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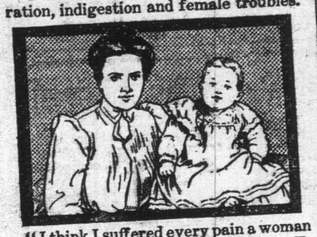

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KINCARDIN REEUNION WILL BE BEST EVER

Streets Are Being Gaily Decorated For Big Homecoming Next Week.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Kincardine, July 12.—Quite a number of old boys and girls are arriving here to be ready for the reunion next week. Every effort is being made by the several committees to arrange with citizens for all available lodging room, with or without board. Electric lights and a great display of flags and bunting are being placed on a number of streets. The reunion will unquestionably be the greatest ever held here.

Mr. John Brownlee, hardware merchant of San Francisco, is here for the union.

He was born in the house now occupied by Dr. Gummaer, and when a young man, entered into the hardware business in partnership with Mr. Kelly.

Mr. John Matthews and wife are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reed.

Mr. C. G. Feely, wife and daughter, of Winnipeg, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Welsh.

James and Robert Mackenzie arrived from Alberta. They called at Regina, and stayed and saw the wreck caused by the tornado. They were living one block from the track of the tornado, and knew nothing of the wreck so close by, till the following day, when they viewed it in all its magnitude.

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Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Courtney returned from visiting in Winnipeg, and other places yesterday.

Charles McKinnon, of Glammis, returned from visiting his son in Saskatchewan last evening.

PLEADED GUILTY

Three Serious Charges Were Laid Against Hensall Thief.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Hensall, July 12.—Edward Bennett, who gave High Constable Whiteside and other citizens such a chase to capture and recapture him after his arrest, was up before the county judge yesterday and pleaded guilty to three charges of house-breaking and theft. He was remanded for a week for sentence, and will also be charged with jail-breaking.

Dr. Ferguson, of Toronto, who formerly practiced here, visited with friends today.

The local Boy Scouts have purchased three army tents and are camping out on the Scout campus.

The three Sunday schools, which got up the excursion to London and Springbank, owing to the fine patronage awarded will each have a handsome balance in the treasury.

The local council is preparing to put five carloads of crushed stone on our business street. They are also experimenting with oil as a street sprinkler.

The council will place a large whistle on the powerhouse boiler for fire alarm purposes.

Scarcely any rain fell here this week, and many of our farmers are getting very anxious as crops are suffering.

Mr. John McIntyre is holidaying with Toronto relatives.

Local gensing growers are complaining that the extreme wet weather of the spring followed by the present dry spell is causing many of the plants to wither away.

Miss Lottie Grassick is very ill, but hopes of recovery are entertained.

Mrs. McLeod, of Detroit, is the guest of her brother, R. Benthron.

Mrs. J. Stewart, of Exeter, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Arnold.

Mrs. George Walker, of Guelph, and her five children are guests of her mother, Mrs. Smallacombe, and other relatives.

Mrs. Madden, of near Toronto, is the guest of her son, Percy Madden, of the Molsons Bank staff.

DROWNED AT PRESTON.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Preston, July 12.—Edwin Roat, son of a local contractor, was drowned this afternoon in the Speed River near Founding street. He was 16 years of age, and was employed as bellboy at the Hotel Delmonte. The water is very deep, and it is doubtful if the body will be recovered.

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WILL MAKE BAKERS SCREEN THEIR DOORS

St. Marys Board of Health Aims to Protect Food From Flies.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, July 13. — The local board of health is out with a club to "swat the fly." A special session of the board was held yesterday afternoon and resolutions were passed to have all town bakeries and restaurants screen their windows and doors. A deputation of the board will wait on the town council at its next meeting to ask that new health bylaws be prepared, to meet the sanitary requirements at present urged by the local board of health.

In the lawn bowling contest this week for the Faill trophy, between the St. Marys Granites and Mitchell bowlers, the Granites won by a score of 24.

Mrs. Franklin and daughter, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting the former's father, Mr. Thomas Darling, and sister, Miss Lillie Darling, St. John and Elgin streets.

Mr. A. G. Box, wife and child, of Belmont, Man., arrived Friday on a visit to Mr. Box's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Box, sen., of Robinson street.

