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OAK LEAF.

MONDAY, Dec. 7.—The farmers are glad to see the snow which falls today.

Wedding bells are ringing in our midst. We extend our congratulations.

R. J. Green returned from hunting over a week ago, and reports having had a good time and also good success.

The young folks of Oak Leaf intend holding a Xmas Tree entertainment in the Hall on Dec. 23rd. A good programme has already been selected. The public are cordially invited to attend. Admission only 15c.

Mr. John Webster and family have moved to Athens where they will reside in the future. They took with them the best wishes of a host of friends in Lansdowne for their future welfare and prosperity.

DELTA.

MONDAY, Dec. 7.—Our assistant school teacher, Miss Nora Stevens, is seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs and will be unable to teach until the new year.

The South Leeds agricultural society held a meeting on Saturday last for the purpose of raising money to pay off the indebtedness on the new fair building. We are glad to say they had no trouble to raise the amount required, and only hope that the mortgage will be cleared off in a short time.

J. H. Moulton has nearly completed his house which is a credit to the town.

The skating was thoroughly enjoyed by the boys while it lasted. "By Jove," but Charlie had a bad fall.

C. P. Lambert has a professional trainer here from Montreal and says that Marshall will make them all trot this winter on the ice.

FRANKVILLE.

FRIDAY, Dec. 4.—Mr. A. H. Parker has put a furnace in his store block.

Rev. R. C. Horner closed his revival services here on the 3rd. Instead of the regular services being held in the church on Sunday night last they were held at private houses.

Mr. Wm. Dowsley has been engaged to teach the Altamas school for another year.

A concert will be given in Leehy's school house on Friday evening, 11th. A good time is expected.

Mr. M. Sheffield has purchased 50 acres of Mr. R. N. Parker's farm.

Smith & Knapp, propr's of Farmers' Friend cheese factory, called a meeting of the patrons on Saturday evening to arrange business for another year. Mr. Wm. Eaton occupied the chair. Chas. Rudd was appointed secretary; A. H. Parker, treasurer, and Mr. Smith, prop'r, salesman.

FORFAR.

MONDAY, Dec. 7.—Mrs. W. T. Hales has returned home after visiting friends at Soperton.

Mr. Watson of Westport has been engaged as school teacher for next year.

Mr. Fred Morris of Lyndhurst was home on a visit last week.

Geo. Freeman is very low with congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. Wm. Adrain is on the sick list and Miss H. Hales is sick with neuralgia.

Geo. Dowsett is recovering.

Miss Brown of Portland was visiting at W. T. Hales'.

Mrs. Singleton and Mrs. Gallagher of Newboro were visiting at Mrs. Kentrick's.

James Dowsett of this place passed away on the 2nd at the age of 63. He was taken sick about eleven months ago and became a victim to that fell disease, consumption. Deceased was born in 1828 in this county where he has always resided. In 1851 he married Miss Eliza Whitby who still survives him. The union was blessed by eleven children, all of whom are alive.

Deceased has always been a prosperous farmer, and a member of the Methodist church. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on the 4th. Rev. J. H. Steward, assisted by Rev. N. H. Howard, preached an excellent sermon, I. Cor. XV. 55. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

FRONT OF YONGE.

TUESDAY, Dec. 1.—Mr. Henry Dowell raised turnips this year on his farm in Junetown two of which filled a bushel.

We would like to hear from our much esteemed friend, J. K. Thomson, on his deer hunting expedition in the North. We know of no gentleman in the crowd who could with such glee and emphasis relate a fishing or deer hunting story like unto him.

For argument sake, suppose a gentleman calls another gentleman a fool, in what manner can the second party disprove the statement?

Would some of our sons of Esculapius inform the public why it is that so many people of late years die so suddenly, and why suicides are so numerous. In this surely there is ample room for discussion.

Mr. Zaccheus Purvis of Junetown will go to Southern California to spend the winter. He has rented his farm for a term of two years to Mr. Alex. Tennant. The chances are that Mr. Purvis will bring back a California lady to grace his beautful residence in Junetown. May his shadow never grow less.

TEMPERANCE LAKE.

THE WORLD MOVES.

