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NEWBORO
MONDAY, Feb. 12.—Mr. W. Kerfoot, Smith's Falls, spent Sunday with us renewing old acquaintances.
Mr. Daniel Morse, an old-time resident of this place, who is now a prosperous farmer in the vicinity of Bay City, Mich., is at present visiting his sister, Mrs. C. McGonigal.
Our saw-mill is running at its full capacity and the influx of logs is rapidly filling the yard.
J. N. Shaw was compelled to suspend studies at Brockville Business College on account of illness. He is now at home recuperating, and we hope he will soon be able to return.
Our Junior hockey team is having an unchecked career of prosperity in vanquishing the neighboring teams as opportunity presents itself.
On Feb. 3rd, Newboro and Westport teams had an engagement in the latter town. Newboro refused to play after scoring 9 goals, on account of lack of interest. The Westport team failed to score a goal.
"Phantom Dick," with his lightning manoeuvres and masterly skill in handling the puck, won universal admiration from the spectators, as completely demoralizing the foe.
On Feb. 9th, our Juniors met and vanquished their last foe by playing the Elgin team in their own town. This contest proved to be more inspiring, as our boys claim a whitewash is too tame to come under the heading of amusement. Newboro scored 8; Elgin, 4.
Mr. Thomas Willis, one of our enterprising farmers, who lives a short distance west of this place, by way of diversion, placed a heavy trap on a fox trail, as he thought, and with considerable expectancy awaited developments. He did not have to wait very long, however, for on the following morning he found his trap was sprung, and an animal of considerable proportions greeted him with unearthly screams which caused his hair to raise. Mr. Willis smoothed down his hair, put on his cap which had fallen off, and as soon as his nerves got somewhat quieted, he forthwith despatched his game, which turned out to be a large wild cat. Mr. Willis declares that bagging wild cats with a club is very laborious as well as dangerous.

place, was through this section a few days ago looking up agents to represent his business interests in this vicinity.
Our entertaining and hustling west-end grocer, Mr. Henry McDonald, is handling trading stamps now. He was the first to introduce them in the village. Henry certainly intends keeping abreast of the times.
The Yonge Mills skating rink gets a very fair patronage from this place, judging from the sleigh loads that go there weekly.
Among our list of visitors, we noticed:—W. J. Kerr, Renfrew; H. McLaughlin, Athens; Mrs. O. L. Potter, Ivy Lee; Dr. C. Cornell, Brockville; Mr. Bismark Green and Miss Josephine Green, Oak Leaf; Mrs. Jack Derbyshire, Brockville; Rev. Daly and wife, Lyn.
Mallory's cheese factory will continue running all winter. The amount of milk received has been sufficient to defray all expenses and still have a margin for the proprietor.
W. J. Hodge gave an entertainment in the Odd Fellows hall on Wednesday evening. Mr. Hodge at one time was a resident of this locality, and the result was he drew a crowded house. His performance was good and his tricks of magic were performed very cleverly. He is also a very skillful ventriloquist.
A. H. Blackby gave the I.O.O.F. lodge of this place a visit on Wednesday evening last. Mr. Blackby is the inspector of the I.O.O.F. Relief.
Mr. Miller of Owen Sound, who has been on a very extensive visit among his relatives in this vicinity, returned to his home on Wednesday last.
A few from here were at the ball given by the Brockville asylum staff last week.
Henry Kelly, who had a very close shave from an attack of pneumonia, is, we are glad to state, in an improved condition.
James P. Mallory now represents the interests of the Deering Manfg. Co. of Chicago between Kingston and Cornwall.
There is to be another day of sports at Grenadier Island on Tuesday if the weather proves propitious. Quite a contingent of our local sports intend participating in some of the events.
Quarterly service was held in the Methodist church on Sunday morning, conducted by Rev. Mr. Visser. In the evening the regular service was changed to a song service, Mr. Vermilyea officiating.
Mr. Robert Ferguson, who represents a firm in Fergus, throughout the Ottawa district, is home for a few days.
The W. F. M. S. held their monthly meeting on Wednesday night last at the residence of the secretary, Mrs. John Kelly.
Dr. Lane received one of the much talked of Fenian Raid medals last week. The Dr. was one of the participants in the event at Prescott.
The revival services conducted by Mr. Vermilyea, an evangelist who hails from Belleville, for the past two weeks here, in the Methodist church, are to be continued for another week. A number of converts have been secured and much good work accomplished.
A serious runaway occurred on Saturday evening. Mr. James Weeks was driving into the village when his horse became unmanageable and he was thrown from the rig. Although he fortunately escaped injury, the buggy was badly demolished and the harness broken in several places. After running for a couple of miles, the horse was caught, none the worse for the mishap.