Miss Marguerite Johnston, stenographer, of London, formerly of St. Marys, paid St. Marys friends a flying visit on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Wood, who spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. William Leary, at Parkhill, is on a return visit to her brother, Wm. H. Wood, Jones street, east ward.

A large contingent of Orangemen from this district celebrated the 12th of July at Seaforth, accompanied by the Maxwell Maple Leaf Brass Band.

Despite the severe electrical storm and heavy downpour of rain Wednesday afternoon there were several picnics held. St. James' Church held theirs in the Sunday school building. Knox Presbyterian Church held theirs at the Collegiate Institute building, and the ladies' Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school were holding their picnic at the residence and grounds of Mrs. F. E. Butcher, but as the storm got too severe for attendance it was postponed till Thursday, and held at the same place.

The Maxwell Maple Leaf Band held its weekly open-air concert at the band stand at the rear of the St. Marys bowling green on Queen street, Thursday evening. The Citizens' Band held an open-air concert at the boathouse at the Thames dam the same evening.

ST. HELENS.

St. Helens, July 12. — Mr. and Mrs. McAlister, of Puslinch, are visiting at the home of Mr. Hugh McDonald and with other friends.

Miss Maggie Clark, of Chicago, is visiting her parents here.

Mr. Gordon Alexander, from Lucknow, is working at H. D. Woods' store.

Mrs. Joe Gaunt and Mrs. John Gaunt are visiting at Mr. Dave Gillies' home at Whitechurch.

Mrs. Joynt and daughter Fanny attended the wedding of Mr. John Joynt's daughter Ida, yesterday, at Lucknow.

The young people's Bible class of the Presbyterian Church are preparing for a garden party next week. A good time is promised. The party will be held at Mrs. Miller's home.

The meeting of the Bible Society was held in the Anglican Church last evening. Mr. Elliot, agent of the society gave an address. Mr. MacIntosh, of the Presbyterian Church, was present, and also Mr. Richardson, rector of the church.

A great many turned out to the social meeting of the Women's Foreign Mission Society yesterday afternoon. Miss Wellwood gave a good address, which all enjoyed. Refreshments were served in the basement of the church at the close of the meeeting.

CLINTON.

Clinton, July 12. — Misses Vivian and Virginia Smillie, of Chicago, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. J. Grigg.

Mrs. W. C. Rout, of Kansas City, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Trick.

The St. Matthew's bowling club of Toronto will play two games with the Clinton club on July 17.

Mr. John Ransford has a field of wheat, consisting of 35 acres, and it will measure over five feet in height. Inspector Torrance has a crop equal to this.

Miss Elizabeth A. Colquhoun, sister of Mrs. Henry Fitzsimmons and Mrs. A. J. McMurray, was married recently to Mr. Hugh Kennedy, of Staffa.

A big crowd from Clinton and locality went to Seaforth today to celebrate the 12th of July.

James Wylie, son of Rev. Mr. Wylie, captured the silver cup donated by Rev. Father Dunn, taking the highest marks at the entrance exams. He secured 537 out of 650.

Out of 70 who wrote at Clinton, 49 passed on the entrance exams.

Word was received here of the drowning of Wm. Burchell, aged 11, on Thursday. The boy's mother was a former school teacher here and he had visited here on several occasions.

Wm. Wheatly is driving a new auto.

Major H. T. Rance returned from the military camp at Petawawa on Wednesday.

Mr. Alfred Owen, of New York, president of the Clinton Knitting Company, is here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Twitchell were in London this week attending the funeral of the latter's brother, Mr. Mulley.

PASTOR'S MOTHER WAS FATALLY INJURED

Mrs. Perkins Dead as Result of Recent Runaway Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, July 13.—Word was received here yesterday of the death at Brantford during the morning of Mrs. Perkins, mother of Rev. R. J. M. Perkins, rector of St. James' Church. A little over a week ago, Mrs. Perkins was injured in a runaway at Brantford, and she succumbed to her injuries. She had occasionally visited in Ingersoll, and the announcement of her death was received with keen regret by numerous friends.

Mrs. T. W. Tay, of Buffalo, is the guest of Mrs. T. Allen, Thames street north.

Heaps of Berries.

