

From the Countryside

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WASHBURN'S CORNERS

March 27.—The Maple syrup crop is as yet very small and prices run at Athens for \$1.25 per gallon. Samuel Hollingsworth left for the northwest with a carload of Holstein cattle. Mrs. J. W. Richards, Harlem, was a visitor at the Corners. Edward Arnold is moving into our neighborhood.

BATH ROAD.

March 24.—Many of the farmers are buying hay. T. Watts, Wolfe Island, has purchased L. Rider's property here and is moving there. The sale of the late Robert Orser's property took place on Monday at the home of his brother, J. Orser. The many friends of Harold Cliff will be pleased to know he is home from the hospital where he has been confined for some time. J. W. Redmond has rented his farm to F. Vanliven, Harrington. The U.F.O. Club is progressing as also the U.F.W.O. fortnight social evenings continuing all winter.

McLEAN.

March 27.—Mrs. Edward Brown received the sad news on Tuesday night that her mother, Mrs. Clifton Wagar, was dead. Deceased was ill about two weeks. A few from here attended the funeral at Wagarville on Thursday. Andrew Embury has moved near Parham. Earl Storms treated a crowd from here with a maple sugar party on Friday evening. Sunday visitors: Mr. and Mrs. George Asseltine, and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Asseltine and son, Lloyd, at J. Raycraft's. Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wagar and two small children visited their daughter, Mrs. Wesley Youngs. William Reid at George Goodberry's; E. J. Embury at E. Brown's.

PLEVNA.

March 27.—The cold weather lately stopped the flow of sap. It has turned warmer again so the men will likely be pretty busy this week. Little Lucy White, only daughter of D. White, has been very ill with typhoid pneumonia, but has taken a turn for the better. Mr. Cousins is on the sick list. Mr. Ostler spent Saturday at his cottage on Brule Lake. Miss Armstrong, The Mountain, is visiting Miss Bradley, Plevna. Willie Kellar is quite ill. H. Ohlman and Miss Breen visiting her grandmother, Mrs. John Hanes. Mr. Hanes, who has not been feeling well, went to Kingston to see a doctor. John Armstrong is no doctor. The Misses Ethel Breen and Theresa Ohlman are visiting Miss Vera James. Harold Ohlman and Everton Flake took tea at John Breen's Sunday evening. Mrs. Ostler has a very sore arm. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd visiting Ira Wood.

OSO STATION.

March 28.—Much sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott in the loss of their only son, George, who died in Smith's Falls hospital on Thursday night. George Scott was a fine young man and will be much missed. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Warren spent Sunday at Joseph W. Bourk's. Mrs. John Crawford and Mrs. Joseph Warren spent Monday at Sharbot Lake. The tea and dance at E. Henderson's on Thursday was a great success. Miss Lula Conboy is visiting friends in Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McPherson and daughter, Jean, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Warren. Elsie Empodo, Ottawa, was a visitor here this week.

PITTSFERRY.

March 24.—Everyone is enjoying these nice spring days. The many friends of Edward McMaster are sorry to hear that he has been very ill for the past week, but are glad that he is slowly recovering. The ladies of the Community Aid met at the home of Mrs. B. E. Silter on Wednesday afternoon with good attendance. The Epworth League was held in the evening at the same place. The convenor for the evening was Miss Norma Orr. The topic was "God's Ownership of the Human Family." The many friends of Irwin Orr are glad to hear that he was moved from the Kingston General hospital on Wednesday afternoon to his home here. Alex. McDonald has returned home after undergoing a successful operation for appendicitis in the Kingston General hospital. The girls of the Golden Rule Class met at the home of Miss Anne Mattland on Thursday afternoon. Miss Bessie Gates entertained a few friends on Sunday afternoon and at the tea hour. Mrs. Robert Barclay entertained friends at her home on Friday evening. A baby girl has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Clarke.

BROOKSIDE.

March 23.—Quite a number of the farmers have tapped their maple trees and do not report a very good run of sap. George Husband has rented the farm owned by Everton Shangraw. Mr. Shangraw has secured a position in the grist mill at Colebrook. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and family spent Sunday at Will Lee's, Star's Corners. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wallace motored to Nanapanoe on Sunday to visit the former's father. Lyford Freeman spent a day in the city last week. Mr. and Mrs. Maine are visiting at Alfred Gelbraith's. Mr. and Mrs. F. Wallace spent Wednesday at Mr. Joyner's, Sydenham. Mrs. Roy Freeman

and baby, Bruce, has returned home after a pleasant visit in Gananoque. Harold Warner is on the sick list with the flu and is not reported to be doing very well. Mrs. William Wallace held a quilting on Thursday. Several from this vicinity attended the dance in Sydenham on St. Patrick's night and spent a very enjoyable evening. Visitors: Miss H. B. Wallace, Kingston, at F. Wallace's; Arthur McLean, Queen's University, at A. Metcalfe's; Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Mills, Wilton, at F. Wallace's; George Russell Manson, at Earl Boyce's; Mrs. George Lee, Yarker, with her daughter, Mrs. Wellie Wallace.

