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THE REVIEW, DURHAM

Famous Historical Painting Found in Railway Office



One of Canada's best-known historical paintings has been "rediscovered". After a lapse of many years in which William Armstrong's famous water color, "G.T.R. Station, Toronto, 1857," had been lost so far as collectors of Canadians were concerned, it was "found" on an office wall in the headquarters of the Canadian National Railways. During the interim it had simply vanished from sight and although photographs of it were frequently reproduced in various periodicals and every lover of historical art was familiar with the picture, the original could not be located.

It remained for the approach of the 80th anniversary of the opening of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and Montreal to bring again the painting before the public eye, and coincidence, in which the painter's son figured largely, established the authenticity of the picture beyond all doubt. Taken from the office wall which it had decorated for so many years, the painting was brought to Toronto for display in a window of the City Ticket Office, at King and Yonge Streets. A few days later Claude Armstrong, an officer of the Dominion Bank, casually glanced from a street-car and saw the picture's skyline. There was a familiarity of treatment reminiscent of his father's work. He went to the window and to his amazement discovered the long-lost painting. A subsequent examination showed that it was the original and in a perfect state of preservation, although almost eight decades had passed since its execution.

William Armstrong's water colors are coveted by collectors of Canadians and his historical works and seascapes eagerly snapped up when they come upon the market. Born in 1821, the artist was a son of General Alexander Armstrong, Royal Irish Artillery. William Armstrong was educated to the profession of civil engineering and constructed many bridges upon the Grand Trunk Railway when the main line was originally built between Montreal and Toronto. In those days blue-prints were not used by the building gangs and Mr. Armstrong used to make quarter-inch models of each bridge to be erected. These had to be put together firmly to withstand the wear and tear of the work gangs and their strength was such that three men could stand upon them without breaking. He also built many bridges upon the old Northern Railway, later absorbed by the Grand Trunk System and, subsequently, a part of the Canadian National Railways.

Water-color painting was Mr. Armstrong's hobby and his work soon had a tremendous vogue. When the late King Edward VII visited Canada in the sixties, as Prince of Wales, Mr. Armstrong's reputation was such that the future king made a point of viewing his studio and purchasing some of the paintings. A second royal visitor was the late King George V, who toured Canada at the beginning of the century, as the Duke of Cornwall and York, and likewise secured later paintings.

Mr. Armstrong early abandoned civil engineering for that of the more pleasing profession of art, and when he passed away in 1914, after a life full of years and honor, he had won universal recognition as "The Turner of the 19th Century" and made an enviable contribution to the annals of Canadian art. The "rediscovery" of his best-known historical painting, the first Grand Trunk Station in Toronto, will be welcomed by all students of art and collectors of Canadians.

HOLSTEIN LEADER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr James McInnis spent the week end in Toronto visiting his sister. Mrs Rae who is sick in bed with a stroke she suffered some time ago.

Mr Bell, Mr and Mrs W. Mrs of London spent Sunday with Mrs Long's parents, Mr and Mrs J Leith. Master Ross Moore of Palmerston is visiting his brother also his aunt Mrs. R. Treleven at present.

Mr and Mrs Hetherington, Mr and Mrs Norman Treleven spent the weekend at Port Elgin.

Mrs C. C. Parker, Mrs J. Tate of Toronto and Mrs T. J. Fenton of Allanford who was returning from a visit in Toronto with her daughter, Mrs C. C. Parker, visited with the Fenton family Monday.

Mr and Mrs Habermehl spent a day recently visiting friends in Dundalk and Shelburne.

Mr and Mrs George Sharp of Durham visited the latter's sister, Mrs Jno. Leith on Sunday.

Miss Hazel Leith is spending this week with friends in Windsor.

Miss Marie Aitken has two little boys from Toronto for two weeks' holiday. And what might have been a tragedy, (only for the timely aid of Bud Ellis). One little chap went in the lake for a swim and the water was too deep for him. He went under twice and Bud jumped in after him and rescued the little fellow.

Mr Jas. Christie and friend of Toronto spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs Christie.

Mr John Fenton and daughter Lena of Batavia, New York spent the weekend with the Fenton family.

Mrs Alex Brown spent a week in Toronto and returned home on Saturday.

Keep in mind the date August 2nd and come to Holstein to the opening of the newly decorated Agricultural Hall. A Raspberry Festival in the Park from 6 to 8 and in the Hall the Shiels family will put on the programme and other talent.

Mr and Mrs Cecil Mines, Erma and Billy of Niagara Falls, New York, were visitors over the week end with the McGuire family. N. McGuire is a brother of Mrs Mines.

Miss Morrison, Mrs. Hamilton and Betty McMillan spent the weekend in Owen Sound with the former's sister-in-law, Mrs Jas. Morrison.

Mrs Mary Morrison who has spent the last month with her sister-in-law Mrs Cecil Barber returned home Monday.

