Victoria Day At Madoc Village

Madoc, May 26.—Madoc entertained one of the largest crowds on Monday that has been here for some years. The crowd started to come in early so that by the time the procession had started to march off, the streets were crowded with people who were bent on having a good day's sport. The parade was headed by the Foxboro band and contained many curious sights. A number of the business places had floats and some of our old sports made a great hit as comic characters. After parading the main streets the procession headed for the grounds where Cooper and Bannockburn teams played football, which resulted in a win for Cooper by the score 2-0. Kennett Hill officiated as referee.

The afternoon sports started with a lacrosse match between Madoc Jr. and Marmora Jr., which proved to be a joke for Madoc as the Marmora boys were not in any kind of shape to stand the pace set by our boys.

Races and other sports were run off at the rest periods. At 3.30 p.m. Madoc and Tweed crossed sticks for the first time this season, and proved to be a hummer, as both teams were evenly matched. The score was 5-4 in Tweed's favor. The referee for the junior game was Dr. Wright of Trenton, and the senior game Percy Lancaster of Havelock. The concert in the evening was a great success. "Kranberry Korners" was put on by the Queensboro dramatic company and was well done.

A few of the visitors in town for the day were—Mr. and Mrs. E. Lattimer, Peterboro; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Wright, Trenton; J. Hill and wife of Toronto; Charles Gardiner and family of Foxboro; S. McQuigge of Blairton, Miss Hazel Reynolds, Blairton, Mrs. Bert Langfield and son, Belleville; Miss Mabel McQuigge, Blairton, T. Neil of Marmora, H. Connors and family of Marmora; Wm. Huycke of Tweed and a number from Havelock Campbellford and Frankford.

Thos. Blue has purchased a new Dodge car from Mr. S. Wellington, the local representative.

Miss G. Chapelle of Bridgewater is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Baker, Front street.

B. E. Harris has returned home after spending the past month in Chicago.

Miss L. Green of Stirling is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Kenneth Hill has been engaged to teach science in our High School next term.

Miss Cora Covert of Havelock spent the holidays with friends here.

Madoc is getting to be a busy town again, moving pictures 4 nights this week and Tom Marks' Co. first three nights of next week.

Harvey Ketcheson of Belleville was here on Monday and captured some of the prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Wills of Belleville spent the holiday with their daughter, Mrs. G. Hayes.

Says He Couldn't Please Everybody

Chief of Police Nichols has resigned at Arnprior. There was some complaint that he was not properly enforcing the law regarding loitering on the streets and he promptly issued a summons to a great many persons, old and young, for standing on the corners and sitting on window sills. The cases came up on Saturday, and it was found that the window sills, being on private property, could not be covered by bylaw and no action could be taken. As a great deal of feeling has been stirred up over the matter, the Chief resigned, and will take a position in Ottawa.

Canadian Organist Has Been Invited

A Canadian organist, Mr. Albert D. Jordan of London, has had the honor of an invitation to play several recitals at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and leaves next week for San Francisco. Mr. Jordan, who has won distinction by his masterly playing, received his training under Dr. F. H. Torrington, and claims the Toronto College of Music as his alma mater. He now occupies the position of organist and choir director of the First Methodist Church, London, Ontario. On his return from the coast Mr. Jordan will conduct the examinations of the Toronto College of Music in western Canada, and will also give organ recitals in several of the principal cities en route.—Toronto Globe.

Mr. Jordan was the architect of the organ in Bridge street church, Belleville.

Is Major Bolster a Prisoner of War?

Yesterday the wife of Major Herbert G. Bolster received a letter from Major Wm. Beattie, chaplain of the 1st Brigade, 1st Canadian Contingent, informing her that the cablegram he had previously sent her stating that Major Bolster had been killed, was incorrect. Major Beattie states he was told by a Major and a Colonel that Major Bolster was killed, but he has since learned that while he had been wounded he has not since been heard from, and is missing.

Another letter sent by Pte. Smith of the machine gun section, says:

Dear Madame,—Just a few lines about your dear husband. I was asked to drop you a few lines by Major Elliott, as I am in the hospital myself from the poison the Germans are sending at us. I was one of the last that saw him and he was alive, only he had blood on his face, but it was not of much account for he knew his mind as well as if nothing had happened, for he was telling his men to retire. I now think he is still alive but a prisoner of war, as I hope he is, instead of dead. If he is alive and a prisoner you will hear from him shortly. You do not know how we miss him, for he was a brave man and kept courage to his men and our machine gun section.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Delightful Evening by Christ Church Choir

A musical program that may be placed on a par with any produced by local talent in Belleville this season, was given by Christ Church choir in the parish hall last evening before a fair-sized audience, who expressed their delight by repeatedly encoring the artists.

