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MELROSE

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sills of Riverfield, Ottawa, are again returning to their home at Melrose. All will be pleased to have them again in our midst. Mrs. Forbes of Manitoba, is spending the winter with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John McKinney. The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. John English, a large attendance being present. After the usual programme, refreshments were served by the hostess, after which the ladies were very busy cutting garments for Red Cross work. All reported a very pleasant and profitable afternoon spent.

The Farmer's Club, assisted by the Women's Institute, purpose holding a patriotic concert in the near future. The ladies of the Methodist church are preparing to hold a bazaar, date not yet decided upon.

Miss Blanche Stafford is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clem Haight.

Mrs. John Weese spent a few days with relatives in Crookston.

Mr. Bert Simpkins of Belleville, spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Mr. Harry Jeffery has returned after spending the winter in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morden visited relatives in Prince Edward last week.

HOLLOWAY

Holloway is to be congratulated on its new station, being much larger and more accommodating for the public travelling by train.

The tea and ice given by the W. M. S. at the home of Mrs. G. Ostrom on Thursday evening last, was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMullen and Mr. and Mrs. E. Turner spent Friday last with friends in Stirling.

Mrs. S. Rose spent a day last week with her sister, Mrs. S. Elliott.

Mr. J. Wilson had the wood sawed a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maines of Lost Channel, spent over Sunday with their niece, Mrs. H. Townsend.

A number from this vicinity attended the induction in Foxboro on Thursday last.

The Rev. P. W. Currie called on Friday, on Mrs. R. Townsend, who has been ill.

CROOKSTON

Pte. Bruce Mitts spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. M. Mitts.

Miss Ryan was the guest of Miss Laura Ross of Belleville, last Thursday and Friday. She returned home last Friday.

Mrs. G. Ross had the misfortune to fall on the ice and sprain her arm. Glad to say she is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mitts spent last Saturday in Belleville with Pte. Bruce Mitts.

Mrs. Clapp is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Mitts.

Miss Lillian Ryan is sick with la-grippe.

Mr. Albert Mitts of Fuller, is in our neighborhood with his sawing machine. He is at Mr. W. Burrell's at present.

We all sympathise with Mr. H. Moore in the loss of his young daughter.

Mrs. A. Mitts is on the sick list.

DEATH AT FULLER

We have to report the death of Olive Laura, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore. Olive, who was eighteen months old, was stricken about two months ago with convulsions, and though everything was done that kind friends and human skill could do, she fell asleep in Jesus on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Bushell. The child's mother has been ill for several months. Dr. Faulkner of Foxboro was the attending physician.

The funeral was held today from the home of the parents, being conducted by Rev. C. S. Reddick, who preached an impressive sermon from John 13:7. "What I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter." The funeral was one of the largest ever held in that vicinity.

The floral tributes were very beautiful. Besides her parents are two sisters and one brother to mourn her loss.

She has left a world of trouble. A world of sin and shame, A world of tears and sorrow, Without a blot upon her name.

Sleep on, dear Olive; take your rest.

Though long to us the years may seem,

We will meet you again with Jesus When we've passed o'er Jordan's stream.

ZION

We hope this rainy weather will not take the sleighing away.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Slack have returned to our vicinity after spending a couple of weeks at Moira.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Reid and family took tea at Mrs. Johnny K. Theobald's on Sunday last.

Miss Lizzie and Mr. Roy Chisholm spent Sunday last in our neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Casey and Irene took tea at Mr. Fred Denyes' on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Palmer attended the funeral of her father, Mr. Thompson, across the bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wait and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hamelin took tea at Mr. H. Casey's.

Miss Floe Wickett and Mrs. Roy Sills spent Thursday last at Miss Bessie Sills'.

CARMEL

Rev. Hopper gave a splendid discourse on Sunday.

The Teachers' Training Class met at the home of Mr. J. B. Patterson on Friday last, with sixteen members present.

Master Willet. Pitman is on the sick list.

Mrs. H. A. Horton is staying in Peterboro owing to the illness of her brother.

Mrs. Chas. Brintnell is spending a few days under the parental roof at Stirling.

