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Obituary

JAMES HOOPER

It fills us with thoughts of sadness as we write of the death of one who has passed to the great beyond, Mr James Hooper, who died Tuesday, March 21st at 8 o'clock. A friend, a husband, a father who will long be missed from his place in the old home as well as the place he filled in the hearts of his loved ones. Although he had reached the golden age of 83 years still was always able to be in his place in the home, and little visits to other homes where he is deeply mourned to-day being only confined to bed for ten days from an attack of pleurisy and pneumonia.

Everything from kind hearts and hands was done to help him but he gradually kept sinking. His life seemed as the day, his body sank to rest as the sun sank in the west.

His suffering ended with the day. In calm and meek repose, He spoke his last few words to us, As sleep he yielded closed.

And 'ere the sun sank in the west, Soon hid from earthly eyes.

He passed through sunset's glory gates And walked in Paradise.

He often talked about his early days coming from Somersetshire, England. Severely five years ago now he was

leaving England with his parents and family for Canada only a little boy of eight years, still could remember many incidents of his home and friends in England. They settled near Toronto for awhile, when he and his father, his father took up land and built a little log house in the woods with only a shanty in the roof to let out the smoke from a chimney which they thought was so nice. He grew up there to manhood then settling and clearing the farm in Egremont on which he lived the rest of his life till death. Eighty three years was a long and honored life, experiencing all the difficulties of pioneer life. Clearing their farms and often going on foot through the woods with their produce to market. Still he often told of the joyous times they had in the long ago as well as now.

Sixty years ago this September he married Jane Watters who still survives him (being his life partner for 60 years, now must tread the rest of life's journey alone) along with seven children: Isaac, Matthew, Abram, David, Myrtle (Mrs Jos Lawrence), Mable, Mrs W. A. Lawrence, and George who still lives on the old home, also twenty two grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. He also leaves three brothers, Henry and Abram in Glenelg and John in Englewood. He is survived by a sister Sarah in Glenelg. He belonged to the Methodist church but was laid to rest in Amos cemetery. Rev. Mr Barrett and Rev. Mr McCarty conducted the funeral service at the home and church where many expressions of love and comfort were taken from the 23rd Psalm and from Cor. 16:22.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Now Mr Editor how we do wish for spring, mud, mud, more mud. Mr W. H. Sim visited her mother one day last week.

YEUVIL

The week end sleighing was good but at present the roads are very bad, the great amount of heavy teaming on them daily making them worse.

Another good run of Nature's Sweet since the snow vanished.

Mrs J. Reid is home again from Harrison. Mrs Crosby was greatly improved when she left her.

Mrs P. Horsburgh and Miss Maggie Halliday, of Herschel, Sask., returned to South Bend after spending a few days with the former's sister.

Mr McCall of Mt Forest has been visiting his daughter and grand daughter.

Miss Ruberta Philp of Guelph General Hospital spent a few hours last week with her parents, coming Wednesday on the moon train and returning the next morning. Hospital lectures prevented a longer stay. She was also able to see her cousin, Miss Gertha McDonald of Hopeville who was visiting her aunt and attending the N. I. demonstrations on cooking, etc. in Dromore.

Rev. Mr Latter of Mt. Forest is expected to preach at Yeuvil next Sunday afternoon. Mr West is away assisting in revival services.

Mr Jas Murdoch, who has been in Sperling, Man., for the last couple of years, has engaged with his aunt, Mrs Geo Swanson, for the summer.

Mrs Joseph Merohart, who was visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs D. Drimlie has returned to her home in Libertv, Sask.

R. Nicholson & Sons, who intend pulling down their barn on the home place, and building a larger one. Have been busy preparing timbers etc. J. Switzer is the contractor.

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L. B. Nicholson, Holstein Mill

Rev. and Mrs Scott and Miss Ruby are enjoying the balance of his last year's holidays with friends. His pulpits were taken on Sunday by Rev W Rice of Ridgeville, who spent a few days with friends and renewing acquaintances.

At the annual meeting of the W. M. S. of the Methodist Ch. last week the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., Mrs Nicholson; Secy, Mrs Roberts; Treas., Mrs Bve. The officers for the Ladies' Aid are President, Mrs Thorne; Secy, Mrs Hershay; Treas, Mrs Coleridge.