The choir, under the able direction of Miss Eva LaVoie, gave several fine selections, notably the rendition of "Sweet and Low" and the final number "Sir Knight, Sir Knight." Two mandolin duos by Miss E. LaVoie and Messrs. L. Carr and A. LaVoie were well received, as was Miss Edna Wallace's piano selection "Mazurka."

The vocal duet "Night of Stars" by Misses Maysel Stork and Eva LaVoie was a notable number.

Miss Jessie Tuite gave a reading from "The Spinner in the Sun" in her own inimitable manner.

Solos by Mrs. A. P. Allen, Miss Anna Ponton, Mrs. Chas. Wilmot, Mr. R. J. F. Staples and Mr. Dan A. Cameron helped to make an evening of pure delight to a lover of music.

The accompanists of the evening were Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Laura LaVoie and Mr. Dan A. Cameron.

Interesting Letter From B. C. Donnan

The following letter was received by Mr. Thos. Montgomery, Reeve of Rawdon, from Pte. B. C. Donnan of the 49th Regiment.

France, May 6th, 1915

Mr. Thos. Montgomery,
Stirling, Ontario, Can.,

Dear Folks,—Received your parcel of cigarettes, socks, etc., last night. It was a great treat after coming out of the scrap. I suppose you have heard the details of it long ago, how the Canadians saved the situation and held them back even though the odds were over five to one. Our battalion was badly cut up and has, I am told, a heavier casualty list than any other Canadian regiment.

The signallers had their work cut out for them. The 2nd battalion signallers seemed to be the only signallers in the brigade on the job. We had the wires working up to the last minute, although our line for half a mile was swept by machine gun fire and shells. The lines were patrolled all the time. I had the job of laying the line in the first place, and believe me it was rather warm especially when I ran out of wire in the very center of the danger area. I had to lie down and pull in enough dead wire from an old line, but I am glad to say I came through without a scratch.

Every Canadian there showed the stuff he was made of. Time after time they threw back the hordes that dashed out to regain the trench although they were but the remnants of a battalion which the night before had been above strength.

Well I could write all day of the deeds of our boys, and I hope I will sometime in the near future be able to tell you all about it. Write soon.

As ever your loving nephew,
7958 B. C. Donnan.

Mothers of Little Ones.

No mother of young children should be without a box of Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are mothers best friend and are as good as a doctor in the house. Concerning them Mrs. F. Wunger, Ingersoll, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past eight years and would not be without them. I can highly recommend them to all mothers of young children." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Souvenir of Visit to Canada

Mr. H. R. Charlton, the General Advertising Agent of the Grand Trunk Trunk System, received today an interesting souvenir of a visit paid to Canada by a party of prominent British Journalists.

Among the newspaper men was Mr. T. Moles, of the "Belfast Telegraph," Belfast, Ireland. Mr. Moles has now sent to Montreal for Mr. Charlton's use a splendid specimen of the genuine Irish shillelagh, some two feet in length and decorated with the shamrock emblem. The shillelagh attracted a great deal of attention on its arrival at Grand Trunk headquarters. In sending it Mr. Moles wrote—"The real shillelagh is a little difficult to get now, the Americans having scooped such as are easily available. This particular one was grown at the foot of Slemish mountain, upon which, as you may know, St. Patrick, the "patron saint" of this country often herded sheep. In case you may find it necessary to lay somebody out, a wallop with this will be almost equivalent to having him die in the odour of sanctity."

Like a Grip at the Throat. For a disease that is not classed as fatal there is probably none which causes more terrible suffering than asthma. Sleep is impossible, the sufferer becomes exhausted and finally, though the attack passes, is left in unceasing dread of its return. Dr. J. D. Kellog's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful curative agent. It immediately relieves the restricted air passages as thousands can testify. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

WOMEN CAN HARDLY BELIEVE

How Mrs. Hurley Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Eldon, Mo. — "I was troubled with displacement, inflammation and female weakness. For two years I could not stand on my feet long at a time and I could not walk two blocks without enduring cutting and drawing pains down my right side which increased every month. I have been at that time purple in the face and would walk the floor. I could not lie down or sit still sometimes for a day and a night at a time. I was nervous, and had very little appetite, no ambition, melancholy, and often felt as though I had not a friend in the world. After I had tried most every female remedy without success, my mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and gained in strength every day. I have now no trouble in any way and highly praise your medicine. It advertises itself."—Mrs. S. T. HURLEY, Eldon, Missouri.

