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 Miss Rebecca McMillan and Mary A. Moore of Toronto Normal were holiday visitors.  
 Miss W. Walker and Miss Jean of Toronto spent the holiday at N. McKeen's.  
 Mr and Mrs Lowe of Montreal are visiting at R. Parslow's and other friends in this vicinity.  
 Miss Bertha James and Mrs H. B. Leach spent over Sunday out of town.  
 There was a most generous response to the appeal for clothing for the Northern Ontario fire sufferers and the clothes will go forward on Wednesday of this week.  
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PRICEVILLE AND LIMITS

Cold on Monday with heavy frost, not much rain yet and the ground is pretty hard in some places. Thinking was busy in different ways, some going away and others coming.  
 The sale of the estate of the late Alex McEachern this Monday, the 9th inst, went pretty well under the command of Auctioneer McPhail who is hard to beat at the job. Calves went \$24 a piece, horses went very well and cattle very good.  
 The boys that got 3 or 4 days at Thanksgiving from Camp Borden, left again this Monday. Hector McKinnon left on Saturday, probably to go overseas in a short while. Hector McDonald of the 198th Bn left on Monday to be a while longer at Camp Borden and will probably with his battalion be sent to Toronto for part of the winter at least before going overseas.  
 The Priceville show was fairly well patronized; the day was good and the good people made good use of it by attending. We will not say much as the Editor will be filling a space. However, Priceville people cannot return the compliment too well to the good people of Durham for the large number in attendance and if our memory is good enough we will tell who they were: Hon. Dr. Jamieson, M. P., John Kelly, Joe H. Hunter, Chas. Grant and Miss Grant, Mr. Chas. Bamage, son Peter and Miss Alice, Geo. McKeechie, ex-mayor Wm Calder, Mr. and Mrs. N. McCannell and Mrs. N. McLean, Robt. Burnett, John and Archie Robertson, Dr. Hutton, Arch. McLellan and others; Editor Mortimer of Shelburne, Councillor Turnbull of Glenelg, Moses Jacklin of Allan Park, ex-inspector Thos Davis.  
 Tuesday morning 10th Oct, reminded us of winter by having a fall of snow but was disappearing as fast as it came.  
 Rev Mr Matheson and Peter Muir are attending the Presbyterian Synod here in Toronto to-day, Tuesday. Reeve Nichol of Glenelg and Donald McDonald were appointed to attend the committee of One Hundred held in Toronto on Tuesday, 17th inst.  
 We were pleased to see the venerable Robt Oliver at the Pricville Exhibition and is quite smart yet for his age. We were also pleased to meet some of our boys of old; Dr Joe McLeod, of Allensford, wife and family, also Jas and Mrs McLeod of Owen Sound. James was born in Priceville and the Dr was a well fellow, sons of the late Rev. D. McLeod.  
 Born, on Wednesday, Oct. 4th, to Mr and Mrs Wm McLeod, a daughter.  
 Born, on 30th September, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman McIntyre, South Line, a daughter.

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Suitable weather fell to the lot of the Directors of the Priceville Exhibition, and as a consequence they will be able to meet all obligations and have a neat egg, some \$140 being taken in at the gate and the concert as usual to the good. The attendance considering the fine weather, was not what it should have been, but thrashing was in progress in some localities and no doubt kept many at home.  
 "No frost has injured the Ladies' Roots, vegetables and fruit, especially the latter, made a creditable display, which remark could not apply, however to the floral exhibit, which was not representative of the homes of the neighborhood.  
 The reputation of the show for baking, butter, pickles, etc., was well maintained, and outside there was in most cases keen competition in the animal classes.  
 Piper Reid, leader of the Toronto Police Force Band, in conjunction with stalwart Dan McDonald, rendered stirring pipe music, but, as usual one of the chief attractions was the meeting and greeting of old friends.  
 The prize given by C. Ramage of the Review for best history of Priceville, brought out two competitors, Miss Edna Ferguson and Mr. J. A. McDonald. The judges were Rev'ds. Matheson and Bows who had only the paper of the first-named before them but Mr. McDonald's paper coming in later, a re-reading was done by Messrs Mortimer of Shelburne and Wm. Calder of Durham, who gave first and second in the order named. Miss Ferguson's paper appears this week. The limitation to about a column of space no doubt caused a condensation of some points, for even an old Pricvilleite like the editor can discover omissions of salient points. However both papers are very interesting and the future historian of the County will draw upon both for material. Mr McDonald's history will appear next week, and the papers containing both should be preserved.

