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Next Week we will give a new Christmas cake recipe Taylor & Co., Dromore

SENTIMENTAL SONGS WILL ALWAYS LIVE

It is fashionable to decry a movement as well as uphold it. Just now on this continent it has become fashionable to denounce sentimental songs.

There is, for that matter, no guiding force in men's lives like sentiment. Sentimental songs are popular and always will be, because man is inherently a sentimental creature.

SMILE THE WHILE YOU TRAVEL

The "Vancouver Express" is by no means a joke, but you cannot help smiling when its porters hand your baggage down because the smile has become a habit.

And in many memories the songs remain, too. There is no more pleasing feature at Toronto Exhibition than the singing of time-old songs.

HOLSTEIN LEADER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Don't miss the Box Social at S. S. N. 11, Egremont, on Dec. 22nd.

Wedding bells are ringing. Mr. Merton Reid, Seaforth, spent a day with his mother, Mrs. H. Reid, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrows Smith and daughter motored from their home in Detroit Sunday and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith the first of the week.

Mr. Arthur Hastie, who has been in the employ of the CNR at Boston Creek, New Ont., has left the railway temporarily and is at present running the ticker in Arthur Moyses brokerage office at Timmins.

The Sunday School concert of the Presbyterian Church, will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 20th while the Sunday School concert of the United Church, will be held on Friday, Dec. 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Roberts and son Jock, moved this week to Mt. Forest, where Rube will operate a buying station for Cockerburn Bros.

Mrs. Jas. Eccles returned home after a two week's visit with her son John at Dromore.

Mr. Wm. Coleridge, O. Sound and formerly of the Egremont Creamery, was in the village renewing acquaintances.

Mr. Alex. McMillan, Dundalk, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin McMillan over the week end.

There passed away in his 88th year, Mr. Jas. Brown who has lived with his daughter, Mrs. Geo. McCall. His wife predeceased him one year and three days.

Messrs. Wm. Cockerburn, Mortimer Lynch and Robt. Scarlett attended the Winter Fair in Toronto last week.

The Dramatic Society, under the direction of Mr. Bert Brebner, will present their play, 'His uncle's niece' in Doersam's Hall, Aylton, on Dec. 2.

Mrs. Jos. Shirriff of Allenford, is at present visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Fenton.

YEOVIL

The date of S. S. No. 9 box social has been changed from Friday, Dec. 16, to Thursday, Dec. 15th. Particulars later.

We extend sympathy to the family of the late James Brown, so well known around Yevivil, where he formerly spent many of his best years.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Hattie, Woodland, were week end guests of their daughters here.

Mrs. W. J. Philp returned home on Friday after a delightful visit in Toronto and Whitby. While in Toronto she attended the Provincial W. L. Convention and the Royal Winter Fair.

Jas. Bunston also spent a few days at the Fair.

Snowbirds again this morning! Miss Mary Drimble, R.N., Oshawa, enjoyed the past three weeks with home friends.

Following is the poem to which we referred last week as being selected by the Poetry Editor of the Literary Digest for publication.

Who, walking in the summer fields, Sees all the gold of harvest yields, And labors here unceasingly—

Is servant of his Destiny. Who, walking in the summer fields, Sees all the gold of harvest yields, And labors here unceasingly—

Is comrade of his Destiny. But who can see the beauty fade In noble works that God has made And keep faith bright in his soul's eye,

Is master of his Destiny.

ALLAN'S CORNERS A school entertainment will be held at Allan's School on Dec. 9th. A good program is being prepared.

Ladies bring refreshments. Mr. Milfred Matthews, with Mr. Jas. Kerr, spent a few days recently in Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson who sold their farm and purchased the farm of Mr. J. Smith of Orchardville, moved out the first of the week.

Miss Violet Kerr is visiting at the home of Mr. Milfred Matthews.

Mr. Jos. Morrison, London, is visiting at the home of his brother Wm. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Eden visited the first of the week in Hanover.

Old Nancy Raised The famous British Schooner Nancy, built for Forsyth Richardson & Co., fur traders, of Montreal, at Detroit, when Detroit was still a British post and launched Sept. 24, 1789 was raised from its resting place in the bed of the Nottawasaga River, near Collingwood, during the past summer.

