

# NEWS GATHERED OVER NEAR COUNTIES

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### DEAD CREEK.

March 2.—J. A. Newton has his logs nearly all sawed. Mrs. Eldon Campbell is at her mother's Mrs. Felix Short's. Mrs. William Newton at F. Loyd's. Monty Mills, Harlowe, at Orey Loyd's. Howard Peck at Mrs. Brook's. Mr. Badcock at home again. Mervin Newton spent a few days at North Brook and Plintown last week.

### GLENDOWER.

March 3.—The snow has nearly all disappeared and wheeled vehicles are being used. Rev. Alfred Young and Mr. Arker, Wellington, held an entertainment last night in aid of the Soldiers' Wives League, address being given on the war, the conditions in England and other subjects of interest. The hall was well filled. The mail man has a hard time to keep his schedule owing to the conditions of the roads.

### BATH ROAD.

March 2.—Wheels came into general use recently. A large number of people from here attended the military carnival. Two cases of measles were reported in this vicinity. The ice in the creek is very bad. A number of children are trying for the entrance at the Palace school. Miss Lottie Hyland had a hen bring out a number of chickens on March the first. Clarke Hamilton, Odessa, spent Sunday at J. Hyland's. Miss Lottie Hyland spent the past three days with Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hamilton, Kingston.

### CUSHENDALL.

March 3.—Several young men are preparing their horses for the races to take place at Kingston Mills on the 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Germain and family, with their household effects, etc., removed last week to Birmingham, Alabama. C. Main, Department of Agriculture, visited the school this week. Mrs. Connell, sr., who was very ill, is improving as also are J. Hyland's children. Mr. and Mrs. Keeler have returned to Saskatchewan, after visiting at W. Gardon's. Lorne Trotter has returned from spending a week in the city. John Ward has returned from Deseronto. Mrs. J. Fisher and children, Moscow, visited at her mother's, Mrs. Hamilton's, last week.

### LAKE OPINICON.

March 2.—A. N. Sharp has a number of men employed cutting ice and hauling logs. A young son has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Huxson. Mrs. Huxson's many friends are glad to know she is somewhat improved. I. Alexander made a business trip to the city on Thursday last. Miss Mabel Darling has returned from spending the past two weeks visiting friends at Kingston and Sydenham. Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Cumpson, a daughter. Miss E. Lindlater, has left to spend the next two months at Cataraqui where she intends taking music. Visitors to Mr. C. Smith, Kingston, and Mrs. William Kerruish, Chaffey's, Lock, at A. Darling's, sr.; Mrs. F. Smith at J. Banks', Leland; Mrs. F. Best and son, Harry, at C. R. Ennis'.

### SYDENHAM.

March 3.—Owing to a change in the weather, hockey is being resumed. Farmers are hauling logs to the mill. A number of enjoyable evenings have been spent by the young people skating on a large pond a short distance from the village. E. C. Martin is remodeling his furniture store. Elgin Bravley is building a new flour and feed store. S. Joyner and son, Bruce, have returned home after spending a few days with relatives in Tweed. S. Duff spent the week-end at the home of T. C. Smith, Elginburg. R. J. Lacey spent Sunday at J. Moreland's. J. R. Dier is able to be around once more. G. Brackenbridge, a guest of Jackson Dowley, on Sunday evening. Miss Myra Curran is home ill. Carl Duff visited friends at Hartington last week. Miss Irene Irwin is visiting friends here. Oscar Lindsay was calling on G. Guess last week.

### SHARROT LAKE.

March 3.—The sawing machine is doing a lot of work in the village. Jerome Thomson is undergoing treatment in Kingston hospital. A young son has come to stay at R. E. Callbert's. Misses Lena Clark, Mabel Kilborn, and Mildred Gray are attending the millinery openings at Toronto. Mr. Bradley, Smith Falls, was in town yesterday. Mrs. Robert Blakely and son are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Lewis, Cartier, Ont. Charles Huffman is ill. A number of farmers are hauling logs to Thomson's saw mill. Miss Nettie Cowdy is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ross Bertram. Mrs. H. Taylor returned to her home in Regina. A number of people from here attended the military carnival in Kingston last week. John Williamson, Vancouver, B.C., is at his home here. John Hawley, Smith's Falls, called on friends here last Sunday. School re-opened yesterday after being closed several weeks, as the teacher left, Miss Mabel Orey, Kepler, visited her sister, Mrs. O. Hanson, for a short

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time. Skating on the lake is very good at present.