The water in the lake on account of repairing the dam is lower than ever before. As we look across the little lake, and on over the ledges of rock piled in rows, one behind the other, ancient stern and silent—they seem like great waves of time, eternal ages, frozen into form as they rolled past.

Prayer meetings have been very frequent for some time past at the schoolhouse. They were social and chiefly conducted for mutual benefit, and were producive of good. They bring out a charitable spirit.

Mr. Mallory, across the lake, has been ill during the past summer and fall and the kind people here attended to his wants. Last Monday they took some supplies, paid him a visit, and got up a fine lot of wood. This action was very opportune and acceptable, and for which he expressed himself very grateful. When the work was done, as the twilight was falling, they all entered the house and held a prayer meeting and left feeling that they had done a good deed and had a pleasant time. How very different the close of this affair from that often witnessed on similar occasions by the generation just passed away. Strong and wild, boisterous words were used then, sometimes followed by angry, violent blows, instead of the gentle words of adoration and worship. So the world of humanity is graduating to a higher plane. The world moves, Mr. Delbert Avery, Mr. Joseph Towriss lead these meetings.

The prayer meeting in all ages has ever been one of the most efficient means of propagating piety and building up churches. Prayer meetings are exceedingly numerous. It would astonish the readers of the Reporter if they know how many were held each week within a radius of 25 miles of Athens. What a force is generated at these local moral centres and imparted—radiated into society—permeating it with loftier views and nobler aims.

Recently meetings of this class are often conducted on what are termed Holiness principles which appears to be a systematic and energetic effort to attain to a higher christian experience. This religious movement has been in contemplation for many years by many eminent and noteworthy divines in a number of denominations. In the United States there are ten or twelve papers devoted to this theme. I think one of these periodicals is in its eleventh volume. In Ontario there is one paper devoted to this subject and another soon to start. From present indications there is little reason to doubt that in the Dominion of Canada during the next decade there will be running ten or even twenty papers exclusively for the purpose of illuminating the higher christian walk—which will be under the management of a number of leading denominations. So you will observe, Mr. Editor, that enough has already been done by the promoters of this movement, humanly speaking, to ensure its permanence.

I notice also a germ of vitality in the fact that the laity often inaugurate this matter and sustain it, and the last to fall in line are sometimes the clergy. This fact ought to relieve the latter from any apprehension of being esteemed unorthodox.

Mr. Editor, you will cheerfully recognize this truth, that with nearly every mental and moral advance or discovery—parallell in the stream of time—stands recorded bitter opposition and ridicule. And as we look down the dim avenues of the past we discern the shattered relics of these mile stones marking the advancing steps in the struggle of Progress in the grand march of man to his higher destiny. The great nineteenth century is rapidly closing up in a constellation of wonders and its horizon is thickly studded with glorious lights, marvellous in their beauty. And as like begets like in the mental and moral, so the nearer we earnestly desire to be to the Great Author of the christian religion, the more like Him we shall be until in the resplendent brilliancy of his perfections we receive the exact impress in the heart of the image of the Son of God, which appears to be the only condition on which we can ever be entertained in his presence.

W. S. HOUGH.

Dining the Modelites.

The Model school class of 1891 were given a lunch and entertainment in the vestry of the Methodist church, Athens, on Saturday evening by the members of the W. C. T. U. A few invited guests were also present, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. After lunch had been served the chair was taken by Rev. J. Grenfell at the request of the president, Mrs. D. Fisher. Several pointed and practical addresses were given. Mr. Sharman, on woman's work and the good they were accomplishing in the temperance work, by Inspector Kinney on the teaching of temperance in the public schools. Mr. L. A. Kennedy directed his remarks particularly to the young men present composing the Model class of 1891, to whom he gave a lot of plain, practical advice on the duties of teachers and particularly to those about to start out in their chosen profession for the first time. At the close the usual vote of thanks was tendered to those taking part in the entertainment, particularly to the glee club and orchestra for their services.

DEER HUNTING OUT NORTH.

Ye Scribe of the Reporter Recounts His Many and Varied Experiences While Hunting for Game in the Wilderness.

