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NORTH NEWBURY

Mrs. Grindell, of Jackson, Mich., was a visitor at A. McMaster's last week.

Andy Armstrong and Alex. Clements are loading wood for the Wallaceburg Co-operative Co.

Miss Violet Plaine arrived from London Monday evening.

Mrs. John Almas and brothers, John and Will Turner, spent the Easter holidays in London.

Eugene Crotte, of the Bank of Montreal staff, Guelph, was home for Easter Sunday.

John Fletcher, of Lobo, is working on the section here now with his uncle, Mr. McMaster.

John Buel and wife are spending a few days in Chatham.

Steve Huis, of Thamesville, paid the little burg a visit on Tuesday.

Tommy Foley and Earl McMaster have taken positions on the section here.

Tommy Joyce is busy these days cutting wood with his fine new Guelph engine, the Gilson.

We hope the April showers of Tuesday will clear the weather and give us a little spring.

MODEL CENTRE

Mrs. Alex. Crawford has returned home after spending a few days with friends in London.

Milton Holman, of Ayr, visited friends here this week.

Will Carruthers is confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia.

Archie McCallum and Mrs. O. McKibbin have returned after spending a few days with friends in Detroit and their sister at Blythwood.

Miss Jessie McAlpine attended the unveiling of the memorial tablet at London Normal School on Friday, March 23rd.

Mrs. D. F. Eddie and Miss Lillian Eddie were in London last week.

BIBLE-THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Bible thoughts for today will be a precious heritage in after years.

CURSING or BLESSING?—Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord. Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord and whose hope the Lord is. Jeremiah 17: 5, 7.

Born

FISHER—On Wednesday, March 21, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fisher, Ekfrid, a son.

MOORE—On Saturday, March 31, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore, Ekfrid, a son.

SNEELGROVE—On March 31, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sneelgrove, Glencoe, a son.

TOWN AND VICINITY

Schools reopen on Monday, after the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Symes, Concession street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Tommy Hissett is now in charge of the mechanical department of G. W. Snelgrove's garage.

Special Easter services in the local churches were of an exceptionally bright and inspiring nature.

An important meeting of the literary society in S. S. No. 6, Ekfrid, will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The death occurred at her home in Thamesville on Monday of Mrs. Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dobson, of Glencoe.

The Progressives of West Middlesex is reported to bring out Miss Margaret Webster, of Stratford, for the Legislature.

Glencoe council met on Monday evening, received the auditors' report and passed a number of accounts for payment.

Cancellation of the receipt tax and some changes in other taxes payable by stamp are likely to be announced in the Dominion budget.

W. G. Christner underwent an operation for appendicitis in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Sunday and is reported to be making good recovery.

James Snelgrove, son of Geo. W. Snelgrove, of Glencoe, underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Port Huron hospital on Saturday, and is making good recovery.

Mrs. J. L. Luckham and Mrs. John Strachan have been appointed by the Glencoe Women's Missionary Society to attend the convention to be held in Windsor April 24-26.

E. A. Mayhew & Co. have bought a portion of the clothing stock of the W. E. Sanford Mfg. Co., Hamilton, who failed a couple of weeks ago, at a low rate on the dollar.

All records for the last half of March were smashed when the mercury dropped to within three degrees of zero. It is claimed that only 12 March days in 80 years have been as cold.

Rev. A. S. Whitehall gave an inspiring address at the Guild meeting on Monday evening. His subject was "The Literature of the Bible," featuring poetry. Miss Jean Reith sang a delightful solo.

Two Alberta Government officials interested in promoting the sale of Alberta coal in Ontario are coming to London with a trial shipment of a car of semi-anthracite from the coal fields near Edmonton.

June 4th will be observed this year in Canada as the birthday of His Majesty King George V. June 3rd this year falls on a Sunday and a proclamation will provide for the following day being observed as a national holiday.

Joseph Martin, of Chatham, announces the engagement of his youngest daughter, Gertrude, to Andrew Frederick Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnston, of Belwood. The marriage will take place the second week in April.

