

VILLE AND VICINITY

Obituary.

MRS CONKEY

On the North line, Artemesia, on the 23rd July, 1917 Mrs Conkey (Mary Kennedy) passed away after a prolonged illness of some time at the age of 78 years. Mrs Conkey was one of the pioneers of Artemesia, coming there about 65 years ago when a little girl. There was a family of six brothers and one sister being the subject of our sketch but all have passed away now but one Angus Kennedy of Prievisville. Mrs Conkey was possessed of a kind disposition and the son and daughter who were all the family at the old homestead will sadly mourn the loss of a beloved mother. The daughter, Miss Mary Conkey, is not possessed of the best of health for some years consequently the loss of a beloved mother who always spared no pains in endeavoring to alleviate the suffering of a dutiful daughter will be sadly mourned by her. The son, the well-known Dr Jno A Conkey, of Indianapolis, USA arrived in time to attend the funeral of his mother but alas!

"In the casket where she laid No attention to a son she paid."

The funeral took place to McNeil's cemetery on Wednesday the 25th July and was largely attended. Friends from a distance attended showing the respect the departed lady was held by all who formed her acquaintance. The Rev Mr Matheson deceased's pastor preached a very impressive discourse very suitable for the solemn occasion. Mrs Conkey in the days of health and activity was always a constant attendant at the Sabbath services where she was a faithful member in the Presbyterian church. The pall bearers were six of the nearest neighbors middle aged men. Mr W G Watson, undertaker.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire to return sincere and heartfelt thanks to our kindly friends for the many tender acts of sympathy shown us in the beautiful laying away of our dear mother, Mary Kennedy Conkey.

The Family

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WAS ON GUARD OF HONOR

At Westminster Abbey.

[The following interesting letter is from Pte. Hector McDonald, son of our well-known Prievisville Cor.—Ed.]

England, July 7th, 1917.

Dear Father:

I received your letter some time ago and really intended answering sooner but the multitudinous duties which are being crammed into our hours of duty, and after as well, those times leave but little time for writing letters between cleaning brass and shining shoes, scrubbing bedboards, etc as you know sanitation is insisted on in the army till it becomes almost a fault which is of course a good fault but at times it makes a fellow feel that they were exceeding the speed limit. I wrote to Archie a week ago, I think, it was when I was at Bexhill.

To-day we are camped about 10 miles from our home camp having come out here yesterday on a three day working performed at night of course, as well as same during the day so we are gradually approaching actual war conditions. We are in the prettiest country here that you could imagine. Trees and hedges and hills, much like what they say it is in Scotland, so if Scotland is as much better as the Scotchmen claim it to be, it must be worthy of all the poems which Burns wrote about it's grandeur. But of course, beauty is not everything and it is so in this case, for a common human like the majority of us are, Canada and the States has it beat in a hundred ways and besides it is the weather of all classes here that has made the country beautiful, in most cases.

I guess Archie told you that we were taking special training for a "Guard of Honor," a little brushing up, as you might call it. Well after about 10 days there at the C O T S, under the best instructor that they have in Europe, even though they are not Canadians.

We went to London on Monday last the 2nd and after marching through a part of the principal part of London with fixed bayonets, we reached Westminster Abbey, in front of which we were lined up at 11 a.m. At 11.30 King George and other members of the Royal family including Queen Mary and Princesses — in the first carriage, followed by another carriage of almost equal splendor and brilliance with Queen Alexandra, Princess Patricia and others. Each carriage was drawn by four fine bay horses. As the king alighted from his carriage we gave him the Royal salute, the first Canadian Guard of Honor, that ever had the privilege in England of performing that duty so of course we all tried to show to His Majesty, as well as to the thousands lined along the streets that the Canadians could really perform an act that had hitherto been performed by Imperials. You probably know that the occasion was the celebration of the 50th anniversary of Canada since Confederation.

After a service which was "all Canadian" in character lasting about three quarters of an hour the Royal party came out of the Abbey, and then we were inspected by King George. There were 100 of us on the guard besides the color party which bore the Canadian colors and consisted of five highlanders from a Nova Scotia battalion. The remainder of us were from about 10 different battalions which make up our division. We had one of the best Canadian Dress Bands that ever left Canada namely the 134th Battalion band. The trumpeters were from the cavalry so that we were representatives of nearly every part of Canada from Victoria, B.C. to Halifax, N.S. After a good dinner at the Union Jack Club we were dismissed until 6 p.m. when we returned to Bexhill.

Next day we came back to Witley camp and are again following the general routine as usual. I am glad you are all well. Will say good bye for this time. With love and best wishes to you all, I remain as ever Hector.

Mr and Mrs Albert C Haw have returned from their honeymoon trip and Thursday evening they received their friends. Many gifts showed the good wishes of their friends. Mr McGillivray and daughter of Kansas city, who have been guests of friends and relatives for a few weeks left for their home.

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Pte. J. R. McDonald Killed in Action at Vimy Ridge

The above soldier is a son of the late Hugh McDonald (Red Hugh) well-known on South Line, Glenelg, who was born at his father's farm in Alberta and leaves a wife and infant son at Delia, Alta, to mourn his loss. A sister, Mrs Van Wart and two brothers, D B and D C McDonald live in Calgary or near it. A clipping from a Calgary paper says that Pte McDonald's death will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends.

