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Country Talk.

Turnberry.

Miss Emma Irwin, of Belmore, was the guest of Mrs. H. Hennings. Many of the people around here went up to Lucknow to see the games. Jas. Grieves, Deputy-Reeve of Mornington, and wife were visiting friends here last week. They also attended the Caledonian games in Lucknow. The young people of vicinity spent a very pleasant time at Jas. Wylie's Tuesday evening. Games, music, etc., were the leading features of the evening and were fully indulged by all until nature overcame their lively spirits.

Grey.

Apple paring bees are looming up in the distance. Fall wheat seeding will be well advanced this week. Thos. McFadzean is home from his trip to Scotland. He had an enjoyable time. Jas. Cusic had the boss flax crop of this section. It averaged two one-half tons per acre. Apples are a fair crop in this section. There will be an abundance for home use and some for export. There are some very late crops of flax along the Cranbrook sideroad in which pulling has only just commenced. A number from this section purpose paying a visit to one or other of the big fairs. A few will figure as exhibitors. The fine weather of last week was gladly welcomed by most of the farmers as there were many who still had large quantities of golden grain standing out. John Stewart, jr., of the 16th con., who wrote successfully at the late second class teachers' non-professional examination, intends teaching a year or two longer before attending the Normal School. Miss Maggie Hislop, daughter of John Hislop, left the other day on a prolonged visit to friends in Montreal. Miss Hislop has taken a full course at Stratford Business College, and is an accomplished typewriter and stenographer. The sale of the Schaefer estate, comprising 500 acres of farm and timber lands in Grey township, took place at Brussels on Wednesday 3rd inst. The sale was a great success. Four of the 100 acre lots realized \$3,200, \$3,100, \$1,100 and \$950 respectively, being a total of \$8,350, or \$1,150 more than the reserved bid on the 500 acres. Mr. Robb, the new school Inspector, paid S. S. No. 8 an official visit on Friday Sept. 5th, and expressed himself as being quite satisfied with the condition of the school. He is a man eminently fitted in many respects for discharging the duties devolving upon him. On this his first visit to the schools in his Inspectorship, his principal aim is to get thoroughly acquainted with the teachers and pupils and their work, in which he takes great interest. He is a noble scholar and bids fair, with his polite and pleasant manner, to become a very popular and efficient public school officer.

Newry.

Will Gordon is doing some big day's threshing on the 10th. John Morrison is laid up with a severe cold, no doubt la grippe. Richard Gray spent a few days at the Toronto Exhibition and renewing old acquaintances in the Queen city. Those who took in the tea and lecture in the Methodist church speak well of the excellent spread provided, also the intellectual part of the entertainment. Misses Jennie and Mary Morrison were down to the Toronto Industrial this week. The cheap fares and fine weather affords ample opportunity for all to see Canada's greatest fair.

Ethel.

Farmers are about through fall wheat seeding here. Threshing is the order of the day, the grain is turning out well. There are a great many of our citizens attending the Toronto Exhibition this week. Wm. N. Allen, of Stratford, is visiting at the Ethel cheese factory. He is looking well. Ethel Court, C.O.F., is in full working order with a membership of over twenty and only had three meetings. The court will meet in the Orange Hall, on Wednesday, Sept. 24th.

Donegal.

DIED.—Last Saturday the little six-year-old girl of James Buchanan complained of being ill and in spite of medical treatment and good nursing the little sufferer grew worse until Monday of this week when the angel of death came to her relief and took her to be with Him, who said: "Suffer the little ones to come unto Me." Jennie was a bright girl, beloved by her school-mates, and the vacant chair at the table will be keenly felt. The funeral took place on Wednesday last and proceeded to the Donegal cemetery. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their little one.

Stratford.

A Toronto crank says that he saw Benwell murdered. He must be closely identified with the individual in this city who claims to know who poor Potter's murderers are. The drill at the natural gas well at Stratford began its downward course again after a delay of some time when a third casing was being put in the hole. It is now down about 1,070 feet.

We are sorry to hear that Andrew Pullar, of the first original staff, and one of the best skilled and most respected employees in the Grand Trunk shops, in this city, has resigned his position, and intends leaving Stratford. It is said to be his intention to follow farming in one of the Western States. Wherever he may go, Mr. Pullar will carry with him the best wishes of many Stratford friends. He and his estimable family will be missed here. The Stratford lock-up is described by The Sun as a disgraceful, filthy, strong-smelling den "that would put the Black Hole of Calcutta to shame." Sometimes from twelve to a score of human beings are crowded into this horrible den for a night's shelter. "When the chief of police goes down to let them forth next morning he has to hold his nose in a sponge saturated with chloride of lime to prevent the typhoid fumes entering his system."

Listowel.

J. Wheatly, professional cricketer, has removed to Wingham. Rev. D. Rogers, of Atwood, filled the Methodist pulpit very acceptably last Sabbath morning and evening. W. R. Snider, miller, has left town for Brandon, Man., where he has secured a lucrative position as head miller. The Gun Club failed to re-organize on Friday evening, Sept. 5, and from present appearances it looks as if we are to have no Club this season. A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Perth Teachers' Association held recently decided to hold their next annual teachers' convention at Stratford, on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 23 and 24, next. Dr. May, Inspector of Mechanics' Institutes, paid the Listowel Institute an official visit on Thursday of last week. It is quite probable that steps will be taken to form night classes. The Institute, which has been open during the three summer months on two afternoons and again shortly be open every afternoon and evening. The directors of the Bank of Hamilton have decided to act upon the authority given by the shareholders in 1888 to issue \$250,000 of new stock. This additional stock has been issued, and will be allotted to the shareholders in proportion of one share to four on Sept. 30. The price has been fixed at \$145 a share. The capital before this change was \$1,000,000. Cashier Turnbull is authorized for the statement that the increase in issuing of more stock.

