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Market Report.

Table with market prices for various goods like wheat, oats, peas, barley, hay, butter, eggs, potatoes, flour, etc. in Durham, Dec. 26 1907.

Varney.

A very merry time was spent at the Varney School on Friday, the 20th when a large number of the friends of the section gathered together as per invitation from the teacher, when several classes were taught and acquitted themselves most nobly.

Miss MacKenzie replied thanking the children and friends for the beautiful present. She said that it was wholly unexpected as she had not the slightest idea that anything of the kind was going to happen, and she said she wondered what the three girls left school one afternoon for, a thing they had never done before but the mystery was solved now, as she had supposed they had been doing a little missionary work.

Mr. Thos. Wallace had the misfortune to lose a fine horse which he paid \$100.00 for last spring. That, together with the veterinary bill is a big loss.

Mrs Best from Palmerston was visiting with her sister Mrs. R. J. Allen last week.

Our young people nearly all attended the Christmas tree entertainment held in S.S. No. 1, Normanby, Friday night.

David Allen came home from Hamilton Saturday night. We are pleased to hear of Dave doing so well in the city.

Miss Edith Allen bid her pupils in Gowenstown school goodbye and came home on Friday night where she will spend her holidays, after which she will take charge of the Varney school.

We hear that Miss MacKenzie who has taught our school for three years has got a school near Chatsworth. We wish her the very best of success in her new field of labor.

Miss Mable Pettigrew, from Durham spent Sunday with her parents, Ethel who has been attending the business college in Mt. Forest is also spending her holidays at home.

Miss Gladys Dnnu who has been attending college in Mt. Forest, attended church in Varney on Sunday.

Our genial storekeeper, Mrs. Hoy, has her store nicely decorated for the Christmas season. It looks fine and will compare favorably with those in larger towns. Mrs. Hoy sells very reasonable and is always pleasant and agreeable to deal with.

Mrs. Pollock is also starting up store in connection with the Post Office. We congratulate her on her enterprise and wish her the greatest of success in her undertaking. Varney will now have a Church, Post Office, Orange Hall, two Stores, Blacksmith Shop, Wagon Repairing Shop, Saw Mill, Planing Mill, Chopping Mill and a school near the village. It's a fine place to live in is Varney.

SUDDENLY CALLED.

Very sad was the news received last week by Messrs. Joseph H. and Hiram Dean that their brother John James, of La Salle, Colorado, had been killed. The letter written by deceased's son Wilkie says in part: "Dear Uncle Hardy, A cloud hangs over us, our sorrow of death is in our hearts, our loving father was thrown from a loaded wagon and the rear wheel went over him, his chest on the right side being crushed till every bone in it was broken. It occurred about half past eleven on the 2nd of December and at twenty minutes to six his soul took its flight to its heavenly abode. He was able to tell mother that one of the horses jumped, throwing him from his seat."

The deceased left this part 33 years ago at the age of 29 and for the greater part of that time has been in Colorado. He married in Laramie, Wyoming, and has a large family, who are left in a comfortable condition. Two of them are teachers, another a machinist, another a student for the ministry, and the others at home. By the pathetic letter it is seen that these all mourn deeply but not as those who have no hope. In addition to the two brothers here there are four sisters, Mrs. Robt. Smith, Grand Rapids; Mrs. O'Donohue and Mrs. Simmins, Toronto; and Mrs. Moyer, Laramie, Wyoming.

C. A. FLEMING ON LOCAL OPTION

A very practical talk on Local Option was delivered in the town hall here on Monday night last by Mr. C. A. Fleming, of Owen Sound. As a speaker, Mr. Fleming could scarcely be considered fluent. His address lacked the oratorical flashes of many speakers, but his plain presentation of a long array of well-marshalled facts, put in plain common sense language, was quite as convincing as the deliverances of many of the so-called orators. Mr. Fleming introduced himself as one of the plain business men of Owen Sound and one of the first things he told the audience disabused their minds if they expected anything in the style of high class oratory. He is not only a plain business man, being identified with a number of the town's industries, but he is the owner of the Business College in which he has had much experience as a teacher. This accounts to a large degree for the didactic way in which he delivered his address, on which we have heard much favorable comment.

