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MAPLE GROVE.

The weather has been dry and between drouth and grasshoppers we are in danger of a repetition of last year's shortage. Miss Annie Sinclair returned from Toronto on July 1st to the old home. Her many friends are glad to see her.

Mr. John Campbell has thrown away his crutches and steps around once more on his original pins. He enjoys the change very much.

Misses Kate Sullivan and Tena McRae, of Irish Lake, were the guests of Miss M. McQuarrie last week.

Mr. J. Henry and Archie from the Hills assisted at a paper hanging here at K-Bros. the other night. Jim says he did all the work. What were the other fellows doing?

Some of our youth and beauty enjoyed a dance at Mr. McIntyre's in Scotch Town on Monday night.

Mr. John McDougall is at present suffering with inflammation in the eyes. Hope he will soon be about again. One of the young men will have to take up the lessons on driving. Misses M. and C. are evidently posted as they gave him quite a chance last Saturday.

The Henry Bros. are keeping bachelor's Hall at present. They seem to enjoy it, but getting up to the eyes in dough, hunting stray chickens, omitting to feed the ducks, the troubles of washing day, etc., makes them long for the return of the old system. Why don't they follow the example of some of their neighbors? There are lots of housekeepers wanting to be asked to assume the dignity of running a house of their own.

Hugh McFayden is badly put out by the ravages of the grasshoppers, but McPherson says the change of government will deal with all troubles, grasshoppers included.

What is the matter with our young friend from Flesherston Station? Mark is not seen in this vicinity now. The Lime kiln on the O. D. Road might unfold a tale in explanation.

Mr. Duncan Sinclair is putting a stone foundation under his house. The whale has the contract.

Mr. Thomas Morrow had some fences destroyed by fire last week. By the timely assistance of neighbors the fire was got under control before serious damages had been done.

War in a berry patch in this vicinity created a mild form of excitement last week. All the combatants returned home in safety. The old lady was hardly a match for two.

Mr. Fred Arthur has got back from his bicycle tour to Dundee. His success in the race there was phenomenal, but the end was disastrous. Why will they allow stray dogs on the tracks. Broken heads and limbs are not cured by excuses.

Mrs. J. Henry accompanied by Mr. Joe McDonald, her son-in-law, went to Guelph on Monday. Mrs. Henry is suffering from bronchitis, but at time of writing she is slightly better.

Miss Gertrude McLeod and Miss J. Carson, of Priceville, visited Mr. Alex. Carson last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lomas, who have been on a visit to Mr. A. McLean's, returned to their home in Cleveland on Tuesday last.

Miss Kate Campbell is at present on a visit at her father's, Mr. John Campbell.

Mr. J. Henry and Miss J. Wiggins visited the show at Mt. Forest on the 1st. From their happy excursion their return the trip was evidently enjoyed.

PROTON CENTRE.

Logging bees are the order of the day. Mr. S. McLean and Mr. A. Rodger had one last week and both got a fine piece logged.

A very sad accident occurred one day last week while Mr. J. Smith was doing statute labor on the road. His little boy who was on the wagon fell off, the wheel running over his head killing him almost instantly. No doubt it was a terrible shock. The family has the sympathy of the community in this their great bereavement and before this little boy had been laid in his resting place the sad news reached us of another fatal accident which occurred near Swinton Park. Mr. Hugh Wilson's horses running away killing the baby and injuring Mrs. Wilson seriously.

Miss Flora McTaggart left for Toronto last week where she intends staying for some time.

Married July 1st, in the Latter Day Saint's Church, Mr. Luther Vert to Miss Mary Ellis. They had supper at the bride's uncle's, Mr. J. Ellis, after which they spent the evening. We wish Luther and his worthy choice a prosperous voyage through life.

Mr. C. Hannah, of Shelburne, paid Mr. A. Bryce a brief visit on his way home from Holstein.

Mr. J. Bachelor, who has been in Illinois for some time has returned home looking hearty.

Mr. A. Halliday was the guest of Mr. A. Rodgers last week. We expect all the clocks and sewing machines will be running in first class order after his inspection.

Mr. C. Jack while working at the lime kiln hurt his foot very badly and is not able to get around much.

Mrs. J. Jackson was visiting at the parental home Mr. Spears last week.

HONOR ROLL.

Report of S. S. No. 6 Bentinck for June.

IV. class—Willie Currie, Hattie Byers, Hugh McCallum.

III. class—Addie Currie, Allan McDougall, Angus McKinnon, Mary McCallum.

Pt. II class—Alex. McDonald, Vida Burns, Lizzie McDougall.

Jr. II class—Jennie Charleton, Willie Charleton, Eve Mighon, Rachel McKinnon, Lizzie Nuhn.

Pt. I class—Johnny Crozier, James McDougall, Lizzie Foster, Mammie Redford.

Sr. I class—Dan McDougall, Maggie McKechnie, Robert Mighon.