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THE LATEST WAR NEWS
London, Feb. 13.—There is no news from Natal to-day of any importance except that late advices from Ladysmith are that fresh meat is plentiful there, thirty oxen being slaughtered daily. It is also said that the Boers have over one hundred guns between the Tugela River and Ladysmith, the guns being mounted in almost impossible places.
London, Feb. 13.—Lord Roberts has gathered 35,000 men, with whom, according to the best military opinion in London, he purposes turning the left of the Magersfontein lines near Jacobsdal, entering the Free State, compelling Gen. Cronje to raise the siege of Kimberley, where the enemy is making a demonstration, and thus making his first step toward Bloemfontein.
The Boer raid in Zululand is assuming alarming proportions. Natal colonists in London declare that the natives will break away and fight the Boers on their own account, as the country where the Boers are is the best grazing land in South Africa and the Transvaalers will be able to seize vast quantities of cattle.
Frye, and Kate Gibson were guests of Miss Jessie Morris of Delta on Sunday.
Miss Maggie Frye, spent a few days with friends in Athens recently.
Two of our young men have recently taken fair partners. Mr. Wm Flood, a well known and highly respected resident of this place, was married to Miss Gardiner, an esteemed lady of Sealey's Bay, on Friday last. The young couple have gone on a visit to friends near Toronto. The community joins in wishing them all happiness and prosperity. They will reside at Sealey's Bay where Mr. Flood is engaged in cheese-making.
Mr. Fred Flood, a prosperous and energetic young cheesemaker of Sunbury and Miss Emma Earl of this place were quietly married in Athens recently. Both young people are well known and much esteemed by all who know them. Their many friends join in wishing them a happy married life.
Mr. Chas Steacy, Warburton, was a guest at the home of Mr. John Frye.
A number from here spent a pleasant evening at the home of Miss Bertie Godkin, Oak Leaf, on Wednesday evening last.

SEELEY'S BAY
SATURDAY, Feb. 10.—A Chapman's youngest child, ill with kidney disease, is not expected to recover.
Wm Foster's child, ill with an attack of pneumonia, is some better.
A cineograph entertainment held in the Select Knights' hall the past two or three days was well attended.
Sleighing has disappeared and wheels are again put in use.
Gilt Edge cheese factory had a very successful season, closing the second week in Jan. last, as the following figures show:
Pounds of milk received... 1,873,434
Pounds of cheese made... 176,884
Value per ton to patrons... \$16.75
Received from cheese sale, \$174,540.60
Paid manufacturing... \$176,884
Net proceeds to patrons... \$156,857.60
S. E. Gorsline will remove to his farm at Cushtendall in about two weeks.