One of the most extraordinary instances of organic malformation was revealed at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Saturday, when during an operation for appendicitis, a Melbourne man was found to have his appendix on the left side instead of the right side.

We are pleased to note the change in our high school examinations. We have long felt that examinations did not provide sufficient reward for the faithful pupil who knew his work and yet must undergo the same ordeal as the more careless ones. May the time soon come when for our younger boys and girls final examinations with all their terrors will be relegated to the past.

Battle Hill Farmers' Club are taking the initiative in protesting to the Ontario Minister of Public Works against the proposed widening of that section of the provincial highway running from London to Windsor. They believe that such widening would be an unnecessary expenditure of money when present conditions demand that every possible economy be practiced. A strong protest is also expected to be made by other farmers' clubs and farmers' organizations.

Dr. McLachlan narrowly escaped serious injury a day or two ago when his horse took fright on the road and turned directly in front of a motor truck. G. W. Sutton, agent for the Ontario Creamery, was the driver of the truck, and although he promptly applied the brakes and did his best to avoid a collision the truck struck the doctor's vehicle fair in the side, fortunately with no worse results than to damage both buggy and truck considerably. Both men had no easy time subduing the horse and prevent its getting away during the mixup.

Alvinston high school students did themselves credit in their presentation of "Macbeth" at the opera house here on Thursday evening. Impersonation of the various characters

was with few exceptions first-class. Music by the Alvinston H. S. orchestra was exceptionally good and added greatly to the enjoyable nature of the evening. The attendance was not large, and the Trail Rangers, under whose auspices the play was given here, realized but a small sum from the proceeds.

The ladies of St. John's church are holding an APRON SALE and TALENT TEA in the school room next Saturday, April 7, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Homemade cooking for sale. Refreshments, 15 cents.

Wm. Allaster died at his home in Glencoe on Sunday, April 1st, aged 88 years. The funeral service was held at Chas. Dean's undertaking rooms on Tuesday afternoon, and interment was made at Wardsville cemetery. Mr. Allaster was engaged in business here as a cooper for several years, coming from Newbury. He leaves one son, William, of Montreal; two brothers, Joseph, of London, and Alex., of Windsor, and two sisters, Miss Mary Allaster and Mrs. Murray, of London.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Wm. McMillan was home from Detroit for Easter.

Miss McMahon is visiting relatives at Port Colborne.

Miss Florence Hurley was home from London over Easter.

Miss Cleo Sutton is home from Windsor for the holidays.

Miss Margaret Brown is spending the holidays in Detroit.

Miss Fern Graham, of Clinton, is holidaying at her home here.

Miss Annie George was home from London over the week-end.

Miss Eugene Harrington spent Sunday at her home in Bothwell.

Miss Margaret Eddie is home from Woodstock for the holidays.

Mrs. (Dr.) Mumford and children are spending this week at Fergus.

Miss Anna Reycraft was home from Chatham over the week-end.

Miss Ruby Gilbert was home from London over Easter week-end.

Miss Vida Reycraft, of London, spent Good Friday at her home here.

Miss Rose Davenport spent Easter with her brother Harry in Detroit.

Miss Margaret Morrison is visiting friends in Ridgetown and Windsor.

Murray Standing spent a few days this week at his home in Aylmer.

Miss Ruby Suttler, of Toronto, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Miss Ada Reycraft, of Chatham, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davidson and two boys spent Easter with relatives in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hicks, of Detroit, were Easter visitors here over the week-end.

Master Malcolm McIntyre, of Stratford, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. D. G. Graham.

Miss Maud Weldon spent Easter week-end with Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Irwin, Lucknow.

Miss Marie Hansen and Miss Lillian King, of Detroit, spent Easter at W. C. King's.

Morley and Lloyd Farrell have returned to Detroit after spending Easter at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stevenson, of Detroit, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mrs. Edgar Munson and daughter Ruby are visiting relatives in London this week.

Mrs. G. H. Singleton and daughter Helen, of Ailsa Craig, are visiting at J. A. McLachlan's.