Master Ross Rice while playing with a number of boys in Mr Calder's barn on Saturday, met with an accident that might have proved serious. The boys had fastened a pulley up with a small rope and while pulling up one another, the small rope broke allowing pulley to drop on Ross and giving him a nasty cut on the head.

Holstein School Report

Sr 4th—M. O'Connell, H. Pinder Jr 4th—J. Irwin, J. Ellis, J. Christie, M. Arnill, M. Tyndall, J. Baird, R. Smith, J. McKenzie, F. Heaney, L. McCall

Sr 3rd—J. Calder, M. Tyndall, J. Haas and J. Haas eq. E. Gibson, F. McMillan, A. Brooks, S. Woodyard, M. Christie, R. Aitken, A. Fidler.

Jr 3rd—H. Pinder, G. McMillan, O. West, E. Ellis, B. Nicholson, C. Smith, E. Bilton, A. Sim, S. McKenzie, S. Fidler.

No on roll 84 Average at 'tice 32.69 Junior Room

Sr 2nd—D. Haas, B. Irwin, L. McKenzie, V. Johnston, B. Smith, S. McCall.

Jr 2nd—C. Johnston, B. Christie, C. Tyndall, J. Lewis, C. Arnill, M. Heany.

Sr 1st—H. Smith, G. West, V. Allan, E. Baird, J. Heany, D. O'Connell, I. Sim, M. Woodyard.

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F. Kerr, Teacher

SOUTH BEND

Mr Stephen Smither of Brampton who has been visiting friends around here for a week or so went home one day last week.

Mr Albert Leslie and daughter of Owen Sound have been renewing acquaintances here. Albert was born on the farm now occupied by Nichol McDougall.

The Ladies of Letter Breen church have decided to have a Birthday party on Good Friday night in the Orange Hall. The fee will be one cent for every year of your age. Some will get it easy while some will have to smile. "Eh" Good program and lunch. Everybody welcome.

The S. S. opened up last Sabbath after being closed for winter months. President—Elisha Holliday. Vice-Pres.—Ernest Holliday. Secretary—Grace Sharp. Treasurer—Ronald McFarlane. Bible Class teacher—Charles Stevenson. The rest of teachers same as last year.

Our Member's Views of the House of Commons

Miss McPhail Writes Interestingly of Her Experiences

Dear Editor,—

The debate on the Speech from the Throne is over. This debate is a free-for-all in which anyone can speak on any subject for any length of time. At first it proved very interesting, especially when conducted by such expert debaters as Mr. King and Mr. Meighen. They staged a good scrap and as a spectator I enjoyed it, but it proved once again, that the realm of party politics is to fence for position always, regardless of what is best for the country. Neither broke new ground and their speeches were principally in reference to the late election. I thought King came out slightly ahead, because he forebore to a greater extent than Meighen. Mr. Cresser steered clear of mud slinging, and simply and in a most engaging way, set forth our platform and warned the Government what would happen if they did not bring down legislation in accordance with or approaching to our ideas.

Brevity distinguished the speech of Sir Lomer Gouin and length the speech of "Tommy" Church, Toronto.

I am well impressed with the Progressive group and each speaker showed a reasonableness and real knowledge of subjects discussed to a greater extent than the average of any other group except Labour. The Labour group are exceedingly fortunate, for although they have only two members, those two make up in quality what they lack in quantity. I consider the speech of Will Irvine, East Calgary, (who wrote "The Farmers in Politics") the most thoughtful of all speeches delivered. It was, indeed, the only one that advocated any striking change. He asked that a motion be introduced which would allow a subject to be discussed on its merits; that is,—that the defeat of a motion would not mean the defeat of the Government. He reviewed the whole Credit System and suggested an investigation with a view to improving our system of credit.

We are now considering estimates. There certainly seems to be an unlimited amount of positions in all the Departments of the Government. One is led to wonder what they all do. The positions have some marvellous names. I think when we get to know the work better, that I will visit some Department and see what they really do.

Our first division came this week. It was a straight lack of confidence vote in the Government, introduced by the Conservatives to prove that the Liberal party does not stand on its platform. I had left the chamber a few minutes before the division was called to keep an appointment.