NORTH EGREMENT

The December meeting of the Dromore Women's Institute will be held at the home of the President, Miss A. Renwick, on Wed., Dec. 7th, at 3 p.m. The program will be as follows: roll call; cake recipe; Keeping the Christmas spirit alive throughout the year, Mrs. R. Taylor; demonstration on table setting, Miss A. Renwick.

A report of the Provincial Convention in Toronto, will be given by Mrs. W. J. Philp and Mrs. J. R. Wilson. Music, Mrs. Wm. Hunter. All ladies cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Borthwick, of Guelph, were visitors at Mr. Jas. Geddes' on Sunday last.

Mr. Wm. H. Wells had a dance on Thursday night when all had a good time.

Mrs. Thos. Dalley, Sr. is getting a long well since she has had the cataract taken off her eye and can see a little. She intends to have the cataract removed from the other eye in the near future.

A number from here took in the shooting match last Monday at Mr. Ernest Baxter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. McCabe spent Sunday at Mr. Thos. Moore's.

The annual beef ring meeting held Monday night last was quite a success, considering the dark, stormy night, 75 attending. The ring had a good year, and no diseased cattle.

The average beef weighed 420 lbs. During the 32 weeks 13,440 lbs. of beef were assumed. The ring will continue 32 weeks as usual next year.

A good program was next in order, Mr. Jas. Lothian being chairman. Recitations by Miss Edith Hunter, Rueben Watson and Arch Clark, duets by Miss Grace and Reg. Ramage and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Daley; a solo by Miss Gerlie Lawrence, a speech and song by our worthy butcher, Wm. Thompson; music on violins by Messrs Geo. David and Jim Hooper and Mrs. Thos. Moore on auto harp. A dialogue "We wonder where Tom got that dialogue!" Refreshments were then served and afterward the dance was on.

Returning home was the big job through the storm. Jim's hat blew off before he reached home, but he found it next day in the field. Another fellow's light on buggy was blown out and he passed his gate some distance before he knew it and had to turn back. It was surely dark!

A Bazaar and Play will be held in Russell Hall, Dromore, on Tuesday, Dec. 20th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Amul Church, Dromore.

Rev. D. Storm, Hopeville, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the United Brethren's Church, Port Elgin, and commences his duties on Sunday.

Terre Haute Star: Three were killed and 20 injured on the first day's hunting in Pennsylvania and Delaware, giving some idea of the number of men who resemble a rabbit.

NOTICE

TO NORMAN A. HORSBURGH, ALFRED E. MAUNDRELL, ROSE MAUNDRELL, GEORGE ROEDIGER, WESLEY G. HOLLIDAY, ROY HOLLIDAY, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I hereby give you notice that I demand payment of the sum of Fifty eight hundred dollars and interest thereon at Six per cent per annum from the 1st day of March, A.D. 1927.

due to me on a certain Agreement dated the 9th day of March, 1927, and made by and between Alfred E. Maundrell of the First Part and me, the said William Horsburgh of the Second Part, of a certain Indenture by way of Mortgage made by Norman A. Horsburgh, herein called the Mortgagor, and me the said William Horsburgh, therein called the Mortgagee, dated the 3rd day of March, 1921, and registered in the Registry Office for South Grey in Book 20 for the Township of Egremont, at 10.03 a. m. on the 24th day of March, A.D. 1921, as No. 115 79, for the said Township of Egremont, for securing repayment of the sum of \$5500 and interest thereon as therein mentioned on the following lands and premises, namely Lot number TWELVE in the NINTH Concession of the Township of Egremont in the County of Grey.

AND TAKE NOTICE that unless payment of the said Mortgage moneys, interest, costs and expenses be made to me within One Calendar month from the time of your being served herewith, I, the said William Horsburgh will proceed with or without your consent or concurrence on your part, to enter into possession of the said lands, and to receive and take the rents and profits thereof, and whether in or out of possession thereof, to make any lease or Leases thereof, as I shall see fit, and to sell and absolutely dispose of the said lands either by Public Auction or private sale, or partly by auction and partly by private sale, as I, the said William Horsburgh, may deem proper, either for cash or on such terms as I may think proper, and to convey and assure the same to the purchaser or purchasers as he or they shall direct.

Dated this 7th day of October, 1927 WILLIAM HORSBURGH, per R. O. KILGOUR, his Solicitor

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Ontario Forests are a Crop, not a Mine

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Flesherton and Durham and frequently took occasion to visit his good friend, Dr. Jamieson. His daughter had married a highwayman, Mr. Stauffer, of the Prov'l Highways Dept., now resident here, so Durham held an additional attraction for him.

