

FROM THE COUNTRYSIDE

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Again we remind our friends, the correspondents, that the news tax stamps are NOT necessary on any letters containing news and addressed to us. Simply fill in the flap, put a one-cent stamp on it, and let it go. Postmasters have no right to refuse these letters, though some of them have been doing so. The Whig has taken up this matter with the Post Office Inspector's Department, and they have advised us that the Postmasters in such cases have been in fault, and that they have been given further instructions. Many of our correspondents are still placing two cents on unsealed letters addressed to us, and many of our letters are being held up or sent to the Dead Letter Office. If the instructions were carefully read, these delays would not occur.

Frontenac

ARDES. April 28.—A. B. Carscallen, D.D. G.M. of the 11th Masonic District, made an official visit to St. Andrew's Lodge, Ardes, on the 27th. After the business meeting a banquet was held in the Frigate House. Toasts were drunk and music given by ladies present. A number of members of Masonic lodges in the district were present.

CROW LAKE.

April 30.—Some of the farmers are through sowing grain. The showers have improved the pastures. Mr. Blair was in this place this week to buy a farm. Hadour and Haggan have moved their saw mill to Alloups. D. L. Goodfield was in town this week. Mrs. S. French and Miss Grace Knapp made a flying trip to Westport on Tuesday. Mrs. J. Mahon is on the sick list. H. Patton spent Sunday at home. Sunday school opened last Sunday with a good attendance.

McLEAN.

April 30.—The exceptionally fine weather has enabled the farmers to make good progress with their spring work. H. Wood is moving back to his own place. Neil Kellar of Mountain Grove is taking his place on W. Backett's farm. Milford Wagner, Fifth Lake, has moved on the old J. Wagner place. J. Raycroft's sale was well attended and stock brought good prices. A. Cousin has erected a wire fence in front of his residence which much improves the appearance of the place. William Raycroft has been laid up with mumps. M. H. Field visited the school on Tuesday. No service was held on Sunday on account of quarterly service at Mountain Grove.

SUNBURY.

April 28.—Cheese factories are now running full blast, and a good quantity is daily obtained. The Presbyterian Society has a stationed minister in the village named James McBride, who has been indisposed, but again quite recovered his health. The Sabbath school in connection with the Methodist church is now largely attended by adults and children. Farmers are making fine progress with seeding, and a number say that they will about finish seeding this week. Messrs. Cole and Marshall are extensively engaged in ditching. The upper part of Queen street should at once receive a good grant from the council. It is very rough. The village shops are now doing a good trade, as very little driving to the city is now done.

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John Lyons still continues quite ill. A few from here took in the sale at McKnight's in Erinsville on Tuesday. The cheese factory opened on the 15th inst.

NORTHBROOK.

April 26.—A young son has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker. Mrs. Ira Wood is ill of pneumonia. Nelson Cassada, who has been in Manitoba for the past few years, is here, visiting relatives. Miss Ida Lessard, Flinton, was the guest of Mrs. G. Thompson on Sunday. Earl Cole, 'Olympe,' was a Sunday visitor at the Shier House. Miss Grace Wood spent the week-end at Kaldard. Miss Lilly Atkins, who has been ill for a few weeks, is recovering. Miss Julia and Cecelia Palford and Miss Luida Cassada called at W. Woods on Sunday. Mrs. Wilcox Wood spent Sunday evening at Mrs. Palford's. Messrs. Ezra Lloyd and Monte Wood were the guests of H. Vintness Sunday last. Joseph Wise passed through here Saturday with his new auto, en route to his home in Cloves. A gloom was cast over this vicinity last week when death visited the home of Mrs. Calman and took away her mother, Mrs. John Williams. The funeral was held at the home of her son, Peter Williams, and the remains were interred in the cemetery at Northbrook. Mrs. Williams was predeceased by her husband six years ago.

HIGH FALLS.

April 29.—The death occurred at High Falls on April 7th of Elias M. Hultman, aged seventy-seven years. Acute indigestion was the cause of death. Deceased was born in Camden, Addington County, forty-six years he resided at High Falls. His wife predeceased him. Surviving are three sons and two daughters: Theodore, High Falls; Herbert, Strathcona; Charles, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Michael Kenyon, Lakeside, Minn.; and Mrs. Arthur Hyder, High Falls. His religion the deceased was a Baptist and in politics a Conservative. He was a member of L.O.L. No. 996, Verona. The funeral was under Orange auspices, and was held to the Methodist church, Verona, on April 28th. Rev. Mr. Leavitt officiated. The pallbearers were S. Asseltine, A. Wells, E. Carl H. McMullen, T. H. Craig and Dr. T. S. Genge.

