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COUNTY CURRENCY.

Items of Interest from over the County.

A Weekly Digest of the County News served up to suit Readers of 'The Signal.'

Mr M. J. Flanagan, of Acheson, Kansas, is on a visit to his brother in Wingham.

Mr Henry Colbert is having a brick building erected in connection with his brewery, in Wingham, to replace the one recently burned.

Duncan McArthur has sold his farm in Morris, to Richard Bewley, for \$3,000, which is a good bargain, but Duncan has got tired of farming alone.

Mrs Young, wife of Robt Young, of the 6th con., Morris, had the misfortune to break a couple of her ribs recently, while engaged feeding calves.

A Winnipeg despatch of a few days ago says: A young man named Clegg, from Blyth, Ont., was perhaps fatally dragged by a horse at Calgary lately.

Mr John McMillan, M.P., left on Monday for the old country. He takes with him a lot of fat cattle, and expects to be gone about three months.

Mr Wm McEfat and Mr John Gillmour, Stanley, have returned from their trip to the North West. Mr McEfat has secured land in the Moosejaw district, to the extent of 960 acres.

Mr John McLeod, son of Mr Angus McLeod, of McKillop, has passed a successful examination at the Ottawa Normal School, and has been granted a second-class certificate.

Mr Jas Robb and wife, of Wheeling, West Virginia, accompanied by Miss Jessie Simpson, of London, spent a few days recently with their uncle, Mr Chas Robb, of Tuckersmith.

Mr Walter McMillan, of Kansas, with his wife and family, is now visiting at Mr Robert McMillan's, (his father) of Roxboro, McKillop. Some years ago Mr McMillan was a telegraph operator in Seaford, but has been a resident of Kansas for several years, and he has prospered there.

Mr Geo Murray, Seaford, met with another mishap Sunday evening, the 7th inst. He was seated in his stable door, when one of the men let a horse loose to go to water. As the beast was going out of the door it kicked, striking Mr Murray on the mouth and nose. Fortunately he was too near the animal to receive the full force of the blow, but his lip was cut and his nose bruised. Had he been a few inches farther away, he might have been killed.

The Fleming boys came up before Judge Toms, on Wednesday, for sentence, when Robt was committed to the Central Prison for six months, and William for nine. A petition had been presented to the Judge, asking for clemency towards the prisoners, and we are informed that the Judge deprecated strongly such a course, and he was quite right in so doing. We are informed that some of the signatures on the petition were forgeries. -New Era.

On the eve of Rev J Ferguson's departure for Londonboro the ladies of Atwood circuit presented Mrs Ferguson with an elegant hanging lamp, a beautiful easy chair and some money. This was right. Mr and Mrs Ferguson have shown themselves friendly and had many warm friends in Atwood. That they may prosper in their new home is the wish of all.

Mr Geo. Plewes, of the 2nd concession of Tuckersmith, has returned from his trip to Manitoba. He was much pleased with the country and purchased 480 acres within three miles of Moosomin station, and he now wants to sell his fine farm in Tuckersmith and his farm in Stanley also, and will remove to the Prairie Provinces and commence life anew again with his sons. Mr Donald Grassick, of Stanley, is also home, and while in the North-west invested in a half section, but we have not learned its location.

Messrs Lonis and Henry Diehl, of Varna, are home for the summer holidays. These young men passed very creditable examinations, both of them securing the scholarship prize, cash, \$50. Lonis then secured another valuable prize, consisting of 13 volumes of Church History, value \$25, also the Bishop's prize, books to the value of \$25. This prize was divided between them, there being only one mark difference. Total prizes taken by the boys, \$140, which is not bad to take these hard times.

Mr Lud. Hartt, of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co., Toronto, and youngest son of Mr C. A. Hartt, Clinton, was married to a Toronto lady, on the 1st inst.

The average attendance at Clinton Public School for the first four days of July was 394, an exceptionally large attendance. In 1888 it reached only 306 for the same time.

Messrs W. Whitley and D. Jackson, Clinton, sailed on the 'Campana,' on Wednesday, the 10th, from Goderich. They are bound for Manitoba.

Mr E. Sibban, of the Heron road, who is a good feeder, sold to Mr T. McLean a load of export cattle for which he realized a good price.

During the thunder shower on the 1st, Thos Taylor's barn, East Wawanosh, was struck by lightning. Ben Taylor, Wm Helps and another man were inside at the time but fortunately escaped unhurt.

While John Coultas, jr., was returning home from Clinton and near Blyth his horse ran away, the cause of which was the bolt coming out of the clevises. The harness was considerably broken up and the neck yoke smashed, but no other serious damage done.

Mr Ninian Moore and wife left Hul- left for their home, near Sundridge, PARRY SOUND DISTRICT, on Thursday, the 11th, going by way of the C. P. R. through Toronto. They have the well wishes of the community, and may prosper and peace be with them in their new home.

On Monday of last week, Mr W Scott, Clinton, while working with the band saw, had the misfortune to bring his hand in contact with the saw, resulting in a bad cut. He had the wound dressed by a doctor and now he is taking an enforced holiday.

The Rev T. W. Cousina, who has been laboring on the Hensall Methodist Circuit for the past year as colleague, or assistant to Rev E. A. Fear, and who received a very pressing invitation to remain a second year on the Circuit, has since been removed from there to Seaford, as assistant there. Mr Cousina, by his earnest, faithful and able preaching, coupled with his genial and social disposition, has endeared himself to the people on that circuit.

We had a call yesterday from Mr C R Commander, one of the former business men of this town, who, in the years that have intervened since his removal from town, has undergone little change, as he looks nearly as hearty and active as ever. He was accompanied by his son, Mr Sam R Commander, now one of the flourishing business men of Helena, Montana, who has been in Canada for a few days, and is visiting the scenes of his boyhood. The Americans have evidently used him well, and he speaks in the most pleasant manner of his surroundings in that western city. -New Era.

One night recently a sly-tongued, nimble-fingered and apparently respectable young man expatiated on the Market Square, on the merits and virtues of a certain soap that he had for sale. He demonstrated that it would take out grease spots from clothes and "was indispensable in every household." His talk and object lesson were so effective that he could scarcely hand out the soap, at 25 cents a cake, fast enough to satisfy the eager purchasers. His evening's sales amounted to the snug sum of \$40, and when he retired to his room he doubtless laughed at the eagerness of people willing to pay 25 cents for what cost about three. The soap was good enough for its purpose, but was simply electric soap and ammonia. -New Era.

Wingham has again suffered from a most destructive fire. About six o'clock on Friday morning, the 5th inst., the large furniture factory of Mr Thomas Bell was discovered to be on fire. The fire brigade and a number of citizens were soon at work, and for two hours they energetically fought the flames. The upper flat, which was well stored with furniture, was completely destroyed and the machinery in the next flat somewhat injured. There was a partial insurance, but the loss will be heavy. About 40 men are thrown out of employment. The fire originated in the upper flat and is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion of some of the materials used in the furnishing room. Mr Bell has in course of erection a large brick building. This, with the furniture warehouse and office, was uninjured. He had just returned the previous evening from a business trip to Manitoba, where he had procured many large orders for furniture which he will not now be able to fill. He will rebuild as soon as possible.

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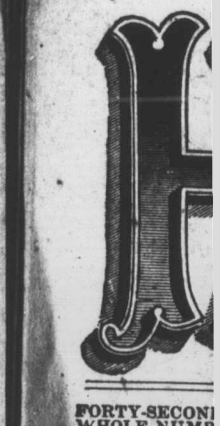
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