Next week will likely see the marketing of raspberries in plentiful quantities. There is every promise of a big crop. Among many fruit growers there was considerable alarm on account of the drought. The bushes were bending under their weight of fruit, but the continued dry weather began to have a serious effect, as the berries were shrinking. Since the rain they have advanced towards maturity wonderfully and the prospects are that they will be plentiful next week.

A number of Orangemen from this district celebrated the Twelfth in Brantford.

A Fine Tourney.

Local bowlers are loud in their praise of the success of the first annual county bowling tournament held this week at Woodstock. The grounds of the Woodstock Club are said to be the equal of any to be found in Western Ontario. There was much enthusiasm behind the turnament, as was borne out by the splendid attendanae from the several bowling clubs. The representatives were hospitably received by the Woodstock Club, and there will be determined efforts to make next year's tournament a still greater success.

FIREMEN FIND MAN A MASS OF FLAMES

Night Watchman Saved the Mill, But May Die From His Burns.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, July 12.—Night Watchman J. A. Striker, by the hardest kind of work today prevented a disatsrous fire at Blonde's mill. As a result of his efforts his hair and whiskers are burned off, and his neck and shoulders are horribly injured from his celluloid collar, having caught fire also. He is at present in a serious condition.

The fire in the mill resulted from a backdraft which drove the flames forward from the furnace into the firehole, igniting some shavings. In a few moments the room was full of flames. Striker telephoned for the fire department, and went to work to check the flames in the meantime. When the firemen arrived he had the fire well under control, and practically out, but he was burned almost from head to foot.

Owing to Striker's good work, no damage resulted to the building.

80 AGENTS ATTENDED LONDON LIFE BANQUET

Insurance Men Gave Themselve Up to Pleasure After Annual Meeting.

The annual convention of the staffs of the London Life Insurance Company was concluded Friday night by a banquet in the convention room of the home office. Dr. A. O. Jeffery, K. C., was toastmaster, and over eighty of the agents of the company sat around the banquet table.

The different toasts were responded to by Mayor Graham, John M. Gunn (chairman of the board of education), Dr. A. O. Jeffery, J. G. Richter, Rev. T. J. Robinson (Milverton), J. E. Carson, J. McSweeney, R. P. Pearce, J. G. Stevenson, N. N. Montray, A. Bretz, and J. W. Humphrey. During the evening solos were given by Messrs. Meldrum, of the London staff, and Mowbray, of Ottawa, and Mr. Lugsden was repeatedly encored for his recitations. Messrs. J. E. Carson, of Toronto, and J. G. Stevenson, of Winnipeg, moved and seconded a vote of thanks to the company for the favors extended to those attending the convention while in this city.

A Sports Programme.

In the afternoon the delegates were given a trip around the city in a special street car, and after an hour's ride were taken to Springbank, where a programme of sports was given. The results of the races and games were as follows:

Baseball match, between "Ordinary" and "Industrial," resulted in a score of 12 to 9 in favor of the "Industrial" staff.

100 yards dash, over 50 — 1 Harrison, Toronto; 2 Taylor, Brockville.

100 yards dash, under 50 — 1 Manning, Toronto; 2 Fick, Kingston.

100 yards dash, free-for-all — 1 Arnold, Berlin; 2 Gould, Chatham.

Donkey race — 1, Richards, Toronto, and Fick, of Kingston.

Candle race — 1 Charles, London, 2 Vivian, London.

Blind pig race — 1 Vivian, London.

Tilting — Manning and Lugsden, Toronto.

Crab race—Brouse, Kingston.

Frog race—Fick, Gould and Waugh.

A tug of war between the "Ordinary" and "Industrial" staffs resulted in a tie.

PLAIN HINT TO EASTERN CANADA

Montreal Papers Say Sask. Election Was Notice Served on East.

FOR WIDER MARKETS

The West a Unit for the Large Market Policy of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Montreal, July 12.—The sweeping victory of Premier Scott in Saskatchewan on a frankly reciprocity campaign has been taken as a serious notice to Eastern Canada by all the Montreal papers, and has led to much editorial comment. Although these comments differ according to the political affiliations of the papers, they show unanmity in the conviction that the election indicates that feeling in Western Canada is as strong today or stronger than ever in favor of the policy of wider markets and better trade conditions advocated by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Montreal Star.

