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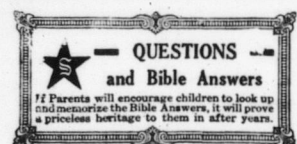
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What general exhortations did the Apostle Paul give to the church at Thessalonica?—1 Thess. 5: 14-28.

NEWBURY

Mrs. Risk and daughter Thelma, of Detroit, are visiting the former's brother, G. D. Dobbyn.

Wm. Blackhall spent a few days in Windsor, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Bancroft visited friends in Hamilton and Brantford last week.

Miss Winnifred Owens, of Leamington, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Thomas Brown and Archie Stewart, of Appin, and Thomas Johnston, of Detroit, spent the weekend at Wm. Glennie's.

A. McG. Bayne is home from Toronto for two weeks before taking his final examinations at the dental college.

Mrs. Horace Liddington and baby Frank, of Glencoe, visited her father, Ed. Woods, recently.

Friends here will be sorry to learn of an accident which befell Mrs. J. J. Whitaker at her home in Windsor recently. She was standing on a step ladder when it collapsed, throwing her in such a manner that the bone in her heel was broken.

Mrs. (Rev.) Bollingbroke was in Hamilton this week attending a W. M. S. convention for Ontario.

The W. I. will hold a sale of home-made baking on Saturday, 12th, at their rooms. A 10-cent tea will also be served from 6.30 to 7.

The Women's Institute shipped a bale of feather pillows and slips to the Strathroy hospital last week.

Reeve Holman was in London on Tuesday.

Ed. Woods has been put in charge of an extra gang of men to lay steel on the C.N.R. at Tecumseh. Among those who left for there on Tuesday were Calvin Babcock and son Harry, Wallace Degraw, Wesley Connolly and Harold Fisher.

The April meeting of the W. M. S. of Knox church was held at the home of Mrs. Stalker. There were thirteen members present. Mrs. Bollingbroke, the president, was in the chair, and Mrs. Moore led the devotional exercises. Mrs. Reycraft gave a splendid paper on "The new era in north Formosa—the great need of doctors and teachers." Mrs. Fennell gave an interesting reading from the Messenger on deaconess' work in the West. The meeting closed with prayer, and a dainty lunch was served.

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WARDSVILLE

Miss M. Aitchison spent a few days last week in London.

Miss Margaret Wilson, of Glencoe, spent the weekend with Mrs. F. Waterworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Weer, Ava and Sammy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart, of Knappdale.

Miss M. Atkinson was in Hamilton this week, where she attended the W. M. S. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sparling have moved to the farm formerly owned by Garrett McMaster, on the Henry road.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendenning, of Orion, Mich., attended the funeral of her brother, George Harold, on the 3rd inst.

Miss Jean Morrison has returned home after an extended visit in Durart.

MELBOURNE

A regular meeting of the A.Y.P.A. was held on Friday evening at the rectory. During the routine business it was decided to hold a banquet, with an outside speaker. The evening was spent very socially, and a delightful lunch was served by Mrs. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Smith and family and Margaret and Art. Harold returned to St. Thomas on Monday after attending the funeral of their father, George Harold.

The monthly meeting of the Wardsville branch of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Bert Miller on Thursday, March 29. There was a full attendance of members and three visitors. The roll call was answered by a bit of Irish wit, after which the meeting was called to order by the president. Report was made by the business committee who had interviewed the council in regard to repairs and improvement to the town hall. There was no definite arrangement made but a member of the dramatic club who was present informed the ladies that the club were willing to assist and would bear half the expense. This offer was accepted by a unanimous vote. The program consisted of a paper by Mrs. Murphy, entitled "Little Things," and a paper, "Are Girls More Refined by Nature than Boys," by Mrs. H. Waterworth. A report of the work of the W. I. at Alliston was read. They had built a public library as a memorial to their fallen heroes. Lunch was then served.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon from the Methodist church for George Harold. Rev. Mr. Bridgette and Rev. Mr. Murphy officiated. Interment was made in Wardsville cemetery.

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NORTH EKFRID

Sawing bees and making maple syrup are the leading jobs these days.

We are glad to see Geo. Chisholm around after having had the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephenson spent Sunday with Henry Pettit.

Mrs. Wm. Down, sr., spent a few days in Appin lately.

Gordon Roemmle has returned to Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Musgrave have moved to the Wm. Nichols farm, which they have rented.

George Howe has moved to the farm which he bought from George Chisholm.

