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Lawrence's Hill Widened and Lowered

(By our Priceville correspondent)

It was our good fortune to have a trip over an old travelled road by us many years ago, and to note the difference on every side, in surrounding country: the growth of Game and Fisheries, announced retreats, not only in old timers, but those of more recent years; in the planting of evergreens, and in beautifying farms generally. One thing we noticed particularly is the reducing of the hill, commonly called "Bill Lawrence's", which we could take out is only a drop in the is now being widened to 16 feet, preparatory to putting two powerful graders (one a County one) abreast of each other, with the purpose of taking 4 feet off the top or probably more, and depositing at the foot of the hill. Returning of the graders is done in reverse order to the top, avoiding turning operations. The application of crushed gravel to the roads, advocated many years ago by the late Geo. Lothian when in the Council, has also made a great improvement in travelling comfort. Further on, the growth of trees is remarkable, put by the Hon. David Jamieson, making this a "beauty spot," with the calm placid water of the lake between making it "a joy forever." Wm. Jacques' accomplishments in this line of beautifying, is also exceedingly creditable. Also that of J. C. Hamilton whom we are pleased to note as the winner of the 2nd prize, in the beautiful contest of Farm Improvement, in the lay-out of grounds, shrubs, trees, trellis work, etc.

We were pleased to note too, improvement to farm buildings with a coat of white wash, inside and out.

Large Proton Barn Burned

There was just one bolt of lightning seen during the several storms that broke in Proton locality on Sunday morning, but it struck the fine large barn belonging to Howard McLean, on the 10th concession of Proton, about 10 o'clock, and completely destroyed it, along with the entire season's crop. Included in the loss was 180 bushels of wheat which had been threshed, along with a hay loader, fanning mill and other farm implements, and a number of hens.

The barn was an excellent one, with good stabling accommodation, etc. A drive shed, situated only 12 feet away, was saved by the neighbors who worked hard with water pails and wet blankets thrown over their shoulders. The wind, however, was in the right direction and was a factor in saving the shed. The loss is estimated to be around \$3,800, and is partially covered by insurance.

Caught 35lb. Trout at Meaford.

On his first fishing trip to Meaford, Edward Brown a St. Thomas insurance agent, landed a trout 42 inches long and weighing 35 lbs. No larger fish has been entered in the Meaford fishing competition since its inauguration in 1920. Herbert Rows of Meaford, chairman of the annual competition, gave Mr. Brown 35 lbs. of other fish in exchange for the big one, then had the whopper mounted, and put on display at Toronto Exhibition to advertise Meaford.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL

HOLSTEIN LEADER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr and Mrs Marsh Oldfield of Corbett, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Habermehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Abercrombie, Helen and Donald Meaford, visited with Mr and Mrs B. W. Snively on Sunday. Mrs. Abercrombie and Mrs. Snively were roommates at Hamilton Normal School.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Crawford and daughter Lillian, Miss Dorcas Crawford and Mrs James Sheriff of Allentown, Mr Alfred Dickson of New York were guests of the Fenton family on Sunday.

Mr Ivan Christie of Hillsburg spent holidays at his home last week.

Mrs Wm. Brown is spending a few days in Durham with her sister Mrs. Wm. Clark.

Mr and Mrs James Mather of Durham, were guests with their daughter Mrs Bryson Morlock on Sunday.

Mrs Norman Treleven spent last week with her sister at Coldwater, returning home Sunday evening.

Mr and Mrs Mervin Beley of Hamilton were guests with the latter's mother, Mrs Drumm over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Alex. McMillan and Miss Rufus of Dundalk were guests of the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. C. McMillan on Sunday.

Mr Emerson and Miss Lillian Milne of Toronto spent last week with their aunt, Mrs John Wilson. Miss Mary Wilson, who has been spending holidays with her parents, returned to Toronto with the two former mentioned.

Audrey Brown of Mount Forest spent the week end with her mother Mrs J. W. Brown.

Mr Jack Irvin of Kincardine spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin.

VARNEY

Mr and Mrs Harold Fowler and two children and Mrs. Fowler's sister, Miss Smith of Brantford, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Blythe.

