

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

BEALTON

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Rogers of Boston, visited one day last week at Mr. W. B. Smith's. We are glad to report that Mrs. Robinson is better at time of writing. Miss Eric Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anderson at Villa Nova. Mr. and Mrs. A. Davis spent Thursday at Scotland.

EAST OAKLAND

Messrs W. Almas and son have taken the Robinson farm. Mr. Logan has been painting Almas & Son's house. Mrs. Fred O'Riley spent Wednesday as the guest of Mrs. Geo. Banister. Mr. Joseph Beal has taken the contract to draw milk to the Cocksfoot Road cheese factory. Mr. Wilfred Anderson is drawing milk for Mr. John Ryan.

ALBERTON

C. H. Stewart and family of Millin and Miss Mary Sharp, Carluke, were guests of Mrs. Wm. Sharp, Sr., on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Merrill of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons of the Hamilton Road, spent Sunday with Edgar Baker. Mrs. Robert Ferguson visited her sister, who is very ill in Brantford hospital, on Sunday. Miss David of Hamilton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sharp. Mrs. James Morwick is spending a couple of weeks with her mother in Elmvalle.

KELVIN

There is quite a good supply of milk coming into the cheese factory at present. Mr. Charles McNelles had the misfortune to lose one of his dairy cows a few days ago. Mr. George Bloomfield of Toronto was calling on relatives in this section one day last week. The wet weather is delaying the farmers very much with their seeding, as it is impossible at present to work on the low land. Mr. A. G. McCrimmon has rented his farm to Mr. Charles McNelles for the season. Mrs. John McCombs and little son of LaSalette were visiting relatives here a few days ago. A few of the farmers took their veal calves to the Scotland depot on Monday for shipment. Mr. T. S. Johnston of Vinemount was the guest of his sister in this section a few days ago. Mr. Underwood of Hamilton was through here on business one day last week. Some friends spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCombs. Mr. E. Racher was visiting his brother near Norwich one day last week.

WOODBURY

Mrs. George Howell of Brantford, is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. J. J. Force. The Woodbury Ladies' Aid are making arrangements for a garden party to be held on Mr. George Reed's lawn on the 13th of June. Mr. J. J. Force, agent for the G. H. Rundle Co., Limited, left on Monday to begin his work for another season. Mrs. W. Warboys of Woodstock, is spending a few days with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. V. and J. Doran of Tansey, and also Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reid of Princeton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Force. Mr. R. C. McKay and Viss Vena visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Force. Mr. and Mrs. L. Force of Second Concession spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Force.

BURFORD

Mr. Todd of Alberta is visiting the parental home. Messrs Blancher Bros. have closed

their meat shop owing to the scarcity of meat in the country.

The entrance examinations will be held on June 21st, 22nd and 23rd. The junior diploma will start on June 19th. A young daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. R. McLennan, Saturday May 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Johnston's infant daughter has been very ill. Mrs. Litchfield of Brantford is visiting old friends in the village. Miss Eva Clark of Paris spent the Sabbath at home.

Mrs. Dutcher, Mrs. Ripley and Mr. B. Johnston are repainting their homes on Alex St.

Mrs. La Pierre of Paris spent a few days last week with Mrs. A. D. Muir.

Mr. Lindsay has purchased a new Ford touring car. Mrs. Stedman is visiting Miss Sarah Carter.

Miss Judson of Mt. Vernon has been spending a few days with Mrs. Geo. Everett, Sr.

Mr. Geo. Everett, Jr., is visiting the parental home in Princeton. Dr. Johnson and Dr. Rutherford have each purchased new Ford cars. The new post office will be open to the public on Monday, May 22nd. No one should miss this chance of seeing through the office.

HARRISBURG

Pte. E. Wrecks of Hamilton was calling at his home here and on friends one day last week.

Miss Josie, Mrs. and Mr. F. Vrooman were in Owen Sound last week attending the funeral of their cousin. Mr. Roy Willis has moved to Brantford, where he has secured a good situation.

Mr. John Rudolph of Toronto spent Sunday with friends in the village. Miss Josie Vrooman spent Sunday with friends in Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Steedman of the G. T. R. here were the guests of their parents in Brantford on Sunday.

Mr. John Berry spent a few days last week at his home here.

Mr. A. Hazell of the Shell works, St. George, who was injured while at work there, has so improved that he has again resumed his situation here.

Mr. William Taylor of Port Colborne was calling on friends in the village one day last week.

Mr. John Reeder and family, who have been visiting with friends in the village, left for their home on Tuesday.

Mr. F. Robertson of Alford Junction has moved into the village. Mr. Harry Allen of Galt has been appointed G. T. R. foreman at this station.

Foreman MacDonald of Barrie has opened up the clay works here with a full force of men for the Ontario Portland Cement Co. of Brantford.

MIDDLEPORT

The Rev. Mr. Farrell purposes giving lantern views and lecture on Japan and other countries on Wednesday evening the 17th, in the Methodist church.

