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LUTON

Mrs. John Griffin, of Toledo, Ohio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haggan, spent several days last week with friends in Jarvis.

Marshall McKnight spent Sunday in Sparta.

Mr. Angus Miller paid a week end visit to Toronto on business connected with the Farmers' Club.

There was a good attendance at the dinner and quilting given by the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. W. W. Brown on Thursday last. The ladies are contemplating installing an acetylene plant in the paragon and church in the near future.

JAFFA

Mrs. A. Wharton and daughter May Windsor, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doolittle.

Miss Louise Gower, of Laurel, attended the Doolittle-Stokes wedding and renewed old acquaintances last week.

Miss Gladys Smith has returned home after spending a few days in St. Thomas.

Mrs. J. Evert sr., from near Belmont, spent Tuesday of last week with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Elgie.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Backhouse, on the 28th, a daughter.

The Box Social held at the home of Mrs. W. Pickard was a sure success. The proceeds amounted to \$58.00.

The death occurred on Sunday of an old and well respected resident in the person of Mrs. J. Secord. She had been ailing for some time. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. S. Robbins, of Sparta. The funeral was on Tuesday, conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Soper, of Aylmer, spent the past week with their daughter, Mrs. M. Koyle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stafford, of Sparta visited at the home of Mr. J. Stafford on Sunday.

MT. SALEM

Mrs. Marshall and John Marshall, of Springfield, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Smithson and Mrs. Walter Buck have returned after attending the funeral of the former's cousin, Mrs. Pike, of Lyndoch.

Mr. Light, of Aylmer, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. Maginnis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vail, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Britton.

Mr. Will Saxon, of St. Thomas, was the guest of Chas. Ball last week.

Mrs. Mott, Miss Edythe and Geo. Mott spent one day in London last week with Evans Mott, who is seriously ill.

Mr. Jas. Wiseman and Mrs. Wiseman, of Aylmer, spent Wednesday in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family, of St. Thomas, spent a few days with relatives in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Chas. Mann, was the guest of Mrs. A. Ellsworth on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Ethel Hilliker is spending a week with friends at Grovesend.

Mr. Dan Millard is the manager of the new General store that is opened up here on the corner.

Mr. Jas. Hawley, Mrs. J. McKnight and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irish spent Sunday afternoon at Brownsville with Mrs. F. Hawley.

Miss King did splendidly in reviewing the Sunday school on Sunday last.

Word was received here on Friday last of the death of Evans Mott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Mott, of this place, at a London hospital. Gunner Mott had returned from overseas last fall and had been in the hospital taking treatment for some time. The burial took place at Hamilton on Monday last.

Mr. George Baker's house on the 2nd concession caught fire on Monday last. A spark from the chimney was the cause. He with the assistance of his family and neighbors managed to get it checked before it had gained much headway. One side of the roof was destroyed.

VIENNA

A reception was given in the Town Hall on Monday evening for another of our returned soldiers, Private Elmos Chute, and bride whom he brought to Canada from England.

Mr. Sydney Anger and Roy Hutchison are going West soon, and also were remembered at the reception. A good program was given, after which a lunch was served by the young men. The three boys for whom the reception was given were all members of the Young Men's Class of the Methodist Sunday school. The presentations were made by two other members of the Progress Class, Evert McCurdy and Albert Ferris.

A lecture on signalling will be given in the Methodist church on Wednesday.

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nesday April 9, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Admission 15 cents.

Mr. J. Payne, of Tillsonburg spent a few days last week in the village.

Miss Elva McCurdy, Glencolin, and Miss Vera McCurdy, Maple Grove spent the week-end at their home here.

Several from here are attending the services in the Oddfellow's Hall at Pt. Burwell, by the Rev. J. F. Davis, of Frogmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Godby are moving to Port Burwell this week, where Mr. Godby has accepted a good position.

Mr. Jack Coombs left on Monday for England. His many friends are sorry to see him leave the village.

MAPLE GROVE

Miss E. Learn, of Vienna, spent the week-end with friends here.

Mrs. H. Howey and daughter, Miss Verna, of Stratfordville, visited at John Stewart's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Howey, of Eden, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Howey, on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Howey and Mrs. H. Murphy, of Stratfordville, visited Mrs. James Howey on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Stewart spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. H. B. Howey, near Stratfordville.

Miss Alice Stewardson, of Watford, returned to her home on Monday last after spending a few days visiting friends in the vicinity.

Pte. Fred Heather after spending some time with friends here, left for his home in Saskatchewan on Friday last.

RICHMOND

Services were started in the village again Sunday evening conducted by Rev. Wilkinson.

The "flu" is gradually dying out now around this place and hopes are entertained that it will not return.

Miss Odell, our teacher, who has been ill with the "flu", has returned to her home in Ingersoll, with her mother who has been at her bedside for several days.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Acre, in this village, a son, on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Webster, and little son, of St. Thomas visited her parents, Mr. W. Mitchell on Sunday.

Jamie Proconier has been very poorly for the last week.

Mrs. W. Philmore, who has made her home with Mrs. Tom. Firby, her step-daughter, was buried on Monday last. Interment at Richmond cemetery west.

BELMONT

Pte. Fred Monk, has returned to the invalided soldiers' hospital in Guelph after spending a few days with his parents here.

LC-CP. C. C. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Baker, of this village, went to St. John, N. B. last week and returned with his bride (nee Isabella Campbell) formerly of Ayr, Scotland. On Tuesday evening a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barons in which Mr. and Mrs. Baker were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. Mr. Baker has been appointed station agent on the C. P. R. at Speedwell and will take up his duties on April 1st.

