FROM COUNTRYIDE AND HAMLET

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GLENDOWER.

Aug. 15.—The late rain has done a lot of good in this district, as the crops were beginning to dry up. Much sickness was caused by the hot weather. The hay has been gathered in by most of the farmers. Mrs. G. Goudy preached in the Friends' church last Sunday morning. Mrs. Edward Babcock and children, Smith's Falls, are visiting friends. Biram Hoppins is at James Wilson's.

PINE SHADE.

Aug. 14.—The recent rain has modified the weather, which was welcome, indeed. The farmers are still busy cutting hay, which proves to be a bumper crop. D. Garrett spent the week-end under the parental roof. Mrs. R. White visited her mother, Mrs. Donald Ferguson, who is quite poorly. Wedding bells will ring next Wednesday at St. Paul's Church, Zealand, for one of this place's handsome young ladies. Visitors: Thomas Love, A. A. Stoddard and Jessie M. Garrett at A. A. Ferguson's.

ZEALAND.

Aug. 14.—Farmers have started cutting grain, which has ripened rather fast to yield a bumper crop. Thomas Giddings, who has been visiting his mother at Silver Lake, leaves for the West to-day. A number from here spent the 12th at Maberly. Mrs. Jane McVeigh visited her niece, Mrs. Mary E. Conboy, on Saturday. Miss E. Bishop spent Friday at H. Conboy's. Visitors: Misses Nettie Charlton, Winnifred Smith, Thorna, Yula, Lyma and Iola Sargent, Evelyn McCharles and George Scott, F. Giddings and little daughter Marjorie, R. N. McCharles, at T. Garrett's; A. C. Baldwin, A. A. Stoddard, George Cobbard, Joseph McVeigh, at John Garrett's; Miss Violet Garrett, at John Charlton's.

GLENVALE.

Aug. 14.—There was no preaching in either church on Sunday, as Rev. Mr. Codling and Rev. Mr. Parsons are away on their vacations. The Sunday school intends holding their annual picnic to Lake Ontario Park next week. Mrs. Gawley is seriously ill. A number from here went to Ottawa last week on the excursion to the Experimental Farm. Miss Ola Butterill, who visited friends near Verona for the past three weeks, has returned home Mrs James Mercer and children visited relatives on Simcoe Island for the week past. Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Glenburnie visited friends on Sunday, having motored here in their new car, Misses Dora, Thelma and Hilda Wartman were visitors here. Dr. Milton Gibson, wife and child, Lethbridge, Alberta, are visiting at R. B. Gibson's.

WESTBROOK

Aug. 15.—The heavy rain of Friday afternoon was a great benefit as gardens and pastures were fast drying up. W. L. Grass spent last week in Toronto and Oshawa. J. A. Sproule, F. J. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. F. Sproule and G. Keill and son Howard, went to Ottawa on Wednesday to visit the Experimental Farm. Cadotte's. Mrs. P. M. Grass returned to Glen Howie, Bath, is visiting at G. Howie, Bath, is visiting at G. ed on Saturday after spending some time with friends at Rossmore, Bloomfield and Northport. D. O'Conner and J. Creighton, of Hawley, were guests of D. Sheehan's on Wednesday last. Miss E. Boyd, Kingston, is the guest of Miss Loraine Smith. Miss Aileen Anderson, Kingston, spent the past week with Mrs. W. L. Grass. Mr. and Mrs. S. Allport, Sydenham, spent Sunday at G. W. Smith's.

KEELERVILLE.

Aug. 15.—The farmers have finished haying which was an abundant crop. The grain, potato and corn crops are almost a failure. Berries are scarce on account of the continued dry weather. A large number from here attended church service at Battersea Sunday evening. As it was Rev. Mr. Curry's farewell sermon (as he is going back to his own appointment at Kingston). Mr. Curry made many friends during his stay here. John Sleeth has engaged to run the Sunbury thrashing machine outfit this season. Douglas Anglin attended the excursion to Ottawa experimental farm last week. Misses Mildred and Pauline Anglin are spending their holidays at Athens and Brockville. Clifford Robb spent his holidays at Cedar Lake and Battersea. Miss Dottie Caird is engaged as clerk in C. Lake's store at Battersea.

Leeds

DULCEMAINE.

Aug. 15.—Mostly everyone has started harvesting. Matthew Steacy has been appointed trustee in place of the late Michael Happany. S. Horton has purchased a car. Mrs. William Cook is spending a few weeks in Lansdowne with her daughter, Mrs. Anderson. S. Horton has improved his residence by a coat of paint. Miss Fair is visiting in Alexandria Bay. Mrs. R. Williams is not much improved. A young daughter has come to stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Humphrey. Recent visitors: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Patience, Iowa; Mrs. Ennis and daughter, Forence, Brockville; Mr. Hogan, Kingston Mills; Mr. and Mrs. J. McCormack, Melcombe.