### LONG POINT.

Feb. 22.—Mrs. Sara Burns has returned from a visit with her daughters and friends at Marble Rock and Goreton. Miss Nora Fodey has returned to her home at Outlet after visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Slack. Some from here attended the hockey match in Elgin on Saturday. Misses Susie and Marion Fry visited friends in Brockville, last Friday and Saturday. Mayor O'Connor, of Gananoque, and Misses Nora and Margaret O'Connor, visited at Charles J. O'Connor's on Sunday. Mrs. Orval Hall visited friends in Elginville on Saturday and Sunday. W. Johnston, L.P.S., visited the school on Tuesday. Recent visitors: Mr. and Mrs. D. Dauby, Lyndhurst, Alexander Argue and Miss Ella Argue, Elginville, at D. Townsend's; Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, Leeds, at Mrs. Susan Seabrook's; Percy Flood and Miss Darley Flood, Delta; B. MacNamee and Miss Victoria MacNamee, Lansdowne, at Charles J. O'Connor's; Mr. and Mrs. R. Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. H. Griffin, Marble Rock, at Harry Beven's; Mr. and Mrs. D. Cross, Mooretown, at Mrs. Sara Burns'.

### WESTBROOK.

March 2.—E. Meek, president of the Board of Trade, Kingston, assisted Rev. L. M. England on Sunday last in an appeal for the Belgian Relief Fund. On Friday evening, Mrs. P. M. Grabs was removed to the Kingston General Hospital in Reid's ambulance, suffering from a severe attack of pleuro-pneumonia. The annual cheese meeting was held Thursday afternoon. Anthony Smith was appointed secretary. Carrie Morley and Burton Grass are recovering from their recent severe illness. D. Sheehan and sister, Katie, spent Sunday last with friends at Wolfe Island. Miss Lorraine Smith, Kingston, spent Sunday under the parental roof. The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the hall on Friday evening. A large number was present. Prof. McClelland, Kingston, gave an interesting description of the Birds of Canada, and C. Main, Sydenham, explained some methods of farming. N. Ames and P. Wright, were chosen judges in the lemon pie contest, and awarded Mrs. G. Kiel 1st, Mrs. J. Gates 2nd, and Mrs. J. Yeoman, Colton's Bay, 3rd. George McEwen, Odessa, has leased Miss Saunderson's house, and will soon move to the village. The continued rain of the past week has left the roads in a bad condition.

### SYDENHAM.

March 3.—The few cold days lately put the rinks in good condition for hockey. The Harrowsmith team came to Sydenham and played the junior team of Sydenham high school on Tuesday. The score was 4 to 0 in favor of the Sydenham boys. More talk is heard about the electric plant to be installed in the near future. It will provide a boon to the village, and the sooner it is in operation the better. Street lights would facilitate travelling for the older residents, especially when the pavements are covered with ice. Rev. T. F. Dowdell, preached his farewell sermon in the Anglican church last Sabbath evening. A very large congregation gathered, making it necessary to provide chairs in the aisles. He will leave in a few days for his new field of labor at Merrickville. Mrs. Shaner and children, Owen Sound, are at her brother's, Perth Lake's. Miss Edythe Roberts, Perth Road, spent the weekend in Sydenham. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sills have purchased the property recently vacated by Norman Davy. Mr. Davy will occupy his farm near Unionville. E. V. Redmond and family, Sharbot Lake, have moved into O. Clow's house. Miss Ivey Lake spent Sunday under the parental roof. Mrs. J. E. McLean spent a few days in the city, the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. Wood. Miss Mira Curran is recovering from appendicitis. Miss Alice Lake has returned from Trenton. Miss Poppowell is expected in a few days and will begin preparations for the spring millinery opening. Mrs. Gordon is much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Badcock have a young daughter. Miss K. Blacklock, Glenburnie, is attending Mrs. Gordon.