He started out with an illustration taking our Cement Works as the basis, and showed that the union of clay and marl made cement, a useful product, similarly in other industries the product was useful and a benefit to the community. Not so with the finished product of the bar room, which was a burden to society and not wanted in the community.

He spent some time in referring to the anti-option literature and Mayor Kennedy's letter. He admitted that the local option law had been broken, showed how Mayor Kennedy got his position at the last election, pointed out that he was now and always an opponent to the law, and that at one council meeting he stated plainly that he did not intend to enforce the local option law.

With reference to the failures mentioned, he showed that in most cases they were caused by a lack of capital to carry on the business properly.

Owen Sound, he says, is not losing trade because of local option, but on the other hand there is a general increase of business, with more ready cash, easier collections, fewer bad debts and less poverty amongst the people. Drunkenness is not nearly so common as in license times. There are practically no empty houses, and even Mayor Kennedy and others have made extensions to their premises to meet the increased demand for their output.

Mr. Wm. Allan gave a good report from the working of local option in Egrement. The Agricultural Society of the township, which has been in existence for forty years, was never so prosperous as it is now, and the business men of Holstein are well pleased with the results.

There was some good music by a mixed choir and a well rendered trio by Mr. Allan Bell, Miss Walker and Miss Brown.

Remarks by Revs. Farquharson, Jamieson and Newton were made at the close. Mr. John H. Brown occupied the chair.

Edge Hill.

Miss Ethel Greenwood, who has been teaching at Bouck's Hill, came home Monday for the holidays.

Born on Tuesday 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hadley a daughter.

Messrs. J. W. and Thos. Firth are home from St. Mary's and Toronto, respectively, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Nellie Jopp, of Toronto, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. James Edge, and other friends.

Mr. P. G. Morrison, who has been in the drug business in Calgary, came home last week on a visit to his mother and other relatives.

Dr. W. D. Staples, Hanover, visited his brother George, here, recently.

Mrs. Sutherland (nee Lizzie McArthur), of Stratford, is at present the guest of Mrs. Thomas Banks.

Friday afternoon last our teacher, Mr. Weir, had a public examination in the school. Quite a number gathered during the afternoon and listened with much interest to the program of singing, recitations, etc., furnished by the scholars and the teacher. Mr. Chas. Moffat had charge of the program and made a most capable chairman.

Waudby

The general old winter trade of hauling wood and logs to town is the order of the day just now as the sleighing is good.

Mr. Martin Coffield intends to erect a new barn next summer. He has the timber for the frame all on the ground and the stone work all ready built. It was done by the Timmons Bros and has the appearance of an A 1 job. Mr. Walter Middleton has the frame work to complete, which will doubtless be a little above the average as Walter is so tasty about his work.

Mr. Wm. Kerney, of Forget, Sask., but formerly of this place, is visiting his old neighbors for a few weeks before he returns west. Since he came to this part he sold his farm on the 10th con. to Mr. Wm. Beaton, of Glenelg Centre, for a snug little figure. We congratulate Mr. Beaton and welcome him in the neighborhood.

We hear that Mr. Thos. Jack has disposed of his real estate to his brother William.

Miss Maggie McNally has returned from Toronto to wait on her parents who have been on the sick list for the past two or three weeks.

Miss Binnie who taught in our section for the past two years said goodbye to the little folks on Friday last. Before doing so she was presented with an address accompanied with a present. The teacher then supplied the children with oranges and they all said a fond Good-bye.

The trustees have employed Miss Jay of Meaford as teacher for 1908.

Mr. George Stoddard who has been in the West for ten years is visiting his mother and other friends.

There are a number municipal aspirants in Glenelg this year. Some of the ratepayers think the taxes are too high but we do not think the council is altogether to blame.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are warned not to trespass on the following lots with dogs, guns or otherwise, for the purpose of hunting, or prosecutions will follow:-

Abraham Cutchley, No. 62, 3rd Con. E.G.R.—No. 3, 4th Con. S.D.R.

Thos. McGirr, No. 61 and 62, 2nd Con., E.G.R.

John Bell, No. 67, 3rd Con., E.G.R.—No. 3 and 4, 1st Con., N.D.R.

Chris Firth, No. 5, 1st Con. N.D.R.

Wm. Young, No. 3, Con. 1, S.D.R.—No. 6, Con. 1, N.D.R.

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