

District Jottings

The Ontario Invites Correspondence Where Not Already Represented.

STIRLING

Miss Geraldine Conley of Toronto, is holidaying in town.

Pte. P. M. Mack, wife and daughter, are visiting under the parental roof in Springbrook. Pte. Mack has recently returned from service in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook returned from their wedding trip on Sunday.

The county road men are putting new plankings on the bridge near Mr. McKee's shop, and also intend new plankings the centre bridge, and traffic over these two bridges is suspended for the present.

Mrs. John T. Hall, president, and Miss Hume, secretary, of the Kingston Presbyterian W.M.S., are in Gananoque attending the annual meeting of the Society. Miss Hume will spend the week-end in Kingston.

R. Nell Bissonette has cut loose from his job as tractor plow for the Department of Agriculture of the Ontario Government and has come to work for the summer with Alex. Hume, Esq., Seymour Township.—Argus.

TWEED

Mr. Thomas Orr has purchased Mr. Portway's junk and ash business. We wish him every success in this new venture.

Mr. Drew, night operator at the C.P.R., is moving into the house vacated by Mrs. T. Way, next to the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. Ben Thompson is very seriously ill with slight hopes of recovery.

Mrs. Tom Way has moved to Welland, where her husband is working.

Messrs. Coulter, Kerr and Ketchison shipped hogs Tuesday, paying \$18.35.

Mrs. Logan, Mrs. Nickle, Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Bootes autored to Gananoque to attend the Presbyterian Missionary meetings on Wednesday and Thursday. They were the delegates from the local Missionary Society.

Mr. J. E. Minns, inspector of public schools, has been appointed registrar for Hastings County in connection with the new man and woman power registration that takes place on June 22nd.

McLean Grand of Toronto spent Friday to Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Grant.—News.

We are pleased to learn that the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Holt, Jr., who has been confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia, is convalescing.

Touching a 25-mile clip in our main street is going some, but our attention was drawn to a speeder on Saturday who was said to be hitting that gait. Such reckless driving should not be permitted. The motorist was a stranger in town.

Sunday night's electrical storm, which was one of the fiercest of the season, resulted in the loss of two valuable milk cows to Mr. Joseph Rashotte. The animals had taken shelter underneath a tree and were struck by lightning. We understand that the loss will amount to over two hundred dollars.—Advocate.

CAMPBELLFORD

Edward Hubble yesterday showed us a freak of nature in the shape of a chicken with four legs four wings and two tails.

Mrs. T. S. Tait and Mrs. Chas. Nancarrow left on Saturday last for an extended visit with relatives and friends in Calgary and other western points.

Mrs. J. P. Asher is in Toronto as delegate for the annual convention of the L.O.D.E.

Dr. Locks is in Hamilton this week attending the Medical War Congress and the meeting of the Provincial Board of Health.

Mrs. Wm. J. Phillips received word that her father, Mr. William Oakman, died at Moorefield. The remains will be brought to Hastings for burial.

Word has been received here that Lieut. Mills Johnston brother of Mr. W. A. Johnston, of Ottawa, was killed in action in France a few days ago.—Herald.

DESEBONTO

One hundred new cadets arrived at the two camps on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Wheelan, who spent the winter months in Wallace, Idaho, arrived home on Wednesday last to spend the summer with her parents.

Mr. W. J. Magrath, of Edmonton, Alta., was the guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lake. Mr. Magrath was on his way to Ottawa and Montreal.

Mrs. John R. Smith, Tyendinaga Reserve, laid on our desk on Saturday last a Plymouth Rock hen's egg the measurement of which was 7 1/2 by 5 inches. Have you any to equal this?

Dan Neale, Donald Dow and Harry Blakey, three of our Deseronto boys, have voluntarily enlisted their services in the Royal Canadian Engineers in the training camp at St. Johns, Que.

Lieut. Jas. Freeman, R.A.F., left on Saturday after having spent a few days last week on his last leave with his mother, Mrs. John Freeman. He leaves next week for overseas. Here's wishing "Reddy" good luck and safe return.—Post.