Long before daylight the party were astir. A hurried breakfast was partaken of and just as the sun rose over the eastern hills the party were on the move. The hunters divided and went in different directions, the Historian being set on shore at the portage landing, from which place he started out to meet the long waited for addition to the party. Nearly half way to the settlement was traversed before he met them with the team. A hearty greeting was exchanged and then the Historian's eyes took an admiring look at his treasure—the bark canoe—which the Reporter "devil" said he parted with down near the garden wall, by moonlight on the eve of his departure to the wild woods. A glance was sufficient to assure him that the staunch old craft had been well taken care of on the overland journey. The team soon conveyed the goods to the spot where they had to be unloaded, and while the Machine Agent drove back to the settler's to leave the team, the Smith and Historian began the by no means pleasant pastime of carrying the well filled trunks, bags and blankets down to the lake shore. Four trips were necessary and each time the load was all they could possibly stand up under. The canoe was then brought over the same route and by stowing the trunks and boxes in the old punt, before referred to, the whole of the camp equipage, men and dogs, were safely ferried over to camp. A hurried dinner was partaken of and the hunters having returned without any success, it was decided to carry the canoe over into a large lake fully two and a half miles from camp. This was deemed necessary in order to intercept the game which all seemed to lead off in that direction. Five of the party were detailed for this job, and remembering a like trip on a former occasion, the thought of the amount of labor and pluck required for the undertaking made some of the older heads shrink from the task. The canoe was light and handy to carry to what an ordinary skiff would be, but about forty rods was all that a gang could carry it without changing. Josiah was sent ahead as pilot and one of the spare hands carried an axe with which to break off any snag or limb that impeded the progress of those carrying the boat. The first mile was a gradual ascent until the top of a mountain peak was reached, and the descent was about ten feet to the rod for the next half mile. Swamps had to be crossed, then a hill of bare rock would stand out in bold relief and the first look would almost apall the stoutest heart in the party, but by making detours around the side of the hills and taking tedious and devious paths they would at length reach the top only to find that another morass had to be forded or a slash of upturned trees scrambled over. Four o'clock came before the party reached the lake, where the boat was safely launched and the return journey commenced. The Machine Agent and Butcher Boy took a bee line for camp, while Josiah shouldered his rifle and started off in the same direction on a prospecting tour. The Smith and Historian concluded to take things easy and gradually dropped behind. When about half way to camp they were shouted to by Josiah who informed them that they were on the wrong trail, but, they believing that the "longest way round was the shortest way home," paid no attention to his warning. They knew, (or at least thought they did) the way home and kept on their way. Twilight came and they trudged on; darkness spread a sable mantle over the hills and still they walked on towards where they supposed the camp was located. The weary and hungry trampers kept going, and finally the waters of a familiar pond of water were observed in the distance. They knew then that they were fully a mile from camp, and that the greater part of that distance was over the roughest hills and worst jungles in that whole country. The rest of the party had long since reached camp, and being anxious for the welfare of their mates took turns at shouting and firing guns to guide the wanderers to the desired haven. All this time the belated travellers were making slow but sure progress towards camp. They finally reached a beaver meadow or bog across which there was a very good trail, but the trouble was to find the right spot to strike the trail, as all along shore was a soft space of from one to two rods that was considered impassable. The regular trail crossed this on a couple of fallen trees, and the trick was to find those trees. By some means, never explained, the trampers got out on the bog and carefully felt their way across striking the opposite shore, as was afterwards ascertained, within ten feet of where the trail led up on to the hard land. They were then within twenty rods of camp and in answer to a call the Butcher came with a lantern and piloted them into camp. The boys never admitted that they were lost, but simply took that way home to have a chance to test their capacity for endurance under difficulties. The shrill voice of the Machine Agent was heard at four o'clock the next morning, and the Commissary ordered to prepare breakfast without delay. The plan of campaign had been carefully laid the evening before, and long before the stars had hid their faces the party were off to their respective stations.

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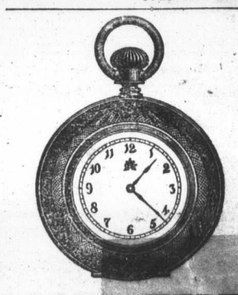

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