TREVELYAN.

Aug. 14.—The men are busy harvesting the grain. F. Leeder and G. Heffernan attended the garden party at J. Boyle's; Gananoque. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flood and children spent Sunday at R. Foster's, Charleston. T. Slack, R. Leeder and sister Agetha, Lyn, motored to R. J. Leeder's on Sunday. Clement Shea, Brockville, spent Monday with relatives here. Miss Helen Heffernan is making an extended visit with friends in Tweed. Mrs. William Gillerlain, Brockville, and daughters, Helen and Irene, and Mrs. C. McNamara, Maniton, Man., were visitors at R. J. Leeder's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Flood and children spent Sunday at Mosie Leeder's. Master Gerald and Ronald Leeder, Brockville, are spending their holidays at Michael Heffernan's. Mrs. Edmund Kelly, Montreal, called on friends here on Friday.

SAND BAY.

Aug. 14.—Rain is very much needed in this vicinity, as everything is drying up. Farmers are cutting grain and report a light crop. Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDonald and children, Brockville, Mrs. Lynch and children, Lansdowne, Frank McDonald, Melcombe, at Charles McDonald's. Miss Elna Vanorman and Miss Bertha Go, South Lake, sent a couple of days at V. Goff's. Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and Robert Watson motored to Delta on Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. A. Flood. Miss Fern Goff has returned home after visiting at A. Goff's, South Lake. Mrs. Charles McDonald, Miss Vera Ray and Donald McDonald spent Sunday at John Fodey's, Warburton. Mrs. Lawrence, from New York State, and Mrs. Foley, Athens, spent a few days with their mother, Mrs. Stennett..

PURVIS STREET

Aug. 15.—An old and highly esteemed resident of this place passed peacefully away on Thursday last in the person of John Hickey, who had been ill for some time. The funeral was conducted at Young's Mills on Saturday. Rev. Mr. McCloud, of Lyn, officiated. A large number of the friends of the deceased assembled at his home to pay the last tribute of respect to one who was held in high esteem. Deceased is survived by his wife, who was a Miss Gibson, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. George Herbison and Mr. and Mrs. James Memhart spent Sunday at Lyn, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baile, of Trevelyn, spent Sunday at Norman Baile's. Pte. William Herbison is home for a short time from Kingston. Miss Nellie Pottinger spent Sunday at her home here. Mrs. William Graham spent this week at B. B. Graham's. Miss Cassie Kirkland is spending this week at Herbison Bros.

SEELEY'S BAY.

Aug. 15.—Mr. Fawcett of Wolfe Island visited friends here last week. Mrs. C. Hartley was taken very suddenly ill with heat prostration on Monday, Aug. 7th and on Tuesday she was taken to the Kingston General Hospital in an unconscious condition. Later accounts state that she has taken a slight change for the better. George Hurlburt is laid up with a sore foot caused by stepping on a nail. Mrs. A. E. Putnam and son Howard returned to their home at Athens after a few days visit to her old home and friends here. The Misses Marion and Bernice Chapman of Toronto are visiting friends here for a few days. Miss Vada Polk of Kingston is visiting friends here for a few days. Master Edmond McAlonan is laid up with a sore foot caused by stepping on a piece of glass, cutting it very severely. Farmers are busy with haying and harvesting. The hay crop is a very heavy one and the grain is good, although there has been very little rain here the past two months.

Rev. J. A. Waddall and Mrs. Waddell are spending a few days vacation with friends at Kingston and other points.

OUTLET.

August 14.—The farmers in this vicinity have finished haying and report an abundant crop. Nelson Fodey's new barn and stables are completed. Dr. W. and Mrs. Stacey and children of New York, are at their island home here. W. G. Vanderburg has purchased the motor boat Maple Leaf and boat house from T. G. Kendrick. Mr. Kendrick has purchased a new auto. A baby boy has come to stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Grady, Greenfield. Charles Ralph, Melcombe, his sister and a number of friends, made a trip to Charleston on Sunday with Hershel Crozier in his motor boat. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Cooper and little daughter of Lansdowne, accompanied by a lady friend, spent Tuesday on the lake. Clark Slack of Tilly, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Slack. Mrs. Charles Hubbs of Indian Head, Sask., who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward and Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Vanderburg during the past week, returned to Picton on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Kelsey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Reid on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradley, Athens, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. Edward Fair and children of Athens, are visiting her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Stacey and Dr. and Mrs. Stacey at their island home.