MARMORA

Mrs. Roy Bleeker, of San Francisco, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. C. A. Bleeker.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Harris were in Kingston where Mr. Harris attended the meeting of the Synod of the Kingston Diocese.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady returned to their home in Orillia this week after visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. T. Clement for several days.

Mr. Clifford Jones left this week for Barriefield camp, Kingston, where he will train with the overseas forces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johns and sons left this week for their new home in Western Canada where their son Charles had already spent some weeks there getting in the crop. Their many friends in this vicinity will wish them success in their new home.

Despite the wet weather, the Bazaar, which was held in the Dunlop block last Saturday under the auspices of the ladies of St. Andrew's Church, was a very gratifying success. Practically everything was disposed of and the net proceeds amounted to over \$30.—Herald.

PICTON

Mr. I. Frith Fraser is in Montreal this week on a business trip in the interests of the Fraser store.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Welbanks, after residing several years in Toronto, have returned to Picton to make their home.

Miss Jennie Monaghan, Hillier, who went overseas as V.A.D., is now on active service in a military hospital at Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, Syracuse, came to town Monday night to spend a few weeks with their Prince Edward County friends.

Theodore Perry of Marmora, a returned soldier who went overseas with the 80th Battalion, is spending a few days with Mrs. Doney Thompson.

Mrs. David Robertson and two little daughters who have been visiting at the family home "Old Grange", returned home to Campbellford on Monday.

Miss Jean Nichol has come up from Montreal to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bristol.

Miss Carrie Davis, who graduated last Thursday from the Metropolitan Hospital, New York, is expected home this week, with her mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Davis, and her grandfather, Mr. W. G. Sexsmith, who went to New York to be present at the graduation exercises.

Mr. Douglas Carter has rented the Laird cottage next to the Golf grounds for the summer and is now residing at that beautiful spot. In order to aid greater production, Mrs. Carter has planted every available inch of garden space next the cottage.

Miss Boyd organist of St. Mary Magdalene's Church left on Tuesday for a holiday at her home in Boharadson. Her sister, Miss Aileen Boyd, who has been attending Toronto University, and who this summer is helping out as a farmette near Consequo, spent the week-end in Picton.

Mr. Richard Dolan, Ameliasburg, was taken suddenly and seriously ill last week and was removed to Belleville Hospital to undergo a surgical operation. From latest reports he is on the way to recovery.

Congratulations to Mayor and Mrs. Clarke of Govan, Saskatchewan on the birth of a daughter. Mayor and Mrs. Clarke are from this county, the former being Mr. Orville Clarke, Hillier, and the latter Miss Wallbridge, Massachusetts.

A large and appreciative audience assembled in St. Andrew's Church, Tuesday night, May 21st, to hear Miss McGregor, the traveling secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church.

Miss McGregor has travelled extensively throughout the Dominion of Canada, visiting the Hospitals and School Homes of our great Northwest, as well as the educational institutions under the supervision of the W.M.S., in the Province of Quebec. She was therefore well fitted to impart knowledge and inspiration to those who had the privilege of hearing her. She placed vividly and impressively before her hearers the need and importance of the great missionary work at home and abroad pleading for more interest and loyalty on the part of the women as true soldiers of Jesus Christ. Miss Platt sang during the evening and Rev. A. V. Brown conducted the meeting.—Times.

Miss S. C. Gay and Miss Flo Witkeff motored to Madoc on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clapp of Belleville, called on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rose on Tuesday morning.

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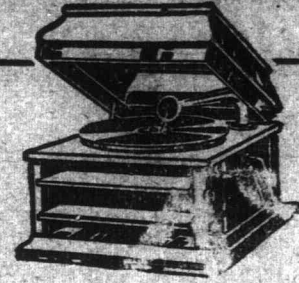
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county of Prince Edward. She was in her eighty-first year, of United Empire Loyalist descent and was the last of the members of the original Embury family so well known in connection with the early history of Methodism in Prince Edward. Her aged husband survives her, also one son, Mr. R. G. Wynn of Calgary, and Mrs. Pakenham of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Wynn resided in Norwood for the past 19 years. Previous to coming to Norwood they lived in Campbellford and Brighton for several years.

