

DISTRICT DOINGS.

CEDAR SPRINGS.

Mrs. John Hamby, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Kent Bridge, returned home on Saturday. Our fisherman, W. Wickwire, is busy mending his nets and getting everything ready for spring fishing. Peter Crane has completed his ice cutting at the Eau and is now busy filling his own ice house. Miss Garrett, of Chatham, who has been visiting the McGulgan family, returned home on Sunday. Arthur Wilson, who has been sick for some time, is able to be out again. Mrs. James Claws' oldest boy is very sick.

OUNGAH.

The Ladies Aid of Grace church gave their annual social and concert at the residence of J. Teakey Friday evening. Mrs. Alex. Goulet is dangerously ill with pneumonia. There is scarcely a family on this Talbot street but has sickness of some nature, a gripe being the prevailing disease. A. F. Elliott is recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy. E. Teakey is able to be around again after his severe and long confinement. J. Richards intends moving to his future home in Blythwood next week. We wish him success. Mr. Evans has gone to New Ontario, where he intends to hew out his new home. Ice hauling is the general employment these days. Two of our boys took a fresh bath yesterday and were fished out by others close by.

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WABASH.

Mrs. Webster, of Port Burwell, is the guest of her brother, Mr. David Cutler. Mrs. Dave Wilson taught the Bible Class Sunday morning. George Kelley, Jr., of Pontiac, is visiting relatives in this neighborhood. Miss Emma Phillips has returned home after spending three weeks in the Maple City. Russell Kelley is spending a few days visiting around here. Arthur Henderson has the office of building the first and attending to the Methodist church. Robert Wilson had a bee on Friday drawing sand for his new brick house, which he purposes building. Married, in Chatham, on Feb. 18th, Mrs. Elizabeth Hockley to Mr. Robert Kelley, of Wabash. The happy couple will reside on Mr. Kelley's farm and have the congratulations of their many friends.

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LODGE.

WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C. meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed. J. S. BLACK, W. M.

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MCKAY'S CORNERS.

The Rev. D. M. Robertson preached in Chesley, Bruce County, on Sunday, exchanging pulpits with Rev. Mr. Patterson. John Robertson is now convalescing from an attack of pneumonia. Many of our young people attended the big tea meeting at Botany last evening. Edith Young is quite ill with pneumonia. Rev. Mr. Kellington, of Fargo, is in the village to-day on business. Jim Holmes is the new caretaker of St. James church—Mack Campbell re-tires. Farmers are making preparation for work in the sugar bush at an early day.

TUPPERVILLE.

Byron Holmes has returned home after spending a week with his brother in Michigan. Mrs. Alice Stover and Mrs. Roe, of Michigan, are visiting friends here. Mrs. Wilcox has been sick, but is improving. The Shaw mill has started again. Mr. Tweedle and Mr. Smuck have returned from a trip east. Mrs. Robert Dunlop and Earl called on Mrs. K. R. Reid Monday. A new church church will be built here this year and also a bridge. Archie Hall has the lumber on the ground for his implement shed. The Ladies Aid social on Tuesday was a success. An oyster supper was held at Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bisnett's on Friday last.

DOWN THE RIVER.

Henry Clements is improving his farm by erecting a new wire fence. Juel Crow's family are all sick with the measles. J. Peel has bought the Stringer farm at handsome price. Harry Peel has hired with R. Smith for the year at good wages. Mrs. W. Cook, Jr., gave a party to her many friends on one night last week, where games and other amusements were the order of the evening. Joe Thomas' new house is finished and has his family moved in for the winter. The second eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown was taken to the hospital last week suffering from a high fever. We are pleased to hear he is improving.

LOUISVILLE.

Mr. Noble is not very well. There is strong talk of petitioning for a bridge over the river at Louisville. Miss Myrtle Arnold is able to be out again after a week's sickness. Miss Ada Arnold is very sick with congestion of the lungs. C. N. Dewey paid our town a flying visit last week. The Gun Club held their regular on Friday last; the following is the score out of 15 birds: F. M. Bedford, 12; James Reid, 11; Len. Arnold, 10; Wm. Coulter, 10; Melt French, 10; Robert Miller, 8; L. Bedford, 8; L. Gregory, 8; H. Blackburn, 8; F. Arnold, 8. This Club has accepted a challenge to shoot Kent Bridge Gun Club at Kent Bridge on Friday afternoon, Feb. 28th, commencing at 3 o'clock.

UP THE CREEK.