The Women's Association of Varney United Church met Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. N. Kerr. Mrs. Blythe presided over the business meeting, after which the ladies did some sewing. Mrs Harry Caldwell invited the members to her home for the next meeting.

Mrs. Hann is now residing in Varney. Mr and Mrs Wm. Gordon and family visited with her Sunday and attended church.

Mr and Mrs Norman Kerr and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Frank Hopkins, Dromore.

School reopened on Tuesday of last week with Miss Heard of Flesherton again in charge.

Miss Dorothy Bogle returned last week to her school in Cedarvale.

Miss Marjorie Kerr of Owen Sound was home for a day last week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bogle on winning first prize in the Home Improvement Contest.

Quite a number here attended the Durham Fair last Friday and pronounced it a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leeson and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Hooper in Mount Forest on Sunday.

EGREMONT COUNCIL

Met in Holstein Sept. 11th. Members all present.

The Road Supt. presented Pay Sheet No. 9 amounting to \$450 with Supt.'s salary of \$76.40 which was passed and ordered paid.

Bylaw No. 9 of 1939 directing tax notices to be mailed was passed, as was also Bylaw No 10, directing that taxes be paid into the following banks: Bank of Montreal, Holstein and Mount Forest; Royal Bank, Durham and Mount Forest, and Canadian Bank of Commerce, Durham.

The following accounts were passed and paid: Members of Council, attendance, meeting to date \$12.50; J. M. Nicholson, clerk, one Mother's Allowance application \$2; J. M. Nicholson, postage re voters' lists, also postage acct. June 5th to date \$6.12; Mrs M. Christie, use of room, \$2.00; Colin McMillan, ambulance trip to Mercer, Treas. Co. Grey, hospital acct. \$49; Municipal World, assessors' and tp. supplies \$65.46; Dept. of Health of Ont, re insulin patients \$11.05; N. E. McGuire, relief \$15.00; Frank Love, sheep claim, 1 sheep and 1 lamb killed \$15; Allan Aitken, inspecting sheep, 1 trip 50c; Wm. J. Pike, relief 50c; Mrs C. Drumm, relief, \$6.25; Dr. J. J. Hergott, medical relief \$25.62.

A letter was read from the Can. Automobile Service Association re Mrs E. Smith's claim, accompanied by release for same.

Council adjourned to meet Monday Oct. 9, at 1 p.m. for general business. Jas. M. Nicholson, Clerk

KNOX CORNERS

So we may go with heart elate
 And feet with courage shod
 For that which men call chance
 and fate

Is the guiding hand of God.
 Our new teacher, Miss Vessie has been on duty for a week and teacher and pupils seen well pleased with each other.

Mrs Lewis Dawson of Brandon visited last week at the Petty home and on Thursday visited with Mr and Mrs Wm. Backus of Hampden. We were pleased to have Mrs Dawson and Miss Irene Petty visit with us on Friday.

Mr and Mrs W. Keonig (nee Onnellee Watson) of Detroit visited recently with Mr and Mrs Hubert McDougall near Holstein and with the Watson families. Pleased to have a call from Mrs Keonig while they were in this neighborhood.

Visitors at our home on Sunday were Mr and Mrs Oren Peart, Lorna and Wayne of Traverston.

We spent Saturday at the Porter home. We appreciate their kindness in coming for us.

YEOVH.

Miss Annie Baird recently entertained the Ladies of the Fairbairn W. M. S.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Hattie and Neil, Woodland spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Arthur Eccles.

Mr Donald McInnes and his aunt, Miss Agnes Baird spent several days in Toronto last week and attended the Exhibition.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs Jas Nicholson were Mr and Mrs Thos. Hattie Woodland and Mr and Mrs J. V. Runciman and family from near Mt. Forest.

Messrs David and Charles Munro returned to their home in Hamilton after spending a vacation with

NORTH EGREMONT

Two Grey County power maintainers are at work cutting down Wm. Lawrence's hill this week. One is 65 and the other 35 horse power. The big boy loosens and shoves the load out, and the other one helps shove it down the hill. They are making a fine job. Three cars can now pass anywhere on the hill. We understand \$300 will be spent; it should have been \$600 as this is a bad hill, 40 rods long and also steep; not fit for a team to haul a load up it.