Remember, the remedy which did this was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For sale everywhere.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration, after all other means have failed. Why don't you try it? Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Mumps Prevalent in Deseronto

An epidemic of mumps is prevalent in town at present. It is quite a common sight to see children with their heads tied up walking the streets. The principal of the Public School informs us that nearly one-third of the pupils of the Public School are absent on account of either having the mumps themselves, or some member of the family afflicted with them. Why they should be allowed to parade the streets and not be allowed to attend school is a question that would be quite hard to answer.—Post.

A Great Cow.

Mr. G. A. Brethen of Norwood may be the owner of the champion cow of the world.

His wonderful Holstein cow, Ranwerd, has now completed her seventh month in R.O.P. and A.R.O. yearly work and has well over 19,000 lbs. in that period. In her sixth month, March, she had 2,735.7 lbs. which perhaps is the best ever reported in either American or Canadian records for this period after freshening. She looks and feels fine, and enjoys her work as thoroughly as her owner.

Killed at C.N.R. Crossing

A sad fatality occured at Colborne about 7.30 on Tuesday morning when John Roney, a well-known resident of this section was instantly killed.

It appears that Mr. Roney had taken his son-in-law, Mr. A. Houlding, to the G.T.R. station, and was returning home when he collided with a west bound passenger train on the Canadian Northern Railway. Mr. Roney was seen driving along quietly and apparently did not hearr the train, as he made no effort to stop his team. The engine and tender had crossed the street, but the horses kept right on until they reached the train. There was a small opening between the railroad and the fence through which the team pushed and escaped apparently uninjured. The wagon struck the side of the train and was hurled down the embankment west of the street. When the collision occurred Mr. Roney was thrown some distance down the embankment and received fatal injuries about the head and limbs.

Medical aid was quickly summoned but life was extinct when help arrived. Coroner, Dr. E. E. Latta, had the body removed to the Undertaking Rooms of G. M. Peebles where an inquest was held at four o'clock in the afternoon.—Colborne Enterprise.

Submarine at Deseronto

On May 24th it was thought by some of our people, that a submarine had appeared in the Bay of Quinte. Along about 11 o'clock in the morning a boat was seen manoeuvring around the gas buoy near the Island, and continued there for some hours. About three o'clock one of our brave lads with one of Deseronto's band power gunboats, appeared on the scene, and towed the craft to the dock, when it was found to be a number of our sports who had been to the races at Picton. (Nix!) Better luck next time boys.—Post.

Marmora Using Oil to Keep Down Dust

Last week the business portion of Forsythe street was cleaned and oiled, the oil to take the place of sprinkling with water. That the oil is effective in keeping down the dust has been proven in many towns, but time alone will show how the cost of the two compare when spread over the whole season. On some classes of road the oil wears much longer than on others. It is also claimed that the oil helps to protect the road bed as there is not much dust.—Herald.

Foresters Offering Home for Soldiers

Captain John's Island with the buildings, situated near Deseronto, in the Bay of Quinte, belonging to the Independent Order of Foresters, is likely to become a convalescent home for Canadian soldiers. If the buildings are suitable they will be offered to the Militia Department, which is now considering their utility. A commercial traveler of Trenton, in a communication to The Star made the suggestion that these buildings and the island be used for this purpose. Supreme Counsellor W. H. Hunter today said the suggestion was a little late. The idea has already been discussed by the Independent Order of Foresters, said he, and a communication sent to the Militia Department. It is now under consideration, and all depends upon the suitability of the building. If the building is suitable the Independent Order of Foresters will offer it to the Militia Department. The island was formerly the Orphans' Home of the Independent Order of Foresters, established by the late Dr. Oronhyatekha. The main building will accommodate about 100 soldiers and is steam heated. The other buildings are summer cottages.—Toronto Star.

License Commission to Tour Ontario

The members of the Ontario License Board, now that they have got most of the hearings off the slate, will be kept busy for a month or more on organization business, the most important of which will be that division of districts and appointment of inspectors. Chairman Flavelle stated yesterday that after this work was accomplished the board would start on a tour of the Province, and it was likely that eight months would be occupied in this way of making the Commissioners thoroughly conversant with the prevailing conditions.—Lindsay Post.

Old Madoc Boy Champion Wrestler

It might be of interest to many of Harry White's old friends and acquaintances to learn that he has been successful in winning the Provincial championship of Alberta and gold medal for wrestling in the 145 lb. class. It also happens that Harry is the winner in the finals at the Provincial Meet in Edmonton over the present champion of Saskatchewan and thus he is virtually champion of both Alberta and Saskatchewan. Harry has just successfully finished his third year in arts and first year in law at the University of Alberta, having taken a double course throughout the last year. He is serving his articles with the firm of Porte & McElwaine in the city of Edmonton.

