owen Sound on the John Semple case. Miss Leon Bellamy visited her sister at Markdale last week.

SALE REGISTER.

FRIDAY, MARCH 8—Credit Auction Sale of farm stock and implements, on lot 7, con. 21, Egremont, belonging to John Lawrence, Sr. Sale at one o'clock. Terms—\$5 and under cash over that amount 10 months credit on approved notes, 6 per cent off for cash. John Clark, Auctioneer.

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Hutton Hill.

(Continued from last week.)

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Geo. Noble's mother of Hanover died recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Picken went for their honeymoon to Arthur and other places. They will be home after the first of March. We wish them much joy and happiness.

Miss Margaret Petty entertained a large company of friends lately and all enjoyed themselves apparently, for it was going into the large hours of the morning when the young people thought of departing. We thank Miss M. and wish her a long and happy life in her new home.

Mr. Thos. E. Hutton had the misfortune to have a good beast take a swim in the river and never return.

Miss Alice Lawrence has not taken a school yet although she is qualified past all her exams. with honors. When a lady is large enough and knows as much as any other school teacher it seems as though they ought to be allowed to teach.

Mr. Ab. Noble is working in town. We miss him from our burg.

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DEAR EDITOR.—My holidays were indeed the pleasantest two weeks I ever had the privilege of enjoying—always something new to see. First let me say that about 10 per cent of the population of this large city are of French nationality, and again I must say that I am only going to name a few of the most important and interesting places that I saw, as to name them all would require too much valuable space. Amongst the numerous interesting places I saw were the following:—The Grey Nunnery, Orphan Asylum and Hospital, the beauty and elegance of these buildings is impossible to describe. Notre Dame B. C. Church is one of the many beautiful churches of that city. It has a seating capacity for 12,000 people. My friend and I had the pleasure of being inside that building and it is certainly worthy of a visit. The decorations are costly and artistic and are so beautiful that it is simply indescribable. The Academy of Music one of Montreal's leading Theatres is another fine building and through my friends thorough knowledge of the different classes of plays, which were taking place on the stage in the many Theatres of the city, I enjoyed an evening in the Academy. The play which was titled "The Girl Patsy" was a very fine production indeed. The Royal Victoria Hospital situated near the foot of the mountain is surely one of Montreal's most magnificent buildings. This building is surrounded by large and well kept grounds. It is the gift of Lord Strathcona and Lord Mount Stephen, and will long remain as a memento to the generous hearted donors of the gift. Then there is the City Hall, Court House, and Board of Trade Buildings, three elegant and massive structures, of which the city may well be proud. The McGill College and all the other buildings in connection with it are superb, surrounded by beautiful grounds, where I was told the students of the College held all their outdoor games and exercises during the summer season. Erskine Presbyterian church is another grand building. The Drill Hall and Parade grounds is also a pretty place, where the military manoeuvres take place in the summer time. A visit was also made to the Wax works. Here we saw something interesting and historical. Busts of all the great men who have taken part in the making of history. We also had a glimpse of the Chamber of Honors but it was so ghastly that we did not prolong our stay in that part of the building as mostly all shown there were connected with murders of the most cold blooded type. Then again there is the Y. M. C. A. building and Stanley St. Methodist church, two beautiful structures and also the Laval University buildings which are just fine. Of course I am not dwelling on the beauty and size of all those buildings for space will not allow. Among other beautiful buildings in Montreal, are the St. George English church, Windsor, Station and Hotel belonging to the C. P. R., Bank of Montreal, Sovereign Bank, Custom House, Molsons Bank, Imperial Bank, Herald Printing Office, Crystal Skating Rink, Royal Theatre, Star Printing Office, Arena Skating Rink, also the Colonial House one of the largest departmental stores in Montreal, Henry Morgar & Co. and many others too numerous to mention, as they would take up too much space. I might say that one day accompanied by my cousin Wm. Hewitt I had a fine ride on horseback lasting about two hours in which time we road to the observatory on top of the mountain. From this point a most beautiful view of the city of Montreal and its fine harbour can be obtained. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchings played a very important part in showing me the many points of interest as did also the other members of the family. Hoping that some time in the near future I may again see the French city, and thanking you Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I remain,

Respectfully Yours THE CROW.

P. S.—I also saw the fortified city of Quebec and may furnish you with a few of the places I saw there, soon.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife Margaret Ann Morrison as she has left my home without my consent.

FRED MORRISON.

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Born—At Dauphin on the 14th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Allan C. Biddell, a daughter. Mr. Biddell is an old boy and his wife is the daughter of Mr. Jos. Blackburn here.

Born—On the 17th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McMullen, on the east side a daughter.

The Junior Hockey clubs of Markdale and Flesherton played a match here on Friday night last resulting in a score of 7 to 5 in favor of the visitors.

Mr. W. Livingston and Mr. Ralph of Durham were in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brodie have returned from Alpena, Mich., to visit their parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Our correspondent has had a prostration with the grip, but is recovering.

S. VanDusen has been very unwell a week or more with bronchial trouble.

Marquarson of our school left off to-day Monday with a cold.

Mrs. Andrew Wickens, of the village have both been with grip but are recovering.

Good, of the east back is low.

Cargo of this village, is expected to learn showing signs of improvement in her serious illness.

Boyd, who is in poor health, has the alarming news that she has fallen down stairs and is in a shock which might prove fatal to the aged lady to over-

Tucker arrived last night from Okyville and her friends are anxious to see her again. Mitchell and son Harold,