The Rev. Mr. Fry gave a lecture in the hall Monday evening. He gave a sketch of his trip from England to Canada and then after landing in Quebec his delightful yet sometimes perilous trip by way of Edmonton on to the McKenzie river to Pt. McPherson, where he first came in touch with Esquimaux and where he has spent the past seven years of his life as a missionary among those people.

Mr. Fry also assisted Mr. Mills in the afternoon service in St. Paul's church on Sunday afternoon and gave a very interesting talk, all that had the opportunity of hearing the Rev. Mr. Fry were delighted with what they learned.

The Woman's Institute meeting was postponed Wednesday last owing to the rain, but will be held Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. W. Knox.

Master Roy Morrell has the measles, but is getting better. Mrs. Dinsmore is improving slowly. Mrs. William Kelly of Brantford is visiting her mother, Mrs. Deagle.

Mr. Robert Cranston was calling on friends in the village on Monday. Miss Marjorie McFarlane of Ham-

ilton, was the guest of Miss Bessie Fearman over Sunday. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fry have returned to Brantford, after spending a few days at Mrs. Fry's father's, Mr. Word's, home.

Word had been received by one of the members of our Institute of the safe arrival in England of our first bale of goods. The answer was received from a wounded soldier in Hospital in Kent. He was wearing one of the shirts.

CANNING

While Mr. Jenny of Princeton, was bringing his clover threshing outfit along the highway Tuesday morning, when near this village, where the engine wheels fell into a hole and tipped it over on its side. One of the wheels were broken and it took a few hours hard work to get it righted and brought on as far as the blacksmith's shop, where it was left over night. After being repaired, it proceeded on its way Thursday morning. Mr. Jenny had a narrow escape from being injured.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield, second con. of Burford, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Chesney. Mr. John Brooks, quarter townline, was a guest at Hillbank Place on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wells and little son Alan, attended the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Letta Alan Drumbo, and Mr. H. Ruch, of Tilsonburg, on Tuesday morning. The fair bride is a popular young lady of Drumbo, highly respected and loved by a wide circle of friends, with whom her many friends here join in wishing the happy couple long life and happiness. The Rev. Mr. Harry of Drumbo, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Bain, of Tilsonburg, performed the ceremony.

A high wind raged here on Wednesday night and continued all day Thursday.

Our little village is not going to take a back seat just yet. Another of our one young men has responded to the call of King and Country. Mr. George Cracknell has joined the 215th Battalion. George, who is a great worrier with a host of friends, and an earnest church and Sunday School worker, will be much missed, but his friends are proud of the stand he has taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Showers of Etobicoke were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chesney, on Sunday.

Mr. Alex. Given, 4th con., was the guest of his brother James here on Sunday.

Miss Ida Tinklen of Paris, visited in the village on Sunday.

We are sorry to announce that Mr. Thomas Backbrough met with a very bad accident on Thursday while he was in the act of unloading a box of fish at Paris Junction. His horse took fright at a passing train, causing him to fall. His shoulder and arm were broken. He was rushed to the home of Dr. Gould, who attended to his injuries and brought him home in his car. He is as well as can be expected at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Chesney entertained a few friends Thursday evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. Mellick and family. Their son Glen, the young soldier, was the guest of honor, and wore his handsome wrist watch. A few hours were spent very pleasantly. The evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

Mr. R. J. Lawrie and his daughter Mabel, of Campbell Glen Farm North Burford, were in the village on Monday and called on Mr. Chesney.

Mr. James Given, who has been making improvements on his house, is putting up a new kitchen.

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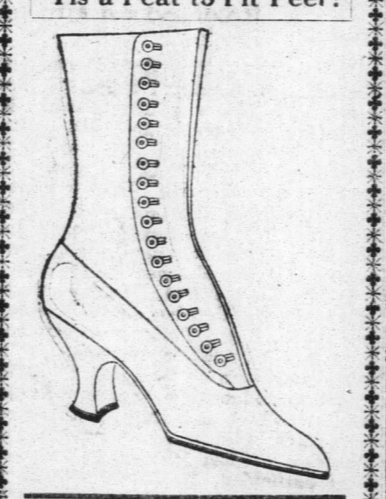
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MEXICAN TROOPS TO PATROL BORDER

Terms of Agreement Arrived at Between Two Countries.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Washington, May 17.—Genuine relief over the Mexican situation was evident in administration circles today. The principal cause was the assurance conveyed to President Wilson and his cabinet yesterday through Secretary of War Baker that the Carranza Government now is convinced the United States has no intention of intervening in Mexican politics, and that consequently resentment against the punitive expedition is rapidly decreasing. General Scott, chief of staff of the army, brought this word to Secretary Baker from his conference at El Paso with General Obregon, war minister for the Carranza Government. Among the promises made by General Obregon with the approval of General Carranza at the conclusion of the conference were these: "Ten thousand selected Mexican troops were to patrol the territory about Parral, the southernmost locality from which American troops are being withdrawn, and to search diligently for Villa or his bandits. A strong Mexican force was to try to capture the Glenn Springs and Boquillas raiders in the Big Bend district, and to liberate Deemer, the American storekeeper carried off by the bandits. No Mexican troops were to be moved from Sonora state through Pulpis Pass to the rear of General Pershing's column. General Scott's part of the informal pact did not include any promises of American troop withdrawal at a definite time. General Scott expressed the opinion that General Carranza and his war minister have ordered speedy troop movements in an attempt to carry out their pledges.

