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NEWS OF NEIGHBORS

WHAT WHIG CORRESPONDENTS TELL US.

The Tidings From Various Points in Eastern Ontario—What People Are Doing and What They Are Saying.

An Event at Murvale.

Murvale, Aug. 16.—The Methodist Sunday school picnic held in Vanusen's grove, last Saturday, was a decided success. A red-hot baseball match took place between the married and the single men, which resulted in a win for the bachelors by the score of 9 to 4.

At Mount Chesney.

Mount Chesney, Aug. 15.—Farmers are finishing harvesting. Miss Nellie Fowler has returned home, after visit-

ing in Kingston. Miss Laura Hackett, Kingston, is spending her vacation at R. C. Hawkey's, Mrs. Rowland and daughter, Harriett, of Beaverton, N.Y., Michael Hawkey, Glenvale, and Francis Leitch, Kingston, spent Sunday at R. C. Hawkey's.

Budget From Bath.

Bath, Aug. 18.—Rev. Mr. Simpson of Rochester, N.Y., visited his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Bain, last week. Mr. Bryant, organizer for the Chosen Friends, visited this village for a few days in the interests of his order.

Mr. Robinson exchanged services with Rev. Mr. Cumberland, Stella, on Sunday last. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cunningham, of Chicago, are visiting at Lake Cunningham's. E. N. Jory, of Winnipeg, is visiting at Thomas Bain's. Mrs. Glass, of Trenton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Norman Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Newark, N.J., are visiting with Mrs. W. Cooper. Miss Ethel Topfiff caught a pike, last week, near Larrott's Bay, weighing ten and a quarter pounds.

News From Kepler.

Kepler, Aug. 17.—Mr. Duggan, of Toronto, preached a very impressive sermon in the interest of the Dominion Alliance, on Sunday last. Two solos were rendered, one by Mr. Duggan the other by G. W. Orser, Walter Switzer and wife.

News From Wilton.

Wilton, Aug. 17.—Walter Davy, has purchased Alfred Babcock's lot, and intends enlarging the barn. The Methodist Sunday school had a picnic at Sydenham, on Friday. Mrs. (Rev.) Boyce and three children returned last week from a visit of a few weeks with friends in Grafton and Belleville, passed through here Thursday on a motor trip, calling on Mrs. Ross' niece, Mrs. Walton Davy, Miss Grace Wallace and niece, Miss Fanny Babcock, are home from a visit with Mr. W. Topping, Elgin, and are accompanied by Mrs. Topping, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Miller returned Monday, from a visit in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis spent the week-end at W. Purdy's, Morven, Mr. and Mrs. James Dewey, Morven, were at W. H. Neilson's, on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Law, Harrowsmith, were visiting at J. Lewis' on Friday last week.

At Caldwell's Mills.

Caldwell's Mills, Aug. 18.—R. J. Wilson spent last week visiting in Montreal. Miss Kathleen Bullen, Lanark, has returned to take charge of the Clyde Forks school for the remainder of the year. Mrs. J. Morris and son, Cyril, of Toronto, also Mr. John Guthrie, of Tatlock, are visiting their brother, H. Campbell, Miss Bella Clelland, of Almonte, has returned to her home here. Miss Hannah Reville, of Ottawa, formerly of River Station, called on friends last week. Mr. Lennox, Knox College, Toronto, held a meeting here in interest of the Sunday school. A Bible class was organized. Miss A. McConnel, has returned to Almonte after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Clelland. R. Craig, of Toronto, is spending his holidays with his uncle, H. Campbell, R. H. Somerville, M.A., Lavant, will conduct services here and at Flower next Sunday. Adam Craig, who has been a resident of Smith's Falls, for the past five years, has returned to Clyde Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Croone, of Smith's Falls, spent a few days with the latter's sister, Mrs. S. Campbell. The Clyde Forks annual picnic, held on August 15th, proved a success, notwithstanding the bad day. The net proceeds amounted to \$165. Mrs. William Ferguson, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is recovering nicely. William Stewart has gone to Lanark to work for the remainder of the summer.