Our veteran Prievisville cor says: "John was a fine boy, in personality he was hard to surpass and was a favorite with his fellow young boys. The many friends in this part send condolences to the brothers and sister in the different places of abode, and to the bereaved widow and child.

It is to be feared that many a poor boy will share the same fate before the war is over. We heard a father a few days ago remark that it was good to get one boy back to the home out of three at the front. This was P M N McKinnon who had three boys away, until as seen in the Review one son, Neil, came home and his lame knee is recovering nicely. Donald hasn't been heard from for some time and Hector is still in England.

SWINTON PARK

A Peasant Social under the auspices of the choir will be held at Swinton Park on Aug. 10th. Ladies' baseball at 6 o'clock sharp. Refreshments will be served on the grounds. A musical program will be given in the church. Admission 13c and 25c. Proceeds to go to Red Cross.

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FIGHTING GARDEN FOES

Destroy Them or They May Destroy Your Crop.

SPRAYING A READY REMEDY

In This Column the Amateur is Introduced to Insects and Fungus So That He May Know Them by Their First Names.

By S. C. JOHNSTON, Vegetable Specialist, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

Garden Foes.

Unfortunately the backyard vegetable grower has some difficulties to overcome. It will not be all pleasure and profit which he must look forward to because there are innumerable insects and fungus diseases which cause much worry and trouble and necessitate the use of extraordinary methods to prevent or control. Most of these troubles may be overcome by spraying the plants with remedies which can be secured from seed stores and other firms handling them.

The following is a list of the more common vegetables and the insects and plant diseases attacking them with remedies or preventives.

ASPARAGUS. Beetles. Blue, black or yellowish colored, about one-half inch long, which appear early in May and feed on the young shoots. Keep the bed closely cut in the spring or allow poultry to run through it. After cutting season is over, spray with arsenate of lead. Encourage the lady bird beetle which destroys many of these insects.

Anthracnose or Pod Spots. Brown or reddish spots on the foliage and pods. Found on low damp ground. Plant only seeds which have no signs of the disease. Pull up and burn diseased plants as they appear.

CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, AND BRUSSELS SPROUTS. Root Maggot. A small whitish colored maggot one-quarter of an inch long. Looks something like a grain of wheat, found just below the surface of the ground either close to or on the roots. They eat the roots, causing the plant to drop over. Apply a solution of corrosive sublimate one-half ounce dissolved in five gallons of water, at the rate of half a teacupful to each plant once a week for five weeks after they are set out, commencing three or four days after planting.

Cut Worms and White Grubs. Greyish white grubs which work at the surface of the soil cutting off the plants. They may be trapped by spreading a mixture of poison bran over the surface of the soil close to the plants. A pail of bran with sufficient paris green to highly color it, should be moistened with molasses until it crumbles readily in the hand. This moisture should be kept on the ground during the early part of the season.

Worm. A small greenish worm three-quarters of an inch long, which is not so common in the season. Dust with pyrethrum or hellebore powder when the plants have headed, or dust with a teaspoonful of paris green mixed with three tablespoonful of flour when young. A piece of burlap may be used for this purpose or an empty can with holes punched in the bottom.

Apbis, also called louse. Small greyish insects which multiply rapidly. They may appear at any time in the season. Spray forcibly with a solution made from steeping one pound of tobacco refuse in one gallon of water. This solution may be used on all plants on which Apbis are found.

CELERY. Blight. Black spots appear on the foliage followed by wilting of the plant and a soft rot on the stock. Spray each week with a mixture of Bordeaux mixture covering the entire plant.

CUCUMBER. Striped Beetle. Black and yellow striped beetle which feeds ravenously on the tender leaves of the plant in the very early stage of growth. Dust-lashed when wet with ashes or air-slaked lime.

Squash Bug. Dark brown beetle which sucks the juice from the plant. Hand pick and destroy. Found on the leaves.

MELONS. Cucumber insects usually attacks and may be destroyed as given above.

ONION. Onion Maggot. A white maggot similar to the cabbage root maggot. No effective means of control. Spread charcoal over the ground or try the corrosive sublimate solution as recommended above.

Blight. A violet color, patches appearing on the leaf of the onion. Some advise spraying with Bordeaux mixture from the time the onion plant is three inches high.

POTATO. Colorado Beetle or Potato Bug. Dust with paris green when the dew is still on the plant, or place a teaspoonful in a watering can of water and pour over the plant. If possible have the plant dusted with paris green before the bug appears.

Scab. Easily recognized by characteristic roughness of the skin. Immerse the uncut tuber just before planting in a solution of two fluid ounces of formalin with two gallons of water. Dry, cut, and plant.

Blight. Brown spots distributed over the leafy surface, usually found in July. If they are not prevented from growing, the whole plant will be destroyed. Spray once a week for four or five weeks with Bordeaux mixture from July 1st.

RADISH. Root Maggot. Use the same remedies as given for cabbage and onion maggot.

TOMATO. Tomato Worm or Horn Blower. A large worm which rapidly defoliates the plant. Hand pick and destroy.

Blight. Black spots appearing on the leaves which spread rapidly and cause the whole plant to die. Keep the plants growing vigorously.

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DURHAM, Aug. 2 1917.

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