Dr. D. Jamieson introduced Hon. Mr. Finlayson as his former seat-mate in the House and an energetic and able member. His success in rising to Cabinet ranks, he thought, might perhaps be attributed to his association with him, in early years as private member.

In opening, Hon. Mr. Finlayson narrated what two stories to illustrate what little value time is sometimes regarded, and apologized for arriving late and leaving early to return to Toronto that night.

It is now just 100 years, he said, since Ontario first went into forestry, selling the first timber for \$360, and the Province, he admitted, had been a lamentable failure in the business. Ontario was the best timber territory in the world—almost tropical woods along Lake Erie, mixed hardwood further north and the wonderful forest resources of New Ontario.

We imagined we had limitless timber wealth and in bygone years, burnt trees by hundreds to get them out of the way. Now the original timber is worth more than the same acreage in a fish-lake farm.

The white pine is the north was the most valuable timber in the world—it lends itself to every form of human effort and is easily transported. We're commencing to see the end of it and at present rate it will be exhausted in 40 years.

He blamed no one party for Ontario's deforestation: when the province got hard up, they put on a timber sale and sold whole townships to the highest bidder. Buyers cleared off valuable timber, leaving debris, etc. and fire went through, leaving desolate wastes. The higher forms of life are hardest to propagate and perpetuate: in timber, same as fish: the white pine burnt easily, but jack pine survived the fires and poplar, jackpine and the poorer forms of timber grew up.

With trees gone, the thin layer of soil on rocky ground burnt up, leaving a barren, arid country in parts of Haliburton and surrounding country. Trees are valuable not only for fuel and timber; they retain moisture, prevent the water rushing off in the spring and consequent drought in summer.

For reforestation, Ontario may be divided into three parts, Southern—about 10 per cent of the province; Central—Muskoka, Victoria, Peterboro, etc.—and New or greater Ontario. In the south, except for two or three cities, conditions are stationary; in North, there is rapid growth and development. In south, we can restore forest wealth by planting young trees. The province grows saplings by the million in Norfolk Co., at Midhurst, in Simcoe and at Orono in Durham Co. 9,000,000 trees a year are now being distributed.

The ordinary farm has 5 to 10 acres not suitable for cultivation or ordinary crops, but suitable for crop of timber. Timber is a crop, and it is a crime to allow people to use it as a mine. In Norway and Sweden, a land owner must obtain permission from the forester to cut down trees and the forester designates just which trees can be cut. This should and will yet come to pass in Canada.

The Ontario Gov't will now give every farmer applying, 3,500 trees free each year, and a forester will advise on appropriate trees and how to plant them. 500 spruce trees are also free each year and he advised every farmer to secure and plant these for windbreaks. For hedges he advised cedars and spruce.

The Gov't was now getting Counties to buy and plant 1000 acres of waste land in trees, which scheme would produce wealth in 30 or 50 years to the county and would be an example to the countryside. Grey Co. Council had not yet been persuaded to act.

A PROMISE MORE THAN KEPT

When the publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal two years ago announced that the owners of the paper wished them to reduce the subscription price from two dollars to one dollar a year, they promised that not a single feature of the paper would be eliminated, but that new features would be added and the paper made more valuable than ever. It is frankly admitted by their million of readers that their promise has been more than fulfilled and to-day the Family Herald and Weekly Star at one dollar a year is the marvel of the newspaper world. No home in Canada would regret this investment. Just think of a great big 72 page publication at less than two cents a week and every page of it alone worth the money. No wonder the Family Herald and Weekly Star has over a million readers. It deserves them all, and more, too.

Fighting Forest fires a Problem A difficult problem had been to prevent forest fires. In some years, 2 or 3 times as much timber had been destroyed by fire as was used. Our average revenue the last 3 years from forest products was \$120,000,000, while 200 to 300 millions yearly went up in smoke. In 1923 in 1900 fires, 2,123,000 acres were burned over. Aircraft patrolling the last 3 or 4 years has greatly reduced the acreage burned. In 1924 300,000; in 1925, 160,000; in 1926, 60,000; and in 1927 only 35,000 acres were laid waste by fire. There were 1200 fires last year, almost as many as ever, but quick detection and fighting by aviators confined them to small areas.

