

AROUND THE LAKE.

Miss Collier is still enjoying herself around the Lake.

A wedding is talked of in the near future.

We are informed that a large amount of the root crop in the north part of the Township is still to be housed, although it is pretty well in, in the south part.

Mr. Wm. Lawrence, Tax collector, informs us that he has received more money this year on his first trip, than in any of the past eight years, yet the Township fathers have unnecessarily extended the time for payment two weeks.

Mr. Editor, to show you the wealth and progressiveness of our Township although laboring under a \$60,000 bonus, we are informed upon good authority that every third house in the Township is supplied with either an organ or a piano, and in one instance so eager were the parties to have a musical instrument, that finding the doors were not large enough to admit the box, the owner very kindly consented to have the side of the house cut out.

Say Mr. Editor, I nearly forgot to mention that we were favored on last Monday with a party of eight sports from your town accompanied by a like number of dogs. Result of the day - outing spoiled cart-rides, I have and the foundation for a High Court Action for unlimited damages for unlawfully underrunning the different woods.

BALSAM VALLEY.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. D. Ferguson got his fingers cut in the turp pulper.

Misses Flora and Minnie McIntyre left for the Queen City last week, where they intend to stay some time.

Mr. Angus McLaughlan spent Sunday at Mr. James McDougall's. Come again Angus the roads were muddy then but they are all right now.

We expected a party last week but as J. F. lost courage it dropped through.

Mr. Dan McKechnie has returned from the old settlement looking hale and hearty. Dan has changed jobs now, he is engineer on a N.W. Ry.

Mr. Joe Phillips has the contract of swampy out on the ship timber out of Mr. Hector Lamont's swamp, Joe is a hustler.

Miss Effie McDougall was visiting in the Valley last week.

Mr. D. McIntyre was home last week but returned back down the 20th con., early on account of the attraction there.

As the Balsam Valley and North Western train was turning at the Y they made a slight mistake and backed down on the Pig Town Central Road. The D. V. and N.W. engineer and conductor jumped off at Central station. The conductor called "All aboard" and the passengers thought "All aboard" too good for the North Western, so the engineer pulled out and the conductor had to hustle to catch the rear end. But after awhile along came the Pig Town Central and the passengers came down town.

Mr. Joe Campbell is still turning over the sod.

I wonder where O. and D. will put up at now? Stay down town for a while I suppose.

Mr. Dan McKechnie was working in the bush and cut his foot. Dan has to stay in for a while now, and it is against the grain for him.

DORNOC.

Intended for last week.

As I have not noticed any news from our lively little village for some time past I thought I would write some of the doings. I noticed we had two correspondents but they both seemed to have died off rather suddenly. Perhaps the snow scared them and they have been kept busy taking in their turpings. I had all my turpings in before the snow came and they were a good crop.

Miss Tena Robertson after a sojourn of over two years in London is expected home for Thanksgiving.

The Rev. Donald McGilvary, a returned missionary of Hunan, China, delivered an address to a large congregation here on the 3rd. The Rev. Mr. Anderson, of Williamsford, was present. The Sabbath before the congregation had an unexpected pleasure in hearing the Rev. James Skeue of Hillsdale, who was paying a visit to his father.

Master John Little spent a couple of pleasant weeks with friends at Arthur and Guelph recently.

We notice that our pastor has his pony "The Squaw" again after its year's visit to the Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, of Cornith, paid a visit to their daughter, Mrs. A. D. Smith, one day last week.

About three weeks ago the Mennonite congregation bade farewell to Miss Poole, who has labored faithfully among them for some time past but is now on her way to Central China as a missionary.

We welcome Master James Hay to our midst after spending the summer with some masons near St. Marys.

The Rev. Mr. Burns, of Cornith, held a prayer meeting at Mrs. McDougall's last Tuesday evening. We hear there was a full house.

Miss Jessie McDougall is at present somewhat under the weather but we hope soon to see her able to be out again.

There is to be service in the Presbyterian Church here on Thanksgiving Day. We have every reason to give thanks this year for the bountiful harvest and many other blessings we are not always thankful for.

While the McIntosh brothers were threshing out George McIntosh's barn last Friday their horse-power broke. Owing to the incense in the season they concluded to move their machines and so George had to look for another machine to finish his threshing.

A. Allison with his steamer threshed out large barns for Messrs M. Cameron and T. Bell last week.

Rumor has it that our genial merchant, Mr. Hunt is to leave us in February and the store is to be occupied by a gentleman from Markdale. We will be sorry to part with Mr. Hunt.

We hear that a young couple who intend taking up house soon, went into our pastor's yard, while the family were at Divine Service one Sabbath lately and robbed his peacock of its tail-feathers. A very pretty ornament it will make indeed.

Mr. A. Ledingham, of Williamsford, spent Sunday at home.

We heartily welcome the stage again after its three weeks' holidays. We were quite sure the government would do what was right.

TOP CLIFF.

(Crowded out last week.)

During the last two weeks there has been a remarkable change from fine ploughing weather to the reverse and some of our farmers who were engaged in taking up their turpings, were interrupted by the snow and gave up the operation until finer weather but we are reminded by the sheets of ice on the ponds and the frozen ground that winter is not far distant.

Mr. Dan McDougall in company with Mr. Thos. McDougall of Balsam Valley, are engaged in cutting cord wood for Mr. John Eckhardt. They are sturdy fellows and learned to cut wood long ago.

That pork was low one day last week was plainly evident when Chas. McKinnon went to an old well and found a young porker imprisoned therein.

Mr. Arch'd McCaig is busy digging out a foundation for a new barn which he intends to erect some time next summer. The site is well chosen and a good bank is the result.

