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Death of Hugh Sinclair

Another of the pioneers of Egremont passed away on March 27th in the person of Hugh Sinclair, at the age of 73 years. He had been ailing for the last 8 months from a complication of diseases, followed by pernicious anaemia which gradually wore away his strength until death brought relief. He was born in the Parish of Killeenan, Inverclyde, Scotland, in March 1851, and emigrated to Canada with his parents and sister at two years of age and settled at Georgetown where they remained for two years before coming to "The Bush." They located at lot 14 con 14, where his parents both died in 1895 and on which he lived continuously until his death. He was a member and regular attendant at Fairbairn church and one of the Board of Managers of the building period and elected elder in 1914.

In 1890 he married Margaret McIntyre of Egremont, who survives him with one son Duncan and three daughters, Annie and Flora at home and Kate, Mrs. Chas. McGillivray, 1 1/2 miles to the East. Also one brother, John, of Denver, Colorado, mourns his loss. A sister, Mrs. Alex Calder of Arthur, died 19 years ago.

Rev. G. S. Scott who conducted the funeral service at the house, feelingly referred to the faithfulness of the deceased in performance of duty and how much he will be missed in the church and community, but much more so in the home. He also spoke of the need of church-going young people to fill the ranks made vacant by those who pass away.

A wreath from the family and a spray from the pastor and session, also one from Mr and Mrs Arnill, of Holstein, were the floral tributes, sent as tokens of regard for the memory of the deceased.

Burial took place Saturday at Woodland cemetery, the service there being given over to Mr R. T. Dodds, Rev. Mr Scott being somewhat indisposed. The pall bearers were two nephews, John Sinclair and John Calder, three session members, J. C. Fairbairn, Jas. Hamilton, R. T. Dodds and Robt. A. Nicholson, a neighbor. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs Hugh Sinclair and family and Mr John Sinclair desire to thank friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown in their recent bereavement.

YEOVIL

The sympathy of our community are extended to Mrs Hugh Sinclair and family in their deep sorrow. Mr Sinclair was much respected and well liked in this vicinity where he lived for nearly seventy years, as was shown by the large funeral, which gathered at his late home, despite bad roads.

Mr J. Calder, Arthur; Mrs Jas. McPhee, Mt. Forest and Mrs McWilliam, Kinross, visited their uncle, H. Sinclair last week, prior to his demise.

Mr John Sinclair left this morning (Tuesday) for his home in Denver, Colorado. His old neighbors and friends were pleased to see him again and have a chat with him, although sorry for the cause of his visit.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Reid visited his sister, Mrs J. Lane at Swinton Park, last week.

Mrs Johns of Holstein has been spending a few days at W. Reid's. Norman Drimmie spent last week in Toronto.

Clinton Bunston's friends were sorry to hear of his operation last Thursday in Grace Hospital, Toronto, as was a very serious case of appendicitis but on Sunday afternoon he took a turn for the better and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

Spring is slowly but surely becoming the vogue in the contest with Winter, Saturday's lightning and thunder being a foretaste of summer's electrical storms.

Quite a number in our neighborhood are busy in the sugar bush and report good "runs" of sap. There is plenty of snow in the woods for "taf-fyng off"—the deep snow making the gathering of sap rather difficult.

After last night's promising sunset, April fooled us to day in the weather by another snow storm.

SCHOOL REPORTS

ORCHARD SCHOOL

IV class examinations in Literature, Writing, Grammar, Hygiene, History.

Jr IV—Kenneth Kirby 55 per cent, Sadie Kirby 51 per cent. Sr III—Helen Rahn 61 per cent. Total marks in Junior classes for month—90.

80—90 Excellent; 70—80 Very Good; 60—70 Good; 50—60 Fair.

Margaret Smith, Excellent; Lilian Rahn, Very good; Oscar Rahn, Very Good; Wardie Smith, Very Good; Arthur Kirby, Fair; Nelson Carmount, Fair.