BATTERSEA.

April 28.—A concert was given in the Orange Hall on Tuesday, April 27th, by the Methodist church. A splendid programme was given which consisted of violin solos by Mrs. Dr. Freeman, inventory. Recitations by Miss Hockey and Miss Webster; piano duets by Miss Sands and Miss Patterson; selection on Gramophone by Thomas Hogan; vocal duets by Earl Lake and Rev. Mr. Stewart; solo by Miss Marjorie Stewart and Mr. R. Lake; choruses by choir. Quite a large number were present. The local hotels are busy preparing for the summer tourists. Miss Mae Lake is expected home this week after spending a few weeks in Kingston. William Holdce is having his house painted. Mr. and Mrs. Eby, Kingston, are moving to their new home in Battersea. Mrs. Earl Lake and Mrs. Ferguson are visiting in Kingston. Mrs. Eberol, Kingston, left for her home on Monday. Mrs. Henry Campbell, Garrying Place, is sick with pneumonia. William Holder is sick here, reached here yesterday of the death of George Sade at the Hospital in Kingston. Mr. Sade is an old respected resident of this place.

Hastings

DESERONTO. At Deseronto on March 24th, 1915 at the age of 79 years, 7 months and 14 days, Gordon D. G. Valieu passed to rest. Mr. Valieu was converted to God when a boy, and had been a consistent member of the Methodist church up until his departure. During all those years he walked with God closely and yielded to God to serve his Master. In 1859, he gave himself up to the ministry and was a great local preacher, and an instrument in God's hands of bringing many souls to seek a higher and nobler life. He conducted a great many revivals at Mount Pleasant, Selby and other places. For the past few years he had been unable to attend the church, he dearly loved an often as he would like, but he was always willing to lend a helping hand to any who needed help and to give comforting and cheering words to any in trouble. He was a man very highly appreciated and respected by all who knew him. He was a loving and affectionate husband and father. Surviving are his wife and three sons, the two eldest residing at Ganouque and Gordon at home with his mother; also two brothers William, Saulteau, and George W. Selby. One brother passed away on the 13th of March, 1915, at Oakland, California.

Lennox & Addington

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CENTREVILLE.

April 28.—The farmers in this vicinity have nearly all finished seeding and they say it is the earliest they have been through seeding in a good many years. Miss Addie Glassy has returned from Kingston General Hospital where she successfully underwent an operation for appendicitis. School has been closed lately, on account of the teacher's father, Robert McGill, being sick with mumps. Quite a severe electric storm passed over the village on Tuesday night. Miss Bra Cassidy has resumed her dress-making on Main street with Miss Finnigan, as apprentice.

LEWIS

CHARLESTON.

April 28.—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, Lambertville, N.J., arrived on Sunday. Miss Bertha Hall, Woodville, came on Monday to spend the summer at R. Foster's. A large crowd from Brockville and Prescott are at R. Foster's and are enjoying the best salmon fishing for years. J. Kelsey is having the house he recently purchased from R. Gonyer, papered and painted for the purpose of holding Sunday School and singing. Mrs. Eyre is able to be around again after a severe illness. Miss Maggie Sherry, Lyndhurst, recently visited her sister Mrs. H. Latimer. W. Crozier is having his house rebuilt.

POOLE'S RESORT.

April 28.—William Poole, Jr., has employed A. E. Jordan and Alfred Walter to paint his house and summer cottage. Edward Seneal recently purchased a horse from W. P. Saiter. Miss Edna Poole is visiting friends in Kingston. Miss Edna Wilcox is spending a few weeks with Mrs. B. E. Poole, Gainsboro. The Misses Amelia Limer and Helen moved from Brockville Saturday. Miss Elsie Wilcox spent the week-end at her home here. Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Slate, a son, on April 26th. On Saturday last Mrs. Thomas Edgeley was removed in Del Hunt's auto to Brockville Hospital, where she is undergoing treatment. The annual Sunday School meeting was held at the home of Mrs. S. D. Wilcox, Tuesday evening. Arthur Davis has engaged with Mr. Benson for the summer. R. S. Headip made a business trip through here last week.

NORTON.