The feed store was broken into recently and feed valued at about \$50 was stolen.

Henry Pettit is on the sick-list.

The Y. W. A. held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Lila Roemmle. There was a small attendance, as the roads were bad. The chair was taken by Pearl Pettit, and the topic given by Lizzie Down. The next meeting will be held at the home of Lizzie Down.

Sam. Pullman, of Inwood, is spending a few days at Henry Pettit's.

The Ladies' Aid are holding their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Hardy on Thursday afternoon of this week.

CAIRO

Syrup making is the order of the day.

Glad to say that Mrs. Jane Barron is much improved in health.

Wilfred Burdon, of London, called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Armstrong entertained the euchre club Thursday evening.

Mrs. Alex. Munroe and Ila Burr spent Thursday with Mrs. Sandy McLachlan, Alvinston.

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MELBOURNE

The Young People's Society of the Presbyterian church entertained the students of the continuation school and the Riverside friends. A fine program was given by the school, including a solo by Miss Lorino Laing. After the program, games were played, lunch served and a social time spent. This event closes the meetings which have been held on Thursday evenings for the winter.

The Mission Circle of the Methodist church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Edmund Richards. The following officers were elected:—Superintendent, Miss Mather; president, Clara Near; 3rd vice-president, Muriel Meek; 2nd vice-president, Pearl Near; recording secretary, Laura Collier; corresponding secretary, Phyllis Bees; treasurer, Blanche Hardy. The meeting was well attended and a good program given.

The concert given in the town hall by the Pastime club and minstrels was well attended.

DAVISVILLE

Sorry to hear that Mrs. Wm. June is not improving in health very fast. Much sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. James Corbett in the death of her sister, Mrs. Peter Mitchell.

Mrs. Lawrence Babcock has left for Detroit.

Jack Blackhall arrived home from Detroit on Saturday to spend a few days.

Glad to say that Mrs. Thomas Durley, who is ill, is feeling some better.

Buzzing wood is the order of the day around this district.

Miss Marion Armstrong spent last week at her home.

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MODEL CENTRE

The Heartbreakers spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Arch Leitch on Friday evening. A short program was given, after which progressive euchre was played. Lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, April 11th, at A. D. McVicar's. All members are requested to be present as the tally cards are to be handed in.

Will Eddie has returned after spending a few days in London on business.

Mrs. Dan Graham is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Doug. Munroe.

Mrs. D. R. Munroe is visiting at Ghester Thornicroft's.

Melbourne dramatic club will present "My Irish Rose" in Melbourne on Monday, April 14, and in Glencoe on Wednesday, April 16. Don't miss it.

WOODGREEN

Harold Elson left for Detroit on Saturday where he will take a position.

Mrs. D. Logan is visiting at Geo. Scrimshaw's.

Owing to the illness of Miss McIntyre, teacher, Miss Coulthard, of Strathburn, is in charge of the school.

Fred Whitfield spent the week-end in Detroit.

Elijah Lumley suffered a very severe loss on Saturday morning at 2 o'clock when his barn, two horses, six head of cattle and other contents were destroyed by fire. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

APPIN

Mr. and Mrs. Bain and family have moved to the McColl farm. We are glad to see them back to the corners again.

Will Hughes and family have moved to London.

Mr. Stevenson preached an inspiring sermon to his congregation last Sunday, taking for his text Matt. 12: 43, 44.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Reycraft spent Sunday with the latter's parents here. Mr. and Mrs. T. Howe, Gospel meetings are going on for the fifth week and will continue for an indefinite time. Mr. Stewart has been joined by T. Wilkie, from Hamilton, who is a splendid singer. The meetings are being well attended.

KILMARTIN

Burns' church, Mosa, is being renovated by the Ladies' Aid, and is now in the hands of Stoneman-Crawford Company, of Toronto. The church will be closed until the first Sunday in May, when the eightieth anniversary and the re-opening of the church will be held.

The Ladies' Aid of Burns' church will meet at the manse next Wednesday afternoon. All members are requested to be present as there is important business to be discussed.

The last literary meeting of the season will be held in No. 12 school house, Mosa, this week. A good program is being provided, including a debate, "Resolved that man will do more for money than for humanity." Affirmative speakers will be Cameron McTaggart and Dugald Clarke, and negative speakers A. D. McVicar and Emerson McVicar.

John McGregor, of Detroit, spent the week-end with friends here.

James Munroe, of Toronto, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Munroe.