Hotelmen Must Serve the Public

Former hotel licensees in local option municipalities who have resorted to the artifice of closing their house and refusing to sell or lease to others in order to turn people against the new conditions will probably find the uselessness of such a policy. As a warning, the following resolution has been passed by the Ontario License Board: "That, representations having reached this board that in some local option municipalities former hotel licensees have disregarded the opportunity of public service to their community by not only closing their house, but by refusing to sell or to lease to others, desiring to serve the needs of the travelling public, warning is hereby given to hotelmen so ignoring the public interests that such action will be regarded as a serious obstacle to their procuring licenses again at any time in future under the jurisdiction of the board."

A Cold Spell.

A cold wave from the north struck this section of country yesterday, and there was a heavy frost last night, the thermometer showing six degrees of frost at five o'clock this morning. In consequence all tender garden stuff has suffered severely, and it is possible the fruit crop may be considerably injured.—Stirling News-Argus.

Reuben Clapp and G. Markland Struck by Lightning

A thunder storm passed over this county on Friday afternoon last which was especially severe south of Picton. From this district two casualties were reported, but fortunately neither of them resulted fatally, but in both instances the victims had narrow escapes.

Mr. Reuben Clapp, who resides about 4 miles from Milford in the Township of South Marysburg, was one of those struck. It appears that he and his son were engaged in hauling manure and were in the field on the manure spreader when the storm came up. The father, who was standing on the rear of the spreader, was struck, the lightning burning his hat and clothing and even tearing his boot from his foot and leaving marks of burns on his shoulder and body. Mr. Clapp received a very serious shock, but at last accounts is recovering. The boy, who was also on the wagon, was slightly shocked, but escaped any serious injury. One of the horses was also killed.

The other casualty reported was Mr. George Markland, the 16 year old son of Mr. W. A. Markland of the Ridge Road, Township of Hallowell. Young Mr. Markland had been to the field after the cows, and after putting them in the barn started for the house; but to make sure that they were properly fastened, he returned to the barn. Just as he was entering the door he was struck and fell to the ground, where he lay for some time until assistance arrived, when he was taken to the house. He was seriously injured, but it is believed he will recover, although the full extent of the injuries have not as yet been definitely reported.

In both cases there was an almost miraculous escape from instant death.—Picton Gazette.

OBITUARY

MRS. MARY ANN GILES.

There passed away at her home in Ameliasburg, very suddenly, Sunday morning, May 23rd, 1915, Mary Ann Giles, wife of Cyrus Giles, Esq., President of the Bay of Quinte Insurance Co., aged 74 years.

Mrs. Giles was a daughter of the late Samuel Adams, and was born and lived all her life in the township. She had very large family connections and was widely known and universally respected for her many noble qualities.

She leaves one son, Malcolm, at home, and two daughters, Mrs. D. T. Stafford of Ameliasburg, and Mrs. Eben Fox of Northport. Out of a family of ten (six brothers and three sisters) only two remain—Charles and Mrs. John Carnite, both of Ameliasburg.

The funeral cortege left the house at 1 p.m. on Tuesday for Albury Church, where service was conducted followed by a large train of sympathizing friends who had come to pay their last tribute to one whom in life they had learned to esteem.—Picton Gazette.

HENRIETTA GLENN.

Miss Henrietta Glenn died at Buffalo on Tuesday, May 18th. Deceased was born in Prince Edward county in 1863 and resided there all her life until sixteen years ago, when she went to Buffalo to reside. Miss Glenn was a Methodist and a daughter of the late Charles Glenn. Surviving are two sisters and four brothers.

The funeral was held on Thursday May 20th, the Rev. Mr. Morton of Carrying Place, conducting a solemn service at the residence of her brother Mr. Oscar Glenn, second concession of Ameliasburg. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral tributes rested upon the casket. Interment was at Albury cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Orland Clement, Bruce Hennessey, Frank Delong, Geo. Sager, Harry Sager and Horace Calnan.—Picton Gazette.

MRS. JOHN DOHERTY

From Saturday's Daily.

The death occurred yesterday of Elizabeth Doherty, wife of John Doherty of the second concession of Thurlow, after an illness of three years' duration with dropsy and diabetes. She was 70 years and 7 months of age, having been born in Tyendinaga in 1844. She was a daughter of the late John Cockins and resided all her life in this county.

The remains will be taken to the family plot in the Presbyterian burying ground at Roslin.

Mourning her loss are her husband, four sons and four daughters. John of Lindsay, William, Samuel and Wesley of Belleville; Mrs. Sweet of Newburg; Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Wm. Lucas and Mrs. A. Haynes of Belleville.

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