The most striking thing about it here is how hard we have to work, and then never anything like get time to do what we should do. We do not get to bed any night until 12 o'clock. That makes it impossible to be in our office before 9:30 a.m. Then comes mail to read and answer, papers to read, people to receive who have a grouch and people who have not one also, often a caucus or conference and then lunch, and before you know it, it is time to appear in the Chamber. I had looked forward to doing much studying but up to now have been so rushed with details that I have studied nothing.

I am on three Committees: "Elections and Privileges"; "Banking and Commerce" and Special Parliamentary Committee on "Soldiers' Pensions". The work of this last Committee is very heavy. It meets a most every day. It will be impossible when these Committees are rightly organized, to be in the Chamber all the time. Up to now I have been absent for a very few hours.

It looks to me as if Meighen is attempting by bringing in divisions, to show that we vote solidly with the Government, then he will be able to spread the cry that we are just a different type of Liberal. He is a real strategist, and I am not at all sure if anyone in the House is his equal. He ought to make a good chess player.

The Bills are just beginning to come in. Among them are—Act to amend the Criminal Code, The Immigration Act, etc. It will take us up to the Bills and Resolutions so as to be able to vote intelligently each time.

With best wishes to South Grey, I am

Sincerely
Agnes Macphail

NORTH-EAST NORMANBY

The Women's Auxiliary of Knox Church meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs D. McIlvride, Blythe's Corners

Mrs Geo. Smallman, Mrs Andrew and Mrs John Picken visited Friday last, 31st March, at Mr Frank Gray's, he being his 77th birthday. We wish Mr Gray health to enjoy many more birthdays.

Mr and Mrs S. Koenig and family spent Sunday evening at the Johnson home.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Reihl of Kitchener, visited last Thursday with Mrs. And. Picken.

The new Rawleigh medicine man, G. C. Gerber of Neustadt, is on his first round for the season.

Mr and Mrs T. McAllister visited recently at Mr Albert Marshall's.

NORTH EGREMONT

We regret very much that the name (in our written copy) of Mabel, (Mrs. W. A. Lawrence) was omitted from the printed article of the obituary of Mr. Jas Hooper last week inadvertently. [The editor acknowledges the mistake, but not in proofreading, the copy had the names all right. We regret the omission.]

Your source of information (wherever it got) also lacked the name of Glen young at son of the late Jos Moore, whose funeral took place last week under the auspices of the Orange Order. The ceremony was performed very becomingly. The reading by Mr. Fair Lawrence, Master and Murray Wells, Chaplain, was also of a fine and well punctuated. The funeral was largely attended, McMillan of Holstein undertaker. Messrs Jas Falconer, Toronto; G. O. Barrie; Harry, Durham; and W. W. Ramage. The flowers were tasteful, the Orangemen sending a pillow, a sheaf and sickle from the family as were numerous other offerings from friends.

Mrs Dan McKelvey (nee Ellen Moore and son Gillies of New Luskard, arrived on Saturday, having heard of her father's sickness, but not of his death until arriving in Durham, On account of her own sickness she was unable to come sooner.

Mr Murray Wells is under the Doctor's cast with a severe cold or grip. We hope he will soon be as usual again. Miss Florence Renwick, teacher of No 12 S.S. is also suffering from an attack of the flu and her school will again be vacant this week.

The Christian Endeavor are building a pancake social on Friday evening of this week, Yum!

Egremont friends will be interested to learn of the success of former Dromore residents, especially Mr Harry Sterne who is now manager of the Post Wayne Gasoline pump Co for the whole of Canada with headquarters in Toronto. Mr Wm Isaac is one of the leading salesmen of the firm and has headed the list in the matter of monthly sales on more than one occasion, while Mr J. M. Findlay, in the office is filling a position for which he is especially well fitted.

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Though most of us thought Spring was here by the appearance of the sap and spring birds still ch. Mr Winter gave us another call last week just yet. During the wintry spell quite a few enjoyed another sleigh-ride which will likely be the last of the season.

