

ARKONA

Mrs. Ben Taylor is visiting friends in Sarnia this week.

Cicero Everett, of Port Huron, arrived in Arkona last week.

Miss Lena Culley, Forest, called on friends here last week.

We are open to buy clover and timothy. Clover mill in connection.—J. Geo. Brown.

Mrs. Potter, of Detroit, called on Arkona friends last week.

Mr. Alex. Towle has gone to Brantford where he has secured a situation.

Mrs. Jas. Dawes, of Thedford, spent Sunday with friends in the Ark.

Miss Campbell, of Port Huron, is visiting her friend, Miss Mabel Crawford.

Miss Louisa Backhaus, of Aylmer, is renewing old acquaintances in the Ark this week.

Mr. Roy Wilson, leaves this week for Toronto, where he will attend Veterinary College.

International and Dr. Hess stock foods.—J. Geo. Brown.

Mrs. Norton, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home at Owen Sound.

Mrs. Fred Everett, of Watford, spent a few days last week, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kells.

The reformed Mennonites will hold their communion services at their church on Oct. 20th. Rev. Jonas Anthes, of Colborn is expected to serve.

Word was received in town last Saturday that the Rev. Malcom Lindsay is spending his honeymoon making a trip through the British Isles.

Get our prices for 100 lb. sack ground flax.—J. Geo. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Muma and son of Spokane, Wash., are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. It is five years since Mr. Muma left here.

The following announcement has come to hand:—Mr. Chester Stillington and Miss Ruth Corfe were married Wednesday, Oct. 9th, 1907, at Westbourne, Manitoba. They are spending their honeymoon east and we expect to have a call in the course of a few days.

The trial of Gillis McPherson Jr. on a charge arising out of the evidence recently given by him concerning a local liquor case was heard on Tuesday, Cowan, K. C., of Sarnia, appeared for the defendant. There were some lively scenes in court, counsel and witnesses having some hot exchanges. The case was finally referred to the County Crown Attorney.

Leave your order for a tailor made 20th Century suits.—J. Geo. Brown.

SCIATICA CURED.

Mr. Chas. F. Haley Restored by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"I was utterly helpless with sciatica. I could not move in bed without aid. Doctors treated me but I did not improve. I used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and today am a well woman." This tribute to the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is made by Mrs. Chas. F. Haley, of Yarmouth, N. S.

Two years ago she suffered most severely from an attack of sciatica, and for a number of months was an invalid confined to her bed. She further states: "It is impossible for me to describe the pain from which I suffered. I endeavored to continue my profession as a music teacher, but was forced to give it up. The doctor said the trouble was sciatica, but his treatment did not help me. I could hardly take a step without the most acute pain shooting through my back and down the limb. Finally I took to my bed and lay there perfectly helpless, and could not move without aid. The pain was never absent. I consulted another doctor but with no better results, and I began to think I would always be a sufferer. One day a friend who was in to see me asked why I did not take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and on her advice I decided to do so. The result was beyond my most hopeful expectations. All the pains and aches disappeared and I have never since been troubled with sciatica. I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the trouble for which I suffered."

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BONTER McKENZIE.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McKenzie, of Adelaide, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on the 18th ult., when their daughter, was united in marriage to Rich. Bonter of Hastings. The bride's sister, Miss S. McKenzie, played the wedding march, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Lindsay of Arkona. The bride was unassisted and looked charming in a dress of cream silk voile, her only ornament being a hand-some necklace, the gift of the groom. The bride's going away gown was blue cloth with hat to match. The happy couple left for a short trip to Niagara, Buffalo, and other points east after which they will take up their residence in Hastings.

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CHURCH RE-OPENING.

Sunday last, the 13th inst., was a red letter day in the history of Grace Church, 4th line, Warwick, when after extensive remodeling and improvements, the church was re-opened for divine service by the Venerable Archdeacon Richardson, M. A. D. C. L., of London, who preached three most appropriate and deeply impressive gospel sermons, which were listened to with the utmost attention by the large and devout congregations, which could not fail to be a source of inspiration and make a lasting impression for good. The musical part of the service was rendered by the choir of St. Paul's Church, Kerwood, assisted by Colonel Kenward and Miss May Richardson, under the direction of Mrs. E. de Gex, and reflects the greatest possible credit upon the painstaking training and practice which must have been given to such excellently rendered music, such as is seldom heard outside a large city choir.