Persistence Personified.

Literary Digest.—An American journalist tells an amusing story of an interview with Winston Churchill, when he was at the board of trade. "He gave me an example of our perseverance," the journalist writes admiringly. "No less than forty-seven American correspondents called on him at the board of trade offices in one week for an interview on the American tariff, and, as none of these had sufficiently good credentials, he refused to see them. Finally a correspondent came with a letter from Mr. Lloyd-George, and his name was on the list. 'Do you know,' he said to the young man, 'that I have refused to see forty-seven of your compatriots on this very subject?' 'I ought to know it,' the correspondent answered, 'for I'm the whole forty-seven.'"

LAUREL AND PARTY IN WEST.

This West is a young man's country, and the responsibility for its development rests mainly, usually, and inevitably, upon them.—Hon. Gen. P. Graham at the Executive Club, Montreal.

His Peculiar Predicament

By STACY E. BAKER.

"Luked-a-a-ale!" shouted the conductor.

The fussy, little old gentleman with the numerous packages, and the tall, broad-shouldered youth occupying the seat in front of him, heartily seized their belongings and bolted for the door. Lukeddale is a small stop.

Hardly were the two safe on the rough boards bounding the station before the older man's parcels began to slip and slide in an awkward way, and, but for the hasty assistance of the other, the majority of them would have fallen.

"Thank you," wheezed the suburbanite. "You are a stranger hereabout, are you not?" "This is my first trip to Lukeddale," smiled the young man, then realizing that his card case, then realizing that it would be a physical impossibility for the old gentleman to accept it and retain possession of his purchases, he said: "My name is Hampton. I have an aunt living here, whom I shall visit. Can you direct me to the residence of Miss Cornelia Wade?"

The other eyed his companion curiously. A half smile flashed on his lips.

"I go right by the house," he answered. "My name is Warren. Pleased to make your acquaintance, Hampton, I hope we shall know each other better before you leave town."

It was now about nine o'clock in the evening and beginning to get dark. Hampton was thankful for the company of the other, and having nothing but his own light suit case to carry, attempted to relieve his guide of some of his load.

To this the old man strenuously objected. "It's no use to it," he protested. "Do this, stunt almost every night."

"A most eccentric old chap," thought the youth, but after one or two attempts to start a conversation, he humored the old man's mood.

The streets of Lukeddale were a credit to the town, and this helped a great deal, because the lights were conspicuously inadequate. The little burg seemed to have been laid out all on one street.

At last the two drew near a large, domical, archedway in appearance, and towering majestically above its neighbors.

"Your destination," said Warren, pointing. "It was now dark. The windows of the house were ablaze.

Up the broad path leading to the spacious veranda the two strode. A burst of girlish laughter came suddenly out to them and Warren again chuckled.

"I had understood that my aunt lives alone," remarked Hampton, unconsciously.

"Then she must have company," suggested the old gentleman dryly. "That certainly isn't her voice."

A mind picture of his glum relative, sharp-featured, suspicious eyed, flashed for an instant before the youth's eye.

"Enter," he wheezed, dramatically, and as Hampton, dazzled by the light, obeyed, the voice of the old gentleman followed him across the threshold. "This is Mr. Hampton, of New York, come to visit his aunt, Miss Cornelia Wade."

The door opened shut, and the sound of heavy feet descending the steps on the other side caused Hampton to turn in surprise. He was alone. His guide had gone.

The blindness now partially left the youth. He turned to confront two young girls, evidently sisters, and a smiling elderly woman.

"Uncle Oscar is so eccentric," said one of the girls, advancing toward Hampton, and relieving him of his suit case. His eyes caught the ruddy gleam of her hair, the cloud-blue of her eyes. A spot of red dotted, for a passing second, the white of her cheeks.

"I am Virginia," said the girl simply. "Let me introduce my mother and my sister, Louise."

The two women came forward. Louise was a younger maid, in looks and action the double of the fair Virginia. She had the same graceful carriage; the same rich voice.

There are Hopes for the Recovery of J. N. Abrams.

