

**FROM THE COUNTRYSIDE**

**Frontenac**

**FALL RIVER**  
Nov. 14.—A number have been out hunting deer this season, but have met with much disappointment. Deer is very scarce in this locality. Ploughing is the order of the day. Mrs. Thomas Armstrong left Saturday to spend some time with her son, Johnston Armstrong, Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchanan spent Sunday at Shabot Lake. Archibald Gray has completed his barn at Bob's Lake. School is again re-opened with Miss Lyons as teacher. Mr. and Mrs. D. Milligan are at M. Ferguson's.

**IDA HILL.**

Nov. 14.—Most of the root crop has now been cared for and farmers are plowing. Mrs. Robert Gibson is visiting with relatives in Trenton. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop, of Saskatoon, are spending a few days with friends in this locality. W. Hanley has taken a trip across the border to spend a short time with friends in New York State. George Webb's new house is nearing completion. B. Kelly has invested in a new car. Robert Robinson, having rented his farm, intends holding a sale shortly to dispose of his stock and implements. Hunters from the city and elsewhere are shooting ducks along the canal.

**ECHO LAKE**

Nov. 12.—The threshing machine whistle is again to be heard in this vicinity. The young lads are busy hunting and the most of them have been lucky enough to get their deer. Wesley Storms of Verona and John Switzer of Lombardy were both back here for a week and were fortunate in getting their deer the first day. Service was held in the school house to-day by Mrs. Gowdy. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Vandewater, also Mr. and Mrs. Gowdy at L. Switzer's; Mrs. J. Embery at R. McCullough's; Mrs. Wesley Storms at L. Switzer's, also Mrs. J. Switzer; Mr. and Mrs. Border at H. Hick's; Miss Ella McCleod has gone to Toronto for the winter.

**WESTBROOK.**

Nov. 15.—All the young men of military age have been to Kingston for medical examination. N. Ames and J. Scott returned on Wednesday from the hunting grounds with two fine deer as a reward for their labor. Mrs. Bullis and Mrs. Kyle, of Wolfe Island, were recent visitors and Mrs. L. Hyland's, W. McEwen and family are moving from Amherst Island to their home in the village. Mrs. Kenny spent Sunday with Mrs. Mesinger at Marysville. Mr. and Mrs. George Gates were at home to a number of friends on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. S. Allpart, of Sydenham, spent Wednesday with friends here. Miss Sadie Ames, of Toronto, is spending some time at her home here. Mrs. Bankhurst and Mrs. L. Hyland spent Sunday last at Mr. and Mrs. Sharp's, Cataract. Chicken pox is quite prevalent in this vicinity.

**KEELERVILLE**

Nov. 13.—The death of Mrs. Erwin Caird, a highly esteemed resident of this place, has cast a gloom over this community. A husband and nine children mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate mother. The funeral service was held to-day in the Methodist church, Eastboro, by Rev. E. Codling. A large cortege followed the remains to her last resting place. The fine weather we are having is helping the farmers with their ploughing and getting in turnips. The threshing machine is operating here now and the grain is turning out good. Mrs. John Caird, who has been very ill, is much better to-day. William Dixon is attending jury in Kingston this week. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Andrews visited at Leland on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Anglin visited friends at Perth Road and Sydenham recently. Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Sleeth of Cedar Lake visited at Edward Sleeth's. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sleeth were at John Robb's Sunday. Isaac McLroy spent Sunday at Perth Road. Rev. E. Codling and wife made pastoral calls here yesterday.

**Leeds**

**FRANKVILLE.** Norton, North Augusta, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilford Hewitt. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pattimore spent Sunday at Morely Holmes. William Johnson has gone selling seeds for the Fisher seed firm. Oscar Mott is visiting friends in Frankville. Charles Lehgh is visiting friends in Brockville. Joseph McDonald is visiting at James Browns'. Rev. G. Comerford is away deer hunting. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barker spent Sunday at Parker Richards'.

**MALLORYTOWN**

Nov. 14.—Farmers are taking advantage of the fine weather to finish potato digging, root pulling, and rush the ploughing to completion. A number from here attended the Victory Loan demonstration and parade in Brockville on Monday evening. Mrs. Edward Cooke, Moreland, N. Y., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jordan. Dr. and Mrs. Bessie, Deseronto, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tennant before leaving for Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Dunham and two daughters, Brockville, are visiting their son, Herbert Dunham. Mrs. Sylvester Andrews is quite poorly and is under the Dr.'s care. Mrs. (Rev.) Bradford is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. Chisham, Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Higgs have returned from an extended visit to points across the river. A Malloy and Miller took car loads of stock to Mon-

real and F. Hadigan a load to Toronto this week. Miss Margaret Blair, Rockfield, spent the week-end with Miss Evalena Price. Much anxiety is felt among the Class A boys and their friends while awaiting the decision of the exemption board composed of Captain Bald, C. E. Tennant and J. Raphael. Mr. and Mrs. J. Spencer, Charleston, were Sunday guests at C. Gibson's. The local Red Cross Society last week packed forty-six boxes for the boys of this community who are doing their bit overseas. Miss Grace McAvoy and Mrs. Hollingsworth were recent guests at Malcolm Hall's, Junetown. Miss Pearl Edgley spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. Lawson, Lillie's.

