

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.

Bell Rock Reports. Bell Rock, April 1.—Rev. W. C. Crane preached a fine sermon here last Sunday. J. Timmons had a great supply of wood sawn up by Abrams Bros. last week. Joseph Walker also had a good pile cut up by the same machine. J. H. Amey left for the west last Monday after spending a month at his old home here. Mr. Brooks will start on a sailing tour in a few days. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. C. Amey, Moscow, at J. York's; Mr. and Mrs. J. Babcock, Sydenham, at W. Brook's; E. L. Amey, Desmond, at J. Pomroy's.

Death at Charleston. Charleston, April 1.—S. M. Hubbard, Brooklyn, N.Y., left for home on Friday after a stay of six weeks, the guest of R. Foster. Mrs. M. J. Kavanagh is spending a few days at Long Point with her aunt, Mrs. F. Slack, who is ill. James Kavanagh visited at Long Point on Thursday. A little girl has arrived at W. F. Crozier's. Some of the farmers have tapped their trees. Mrs. E. C. Webster is very ill. Miss Josie Green and Mrs. Connell, nurses, are with her. Mrs. C. E. Frye, Soperton, spent Friday under the parental roof. Mr. Webster, relief of the late Edward C. Webster, died on Sunday night, after an illness of about six months.

Maberly Matters. Maberly, April 1.—A number of farmers are busy tapping their sugar bushes and sugar making will soon be in full swing. Mrs. Isaac Korry has rented T. Buchanan's residence on Piety Hill and intends moving this week. Mrs. Korry has sold her property. Thomas Stinson has gone on an extended trip. D. McIlraith is having his Easter examinations in the school this week. William G. Buchanan is visiting in Perth over Sunday. An enjoyable evening was spent at the C.O.C.F. oyster supper on Thursday evening. Messrs. John Manders and C. Briggs made a business trip to Smith's Falls, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, of Wolfe Island, spent a few days in the village. E. Strong is at E. Blair's.

Leo Lake Items. Leo Lake, April 2.—Bernard Patterson, public school teacher, spent Sunday with his mother at Inverary. Tapping maple trees is the order of the day in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. W. Howers and children spent a few days last week with friends in Lansdowne. J. Tierney is sawing wood around Cashedall. Mrs. Merrill and little daughter have returned to the west, having spent several months in an extended visit. Mrs. J. Murphy. A few of the young people spent a very enjoyable time at J. Rochester's, Friday morning. Miss Myrtle Orr has returned home, after visiting at Sunbury, accompanied by her friend, Miss A. Shannon. Visitors: E. J. Roche and sister, Miss Josephine, at McMoran's, Cashedall; M. McCarvey, Mount Chesney, at M. Forrester's; J. McCarvey, Joyceville, at J. Tierney's; V. Fisher, at Sunbury.

Atkinson News. Atkinson, March 30.—Frank Atkinson, who has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is improving. Robert Johnston has lately purchased the farm of J. Atkinson and will also take over the post-office. Already great improvements are being made. Miss Wood is giving up her school at Easter, as she intends leaving shortly for the west. Miss Ella Johnston has returned home after a two weeks' visit, accompanied by Miss Jessie Sharp, Mount Chesney. James Atkinson and Miss Annie intend going soon to Gananoque to take up their residence, and Messrs. George and Reginald Hunter and young wife. Mr. E. Mangan had a tree last week drawn up to the station. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Spence at James Wilson's, Willelsholme; J. Anglin and J. C. Spence, Kingston, at Robert Johnston's. Miss Ethel Hunter is in Kingston; Wilfred Wilson at R. Johnston's; Misses E. Johnston and John Sharp, visiting friends at Cashedall. Miss M. Matland spent the week-end at her home here.

Jones Falls Tidings. Jones Falls, April 1.—Some of the farmers are preparing for maple sugar making, while others are drawing hay and wood. M. Bradford and family have moved in C. Hutchesing's house. Mr. Bradford intends taking a trip west. Mr. Eves is moving onto the George Wheeler farm. T. J. Sly has moved on the farm he bought from T. C. Jackson. C. Dawson has rented J. Smith's farm, and has taken possession. T. C. Jackson and family left on Monday for the west, where Mr. Jackson is taking up a homestead. H. E. Stuart left last week for Saskatchewan. The Hutchesing boys, Charles and Adeline, left on March 18th for Outlook, Sask. A. O. Simpson has gone to Welland for the summer. The many friends of Mrs. L. Burch are pleased to hear of her recovery. Mrs. Burch has been seriously ill. The little son of C. Hutchesing has been ill of bronchitis. J. Davison has improved in health and re-opened the school on Monday last. The box social held on March 12th, proved a success. The receipts were \$151.47. F. Wills sold his team of colts for a good figure to T. Moore, Keelerville. Miss Laura Stuart visited her sister, Mrs. B. Blackman, a few days last week.

