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QUESTIONS and Bible Answers

After the burial of Jesus what did the chief priests and Pharisees say to Pilate, and what answer did he give them?—Matt. 27: 62-66.

NEWBURY

Clarence Hurdle left last week for Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel King, of Moss, received congratulations from friends in the village on Saturday when celebrating their golden wedding.

Mrs. C. D. Farquharson, Mrs. D. Fletcher and Miss Etta Telfer attended the W. M. S. convention in London last week as delegates.

Robert McDonald, of Sarnia, has been conducting special meetings in the Gospel Hall.

Dr. H. C. Bayne, of Sarnia, spent the week-end with his parents. Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. A. Wallace and sons in the death of her husband, which took place in the hospital at Hamilton last week. Interment was made there on Saturday last.

The play "Kathleen Mavourneen," put on Friday evening by the Varsity dramatic club, was certainly well-taken. The characters were well taken. For various reasons the crowd was not as great as the play merited. The A.Y.P.A. under whose auspices they came, served refreshments after the play was over.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McKenzie have moved to the village, occupying one of the Scott houses south of the G. T. R.

Nomination to fill a vacancy in the council will be held Wednesday evening, February 7th, at 7.30, in the town hall.

Wm. Milner, of Walkerville, is visiting at A. Holman's.

Glad to see Mrs. George Harcourt around again after her painful accident on the ice two weeks ago.

CASHMERE

Finlay Patterson is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. E. Taylor, at Windsor.

Alvin McLaughlin, of Southwold, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Calvin Stiller.

Mrs. Frank Jeffery, of Newbury, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Stiller.

Mrs. Allen Stiller, of Bothwell, spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Tunks.

George Hewitt, of Detroit, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Jean Tunks has returned home after visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. F. Roycraft, near Glencoe.

Wm. Moore spent a few days in London recently.

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WARDVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Blain spent a few days in Chatham last week.

Mrs. Waterworth spent a few days in Detroit.

Joe Guest spent Friday in London.

Mr. McDowell spent a day in Chatham last week.

Bert Miller was in London on Friday.

Wm. Stinson was in London last week.

A meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) Murphy. A goodly number were present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Howard Waterworth took the chair. A short program was given, consisting of a piano duet by Mary Hanton and Florence Willis, and readings by Miss I. Clement and Mrs. Archer. Lunch was served by the hostess.

The oratorical contest for Wardsville was held in the school room on Friday afternoon. The vice-president took charge of the program, which was as follows:—Piano duet, Florence Willis and Mary Hanton; oration on "Consolidated Schools," by Helen Atchison; mouth organ solo, Alberta Armstrong; oration on "The Future of Canada," by Susie Hillman; speech by Rev. Mr. Murphy.

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MELBOURNE

A gloom was cast over this community by the death of William Irish, one of our most popular and highly esteemed young men. He passed away on the 22nd inst. after a short illness. He was 27 years of age and leaves a widowed mother and a sister and brother, Mrs. Stanley Richards, of this place, and Charles, at home with his mother. Flowers were sent from Mrs. Frank Doan, of Belmont, and the family, and a cyclamen in bloom from the Epworth League, of which he was a member. Owing to the illness of Dr. Brown, the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Maxwell Parr, of Appin. The burial was at Cowl cemetery. The family have the deepest sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement. It is not only a family loss but a loss to the community and Methodist church.

After the regular meeting of Anna Rebekah Lodge, the members held a social time in honor of Mrs. Arthur Staples, P.D.D.P., who left the following day for her new home at Clachan, N.Y. and Misses. Staples will be very much missed in both the I.O.O.F. lodge and the Methodist church, of which they were both members.

A very painful accident happened to Archie Carruthers. While at a bee cutting wood with a buzz-saw at A.D. Brown's, a small piece flew from the saw, cutting Mr. Carruthers in the eye. He was taken to London to a specialist, then to the hospital. It is not known yet whether the sight can be saved or not.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, of the Canadian West, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Brown, here.