ALLAN'S CORNERS

St. Paul's S.S. picnic was held on Tuesday afternoon last at the Park in Holstein. A pleasant time was the outcome.

Mrs A. Hann was visiting at the home of Mrs Harold Lawrence for a few days.

Mrs Norman Marshall of Toronto, is spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Davis. She returns home on Monday.

Miss Margaret Grant of Detroit visited recently with Mr and Mrs. W. J. Allan.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's church had the church walls washed by Mr L. Long of Durham. Rev. M. H. Farr spent a few days assisting him. The ladies appreciate their rector's act of kindness very much.

Congratulations to Mr Wm. Woods who took the prize for step-dancing in Durham on Saturday night last.

On Friday afternoon, July 21st, Royalite Institute met at the home of Mrs. Morton with all the members present. The president, Mrs S. Mead was in the chair, and sec'y-treasurer, Mrs E. Fee, read the minutes. The meeting was opened by singing the opening ode, and scripture reading given by Mrs Jas. Hargrave. It was decided to appoint a Sunshine Committee, also to enlarge on the district for more new members. Mrs. Ed. Lindsay was appointed District Convener. Mrs. J. C. Queen, District Director, gave a summary of the proceedings at the South Grey District Annual.

A letter of congratulations was received from the South Gneleg Institute, and read by the secretary which was much appreciated. A paper on "Misunderstood children" was read by Mrs Reuben Watson, followed by an instrumental by Mrs. E. Fee. An interesting paper on "The Indians of South Grey" was read by Mrs. T. B. Tucker, after which the roll call on "helpful hints" was called. Community singing was indulged in with Mrs Queen at the piano. Lunch was served by the hostess and the lunchettes. The National Anthem closed the meeting. The next Institute meeting will be on the afternoon of Aug. 18, at home of Mrs Donald Watson.

Sixteen members of the Blythe family enjoyed a family picnic at Pike Lake recently.

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VARNEY

Mrs Zaner and two sons of Buffalo are spending their vacation in the village.

Misses Dorothy, Erma and Jean Bogle are enjoying a week's camping at Port Elgin.

Master Kimber Skelton of Toronto is spending his holidays with Mr. and Mrs Wilbert Blyth.

The Women's Association of Varney Church will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday next at the home of Mrs Wm. Atchison.

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DROMORE

(Arrived too late for last week)

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There was another meeting at S. S. No. 13 on Monday night to make arrangements for the reunion to be held on August 7th. The different committees are starting to get things arranged and the committees will meet again on Friday July 28th to get everything in shape for the reunion. If anyone who has not got an invitation who lived in No. 13 section, or went to school there you will be invited as it is a hard job to find every one while writing out nearly 500 invitations.

So come along and have a good time with the rest of the boys and girls.

Amos congregation are holding their anniversary services on July 30 and 31. The Rev. Mr Binnie from Acton will be the special speaker for the day and a play will be given on July 31 in Amos shed entitled "Here Come the Prince," by a group from Shelburne.

A reception will be held tonight at Donald McCannells in honor of the newly weds, Mr and Mrs Will. Ferguson where a good time will be had.

"Vacation plans don't bother me," said William Henry Penn. "My wife decides where I shall go, and my employer when."

"THE PRINTER'S HOUR OF GENTLE PEACE"

Know ye the printer's hour of peace? Know ye hour more fraught with joy, Than ever felt the maid of Greece When Kiss'd by Venus' am'rous boy? 'Tis not when round the mazy case His nimble fingers kiss the types; Nor is it when, with lengthened face, The study devil's tail he grips. 'Tis not when news of dreadful note His columns all with minion fill; 'Tis not when brother printers quote The effusions of his stumpworn quill. But oh! 'tis when the weather's clear, Or clad in hail, or rain, or vapor, He hears in accents soft and clear—"I'm come to pay you for the paper."

AMONG THE CHURCHES

MRS. R. SIMPSON ADDRESSES KNOX W. M. S.

The members of the Women's Missionary Society gathered in the home of Mrs H. C. McKechnie where supper tables were set on the lawn. For the periods of study, praise prayer and business, Miss Barbara Ritchie presided and read the devotional essay on "Beauty Around Us." The lesson from the Scriptures was read by Mrs D. McQueen. Miss Olive Ylirs gave a reading on work in Honan.

Mrs Ritchie Simpson, a niece of Mrs. J. W. McKechnie, and who is a native of No. 9 school section, Gneleg, was home from Edmonton and gave an address on her work and the life in the residential Indian boarding school in Edmonton in which she is the matron. This address was followed with deep interest by the large number present. Plans were made for their annual picnic to be held in Holstein.

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AUCTION SALE

of Chattels of the late John Scott, will be held at lot 14, con. 19, Egremont, on Wednesday, August 9th, Farm Stock, Implements, and Standing Crop. See list in next week's Review. Terms Cash. Geo. Duncan, Auctioneer.

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