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AGED COUPLE REMARRY AND ARE HAPPY AGAIN

Parted Thirty-four Years Ago Because They "Just Couldn't Agree."

Bellefonte, Ontario.

When Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fowler were married in Brighton by Rev. Andrew A. Smith, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church in that village, in the year 1899, the groom was 23 and the bride three years his junior. They were separated 12 years later, divorced about 10 years afterwards, and after a separation that lasted until June of this year, they were remarried on August 17th at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Mutton, who resides near the Shiloh church, in Cramahne township, by Rev. W. H. Clarke, the new pastor of the Hilton circuit. At the first wedding the two attendants were youthful friends of the bride and groom, while the witnesses of the second ceremony were George E. Mutton, their son-in-law, and Roy Nelson Packard, the husband of their granddaughter. Standing under a tree in the yard of the Mutton home, the aged couple, the husband, 79 and the bride 76 years old, clasped hands, and in the presence of their friends, vowed that they would be faithful to each other until separated by death. The bride and groom are spending their honeymoon at the home of their daughter, which home will continue to shelter them for the remainder of their existence. It was largely through the offices of their son-in-law, Mr. Mutton, that they were re-united.

After the first marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, they took up their residence on a rented farm in Murray township, near the home of the groom, whose parents lived in the Township of Brighton. They had the usual ups and downs of a young couple with limited resources just starting their married life. The cause of their separation seems to have been really nothing serious, simply another case of "Betty and I are out." "She had no man, he had no other woman," both were set in their opinions, and after 12 years of living together the apparently were unable to agree on any important point with one exception, and that was that they had never been intended for each other. Anyway, the husband left home and found a haven in the United States, leaving the wife to care for their daughter, now Mrs. Mutton, what at the time of his departure was only two years old.

Matter of Religion.

Mrs. Fowler was more disposed to talk of the separation and subsequent re-union than was the groom. From her childhood Mrs. Fowler had been intensely religious. Her husband was free from flagrant vices, but he was careless with regard to spiritual matters. She tried in vain to draw him into the influence of the church in which she found so much solace. Even a "protracted meeting," as a prolonged revival service was called in those days, failed to bring him into the light, although Mrs. Fowler says he was much affected by the singing of the familiar hymn, "The Dying Thief Rejoiced to See."

Eighteen years ago Mr. Fowler heard that same hymn sung by a lady evangelist at a revival meeting in Michigan, and he surrendered, marching up to the penitents' bench.

But everything in his life had changed and repentance came too late for him to make amends for his worldly mistakes. He was married again and had a son about 12 years old. His second wife died in October of last year, his son was grown up and the thoughts of the aged wanderer began to turn to the home of his youth. As Goldsmith puts it, he had "dragged at each remove a lengthening chain," but the limit of this tether had been reached. So he returned to his early environments.

Never Visited Former Wife.

During the 56 years of his residence in the United States, Mr. Fowler had made several visits to his parents and other relatives in this district, but on none of these did he meet his former wife. The latter had returned to her mother's home, taking her daughter with her, and remained there until Mr. Mutton became her son-in-law, since which time she has resided under his roof. The daughter would call on her father at the homes of his relatives when he came on brief visits to Canada. When he returned last spring he was persuaded to remain. Mr. Mutton brought him to his home, the couple met after a separation of over half a century, resolved to forget the past, and their re-marriage followed.

Mr. Fowler's second wife was a resident of Stanton, Mich., and there he met and married her. It was no very difficult matter to obtain a divorce in a county court in Michigan over 30 years ago. All that was necessary was for Mr. Fowler to establish a residence by residing two years in that State and to prove to the satisfaction of the Judge that his wife in Canada refused to live with him. "Divorce granted on the ground of desertion," is how the court record reads.

Mr. Fowler has photos of himself taken at various periods during his American career, and of his second wife and their son. These pictures show that either as a court widower or a benedict he was enjoying a generous measure of prosperity.

The aged bride and groom are active considering their years and both enjoy good health. Mrs. Fowler as a girl was noted in the district for her beauty and still retains traces of her good looks. She is of slight figure and retiring disposition, but no one could doubt for a moment that she has a will of her own, and that once her mind was made up it would be impossible to change it.

Alexander Isomette, Bellany's met with an accident when a team of horses ran away. He suffered a fracture of the right collar bone.

IN MARINE CIRCLES

Clearances on Tuesday: Winona, west at 9.45 p.m.; John J. Ramnacher, east at 5.40 p.m.; Shelton Weed, west at 11 p.m.

Clearances on Wednesday: Maplehill, east at 12.30 a.m.; Edwin F. Douglas, east at 12.45 a.m.; Shirley B. Taylor, east at 3.45 a.m.; Toronto, for Prescott this morning, returns this afternoon and clears for Charlotte and Toronto; Glenella, east.

The steamer Brockville arrived from Picton this morning with a cargo of canned goods.

The schooner Mary A. Daryaw cleared for Oswego last night to load coal.

It was expected that the steamer Pat Derris would clear for Oswego today.

Released Glenloch.

The tug Mary P. Hall and barge Mamie, of the Donnelly Wrecking Company, released the steamer Glenloch, of the Hall Coal and Towing Company, which was ashore near Waddington, N.Y., on Tuesday. The boat was loaded with pulp wood and after being released was able to proceed on her trip.

Boat Damaged.

The steamer Louis Pahlow, Oswego, N.Y., was damaged as it was leaving the Consaul-Hall coal docks, Clayton, N.Y., where it had stopped to take on coal. The boat was en route to Cleveland with a load of stone, which it had taken on from the stone quarries near Alexandria Bay. It was leaking when it reached Clayton, and as it was leaving it rammed into the dock, and knocked a hole in its side. The trip up the lake had to be abandoned and the craft was obliged to go down the river and go in dry dock. Edward J. Marshall, Clayton, N.Y., is engineer on the boat.