Carrie Thaler, Teacher

S. S. NO. 9, EGREMONT

Sr IV—Arthur Haas, (Hon.) Milton Schenk, Willie Ferguson. Sr III—E. Ross, Lorne Schenk, Harold McPhee, Murray Ross. Jr III—Kenneth Alles, Sr II—Elmer Troup, Leroy Ketchabaw*, Orville Ketchabaw. Sr I—Reid Ketchabaw*, Kenneth Ross. Sr Pr—

HOLSTEIN LEADER

The Effects of Thought on the Human System

Local and Personal

Freddie Crispin*, Myra Alles, Laura Ellis, Doris Troup. Jr Pr—Geo. Horburgh, Harold Bilton, Lavonne Bilton, Ada Ellis. Pr A—Bert Ross. Present every day.

H. Wilcox, Teacher

Miss Ada Manary returned to her home, accompanied by Mr. Albert Sturrock after a week's visit with Miss Ella Sturrock.

Mr W. A. Reid of Thorndale spent over the week end here.

Miss Edwards enjoyed a visit from her sister over Sunday.

Mr W. Aitken who has been suffering from blood poisoning in his hands, is, we are glad to report, recovering. Nurse Mather was in attendance for a couple of days.

Mrs Hostetter has been very sick for several days but is slowly improving.

Mr C. Drumm has also been under the doctor's care for about a week, but is now also recovering.

Mrs Shand is with her mother, Mrs McDougall, who has not been in the best of health.

Allan Aitken is confined to bed with an attack of pleurisy.

It is with sorrow we report the death of Mr Hugh Sinclair. Interment was made at Woodland Saturday last. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved.

A meeting will be held in the Agricultural Hall, at 2 p.m., Thursday, April 10th, for the purpose of organizing a plowing match. Mr McLean of Richmond Hill will give an address.

It is reported that Mr and Mrs W. Lawrence are moving to Toronto, where Mr. L. has secured a position.

Mr Albert Dyer has bought a house from Edward Hoy.

Assessor Reeves is on the war path April 1st fooled us all. We thought we were going to have Spring but we didn't.

Mr. and Mrs James Elliott, North Arthur, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mina Merle, to Milton Swanson Rice, son of Mr and Mrs John Rice of Holstein. The marriage will take place April 16th.

Mr and Mrs A. Tuck were hospitable host and hostess at a most enjoyable party at their home Friday night of last week, in honor of the Holstein Dramatic Club and Holstein Orchestra. An enjoyable evening was spent in music, games and social chat. A dainty lunch was served at the close by the hostess to forty guests.

We are informed that the Holstein Creamery is looking for a big season this coming summer. Messrs Wm. Nelson and John Leith are running a truck apiece, while E. H. Halliday has been engaged to run the third truck. This will require more help being provided to help in the Creamery, so Mr Abbs has engaged Mr Jno. McKenzie to assist in the Creamery this summer.

The Community Circle met in the basement of the Methodist church on Monday evening as usual. The scripture reading was taken by Mr Hubert Alles while the topics were taken by Miss Irene West and Bert Eccles. The Misses Swanson favored the Circle with a duet between topics which was much appreciated.

It is customary the last meeting in March to re-organize for the coming summer but it was thought advisable to carry on under the same executive through April, when we will re-organize for the out of door sports. Monday evening next will be the next meeting in the basement of the Presbyterian church.

HOLSTEIN SCHOOL REPORT

The following is the report of Holstein Public School for the month of March.

Sr IV—M. Christie, J. Calder & M. Tyndall eq., E. Gibson, J. Haas, I. Haas, A. Brooks, R. Rife, A. Sim, F. McMillan, G. McMillan, A. Fidler.

Jr IV—O. West, E. Bilton, C. Smith, R. Aitken, H. Pinder, S. Woodyard, S. McKenzie.