Miss Florence Patterson is the new teacher at S. S. No. 13. There are 20 on the roll at present.

Master George Morton fell off a fence last week and broke his arm at the wrist. He is now going to school with his arm in a sling.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Moore accompanied Mr and Mrs David Coates to Flint Michigan last Saturday and will spend a week visiting relatives there.

Mr John G. Johnston traded his Durant car to agent Ray Adams for a '36 Plymouth sedan last Saturday.

Congratulations to Mr Clarence Nelson and Miss Hazel Moore, who were married in Toronto Saturday.

Mrs Howard Reay and little son Larry Thomas arrived at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Thos. Moore last Sunday from Durham Hospital.

A number around here intend listening to the Tony Galento-Lou Nova fight on Friday night. Tony should win.

Mrs Tena Ostrander of Toronto visited with Mrs David Hooper last week.

Haley's threshing outfit from Glenelg Centre have been working on Con. 22 from the Lake, east to Chas. Watson's the past two weeks or more.

Miss Beulah McKenzie of Toronto spent over the weekend at her home here.

ORCHARD

Rev. Mr. Lovegrove of Trowbridge will conduct anniversary services here on Sept 24th. The morning service at 11 o'clock and evening at 7.30. Special music will be supplied. Teacher and pupils enjoyed a hike to Jamieson's Lake last week.

Mrs Wm. Nelson spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Wm. Vollett, Durham.

We welcome Mr and Mrs Becker and family of Mt. Forest who moved into Bert Dickson's house recently.

A number from here took in the Durham fair and report a large crowd and good show.

Sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mr Jacob Smith. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Ilyene Dickson spent a couple of days last week with Mr and Mrs Eldon Rahn of Durham.

Mrs Margaret Fern of Niagara Falls visited with Mr and Mrs R. Pinder on Sunday.

VIRGINIA JUBILEE SINGERS AT AMOS CHURCH, DROMORE

(By our Priceville corr.)

We were pleased again to listen to this famous organization for the third time, with an entirely new program, with the exception of one selection perhaps: no harm in that fact when well done. They proved very gracious and kindly to us in recognizing us, after some years. The Soprano singer, (a new member of the Trupee) was par excellence, in her clarity of notes and expression, and with the long sustained high note, set forth her qualities of breathing, sustaining, power, and that devoid of any wobble or tremolo nonsense. The Bass was splendid, reaching away down into the cellar, or perhaps beyond it. We must not forget the petit Alto singer with her rich contralto voice. But why discriminate? They were all good. And were assured by Rev. Kaye they would be accorded a cordial welcome should they ever come back.

Their program was away ahead of any badly delivered play, in our opinion. The stage was lovely in its decorations of flowers and bunting. All this took place in the commodious driving shed of Amos Church, near Dromore, comfortably seated for the occasion.

The death of Colonel Cleland in Meaford last week, at the age of 77 years, removes a prominent military figure from Grey County, having been connected with the 31st Regiment at Niagara in its many sojourns there.

I've DISCOVERED NEW WAYS OF SERVING Fish

FISH SALAD
 Any canned or cooked fish may be used. Combine with sliced pickled beets and cold sliced potatoes. Garnish with sliced or stuffed egg and lettuce. Serve with mayonnaise.

BAKED FISH CAKES
 2 pounds fish steaks
 2 eggs and pepper
 2 cups of tomato soup
 or canned tomato soup
 2 cups of fish with damp cloth or paper. Place in buttered baking pan. Pour the sauce or soup around the fish, and cook in oven at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

BROILED FISH
 Clean fish using small whole fish or cut of fish. Sprinkle with salt and lemon juice. Place between wires of broiler rack. If fish is dry, sprinkle with cooking oil. Place on first broiler when fish is set. The average fish should cook in 10 minutes.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

ADDRESSES KNOX LADIES' AID ON "BOOKS"

The opening business meeting of Knox Church Ladies' Aid Society, was held on Monday evening, the president, Mrs P. Gagnon, presiding. After prayer by Mrs House, Mrs Rice read the 27th Psalm. In the absence of the Sec'y, Mrs Jamieson, Miss Hunter read the roll call with about 40 members responding. Mrs Shippam gave a piano selection, which was much appreciated.