Mrs. W. C. Reid is slowly improving from an attack of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Clarke gave a social hop to their many friends on Monday evening.

Master Clare Dufoe is staying with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brintnell.

Pte. L. Logue of Belleville, took supper at Mr. Gilbert's on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. John Vandewater visited friends at Melrose for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Derbyshire entertained on Tuesday evening.

Several from our neighborhood took in the dance given at Longwell's on Friday evening.

Mr. Reynolds has returned after visiting his brother at London.

CROOKSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Kilpatrick are visiting friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Chambers of West Huntingdon, spent over Sunday in our vicinity.

A number from Bethesda League visited Madoc League on Thursday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Wood Sr. took dinner at Mr. John Downey's on Sunday.

A number from our village attended the funeral of Mr. Henry Moore's infant child on Sunday afternoon at Fuller Methodist church.

Miss Laura Dyer and friend of Madoc, spent Sunday evening with the Misses Lancaster.

Miss Victoria Vincent spent last week visiting friends in Madoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Demille and mason Roy visited Mrs. Will Love of Madoc, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Downey visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown of Harold, one day recently.

BESSINGTON

Looks as though we may have spring now—at last.

A very quiet wedding took place at Foxboro on Feb. 20th, it being the marriage of Clarence Long and Miss Roxxy Grey. We all join in wishing them a happy wedded life.

On Tuesday evening of last week, the friends and neighbors to the number of about one hundred, assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cole, who are moving out of the neighborhood by surprise. Mrs. Jas. Sills read an address, and D. Hagerman and O. Roblin presented them with two oak rockers and a beautiful upholstered couch. Mr. Cole, although taken completely by surprise, replied to the address in a very pleasing manner, as also did Mrs. Cole. All wish them a prosperous life in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Melburn spent Thursday at Mr. Jas. Sills'.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Milligan entertained a number of their friends to tea on Friday evening.

Mrs. R. Miller is on the sick list. All hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. W. McMechan arrived home from Trenton on Wednesday.

Mr. John Robertson has started assessing.

Mrs. Geo. Badgley took dinner with Mrs. Rev. Seymour on Thursday.

FOXBORO

We all appreciate the fine weather after such a severely cold winter.

Miss Laura Ray of Toronto, is visiting at Mrs. Jack Juby's.

Miss Stella Palmer of Prince Edward, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. W. French.

Mrs. J. A. Faulkner spent a few days last week at Toronto, attending the Red Cross Convention; Mrs.

Faulkner being President of our Thurlow Red Cross Society.

Mrs. Saylor, also Mrs. Shaw of Madoc, are visiting at the home of Mrs. W. E. Wickett.

Mrs. Neil Davis, Stella, and Jack called at the home of Mrs. French, on Sunday.

Quite a number attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. John Longwell's on Friday evening; all reported a good time.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Yorke is ill with pneumonia. We hope he will soon be around again.

A large number attended the auction sale at Gilbert Seely's, on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Seely and family intend leaving for the North West soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy of the 4th line, Sidney, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooke.

Miss Laura Embury spent a few days visiting friends in Belleville.

Mrs. John Brooker and Myrtle of Belleville, spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooker.

Miss Jenny Warner is spending a few days with her parents at Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snaw called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hamelin on Sunday.

Mrs. Robt. Saylor of Madoc, called on Mrs. Blair, at the home of Mrs. M. Snider, on Sunday afternoon.

READ

Sunday last, Maes was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McCarthy at St. Patrick's church Richmond, at 11.30.

Miss Ella Tighe of Belleville, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Mrs. Joseph Daly, formerly of Read died last week in Point Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Murphy are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murphy, Melrose, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Williams.

We are glad to hear that little Joseph Corrigan, who has been very ill, is improving.

Miss O'Brien of Belleville, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Teresa Bennett.

A good time was the general report of all who attended the ball in Stoco, last Monday night.

GILEAD

The weather is much milder and today's rain reminds us of the approach of spring. We may look for bad roads soon.

The Epworth League of this place visited the Plainfield League last Wednesday night, and a pleasant evening was spent.

Our church service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilson, on Sunday last.