THOMAS BROWN

Thomas Brown, a well known Irish gentleman who had been afflicted with paralysis for some time, died in Thurrow on Saturday evening. He was 70 years of age.

MISS AMELIA REYNOLDS

The death occurred in Belleville on Saturday evening of Miss Amelia Reynolds, daughter of the late John W. Reynolds. She was born in the year 1839 at Bedford in Frontenac County and spent most of her life there. About eighteen months ago she removed to Trenton with her brother, Mr. W. J. Reynolds, who is connected with the British Chemical works. Ten days ago she was taken ill and was brought to Belleville for treatment. Mourning her loss are her two brothers, W. J. Reynolds of Trenton and Howard Reynolds, one of the "original struts" of the Princess Patricia Light Infantry, still in France, and two sisters, Mrs. C. N. Simmons of Sherbrooke Lake, and Mrs. E. W. Redmond of Sydenham. The funeral took place from Messrs. Tickell and Sons' morgue to Belleville Cemetery on Monday afternoon. Rev. J. N. Clarry officiating.

ELIAS C. ROSS

At his late residence, Bayside, on the 8th day of May, 1918, Elias C. Ross, aged 5 months, deceased was in excellent health for a man of his years up to within five days of his death. A stroke struck him on the right side and throat. He leaves behind him an aged companion whose sight is going also her hearing and whose step is feeble. But deceased and wife who have travelled the path of life together for fifty-three years will at the longest not be long apart. Deceased also leaves behind him an only daughter, Mrs. G. W. Lohnes, Frankford, and two sisters, Mrs. H. Badgley, fourth concession Thurrow, and Mrs. M. Sasser, St. Paul. Two sons, George and Franklin predeceased their father years ago. Deceased gave every evidence on his dying bed as well as by his life of going to "That land where we never grow old."

MRS. ALPHEUS COVERT

There passed away on Friday of last week Sophrona Darrah, beloved wife of Mr. Alpheus Covert. Mrs. Covert had been ill for some time. She was 67 years of age.

Deceased was a native of Rawdon, being a daughter of the late Samuel Darrah. She leaves to mourn their loss a sorrowing husband, four sons, George of Little Falls, N.Y., Marshall of Herchimer, N.Y., Samuel and Walter of town, also four daughters, Mrs. Robert Stephens and Mrs. John Sanders of Seymoure, Mrs. Potter of Picton, and Mrs. Gwyno of Brighton. One sister Mrs. John Hunter of town and three brothers, Samuel, William and James also survive. The late Mrs. Covert was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends.

MRS. WM. WYNN

The funeral was held at Norwood Friday of Mrs. Wm. Wynn who died on Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Pakenham in Norwood. Deceased, whose maiden name was Francis Carolina Embury, was born at Hay Bay in the

Messrs. E. E. Mallory & Son, Cobourg, have leased a property near that village for a sheep pasture. A few weeks ago sixty-one ewes were purchased from which was taken over four hundred pounds of wool. The flock has since been increased by forty-eight lambs.

Lieut. Lorne Campbell, a Bloomfield boy, son of Mr. W. J. Campbell, has been awarded the Military Cross. The following particulars are given concerning the circumstances under which Lieut. Campbell won the coveted distinction: "When all other officers had become casualties, he held the remainder of the company forward, consolidating an advanced position under the heaviest fire."

Brighton.—Mr. John Marshall's beloved wife was suddenly called away from this life on Saturday, April 27th, 1918. Mrs. Marshall was born in the County of Prince Edward in the year 1832. She was married on the 18th of September, 1855, and became the mother of two children: Lieut. Russell, of the Royal Air Force, now in England in the service of his King and country, and Mrs. Ross Macklin, of Toronto. She was an affectionate wife and a kind mother, unassuming in manner, a member in full communion in the Presbyterian church and highly respected by her acquaintances. The funeral services were held at her late home on Monday, April 29th, and were largely attended.

