

LODGES.



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.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

MORPETH.

Miss Sara Smith, who was seriously ill last week, is now recovering.

Miss Louise Stewart has returned from Detroit, where she has been for the past two months.

Miss Clara Coll is recovering from a severe attack of appendicitis but is still confined to her room.

We understand that Mr. Oscar Shaw, of Kent Bridge, has purchased the residence of Mrs. G. Higgins and will become a resident of our village.

Mrs. Smith and son, of Chicago, have been the guests of Mrs. D. E. Desmond, Talbot street.

Miss Aylesworth, of Toronto, has returned home after spending several weeks with the Misses Smith.

Miss Mary Johnson will arrive this week to attend her mother, who has been ill for so many weeks.

Harvest home services will be held in Trinity church, Talbot street, on next Sabbath.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Trinity church on Tuesday, 27th ult., when Miss Dora, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walters, Talbot street, was united to Mr. J. W. Mason, one of Talbot street's most prosperous young farmers.

The bride was gownned in white silk and was assisted by the Misses Mary Sifton, Ethel Spencer and Daisy Desmond, who were gownned in pink and white. Little May Walters, cousin of the bride, made a very pretty flower girl. The groom was assisted by Mr. James Serson. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Ed. Softley, the guests were served with a sumptuous supper at the residence of the bride's parents, after which the happy couple left for Detroit and other points. The presents were many and costly.

An old and well known resident of Howard passed away on the 29th ult. in the person of James Hurst. The deceased was 73 years and nine months of age, and had been in failing health during the past year. He was born and grew to manhood in Niagara. When still a young man he came to this county, where for some years he taught school, but for many years has resided on the farm where he died. A widow, several daughters and one son, Mr. A. S. Hurst, M. A., of Bridgeport, Conn., survive him. The remains were interred in Greenwood cemetery on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Ed. Softley conducted the services.

S. S. NO. 8, CHATHAM.

Following is the report of the standing of pupils of S. S. No. 8, Chatham, for September. The rank of pupils is based on punctuality, written examinations and class work.

Class V.—Hazel Shaw and Harold Shaw 279, B. Stuart 266.

Class IV.—Sr.—O. Purdie 217, R. Morgan 188, F. Bessett 115, P. Hill 111.

Class IV.—Jr.—I. Brown 127, W. Bessett 120, F. Clark 116, P. Mark 109, H. Campbell 104, B. Bessett 98, O. Noltie 48.

Class III.—B. Morgan 196, P. Turner 192, E. Shaw 175, C. Shaw 159, S. Turner 140, M. Noltie 134, L. Clark 133, L. Brown 130.

Class II.—V. Shaw 162, E. Morgan 150, R. Morgan 135, M. Brown 126, R. Tong 110, J. Tong 110.

Part II.—M. Clark 159, L. Buckingham 156, R. Shaw 148, T. Shaw 145, A. Duddy 138, M. Moir 136, Alvah Duddy 134, G. Clark 110, N. Buckingham 88.

Sr. Part I.—M. Turner 135, S. Duddy 119, R. Shaw and G. Clark 113, D. Duddy 100.

Int. Part I.—M. Butcher 138, C. Shaw 125, J. Moore 124, B. Shaw and V. Brown 123, F. Moir 120, G. Turner 110, R. Tong 108, L. Buckingham 106, O. Clark 98, M. Wrightman 90.

Jr. Part I.—L. Morgan 120, J. Hill 106, D. Buckingham 90, M. Bessett 74, R. Tong 68.

Average attendance for September, 43.

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NORTHWOOD.

About twenty young people from here drove over to Louisville last Friday night to see the finishing up of a Bible contest started eight weeks ago in their Epworth League.

Clint Clark, of Ridgeway, is spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

Rod Nottingham has just returned from a month's visit in Buffalo with his aunt.

Mr. Knight writes home that he is delighted with his trip up West.

Everybody is expected out to Epworth League next Wednesday night to take part in the Bible contest which is on now. The church was nearly full last week.

Miss Wilber, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Essie Hales.

Early frosts have damaged the corn and beans considerably.

KENT BRIDGE.

The great Chatham Fair has come and is being quite a number from here attended both days.

Miss Bucke, of London, is spending a few days with her brother, Dr. E. P. Bucke.

The farmers of our vicinity are busy with their apples. They report a good yield this season.

Mrs. N. W. Coburn, of Brownsville, Ont., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Langford.

DARRELL.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Holmes, of Chatham, spent Sunday at Mr. B. French's. Frank French visited friends here last week.

The church was overcrowded last Tuesday, it being the final night of the Bible contest.

The winning side will be treated to a program and supper in the near future.

Anniversary services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Buckborough on Sunday morning and evening, Oct. 9. A treat will be offered in aid of the minister's salary.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Agar were Ridgeway visitors Friday and Saturday.

Quite a number of prizes were won by the farmers of this part of Kent at the county fair, Sept. 28 and 29. The Darrell football team also won a prize.

We sincerely regret the sad demise of the six months' old child of Mr. W. Holmes. She passed away on Wednesday morning, having been seized with scarlet fever and whooping cough. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Buckborough on Thursday and the remains were taken to Louisville cemetery for interment.