Sr III—D. Haas, B. Irvin, B. Smith, Isabel Leith, V. Johnson, Inez Leith, S. McCall, L. McKenzie.

Jr III—G. West, H. Smith, E. Arnill, D. O'Connell, B. Christie, C. Tyndall, C. Johnson, V. Allan, J. Mowbray, I. McCall, M. McPhaden, C. Arnill, J. Lewis, M. Heany.

Average attendance 39.6.

J. E. Davidson, Teacher

Junior Room

Sr II—M. Mowbray, M. Irvin, I. Sim, M. Woodyard, J. Heany, M. Fiddler.

Jr II—W. Bilton, N. Johnson, C. Mowbray, G. Schram, E. Gadd.

Sr I—Marie Aitken, B. Gibson, W. Aitken, I. Ellis, M. Aitken, M. Nelson, F. Lawrence.

Jr I—B. Mather, G. Stevenson, A. Leith. Sr Pr—V. Ellis, F. Gadd, H. Smith. Jr Pr—F. West, L. Tyndall, I. Rife. "A"—R. Schram, B. McKenzie, F. Fiddler, M. Aitken, M. Johnson, R. Fiddler, H. Schram. Average attendance 32.

F. J. Floyd, Teacher

It is the physical expression of our thoughts. Wrinkles that mar are drawn by folly, passion, pride, envy, hatred, etc. On the face of the aged there are wrinkles made by sympathy, kindness and love, others by anger, malice, envy and sin on. Who can distinguish them?

To live continually in thoughts of ill will, cynicism and suspicion and envy is to be confined in a self made prison. We give the body the best nourishment we can, then why not mind? Don't let it feed on garbage.

To think well of all, to be cheerful with all, to patiently learn to do some goodness in all, and to dwell day by day in thoughts of peace toward all, will bring abounding peace and happiness. And when the three score years and ten draw nigh, age will be calm, peaceful and softly mellowed as the setting sun.

After the day is over, And the stars begin to peep, When the dew on the grass is glistening, And the birds are all asleep; Then I lay me down in the gloaming, And far into Dreamland I roam, Ever following the great, white pathway— That pathway which leads us Home.

And as I journey onward, Methinks in the distance I see The Great City of Life Eternal, With its millions of souls set free; And the King is there in his beauty, 'Tis a sight most wondrously fair; With angels all gathered about Him Whilst melody fills the air.

Eagerly press I onward! I would reach that city so fair, Ere the vision fade and the darkness Drive me back to the everywhere; At last I am nearing the threshold! And ever and anon do I see Groups of angels bearing a treasure, Hush! 'tis other souls set free.

Brightly becometh the Master, Whilst welcoming them to the fold, And the joy of that city o'erfloweth: With love which has never been told: And the Angels all work in Heaven, And shall work till time is no more; For not a soul shall be left in prison, Whilst God keeps watch at the door.

This, the message I bring you From that vision of heavenly sphere, The Kingdom of God is within you And His spirit is ever near; Your prisons are of thought creation, Thoughts of envy, of hatred and gold; God only created goodness, And ye are parts of the whole, With Love's angel guarding your soul.

DROMORE

Mr. Chas. Watson has moved into the house lately occupied by Mr and Mrs. John Renwick, near the store. Thus "the trend of Empire westward takes its way."

We are glad to know the sick ones are making recovery, though slowly in some cases. They are Mrs John Bunston, Mrs. Jas. Renton, Mrs. Geddes and the family of Mr Robt. Renwick, Jr. who will be out of quarantine this week.

The many friends of Mrs Hugh Renwick, (nee Essie Swanson) will be glad to know that she recently passed with 1st class honors in Elo and now has her diploma with a gold seal accompanying it. She has several pupils of her own and is making good in the Capital, and has met with warm appreciative reception wherever she has appeared.

Mr and Mrs Frank Hopkins moved last week on to the farm recently purchased from Mr Stanley Williams and graced Amos Church with their presence on Sunday last.