Priceville Fair

When the township of Artemesia was surveyed in the late '40s, lots 1-5 North and South Durham Road, Artemesia, were reserved for a town plot and mill site on the Saugeen. The fifty acre grants offered for settlement along the same road were immediately settled on by runaway slaves from the Southern States. At first there was no white settler from where Reeve Nichol now lives to three miles east of village. Flour and other household goods had to be carried from Durham; the negroes preferred carrying their sacks on their heads, forcing the Saugeen and other streams on their way back and forth. About 1851 Contractor Sealey built the first bridge—a log one—in the village plot over the Saugeen on Durham Street. In 1851 Wm. Ferguson settled on lot 6 now in the village corporation and was the first white settler in town; then Jno. McAnlay, shoemaker, and John Campbell, carpenter, came about 1853.  
 The village plot was laid out by Surveyor Price who, as the story goes, had helped runaway slaves across the Niagara River—"Underground Railway" at Fort Erie. When the village plot was being named, some of the whites wanted it called "Groves End," but the negroes got their way and named it after their hero.  
 A Post Office was then instituted with Wm Ferguson as Postmaster. The mail route was from Listlodge to Durham and back—a two day tramp on foot.  
 In 1854 David Yeomans brought in a gang of Frenchmen from Quebec, their shanties for the time, being where Colin McLean now resides. They cleared the mill site, made timber for building and constructed a dam. The next season the frames of the saw mill and grist mill were raised. Then he sold the mill property to John McDonald of Belleville who fitted up the saw and grist mills afterwards. The first time that wheat was reduced to flour was a "red letter day" for Priceville and the vicinity.  
 S. S. No. 7 was then formed, extending from the village plot east to the Toronto Line range—about four miles. A log schoolhouse was built at the corner of the 10th sidewalk with the late John McKeenie as teacher. The schools of Artemesia, Proton, Osprey and Melancthon formed an Inspectorate with Wm Ferguson as Inspector—office in Priceville. This in 1870 was enlarged to include South Grey Riding.  
 During the first several years, as there were no churches, services were held in private houses—the first minister being a Methodist, Rev. Maadley with headquarters on the Toronto line; later in No. 7 schoolhouse, Rev. Hayes of Mt Forest was the first Presbyterian minister to hold occasional services also in the schoolhouse. A site was granted to each of Presbyterians, Methodists and Baptist congregations and soon they had churches erected, with the Disciples and Roman Catholics building soon after, but at the present time there are only Presbyterians and Methodists holding regular services.  
 About 1859 S. S. No. 7 was divided and a village school instituted with the late Archibald McLellan as teacher and John Campbell's old log house which stood at the rear of Wm Aldcorn's, as a schoolhouse for the first year or two. In 1881 a substantial brick schoolhouse of two departments was erected and it is interesting to note the large number of scholars that have passed through those schools and have gone out into the world as ministers, doctors, teachers, mechanics and other business men.  
 The first stores were situated on Durham Street, John Knight being

A BRIEF HISTORY OF PRICEVILLE

Review Prize Essay at Priceville Fair, by Miss Edna Ferguson, Priceville

general merchant and W. Parry, grocer—the latter's building was pulled down in 1915 by W.G. Watson. In 1854 W. Ferguson was appointed the first Justice of Peace and John W. Lev, colored constable. Dr. Seaman was the first resident physician and his office stood where D. McDougall's residence now stands.  
 With the advent of the C. P. R. the big stage and mail lines, managed by the late Middaugh of Durham and others, went out of existence. In 1906 a branch line of the C. P. R. from Saugeen Junction to Walkerton was surveyed and in 1908 the first passenger train pulled into Priceville station.  
 In 1914 a fine new concrete and iron bridge was erected over the Saugeen by the C. P. R. and in the same season, the township "fathers" erected a 300 ft concrete and iron bridge on Collingwood St with Reeve McKensie and Councillor Aldern managing the construction.  
 At present we have three up-to-date general stores, a drug store, hotel, two blacksmith shops, harness shop, butcher shop and a saw, chopping and shingle mill.  
 The Priceville people, energetic and untiring, "do their bit" in the present war; they have given abundantly to the Red Cross and Patriotic Fund while the Red Cross ladies have worked unceasingly for our soldier boys of which there is a great number, "somewhere in France," and training here in Canada. Some of our boys are now home on last leave, before going overseas. In the Presbyterian church there is now an honor roll on which are inserted the names of the boys, connected with the Union Sunday School, who have enlisted.  
 Thus, the charming little village of Priceville nestled in the valley of the Saugeen river and almost surrounded by mountainous hills, has long been famed as one of the rare, naturally formed beauty spots of Ontario. The hill summits command an all embracing view that thrills one with its grandeur. The superbly wooded ravines, the picturesque scenery, and the shaded groves—all harmonize to make it an ideal summer resort. That it is so appreciated is evidenced by the number of tourists who yearly seek its bracing atmosphere and pure waters.

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