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EDITORIAL COMMENT

This is one of the most difficult issues a weekly publisher is called upon to gather news for. With seemingly everybody thinking along political lines, the editor can scarcely extract any other matter from the average citizen. Just a few hours and the tension will be over—then let all get down to business in the good old way.

The question has been asked, "How many members are there to be elected for the House of Commons in the general election today?" By provinces the new House of Commons will have the following representation: Ontario 82; Quebec 65; Saskatchewan 21; Manitoba 17; Alberta 16; British Columbia 14; Nova Scotia 14; New Brunswick 11; Prince Edward Island 4; Yukon 1. Total 245.

Evidently John H. Thompson, owner and editor of the Thorold Weekly Post, doesn't go in much for the modern styles in young women. He advertises that at the Thorold fair, Oct. 6 and 7, he would give a cash prize of \$10 for the finest head of unbobbed hair. No further particulars are given as to judges, color, etc. The judges were both men. Mr. Thompson in his Post says the idea is of "doing something different," and he doesn't know if it will be popular or not.

The Mount Forest Confederate and Representative, commenting upon the Adolescent School Attendance Act, says: "Opportunity should be provided for those who have passed the entrance examinations to continue their education; but that all should be obliged to attend school until they are sixteen years of age, is an unwise requirement. Many of them would be better employed learning a useful trade or business. Too many of them are learning to loaf, and others, if not exactly loafing, are working in a half-hearted, unsympathetic ineffective way. The Adolescent School Attendance Act is badly in need of amendment, if not repealed."

GOODWOOD

J. F. Reid is on his holidays.

The community is much pleased with the improvement of our road on which Wm. Todd was foreman.

Owing to the wet weather, the Progressive meeting was not crowded.

Potatoes took a rapid increase in price last week. Lookout for the decrease.

Potatoes sold at \$1.50 bag here Saturday. Market still advancing. Vegetables are about the same as quoted last week.

The L.O.L. held a successful meeting last Friday night, and arrangements were made for Royal Arch meeting on Nov. 5th.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Bert Stewart is in a serious condition, following an operation last Friday night.

E. Middleton and mother, motored to Toronto on Saturday. Mrs. Thompson returned with them to spend a few days.

Dr. Rawleigh got a shipment of 1926 calendars last week. Be sure you get yours as he has one for every customer. He also states that he has a medicine which has proven successful for symptoms of appendicitis.

Our radio fans have got their instruments ready for the election returns. If you are thinking of getting a radio see Dr. Middleton.



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Wideman Mennonite Church History

One of the oldest churches in Markham Township is Wideman's Mennonite church, situated on the 8th line, lot 24, rear con. 7. The first church was built of log around 1815, and stood on the west side of the cemetery, a frame addition was added a few years later to accommodate the increased congregation. Previous to the erection of this building religious services were held in the homes of the early settlers when marriages were also solemnized. The site of the first church, which is the present cemetery site was the gift of Abram Lehman, who died in March, 1822, and whose grave is marked by a crude flat field stone: "A. L-M Mr. 22, 1822" in the cemetery.

In 1845, the present church was erected from brick, manufactured in the locality. Hugh McPherson, grandfather of John McPherson of the 7th line Markham, was the contractor. The roof was covered with shaved white pine shingles fastened with wrought iron nails, which lasted for fifty years. It was heated by an immense cast iron stove put up in two sections and held together by a heavy grooved top. A long cradle, in length two-thirds the width of the church formed a part of the furniture, and still remains. This is where the mothers put the infant children. The church is now heated by a furnace and last year electric lights were installed to take the place of oil lamps which superseded candles about 1850.

The trustees at this time, John Hoover and Joseph Barkey, bought two acres from Peter Ramer for £15 in 1845. Previous to this, in 1834, Peter Ramer sold to David Hoover and Jacob Berkley (Barkey), one acre for £2, and this transfer was witnessed by Sinclair Holden and Hugh McPherson.

The first ministers were Martin Huver (now spelled Hoover) and Henry Wideman. These two ministers were born in Pennsylvania and went to Maryland from that state, before settling in Canada, in Markham about 1800. The present ministers are Thos. Reesor, Louis Burkholder, L. Fretz, Isaac A. Wambold and Leonard Hoover who in turn, as arranged by themselves, conduct services on the four old Mennonite churches in the township, Wideman, Cedar Grove, Scarboro, Townline and Almira; also at Altona in Pickering. Preaching and Sunday School services are held every Sunday at Wideman's church.

The present trustees are: Albert Wideman, Joseph Reesor and Christian H. B. Ramer, the latter being chosen also as superintendent of the cemetery.

Since Mr. Ramer took charge of the cemetery a little over a year ago he has worked wonders. This, like too many other cemeteries throughout the country, presented a neglected appearance, weeds and brush, hills and hollows and many tombstones broken or lying on the ground—in general, neglected and dilapidated.

All this has been transformed by Mr. Ramer. The hills and hollows were levelled, the ground worked fine, and seeded with lawn seed and the grass kept neatly mowed. He has cleaned, repaired and straightened the damaged tombstones and is now building a neat boulevard on the concession line.

Other improvements which would add much to the appearance of the cemetery, would be the removal of old Dobbin's sheds between the church and the cemetery, and be replaced with a row of evergreens. Trees and shrubs should also be planted at the back and other suitable places, and as the cemetery is nearly full, more land should be acquired adjoining the north end and this neatly fenced and beautified with trees and shrubs, after a proper plan is made out and blue prints prepared. An endowment fund should also be created, the interest to be used for the care of the grounds.

A perusal of the names on the stones recalls the names of men and women, who by their industry and intelligence, made the township of Markham largely what it is today, a rich township of stately homes—and fine farms—probably the finest section in Ontario. Their children and grand-children owe it to themselves and to posterity that the names of these noble pioneers shall live for evermore. "Lest we Forget."

SALE REGISTER

TUESDAY, NOV. 3rd.—Postponed sale of Reg. Scotch Shorthorns, grade cattle, horses, sheep, pigs, implements, furniture, etc., belonging to the late G. O. Bennett, Claremont. No Reserve. Breeding lists of Shorthorns supplied. Sale at twelve noon, sharp. F. W. Silversides, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, OCT. 30th.—At lot 22, con. 4, Uxbridge, valuable farm stock, including number 2-year-old steers and helpers, farm implements, etc., belonging to David Symes. Sale

at one. F. W. Silversides, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, OCT. 30th.—Auction sale of High-class Milking Scotch Shorthorns, the property of R. Bessie, to be held at Graham's hotel, Brooklin. Sale at 2 o'clock. See bills. Wm. Maw, Auctioneer.

SATURDAY, OCT. 31.—Entire sale of Valuable Household Furniture, including piano, electric fixtures, at the residence of I. A. Parkinson, east end, Stouffville. This beautiful house will also be offered with barn and garage. Sale at one sharp. F. W. Silversides, auctioneer.

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