Verona, Aug. 18.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Methodist church met at the home of their president Mrs. J. L. Percy, last Wednesday. A general review of the work was gone over, after which the ladies manufactured some very fancy articles, which will be offered for sale at their bazaar.

Dr. F. W. Kingston, and Miss Jessie Duff, Toronto, are visiting at E. M. York's, G. Vandewater, wife and son, Carthage, N.Y., are visiting the former's parents, at old Temperance House.

Mrs. T. Griffith and her two sons went west last Tuesday, to join her husband, who went there some time ago. Joseph Storms and Richard Babcock accompanied the farm laborers excursion west. Miss S. Goodfellow, Parham, is the guest of Miss Ethel McMiller. Miss Mabel Snyder, Kingston, visited her grandfather, W. Snyder here, for a few days. A son has arrived to cheer the home of Oliver Veley Sand street, N. C. Stedman, Camden East, called here to-day. Joseph Percy, who was badly injured by a kick from a horse, is improving.

Mrs. James Craig has returned from Almonte. The Methodist church construction is progressing nicely under the direction of contractor George Lake, Perthworth. Dr. McCarter's new residence is rapidly nearing completion and will be a fine one. W. B. Grant, has received long service medal for service in the colonial forces. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Milligan and children, Sharbot Lake, are visiting at Rev. William Sanderson's. Mrs. Joseph Abrams is not much improved in health. Lewis James and family and W. James and I. Springhall, Watertown, N.Y., visiting here, have returned home.

M. Williams, employed loading cars with feldspar, at Gamey's siding, cut his hand quite badly. Dr. McCarter had to put in several stitches. J. N. Abrams, very ill with appendicitis at the home of E. H. Snook, is slightly better to-day. Dr. McCarter, has some hopes for his recovery. H. T. Barnes, left this morning for Watertown, N.Y., with his family. Mrs. Frank Grant, Watertown, N.Y., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Albertson.

At a meeting of the London shareholders of the Le Roi Mining company it was unanimously agreed to go into liquidation.

"Oh, we all understand," laughed Virginia. "We all know Uncle Oscar."

"Positively no explanations. They are not needed."

"I only wish you understood," half whispered Hampton, gazing wistfully at the girl. She had made a great impression on the youth from the first. With a social footing in New York second to none, and an income that had allowed him to travel extensively, he had imagined that the gentle sex had palled upon him. Hence this early-spring flitting to Lukeddale. He was cloyed with society—and women.

This girl was a revelation. Confident of poise, cool, wholly at ease, under what must be to her, to say the least, singular circumstances, she was, whimsical, prettily natural and simple.

"Probably Mr. Hampton wishes to bathe his hands after his long ride on that hateful accommodation."

It was the elderly woman who spoke. "Show him to his room, Virginia. He can join us at his convenience."

With a resigned sigh, Hampton followed the maid. Some one had been expected by these good people. In a short time the proper guest would arrive and then—well, Hampton, importer, would be kicked out. This would end his acquaintance with this rare maid.

Tindily, Hampton again entered the parlor.

A wheezy voice greeted him. "How d'you do, Hampton? Feeling refreshed?" The young New Yorker glared at the returned joker. Uncle Oscar shifted about uneasily under the prolonged and eloquent stare.

"Um-m-m," ventured Uncle Oscar. "I guess I'll have to speak with Hampton alone for a moment."

Unconsciously he dragged the youth into the library.

"It's all right," he interrupted raising a pudgy hand to the young man's wrathful vociferations. "It's all right, Hampton. Don't get excited. I met your aunt on my trip to the city—personally acquainted with her, you know. She was called away suddenly to the bedside of a sick friend, and she asked me to find you and bring you here to my sister's home, where she had made arrangements for you to stay until her return. Satisfied?"

"Surely," beamed the youth. "More than satisfied. I like—"

"Yes, I see you do," said the old man. "Virginia likes you, too. See how she flushed when you came back—oh! Well, good luck to you, Hampton. As for me, I'm going home."

The old man disappeared down the hall leading to the street door. Hampton hurried back to the parlor.



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