IMPORTANT CHANGES

In Grand Trunk Train Service Effective May 20th, 1916.

New train No. 55 will leave Toronto 10.15 a.m. daily except Sunday for Barrie, Orillia, Severn, Muskoka Wharf, Huntsville and North Bay, making connection at Muskoka Wharf for Muskoka Lake points. This train will carry the highest class of equipment including parlor, library, cafe car and first class coaches.

Train No. 41 now leaving Toronto 8.05 a.m. daily except Sunday, for North Bay, will be cancelled north of Gravenhurst.

Train No. 43 now leaving Toronto 1.30 p.m. daily except Sunday for Huntsville will run through to Scotia Junction, with new train for Algouquin Park and Madawaska, also for Depot Harbor and Parry Sound.

New train will leave Muskoka Wharf 5.00 a.m. (Mondays only) for Toronto, arriving Toronto 8.40 a.m. in time for business. This train will stop at all intermediate stations.

Timetables and full particulars on application to Agents.

G. T. R. Earnings.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Montreal, May 17.—Grand Trunk earnings for the week ending May 14, were \$1,076,436, an increase of \$154,330 over the corresponding week last year.

George Ade, the humorist, has tendered his resignation as a member of the board of trustees of Purdue University.

The Office Workers' Union of Boston has started a campaign to stop the kissing of female employees and the cursing in their presence by employers.

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PARLIAMENT ALL BUSINESS

Only Two Matters Then Prorogued at 4:30--Hon. Warming to Who Will Pe Politics

Ottawa, May 18.—Parliament today tabled the last piece of legislation from the sessional slate will proceed at 4:30 to-day. Two matters, the report of the Finance Committee, and also the Printing Committee, recommending economies in Government, remain to give the House a chance to meet to-day.

The bill authorizing the agreement by the government of the roads comprising in what is generally referred to as the Quebec agreement system, was passed by Senate last night after a six month hoist had been moved by St. Bostock and defeated by 22 to 8 supplementary estimate appropriate \$4,000,000 for the purchase of roads and the commencement of work thereon, was also passed. Commons, had been defeated standing vote of 29 to 12, Mr. V. Nickle voting against the government. The Senate amendments to Hon. Doherty's Prohibition Bill were accepted by the Minister, though stated he did so only because he did not wish to have the bill dropped together, and that he considered seriously prejudiced its effect. House then passed a supply bill totalling \$120,000,000.

Other matters discussed during day included the matter of shipment of goods from Eastern Canada. New York in bond, and thence boat via the Panama Canal to Pacific coast. Mr. J. C. Turfitt vociferating the appointment of a Canadian Customs official in New York for that purpose.

Hon. Dr. Reid announced that was endeavoring to promote a steamer service between Canadian ports.

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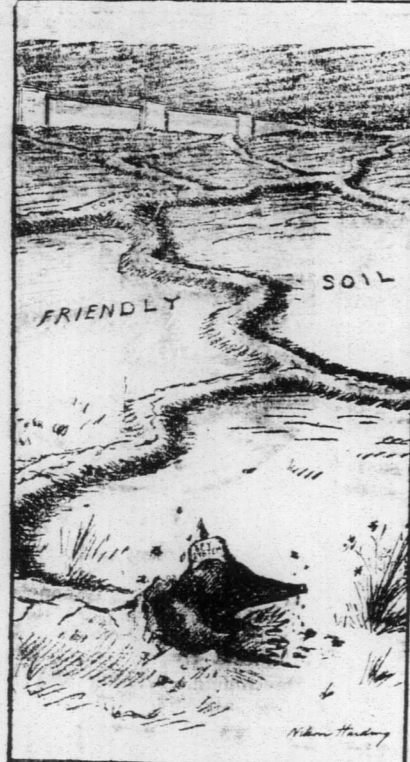
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EVERLASTING STRAIN OF WITTENBERG. Macbeth (with apologies to that comparatively philanthropic individual): "Will all great Neptune's ocean wash this blood clean from our hand? No, this our hand will rather the multitudinous seas incarnadine making the green one red."—Macbeth, Act II, Scene 2. —The Bystander, London, England.



HE WON'T BE HAPPY TILL HE GETS IT Russia is pressing forward with an eye on Constantinople, vide Daily Press.—New York Telegram.



BRING IT TO LIGHT —Baltimore American, Baltimore.