Samuel Spicer, Alberta, who has spent the winter here, leaves for his far off home Monday. A. T. McKellar, whose life was despoiled of an attack of pneumonia, is recovering. W. Stevenson and wife, Blenheim, spent Sunday the guests of friends on the creek. Douglass Maynard leaves for Alberta next week, where he intends to live the life of a rancher. Rod Broughton and Jack Houston are visiting friends near Alton. George Sloan is cutting down his apple orchard. He has no faith in apples as a paying crop. C. Reighlin has purchased the Johnstone farm, lately owned by John Smith, drover. H. Remington purposes building a large bank barn the coming spring. Andrew Smyth and wife leave today for a fortnight sojourn with friends in Alton. Reeve Morrison was on the creek Monday on municipal business. A letter from Frank Wilson Saturday conveys the welcome news that he is steadily continuing to improve. According to old time tradition, the crows will begin to build their nests next Sunday. Vic Fields, who has been lying very low for some time, shows marked signs of recovery. A. S. Maynard is moving his effects to the Marshall farm near Vespburg this week. Hoge still continue to die of the plague on the Creek. The inertia of the Government in this matter is most reprehensible. James Liddy is preparing to make great improvements on his fine farm the coming season. Sanitary Inspector Burk acting under instructions of the M. H. O. has quarantined St. Paul's No. 2 school, Paton's Hall and ten dwelling houses, as a precautionary measure to stamp out small-pox. B. Rothwell, Sr., A. McCormick, and Capt. Arnold took the initial steps Saturday for the formation of the Harwich Civilian Rifle Association. Capt. McLaren, of the 24th Regiment, is backing the movement. A personal interview was had with Geo. Stephens, M. P., and our energetic member will push it forward on his return to Ottawa with heart and soul.

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CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.

Owing to the small-pox epidemic the Union Literary Society has closed for time unknown. Wm. De Verna, of Toledo, has returned home after spending a week with his daughter, Mrs. O. Arnold. Wilfrid Weaver has recovered from an attack of the measles. John Langen spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends at Charing Cross. Edward Overstreet is suffering from an ulcerated tooth.

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LAZARUS.

Most Notable Recent Poem Is That on His Resurrection—Translation of a strikingly Beautiful Poem.

Quite the most notable poem of recent weeks is that on the resurrection of Lazarus which appeared originally in The Nuova Antologia, the great Italian review. Various translations have been offered of it, but the following, made for The Living Age, is being widely copied, and is said to be a fair reproduction of the beauty of the original of this striking piece of work: (Scene.—Near Bethany. Lazarus is sitting on the edge of the grave half naked, with limbs still entangled in his shroud. He feels the quiver of life contending against the torpor of death within him. He sits motionless and speechless, gazing at the light as though half-blinded. Opposite him stands Jesus, erect, with uplifted eyes. A little farther off stand Martha and Mary divided between joy and terror, not venturing to come nearer. The apostles form another group, and there is a great concourse of people. It is a bright, still morning in spring.)

Cries of the multitude: Wonder unheard, unsaid! Lazarus who was dead is there—is living, instead?

Martha: My brother!

Mary: My brother!

The Apostles: From the tomb! There's life in the clay!

John: From the folds of the grave he is leaping away!

John: Aye, the flesh is alive!

Luke: But the soul is afar—

Mark: Nay, there's red in the cheek!

Matthew: In the eye there's a star!

A man of the people: Of all our words of amazement fears he not one!

Like a soul in utter bedazzlement beholds the sun.

A woman: It gave me an icy shiver

When he rose from under the pall

When the flesh began to quiver

And the white cerecloth to fall.

A tottering old man: Oh, mighty Jesus, hear me.

Add mercifully to my list of woes

When the few days I have to live are o'er!

If I should when I am sinking

Wert thou, kind Sir, I'm thinking

Me, from death to life Thou might'st recover!

A centurion: A quiet old gaffer, this—

Who would have more of such a life as this!

A mother: Oh, Jesus, fall me not!

My life is dead—what Thou here hast wrought!

Another, with a sick child in her arms: A lesser thing ask I:

My little lad is ill—make him not die!

Martha: Look on thy Martha, brother!

Mary: Look on the loving friend who brought thee here!

Lazarus, after gazing a few seconds upon Jesus: Master!

Cries of the multitude: Wonder of wonders! The knot's untied! Fate is beaten, and death is fled!

Lazarus: When he speaks the man who died!

Ob, Master, what hast Thou done?

The Apostles: He hath raised thee, dreaming one! Lazarus, wearily, vaguely and disconnectedly: Oh, Master, I obey!

Thou saidst, "I obey!"

Speak, and make known Thy will.

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| West Lorne 7:30 a.m. | 10:30 a.m. | 7:45 a.m. | 7:30 p.m. | 3:30 p.m. |
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| St. Thomas 7:30 a.m. | 10:30 a.m. | 7:45 a.m. | 7:30 p.m. | 3:30 p.m. |
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