On Thursday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock Chatham and Darrell football teams contested for the prize of \$30 given by the Agricultural Society. Although the Langford brothers of the Bridge, failed to appear for an unknown reason, Darrell gathered themselves together and carried off the honors, indicated by the score of one to nil. Peck for Darrell played a star game and was entirely broken up by E. Jinks on the half. French in goal easily repulsed anything that came. The game was free from roughness. Referee, Feterly. This was two years in succession that Darrell has taken the prize at the Fair.

Mr. H. Williams, Financial Secretary of I. O. F. Court here, visited his friends on Friday and Saturday. Mr. Williams now operates a poultry farm east of Sarnia.

Russel Arnold gave a crowd of Louisville folk an excursion to French's church on Tuesday evening.

Magnanimity is sufficiently defined by its name: yet we may say of it that it is the good sense of pride, and the noblest way of acquiring applause.

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A WOMAN WITH EIGHTEEN NAMES

The ingenuity of a London firm of solicitors is now being exercised in unravelling the mystery surrounding an elderly lady, who travelled about England and the Continent under no fewer than eighteen names, and who has died leaving a considerable amount of property.

Some years ago Messrs. Leggett, Rubinstein & Company, of Gray's Inn, were consulted by a stranger, an elderly lady, about some bonds, the coupons of which she alleged had been cut away and stolen. They went into the matter, but when it became necessary to communicate with their client they found that she had disappeared, leaving the bonds in their possession. As the securities were French, the solicitors communicated with the proper authorities, and had them stopped. Then they forgot all about the matter.

The second part of the story began on June 11, 1902, when there died at the National Hotel, Avenue de la Gare, Nice, an old lady named Mme. Scott. Having behind apparently no one but an illiterate housekeeper as infirm as herself, and a number of securities and coupons, which were sent to Paris for negotiation. It was then found that the coupons presented were those already reported missing, and the matter again came into the hands of Messrs. Leggett, Rubinstein & Company.

All the papers found at Nice were handed to them when they discovered that their former client was known under no fewer than eighteen names, having lived in various places, as Mrs. H. F. McKenna (widow), Madame Scott, Mrs. H. F. Scott, Miss F. C. Scott, Miss F. C. Cavendish, Frances Scott Cavendish, Miss Frances Cavendish Scott, Miss F. C. C. Scott, Miss F. C. Scott-Cavendish, Mrs. F. C. Cavendish, Mrs. F. C. de Belmont, Frances Cavendish, Mrs. F. C. de Belmont, Frances Villiers, Madame de Ersey, Madame F. de Ersey Villiers, G. F. C. de Ersey Villiers, Mrs. Scott Villiers, Madame Villiers.

She seems to have had a number of addresses. Once she lived at Berkeley street, London, but as a rule she moved about from one hotel to another, both in England and on the Continent.

Some years ago she occupied rooms at the Golden Cross Hotel, in the Strand. But wherever she lived, she was always liberally provided with funds. She kept her carriage, and lived and dressed as a rich woman. But who she was no one ever seems to have known.

On taking charge of her affairs, the solicitors at once set about to trace her next of kin, and after much trouble a niece has been found in Melbourne, who will probably be entitled to the lady's fortune. It is believed she held shares and property still untraced. It was discovered that the lady's real name was Ellen Francis Kieran, and she was the second daughter of a Mr. Kieran, of Manchester and Dundalk. In 1844 she married Colonel Hugh Francis McKenna, who died twenty years afterwards.

Exactly why she chose to live under so many names was best known to herself. The housekeeper cannot now be found, but at the time of her mistress' death she refused to give any information.

Only a glimpse has yet been obtained of what appears to be a strange life's history, but that part which has been disclosed is certainly curious and perplexing, and gives rise to the belief that she was an agent of one of the great Powers of Europe, whose secret service busily employs many strange characters.

BIG AND LITTLE MEN IN TIME OF WAR.

The war in the East is a war between big and little men. And the little men are reaping the advantage. Big men for soldiering is an error that has come down to us from early times when men wore armour and fought with battle-axes. In the present war the little brown men of Japan are outfighting the big soldiers of the Czar.

To-day he is the best soldier who can most quickly arrive at the critical point, and use a repeating rifle—and the small, wiry, alert man usually gets there first.

What the soldier of the twentieth century needs most is endurance and activity as well as courage, qualities in which little men are the equal of their big brothers.

England learned the lesson during the Boer war. As that conflict progressed the British army regulations were changed to permit the enlistment of men of smaller stature than formerly. Some of the best soldiers in South Africa were short men, light of weight, alert and extremely handy with their guns. British officers found the diminutive Tommy Atkins to be the fighting flower of the army.

A very large proportion of the Japanese soldiers and sailors are under five feet, four inches, yet they are crowding Kuropatkin's bearded giants, strangling Port Arthur and smashing Russia's warships on the seas.

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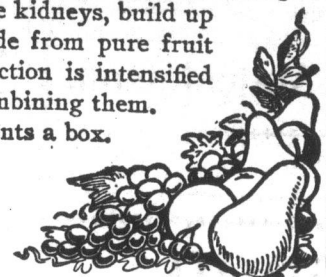
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