Miss Hazel Hastings, of St. Thomas, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moore at Easter.

Miss K. Steele and Miss M. Gilles are spending the holidays at their homes in Stratford.

Mrs. Rose Stuart is in Stratford attending the funeral of her uncle, the late James Ferguson.

Miss Nellie Farrell left yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Walton, of Windsor.

Craig Hyttenrauch, of Windsor, is spending this week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. W. G. Craig.

Miss Margaret Scott, of Stratford, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Squire, Main street, south.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hawke, of Bradford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ford at Easter.

Miss Evelyn Haylock, of London, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grant.

Miss Nellie Cumming and Miss Halls, of Elora, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cumming over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trestrain spent a few days in Toronto last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lethbridge.

Misses Catharine Stuart and Elizabeth McArthur are home from Macdonald Hall, Guelph, for the holidays.

Miss Jessie McMurchy is home from Detroit to wait on her mother, who took a relapse in her illness on Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. R. McDonald, of Windsor, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerr.

Misses Helen and Christenautherland and Miss Winifred Dundock, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenwood and daughter Frances left last week for their home in Dilke, Sask., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smith.

Glencoe students of London Normal School home for the Easter holidays are Jessie Currie, Catharine Eddie, Elsie Leitch, Jean McEachren, Helen McCutcheon and Francesutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey McMurchy, Archie McCallum, Mrs. O. McKibbin, John C. Graham and Dan A. McCallum attended the funeral of their aunt, the late Mrs. Nancy Black, which was held from her late residence, Yale, Mich., on Friday last.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Parasols for sale. Apply at David Squire's; phone 14 r 11.

Frost Tight-lock farm fences. Get yours at Wright's Hardware.

Clearing out entire stock of groceries in 30 days.—W. A. Currie.

Ten good pigs for sale. Apply to David Dobie, Spruce Lodge, Ekfrid.

Quantity of seed peas for sale.—James McEae, Route 3, Glencoe.

Parties having ordered feed corn from Bryden Glasgow kindly call at once.

Good butter and eggs taken at market price on sale groceries.—W. A. Currie.

Frost fence has stood the test. We have all styles in stock.—Wright's Hardware.

It will pay you to wait for the big Sanford assignment clothing sale at Mayhew's.

Barred Rock baby chicks for sale, ready April 11th.—W. J. Carruthers, Route 4, Glencoe.

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Going out of the grocery business. Clearing out stock at sale price commences today.—W. A. Currie.

Frost "Plymouth Rock" brand poultry fence. See this fence at Wright's Hardware.

Watch for Mayhew's announcement next week of the big Sanford clothing sale, bought at low rate on the \$1.

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The concert advertised last week to be given in No. 1, Mosa, Tuesday, April 3rd, has been postponed until Tuesday, April 10th. An organ will be auctioned off that night.

The play by the Springfield young people, "The Corner Store," will be put on under the auspices of the Apple Tuxis Boys at Apple town hall, Wednesday, April 18. Admission, 25 cents.

The last meeting of the literary society of No. 5, Ekfrid, will be held on Friday evening. A short program is being prepared, after which election of officers for the sports club will take place.

Worthy of public attention to clothing buyers is J. N. Searle & Co.'s ad explaining purchase of a big lot of the W. E. Sanford stock at a low rate on dollar; also new floor coverings and draperies.

Mesa Farm Loan Association will hold a business meeting on Friday, April 6, at 10 a.m. at the McKellar House. Any person requiring loans will please make application to the secretary or at the meeting.—D. N. Munroe, president; Charles Webster, secretary.

AUCTION SALES

Auction sale of farm stock and implements on south half lot 21, first range of Longwoods Road, Ekfrid, Thursday, April 5th, at 1 o'clock. McDonnell Bros., proprietors; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

Housewives of the country should declare "sugarless days" until the price of sugar is forced down, Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, leader of the Farm Bids, declares. In the meantime, the Federal Government should vigorously prosecute those responsible for market manipulations, which boosted the price and put \$4 extra expense on the public of \$15,000,000 a month, he said.

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