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The Tidings From Various Points In Eastern Ontario—What People Are Doing And What They are Doing.

Charleston Lake Locals.

Charleston, Dec. 21.—Our school closes on Tuesday next for the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Henrietta Plunkett, Boissevain, Man., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Slack, after an absence of fourteen years. Mrs. Plunkett speaks very highly of Manitoba. Mr. and Mrs. D. Beach visited at Soperston on Sunday. Mrs. Beach enjoyed a visit from her sister, Central City, Neb., whom she has not seen for twenty-two years. Mrs. C. J. Slack visited in Brockville last week, the guest of Mrs. J. Judson.

Married At Wilton.

Florida, Dec. 21.—The sleighing is excellent. Mud lake crossing is good. Bert Babcock, of this place, and Miss Irish, Yarker, were quietly united in marriage at the parsonage at Wilton last Wednesday evening, by Rev. Mr. Day. Miss L. Walker will close her school here with a concert for the pupils. W. L. Storms spent Sunday at Inverary. Mrs. E. Walker is laid up with inflammation. Mrs. J. Madden, ill is no better. Miss L. Walker has been re-engaged to teach our school for the coming year. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Solsberry, Yarker, at O'Reidens.

School Closed.

Vennachar, Dec. 19.—The roads are in a fair condition now after the heavy snowstorm of last week. A Wood girl has come to stay at S. A. Buffam's. School is closed for this year and Mr. File, our teacher, will leave for home on Monday. Miss Malinda Bebec will have charge of the school next year. George Greig intends to spend Christmas in the States. Miss Annie Connor and her father will spend the holidays at her sister's at Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson spent Wednesday at Robert Connor's. Miss Lizzie Gilmore, Ardach, is stopping with Mrs. G. W. Sweetman.

Home From The West.

Godfrey, Dec. 18.—Methodist Sunday school scholars are preparing a fine programme for the Christmas tree concert on December 28th. Stanley Snider has returned from Calgary, N. W. T., and intends spending a few months, owing to a fractured limb, caused by jumping of a train. Warner Switzer and Norman Leslie have returned from New Ontario, where they spent the past two years on a railroad. R. A. Hamilton had a furnace placed in his new house last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hancy, Toronto, returned after visiting Mrs. C. H. Godfrey. Mrs. W. McRoy, Souris, Man., is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. H. Godfrey. Mrs. T. S. Wells and family have moved to Verona.

Long Lake Matters.

Long Lake, Dec. 20.—Some rain fell yesterday, but not enough to raise the water. The people here are busy since the snow has come, which makes good sleighing. Cephas Fox and Levi Grant are hauling wood to the mines. Alfred Charlton and William Ritchie have the contract of drawing the ore part to be delivered at Mountain Grove, C.P.R., and part to Parham, K. & P. R. The hauling will soon begin. M. J. Flynn, Sharbot Lake, is foreman of the mines. James Love intends moving into his new house soon. H. Drew's horse ran away; fortunately no damage was done as the horse walked home. Surveyor Wilkie has been employed here a few days.

Heavy Fall Of Snow.

Wensley, Dec. 18.—The roads are getting quite passable after the week's heavy fall of snow. A number of people from this part attended the funeral of the late Mrs. George Malory. The deceased lady was only twenty-eight years old and leaves a husband and two small children to mourn her loss. Miss H. Wood has just returned to her home in Plyna, after spending a week at Mrs. Wensley's. Mrs. Clement has been seriously ill for the past week but quite recovered again. Edward Johnston, who has been away for some time, spent last Sunday at his home near Mrs. Thomas Briscoe, visiting at her father's, John Quackenbush. Watson Brown captured a fine fox last week.

To Make Butter This Winter.

Maple Avenue, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Charles Rose and her two little boys have returned from Boston, where she was attending the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Bignell. On Saturday Robert Metzler's cheese factory made the last cheese for this season, but butter will be made all winter. Our popular school teacher, Miss Schuele, is practicing her scholars for a concert on Tuesday afternoon. Parties are all the rage here; one every week. Mr. and Mrs. B. Rose and Master Edwin Murvale, Mrs. W. C. Snider is on the sick list. Mrs. Charles Snider spent a few days last week at her son's, Fred Snider, Millhaven. Mr. and Mrs. David Snider have moved to Odessa, and their son James and his family will remain on the farm. Mrs. Levi Snider, daughter and little grandson, Irving, called on friends in Odessa on Saturday afternoon.

Off To Louisiana.

Colebrook, Dec. 16.—On account of low water Mr. Woodruff has much difficulty in grinding. A few nights of zero weather has made the ice on the river good, so that they are now driving on it with teams. The young folks are practising for a Christmas entertainment on Christmas night. Many of our people attended the Moscow tea meeting, which was a decided success. The Wortelsky company's store recently opened here, has a crowded house daily, and has been compelled to add extra help. Mrs. A. B. Ryde, of Kingston hospital, last reports say she is no better. Hiram T. Lucas is suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis. Miss Anna Grey is on the sick list. Henry Shultz had the misfortune to break his