Rev. John McLeod took charge of the service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in place of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Mitchell, who is very ill at present with typhoid fever. Our sympathy is extended to him and we hope for his recovery.

The farmers have stored away their supply of ice for next summer's use. The cheese factory ice-house, which is used for the cooling of cheese, has been filled also.

Our cheese maker, Mr. Bruce Way, has a large pile of wood on the ground for use in the boiler furnace next summer.

Mr. Grant Coulter is visiting friends at Crookston.

Mr. Billie Ketcheson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Ketcheson's mother, Mrs. R. Huffman.

Mrs. E. Huffman and Verna are visiting at the home of her father, Mr. W. H. Grills, 2nd con. of Thurlow.

We are sorry to report Mrs. T. Coulter on the sick list.

The W. M. S. purpose holding a social in the church on the evening of March 14th; a good programme is promised.

FULLER

The weather of the past week has indeed been appreciated by all.

We are called to report this week, the death of Olive Laura, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore. The funeral service will take place tomorrow from their residence at 2.30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. S. Reddick.

Mrs. Ben Brough left today for a two weeks visit at Bayside and Pictou.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walker of Prince Edward, have spent this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Geen.

Mrs. L. Mitts and family visited one evening this week at Mrs. J. Brough's.

Mrs. J. Hallent entertained a number of friends on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Slack of Syracuse, New York, spent a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hollinger.

A number from here attended Anniversary service at Moira on Sunday evening, and were much pleased to have the pleasure of hearing Rev. Mr. Rourke of Tamworth.

Mr. John Collins and Mr. Murney of Moreland are busy hauling wood to

Moira. Mr. and Mrs. William Dean have returned home after spending a few days in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Daird Thompson of Moira, paid a flying call to our vicinity one evening this week.

THIRD LINE THURLOW

The recent rain has settled the snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps are now visiting in this vicinity.

Mr. Captain Palmateer and wife of Cherry Valley, P. E. county, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rattan over Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Roy Wilson's father is quite poorly.

A large congregation came to hear Rev. Mr. Wilson at Bethany last Sunday.

We were very sorry to hear of the unexpected death of Mr. Chas. Vermilyea at Corbyville, who was buried on Tuesday. Deep sympathy is felt for his wife and son.

GLEN ROSS

Rev. A. J. Terrill preached a very impressive sermon on Sunday last from 2nd Kings, 10:15—"If thine heart is right as my heart is with thy heart, give me thine hand."

A couple of the members from the Stirling Epworth League visited Carmel league last week.

The Carlises are all smiles like the sunshine in May,—its a bouncing baby-girl come there to stay.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey had a very painful experience a few days ago, being given a drink of liniment by his little brother. Proper treatment was soon given and we are pleased to learn that the child is quite well again.

About two o'clock, Wednesday morning, a frame house here, belonging to Mrs. Keating, of Frankford, was burned; also a quantity of bedding which she had stored there.

Mr. D. Conley, who with his family was living in the house, discovered fire in an upper room a few hours before, and with the help of the neighbors, supposed to have had it extinguished, and retired for the night.

On awakening some time later, they found it again burning and beyond control. They managed, however, to save some of the contents. The fire is said to have started from the pipes. It is reported that there is an insurance of \$500.

Mrs. B. Windsor and daughter, Violet, are home again, having spent a few days visiting her son, Frank, and his wife at Peterboro.

We are pleased to welcome into our midst Mrs. H. Hubbel's new tenant, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, of Eldorado.

Latest report says that Clarence Smith, another of our promising young men, has hearkened to his country's call and has enlisted in the 254th Battalion, training in Stirling.

A number of our young people have been taking in the pictures shown at the Hall lately.

Mrs. Jarvis was spending a few days with her mother last week, Mrs. J. Bell, near Frankford.

Mrs. Ashley Brooks is said to be visiting friends near Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlisle have been spending a few days under the parental roof.

Mrs. Richard Pyear is visiting in Belleville and vicinity.

Miss Gladys Green, who is attending the O. B. C. in Belleville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden paid a visit on Saturday to their daughter, Laura, and niece, Evelyn, of Belleville, where they are attending the O. B. C.