April 30.—The death occurred in Kingston at the General Hospital on April 23rd of Mrs. Lewis Cheetham aged twenty years. She was born at Norton and was the widow of the late Alexander Gregg. Her maiden name was Laura Gregg. One son survives. The funeral took place on April 25th from the home of Carmichael McNeill to the Methodist church. Rev. George Altou, of Plevins, conducted the service. The remains were laid to rest in the Wesleyan cemetery. The pallbearers were six cousins of the deceased. Evoston and John Fluke, George E. Hughes, A. L. Babee, J. W. Jackson, Jr., and J. L. Ball. Among the relatives present from a distance were Miss Myrtle Gregg and Miss Violet Fluke, sister and cousin of the deceased who accompanied the remains from Kingston. Interment took place in the family plot.

LANSDOWNE.

April 29.—We regret to state that Mrs. T. A. Bradley is seriously indisposed. Mrs. Edmund Luffner and little daughter arrived here last week from the west. Master Arthur McConnell had the misfortune to get severely burned last Monday while lighting some gunpowder. Mrs. Beckstedt and Mrs. Joseph Slack were in Kingston last week attending a meeting of the Presbytery. Malory Shaw, student at Queen's spent the week-end at his mother's. We are pleased to say that he has received his degree as B.A. The Oddfellows Lodge banquet last Sunday afternoon to the Presbyterian church there. Rev. J. M. Beckstedt gave an eloquent discourse. We hear that Dr. Stevens has purchased a Ford phaeton. Harry Gurtin was a visitor here on Wednesday. Bert Letour, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Letour, won of Mr. de Nanberry, were quietly married at Ganouque by Rev. Mr. Gracey.

ZAM-BUK advertisement featuring testimonials for various ailments: BLOOD POISON, ECZEMA, PIMPLES, PILES, FIRST AID, and ULCERS. Includes a 'FREE' offer and a 'READ HOW IT CURES!' headline.

PERFECTION Oil Cookstoves advertisement. Features an illustration of a woman at a stove and text: 'THE NEW PERFECTION Oil Cookstove, for years manufactured in the United States, is now made in Canada. The Perfection Stove Company, Ltd., at Sarnia, Ont., is manufacturing these stoves for distribution by The Imperial Oil Company, Ltd., throughout the Dominion.' Includes 'Made in Canada' and 'Imperial Oil Company Limited' branding.

Zbar's Ice Cream Parlor advertisement. Text: 'Ice Cream in bulk delivered to all parts of the city. Phone 1128 or call at 280 Princess Street. Choice Fruits and Candies of all kinds.'

Live Lobsters Dominion Fish Co. advertisement. Text: '63 BROCK ST. PHONE 520.'

SOWARDS Keep Coal and Coal Keeps SOWARDS advertisement.

Time and Experience Wore a Multitude of Changes advertisement.

WE ARE PLUMBERS ORIGINALITY advertisement. Text: 'Who infuse into our work the latest, most practical thoughts of trained hands and minds. Phone 325. Residence phone 276. David Hall, 66 Brock Street.'

KINGSTON CEMENT PRODUCTS advertisement. Text: 'Can supply Cement Blocks, Sills, Lintels, Bricks, Flower Vases, Tiles, Caps, Per Blocks, etc. We also manufacture Cement Grave Vaults. Estimates given for all kinds of Cement Work. Kingston Cement Products. H. F. NORMAN, MANAGER. Office, 177 Wellington Street. Phones: Office, 730; Factory, 1204.'

NO PLACE LIKE HOME-IF YOU OWN IT advertisement. Text: 'Six room brick veneer house on the West side of city, for \$2,525 for quick sale. Six room frame house near Frontenac Park, with improvements, for \$1,525. Solid brick house on Clergy Street, with hot water furnace, all improvements, \$1,325. Frame house on a corner with good stable, containing five cars, must be sold by May 1, \$1,200. Rough cast house, six rooms, on 727 1/2 St. terms, \$1,500.'

John Lemmon advertisement. Text: 'Phone 1348. Plumber and Tinsmith. Estimates given on request. All jobbing promptly attended to. Phone 1348, or address 266 Harris street.'

Pure Marmalade advertisement. Text: 'Cross and Blackwell Citrus and Food's Is 7 lb. tin 641-5 Princess St. D. COUPER. Phone 78. Prompt Delivery. (Coast Sealed Oysters)'

Lantic Sugar advertisement. Text: 'Buy in Original Packages 2 lb. and 5 lb. Sealed Cartons. Also 10 lb., 20 lb. and 100 lb. Bags. Look for the Lantic Red Ball on each package. Lantic Sugar Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited MONTREAL, QUE. ST. JOHN, N. B.'