

THE HILL
Miss Gertie Sharp of Pennsylvania has been visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp of Oswego have been visiting Mr. Mr. Shorrey and Mr. J. Sharp.

NILES CORNERS.
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ZION NOTES.
Wedding bells are ringing on the ninth line. We are pleased to report that little Miss Mary Caldwell is out again after her long illness.

VICTORIA.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Hubbs and family and Mrs. M. Hubbs Sundayed at Mr. W. Sagers, Albany. Mr. and Mrs. David Vandervoort of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bryant and little daughter of Gilead Mr. and Mrs. Randall Bonter and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brickman and Andrea were Sunday guests at Mr. Everett Brickman's.

AMELIASBURG, 4th CON.
It is with deep regret that we report the death of Mrs. Abraham Wood. The deceased lady who was in apparent good health and in excellent spirits on Tuesday, passed to the Great Beyond sometime during the night. And on Wednesday morning Sept. 13, her numerous friends were dumbfounded as the sad tidings soon spread abroad.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late C. Pierson of Carrying Place, Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Mastin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. V. Brown. Mrs. E. Wycott and Mrs. L. Lont were in Trenton Saturday. Mr. C. Wannamaker has commenced work on his new house. Mrs. E. Morton of Belleville is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wood returned on Wednesday from their honeymoon.

HILLIER.
A number from here spent Saturday in Trenton. Mr. Geo. Foster and two sons from Bloomfield visited at Mr. W. A. Foster's on Sunday last. Mr. Frank Jones has recently had the phone put in his house. Miss Verna Woolf is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. Benway, 3rd line. Miss Leah Gilbert, Corbyville is visiting her sister, Miss H. Gilbert, for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and family spent Saturday in Belleville. Mr. Wm. Wight spent Sunday at home. Mr. Canniff Foster was badly injured last Friday when the car which he was driving upset, holding him under it. He had three ribs broken and sustained several other injuries. We hope for his speedy recovery.

BIG ISLAND.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Mills spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. Mills, of Shannonville. The Big Island Women's Institute held their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Hough, of Demorestville. There was a large attendance and all report a good time. Mrs. Wrightmeyer of Bethel, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Sprague. Pte. H. E. Cobourne spent the week at his home here. Miss Irene Barragar is entertaining company this week.

READ.
A number from here attended Belleville Fair last week but everyone has returned after a six weeks' visit with friends in Belleville. Mr. and Mrs. T. Shannon, Latta, were the guests of Miss Alice Hanley Sunday last. Mr. and Mrs. Rush, Moscow, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Candon. A little girl has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Walsh. Mrs. O. Deegan and family, after spending a few weeks with friends in Belleville, returned to their home on Monday evening. Miss Aggie McGinnis is spending a few days in the Limestone City. A very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hanifan last Tuesday evening when they entertained a large circle of friends who tripped the light fantastic on a spacious platform till the wee small hours. John Callahan returned to Ottawa last week to resume his studies at the University. He was accompanied by his brother Dan who will take up a course of studies in the same college. John Enright has purchased a new Ford car. Considerable excitement was caused in our village Thursday last when a spirited colt owned by P. Lally broke away from its owner and dashed through the village at an alarming rate of speed. No damage was done however, the horse being caught and returned to its owner by Phillip Walsh.

MELROSE.
Although the weather was very disagreeable Shannonville Fair was well attended. Miss Effie Miller of Belleville visited her former home, Mr. Clem Haight's for a few days. A little boy has come to stay with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McKinney.

CROOKSTON.
A number from our vicinity spent Sunday at the Holness Movement camp meeting. Mr. Percy Tummon of Toronto spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. H. Tummon. Miss Emma Lancaster and Mr. Herbert Tummon attended Belleville Fair on Friday. A number from our vicinity attended the school fair at Ivanhoe on Friday and everyone seemed to enjoy a very social time together. Messrs. Ernest and Percy Tummon and Mrs. E. Emerson took in Shannonville Fair on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sullivan and Miss Frances Sullivan spent Sunday in our neighborhood. Misses Kennedy of Chapman spent the week-end with Mrs. Harry Muller. Miss May Chambers and Miss Em-

ma Jones spent a couple of days last week at Eldorado. A number of our Sunday School workers attended the convention held in Beulah church last Thursday afternoon and evening. Next Sunday is Rally Sunday. Come yourself and bring your friends to our rally service. Miss Emma Morgan and Miss Gladys Blue are attending Madoc High School.