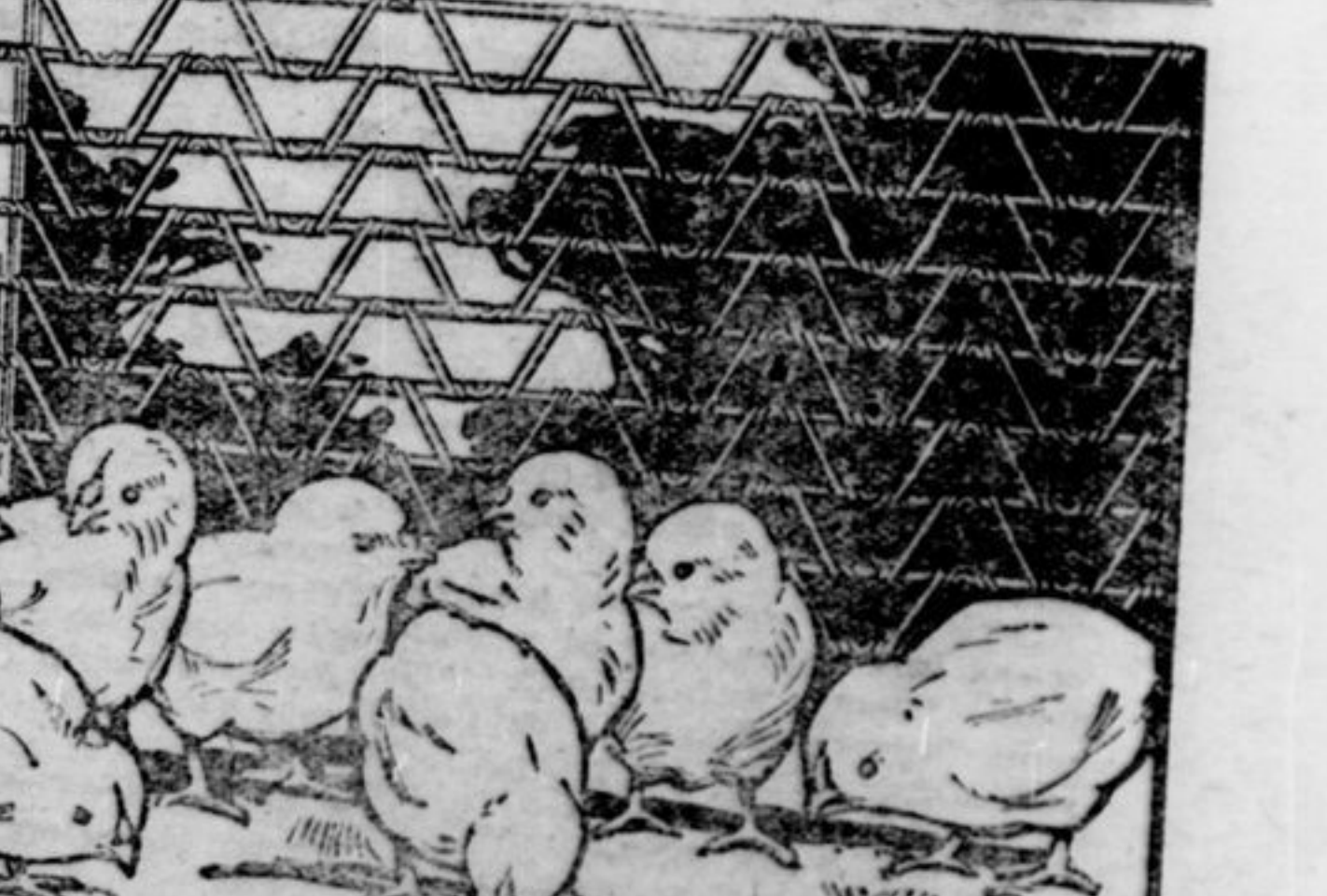
Mr and Mrs Rawo moved to their new farm last week and though our good wishes follow them to their new neighbors, still we regret to lose them as neighbors.

Mr West held a very interesting meeting at the school last Wednesday evening. Though he did not give us a regular bible talk we all enjoyed his say on "Familiar Hymns and their standing more about these old hymns and others which will enable us to sing them more heartily. Mr West's next meeting will be until April 19th on account of his being away for two weeks.

We are sorry to report that Mr Jas. Hopkins is not so well again. He is suffering from a sore foot at present.

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