### CATARAQUI.

March 4.—Rev. L. M. England is spending a few days with friends in Knowlton. The funeral of the late Mrs. J. Curson was held on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Snider, Free Methodist minister, officiated. The deceased was one of the oldest persons in the village, being ninety-seven years of age. For a number of years she had lived with her daughter, Mrs. Criss, of this place. W. Merriman and family have moved to their new home in Latimer. Mr. Sharpe, Mount Chesney, has purchased Mr. Merriman's farm here. Arthur Clark has taken possession of his recently-purchased property in Morven. Mrs. T. Buck is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kirby. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook are in Toronto, attending the Dominion Alliance convention. Mr. Cook is also one of the speakers at the meeting of the Vegetable Growers' Association. Miss Ella Linklater is the guest of her cousin, Miss Eva Purdy. Messrs. A. and S. Baker have taken possession of J. Heaton's farm. Mr. Heaton has moved to B. Lancaster's house in the village. Rev. Mr. Perley was a visitor in the village this week. John Riley, Jr., is under the doctor's care. Aired Edwards, Erie, Pa., is visiting at B. Lancaster's. James Black, Havlock, spent a few days with his relatives here. Mr. Truscott, L.P.S., visited the school this week. Mrs. H. J. Simpson has returned from Brooklyn. Mrs. R. Irwin is in Kingston General Hospital. The Methodist Sunday School held a successful banquet last Friday evening in the Sunday school room. The rooms were very prettily decorated and over one hundred guests sat down to well-spread tables. Music, recita-

tions, speeches, etc., made up a very enjoyable evening. J. A. Duggan, Toronto, field secretary of the Dominion Alliance, delivered a fine address. During the evening, Miss Irene Merriman was presented with a dressing case by the other members of the Sunday school class to which she belonged. Miss Merriman is moving to Latimer.

## Leeds

### DULCEMAINE.

March 2.—Joshua Humphrey has a new auto. Robert Whittier, of this place, and Miss Mabel McCormack, Melcombe, were united in marriage on Saturday last. Alexander Ferguson and Janet, from here, spent the week-end with his parents here. Miss E. Patience is the guest of Miss Lena Johnston, Lansdowne. A number of young folks spent a pleasant evening at J. Ferguson's on Friday last.

### OUTLET.

March 5.—The wheeling throughout the country is fine at the present time, as the snow has nearly all disappeared. Duncan Reed is ill. Miss Laura Healy, Toledo, spent the past couple of weeks the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Nora Fodey. Mrs. E. Vandenberg is engaged nursing at Sand Bay. M. J. O'Grady, Brockville, who spent the past two weeks with his brother, Leonard, returned home on Thursday. Charles Fodey and sister, Nora, and Miss Healy spent Monday on Long Point. A great deal of ice is being cut in Charleston Lake the last couple of weeks.

### TREVELYAN.

March 3.—A number from here attended the meeting at McIntosh Mills, on Monday night concerning the proposed electric railroad to be built between Montreal and Ottawa. Frederick Shea, Brockville, spent the past week at Fred Leeder's. Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Flood spent Sunday at J. Cobey's, Caintown. Messrs. Frederick Leeder and Frederick Shea, Misses Hanna, Irene and Veronica Leeder spent Sunday at T. Ronen's, McIntosh Mills. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. B. Flood at Joseph Flood's; Miss Helena Hefferman at Fred Leeder's; Mrs. Martha Leeder at T. Flood's; Mrs. T. Flood, Mrs. A. Leeder, Mrs. R. J. Leeder at Beth Flood's; Mr. and Mrs. J. Cobey, Miss Alice Lappan, F. Leeder and Frederick Shea at R. J. Leeder's.

