

SOME UNCLE, JEFF'S GOT, YEA BO, SOME UNCLE

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MUTT USES DISCRETION WHEN HE BUYS HIS GIFT FOR JEFF

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THEY'RE LIKE BOYS AGAIN ON CHRISTMAS EVE

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OLD SANTA CLAUS MUTT HANDS OUT A LITTLE GOOD CHEER

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AT SHARBOT LAKE.

The Late Mrs. M. R. Reid—St. Andrew's Entertainment.

Sharbot Lake, Dec. 22.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Reid, wife of M. R. Reid, inspector of public schools, took place from the family residence at an early hour Saturday morning. Services were held at the house at four o'clock Friday after-

noon, and was conducted by the Rev. E. O'Brien-Mills. The late Mrs. Reid maintained throughout her long illness, her usual kind and sunny nature, which endeared her to all who knew her, and her passing is a distinct loss to the village. Interment will be made at Odessa. The annual Christmas concert given by St. Andrew's Sunday school was held Saturday evening in Buell's hall, which was appropriately decorated in the yuletide colors of green

and red. Rev. Herbert Pringle was chairman, and the very entertaining programme contributed by local talent, ably assisted by friends from Odessa, was well received by an appreciative audience. The financial part was also highly satisfactory, over forty dollars being realized, which the Sunday school is using as a nucleus for a victory bond to be presented to the Missionary Society. Miss Grace Armstrong, Sydenham, Miss Bessie Irwin, Omamee, and

Lorne LaFave, Perth, have completed their Christmas term at the High school, and are spending the holidays with their parents here. Miss Hamilton, Oso, was a week-end visitor at the rectory. Miss Amelia Antoine was summoned home from Toronto over the serious illness of her father, John Antoine. Miss Grace Kimberley spent the week-end in Fall River. Miss Josephine Guigue, who has been spending a few weeks in Elphin, has returned home.

AT CROSS LAKE.

Christmas Tree and Entertainment a Big Success.

Cross Lake, Dec. 22.—John A. Newton's new house is about completed, and it is one of the finest and most up-to-date houses in this vicinity. A Christmas tree and entertainment was held at Dead Creek school house, on the 19th. The proceeds amounted to about \$20. Much credit

is due the teacher, Miss Sills, for the part the school children took in the programme.

Miss Mollie Newton has left to visit friends at Peterboro for a few days. Edward Wilkes, is at Wm Gaylord's, Dead Creek. Roland Scott has moved to Arden for the winter. Elisha Newton, who has been sick for some time is still confined to his bed. Miss Sills, teacher, has returned to her home at Tweed, to spend the Christmas holi-

days. Fox hunting and trapping is the order of the day. J. D. Vanderwater is at Wm. Newton's. George Baker is doing a raking business with his wood saw cutting wood for the farmers. The new covered skating rink at the Driving Park, Napawan, will be opened in a few days. Two beautiful waiting rooms for skaters have been erected at a cost of \$500.