The services held in the Methodist and Knox church Sunday were a little out of the ordinary. Rev. Gilbert Agar, B.A., of Toronto, secretary for the Social Service, Council of Ontario spoke on Community Centre work in the Methodist church at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. and in the Knox church at 2.30 p.m.

On Monday 31st a canvass of the country began in the interests of the community hall which is to be built in the village in the near future.

The annual oratory contests for girls takes place in Knox church on Friday evening, April 4th. The following four girls are contestants for the gold medal donated by Mr. Omond and the silver medal donated by Mr. Thorne Jackson. Mildred Barons, Ruby Boyer, Myrtle Barons and Viola Dawes.

NEW SARUM

Mrs. Andrew Brown has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) D. Irvin, St. Thomas.

Mr. Herbert Anderson left on Thursday for Winnipeg, where he will spend a few months.

Mrs. (Rev.) W. B. Walker is visiting relatives in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stephens, of Richmond was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilcox, and family, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Ashton, of Pt. Bruce.

Mrs. R. Hardy, of St. Thomas, who has been the guest of Mrs. A. Hepburn, has returned home.

Miss Hatcher, is ill with tonsilitis. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sairbairn and

FAIRVIEW

Mrs. L. Prowse, of London, is here visiting friends.

Mrs. C. Thompson, of Brownsville is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Campbell.

Mrs. Thomas-Lowe, of St. Thomas, was here last week getting her furniture ready to move to St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Campbell, of Vienna spent Sunday here visiting friends.

Some of the farmers have started to plow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ellis spent Sunday with Mr. Moore at Lakeview.

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Little Mary Chute is home again after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Ed Zaff, Toronto.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fugard, a son, on March 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Baker, were called to Aylmer last Saturday to the bedside of the former's mother, who is very ill.

The farmers' truck starts drawing milk this week.

COPENHAGEN

Sydney Rozell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rozel, was thrown from a horse one day last week and had his leg badly broken.

School re-opened here on Monday.

Miss Gertie King, of Tillsonburg, spent the week-end with Lela White.

Mrs. Henry Kelly attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Henry Pake, at Delhi last week.

Mrs. C. Hilborn and Gladys, spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bagnall, Glanworth.

A number from here attended the sale of A. Percy last Friday.

A play, "The Minister's Bride" is to be given in the near future. Watch for the date.

S.S. NO. 6, MALAHIDE

St. IV—Ralph Briggs, Violet West, Dwight Pressey.

Jr. III—Adelaide MacKenzie, Verla Baker, Merna Baker, Ula MacKenzie.

St. III—Muriel House, Edna Ellsworth, Irene Soper, Clayton Briggs, Gladys Stacey.

Jr. III—Hark Taylor, Edith West, Harvey Lightfoot, Harold Briggs, Eva West.

II—Beulah Lightfoot, Iola Fowler, Hazel Stetter, George Pearce.

Pr.—Evelyn Vail and Willie Irwin, equal; Sylvia Stetter.

Marion Martindale, teacher.

QUALITY IN OUR FIELD CROPS

(Experimental Farm Notes)

The attainment of quality is the "worth while" of farming. Livestock, the best of their breed, well fed and thrifty; fruit, large of size, rich in color and flavor; crops, vigorous, free from weeds, productive and pure of variety, these things represent "quality," and its attainment should be the goal of our farming ambitions.

As applied to field crops, it has to be considered in two ways, first the quality of the standing crop, second, the quality of threshed grain. The quality of the crop in the field is determined by the state of till and fertility that the seed bed is in at the time of sowing, and by the care given to the selection and cleaning of the seed previous to seeding. Quality in the threshed grain is determined largely by the same factors. Vigorous plants are essential for the production of large, plump grain, and these can only be produced in a well tilled fertile seed bed and by a vigorous variety which is the product of careful breeding and selection. The purity and uniformity of a variety can be maintained only by consistent selection through the medium of the seed-plot and the fanning-mill.

To produce quality in our crops attention must be given to all the factors enumerated, while the neglect of any will result in the crop inferior in appearance, yield and reproductive power.

Barring weather injury, quality and yield together. Large yields per acre generally go hand in hand with grain of beautiful appearance and uniform excellence, and vice versa. The farmer thus receives generous remuneration for his labor, but what is more important, in striving for quality he will find his greatest reward not only in increased yields and larger profits, but in the satisfaction that attends the application of intelligent and concentrated effort.

SPRING CLEANING DANGERS

Every housekeeper knows how often little injuries are met with during "spring cleaning" time and how easily the sore place becomes infected with dust and germs. The danger of this lies in the fact that injuries—slight at first, if not attended to, may become inflamed, fester, cause great suffering and inconvenience, and frequently lead to blood-poisoning.

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Thursday, April 3, 1919

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Friday, April 1 Farm. Clearing; Implements, Hay property of W. east of Luton, to tion, commencing the following v: Bay mare, 11 year; Bay horse, 6 year; chestnut mare, 5 1100 10 dairy g; Durham cows in two-year-olds, su calf; 5 yearlings; spring calves. 11 lbs. each. Quant ity of wheat; Binder, M.-H.; 1 hay tedder; disc field cultivator. Motor, 2-row, M. disc harrows, M. mings plows; Cock Percival No. 10 of smoothing ha Dale; manure s 2 corn scufflers; binder; fanning gine, I.L.C. on 1 saw; 2 wagons; 2 hay racks; den buggy; buggy p cream separator; er; strainer; 8 co shovels, hoer, lat harness; 3 sets ness; 2 barrels v harness; 8 sheep April; hay rake; cradle and other ous to mention months; 6 mer Pound, auctione

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