

Holstein.

John D Roberts is now occupying his new shop which is one of the finest within miles. Mr Roberts is now in a better situation to serve his old customers and as many new ones as may call on him.

Adam Valtz a few days ago by some means slipped and fell breaking his shoulder blade which will cause him to carry his arm in a sling for some time.

George Freeman is nursing a sore hand. Mr and Mrs J W Magwood were in Arthur the fore part of this week attending a convention of the Epworth League of the Methodist church.

Mr Brethour, of Mt Forest, preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor.

Robert Burrows visited friends in Walkerton for a day or two last week.

Miss Nettie Conroy, of London, is at present the guest of her friend Miss Kate Healy.

Miss Edith Fitzell left on Wednesday last for Toronto where she has secured a situation.

Wm Elles was in Dundalk last Saturday on business.

Priceville.

Heavy rain on Sunday last and we have cooler weather now.

Potato picking is in order at present. The gaelic communion on Sunday last was pretty well attended in the Presbyterian church.

We take the liberty of thanking Messrs John McArthur and D McCormick in behalf of those interested in the cemetery here, for the substantial and neat job done in putting wire fence in front of the yard which was much needed.

A union Sabbath school Convention from the township of Artemesia will take place at Eugenia Falls on Oct 15th, when a large gathering is expected to be present on the occasion.

Dr. James Atkinson, Dentist, received a communication from Glasgow asking him to accept a situation where he spent a few months during his visit to Scotland last summer. Priceville ought to feel proud for raising a young man of such high character as the young doctor.

Samuel McDiarmid fell 21 feet off a scaffold while at a threshing at Angus McKeen's, D. Road and miraculously escaped with slight bruises.

Miss Flora McCannell returned from a few months visit with friends at Stayner.

Mr Francis McLeod, of Sunnidale, paid a short visit with friends at Top Cliff.

Mrs McPhail, south line, has had a relapse and the Doctor is in attendance again.

Mrs James McDonald sr is suffering with dropsy. The old lady is lying alone and some nights she often expects not to see morning. We think it is not right to allow a person who has plenty of means to carry her through, to be living in loneliness, neglect and want, in a Christian country.

Mr John Campbell, Swinton Park, although four score years was at the church last Sunday at 10 o'clock to attend communion in gaelic after a drive of eight miles. The venerable gentleman appreciates highly his native language the gaelic and it would be a pity to deprive him of the privilege of hearing it after his long and faithful drive.

Miss McPhail who was staying with her sister Mrs McLean of Proton Station for a time came home on Monday last.

Mr McKellar lately from Scotland is visiting with his cousin Mr John McArthur and other friends in this place for the last week or two.

Mr John Campbell, north line, who got hurt some time ago we are pleased to say is getting better.

Are we going to be without a mill in Priceville. We see no signs of a movement for to rebuild again. We hope to see our mills rebuilt before long as we were not without a mill for the last forty-five years.

Mr McCabe who was away on business for a couple of weeks returned a few days ago.

We hear the old teachers have been re-engaged in our school in town for 1901. F McKinnon is engaged with Mr Alfred Hinks for the fall ploughing.

Hopeville.

The Rev Mr Mullen, of Toronto, preached a splendid sermon in the Esplan church on Sept 30.

Mr Hector McDonald left on Oct 1st for his home in Washington U. S., after a stay of a month visiting friends. He was accompanied by Alex Cooper his nephew.

James Troup feels lonesome for the company of his mate Alex Cooper who went away to Washington. If Cooper writes back good news of that country Troup will go there and if so they may again unite in social and intellectual pleasures.

Thos Cantlin near Mt Forest has purchased between 500 and 600 lambs in this neighborhood. They are to be delivered on the 10th at this village.

We hear of a Hotel-keeper proposing to go out of the business and lecture as a missionary for the Christians in China. He has charged that the Christian people here are not doing all they might to christianize the Chinese.

We have very dry weather here and water is scarce in the wells and bush fires are raging in the low lands.

Edge Hill.

The hum of the threshing machine has ceased around here and farmers are busy with their fall ploughing.

Mr Jeff Whitmore has gone to work in the shanties at Singlampton.

Messrs David and Tom Davis and Jas. Smiley left for Sault Ste Marie this week.

Mrs. D. McFayden and daughter Kate visited Mrs J. Milligan, of Hampden, one day last week.

Mrs H. and Mrs J H McFayden are visiting at Mrs John Milligan's this week.

Mr and Mrs D Greenwood and their cousin Miss D Kinsman, took in the Holstein show on Tuesday last.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Firth and Miss May Spittel are visiting Chesley friends this week.

Mr Geo Aljoe lost a valuable cow last week.

Mr Thos Greenwood arrived home from Guelph where he purchased a Galloway bull.

The beef ring closes this week for the season and all are well satisfied with it.

Mr J W Firth left on Thursday to take up his studies in Toronto University.

Mr Thos Firth has returned to O Sound to take up his studies there.

Mrs R Ector and daughters Lizzie and Sadie and grandson Horace Moffat are visiting Mrs Moffat of Greencreek.

Mr and Mrs George Ritchie are the happy possessors of another boy.

Mr and Mrs David Allan, of Hopeville, visited at the old homestead and took in the Durham show.

The Beef ring members are to hold a meeting at the residence of Mr Robert Ector on the 17th of this month.

Henry's Corner.

Intended for last week. The busy season of late has prevented us from being as regular as we could wish, but we are on deck again.

Wm. Wilson of the 20th, is getting his new house in fine shape and it will make a comfortable residence when completed.

Misses Aggie Hunter and Mary Scott are delegates from Amos C. E. Society to the Provincial Convention at Guelph this week.

It is reported that John Adams has rented his farm to Mr Henry Reid for a term of years.

John Henry, we regret to say is under the doctor's care with an attack of pleurisy.

Wedding bells rang here last week when stalwart Andrew Hunter took unto himself a wife. The lady of his choice is Miss Lizzie Aitken of the 2nd concession, and this community wishes him and his bride a hearty welcome among us and many happy years together. They moved into their new house last week.

Wm. Brown is still further improving his fine buildings by erecting a fine driving shed and pippen. Geo Pollock is the mechanic.

Jas Boaks left this week to build a cellar under a house in Robb.

Nat Long leaves on Tuesday for Alpena, Michigan.

John McBeth lost a much-prized little dog the other day and several other articles which would seem to indicate that a sneak thief is operating.

A number from here took in the World's Fair on Tuesday and came home pleased with the show and proud of their township.

We hear that Robt. Henry, Jr., has bought a fine residence and grounds at Robb P. O. We congratulate our old corner boy on his enterprise but what can he want a house for? Who is good at guessing?

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NOTICE.

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Grey, in the matter of the Guardianship of the Infant Children of Thomas Milligan, late of the township of Bentinck, in the Co. of Grey, farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice, an application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Grey for a grant of letters of Guardianship of Mary McAdam Milligan, Quinton Campbell Milligan, Thos. James Milligan, Jane Fraser Milligan, and Elizabeth Catherine Milligan, infant children of the said Thos. Milligan, Deceased, to John Milligan of the said Township of Bentinck, farmer, the natural and lawful uncle of the said infants.

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—Lord Strathcona is to be in Montreal this week and great enthusiasm will be shown over his visit.