### DELTA.

March 3.—Mrs. M. French has returned from visiting friends in Portland. Mrs. S. H. Mott and children Toronto, are guests of Mrs. J. A. Bell. Miss V. Bell still continues quite ill. The Methodist Bible class held a social evening at the home of their teacher, R. Hanna. Mr. and Mrs. G. family have moved to Soperton. L. Pierce's Sunday School class gave an interesting programme at the Epworth League meeting on Friday last. Dr. Dunn spoke on the war, at the meeting of the Women's Institute on Saturday evening last. Mr. Fraser is quite ill. A number from here attended the anniversary tea at Phillipville on Monday evening last. Miss Mabel Whitmore is visiting friends in Athens. Miss Mary Bolton has returned from visiting friends in Iroquois.

### ELGIN.

March 4.—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Coon were at Kingston last week. B. Halliday has purchased a cheese factory near Eastons' corners. Mrs. John Smith and sons returned last week to their home at Edmonton, Alta. Mrs. John Dancy spent a few weeks with her daughter at Peterborough. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas and children are visiting the latter's parents near Madoc. Nurse Nelson received a call to Westport last week. Dr. John Dunn Almonde was a weekend guest at his old home here. J. E. Sullivan has had the interior of his store freshly painted. Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Ruthven were tendered a farewell at their home prior to their preparing for their new home at Bowmanville. By their many friends and neighbors, they were presented with a handsome rocking chair. Miss Estella Coon was honored by a novelty shower as the home of Mrs. Joel Halliday by her young friends, in honor of her coming marriage.

### SEELY'S BAY.

March 3.—Mrs. J. C. McKinley is visiting friends at Toronto the past few days. E. Person's young daughter, who broke her ankle a few days ago, while coasting down hill, is doing as well as can be expected. D. Patterson's young son died last Wednesday (Feb. 25th), after a few days illness of pneumonia, aged two years and six months. The funeral took place Friday to the Methodist church, Rev. J. A. Waddell conducting the services, after which the body was placed in the vault. J. Polk, Kingston, visited friends here over Sunday. Mrs. S. Metcalfe visited friends at Ogdensburg, N.Y., the past few days, has returned home. C. Van Voltenburg, Saskatchewan, visiting friends here the past few weeks, left last Tuesday for his home. Victoria Rhodes was sold his farm to Edward T. Moore, the purchase price being \$9,000. The Seely's Bay hockey team plays the K.C.I. team, Kingston, on Friday next. Seely's Bay and Phillipville hockey teams played the first game of the finals here last Saturday, and the result was in favor of Seely's Bay, the score being 7 to 3. The last game of the finals was played at Phillipville on Tuesday last.

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### LANSDOWNE.

March 3.—A great many real estate changes have been effected through lately, and more are in prospect. D. G. Copeland has sold his farm to J. B. Johnston, Loftus Bryan has sold his fine residence in the village to Frank Giffin, G.T.R., section foreman. W. T. Foley has sold his house to Charles Lapan, Sand Bay, and has purchased the house and store of S. H. De Wolfe. Alexander McClary has bought from George Johnston the property opposite the old G. T. R. Station, at present occupied by Frank LaTour. Peter McVeigh has purchased, from Mrs. George Mathews, the lot on which her house was burned last spring. These transactions will involve the removal of several tenants, and as vacant houses are very scarce, there will be some hustling to find abodes. Miss Ethel Tennant, is assisting for a short time, at Central Telephone office. The Home Guard is hard at work preparing for a concert. Miss May Phillips has returned from a visit to Western Ontario points. Peter Wood, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is recovering. Mrs. Margaret McPherson is visiting friends in Brockville. A number of friends of the late James Reed, Gananoque, attended his funeral on Thursday, March 4th. George F. Johnston has purchased from Miss Sarah Stevens, her fine residence on Mill street. Frederick Grother has purchased a farm east of here. J. P. Foley has purchased the Robinson farm lately occupied by Harry Hunt, who has gone on the Kinker Place, Rockport.