On motion of Harold McKechnie, W. R. Alder a hearty vote of thanks was accorded the speaker of the evening. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Smith and the new Baptist pastor, Rev. Spencer, made short addresses, and 'O Canada' closed the banquet.

HYMENEAL

TURNER — McCALMON A quiet wedding took place at the Metropolitan Church, Regina, on 23rd November, 1927, when Miss Dell McCalmon, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will McCalmon of Guernsey, Sask., became the bride of Mr. Walter Turner of Regina. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Bishop. After a short honeymoon, the young couple will take up homeliving in Regina, where the groom is a printer by trade.

The Review extends to the young couple all good wishes.

Shelburne Economist: Still, you know, it shouldn't be necessary to make Ontario stagger in order to balance the budget.

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The death occurred in Dun Saturday night of Elizabeth, wife of Jno. Ferris, aged 70, moving to Dundalk. Mrs. Ferris died in Melancton Township. Beautiful china table and plates, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. D. G. Town.

LOST: Last Wednesday, John Cuff's and Hanover, Canada mail covering the truck, returned to W. J. Vellott's store. George Wright, aged 74, 7000 farmer, died on Monday. He was prominent in municipal and had been a resident on all his life. Interment will follow Wednesday.

At the Waltham Post last week, W. D. Connor took in Barred Plymouth Rocks, Plymouth Rocks, Silver Wyand Rhode Island Reds, White Legh Buff Leghorns and Buff Orpingtons. Christmas Greeting cards, name and address, ready to make an artistic remembrance of your friends. See them and your selections now at the office.

Fountain pens and pencils, 50c, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 to \$11 the set. W. J. Vellott.

The Women's Guild of the Church, held their annual bazaar Saturday last in the A.F.A. and were greeted with a stream of callers all afternoon. Ladies will have over \$100 as a result of their enterprise.

Broke Wrist in Cranking Car. In endeavoring to get his car started Sunday morning, M. D. McFayden of the 2nd con. etc. had his right arm broken wrist, when it backed in car. The injury was a painful one and will lay him off active work a month or so.

Mrs. C. R. Carswell of Toronto, in endeavoring to get her car started Sunday morning, had her right arm broken wrist, when it backed in car. The injury was a painful one and will lay him off active work a month or so.

DURHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 1927 Sr IV—Alma Kross, Ethel E. Lam, Isabel Henderson, Rita Young, Genevieve Saunders, Young, Norma Allan, Gordon Donald Knight.

J. A. Graham, principal Sr III A—Frances Hay, Low Comb, Bonnie Firth, Margaret Hall, Margaret Dunsmuir, Sr III B—Fanny Greenwood, Brathwaite, Alma Wilson, McDonald, Hazel Moore.

Kathleen Firth, teacher Sr III A—Sally McEachern, Koch, Mary Pickering, Susan Florence Havens.

Sr III B—Gordon McGillivray, Ritchie, George Glass, Shirley Tyre, Nora Baird, Clara McCree, Mrs. H. A.—Oleida Hahn, Louise Arthur, Rosa Wilson, Carmel Clara Thompson.

Sr II B—Marion Moore, Greenwood, Marjorie McDonald, McKechnie, Irene Trafford, Florence Kress, etc.

Jr II A—Gordon Kennedy, Saunders, Lorraine Campbell, Robbie Milne, equal, George Gordon Graham.

Jr II B—Eather Bourne, Eric Als, Rosewell Middleton, Sadie ers, Eddie McCrean, etc.

Class A—Ross Lander, McIntyre and Patrick Clarke, Ellen Tucker, Margaret Sparr Schenk.

Class B—Elmer Glenholm, Rose Falconer, Allan Pinkerton, Timinon, Lois Wilson, Betsy Mather, teacher.

Sr II A—Jane Robt, Grace Arthur Allan, Florence McLean, Joy Middleton.

Sr Pr B—Gordon McDonald, McLean, Margaret Moore, Jackson, Odille Pearce. Sr Pr C—Florence Bolger, Ball, Eubalia Wilson, Gordon Iva Sibbald, Jessie B. Witham, etc.

Jr Pr A—Elnor Arnett, Wanamaker, Isabel Pridies, Collier, Clara McDonald. Jr Pr B—(Catharine Rowell Jimmie Brathwaite) equal, Bonnie, Margaret Armstrong, Cain, Rose Kearney. Jr Pr C—Philip Sparling, Kennedy, Clarence McLean, E. Alvin McCaslin, Lizzie Schaefer, teacher.