The last meeting of Burns' church literary society was held on Tuesday evening of last week. A good program was given consisting of music and impromptu speeches. A presentation of a life membership certificate was made by the Women's Missionary Society to Mrs. D. N. Munroe, as a mark of appreciation of her faithful services in the church. Refreshments were served.

There was a good attendance at D. N. Munroe's clearing sale of farm stock and implements last Thursday afternoon. Good prices were realized, live stock particularly selling high, and seed oats selling as high as \$6c a bushel.

CAIRO

Mrs. Walter Knott and daughter Irene, of London, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGugan.

Miss Viola Shortt, of Aberfeldy, returned home on Wednesday after a few days' visit with her cousin, Jean McKeown.

Chester Woods, of Inwood, spent Sunday with A. D. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McKeown.

Meryl McKeown, of Windsor, is home for a week's vacation.

Mrs. M. D. Smith is visiting her mother, Mrs. Badder, in Bothwell.

Miss Beatrice Pringley, of Windsor, spent a few days at her home here.

The Cairo dramatic club presented their play, "The Hoodooed Con," to a large audience in Bothwell on Friday.

Arthur Hopkins leaves on Monday next for Leamington for the summer months.

NEWBURY

Some small fish and large fish stories are being brought in from Hagerty Creek.

Another car of cinders arrived on Saturday for our streets. Someone suggests that we change our name to Cinderville. Well, maybe. Anything but Midtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Scott have returned from an extended visit with friends in Dresden and vicinity.

Lawrence Winger and family vacated their town residence recently, going to the McBryne farm in Mosa.

The Graham Style Shop was reopened here last week with a rush of business, confirming the robins and the bluebirds that spring has surely come.

EKFRID STATION

Mrs. Wm. Switzer has returned home after spending several days in Windsor.

The hour of Sunday School has been changed to 10.30 a.m. instead of 2 p.m.

On Tuesday, April 3rd, the Eureka Community Club met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Hull, with Mrs. R. P. Eaton and Mrs. B. Cavalier assisting. The afternoon was spent in quilting, with the result that two creditable quilts were completed. After the business was disposed of, dainty refreshments were served. The meeting on May 1st will be at the home of Mrs. D. J. McLean, when the program will consist of the following:—A paper, "The necessity of having a hobby," by Mrs. R. P. Eaton; "Demonstration on fancywork," by Mrs. D. A. Campbell, and a solo by Mrs. W. G. McCallum. Drop all your trying and exacting duties of housecleaning, gardening, sewing, etc., and avail yourself of hearing this good program and also come prepared to answer your name to the roll call by telling your especial hobby.

SHEPHERD

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family have returned to the West.

Bert Elliott entertained a few friends to a card party Friday night.

Making maple syrup is the order of the day.

The Women's Institute met at Mrs. L. H. Badgley's on Wednesday.

The Shetland dramatic club put on their play at Alvinston on Thursday.

Wm. Siddall left for his home on Tuesday.

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THE COUNTRY VS. CITY PRESS

Turning from the city newspapers to the rural exchange which comes to our desk is like stepping from the slums full of vile odors into an old-fashioned garden with honeysuckle and the scent of perennial flowers. The pages of the dailies are so full of murder, thievery, immorality, the breaking up of homes by infidelity and selfishness that the better news is obscured. One puts the paper aside with a feeling of depression and heartache that the world is so full of such terrible and unhappy things.

Then picking up the papers that record the happenings of the smaller towns around us one gains renewed faith in life. Here are set forth only that which uplifts a community—the activities of the business men, the church news, the civic good accomplished by the women, school gatherings of the people, the marriages and all the thousand and one daily occurrences that make up the simple annals of the common people who are really the foundation of this broad country of ours.

Scandals are seldom published in the country newspapers, but if it so happens that decency demands it, the uglier details are omitted, or are given a kindly touch that is widely different from the unfeeling publicity of the city press. No wonder, the offenders may be neighbors, or people we have rubbed elbows with all our lives. They are real human beings, while to the great dailies they are merely grains of a sort that are merely ground out hourly in their news-mill.—Exchange.

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STRATHBURN

On Saturday four flocks of wild geese passed over Strathburn, heading west. Sign of warm weather.

Bert Cyster has bought a house and has had it moved to his place.

James Treastin's home is under quarantine for scarlet fever.

Wm. Siddall, who has been in Shetland for the past year, is visiting his parents.

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