

Holstein.

(Our own correspondent.)

Several of the members of L.O.L. No. 2296 attended the funeral of the late James Hopkins. Mr. Hopkins was one of the oldest members of the order in Holstein Lodge.

The dam has been thoroughly reinforced on the sides and is now apparently proof against further damage.

Mr. Ab Tuck, while working in the handle factory, had one of his hands badly injured when a sliver entered the palm and it was with great difficulty that it was removed. It will lay him off work for some time.

Rev. and Mrs. James Stewart of East Normanby spent Monday afternoon with Rev. G. S. Scott.

The executive of the South-west Grey Baseball League met recently and the following schedule of games was drawn up:

- June 5 Varney at Maple Leafs.
- 8 Holstein at Gleneden.
- 15 Maple Leafs at Holstein.
- 18 Glen Eden at Varney.
- 20 Holstein at Maple Leafs.
- 26 Glen Eden at Maple Leafs.
- 27 Varney at Holstein.
- 29 Maple Leafs at Gleneden.
- July 3 Holstein at Varney.
- 6 Glen Eden at Holstein.
- 10 Varney at Glen Eden.
- 11 Maple Leafs at Varney.

George Fenton, President, W. A. Reid, Secy.-Treas., Dr. Loeson, Hon. President.

The work of renovating the interior of the Presbyterian Church is still in progress. Mr. A. Muir has returned to Toronto and Mr. Hill of Toronto is now superintending the work. The reopening is expected to take place on the 3rd of June when the Rev. John Little of Rockwood, and a former pastor, will conduct the opening services.

The Harmonic Male Quartette of London appeared for the third time before a Holstein audience and were greeted with a full hall. The performers have lost none of their entertaining qualities. The young people of the Presbyterian Church were fortunate in securing their services.

Miss Tacy McCabe of Varney is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Ed. Rae.

Mrs. Mason has been seriously ill lately and we are sorry to report that her condition is not much improved.

Miss Ruby Morrison spent part of last Saturday with W. J. Sharpe and family.

Mr. R. J. Arnill has treated himself to a new Dodge car.

Miss Pearl Drummond entertained her many friends here to a "trousseau tea" on Tuesday afternoon. This was quite an elaborate function and was exceptionally well carried through. Her many friends here wish her much pleasure and happiness in the new undertaking in which she is to engage in the near future.

Edge Hill.

(Our own correspondent.)

Mr. J. G. Firth spent his past week in Toronto.

Mr. Arthur Edge was in Markdale on Wednesday.

Miss Black and Miss Hooper of Chesley spent the 24th with the McFayden family.

Inspector Wright visited our school and gave a splendid report of the standing of the pupils under Miss McKechnie.

Miss Moffat of Pinkerton, who teaches near Mount Forest, spent the holiday with the Ritchie families.

Mrs. Alex. Firth of Brampton visited at Mr. Arthur Edge's on Sunday. Messrs. J. G. Firth and W. G. Firth have each employed men from the land of the heather.

Miss Frederica Staples and Master Ralph spent the 24th with their uncle, Mr. Joseph Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scarf of Toronto and Mrs. William Ritchie of Durham were visiting their brother, Mr. W. R. Edge.

Mrs. George Ritchie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nelson McGuire, at Orchard.

Ray McClocklin is back to work, after a three weeks' holiday with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Liddle and children, and Mrs. Burrell of Walkerton spent the first of the week with the Misses Edge.

Miss Kate McFayden visited with friends in Mount Forest last week.

Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Roberts of Galt spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. D. Robinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moffat, Mr. Horace Moffat and Miss Irene, were visiting Mrs. Moffat's mother, Mrs. Robert Ector.

Mrs. McKechnie and Miss Mitchell of Durham visited over the holiday with the former's sister, Mrs. H. Williams.

Mr. Hector McDonald was over to his old home at Pricerville on Tuesday.

Seeding is now over for another year. The heavy rain delayed the

finish for a few days.

The trustees of No. 3 have re-engaged Miss McKechnie as teacher for next year at a salary of \$1,100. This is an increase of \$100 and is the largest salary ever paid in No. 3, but Miss McKechnie has been doing excellent work and the trustees considered that the increase was well earned.

The boys have organized a baseball team and have had several good evening's practice. Now that the busiest season is over it is hoped a large number will be in attendance and greater interest taken in the game. Just quit an hour earlier and enjoy a good game with the boys.

Aberdeen.

(Our own correspondent.)

Mrs. J. D. Clark and Mrs. James Haslett visited with the former's son, Mr. Dougald Clark of the Rocky, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McDonald of Proton called on Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald Sunday evening.

Miss Lottie Flecher has returned home from Toronto, where she has spent the last few months.

Mr. Wright, School Inspector, called at S.S. No. 10 one day last week and left a good report.

Mr. and Mrs. William Honess of Crawford spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Macdonald.