Residents of University Avenue, Kingston, are much disturbed because a drove of swine which passed through the avenue the night before last destroyed the beauty of the boulevards which had been fixed up at great expense and with much labor during clean-up week.

The death occurred in the Kingston General Hospital on May 30th of Shadrack Mager, aged eighty-nine, of Nepawee, after an illness of three weeks. The late Mr. Mager was a widower. The remains are being shipped today on the 1.20 train for Napanee where interment will take place in the Methodist burying ground. He was born in Hungerford, Ont.

A proposal to hold a patriotic celebration in Marmora on July 1st is meeting with hearty approval.—Marmora Herald.

Born at Stranraer, Sask., on April 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holden (formerly of Moira) a son, Harold John.

The annual meeting of the North Hastings District Women's Institute will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Springbrook, at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 11th. This will be followed by a series of meetings throughout the district which will be addressed by Mrs. W. F. Stephen, of Huntingdon, Que.

While Mr. M. E. Brisbane, who drives the Rosebush stage, was in Mr. J. F. Skitch's store yesterday about 1 p.m., his horse decided to go on alone to the post office for the mail and started off at a brisk trot. In making the turn to enter the gate on the west side, the wagon tongue struck the post or some portion of the brick wall and several

feet of the wall fell, striking the horse on the right side and throwing it down, but fortunately did not inflict any injury.—Cobourg World.

On Friday evening last the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs gathered at their former home, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Long's, and spent a very enjoyable evening with them before their departure from Marmora. After refreshments a lovely mahogany contra table was presented to them.

It was with sincere regret on Wednesday that his many friends heard of the sudden passing of Alexander Poe, Cobourg. Deceased was one of our oldest and most respected citizens, and had been around as usual the day of his death. After dinner he went upstairs and fell over, passing away before medical aid could be summoned. For a man of his years he was remarkably active, and up to a year ago held the position of town treasurer, an office he had filled with honor and credit to himself as well as being a careful custodian of the town's money. He was also secretary-treasurer of the Public School Board for about twenty-five years. Deceased was born near Greenock, Scotland, in March, 1835, coming to Canada in 1855.

Six leading coal firms have returned to sell coal to Port Hope and a couple of them referred the Council to local coal dealers. Wonder if there is a possibility of a combine.—Cobourg Star.

Cobourg.—On Tuesday morning A. Bulger, J. Devero, J. Henry, H. Russell and J. Markey were committed for trial by P. M. Boggs on a charge of taking Capt. D. Dick's car from the G.T.R. station on the morning of May 22nd. They drove to Port Hope and on the way back the car got in a rut on the road on University Avenue, swerved around and upset in the ditch. The car was damaged to the extent of \$75. Capt. Dick left the car locked at the station, but another key was found in the car. The boys, through their counsel, T. F. Hall, offered to pay the damage and wanted the case settled in the police court, but the magistrate committed them for trial. They were allowed out on bail Cobourg Star.

Mr. J. W. Crews, of Trenton, who was recently appointed registrar for Northumberland for taking a census on June 22nd, has resigned, owing to pressure of other work, and Mr. A. Humphreys, of Campbellford, has been appointed to the position.

One of the military medical examiners at Kingston is responsible for the statement that rotte is prevalent in Lindsay and district to an alarming degree; in fact, more young men were found to have got rotte from Lindsay than in any part of the military district. The prevalence of rotte is due, he claims, to the deposits of lime in the drinking water. Rotte is an enlargement of the thyroid gland on the anterior part of the neck.

It's an ill wind that doesn't blow somebody good. The prolific growth of landlolls this year, coupled with the stringent temperance legislation recently enacted, has revived dandelion wine making on a scale never before attempted. People can be seen daily gathering that well known plant of the genus Taraxacum for the purpose of making the beverage referred to.

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