Mr. Jas. and Miss Susanna Snell have secured an emigrant, a likely looking young chap of about 17 years or so.

A congregational meeting was held on Friday evening last at Amos Ch. for the regretful purpose of receiving and accepting the resignation of Mr. Gordon Geddes, who has acted as minding "Treasurer" of the church for several years. This was followed by nominations for the position, Alex. Milne, Jr. being declared elected on the first ballot, for the unfulfilled part of his predecessor in the managership. After the business part was concluded, Mr Geddes was called to the front by Mr. Burnett, who acted as Chairman, when S. M. Patterson read the address following, and at the proper time, a couple of chairs were presented by Thos Reid and W. Ramage. After this Mr R. Renwick expressed the good wishes of the Session and had looked forward to the time when he would be his successor as Supt. of the Sunday School. Mrs. Hastie spoke on behalf of the Ladies' Missionary Society. W. Ramage also expressed his regret and had looked upon them as being a desirable addition to the Choir, had they seen fit to accept the invitation often given. Rev. W. J. Burnett spoke approvingly of Mr Geddes' qualifications generally.

Mr. Geddes thanked one and all for the gift and the good feeling which prompted it, and disclaimed the worthiness, and stated the little he had done in the S. S. was a pleasure and a benefit to him. He wished all prosperity and happiness and hoped to see many of them in future years and would occasionally visit Amos. Mr. Geddes had, some years previous, generously refused a salary, stating it was a pleasure to do the work for the Church, and an education as well. He was ably assisted in this work by his estimable wife.

Towards the conclusion of the meeting it was moved and seconded that the congregation have a picnic this summer to Eugenia Falls, or elsewhere. In the meantime it is left in abeyance until Eugenia falls.

At the C. E. on Sunday evening,

NORTH EGREMONT

It was somewhat of a trying experience for two luckless chaps during the storm of wind and rain on Saturday last, when their sleigh "upset", spilling everything out, even to the box. The elder one of the two carelessly let go of an umbrella kindly proffered by an old friend, and in the mix up, the wind caught it and sent it bounding, careening and rambling across the fields like a yearling let loose or like something possessed, while the young lad took after the horses, and caught them on short notice. The other, tho' not so young or supple as he was 40 odd years ago, took after the fugitive umbrella in the true Longboat style, and which would have done justice to any Farmers' Trot. The thing would sit in a convenient hollow until the pursuer, well puffed out by this time, was near up to it, when off it would scamper again after its rest, heading as near as we could judge for the east end of Lambton St. where it belonged. It finally landed against a fence, a little short of one quarter of a mile from the starting point, lying with its mouth open, as if objecting to being captured. I know the one involved will not feel sore at this "rub" in the paper, nor have we been asked to even mention it.

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Jno McKenzie on the arrival of a little daughter on Monday morning.

After last Sunday's sermon, we imagine that the Blyth's Corner correspondent will be run out of superlatives. They certainly all are grand but this was the best ever. But they are all appreciated here.

DIED

SINCLAIR—At his late residence, Yeoivil, on Thursday, March 27, Hugh Sinclair, aged 73 years. Interment at Woodland cemetery, on Saturday, March 29.

Mr Chas. Bosley took the subject along with Miss Bena Dunston. It was decided at the close to have a pancake social on Tuesday evening, April 8th, to test the sweets of our national emblem in conjunction therewith.

In addition to chairs given, there was a nice tidy purse of money presented. Refreshments were served at the close of a short program which consisted of two selections from the choir and a solo by W. Ramage, "The Grave of Bonaparte."

Dear Mr. Geddes,—

It was with surprise and regret that word was received by us that you had decided to leave our community. We were surprised because we had never thought of it as a possibility and we regret it because of the interest that you have always taken in the church and community, and the work that you have done for both.