On Monday evening a very successful and largely attended tea party and concert was given in the schoolhouse. The ladies of the congregation did their part exceedingly well by providing a bountiful table to which all present did full justice. The program consisted of an illustrated historical lecture by Archdeacon Richardson, who, in a most graphic and popular manner, traced the historical and unbroken continuity of the church from the days of the Apostles to the present time. It was indeed interesting to see the views of ancient churches of England which were built fourteen and sixteen hundred years ago which are still standing and are unsurpassed even to-day for their magnificence and architectural beauty. Messrs. Clark and Lewis, of London, sang with pleasing effect, several popular solos and duets. Mrs. de Gex, and Mrs. Geo. Freese, sang very touchingly, "Saviour, breathe an Evening Blessing." Miss Eva Knight pleased the audience by singing the solo, "Oh Eyes that are Weary." St. Paul's church choir gave several well rendered anthems. Miss Ida Woods, of Stratford, accompanied in her usual excellent manner. Addresses were given by Revs. S. P. Irwin, B. A., Watford, and M. Shore, Warwick. Colonel Kenward, of Watford, acted in the capacity of auctioneer and disposed of the beautiful autograph quilt containing about 1500 names, which the ladies had been busily engaged in making for the past few weeks.

The greatest credit is due to Grace Church congregation for transforming their old church into what we might now call a magnificent edifice, and notwithstanding the large sum of money expended they have enough or nearly so to defray all indebtedness.

VANCE-LUCKHAM

The home of Nicholas Luckham, 15 sideroad, Warwick, on Wednesday Oct. 9th at high noon, was the scene of a pretty wedding it being the marriage of his daughter Susan, to Wm. J. Vance, son of Henry Vance, of the 4th line. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. I. Hosking, pastor of the Methodist Church, in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride was beautifully attired in embroidered Swiss Muslin and entered the parlor on the arm of her brother-in-law J. F. Smith, to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Pearl Luckham, of Petrolia. Miss Jean Smith, niece of the bride, dressed in white silk, was flower girl and carried the ring concealed in a basket of flowers.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room where a dainty wedding dinner was served. The bride's going away gown was of brown broadcloth with hat to match. Among the many presents was one given by the church of which the bride has acted as organist for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance left on the 3 p. m. train for points east. On their return they were tendered a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, the bride being a sister of Mrs. Smith.

BETTER THIS YEAR THAN EVER.

Any person who has read the Family Herald and Weekly Star for a few years back would wonder how it could be improved from year to year. Still everyone will admit that during the past twelve months there has been a wonderful improvement and the Family Herald and Weekly Star is today bigger value than ever before. Newspaper, Magazine and Agricultural Journal all combined, it is certainly a unique publication. Any person who does not know the Family Herald should give it a trial for 1908. It is a wonderful dollar's worth.

LLOYD-THOMPSON WIRE CO. IN LIQUIDATION.

The following appeared in the Toronto papers Tuesday. It has been rumored in local circles for some time that there was trouble in the Co. and the result is now announced:—The Lloyd-Thompson Wire Company, Limited, having its executive office at 706 West Queen-street, with factories located at Watford, Ont., decided at a special meeting of shareholders to go into voluntary liquidation.

The company's operations have absorbed too much of the company's capital invested in machinery, plant and factory buildings. This fact, coupled with heavy expenses and the general stringency in the money market, has led up to the necessity of the action.

The authorized capital stock of the company is \$75,000, of which \$20,400 has been issued and fully paid. The statement shows assets estimated at \$45,600, with liabilities to the public of \$18,000 and to the Town of Watford of \$14,250, being on account of loan granted as a bonus and repayable in twenty years without interest.

Thomas Dodds of Watford has been appointed liquidator, and a meeting of the creditors of the company has been called to meet at the head office of the company 706 West Queen-street, on Oct. 25.

DEATH OF JOSEPH OSBORNE.

A Notable Lambton Pioneer Passes Away in Alberta.

Readers of the Observer will share in the general regret that is felt throughout the county over the death of Mr. Joseph Osborne of Plympton, and add their sympathies with the surviving relatives of the deceased in their sad bereavement.

It is known to our readers that the deceased had entered upon what was to be a historical sketch of the county of Lambton, tracing its progress from its earliest settlement up to the present. He had brought the result of his researches to the point when Lambton, as a separate county had emerged from its position as part of the District of Hesse, through the period of union with the counties of Essex and Kent, to a municipal status of its own, and he was about to enter upon the township feature of its development, giving the origin of township names, the opening of them up for settlement, their municipal organization and names of early settlers, when he was forced to give up the work through illness. Bronchial trouble compelled his removal to the general hospital at London for treatment, and subsequently for his departure for the far west, where it was hoped that the change of climate would give him relief that it seemed impossible to obtain in this part of the country. His resting place was at Nanton, Alberta, in the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. G. Richardson. Here death came to his relief on Sunday, Oct. 6th.