COLE LAKE.

Aug. 14.—The much needed rains have at last reached this vicinity. Everything is looking much refreshed after their bath. Stanley Ball had a serious accident while leading a bull. The animal got the better of him, dragging him some distance and badly spraining his ankle. He is improving nicely now. Everyone is glad to know Mrs. G. Butteril is recovering from a bad fall by which she injured her back. "Tommy" Shillington, Cartier, is visiting his grand parents and other relatives here. Robert Butterill and Master Roy Butterill are visiting friends at Maberly. Mr. and Mrs. L. Harten, Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. R. McIlroy and Miss Edith Harten, Kingston, are at A. E. Harten's. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Campbell and family spent Sunday at E. Bertram's, Parham. "Willie" Judge hs secured employment in the gas works, Kingston. Biss Gladys Ball is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Ball, Wilton. The girls of this community held their annual picnic at White Lake, and had a splendid time. Mrs. Brown and Miss Edna Thompson, Toronto, also Arnold Thompson, Belleville, at W. Shillington's; B. Hawes at J. McMahon's; Miss Mamie Cochrane, Sydenham, visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. C. McKnight motored through this vicinity on Saturday last. Mrs. J. McMahon and her two grandchildren, Port Arthur, are at J. K. McMahon's; Harry Ball and Miss Jessie Ball at C. Kennedy's. The Misses McMahon spent a few days at Pleasant Valley. Master Boyd Swerbick, Sydenham, is at W. Hamilton's. A number from around here intend leaving for the West on Thursday next. Mr. and Mrs. G. Peters are at J. Gordon's, Parham; William Hamilton, Jr., at W. Wilson's; Edward Kennedy at home.

CHARLESTON.

Aug. 15.—Miss Enid Howard is the guest of Miss Mabel Jacob. Miss Berry, Gananoque, was a recent visitor in this section. Miss Hickey and Miss Greenham, Athens, were recently guests of Miss Jacob at the cottage. Miss Lewis and daughter, Brockville, are guests of Mrs. Thompson at the cottage. Miss McAndrew has come to stay with her daughters, Mrs. Webster and Mrs. Green. H. Tye and B. Slack visited friends at Sand Bay over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parish, Mrs. Patten, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Parish, and Miss McGlade, Brockville, have been spending some time at Breezy Point. C. E. Ralph, the Misses Julia and Celia Ralph, Lansdowne, Mrs. Shannahan and two grandchildren, Clifford Ralph and sister, Miss Kathleen Ralph, Lansdowne, were recent visitors at R. Foster's. Miss Mary Burns, Syracuse, arrived on Thursday to spend a couple of weeks holidays with friends here. Lieut. Scott, Barriefield Camp, was in Charleston on Sunday. Born at Brockville General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Webster, a son. L. Slack leaves this week for Boissevain, Man., to spend a couple of months with his uncle, William Plunkett. H. Donaldson was taken ill at P. F. Johnson's, where he was working, and later was removed to Athens to his sister's, Mrs. Covey's. Quite a number of young men are leaving this week for the West.

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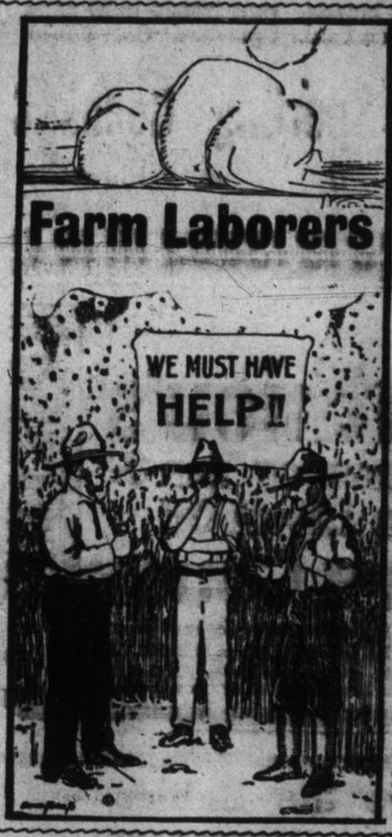

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You who are not helping your country directly are invited to take the trip West for a couple of months and not only earn three dollars a day and board but also feel that you are helping the powers to end the war successfully for our side. Any railway agent will furnish you with all the information to enable you to go to Western Canada and do your little "bit" by helping the farmers to harvest the great crop on which so much depends.

Northern Ontario Fire Relief

A Committee has been formed to receive Funds for the Relief of Sufferers

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