In the community at large, you have been always ready to give your time and assistance to every good work, and your fine spirit of kindness and help that bestowed its kindness and help upon all alike, has been not only of immense service, but has been an example and an incentive to emulate your good deeds.

It is within the church and its activities that you will be most missed. In the Young People's Society, at the Sunday School, as manager, and particularly as Treasurer of the church, you have rendered service that has been of as all a splendid and conscientious service. Not only the painstaking and efficient manner in which all these duties were performed, but the abundant free will and kindly christian spirit that was exhibited in their exercise, that have endeared you to us. We may repeat what has been publicly stated many times, and privately much oftener, that your service for Amos Presbyterian church has been appreciated. We regret you are being appreciated. We regret you are being appreciated. We regret you are being appreciated.

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Brick House to Rent—Apply Review Office.

Custom Chopping—Apply Kechnie's Mills, Durham.

Pasture to Rent. On lots 2 and 3 on 10th con Glenzig. Well watered. Apply Daniel McArthur.

Just Arrived.—A lot of E. S. Shipplap, V joint and Nooring car of B. C. Shingles, etc. and J. N. Murdoch.

Rob Roy Grain Prices.—Selling 45 to 50c for Oats, 65c for Barley, 75 to 85c for Wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.25 for Peas at this week. Rob Roy.

A fine new stock of Sherliams Paints just arrived at King's Hardware. This paint known and no further explanation necessary.

Durham Club Meet April 14th

The Durham Club of Toronto meet Monday evening, April 14th, at the Queen Mary Tea 32 West King St., Toronto.

Heard Drowns in River

An unfortunate accident to Alex. Buchanan, near Dundas, six of his young cattle were ed. The cattle were being fed at the Sauguen River, when gave way and they were swept stream by the current.

No Fishing on May 1st.

Lovers of the rod and line this year have to bid adieu to the 15th of May, instead of as heretofore. The Fish and Game Commission of the Legislature planned to shorten the season speckled trout fishing by one day, but reconsidered their plan, and off only 15 days. May 15th, 15th is the open season.

Durham Boy Won Big Cases

Barrister Robt. E. Laidlaw, Magistrate and Mrs. Laidlaw, is now Solicitor for the Canadian National Railways. Recently he was at the Supreme Court of Ottawa and won two big cases in which you and Mrs. Geddes were held in this community, and as a tangible, though we are conscious, slight evidence of our appreciation of your work in the congregation, we ask you to accept on behalf of Mrs. Geddes and yourself, these chairs. May they typify the wishes of our people for you; that after labor you shall find ease and in fellowship, comfort and peace.

We pray that the God of love who has in the past, so abundantly blessed, may continue to enrich you with all grace.

W. J. Burnett, Minister of Amos Ch. Robt. Renwick, Supt. Sunday School S. Patterson, Chairman of Managers Campbell Watson, Young People's S. Y. Mrs. Alex Henderson, W. M. S.

Former Durham Lady Wins Fine

Mrs. Chas. Urquhart of Port Hope and a former Durham girl, Miss Emma Whelan, is coming front in Peel Co. for the public in platform work. Peel County Women's Club, and in this office she had occasion to give utterance to speech. Also recently she had the Regency of a new I. O. O. F. Chapter in her to a recent meeting in Toronto. Several counties in that district won golden opinions on the manner in which she spoke, conducted the meeting.

Manover Electrician Drowned

William H. Hines, electrician of the Hanover Cement Stone Company, Limited, lost his life on Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock a.m., when he lost his life on the Sauguen and was swept away in the Mr Hines, with two other men, was engaged in the same work. He had shingle planks to allow more escape over the spillway. In manner he became overbalanced and fell into the swiftly running stream which is now sweeping the dam, and has not been seen since Saturday afternoon and all Sunday, dragging on went on without any result swollen muddy waters of the Sauguen made the work of the search party very difficult. He was brought to Hanover Monday night and was buried on Saturday, March 29, a family of seven children.