Again we hear the sound of the school bell which was rendered useless some time ago but having undergone some repairs it again rings its warning to the scholars and seems to have a stirring effect upon the neighborhood.

A number of friends from down the line spent an enjoyable evening at Mrs. McIntyre's this week.

We are pleased to state that Miss Christena McDougall who has been ill for some time is fast recovering.

Mrs. Maggie McCannel, our former teacher is re-engaged for 1898.

What we would like to know, - Whether Abe's cart was hidden purposely or not. We believe it was the latter.

What great attraction Jack has cut North.

If Tom would not like to get another job around the corner as we think he intends, etc., etc.

SLIPPERY ANGS.

CRAWFORD.

Glad to say the sick are recovering. Miss Lynde suffered severely with inflammation of the bone in her arms, and Mr. Robt. Twamley was two weeks off duty. Mr. Duncan Livingston was down to Bruce township last week attending the funeral of his uncle Donald McKinnon.

Mrs. Hopkirk has been visiting friends at Louise for the past week.

On Saturday night last a conflagration took place at Louise, when the sawmill of S. B. Wilson & Son was burned to ashes. The origin of the fire is unknown. However nothing but the mill was destroyed owing to the favourable direction of the wind. This was one of the best equipped mills in this part of the country. We believe it is their intention to rebuild, and the country will rejoice.

Mrs. N. McDougall left last week for Hamilton to spend the winter months with her daughters of that city. Mrs. McDougall though nearing her four score years is yet as active as most of our fair ones.

Mr. Duncan McLean of Aberdeen, passed through our town one day lately wending his way north, but as to his destination we will not say.

As the winter is approaching changes are frequently made. Mr. W. J. Dunsmore moved last week from our vicinity to the "Charleston farm at Mulock which he has leased for the coming year, also Mr. J. Teasdale of Mull comes, who has traded his farm for the Redford farm has been busy moving his stuff lately. We welcome Mr. Teasdale to our villa.

Mr. D. McLean of Shallow Lake paid a visit to Bentinck friends lately.

A gang of timbermen from Glenalg have been engaged for the past couple of weeks north of here making timber.

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REPORT.

Continued from last week.

Report of Annual Meeting of the Sauganah Presbyterian W.F.M.S.

Mr. Russell thinks the work in India, although having many obstacles is encouraging, doors are open in every direction but alas for lack of funds they are compelled to close their out stations in many places. The people are clamoring for missionaries, they claim that we give them enough to unsettle their own religions but nothing to take their place, as the missionaries cannot stay long enough with them and we must remember that wherever we withdraw our stations other religious bodies are rapidly taking advantage of these opportunities and the Mohammedans are making great inroads.

Mr. Russell gave the ladies of the W.F.M.S. great credit for what they are doing. The people of India depend almost wholly on the churches of Canada and look to us to give them the word of God and although the women of Canada are doing nobly in this respect he would strongly urge that they bring before their husbands, brothers and sons, the necessity of helping towards the financial support of the missionaries.

Suitable music was furnished by the choir and appropriate solos were given by Miss McNichol, Mr. Forest, Mrs. McCullough, Mrs. Glenney and Miss Waddell of Harriston.

Refreshments were served in the basement of the church and a warm welcome and every comfort provided for the delegates. The meeting was very successful and enjoyed in every way. The annual meeting next year will be held in Clifford.

MAPLE GROVE.

Intended for last week.

Your scribe here has enjoyed a somewhat extended vacation from his corresponding duties and would have enjoyed a longer period, but was afraid of getting the sack, and as he is desirous of staying with the REVIEW knowing that a man is often judged by the company he keeps he will endeavor to keep on deck in the future. - [A good resolution. - Ed.]

Snow storms remind us of winter, and farmers are busy getting their cattle stalled. Mr. Donald Kennedy had the misfortune to have his eye badly hurt while tying in a cow.

Rumor has it that an interesting breach of promise case is about to be launched upon the docket of a neighboring court. Hope it will not make even a bubble more than a rumor.

Monday the 28th Dec. is nomination day and no doubt Artemesia will have its share of good men and true, offering themselves for municipal positions. The only one we would venture to mention is Mr. Jno. McArthur, Priceville, who, we believe will get and deserves a seat at the board as long as he desires.

The cry of hard times must surely be abating when we see the improvements taking place in this vicinity. The most recent is that of Henry Bros., who are at present putting in a new cistern, it will hold a large quantity of water being 11 ft x 9 and 10 feet deep, it is all underground and the walls are to be lined with cement. Mr. Henry will find it a great convenience in connection with the feeding and raising of stock.

Mr. Malcolm Baxter leaves for Hamilton, he has secured a position at the Royal Hotel and Malcolm is an up to date bartender he will take well with the boys no doubt.

John McLaughlan jr. and his neighbor Tom took the contract of moving the jam the bridge on 5th sideroad, no doubt it was a difficult job at this time or the year.

The Grove is badly in need of a detective as Mr. Pearson informs us while on a business trip to Priceville a few days ago he got a valuable blanket stolen while standing a few minutes in the shed.

A great deal of sickness in this burg at present, Mrs. Duncan McArthur who for the past three months has been under the Drs', care is improving but very slowly.

Mrs. T. Long has a slight attack of the Grip.

Miss Aggie Sullivan is also on the sick list at present.

Mr. John O'Hern of the Irish Lake was visiting friends in the Grove. John has the Klondike fever and intends to start next spring.

Mr. J. Henry and his sister Mrs. Joseph McDougall accompanied by Miss Minnie and Bella McLaughlan will visit their many friends on Thanksgiving day in Guelph and Galt.

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