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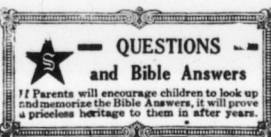
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NEWBURY

Miss Ella May Miller, of London, spent the week-end at her home.

Miss Dorothy Waterworth, of Glencoe, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. John Grant.

Miss Theresa Miller and Mrs. Fred Mann and sons Jack and Bob, of Detroit, visited friends in town this week.

Miss Helen Webster, of Margo, Sask., arrived on Thursday on a visit with her uncles, Donald and Bruce Fletcher.

George Holman and daughter, Mrs. Milo Styles, of Lapeer, Mich., visited the former's nephews, Reeve Holman and C. A. Blain, last week.

Ab. Root, wife and daughter Clara and Miss Jean Bond, of Mount Brydges, visited Mrs. C. A. Blain last week.

Misses Frances Archer, of Detroit, and Nessie Archer and M. Richardson, of Elora, are visiting at John O. Archer's.

Miss Bella Gray, of Detroit, is visiting her mother.

Arthur Tibbets, two daughters and son and grandchildren, of Detroit, called on their cousin, Mrs. Matthew Armstrong, on Sunday.

The Newbury-Mosa W. I. will meet in their rooms today (Thursday) afternoon.

Miss Jean McEachren, of Glencoe, has been engaged to teach in the senior room of the school, taking Mrs. Vanduzer's place.

Little Frances Winters fell on the sidewalk near her home Friday evening and broke her arm between the wrist and elbow.

A lively game of baseball was played in Old Boys' Park Saturday evening between Walkers and the home team. Not until the ninth innings did the visitors get a run. The score was 3-1 in favor of the home team.

WARDSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Pauls and Ray spent the week-end with relatives in St. Thomas.

Arthur Murphy is spending his holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McMaster and P. O'Malley attended the funeral on Sunday of Mrs. J. Kelly.

Miss Florence Palmer is spending some time in Rodney.

Ford Murphy spent the week-end at his home here.

Elmer Storey was in London last week where he underwent a slight operation on the nose.

Mrs. Spence and daughter, of Tonawanda, N.Y., spent a couple of days with Mrs. F. Radcliffe, Miss Bessie Spence, who has spent the past eight months with her aunt, returned home with her mother, and Miss Lily Spence, who has been visiting here, also returned home.

Fred Black, the speed cop, sustained a broken collar-bone on Saturday when his machine skidded into the ditch when he was after a speeding car.

A number from the village motor-ed to New Glasgow on Sunday and spent the day with the Wardsville girls who are camping there.

Notice.—Monuments, in Scotch and Canadian granites; inscriptions engraved at your cemetery a specialty.—Wardsville Granite & Marble Works; Chas. Mimma, proprietor.

NORTH EKFRID

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hardy and family, of Mount Brydges, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardy.

On Wednesday evening of last week the North Ekfrid soft-ball team played the Bethel team. Score in favor of Bethel.

There were large congregations at both services here Sunday and the Appin male quartette gave several fine selections which were much appreciated.

Tait's Corners baseball team played the North Ekfrid team here Saturday evening. Score was 7-4 in favor of Tait's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mills, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Purdy, of London, were guests of Wm. Mills on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brothers, Strathroy, called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Casper Ramey and Mrs. John Chisholm spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs. Ed. Cobban, of Sarnia.

Sam Ramey spent a few days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Webber, of Windsor.

Miss Margaret Cobban, of Sarnia, is holidaying in this vicinity.

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CAIRO

Claude Clifford and family have returned to their home in Detroit after spending a week with his father, T. C. Clifford.

Mrs. Mary Annett and daughter Leupha spent Saturday in Chatham.

Rexford Annett has returned to Cleveland after visiting a few days with his parents here.

Mrs. Will Fraser has returned to her home in Walkerville.

Wilford Nash, of Bothwell, called on friends here on Sunday.

Meryl McKean has returned home after visiting for a week with friends in Windsor.

KILMARTIN

Rev. Robert Stewart, of Dutton, will exchange pulpits with Rev. D. Robertson, of Burns' church, next Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Leitch and two children, Roy and Catharine, of Bethany, Penn., are spending their holidays at A. M. Leitch's.

R. N. Campbell is confined to his bed.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Arch. (Laird) Campbell, of Rokeby, on Friday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Hawley and family, of Detroit, and Mrs. Steir, of Seattle, Wash., are holidaying with D. R. McAlpine.

Mrs. Scott, of Wallaceburg, and Mrs. Gough, of Cleveland, visited their sisters, Mrs. McAlpine and Mrs. A. L. Munroe, recently.

Duncan D. McLachlan is laid up with a bad attack of guinay.

EKFRID STATION

Misses Annie McCallum and Anna Eaton are attending summer school at Alma College, St. Thomas, this week.

Miss Eaton is a delegate from Union Sunday School, Ekfrid. Philip Eaton, of Dundas, is spending a few days at his home here.