Jr. I class—C. C. McDougall, Millie Mighon, Andy McDougall, Tommy Hopkins.

Jr. A. class—Kate Nuhn, John Clark, Aggie H. Clark, Teacher.

BENTINCK COUNCIL.

Bentinck Council met in special session on the 29th June 1896, to take into consideration a requisition from the Huron and Ontario Railway Co., for right of way on the Highways of the Township. All the members present. The receipt in the chair. Copies of Agreements from the Co., were laid before the Council and the several clauses thereof duly considered. After discussion and some amendments made to the Agreement, it was moved by Mr. Ries, seconded by Mr. Brown, that the application for Right of Way asked for by the Huron and Ontario Railway Co., be granted upon the Road known as the Durham Road in this township and that a by-law be passed confirming the agreement now entered into between the said Co., and the said Municipality.—Carried.

By-law was introduced, read a first and second time and numbered 4 for 1896, in accordance with foregoing Resolution. Moved by Mr. Dickson, seconded by Mr. Putterbough, that By-law No. 4, for 1896, be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed on By-law Book.—Carried. By-law No. 4, for 1896, was read accordingly and Council adjourned.

D. CAMPBELL, Clerk.

Y. P. S. C. E. in HOLSTEIN.

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part coming in for special commendation for its excellence.

In the evening Mr. D. Buchanan, Hopewell, gave a vigorous practical address on "Moving Forward" and spoke with many good points. He spoke strongly against extravagance in church and person while the heathen were in darkness. "Gods best choice are for those who will accept," and asked all to see to it that their lifedial pointed to Christ.

He was followed by Rev. Mr. Miller of Holstein on "The Influence of C. E. Work in the Home life," and it was very pertinent pointed out that while much attention was given to the church side of the endeavorer's duties, his light must also shine in the home, which was or should be the nurse of all virtues. This is the first time Mr. Miller has favored the Society and it should certainly not be the last.

At the close of Mr. Miller's address, Mr. Jansen called attention to the lack of discussion on papers, and though this should be rectified, in future.

Mr. Thompson, a theological student, conducted the consecration meeting, a feature dear to endeavorers, and the meeting was closed by singing the Hymn "Take my Life and let it be."

Time and place of next meeting will be decided by the executive committee.

GRASSHOPPERS.

The following letter to the Guelph Mercury by Pro. Pantou of the O. A. C. will be read with interest.

Dear Sir,—Much complaint is being made throughout the country regarding injury sustained from grasshoppers. Even in our own district they seem to create a great deal of trouble.

A few lines with reference to the pest in places where they become injurious from time to time. The grasshoppers which trouble us are not the Rocky Mountain locusts. Our forms are single brooded, pass the egg stage in winter, hatching in midsummer, reaching the adult condition about August and laying their eggs in September. The female deposits her eggs in the earth, making a small cylindrical hole for the purpose. She usually selects hard dry ground, roadsides and pastures being favored localities. Hence meadows and pastures are great breeding grounds.

Remedies. The time to fight this pest is when they are either in the egg or young stage.

Shallow plowing and harrowing during the fall fields, where the eggs are deposited, exerts a great influence in exposing them to enemies and the weather. In regard to destroying the young forms several plans are resorted to:

1. Scatter old hay or straw over and around the field in heaps and wind-rows. Into these the grasshoppers can be driven and burned.

2. Many can be destroyed by having a roller pass over the ground upon which they light in great numbers, especially if the surface is smooth and hard. The best time to do this is in the mornings and evenings.

3. A pan is made out of ordinary sheet iron, eight feet long, one foot wide at the bottom, and turned up one inch in front and a foot behind (some use for the back a piece of canvas). A runner at each end, extending some distance behind (some do without runners), and a small rope extending to each front corner, to be used in pulling it. The inside of the pan is smeared with tar, or some coal oil may be put on the bottom. It is pulled over the ground, and as it moves along great numbers of the "hoppers" jump into it and are killed. In some cases this might be very effective along the sides of fields and along the roadside.

4. The use of poisons is followed in some cases, especially when the pest is confined to limited areas. A mixture recommended—One part by weight of arsenic, one of sugar, and five of bran, to which was added water sufficient to thoroughly wet the mixture. The arsenic and bran are first mixed together then the sugar is dissolved in water and added. This is scattered upon the ground, about a teaspoonful in a place. Another poisonous mixture recommended—Bran 100 pounds; Paris green, 3 pounds; old molasses, 2 quarts; mix, and add a little stick together. Grasshoppers seem to be fond of this mixture, and it may be used successfully where there is no danger of domestic animals being poisoned.

When grasshoppers become numerous every precaution should be taken to limit as far as possible, their breeding grounds and resort to methods for their destruction before they reach the adult stage.

J. HOYES PANTON,
O. A. College, Guelph, July, 2, 1896.

POISON THE GRASSHOPPERS.—A farmer in Brant mixed Paris green with bran and spread it on his pasture field, with the result that the field next day was covered with dead grasshoppers.

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