FRANKFORD.
On Wednesday about the noon hour an alarm of fire was given when it was found that the canning factory was on fire, but fortunately it was put out with but little damage to the property. Mr. Geo. Pollard, Jr., is erecting a new silo. A number from here and surrounding country attended the two days' fair held at Belleville. On Saturday the "World's air" was held at Shannonville and a few from here attended. Mr. H. Parry and daughter Lena and Mr. and Mrs. Wm Tripp motored down on Saturday morning. The Sunday School of the Methodist Church are preparing for rally service on Sunday, Sept. 24th at 10.30 a.m. Dr. H. V. Malone and Captain D. MacRostie of the 204th battalion of Renfrew spent Sunday in town with their families. Our town was very quiet on Sunday as a very large number of our people attended the camp meeting at Ivanhoe. Mass was held in St. Francis R. C. church at 9 a.m. on Sunday by Rev. Father O'Reilly. The service in Trinity church was held at 7 p.m. on Sunday by Rev. B. F. Beyers. Rev. J. D. P. Knox led the services in the Methodist church at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. on Sunday. Mrs. Weese and little son Wesley of Rossmore, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Geo. Benedict. Rev. C. G. Williams, Chief Recruiting Officer of Canada will preach anniversary services in the Methodist Church on October 8th at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sergt. Will Rose of the 45th battalion is in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rose. The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Murney Sine on Thursday afternoon. A large number was present. Wedding bells are ringing in our village. We hear the sound of them in the distance. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hearns. Mrs. Ed. Prentice attended the funeral of Mr. Wm. Gossell on Monday. Miss Bella Ostrom left on Monday for a extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Turley, of Kewatin. Mrs. A. Loey and daughter left on Monday for her home in the West after spending some weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith of town. Mrs. D. MacRostie spent Tuesday in Toronto. Mr. Will Bush was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fox of Wooler on Sunday. Nearly the whole town either motored or drove out to the tea meeting held at Scott's church in the 6th on Monday evening. All who were here are loud in the praise of the good time they had, especially at the table, where they partook of the good things prepared by the ladies of that appointment. One car came in contact with a cow along the road and was somewhat smashed up. Fortunately the occupants of the car were not injured and were picked up by some passing cars and arrived at the church in time for their tea. Mrs. E. G. Sills and daughter, Miss B. were in town on Tuesday.

FOXBORO.
Jack Frost has visited our vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hamelton motored to Peterboro on Sunday last. Mr. and Mrs. Will Logue of Holway and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis and Jack spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart. Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frederick in the loss of his mother, Mrs. Frederick of Belleville. Misses Stella and Helen Davis and Nettie Stewart spent Sunday with Miss Gladys Stewart. A number from here attended the Hornsmeete meeting last Sunday. Mr. Kenneth Prentice of Bowmanville has been home for a few days owing to the death of his grandfather Mr. William Gossell. Death visited our vicinity last Saturday in the person of Mr. William Gossell. He had been ill for some time and although death was expected it came quite as a shock to the community. Mr. Gossell although he is away from all pain and suffering, will certainly be missed by his innumerable friends. Our sympathy is ex-

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Wicklow Woman's Institute, Mrs. Hall, Secretary; Miss Florence Usher, Packer—47 pairs socks, 4 shirts, 1 pair wristlets. Bayside Woman's Institute, Mrs. C. Hall, President; Mrs. F. A. Gardner, Sec.-Treas.—18 night shirts, 6 hospital shirts, 6 khaki shirts, 12 pairs socks. Ten cases are being shipped to the following hospitals: 2 cases to No. 3 Stationary Hospital, care Nursing Sister C. Geen. 2 cases to French Emergency War Relief, 44 Lowndes Square, London, England. 1 case to Dublin Castle Hospital. 1 case to St. John's Ambulance Society. 1 case to Ontario Government Hospital, Arplington, England. 2 cases to Canadian War Contingent Association. 12 small boxes were forwarded to men from Coe Hill and to officers for distribution to men containing each, 1 shirt, 2 pairs socks, writing paper, envelopes, tobacco, handkerchiefs. To officers, a dozen pairs of socks each. The supplies were made by the following societies: Moira Red Cross Society, Mrs. Albert Ketcheson, President—20 pairs socks, 7 pairs pyjamas, 2 dozen towels, 40 pillow slips. Plainfield Woman's Institute, Mrs. Peter Hibble, President; Miss Annie Hamilton, Sec.—All these supplies were donated except pyjamas: 35 towels, 3 quilts, 5 feather pillows, donated by Mrs. H. Hudgins, 132 handkerchiefs, 12 pairs socks, 35 pairs pyjamas. Donations. 1 box candy, Mrs. P. D. Goldsmith; 10 lbs. tobacco, writing paper, pads and pencils. A Vanophone and records were sent by Miss C. Geen for hospital huts by request for which Marysville Institute donated \$2.00, Wallbridge Institute donated \$2.00. Other cash donations were Mr. French, for Navy Fund, \$10.00; Marysville Woman's Institute, for hospital appliances, \$25.00; Miss Alice Corby \$5.00, Mrs. Chas. Green \$1.00. F. M. Lazier, Pres. Agnes McFee, Secy.

TWO GERMAN'S ARRESTED.
Suspected of helping or possibly running an agency for the liberation of prisoners of war in Fort Henry, Paul Langer, Joyceville, and a Gananque German named Brusler, have been taken in charge by the military authorities and are now in the police cells. The arrest brings into prominence another chapter of the recent escape from Fort Henry. The commandment of the Fort was convinced assistance from some sympathizers in this country and he has been quietly investigating. It was found that Brusler was living in Gananque, and that he was in close touch with a boathouse which was on the outskirts of the town. He was closely watched, and from his actions it was deemed advisable to place him under arrest. When the order was issued Brusler could not be found, but he was located at Findlay, and it is stated that he was preparing to leave for the United States. In the case of Langer it has been learned that he had been in communication with a German society in the city of New York. The mass of documents found in his suit case may bring forth some startling information. There is reason to believe that one or perhaps both of the Germans were assisting in the escape of the prisoners from the fort, and if this fact is established they will likely be placed in the fort. Langer is a cheesemaker by occupation and has been employed near Joyceville for a considerable length of time.—Kingston Standard.

CAPTURED FOUR BIG ONES.
Four maskinonge, weighing respectively 38, 36, 32 and 31 pounds were caught in one day recently at Three Mile Bay by Dr. C. W. Campbell and Windsor Angel, of Dexter, N. Y.—Gananque Reporter.

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