Mr. Duncan McLean has recently purchased a new Ford coupe.

Ebenezer.

(Our own correspondent.)

The coming election seems to be of more or less interest to the farmers here at the present time. With the seed all in the ground some of those concerned are spending the time in the interest of the candidates. A number from here purpose attending the nomination in Durham to-morrow (Wednesday).

Miss Annie M. Turnbull spent over the week-end with her cousin, Miss Ruby Campbell of Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mervyn and family of Lamash spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. Mark Mervyn's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reay were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey.

Misses Violet, Nellie and Lillie Mervyn visited the Charlton family of South Bentinck the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hodgson and family of Durham spent the first of the week with relatives in our burg.

Miss Laura Bartleman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartleman, who has been in a very poor state of health for some months past, is, we are glad to learn, noticeably improving. We sincerely hope she will soon be fully recuperated.

Miss Florence Kennedy of Allan Park visited at Mr. Henry Reay's on Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Wilson of Durham visited with her daughter, Mrs. John Wells.

Miss Kathleen Reay of the D.H.S. spent a week-end recently with her friend, Miss V. Mervyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clunis McKean and children of Ravenna, Collingwood Township, motored over Sunday week. Mrs. McKean and children remained and will spend two or three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reay.

Miss Pearl Wilson, teacher here, spent the week-end with her parents in Elmwood.

Quite a number from here have been busy at intervals attending the revival meetings at Mulock, conducted there for the past two weeks by Evangelist Torrie and Mrs. Torrie.

Traverston.

(Our own correspondent.)

A large acreage was seeded last week and a considerable quantity of seed will be sown this one, too. It looks as if harvest might run in September this summer.

Mr. Ed. Norris purchased a new Star auto last week and Mr. James McCarthy a new Chevrolet. Mr. T. E. Blair has invested in a Chev., too, and is finding it a great convenience.

Mr. James Hastie has moved his family and household goods to Mr. George Torry's vacant home on the 10th Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay White visited relatives near Corbetton the first of the week.

The 24th brought quite a number of town folk out into the country to fish and visit, but very few from the country took in town sports. They were too busy seeding.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNally of town Miss Christene McNab and her aunt Kate of Cleveland, and Mr. Bryson Morlock were guests at Mr. Hugh McArthur's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Henry and Master Billy of Flesherton spent a couple of hours under our roof-tree and got a fine dish of fish from Mr. James Ross's fishing preserve.

Mrs. T. G. Campbell (nee Vi. Reynolds) of Toronto is the guest of Miss

Maggie McArthur of the 4th Concession. They were schoolmates in old No. 3 in bygone years.

The weather being fair, a big crowd of fair ones gathered at Zion on Tuesday afternoon of last week to hear Miss Harcourt, the Government speaker. Her address was a most admirable one and was full of practical pointers. Mrs. Arthur McNally gave some very sweet violin music and she and Mrs. John O. Greenwood sang a duet. Miss Katie May Firth had a good recitation. Refreshments were served at the close of the session. Mrs. W. J. Greenwood, the president, ably handled the program.

Mrs. Will Timmins left Wednesday of last week to visit her sister, Mrs. James McClocklin of South Bend, Muskoka, who is seriously ill.

Miss Rebecca Banks of Toronto is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Aitkens, Misses Mary and Elizabeth Hughes and Miss Margaret Whiteford of South Bentinck spent the 24th with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peart.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Peart and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson, South Bentinck, the first of the week.

Decision Day was held in Zion Sunday school on Sunday and fifteen of the pupils expressed a desire to become members of the church.

Mrs. Phil. Harrison of Swinton Park was a guest at the Nelson homestead for three days at the close of the week.

Flesherton

(Our own correspondent.)

Continued from last week.

Mr. S. W. Vose, who completed his theological course in McMaster University this spring and received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the college convocation last week, is to be congratulated upon his success. Mr. Vose had charge of the Baptist cause here the past year and has returned to continue his work on this field.

A young lady colporteur is spending a few days in the village canvassing in behalf of the Sailors' Institute at Port Arthur.

Mr. Stewart McTavish of the Bank of Montreal is on two weeks' holidays with his sister at Windsor, and Dr. and Mrs. Coleridge on a motoring trip will accompany him home this week.

The old friends here of Mrs. S. C. Philp of Toronto, recently bereft of her husband, the late Rev. Samuel Philp, a former pastor here, sympathize with her bereavement again by the death last week of her son-in-law, Mr. Arthur Letts of Los Angeles, California. Mr. Letts was at one time a member of the Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto and fought in the Northwest Rebellion and was wounded at the battle of Cut Knife Creek. Twenty years ago he went to California and won international fame as a great merchant. He was the proprietor of two large department stores employing five thousand people. He was noted for his philanthropy, was president of the Y.M.C.A. and vice-president of the Boy Scouts of America. Surviving him are his wife, nee Florence Philp, one son and two daughters.

