

News of East Lambton

Alvinston H.S. Girls in "Isle of Jewels"

A very successful musical concert was staged in the Agriculture Hall on Friday evening when the local High School girls presented the fairy operetta "The Isle of Jewels." The first part of the evening was devoted to the above production which consisted for the most part of solos sung by the different "jewels" in honor of Princess Sapphire's birthday to which all fairies were invited by the ruler of "The Isle of Jewels," King Diamond (B. Zavitz). Many fine solos were sung by Lord Topaz (Augusta Burford), Lady Onyx (Hazel Goldrick), Lady Pearl (Ruby Lusas), Princess Sapphire (Kathleen Johnston), and Prince Emerald (Irene MacAlpine). Many choruses were also sung, music for which was provided by the Strathroy High School Symphony Orchestra which won high honors at Toronto and winners of the Challenge Prov. Shield. Many numerous artists, who also won high honors, contributed to the program. The latter part of the evening was devoted entirely to the music by the above artists. The cello solo with which Don Wright won a bronze medal was most highly enjoyed as was also the violin solo played by Billie Ellison of Port Stanley, leader of the orchestra. The Public School Orchestra and choir of little girls, who, it is hoped, will compete at Toronto next year, contributed several selections to the evening's program and little Virgie Clark, of Glencoe, played a violin solo which was played at Toronto and James Barnum, who won second place as soloist in Toronto, sang a very acceptable solo. The Wright Brothers of Strathroy delighted all with their Hawaiian guitar selections. The orchestra then played the selection which won such high honors for themselves and their conductor, Professor Howard Gordon, who also trained the young ladies in the "Isle of Jewels."

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. John Chambers on Friday evening when a large percentage of the congregations of the Baptist churches of Alvinston and North Brooke gathered to bid farewell to Rev. Peter Pollock, prior to his departure for his new charge in Brantford. After the program which consisted of an instrumental duet by Misses Augusta Burford and Galdys McKellar, a vocal duet by Misses Elva and Alice Weed and solos by Hazel Goldrick and Elva Weed. Rev. Montie and Spracklin and Mr. D. H. Newcombe spoke a few words expressing the regret felt by all in Rev. Pollock's departure. Rev. Pollock was then called to the front and presented with a purse of money, his daughters with an Eversharp pencil and Mrs. Pollock received a handsome set of knives and forks. The address was read by Bruce Ross while Hazel Goldrick made the presentation.

A large number from here attended the Presbyterian Sunday School picnic at Bright's Grove on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. LeRoy and children, of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Jessie Martyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chalk and children have returned to Toronto after spending a few days at the former's home here.

Misses Ella Martyn and Mary Bindner spent the weekend in St. Thomas.

PETROLEA

Mrs. (Dr.) Mulligan and children are holidaying with Miss Mulligan in Port Huron.

The local council of women are providing a public playground at the large corner lot north of the Presbyterian church.

The death of George Kells occurred here yesterday in his 69th year. Mr. Kells, who was a retired farmer, moved to Petrolea about two years ago. He is survived by his widow. The funeral was held on Saturday.

Thomas Portsmouth, an employee of the Canadian Oil Co. Ltd., was severely burned about his head and face on Monday by a puff of flame coming from oil that had accumulated at an ash pit. Dr. Chas. Dunfield dressed the burns which will prevent Mr. Portsmouth from doing any work for three or four weeks.

The fire brigade had a hurried call to Kerr's pumping house today, when fire threatened to destroy the frame building. The fire originated from the friction of a belt, which had slipped off a wheel. One end of the building was destroyed, but the prompt action of the firemen saved the building from total destruction.

INWOOD

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of London were guests of Mrs. Albert Atkin on Friday.

Mrs. Gertrude Courtwright and Mr. and Mrs. S.S. Courtwright were in Sarnia Friday.

Mrs. Emma Buchner and daughter of Basom, N.Y., are visiting relatives in the vicinity of Inwood.

Misses Bessie and Catherine McVicar are spending their holidays with Rev. and Mrs. McVicar.

Mr. Robert Mobey of Bothwell was the guest of Mrs. A. Atkin on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McKay motored to Port Huron Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Smith, the Aluminim traveller spent Sunday in Inwood.

Mr. Russell Kimball spent Sunday at Sunnyside.

Mr. John Calhoun and sister of Sunnyside spent Sunday at Albert McCabe's.

Mrs. Elva Penfound, who has been visiting her parents returned to Toronto last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Atkin and Miss Hilda Barrett attended the summer school at Courtwright on Sunday.

J. W. Johnson and family spent Sunday at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown and daughter, Pearl, motored to Watford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Monroe were at Mt. Brydges and London on Sunday.

Mr. Albert Atkin spent Wednesday in London. Mrs. Atkin and Reta accompanied him home.

Mrs. Harry Liddon is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Crawford and Jack returned Monday night after spending their holidays at Haileybury and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. L. A. Riley motored to Sarnia on Friday.

Miss Helen Richardson is spending her holidays with her uncle, Geo. Liddon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McEachren of Alvinston called on Mrs. W. Monroe Thursday.

Mr. R. B. Warner's apple barrel pad factory opened last Tuesday employing a large number of girls.

Quite a number from Inwood are attending the summer school at Courtwright.

Mr. W. C. Richardson of London spent Friday night at R. J. Richardson's.

Born at Petrolea Hospital on Monday, July 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Riley White, a son.