APPIN

Evan McMaster was home from Detroit for a week's holiday.

Appin Women's Institute will hold their next monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Duncan Campbell on Thursday, July 24th.

The services of Appin Presbyterian church will be held in the town hall next Sunday, on account of the church being redecorated.

Quite a number from L.O.L. No. 981 took in the celebration at Forest on the Twelfth.

Mrs. John McMaster spent a few days in Detroit with her son Morley last week.

Special reopening services will be held in Appin Presbyterian church on July 27th. Rev. Mr. Atkinson, a former pastor, is expected to preach, and there will be special music by the choir.

Very successful special services were held at North Ekfrid last Sunday afternoon and evening. Rev. Mr. Stevenson preached two excellent sermons, and a male quartette, consisting of Dr. McDonald, Cyrus Henry and Charles and Alfred Bardwell, rendered several selections in a pleasing manner.

Miss C. Thornicroft presided at the organ and the church was well filled at both services.

Congratulations are due to Mr. Payne and his pupils for the excellent showing his entrance class made this year, as well as the promotions that were made in the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, of Cleveland, Ohio, visited at Alf. Bardwell's and E. Eddie's last week, and Miss Annie Eddie accompanied them on their return, going via Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

Mr. Musgrove has erected a new chopping mill near the grain store, to be in charge of Mr. Laughton.

The W. M. S. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. V. Thornicroft. In the absence of the president Mrs. Allan presided. Arrangements were made for buying carpets for the church and other business in connection with the society's work was transacted.

Misses Gertrude McGill and Marguerite Allan favored the gathering with a pleasing duet. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

George McGill, Jr., has returned to Detroit after spending holidays in Appin and vicinity.

Mr. Littleproud, of London, will preach in Appin town hall Sunday evening at 7.30.

CASHMERE

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Davis and son Orlean and daughter, Mrs. Finch, and her two children, of Detroit, are visiting relatives in this community.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage, Wardsville, on Saturday at 11 a.m. when Miss Jean Taylor, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor, and Clifford Tunks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tunks, were united in wedlock.

Rev. A. Bridgette officiated. The bride was charming in white satin with radium lace and white silk hat.

They were attended by the groom's twin sister, Miss Jean Tunks, and Gordon Brooks. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the bride's home.

The bride donned a mannish blue tricot suit for traveling, and the young couple left amid showers of rice and confetti for Detroit and Pontiac. The bride and groom are both popular members of the church here and the community. They will reside here.

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MELBOURNE

An interesting game of ball was played here between Melbourne and Delaware. The score was 15-11 in favor of Delaware.

Rev. G. W. Oliver organized a teenage class in the Sunday School recently, and the following officers were elected: President, John Coombs; vice-president, Blanche Laing; secretary, Jean Lockwood; treasurer, Argyle McGugan.

Arrangements have been made for the members of the class to take turns at teaching.

Misses Annie and Jennie Black spent the week-end with Iona friends.

Thomas Annett has returned to his home in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Campbell and son have returned to their home in Toronto after spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Laing.

Mrs. Long, of Bridget, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Gilbert McLean.

Mrs. (Dr.) Howell is visiting in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Laing and daughters are leaving for a motor trip. They will camp at Niagara, visit Buffalo and several places in the state of Ohio.

A number of the members of the Rebekah Lodge here motored to Kew-wood to attend the I.O.O.F. banquet.

Rev. J. M. Colling called a meeting of all boys interested in having a Trail Rangers Camp. The meeting was well attended and much interest and enthusiasm shown by the boys, who have arranged to organize on Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. Annett, who has been moved to Strathroy hospital, is not showing signs of improvement.

Misses Melina and Anna McGugan are holidaying in the Canadian West.

Misses Mildred and Muriel Richards are spending the summer vacation with their brothers at Banff. They will visit the coast before returning home.

While Joseph Long was driving with a horse and buggy he collided with a car driven by Howard Hansford. A buggy wheel was broken and Mr. Long was thrown out, but apart from a bad shaking up there were no serious results.

Mrs. Sparling Clark, who has been confined to her bed for some time, is now improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dyer, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Collier.

Mrs. Brandon, of Wardsville, spent a few days with friends here.

Donald Fletcher, of Windsor, is visiting relatives here.

Rev. G. W. Oliver and family are leaving for a motor trip north. They will be absent three weeks. Rev. Mr. McKee will have charge of the morning service for two Sundays and the evening services will be union, in charge of Rev. M. Colling. Next Sunday evening the service will be held in the Methodist church.

The subject will be: "The seven great mistakes of life."

A game in the West Middlesex Baseball League was played here on Tuesday evening between Appin and Delaware. Score, 11-7 in favor of Appin.

Thirty pupils wrote on the entrance examination at the Appin A. Continuation School, of whom six obtained honor standing, as follows: Dorothy Hiscox and Clarence Beatty, pupils of Miss McNabb; Minnie McCracken and Isabella Campbell, pupils of Mrs. Squire, and two Indian boys from Mount Elgin Institute.