Mrs. Lundy Johnston and Miss Davis, of Vandeleur, have been visitors for a few days at the Methodist parsonage.

Messrs. Charlie and Elwyn Jamieson and families of Owen Sound were here on Sunday visiting their mother, who returned last week from an extended visit at Montclair, N.J., and Dome Mines, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitchell, Miss Alida Mitchell, Mrs. J. Blackburn and Miss Holmes made a visit to Owen Sound on Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Hodgson and little daughter of Islington have returned home after two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. W. Trimble, slightly improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thurston, Mr. E. D. Bentham and Miss Reynolds a week-end visit to the latter's home at Beeton.

Mr. George Stewart and son Kenneth of Powassan were visitors at Mr. Fred Stuart's here on Monday.

OBITUARY

MISS M. J. CAULDWELL

Miss Mary Jane Cauldwell died on the 26th of May after a brief illness. She was born in 1863 in the County Fermanagh, Ireland, and when an infant, 59 years ago, came to this country with her parents. About fifty years ago she came to Bentinck with other members of the family and has since been a resident of this vicinity.

Interment took place Monday afternoon at Trinity Church cemetery, the services being conducted by the Rev. J. H. Whealen.

She is survived by a brother, Mr. Thomas C. Cauldwell, and sister, Miss Emma Cauldwell, residing at the home near town.

GEORGE EVERETT

Mr. George Everett, who has been ailing for the past three or four years and in a serious condition for the past fifteen months, passed away Tuesday morning.

He was born near Arthur on the 11th of April, 1866, and lived there and at Teeswater till moving to Durham about sixteen years ago. He was married 36 years ago to Mrs. Williamson, who survives. Besides his sorrowing widow he leaves one son, one daughter and also one stepson and three step-daughters. One son, William George, was killed in a railway accident near Regina on the 10th of last February.

The deceased was a strong, healthy man up to a few years ago, and through his great vitality outlived the expectations of his medical attendants, who thought he would pass away several months ago.

Interment will take place to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at two o'clock from the family residence. The delay is being made to await the arrival of relatives from New York, Brooklyn and other places.

JAMES HOPKINS

Mr. James Hopkins, who has been in the Red Cross Memorial Hospital here for the past five months, from a complication of ailments, passed

Mrs. Robert Rutledge, who returned recently from Winnipeg, visited relatives and old friends here on Monday.

Mr. George Mitchell is home from Toronto University for a few days and will leave on Thursday to take a position at Iroquois Falls for the summer holidays.

Miss Vera Lever spent last week at Owen Sound visiting her mother, who is in the hospital.

Mr. Mervyn Osborne, electrical student employed at the hydro power house for the summer, spent Sunday at his home near Collingwood, accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. W. J. Bellamy, here.

Mrs. Samuel Walker, an esteemed old lady here who has been very ill for some time, is slightly improved.

Mr. Clare Oke and Miss Helen Oke were home from Toronto over the week-end visiting their parents in their affliction. Miss Courtice of Toronto is a visitor at the parsonage with her aunt, who is recovering from her recent accident.

At the Young People's meeting in the Methodist Church on Monday evening the program was made especially interesting with beautiful lantern slides showing the home of Shakespeare and other historical English scenes.

Mr. J. E. McKee was the speaker at the union prayer meeting last week and his earnest, helpful address was much enjoyed.

As we write Monday evening Band practice is going on and the diligence of the players and progress being made is pleasing.

Born.—On May 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor, 8th Concession, a daughter (Ethel Irene).

Mr. W. C. Hanley, an old resident of Artemesia, died on Sunday at his late home on the 8th Concession, after a lengthy illness. His wife, one son and three daughters, survive him. The funeral takes place this Tuesday to Salem cemetery.

away on May 24.

He was in his 79th year and was born in Eastern Ontario. About 50 years ago he came to Mount Forest and since then, with the exception of a few years in the West, has been a continuous resident there and at Orchard.

He married Mrs. Whiteman before coming West and to them was born only one child, Martha (Mrs. James Brown), now residing at Rouleau, Sask.

The funeral was delayed awaiting the arrival of Mrs. Brown, who reached here Monday night. On Tuesday afternoon the remains were taken from Bell's Undertaking Parlors and interment, under Orange auspices, made in Mount Forest cemetery, where the remains were laid beside those of his wife who died thirty-four years ago.

His daughter, Mrs. Brown, came at Christmas, intending to take her father with her to the West, but he became worse a day or so after her arrival and has been confined to his bed ever since. On receiving the news of his death, she took the first train East to be in attendance at the funeral.

Besides his daughter he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Weir of Egremont and Mrs. George Ketchum of Michigan, also two brothers, Wm., of Mount Forest and Frank of Egremont. There are three grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

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