Barge Pentland to Be Repaired.

Work has been started on raising the Pentland, a steamship which has been sunk in the bay at Clayton, N.Y., since early spring. The boat, owned by A. R. Hinkley, was tied up in Oswego for two years, until complaints from people there made it necessary to have the boat moved. It was towed to Clayton several months ago and sunk in the upper bay. Summer residents on Bartlett Point and along the shore complained vigorously about the presence of the boat and finally the government has ordered it removed. The Isabelle H., another of the Hinkley boats, is at work on the boat, and when the water has been pumped out it will be towed to Ogdensburg, where repairs will be made and the barge put in commission to be used another season.

Purchase Adjoining Land.

The General Hospital authorities have purchased the bit of ground on King street lying east of the Partridge wire works, and adjoining Macdonald Park. The hope is that the college authorities will be able, with civic assistance, to secure the Partridge plant and throw the entire piece open for boulevard purposes. It would make a distinctive addition to Macdonald Park and contribute greatly to the beauty of the King street front.

Sunflower Record.

A new record has been established by Kingston sunflowers. J. D. McWilliams has in his garden at 91 Livingston avenue a single plant with thirty flowers on it. Mr. McWilliams' garden excels in many other lines. For instance a plot of beans is now furnishing its second crop of the season.

The home of Albert Apps, Brantford, was the scene of a pretty wedding on August 15th, when his eldest daughter, Alberta Robertson, became the bride of Harris R. Howard, B.S.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace L. Howard, Elizabethtown.

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PICTON

Picton, Sept. 2.—Miss Eva Greenlees of Kingston has been for several days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McVannell. Miss Greenlees' father was at one time principal of Picton public school.

Picton schools opened yesterday, Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Hodgins of Toronto were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davidson, Paul street. Mr. Hodgins is one of the staff of McLean's Magazine whose writings are looked for with interest

In each issue. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hodgins were born in Picton and spent their early days here, where they have many friends.

Miss Wilson has returned to her home in Galt after a visit with Miss Katharine Tobey, Mary street west. Mrs. Harry Musgrove, who has been spending the summer with her sisters, the Misses Doherty, left last week, with her little grandson, Joe O'Neil, for Toledo, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil (formerly Kathleen Musgrove), who have been making their home in Hamilton and Toronto, have removed to Toledo, where their home will be in future.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. H. Redmond and little son, Hughie, have returned to their home in Wainipeg after an extended stay in Picton, owing to the illness and death of Mr. Redmond's mother, the late Mrs. Joseph Redmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes of St. Thomas have returned home after a month spent with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holmes. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell of Kingston were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Johnson.

Mrs. Merts and Mrs. Johnson of Detroit, Mich., are visiting their brother and sister, Mr. W. J. Carter and Miss Jessie Carter.

J. K. Holland of the Baptist Church, has left for a fortnight's holidays. It is expected that when he returns he will be accompanied by his bride.

Miss Kathleen Nixon left for her home in East Orange, N.J., after spending the summer on the Bay Shore near Glenora.

Mrs. Jerome Helferty was a recent tea hostess at her home on Bridge street. She entertained in honor of her sisters, Mrs. Alexander Fraser of Edmonton and Miss Josie Shannon of Rochester, N.Y. Another guest of honor was Mrs. Harry Fullivan of Chatham.

Miss Marion Knight is receiving congratulations on her success in winning the Saxford Fleming scholarship in mathematics at the mid-summer honor matriculation examinations. The value of this scholarship is \$200. Miss Knight also won the Mowat scholarship in physics, but as no contestants can receive two scholarships, the Mowat went to the pupil with the next highest standing. These scholarships are open to the province.

Inaugural of Ben Rigg Hall. It is now proposed to have Ben Rigg hall opened on Nov. 7th, and in auspicious manner.

How can the grocer blame a fellow when the filling station man demands cash?

No wonder the earth gives a twitch at times. Think of the insects on it.

Real Estate

- \$2,500—Frame dwelling, 3 rooms, electric light, improvements, barn and large lot.
- \$2,000—Johnson street, double frame, 5 rooms each; improvements and deep lot.
- \$3,000—Detached frame, 3 rooms, electric light, 3 piece bath, stone foundations and two extra lots.
- \$3,300—Montreal Street, double brick, 7 rooms each, (central).
- \$3,600—Earl Street, semi-detached, 7 rooms, hot water heating, 2 piece bath, electric and large barn; central.
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A YOUTH IS DROWNED

While Swimming in a Little Bay on The Rideau.

Smith's Falls, Sept. 2.—William Duckworth, aged sixteen years, was drowned at Lombardy, on Monday while swimming in a little bay on the Rideau about six miles from Smith's Falls, near where he lived with Richard Covell, by whom he was also employed. The young lad, who learned to swim some time ago, had been in the water about twenty minutes, when cottagers near-by heard him shout and ran to his aid just as he was sinking. W. Yarwood and son, dived several times and brought the body to shore, where first aid was rendered, but proved of no avail. Duckworth was brought out to Smith's Falls by the Salvation Army immigration officials from England over a year ago. He is an only son of a widowed mother living in Cheshire, England. His father, a Major in the British Army, was killed overseas. One sister also survives in England.

Rural School Fairs.

This is the season of the school fairs through the county and on Wednesday morning Mr. Summers, of the Gospel O. A. C., Mr. A. W. Struff and his secretary, Miss Spooner, left to attend the show at Mountain Grove on Wednesday and that at Sharbot Lake on Thursday.



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