Mr. D. Conley has moved into the stone house belonging to Mr. W. Brown.

The farmers around here are very busy getting out ice. Quilting and knitting seems to be the order of the day among the ladies.

The hum of the wood saw is a thing of the past here.

Prayer meeting will be held this week at the home of Mrs. E. Wagner, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock; led by Mr. Lorne Brooks.

Our people are making every arrangement for attending the evangelistic services to be held in Stirling, by Revs. Terrill and G. M. Sharpe, during the first three weeks of March.

There will be no services at Carmel next Sunday, as all are invited to attend the services at Stirling.

The iron bridge purchased from the county was shipped here last week by C. N. E. and unloaded by the farmers and taken to the Trent River, where it will be placed across from Hammond's landing to the island, in the near future.

CARRYING PLACE

Church was well attended on Sunday; service next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Miss Ila Rowe returned home last Tuesday from visiting friends in Victoria.

A number from here attended the at home held at Mr. Schuyler Hum-

phrey's on Thursday evening, which was a great success; proceeds amounting to eleven dollars.

The ladies of the Methodist church intend holding an oyster supper in St. John's Hall on March 7th; good programme expected. Admission—adults 35 cents, children 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter from Mt. Carmel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McCullough on Sunday.

Sorry to report the death of Mr. Marshall Chase; funeral to take place in the Methodist church on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 27th.

A few from here attended the show in the Opera House, Trenton, on Saturday night, which was given by the Marks Stock Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bontor were Sunday visitors at Mr. Ross', Murray.

A number from here drove to Trenton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall visited at Mr. Fred Beetle's, Mt. Carmel, on Sunday.

Master Fred Rowe called on Carson Hubbs on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bontor and Mrs. S. Church spent a recent evening with Mr. and Mrs. Smith Rowe.

VICTORIA

Church service next Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid meeting was well attended at Mrs. J. F. Weese's, on Friday.

On Thursday and Saturday evenings about twenty five went from this way to see Ernie Marks' Play, in Trenton; all report an excellent time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bush of Stirling, are spending a couple of weeks with their son, Will Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Redner, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brickman, visited on Wednesday, at Mr. Chas. Hall's in Sidney.

Misses Ila Rowe and Vera Brickman took dinner with Andra Brickman on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Brickman and boys drove to Trenton on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fox called at Mr. B. White's, Sidney, on Sunday.

Mr. Will Elliot returned on Tuesday from the west, where he has been superintending an evaporator for Mr. R. J. Graham. He is spending a few weeks at Mr. N. Wilson's, along with Mrs. Elliot and the children.

Miss K. Burns and Mr. M. Dempsey spent Tuesday evening at Mr. Norman Weese's.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Nancy Fox was held at the home of her son on Thursday.

SIDNEY CROSSING

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Randal Moran were conducted at the family residence Sunday afternoon, a large crowd of sympathizing friends being present to pay their last respects to one so highly respected and dearly loved. Deceased had been ailing all winter, but finally succumbed to pneumonia. She had been a member of Aikens church for nearly forty years, and will be greatly missed especially by W. M. S. in which she felt so deep an interest.

Mrs. Moran was a devout everyday Christian woman; kind, motherly, ever ready to extend a helping hand, and to cheer and comfort with her wise and loving counsel. She has left an influence upon this community that time can never efface. To the bereaved husband and friends, is extended the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community. The remains were taken to Stockdale for interment.

Mr. S. Moran of Trenton, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Casey Ketcheson.

Mr. Cecil Denyes of Odessa, was the guest of his grandfather, Mr. W. W. Kelly, and other friends a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hary Bonisteel and Miss Phyllis were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stenson of Trenton, on Sunday.

Mrs. Judson Kelly has returned home after spending a few days with friends in Belleville.

Mr. Rice Vandervoort is in Belleville Hospital, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. P. Reid of Thurlow, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton on Sunday last.

A very quiet wedding took place at the Bayside Parsonage on Thursday evening last, when Mr. Will Powell and Miss Ada Bennett, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett, section foreman of the G. T. R., were married by Dr. Marvin. All join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

About 50 members of the White