Prince Edward

BLOOMFIELD.

March 27.—Sugar bushes have not yielded much sap until the last few days. Jonathan Talcott underwent an operation at Picton hospital, and is progressing favorably. Stephen White suffered a stroke of paralysis last week and one side is helpless. H. Y. Cooper is making an addition to his sawmill. The largest lot of logs in the mill's history are on the ground. Harry Dunning is at Picton hospital, with a badly smashed toe. Mr. Cameron entertainer from Toronto, gave a concert here on Monday evening last, under the management of the U.F.O. The U.F.O. received a carload of salt last week. John Branscombe is clearing away the refuse from the fire, which destroyed his house recently. The buzz saw has visited most all the wood piles around here. A good many are drawing shingles from Wellington. A number from this locality contributed cattle to the Holstein Sale at Picton on Thursday. Prices were low compared to other years.

LEEDS

CHARLESTON.

March 27.—There was a good flow of sap this last few days. Mrs. R. Foster has been spending the last few days with Mrs. E. Foster, Glen Morris, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. H. Klyne, Smith's Falls, were last week visitors at H. Webster's. Mr. and Mrs. J. Rowan, Addison, spent Sunday at W. Halliday's. The assessor, George Lee, has been making his rounds. George Stevens, Jr., has moved to Soperston.

ADDISON.

March 27.—Mrs. Greenham and Miss Irene have returned home after spending a few days at Elgin, guest of Mrs. Greenham's brother, S. Grey. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Symington, Jellyby, spent Tuesday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watts. Arthur Watts accompanied by his sister, Mary and Miss Hazel Pattemores spent Sunday at Plum Hollow. Miss Edith Brown is visiting at Mallorytown. J. R. A. Leung has been repairing the Palace cheese factory which he intends to open soon. Stanley H. Watts, Bishop's Mills, spent a short time here on Saturday.

MORTON.

March 27.—Joseph Laming made a business trip to Brookville on Thursday last. J. C. Judd has returned to Toronto, after spending a few days in the village. Wellington Willis, Seeley's Bay, was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. H. G. Dean. Alexander Bruce, Clifford Baris and B. Somerville attended the funeral of their niece, the late Miss Velma Somerville, at Brookville, on Thursday last. Mrs. Bernard Hatch, Lynn, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Somerville. Clifford Baris made a business trip to Brookville recently. The Ladies' Institute met at the home of Mrs. H. G. Dean on Tuesday and made a quilt. Harry Mylks made a business trip to Kingston on Monday.

WESTPORT.

March 26.—St. Patrick's Day was festively observed in Westport by the young people of St. Edward's church, when they presented the very laughable comedy-drama "Finnegan's Fortune," in the town hall on Friday afternoon and evening. There was a large crowd at both performances, and a splendid sum was realized. During the intermission after the second act, Ford McCann rendered Irish songs in pleasing style. The play was under the direction of Stanley Crowford, who deserves much credit for its splendid success. Miss McQuiggan, Elgin, district president of West Leeds Women's Institute, addressed the March meeting of the institute and gave an excellent account of the growth of the institute of Ontario. Miss Gertrude Bradley returned to Pembroke on Saturday, after spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bradley. Kenneth Butler, Madawaska, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Butler. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Lynett attended the banquet in the Hotel Rideau on Friday, March 17th. Miss Liston, Smith's Falls, returned home on Monday.

ROCKFIELD.

March 28.—Farmers who have sugar bushes are making syrup these days and they report a good run of sap. D. Hunt and family, Kingston, motored here recently and visited at E. Herbison's. William Hollingsworth, Athens, called on friends here last week. Miss Evelyn Turnbull returned to her home in Kingston on Monday after spending the past two weeks the guest of Miss Irma Earle. Mrs. Gordon Warren and son Harry spent Saturday last in Kingston. Mrs. Hunt, Kingston was taken seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernaid Herbison last

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LANARK

FALLBROOK.

March 27.—Mrs. William Playfair and Mrs. Loug returned from Hamilton after visiting their sister, Mrs. R. Moffat, who has been critically ill. Ralph Walroth was successfully operated on in the General Hospital, Kingston, last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson and

family spent Sunday at D. McKerracher's. Arthur Brown Hanes, Lanark, is able to make his trips again by car. The Orser Mines have opened up again and it is expected in a few days they will be running full swing with a good gang of men on. They purpose putting on night gang at the Hanna Mines, and will be working nights.

The gorilla is the nearest approach to the human species of all the apes. Mount Vesuvius is the only active volcano on the continent of Europe.

Lennox & Addington

SELBY.
March 27.—The address given by Miss Turner in the Methodist church last week was very interesting. A few attended the social at Emory Hill on Tuesday night. A. C. Tumbo has bought Mrs. F. Rose's residence on Albert street. Miss Edna Gillingher spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Cassidy, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. 2.

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