HYMENEA.—Thursday of last week, at the residence of John Riggs, merchant, one of Listowel's best known young bachelors, F. W. Hay, was known in wedlock to Miss Josephine, eldest daughter of Mr. Riggs. The knot was tied in the presence of the bride's and groom's relatives and most intimate friends, Rev. I. Campbell, of Knox church, officiating. Miss Annie Forbes, of Tilsonburg, was bridesmaid, and Nelson Hay stood up with his brother. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and valuable presents. After luncheon the happy pair took the train for Toronto and other points. That their wedded life may be a happy one is the wish of their many friends. Upon their return Mr. Hay and his bride will occupy the brick cottage on Bay street recently erected by J. Large.

Bornholm.

Mrs. Johnston, of St. Marys, is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Osborn. Mrs. Davey left Tuesday for Goderich where she will remain a week, visiting friends. On Thursday of last week as Mrs. Tomlinson was assisting her husband in drawing in some grain, the load upset, unfortunately, breaking her leg. We hope that under the skilled treatment of Dr. Smith she will soon resume the use of her limb.

A picnic in connection with S. S. No. 5, was held in Mr. Hickey's grove last Saturday. The chief amusement for the young folk was dancing, while the children seemed to enjoy themselves with their own games. The table was excellently furnished with good things provided by the ladies of the section. Much credit is due the teacher, Miss Cronin, together with the people of the neighborhood, for the success of the picnic.

Elma.

Fall wheat seeding is about over in most localities. The August cheese of the Elma Cheese Co. was boxed this week. John Little has sold the August cheese of Silver Corners factory for 9 1/2 cents. Mr. Little is a good salesman and Mr. Morrison is an experienced cheesemaker.

Miss M. A. Hamilton, 5th con., attended the Industrial Exhibition last week and visited old friends in the Queen city. She reports having enjoyed herself immensely.

The roads and culverts in some parts of the township are badly out of repair and it is to be hoped the Council will see to them at their next meeting. "A stitch in time will save nine."

Mrs. Andrew Tennant, 10th con., was called away suddenly last week to the sick bed of her grandmother, who resides in Burgessville, Oxford county. She will be away several weeks.

We are desirous of securing several correspondents for THE BEE in this township, so that every item of interest will be duly chronicled. What is the matter with some of our intelligent farmers' sons forwarding the news in their locality?—Ed. BEE.

OBITUARY.—Edward T. Matthews, son of Edward Matthews, of this township, died at his home in Port Huron, Mich., on Sunday, 7th inst. The cause of his death was rather peculiar. He seems to have swallowed an orange seed which swelled and lodged in an intestine and could not be removed. An operation was attempted during his illness but the doctors were afraid to cut into the intestine and the exact cause of the trouble was not discovered until the post mortem examination. His remains were buried in the new cemetery on Tuesday of last week. He was married to a daughter of Wilkinson Hargrave and leaves no children.

Brussels.

Miss Gussie Smith is on the sick list. W. R. Mooney is in Toronto this week. Mrs. W. Stewart is visiting in the Queen city. Stanley Anderson left Monday for Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Polton, of Atwood, were in town Monday. Quite a number of our town folk are taking in the Toronto fair. Mr. and Mrs. Tavis spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill. Mrs. Andy Currie and her niece, Mary Ross, are visiting friends in St. John's.

Miss L. Olliver has gone to visit her sisters in Toronto, Mrs. J. Leckie and Mrs. W. McEwan. Alex. Bruce was called by telegram to Peel, Tuesday, to see his brother who is seriously ill.

J. Jones, R. Dickson, and G. Rodgers attended the wedding of Miss Hargreaves at Paisley last Tuesday. Rev. Sanderson and wife, former pastor in the M. E. church here, are renewing old acquaintances this week.

Miss A. Leatherdale, of Orillia, left Tuesday for her home. She has been visiting her uncle, R. Leatherdale. J. D. Ronald is talking waterworks in several towns and cities in the Eastern provinces. The newspapers of the different localities give him credit with being thoroughly posted in his work.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.—Last Tuesday one of those pleasing events that generally brings smiles on the faces of old and young took place in our village, when Miss Minnie Gerry bade good-bye to maidenhood and became Mrs. W. H. Willis. The ceremony was performed at 1 p. m., by Rev. Mr. Sellery at the residence of the bride's father. The bride was tastefully dressed in cream cashmere, and the groom looked as smiling as usual, only a little more so. The happy couple drove to Seaford, enroute to their home in Mitchell. Both Mr. and Mrs. Willis' friends in Brussels join in wishing them a long and prosperous life.

A very interesting temperance meeting was held last Monday evening in connection with the Y. P. C. A., of the Methodist church. The following is the program:—Singing and prayer; solo, "My boy's come home to stay," Dr. Cav. anagh; reading, "The bridal wine cup," Miss L. Thompson; duett, "Out with the Life-boat," Misses M. and B. Moore; solo, "Woman's influence," Miss Kerr; solo, Miss Minnie Sellery; speech, "Temperance," Rev. Sellery; song, "Save the boy," Misses Kerr, and Messrs. Cavanagh and Hood. Geo. Rodgers, President of the Association, occupied the chair. At the close of the entertainment a presentation of a pink glass berry dish set in silver, and a individual pickle cruet was made to Miss Minnie Gerry. The address was read by Miss L. Thompson and the presentation made by Mrs. D. Armstrong and Miss E. Kerr. Mr. Gerry replied for his daughter. We can sing, "We will meet but we will miss her."

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