The president asked for a shower of cards to be sent to Mrs Knechtel who is ill in a Toronto Hospital.

Mrs Dargavel gave an interesting talk on books we should read and which are obtainable in the Library. This was very much enjoyed by all. At the close of meeting a luncheon was served by the September Committee.

PRESBYTERIAN Y.P.S. HELD RE-ORGANIZATION MEETING

The re-organization meeting of the Durham Presbyterian Young Peoples' Society was held on Monday evening, Sept. 11th, in the Sunday School room of the Church, with an attendance of over 20 members.

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Hon. President, Rev. S. W. Hirtle; President, Miss Ada Becker; Vice President, F. Ritchie; Sec'y-Treas., Miss Margaret Edge; Program Conveners, Worship, Miss H. Wilton; Service, Miss K. McMeekin; Leadership Training, Tom Firth; Fellowship, Mae Hopkins.

Preparations were made to attend the Saugeen Presbytery Rally to be held on Monday evening, Sept 18th at Conn Presbyterian Church.

A cordial invitation is extended to all young people to attend these weekly meetings held each Monday evening in the church at 8 p.m.

BURNS' LADIES' AID HELD MONTHLY MEETING

Burns' Church Ladies' Aid and W. M. S. met jointly at the home of Mrs Allan Boyd on Sept 7th with a good attendance. Mrs Thompson presided for the Ladies' Aid meeting. Mrs Boyd led in prayer. Script-

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Rev. Dr. Stewart Baptist Anniversary

The Baptist Anniversary were a pronounced success. weather man had marked Sept. 17th 1939 as especially good and after an extraordinary Saturday. Large and interesting messages listened with pleasure to the very heartening, and hopeful messages of our guest preacher, Rev. Dr. H. H. Art, Dean of Theology of University.

In the evening the program consisted of "Being Renewed Day," choosing as its text, Isaiah 4:16 "Wherefore we not; but though our outward man decayeth, yet our inward man is renewed day by day." (R.V.) can be quoting a sonnet of our hot day, as follows:—
 'Twas August, and the fire overhead
 Smote on the squalid
 Bethnal Green,
 And the pale weaver, three windows seen
 In Spitalfields, looked thrilled.

I met a Preacher there I had
 said,
 "Thou and I'erwrecked, how I
 in this scene?"
 "Bravely!" said he, "for I
 have been
 Much cheer'd by thoughts of
 the Living Bread."
 O human soul! as long
 canst so
 Set up a marl of everlasting
 Above the howling sense's
 flow.

Not with best fall thou
 through the night!
 Thou makest the heaven thou
 indeed thy home."
 Dr. Stewart said that Christ has not yet achieved. The Kingdom of Heaven has not yet come. true greatness is in striving. "Thou His Kingdom may come His will may be done on earth as in heaven. Communism is a social ideal. It has its program. It knows that it can achieve its goal even in the fourth generation, but what of fascism, Nazism, or Humanism in the meantime? In the time men may starve, calamity, disappointments may come. provision have these "isms" foriling souls before their goal realized?

Christianity is a pilgrim religion for imperfect situations, and meets the needs of all. Christianity is a religion with goals all along the Pilgrimage but it is not confined to a religion for the journey, to who fall short. That is what it great. It is a religion of Communism, Fascism, Nazism in hope for the individual here and after. Christianity's hope is in God. That is its strength. This hope in God transforms individual here, so that the worked East London preacher carry on bravely, cheerful thoughts of Christ, the living. This renewal day by day is a renewal, a moral renewal, a new man; an unending renewal forsakes the temporal and the eternal and heavenly, as an inspiration.

The preacher asked, "Have not had enough disappointments in earthly hopes and schemes and systems, to make willing to seek the daily rest that come from God?"

The preacher's morning theme "Faith Refined in the Fire." "Confirming the souls of the dead exhorting them to continue in Faith, and that through many tribulations we must enter the Kingdom of God." Paul's first missionary journey through Lycaonia, etc., not the path of progress of Christianity, was the means of repentance and taught two valuable sons, that a door of faith was