### ATHENS.

March 4.—On Monday evening Principal Follick gave an address at the Presbyterian Guild on "The Young Manhood of Daniel." This evening, at the home of Mrs. A. Parish, there is to be a bridal shower in honor of Miss M. Greenham, Addison, whose engagement to R. T. Ramsay, Addison, is announced. The bride-to-be is a valued member of the Baptist choir here. To-morrow evening a social evening is to be given by the members of the Women's Institute, when the council, the orchestra, and the dramatic club will be guests of honor. The public library is open every Thursday, afternoon and Saturday evenings. A consignment of new books has arrived. The W.C.T.U. medal contest takes place next Tuesday. William Yates has moved to Mrs. N. K. Bennett's house, Reid street. Nelson Earle, Smith's Falls, is returning from residing in that town to occupy his Sarah street property. James Henderson has sold his cheese factory to Mr. Wright, Greenbush, who takes possession the last of the month. James Henderson has leased the Hamilton House, corner Mill and Main streets, to Mrs. Fanny Barney, dressmaker, has leased the flat over Wilson's Restaurant. Miss Orma Mulvaugh, milliner, has returned for the spring season. T. S. Kendrick has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the Leeds and Grenville Rural Telephone Federation. Rev. Thomas Meredith, Addison, and Rev. George Edwards, ex-chapel pulpits, last Sabbath. Rev. William Usher, pastor of St. Paul's, has been in Brockville this week attending the sessions of the presbytery. Rev. F. Destry Woodcock, Brockville, conducted Lenten services in Christ Church Wednesday evening. Messrs. Wallace and Ypoulos will conduct services in the local churches next Sabbath in connection with Dominion Alliance Field Day.

### PICTON.

March 3.—An agricultural conference under the Dominion Department of Agriculture in co-operation with the Ontario Department of Agriculture will be held afternoon and evening in Picton on March 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mcaw spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. English. Mrs. J. McConeil has sold her cheese factory to Mr. Blakely, Cherry Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Collier were town visitors on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fox, made a trip to Millford on Thursday. Mrs. Edwin Mcaw, spent over Sunday in town at the home of Mrs. L. Gillespie.

### BONGARD'S.

March 2.—W. J. Bradley, a former resident of this place, but now of Chatham, has sold his farm to C. Storms, Glenora. G. Scott is ill of appendicitis. Mrs. W. L. Minkler, Cherry Valley, is visiting her brothers here. Russell Kerr and Ralph Harrison were recent guests of Allan Harrison. Mrs. Van Dusen is with her sister, Mrs. J. Shippard. Miss Ma McCormack is visiting at "The Finns." W. J. Bradley and family Chatham, have returned home after visiting his parents. G. Leavitt was at George Storms'. Mr. Miller, Glenora, is moving to his new home, recently purchased from S. A. Tobey. Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harrison, Waupos, also Miss G. Wright and brother, Sandhurst, were visitors at H. Harrison's. Oroule Hanley and wife, Fairmount, were at James Bradley's.

### Councillor Disqualified.

Brockville, Ont., March 6.—A. E. Fifton, elected councillor in the Third Ward in the last municipal election, had not the necessary property qualifications, so Judge Downey ruled and the seat was declared vacant.



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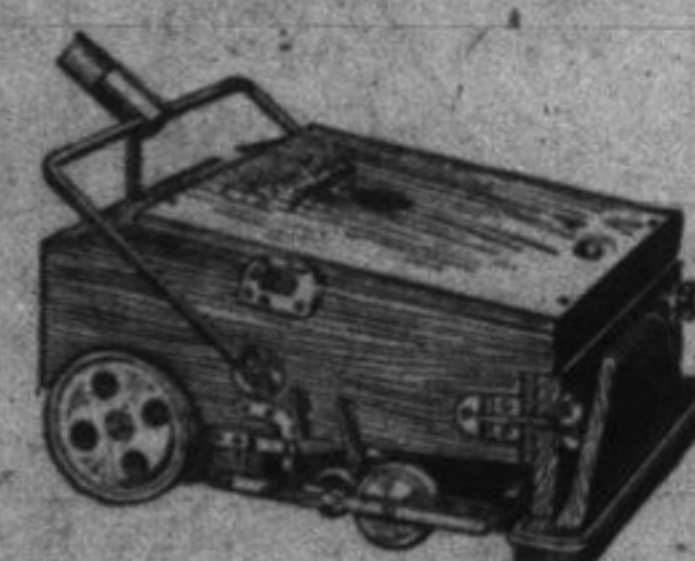
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