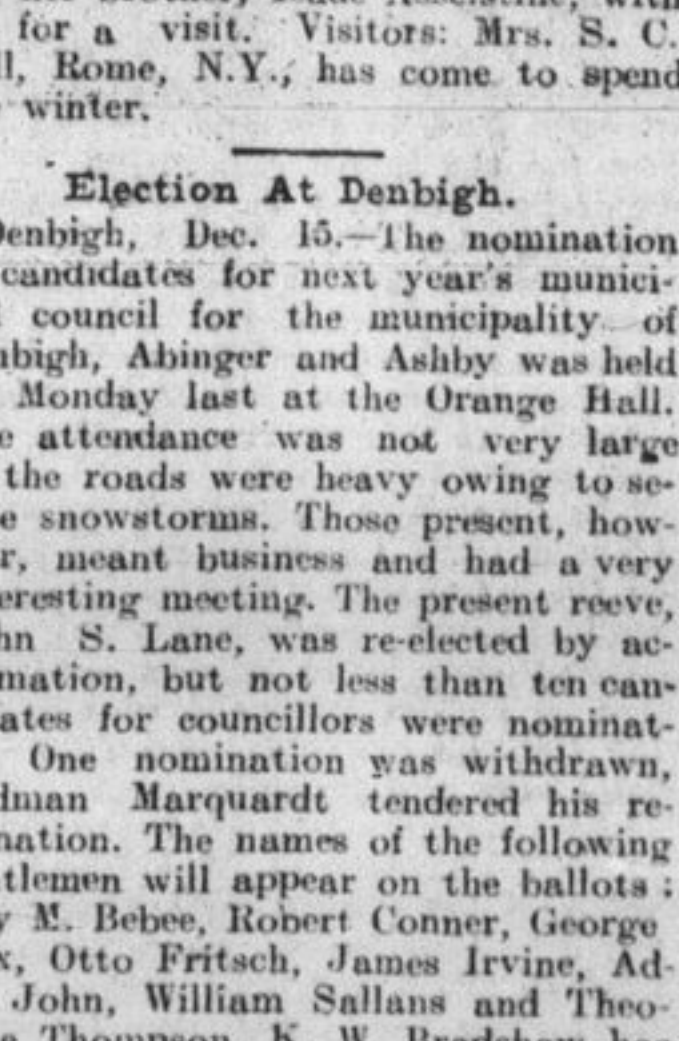
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Election At Denbigh.

Denbigh, Dec. 15.—The nomination of candidates for next year's municipal council for the municipality of Denbigh, Abinger and Ashby was held on Monday last at the Orange Hall. The attendance was not very large as the roads were heavy owing to severe snowstorms. Those present, however, meant business and had a very interesting meeting. The present mayor, John S. Lane, was re-elected by acclamation, but not less than ten candidates for councillors were nominated. One nomination was withdrawn, Erdman Marquardt tendered his resignation. The names of the following gentlemen will appear on the ballots: Guy M. Bebec, Robert Connor, George Fox, Otto Fritsch, James Irvine, Adolf John, William Sallans and Theodore Thompson. K. W. Bradshaw has reconsidered his original intention of giving up teaching and leaving Denbigh, and has been re-engaged as principal of our village school for next year. Owing to serious illness of Mrs. Bradshaw, he has been permitted to commence his Christmas vacation a week in advance, and he has started for Colebrook. Rev. F. Brodrow and family moved to Maynooth a few days ago, and the Lutheran parsonage is again without occupants. The vacancy will, however, not last long this time.

C.M.B.A. Elects Officers.

Stoco, Dec. 21.—Wood-drawers have been taking advantage of the good sleighing during the past week. J. Aylesworth, wholesale grocer, Napanea was in our village on business last week. Miss Lacey of the Tamworth neighborhood, is visiting here. Mrs. F. Allore. The C.M.B.A. held their annual meeting in J. Allore's hall, on Tuesday night, 18th inst. Andrew Keilty was chosen president for 1904, and Elisium Trudeau, financial secretary. F. Allore was elected recording secretary, while W. O'Brien was chosen as delegate to the society's convention in Toronto. The funeral of the late Thomas W. Mulvaney, Monday, 14th inst., was very largely attended inasmuch as the deceased was well known and highly respected in the township of Hungerford. His demise is universally regretted. On the succeeding nights of last week there were concerts given in Murphy's hall. There are others to follow in three weeks. A concert was held in the Park's church on the evening of Friday, 18th inst., which was largely attended. John Carey, East Hungerford, has been making a prolonged stay in our village during the past week. He talks of going into business here. John Sherbinau, lately of the Tweed post-office staff, has taken a position in P. Murphy's store here.

Had His Feet Frozen.

Harlowe, Dec. 19.—A Christmas tree and concert will be given in the Methodist church, December 21th. A very sad accident occurred on Tuesday, when N. Peterson, while travelling from a camp on Gull Lake, broke through the ice. Before he got home his feet became frozen. He is now in the general hospital. J. Thompson was badly kicked by a horse on Monday. Mrs. Thompson is also very ill. Death visited the home of E. Hawley on Wednesday and claimed his wife. She leaves a husband and two small children. Fire broke out on Maple avenue, on Friday in the home of D. Bradshaw, and before it was controlled a large part of the roof was burned. Joel Thompson, of Lost Channel, was in the village last week, George Scott, Ohio, is visiting friends in the village. Mr. Hinch, Belleville, is a guest at the Royal Hornerite services are being held in many of the homes. Mr. French and S. Clancy are the leaders. We are having real winter-like weather; snow is about six inches deep on the level. E. Palmater received a telegram yesterday evening calling him to the death-bed of his brother, H. Palmater, of Tweed. Miss A. Presley and Miss Reid, Northbrook, were guests at the Royal, Saturday and Sunday. H. Fraser, spending some time in western Ontario, is home. An I.O.G.T. lodge has been organized.

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