The late Joseph Osborne was one of the pioneer school teachers of Lambton, following the profession for many years, finally retiring and taking up life as a farmer. He was an ardent collector of documents, papers and personal reminiscences connected with the early settlement of this part of the province, and had accumulated a store of knowledge on the subject that, at the solicitation of many of his friends and acquaintances he was about to put in shape for preservation through the columns of the Observer. Unfortunately he delayed the important work too long and had but fairly begun when the illness that ended in his death compelled its abandonment. His was a most interesting personality. Of his high literary ability; a mind stored with knowledge on a variety of subjects; an amiable disposition and ever ready to give to all who asked the benefit of his extensive reading and experience, he made friends of all with whom he came in contact and enjoyed the respect and esteem of the entire community. Such men are rare and his loss is a public calamity.

Of his family who survive to revere his memory there are Richard of Everskillen; Robert, of Nebraska; John, of Wyoming; Ont.; Mrs. Alex. Dawson, of Plympton; Nelson, of Plympton; Mrs. Robt. Love, Sarnia; Mrs. W. G. Richardson, son, and Miss Jennie Osborne, of Nanton, Alberta.—Sarnia Observer.

Died Suddenly.

Strathroy, Oct. 16.—Malcom M. Thompson, one of the most respected farmers and pioneers of Adelaide, died very suddenly at an early hour this morning after a few hours' illness.

Mr. Thompson, who had always enjoyed good health, was around yesterday morning as usual attending to the morning chores when he was stricken suddenly with a severe stroke of paralysis and fell unconscious to the ground. Medical aid was at once summoned, but it was seen nothing could be done for him and he passed away at an early hour this morning.

Shot a Young Eagle.

Brockville, Oct. 14.—A few days ago Mr. James Perry, a well-known resident of Kemptonville, saw a large bird hovering about in the neighborhood of his residence, and a number of small birds following it and making quite a commotion. Mr. Perry secured his gun and brought the bird to the ground. It turned out to be a young female eagle, which had apparently strayed farther north than was its wont.

SALE REGISTER.

Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., Friday, Oct. 25th, Geo. Clark, lot 7, con. 4, S. E. R., Warwick, proprietor. See adv't.

Auction sale of farm stock, implements etc., Monday Oct. 21st, Mrs. F. Clark, Lot 2, Con. 2, S. E. R. Warwick. Usual terms. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

Auction sale of farm stock, implements etc., Wednesday, Oct. 23, H. A. Edwards, Lot 25, Con. 3, S. E. R., Warwick, proprietor. No reserve. See adv't.

Clearing sale, Tuesday Oct. 22, Alex. Conkey, Lot 28, Con. 1, S. E. R. Warwick, farm stock, implements and household furniture. No reserve, owner going west. Usual terms. J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

Auction sale of farm stock, implements etc., Thursday, Oct. 24th, Thos. Copeland, Lot 5, Con. 20, Brooke, proprietor, J. F. Elliot, auctioneer. Usual terms. No reserve as the farm has been rented for a term of years.

Extensive auction sale of farm stock on E. Pt. of Lot 4, Con. 3, S. E. R., Adelaide, on Thursday, Oct. 24th, 1907, at one o'clock sharp. Terms 15 months credit. F. W. Wright proprietor. T. F. Hawken and R. Brock, auctioneers. See bills.

Auction sale of dairy cows Roche House, Watford, on Saturday, Oct. 19th, 1907. Sale at 2 p. m. 22 dairy cows, 6 springers. Cows guaranteed to calve in March or April. These are a specially select lot, and well worth the attention of farmers looking for choice dairy stock. Terms—12 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes. Six per cent. per annum off for cash. M. J. Clear, proprietor, J. F. Elliot, auctioneer.

Dr. Betteridge Dead.

Strathroy, Oct. 15.—Dr. Wm. Betteridge, son of the late Canon Betteridge, of Woodstock, an old and much respected citizen of this town, passed away at 5 o'clock to-night after an illness extending over several years.

The doctor was in his 80th year. The funeral will be held from his late residence, Front street, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Rev. S. F. Robinson, rector of St. John's here, assisted by the Rev. W. T. Cluff, rector of St. James, Stratford, formerly of Strathroy, will conduct the services.

It is expected that the new chain factory in Sarnia will be in operation inside of a few weeks.

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