Clara Near, Marion Campbell, Blanche Hardy, Marguerite Hansford and Laura Collier were other pupils of Melbourne school who wrote, and all passed.

A WESTERN ONTARIO PROBLEM

Townships and municipal councils, boards of trade and chambers of commerce of Western Ontario will probably be asked to send representatives to a meeting which will be held somewhere in the peninsula this fall to discuss ways and means to counteract a clearly defined tendency which if unchecked will, it is believed, threaten the prosperity of this part of the Dominion.

Prosperity in the fourteen counties of Western Ontario, as elsewhere in Canada, is dependent largely upon agriculture and it will be admitted that no greater calamity could befall an area dependent for its prosperity upon agriculture than the loss of its skilled agriculturists. Yet this, it is claimed, is what is happening through the process of emigration.

The regrettable fact that the younger generation are flocking to the cities and towns, and the lack of adequate means to replace the shrinkage in the numbers of skilled farmers caused by migration, retirement and death, have brought about a condition the results of which are already sufficiently obvious to demand attention and action.

For some years the Western Ontario United Boards of Trade, an affiliation of many of the Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce of Perth, Brant, Huron, Waterloo, Kent, Essex, Grey, Lambton, Elgin, Wellington, Oxford, Middlesex, Norfolk and Bruce, have given attention to certain broad aspects of agriculture.

With the aid of township clerks of the fourteen counties above named—over two-thirds of the total of 157 township clerks having cooperated—some facts have been secured which, it is claimed, not without justification, indicate a marked tendency towards reduction in the number of Western Ontario's skilled agriculturists actively engaged in productive work.

The farmers of the present generation are, of course, growing older and in many instances farms are growing larger, as the most likely purchaser of farm property is the neighboring farmer and the figures which follow show that there is an obvious tendency towards increase of cleared but idle land.

The figures secured must be accepted at face value. They are obtained from over a hundred independent sources and compiled merely with a view to ascertaining actual conditions. They show that of the farms of the fourteen counties of Western Ontario, 212,697 acres are known to be for sale; farms actually vacant, not including those abandoned as useless for agricultural purposes, have together 75,000 acres, and there is reported also 100,000 acres of cleared land in pasture over necessary requirements.

According to statistics secured from the Provincial Department of Agriculture's Crop Reports (1922) 100,000 acres in general field crops yields \$2,000,000 annually. Of course it can quite justly be said that an increase in the demand for beef cattle would reduce the unproductive land in pasture; that farms offered for sale may be cultivated by the present owners for many years and that increased production, if the land were fully cultivated, might adversely affect the already inadequate remuneration of agriculture at present prices for produce of all kinds. These are, of course, circumstances which should not be lost sight of, and there are possibly other phases of the matter requiring consideration.

However, the area reported to be for sale, or in vacant farms, or in unproductive pasture with one-third of Western Ontario yet to hear from—approximately 400,000 acres or about one-sixteenth of the total cleared land of the fourteen counties of Western Ontario—indicates a well defined tendency towards reduction in the number of Western Ontario's skilled agriculturists and if this is admitted, is it claimed, a basic condition striking at the roots of prosperity which cannot be disregarded without risk.

Members of the United Boards are asking where skilled agriculturists are to be found to buy and cultivate the farms now offered for sale and those of other farmers who may in the natural course of events be expected to retire. If there is a tendency detrimental to the interests of Western Ontario, it is considered folly to ignore it, and Western Ontarians should, it is submitted, get together and see what can be done to check it.

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Jr. II. to Sr. II.—Wilfrid Hurley, John Smith. I. to Jr. II.—Helen Grover. Primer to I.—Robert McKenzie, Mamie Smith, Bertha Squire, Harold Watson.

Helen McLean, Teacher. S. S. No. 7, Ekfrid.

Names are in order of merit, except in entrance class: Entrance.—George Berdan, Elizabeth Crawford, Sara Crawford, Mack Leitch.

Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Eric Leeson, Clarice Glasgow. Jr. III. to Sr. III.—Ellen Berdan, A. D. Berdan.

Sr. II. to Jr. III.—Alice Pole (honors), Neta Moore.

Jr. II. to Sr. II.—Jean Crawford, Allan Wilson. Sr. I. to Jr. II.—Louisa Berdan (honors).

Primer to I.—Duncan Crawford, Isabelle McCallum, Margaret McKellar, Olive Moore.

Primer B. to A.—John H. McKellar. Catharine Eddie, Teacher. S. S. No. 17, Mosa.

Names in order of merit: Entrance.—Zelda Munro, Mary McLachlan, Lloyd Little.

Jr. IV. to Sr. IV.—Kenneth McKellar, Viola Munroe, Hugh Leitch. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Prudence Moore, Duncan Leitch, Harley Lease.

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