Rev. Dr. Brown, pastor of the Methodist church, has been confined to the house for a week with a sore eye. His condition is not improving, the other eye being affected.

A sleighload of students from the Mount Brydges continuation school visited the Melbourne school. An interesting debate was given, "Resolved that the Turks should be expelled from Europe." Miss Lockwood and Miss Campbell, of Melbourne, opposed the two of the Mount Brydges girls, and the subject was well handled by both sides, the visiting girls winning by one point. Edward Bateman and Kenneth Campbell opposed two of the Mount Brydges boys, their subject being "Resolved that the medical profession should be under government control." The Melbourne boys were the winners. The judges were Rev. Dr. Brown, of this village; Hugh McPhail, of Mount Brydges, and Rev. Wm. Jewett, B.A., of London, who was sent out by the Department of Education. Arthur Elder occupied the chair. Musical selections and readings were given by members of the school. It was considered the best program given here for some time.

The social evening given in the Woodman Hall by a number of the village ladies was well attended—in fact the hall was filled with young and middle-aged people who met to have a good time, cards and dancing being the chief amusements of the evening.

NORTH EKRID

Will Down, Jr. was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, last Wednesday, where he underwent a critical operation for appendicitis and abscesses.

The organized Sunday School class met at Henry Pettit's Monday evening of last week to appoint officers for 1928. Officers chosen were:—Teacher, Orey Ramey; president, Lizzie Pierce; vice-president, A. D. Kettell; secretary, Irene Roemle; treasurer, Adeline Pierce.

The Girls' Mission Society intend holding a box social in the church on February 14th.

A number from here went to Springfield Friday night to attend the play "The Early Bird." All report the play good.

We are pleased to learn that Will Down is doing as well as can be expected.

George Pettit is able to be around on crutches.

Thomas Hardy has purchased a new horse, a roaster, from Joel Cass.

Mr. Will Webber has been quite poorly for a few days.

North Ekrid boys played hockey with the Appin boys recently. Score in favor of North Ekrid.

Mrs. Wilcox, of Sarnia, is the guest of Mrs. Uri Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Down, sr., are looking after their son's affairs while he is in the hospital.

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Rev. Mr. Stevenson will conduct service at S. S. No. 1 schoolhouse on Sunday next at 7.30.

A Young People's Society has been organized in the Presbyterian church here. The intention is to have a service every other Sunday evening in the winter months. President, Alf. Bardwell; secretary, Elmer McIntyre. First meeting February 11. All are welcome.

Harry Galbraith and family expect to move into the village this week.

The Sunday School anniversary here, held on Sunday evening, was a success. The young people have had lots of fun on the rink here this winter, principally in the general and contested hockey games.

Will McTaggart was badly bruised about the head while loading logs at the M.C.R. crossing near here.

The Sunday School anniversary held in the Methodist church here last Sunday evening was attended by a large and appreciative congregation who listened with great interest to an excellent sermon preached by the pastor, Rev. M. C. Parr, on the subject "The Seven Laws of Achievement," which were represented by the seals of achievement which were presented to the members of the Sunday School who had been faithful attendants for the past seven years.

The first theme was Foundation; second, Faithfulness; third, Courage; fourth, Loyalty; fifth, Enthusiasm; sixth, silver seal; consecration; seventh, gold seal, Influence. These seals of achievement were emphasized by the pastor in a very excellent and practical and touching way, showing how necessary these essentials are in the Christian life. At the close of the sermon the names of 26 members of the Sunday School who had attained to and reached the completion of the seven years of service were read and the last seal on the diplomas were read out and they were presented with them by the superintendent, John Macfie, whose untiring zeal with that of his officers has made a great deal in the work of the Methodist Sunday School. A remarkable feature of the presentation of these diplomas was the fact that it required almost 80 years of age and three generations in four homes were represented, one boy being only eleven years of age but having been a faithful attendant for several years. Over fifty others are aspiring to the same attainment and they were presented with their several seals in the morning session of the Sunday School.