Reports From Newboro. Newboro, April 1.—George Fleming, Philadelphia, Pa., April 2.—To-day suspension of work in the anthracite and bituminous regions all over the eastern states is complete. Many manufacturers dependent on mining for a supply of coal are also at a standstill. One man in Fortville committed suicide at the prospect of enforced idleness for a long period.

VILLAGE OF CATARAQUI

Presentations to Members of the Brebner Family.

Cataraqui, April 1.—The roads between here and the city are in a very bad condition. Tunnels have been dug through the banks to allow the passage of wagons. A tunnel chassis factory opened to-day. Mr. and Mrs. W. Conolly have moved into the Carleton property, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Baker into Mrs. Chapman's house. Miss Mrs. Binnington has returned to Alberta to teach. F. Valeau was the guest of Rev. R. Stillwell, Aulaville, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards have a son, daughter in their home. Mr. and Mrs. Florence Gardiner have taken possession of their home on the York Road. Harry Harpell has recovered from his attack of pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. J. Sharp have been visiting at W. Jackson's. Mrs. Crockett is quite ill.

Miss Hazel Haycock, Kingston, sang a solo in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. W. Kiser, who has been in somewhat poor health is improving. Mr. Merriman is moving to his new home here, which he recently purchased from J. Brebner. Mrs. Brebner entertained a number of her friends last week, when Mrs. Merriman and son, Harold, were introduced to those present, who were pleased to welcome them. On Friday evening a company assembled at the parsonage to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Brebner and family. Mrs. Brebner was presented by the Women's Missionary society, with an address and a certificate of life membership, and Miss Agnes Brebner was given a pin by the ladies' adult class, of which she was secretary, and also a musical magazine from the choir. In closing Miss Brebner, Cataraqui loses one of its sweetest singers. On Sabbath afternoon at the close of the Sunday school session, Kenneth Brebner, for some years secretary and librarian of the Methodist Sunday school, was presented with a small gift as a slight token of appreciation of his services. The superintendent made a few remarks relative to the secretary's faithful attendance to duty and wishing him all success.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The Prices Paid at the Various Centres. Montreal, April 1.—About 1,100 head of butchers' cattle, 550 calves, 250 sheep and lambs, and 1,800 hogs were offered for sale at the Point St. Charles stockyards to-day. The offerings of live stock at this market during the week were 2,100 cattle, 2,000 calves, 300 sheep and lambs, and 3,500 hogs. Trade was good with no material changes in the prices, quality considered, excepting that hogs are higher. Prime hogs sold at 61c. to 71c. per lb.; extra Easter beef, 7 1/2c. to 8c. per lb.; pretty good animals, 57c. to 61c., and the common stock, 4c. to 5c. per lb. A fancy bullock was sold here on Saturday at 11c. per lb., to go to Quebec. Calves sold at from 2 1/2c. to 7c. per lb. Sheep sold at about 6c. per lb.; yearling lambs at about 7c. per lb. Good lots of hogs sold at 87c. to 9c. per lb.

Toronto Cattle Market.

