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## Country Correspondence

### HATCHLEY

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Messrs. N. Rush and M. Burtis were in Ottawa last week.  
Mr. Kettle, of St. Thomas, was a guest of his nephew, Mr. J. Silverthorne, last week.  
Miss Jackson, of New Durham, spent the week-end with Miss Clara Yates.  
Rev. Mr. Brown of Toronto will preach here next Sabbath.  
Messrs. Russell Mason and Lorne Courtnage have reported for military service in Brantford.  
Mr. and Mrs. Silverthorne and children spent Sunday at Burgessville.  
Mrs. Fish, of Mildale, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rez. Malcolm.

### MOUNT PLEASANT

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Dr. and Mrs. Alexander of Toronto were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Eddie one day last week. They motored up from that city.

The funeral of the late Mr. S. Suddaby took place on Monday afternoon last at the cemetery of All Saints' Church in Brantford. The deceased was turned out at the church and grave to pay their last respects to the deceased.

There was a large attendance at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon last. The Rev. Mr. Oke, Pastor of Alexandra Church, Brantford, preached. At All Saints' Church the Rev. J. H. Hosford of Burford delivered a special missionary sermon, taking his text from the Book of the Revelation. This Sunday was generally observed as missionary Sunday in all Anglican churches in the County of Brant.

### Presentation.

The Mt. Pleasant Women's Institute held a Red Cross Tea at Cliff Villa, the home of Mrs. W. T. Briggs on Tuesday afternoon last. There were about 25 ladies present. The drawing room and dining room were tastefully decorated with marquisas, tulips and lilies of the valley. The meeting opened with a piano solo by Miss Olivevine Apps, which was much appreciated. This was followed by the report of the year's work read by the Treasurer, Mrs. Cole. A pleasing feature of the afternoon was a presentation made to Mrs. Cole, who by the removal of her husband to another field of labor, is giving up her office of secretary.

As a fitting recognition of her faithful services she was presented with half a dozen pearl handled knives and folks, half a dozen sterling silver teaspoons and a pearl handled pie knife. The presentation was made by Mrs. Wm. McEwen. An address also was read by Mrs. J. Smith, which was in part, as follows:

Dear Mrs. Cole.—The ladies of the Institute felt they could not let this opportunity pass without expressing to you their thanks for the painstaking and efficient way in which you have fulfilled your duties as secretary. Your loss will be felt keenly, not only by the Institute but by the community at large. You will soon have new environments, new duties and new interests but we are sure you will not forget the many dear friends you are leaving behind in Mt. Pleasant and now as we wish to show our appreciation of your work in some tangible way we ask you to accept these gifts with the heartfelt wishes of our Institute, for your future prosperity and happiness. Signed on behalf of the committee, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Biggar, Mrs. W. McEwen.

Mrs. Cole in reply expressed her appreciation of the beautiful gifts and thanks for the same. Dainty refreshments were then served, after which the meeting was brought to a close.

The following is a brief report of the work done by the Women's Institute for the year. Total cash receipts \$381.21. From these funds \$43 was expended for prisoners' war relief, \$22.50 Belgian relief, \$25.00 Canadian British and Italian Red Cross; \$35.00 parcels to boys at the front. Cash in Bank, \$51.42 and the balance was spent for material and miscellaneous purposes. The following articles were made and sent in: Bala to Serbia, \$25.00; Xmas parcels \$55.00; Sweater coats \$13.50; quilt for Queen Mary's Hospital; 165 pairs socks. This splendid showing speaks for itself.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Chas. Guest, who has been ill for some little time is now able to get out again.

Mr. Robt. Murray is improving his property by the addition of a coat of paint.

The Mt. Pleasant creamery is doing a rushing business. The proprietors, this week furnished a hundred gallons of ice cream for a great garden party at Oakland on the 24th. The ice cream was of first quality.

## Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

### ABDUL THE DAMNED.

I stood by Abdul Hamid's grave,  
Far from the world war's storm,  
I saw the Johnny-jump-ups wave  
His sleeping form.  
By all the nations he was slain,  
On his throne; the world pronounced  
him doubly damned, and named him  
with a groan. Now all unhonored  
Abdul lies in his eternal sleep,  
and greater criminals arise,  
and he looks pretty cheap.  
He did not blush to wade in sin,  
He walked in his shame; he did  
not say, with evil grin, that others  
were to blame. He did not pierce  
a country's breast with snickersnee  
or creese, and swear he always did  
his best to keep the world at peace.  
He did not from his filthy den,  
watch babes and women shot, and  
harrow up the souls of men  
with "Red" and "Gold."  
The dripping sword, the burning brand,  
were busy 'neath his flag; but he  
did not stand to spring the kultur  
gag. I stood by Abdul Hamid's  
grave, and said, "I must admit he  
didn't plonkly behave; and failed to  
make a hit; we should not judge  
him here below, he's reached a high-  
er court; but, lined up with one king  
I know, he was a dead game sport."

### RUTH STILL LEADS AMERICAN LEAGUE

#### Red Sox Twirler Though Out of Game, Still at the Head of Column

Chicago, May 27.—Although forced out of the game because of illness "Babe" Ruth, star pitcher with Boston, still clings to the batting leadership of the American League with an average of .407, according to averages released to-day. Tris Speaker of Cleveland, who was pressing Ruth a week ago, fell into 7th place. Sisler, of St. Louis is leading in base stealing with thirteen, and Walker of Philadelphia in home runs with five.

St. Louis held onto the leadership in team batting with an average of .277, and Chicago in team fielding with .375. The averages include games of Saturday.

J. G. Smith, the Boston leading batsman, is the real leader of the National League, with an average of .406 for thirty games, although Larry Doyle, the New York veteran, tops the list with .426. Doyle, however, who is recovering from an operation, has only played in fifteen games. In his last seven games Smith collected ten hits.

George Burns, New York, is leading the base stealers with 15 to his credit. Doyle, Wickland of Boston, and Janderus of Philadelphia are tied for home run honors with two apiece. New York is leading in team batting and fielding with averages of .347 and .370 respectively.

### TEETERVILLE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Mr. Clark Jackson and family of Burford spent Sunday with his parents.  
Mr. Thomas Arthur and family of Pleasant Ridge spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Walker.  
Mr. Fred Hymans is working on the railroad at Windham.  
Mr. S. Disbrow is buying a car of cattle this week.  
John Jackson sold Mr. Charles Hagan of Brantford a Ford car.  
The farmers are busy getting in their corn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Summers of Nixon spent Sunday with Wm. Walker's parents.  
Mr. John Silverthorn has his days.  
The tile factory running full blast these days, Mr. Jackson is selling a lot of good cases. It is the right place to buy them cheap.

### CATHCART

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Mr. Jas. Stevenson is not improving as fast as his many friends would wish.  
Mrs. Jas. Read is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Myers, of Mitchell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Courtnege and Lloyd, of Northfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ausleybrook, of Burford, spent Sunday with relatives here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Francis entertained a few of their friends on Tuesday evening at Cliff Villa.

Pic. John Francis leaves this week for Brantford. John's many friends wish him good luck and a safe return.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett, of Brantford, and Mr. Van Hurns, of Scotland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chant.

Pte. Wray Carter, of Toronto, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carter.

Mr. Sol Ausleybrook is on a business trip to Manitowlin Island.

Mrs. Matley has returned home to California, after spending several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Farrington.

Mrs. Robert Thomas and daughter spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Bonney, of Tansley.

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## The cat's call is music to Ma.

### THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

By Wellington

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HUMPH!

IT STILL SOUNDS EXACTLY LIKE A CAT YOWLING TO ME!

PAY HAVE YOU NO EAR FOR MUSIC? THE IDEA OF COMPARING THAT WONDERFUL MELODY TO A CAT'S SQUALLING!

AS WELL COMPARE THE DULCET TONES OF THE PIPES OF PAN TO A STEAM CALLOUPE? OPEN THAT DOOR SO I CAN HEAR IT BLAINER!

EE-EE-EE-OW-W?

EE-EE-EE-OW-W?