The death occurred near Sault Ste. Marie of one of the old residents of this community in the person of Mrs. Duncan Campbell. The funeral services will be held today (Thursday) from the old home, now occupied by her son, Duncan. The community sympathizes with him in his bereavement.

Glad to hear that Miss Mabel Lotan is showing improvement, after undergoing an operation for appendicitis in a London hospital.

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UNAVOIDABLE LOSSES

How Farm Land Deteriorates in Necessary Mineral Supplies.

What One Steer Takes From the Land—Some Don't Like to Believe It—These Losses Must Be Replaced—Meat Trade Balks at Heavy Weights.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

With the exception of nitrogen our agricultural investigators have failed to find any means by which they could add to nature's supply of plant food in the soil except by transfer of minerals from rich deposits to the cultivator's area. Cultivated lands will gradually lose their mineral elements, particularly phosphorus and potash, through crop production. The return of all manure made from the crops produced delays the day of exhaustion, but exhaustion will eventually come more quickly by some practices than others it is true, and the man that follows live stock farming while not returning all to the soil can greatly delay the day of reduced fertility and short crops.

What One Steer Takes From the Land.

Every time a 1,000-pound fat steer is sent to market 15.51 pounds of phosphorus pent oxide, 1.75 pounds of potash, and 17.92 pounds of calcium goes with him. A one hundred acre farm sending twenty 1,000-pound steers to market each year is sending incorporated in their bodies, principally in the bones, 35.20 pounds of potash, 358.40 pounds of lime, 310.20 pounds of phosphorus. If the farm did this continuously for one hundred years—some of our Ontario farm lands have been farmed that long—the amount of fertilizing elements subtracted from the original stock in the soil is such as to greatly limit crop production. If the crops from which the steers had been made had been sold off the land the fertilizing elements or stock of plant food in the soil would have given out many years sooner.

Many Farmers Don't Like to Believe It.

Many of our farmers do not like to think that the fertility of their lands is running down, and will argue against their own conscience, and finally develop a state of mind which prevents them from returning to the soil sufficient mineral elements to maintain the necessary balance in soil fertility that insures crop yields equal to the yields characteristic to virgin soils. On certain good farms in southern Ontario with which I am familiar I estimate that the mineral fertility mining, during the past seventy-five years has, under the generally accepted good management, been approximately as follows per acre: Phosphorus removed, 489 pounds; potassium removed, 2,491 pounds; calcium removed, 1,969 pounds; of these quantities probably fifty per cent. was returned in the manures through periodical applications. The unreturned aggregate 244.5 pounds of phosphorus, 1,245.5 pounds of potassium and 529.5 pounds of calcium represents approximately what each acre of farm land has lost. Is it any wonder, then, that the crop yields have been greatly reduced in many of the older sections of the Province?

These Losses Must Be Replaced.

To bring the old soils back to maximum production one of the things we must do is to replace in quantity to satisfy crop demands, the potash, phosphorus and lime. These elements are essential, and must be present in available condition and in quantity. The best farmed soils will gradually lose fertility if something is not done toward the replacing of the mineral elements removed in crops and sold off the farm either as grain, beef or milk—L. Stevenson, Toronto.

Meat Trade Balks at Heavy Weights.

"The day of the heavy weight has passed," says E. F. Perrin of the animal husbandry division of the University of Minnesota, in referring to conditions and demands of the meat trade. "Light weights are easily disposed of, while heavy carcasses are hard to move. Overweight lambs have long been heavily penalized in price when sent to market, and the same condition prevails with hogs and cattle. It does not pay any meat producer to market more weight than is necessary in getting his stock in fairly well fattened condition. Only about 15 per cent. of the market demand is for steers weighing more than 1,300 pounds. And to sell well these must be good to choice heaves offered during the holiday season. Yearlings weighing 900 to 1,100 pounds, often termed baby beef, are the desired kind, and more recently 650 to 800 pound weights are in strong demand."

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