Toronto, April 1.—Export cattle, \$6.25 to \$7.00; do., medium, \$5.70 to \$6.10; do., bulls, \$3.00 to \$4.50; butchering choice, \$6.20 to \$6.85; do., medium, \$5.50 to \$6.00; do., common, \$4.00 to \$5.25; do., cows, choice, \$4.75 to \$5.50; do., medium, \$3.25 to \$4.50; do., canners, \$1.50 to \$2.50; do., bulls, \$2 to \$5. Feeding steers, \$5.75 to \$6.40; stockers, choice, \$4.75 to \$5.20; do., light, \$3 to \$4.50; milkers, choice, each, \$55 to \$65; springers, \$45 to \$55. Sheep, \$4.00 to \$6.25; bucks, weak, \$3 to \$4; lambs, \$6 to \$8.50. Hogs, fed and watered, \$7.55 to \$7.95; do., L.O.B., \$7.55 to \$7.65; calves, \$4 to \$8.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 1.—Cattle receipts, 18,000; market steady to a shade higher. Beef, \$5.20 to \$8.60; Texas steers, \$4.50 to \$5.80; western steers, \$5.25 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.30 to \$6.00; cows and heifers, \$2.50 to \$6.00; calves, \$6.50 to \$9.00. Hogs receipts, 32,000; market slow, 5c. to 10c. higher. Light, \$7.60 to \$8.95, mixed, \$7.65 to \$8.40; heavy, \$7.70 to \$8.05; rough, \$7.70 to \$7.90; pigs, \$5.30 to \$7.50; bulk of sales, \$7.80 to 47.95. Sheep, ewes, \$4.00 to \$6.25; bucks, weak, native, \$4.35 to \$6.25; western, \$4.10 to \$6.90; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$7.00; lambs, native, \$5.75 to \$7.85; western, \$6.25 to \$8.25.

PART OF TOWN DESTROYED

By a Flood, and Two Thousand People are Homeless. Hickman, Ky., April 2.—Two thousand people are homeless, to-day, and several industries were destroyed by a flood from the Mississippi river, which destroyed a large part of this town early this morning. Fortunately the watchmen had been stationed at the dam gates, and warning was given in ample time to prevent loss of life. There were many heroic rescues.

Toronto Street Market.

Toronto, April 2.—Wheat, per bush, 96c. to 97c.; wheat, goose, per bush, 93c.; oats, per bush, 51c. to 52c.; rye, per bush, 55c. to 81; barley, malted, per bush, 90c. to 92c.; hay, timothy, per ton, \$23 to \$25; hay, mixed, per ton, \$16 to \$17; straw, per ton, \$17 to \$18; dressed hogs, \$10 to \$10.50; butter, dairy, per lb., 38c. to 38c.; eggs, per doz., 25c. to 28c.; chickens, per lb., 20c. to 23c.; ducks, per lb., 17c. to 20c.; turkeys, per lb., 25c. to 27c.; apples, per bbl., \$2.50 to \$3.50; potatoes, per bag, \$1.70 to \$1.75; cabbage, per doz., 60c. to 75c.; beef, hindquarters, \$11.50 to \$13; beef, forequarters, \$7.50 to \$8.50; beef, choice, carcass, \$10.25 to \$11; beef, medium, carcass, \$8.50 to \$9.50; veal, prime, \$11 to \$13; mutton, prime, \$8 to \$10.50; lamb, spring, \$16 to \$18.

Coal Strike Widespread.

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FREELY EMPLOYED

NAUGHTY WORDS ARE USED IN MANITOBA HOUSE.

"Shut Up, You D—d Fool," Specimen of Governmental Eloquence.—What an Elder Said. Winnipeg, Man., April 2.—The methods adopted by the Roblin government were brought to light by some incidents which took place before the legislature private bills committee when the Heese power bills were up for consideration. Hon. Colin B. Campbell talked in a bantering way about the actions of the city in protecting its streets, finally turning on C. E. McPherson, member for Lakeside, who has constantly fought these bills since they came up. Mr. McPherson was fighting the point with regard to the interpretation of the municipal act, when the minister of public works, in exasperation, shouted at him: "We won't be subjected to your d—d nonsense." This was repeated several times in a heated manner.

Later, when the Manitoba power bill had been disposed of, Mr. McPherson asked that it be reprinted in order that the committee might read it again carefully. It had been reprinted once before, but many changes were made. George Steel, member for Cypress, chairman of committee, shouted at the member for Lakeside: "Shut up; you d—d fool." Mr. McPherson tried to speak again, but was again told to shut up by the chairman, in the same language, and his fellow members joined in a chorus of "damns." At this, H. Johnson, member for West Winnipeg, stood up and promptly told Mr. Steel that he might feel himself a pretty big man around there, but to tell a member to "shut up" was going altogether too far. Hon. Mr. Campbell is a ruling elder in Westminster church, and four Sundays ago occupied the pulpit of St. James' Presbyterian church, speaking on church union.

COMING TO THE GRAND.