We are sorry to report that Chester Bannister, while holidaying at Forest, had the misfortune to break his arm.

Mr. Adam Armstrong and daughter Margaret called at R. J. Richardson's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Elliot, Lucas and Kathleen, spent Sunday near Watford.

Mr. and Mrs. McKay motored to Port Huron Thursday.

Mr. Richardson Sr., does not gain as fast as hoped for. His daughter, Mrs. Freer of Kerwood, is caring for him.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Fergus McNally did not recover from her former attack of appendicitis and has gone to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, for further treatment.

Mr. Lewis, who has been relieving Mr. Crawford at the Royal Bank, left for Grand Valley last Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Bishop of Sarnia spent a few days at the home of Mrs. J. Bishop.

Mrs. Johnston Vance returned home from Chatham on Sunday.

Mr. Dawson Brooks, Mr. Lanning Shaw and Mrs. Alice Vance of Thamesville and Miss Vera Vance of Chatham were at Mr. Johnston Vance's on Sunday.

Mr. John McLean and two daughters from near Watford were guests at Dr. McLean's Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Craigie and little daughter left Friday for St. Marys. Mrs. Craigie is a sister of Mr. McKay of the U.F.O. store.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mains and family of Sunnyside spent Sunday at Mr. Albert McCabe's.

Mrs. Richard Dawson is visiting in Sarnia.

Mr. Duquette of Windsor is visiting his brother over the weekend.

Mrs. Joseph McClung had a friend with her over Sunday.

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PLYMPTON

Mrs. Trizisky and daughter Margaret, Detroit, are holidaying at "the Willows."

Mrs. V. McCormick and son Lorne of Marysville, Mich., spent the weekend with relatives on the London road.

Miss Myrtle Haney is confined to her home with the measles.

On Wednesday afternoon the ladies of the South Plympton W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. W.J. Williamson and quilted two quilts for the Indian School at File Hills. After the quilting there was a short business meeting with the president, Mrs. J.D. Grieve, in charge. At the close of the meeting a refreshing lunch was served.

Miss G. McGill spent the week with her cousin, Mrs. John Hodgins.

The following is the report of the promotion examinations in S.S. 8, Plympton. Jr. IV to Sr. IV—Clarence McEwen, John Hodgins. Jr. II to Sr. III—Glenn McEwen, Mary Kerton, Neil Minielly, Thelma Minielly, Harold Hodgins. Sr. II to Jr. III—Gordon Morgan. I to II—Leslie Minielly. Pr. to I—James Hart, Charles McEwen, Catherine McEwen, Marjorie Minielly, Billy Canton.—C. J. MacDougall, Teacher.

MISS CATHERINE COWAN

The death occurred Monday morning at Seaford cottage, Lake Huron shore, of Catherine Cowan, of Edmonton, aged 62 years, 2 months.

The late Miss Cowan who was a sister of John Cowan K.C. of Sarnia, was taken ill in Edmonton where she resided but was brought to Sarnia five weeks ago in the hope that she would benefit in health. Cancer was the cause of her death. The funeral was held from Seaford Cottage on Tuesday at noon to the Tunnel station. The remains were interred at Seaford where the family was raised. She is survived by three brothers, John of Sarnia, Hector of Edmonton and James of Seaford, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Habbirk of Portland, Maine, Agnes of Sarnia, and Mrs. Dora of Edmonton. One sister pre-deceased her.

DEATH OF WM. CUTHBERTSON

There passed away in Sarnia Township on June 28, in the person of Wm. Cuthbertson, a man not only beloved by all who knew him, but one whose word was taken by the whole community as his bond. Born in Lanark county, on the 18th of April, 1852, he was only two years old when his parents moved to Sarnia township to the farm, lot 1, con. 3, where he spent his lifetime. In December 1880, he married Miss Annie Beer, who was born in London but was then living in Detroit. There were born five children, four sons and one daughter, Sadie, who pre-deceased her father by 15 years.

There remains to mourn so kind a husband and father, the widow and four sons, Peter of Birmingham, Mich., Ross of Royal Oak, Mich., John on a nearby farm in Plympton Twp. and Allan at home. There are also three grandchildren. The funeral took place on Saturday, June 30, from the home to Wyoming cemetery where he was laid to rest by the side of his daughter, amid the regrets and sorrows of a wide circle of friends. The pallbearers were his four sons.

FOREST

Mrs. D. F. McIntyre, of Ravenswood, who has been laid-up with a broken hip, is now in town visiting her brother, Neil McGill, and sisters the Misses McGill.

Miss Emily Whiddett, who has been under treatment in Victoria Hospital, London, during the most of the past year, is here with her sister, Mrs. Richard Smith Albert street.

Wm. Watson, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, at Bad Axe, Mich., returned home this week, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Ida Watson, who had been with him for two weeks. Mr. Watson is recovering nicely.

A Ford car narrowly escaped destruction by fire and caused a lot of excitement on King street on Saturday evening about 9 o'clock. With the car were three young men, stranger to Forest people, and they had the tank filled with gasoline at C. King's filling station. The tank overflowed allowing the gasoline to run over the car onto the ground. As soon as the motor was started it back-fired and ignited the gasoline.

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Chicago Express, 17.....12.
Detroit Express, 83.....6.
(a) Chicago Express.....9.1

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Ontario Limited, 80.....7.4
Chicago Express, 6.....11.
Express.....2.8
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