CHANTRY
MONDAY, Feb. 12.—Miss Bert Chamberlain gave a party to a few of her most intimate friends on Wednesday evening last.
Miss Ella Gile is visiting her friend, Miss Gertrude Knowlton.
Mrs. Jos. Witheril of Lyndhurst has been spending the past week with her parents here.
On Friday evening about forty of the Portland young people drove out here to the home of their former townsman, Mr. Sherwood, where they spent a most enjoyable evening.
Miss Amanda Eyre is visiting friends in Delta, and Mr. and Mrs. James

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PHILLIPPSVILLE
MONDAY, Feb. 12.—The past week has been one of changes—snow, good sleighing, rain, ice, and wheeling. The wood-haulers came to a sudden stop.
Rev. J. P. Dunham and wife of Lafargeville, N. Y., are visiting Mr. D.'s sister and Mrs. D.'s brother and sister.
J. V. Philips who has been poorly for the past six weeks, is on the mend, but is not able to leave his room yet.
Wilson Chase has a number of men cutting wood and teams hauling it to his brick and tile yard.
Mrs. John Downey has been under the Doctor's care for some time, but is able to leave her room again.
Rev. J. McAlonan and wife of Delta were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phelps for a couple of days last week.
Rev. Mr. Demar of Westport exchanged pulpits with Rev. McLennan on Sabbath last and preached in the Baptist church at Phillipsville and Delta.
J. Godkin, who has been drawing wood to Chase's brickyard for some time, has got his contract filled.
Stephen Carty has hauled a lot of wood to the B. & W. Railway.
Rev. J. P. Dunham is having a lot of logs sawed at the mill.
A dance at Michael Kennedy's one night last week was well attended.
The proprietor of the Phillipsville skating rink has advertised for a carnival several times, but his dates coincided with the weekly thaws and there has consequently been no carnival.

MALLORYTOWN
MONDAY, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Thomson of Winnipeg, who has been stopping at Alex. Hewson's, has returned to her home.
Mrs. Oscar Forester, who recently returned from Kingston hospital, is improving slowly and will soon be able to go home.
A driving party from here drove to Brockville last week where they were pleasantly entertained at the residence of Mr. John Derbyshire.
Mr. W. J. Kerr of Renfrew, who owns and manages a nursery at that

SMITH
Smith are spending a few days in Brockville and Lyn.

DELTA
MONDAY, Feb. 12.—Omer Brown, the general merchant, returned home from Smith's Falls where he bought out the stock of dry goods from a firm retiring from business. The loads of stock were brought by Messrs. Knowlton and Jackson.
Rev. Dr. Williams, D.D., pastor of St. James' church, Montreal, preached a most appropriate sermon at the Methodist church. It was not well attended on account of the storm.
The Delta hockey team went to Portland on the 7th for a game. After arriving there, Portland boys were afraid to play their own men; so, to have a game, Delta gave them the privilege of picking from Newboro and Chantry teams, also allowing them to put on a young professional player of Kingston. The result was a defeat for Delta of 9 to 1. The Portland players are really afraid to return the match with Delta.
Jno Flynn of Watertown is home to visit his parents here for a few weeks.
The quarterly sacrament of the Lord's Supper was commemorated in the Methodist church. There was a good attendance.
Hauersley Hazelton has gone to Carleton Place where he has a good position. Success to him.
The hockey match between Chantry and Delta on Saturday last resulted in a draw, the score standing 2 to 2.

GREENBUSH
SATURDAY, Feb. 10.—Mrs. H. Landon of Augusta was the guest of Mrs. Connell this week.
Mrs. Compo is fast failing in health. On account of her advanced age there are poor hopes of her recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Norvall of Morrisburg have returned home after spending some time in this section.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kerr have taken a pleasure trip to Elgin this week.
Miss Lola Olds is prostrated with a severe attack of acute rheumatism, but is slowly recovering under the skillful treatment of Dr. Dunn of North Augusta.
Mr. John Gilmour of Morrisburg has been making an extensive trip through Canada and has called on many of his friends in this vicinity.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Billings of Brockville were the guests of Mrs. W. G. Olds one day this week.
Cutting and preparing wood is the order of the day, and the sound of the sawing-machine can be heard in all directions.
Our genial harness-maker, Mr. John Forsyth, is to be found in his stand ready to fill all orders in his business, not excepting the finishing of saddles for the South Africa.

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