**Lennox and Addington**

**EMERALD.**

Nov. 14.—The fine weather during the past week has been a great help to the farmers in their ploughing, a number of them being nearly through. The missionary collectors of the Presbyterian church are making their annual rounds. The Rideau Queen took a cargo of apples from here this morning. Mr. McEwen, cheesemaker, is moving to Westbrooke for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. John Wemp have gone to Amsterdam, N.Y., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. George Sargent and Harry Reid, of Kingston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Reid. Samuel Reid is visiting his brother, Alexander Reid. Miss Edna Fowler has gone to spend the winter with her brother, Charles Fowler. Mrs. James McKee has returned home from visiting friends.

**DENBIGH.**

Nov. 13.—Miss Alma Wienecke, who has been employed in Napanee for some time, has arrived to enjoy a few weeks' visiting with her parents at the old home. Adolph Glaser and family, who spent a couple of months visiting relatives residing near Lampman, Sask., enjoyed on their homeward journey also a week's visit with relatives at Verona, and have safely arrived home again. Eugene Mieske and his brother Leopold from near Caldwell's Station, and Lorne John, of Renfrew, are home on a visit to their parents during the hunting season. Only a couple of days more of the open season to kill deer are left, and quite a number of local and non-resident sportsmen are reported to be still short of their legal portions of venison. M. R. Reid, I.P.S., of Shabot Lake, paid one of his official visits to the public schools in this vicinity last week. A few days more will finish threshing operations in this part of the country for this year. The results have been fairly satisfactory, but most of the farmers complain that they are behind with their usual and desired amount of ploughing. The last shipment of cheese for this season, consisting of four loads, left Denbigh cheese factory this morning for Caldwell Station. Adam McLellan, of Matawatshan, was for a few days a welcome guest of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lane.

**Township Councils**

**LOUGHBORO.**

Sydenham, Nov. 5.—Council met at 2 p.m. All members present. Minutes of the last meeting adopted. Bills paid: \$35, J. J. O'Reilly, 2 sheep and 1 lamb killed by dogs; \$21, A. N. Korn, 1 sheep and 1 lamb killed by dogs; \$6, John Lindsay, 3 trips valuating sheep killed; \$3, Harvey Keller, digging 36 rods of ditch on Stronington boundary; \$2, Harvey Keller, repairing culvert on North Shore Road; \$27.25, A. Page, repairing road near A. Amey's farm; \$51.84, Sawyer & Massey Co., repairs for crusher; \$5.20, Tobias Young, bonus on 52 rods of wire fence; \$15, Barker & Newman, hauling tile and putting in culvert near William Johnston's farm; \$1, M. Green, removing tree on Gully road; \$162.91, John W. Silver, balance of supplementary grant to colonization grant on Perth Road and road beyond Maple Leaf school house. On motion, Walker-Lawrence, Thomas Dowker was appointed constable to look after the pool rooms, street driving, etc. Council adjourned to meet Saturday, Dec. 15th, at 1 p.m. for final session.

**PORTLAND.**

Verona, Nov. 5.—Present, Reeve and Councillors Storms, Thompson and Vannest. Minutes of last meeting adopted. On motion, Storms, Thompson, the proposed by-law for the sale of the road allowance opposite lot 16, con. 11, be not passed for ten days or at call of reeve. Passed: \$24, Stephen Martin, 2 sheep killed by dogs; \$35, Richard Whitty, 2 sheep killed and 1 damaged by dogs; 75c, Melville Seales, 3.5 of cord of wood for crusher; \$1, Allan Snider, bonus on 10 rods of wire fence; \$6.25, John Sagruff, opening winter road from O'Neill's Corner to Bellbrook; \$2.49, Edgar Hughes, error in assessment; \$1, Mrs. S. Watts, rebate dog tax; \$11, John Dowker, 4 days' work on Glines' Hill; \$3.75, Charles Jeffrey, 3 days man and 32 day man and team on Goslin's Hill; \$3.75, Archie Goslin, 1 1/2 days' work on Goslin's Hill; \$6.25, Alfred Smith, 25 hours' work on road; \$1.25, Hugh Hicks, 5 hours' work on road; \$1.65, E. J. Sigworth, opening winter road from Black's school to Smith's Corner. Council adjourned to meet in Harrowsmith, Monday, December 3rd, at 1 p.m., or at call of reeve.

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