The Star (Con.) says:

"It would be idle to deny that the result in Saskatchewan appears at this distance to indicate that the grain growers of that province still believe that reciprocity would profit them .: But it ought not to be forgotten that they have had a satisfactory Provincial Government under Premier Scott, and that Mr. Haultain must suffer in their regard by his dubious attitude on reciprocity last year. Then the Scott Government appeared to be the champions of the west against the blanishment of a Government which, though Federal, is located and largely supported in the east. Sectionalism, no doubt played its part. The western type is stoutly independent, and would resent nothing so vigorously as what it might believe to be "eastern interference." As for reciprocity, that stands exactly where it did. But the Dominion Government must see in this polling clear evidence that the teaching of its own western friends last winter were quite true, and that western sentiment demands very careful consideration on all subjects which in any way touch western development."

A Liberal View.

The Herald (Liberal) in part says: "The result puts on record indisputably that the west will not be content until it has larger markets. Sir Wilfrid Laurier offered one way of obtaining them last September. Conceivably it was not the most desirable way, but it at least was a sane and sure way, and a way with which Saskatchewan has now for the second time declared itself satisfied. If there are other ways let them be demonstrated. The west cannot be expected to see its interests neglected and yet remain passive. It cannot be expected to allow itself to be robbed year after year of opportunity and the just reward of its labor. It simply must have wider markets."

Strengthens Liberalism.

The Gazette (Con.) will say tomorrow morning: "Whatever the purpose of the Liberal chiefs may have been when they decided to make their stand largely on Federal issues, the outcome has justified their tactics. The Government will seemingly be stronger in the new than it was in the late Legislature. The situation under the circumstances will naturally give needed courage to the Federal Liberal party, not perhaps with the best of reasons. Neither the result of the vote in Saskatchewan nor the result of a vote in any province can be thought likely to revive the Taft-Fielding reciprocity agreement, so far as the public of Canada is concerned. That bargain was not rejected on commercial, but on national grounds, and the national grounds are as strong today as ever."

MOTORCYCLIST HAD REMARKABLE ESCAPE

Thrown Into a Bog, He Was Unable to Extricate Himself.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Guelph, July 12.—In travelling from Owen Sound to Guelph along the Garafraxa road, a motorcyclist had a terrifying experience. Water was flowing across the road at the swamp below Orchard, and going through it his cycle ran intoa rut, pitching him off at the side of the road into a bog. He could not extricate himself, and was gradually sinking, his struggles only causing him to go deeper.

While he was in this predicament, when engulfed to his chest, one Tisdale, employed by Gordon Leggs, happened along, and at once surrounded the unfortunate cyclist with rails, which he clutched, and with the newcomer's aid was pulled out. The bog is supposed to be bottomless, and in a short time the man would have sunk out of sight.

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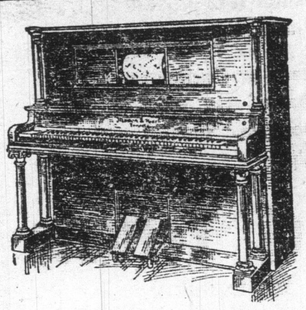

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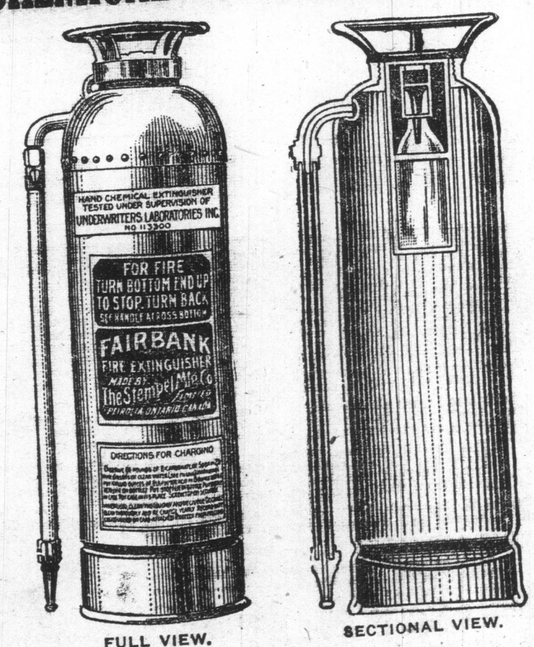

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