Events for Holiday and Also For Next Week. "Princess Iris," with those sterling young artists and a supporting company of merit, are billed for an appearance at the Grand next Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, with special matinees on Good Friday and Saturday. The play is a series of surprises, introducing many novel and bewildering illusions, catchy music and specialties by different members of the cast. Mildred and Rouleau are acknowledged the leaders in their line of mystic work and they have cleverly worked out their big fantastical farces together into a play of unique and novel nature, making it a big fun show constructed for laughing purposes. It is three hours of good, clean amusement, a performance that not only charms the ear but bewilders the eye. The introduction of seats is desirable so as to insure against disappointment, for capacity houses will, no doubt, greet "Princess Iris" on its appearance in this city.

At the Grand

All Next Week, Matinees and Evenings.

Residents here sympathize with Mrs. Leatherland in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Marsh, Collins Bay. Mrs. Marsh had been in poor health for some time. Mr. Cassidy exclaimed pulpits with Rev. F. Danby, Elmburg, and Rev. S. Selley, Kingston, on two consecutive Sundays. Mrs. Tallow, Verona, is with her daughter, Mrs. W. Conolly.

Durban in Kinemacolor.

That old proverb about Mahomet and the Mountain has been reversed in the case of the millions of people in this country and the recent great success of the Durban in India when King George and Queen Mary of England were proclaimed emperor and empress, amid scenes of surpassing Oriental splendor, which will be at the Grand next week, afternoons and evenings. Thanks to the remarkable invention of Kinemacolor, the millions of Americans who could not attend the Durban, have had the Durban brought to them in all its spirited action and glowing color effects.

Would Banish "Baby Talk."

Boston Clergymen Urge Parents to Read Plutarch and Plato. Boston, Mass., April 3.—That parents should abandon the use of baby talk to their little ones is the opinion of the Rev. A. A. Berle, professor of Applied Christianity at Tufts college. "There should be set up in every home where there was a baby a warning against the misuse of the mother tongue," says Dr. Berle. "The children should be encouraged to try out their powers with long words." "Those parents who do not know good English should study it with their children." Parents, he said, ought to read Tacitus, Juvenal, Plutarch and Plato on this subject and find out what the ancients thought was due to children.

Winnipeg in a Bad Fix.

Government May Repudiate Unauthorized Expenditures. Winnipeg, April 3.—Though no final decision was reached, the government members of the law amendments committee clearly indicated their intention of refusing to legalize the expenditure of \$2,000,000 on the completion and extension of the city's hydro-electric system. This by-law was not submitted to the people because the money was required without delay, and the council had indicated its intention of refusing to issue bonds for this purpose. Hon. Colin Campbell and Hon. J. H. Howden disagreed with this view and declared that the question must be submitted to the ratepayers.

Man Mastered By His Business

When a man cannot forget his business when he lays his head on the pillow at night, it is time to consider the condition of his nervous system. Otherwise his business will wreck his future by undermining his health. For a time he may keep going on stimulants, but if health is to be restored and old-time vigor brought back the nerve cells must be revitalized by such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. A few weeks' use of this great food cure will do wonders for any business man or woman whose nervous system has failed to stand the strain. Gradually and naturally the blood is enriched and vigor and energy are restored to mind and body. Appetite is sharpened, digestion improves, you sleep well and regain the strength which makes you master of yourself and of your business.

PORTSMOUTH COUNCIL

Desire to Build Cement Walks on Local Improvement Plan.

The regular meeting of the Portsmouth council was held, Monday night, and all the members were present, with the exception of Councillor James Halliday, who was unable to be present. There was very little business, outside of routine and the passing of accounts. The question of sidewalks was up for discussion, and the council decided in favor of putting down cement walks, under the local improvement plan. If the people of the village are favorable to it, the council will adopt this plan as it is regarded as the best. The old question of opening up Johnson street to the Forp-foot road was re-opened. The advice given the old council, was that the council would have to purchase the right-of-way. The council will confer with J. L. Whiting about the matter. The opening of Johnson street would be a great convenience to farmers coming in from that section.

An Easy Proceeding.

The unionists in the House of Lords, as in the House of Commons, voted for the government's coal mines bill and denounced it at the same time. They could not afford to reject the bill or turn the government out on such an issue, as they would then have the responsibility of dealing with the strike. It is, of course, much easier for them to attack the government for doing something than to have to do something themselves.

Grossly Exaggerated.

Woodstock, April 2.—Principal A. T. MacNeill, this morning, said the story of ill-treatment of a student of Woodstock College had been grossly exaggerated. There will be an official enquiry before the local magistrate to-night. The federal government will be represented at the banquet to Premier Roblin in Winnipeg on April 11th.

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