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DAILY, ONE CENT.

COMING AND GOING.

THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. Atkins attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Fred Pratt, of Brownsville, on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gibson and Miss Gibson left today for Muskoka to spend the summer at Port Keewatin.

FRIDAY

Miss Myrtle Jenvey is visiting friends at Tillsonburg. Mrs. Thos. Ovington, Jr., of Showers Corners, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pickard.

SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. DeWitt Hutt left today on a holiday trip to Penetanguishine. Mrs. F. Wm. Hahne (nee Jennie Mayberry), Vancouver, B.C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emerson Harris, Mt. Elgin.

Mr. H. C. Thompson, of Watertown, N.Y., son of Mr. C. W. Thompson of this town was successful at a recent examination in qualifying as a railroad engineer.

MONDAY

Miss Grace Greer, of Wingham, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. Elliott, King Street west.

Mrs. Cassidy, of St. Thomas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan.

Miss Nellie Hughes, of Seaford, is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hughes, John Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holmes, Miss Perkins, and Mr. Tate, of Gorrie, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. J. M. Perkins on Sunday.

TUESDAY

Miss Annie Edgar, of Stratford, is the guest of Miss Chic Jackson.

Mrs. and Miss Handford left this morning on a holiday trip to Fair Haven, Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Allison and Marie are spending the week in St. Thomas and Aylmer.

Mrs. John Harrison, Wellington street, is visiting her son, Mr. Frank Harrison, in London.

Miss Florence Collins, of Toronto, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. G. Mayberry, Derham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Horsman, of Saskatoon, Sask., are visiting relatives and friends in Ingersoll and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller, Mrs. (Rev.) J. G. Scott and family and Mr. Wes. Miller left this morning to spend the summer at Point Charles, Muskoka.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Morrow and Miss Hattie Morrow leave today to visit relatives in Fort William.

Miss Green has returned from spending her holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. Tisdale, "Fairmount Court," Montreal, Que.

Mrs. C. H. Sumner and daughter Elsie, Mrs. J. H. Thomas and daughters Dorothy and Marion, Mrs. (Rev.) R. J. M. Perkins and sons Handley and Russell leave this evening for a holiday at Southampton.

EXAMINATIONS AT LONDON

CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Following is a list of the successful Ingersoll candidates at the recent examinations of the London Conservatory of Music:

Grade 4 piano, honors—P. Lowery, T. McVicar; pass, B. Brooks. Grade 2 piano, first-class honors—R. Eden, C. Jelly, L. Yorke. Grade 1 piano, honors—M. Gayler. Grade 2 rudiments, first-class honors—T. McVicar; honors, B. Brooks. St. Joseph's Convent. Grade 2 piano, pass—M. McCowell. Local center prize winners, Miss Ray Eden.

DEATH OF JOHN BROWN.

The death of Mr. John Brown, for many years well and favorably known to the people of Ingersoll and surrounding districts, occurred on Tuesday after an extended illness. Deceased was in his 71st year and for a long period was employed by Nagle & Mills at their mill. He was also connected with the mill before it passed into their possession. He possessed a genial, unassuming disposition and many friends both in the town and country will learn with regret of his death.

MOTION WAS RESCINDED BY SIX TO ONE

COUNCIL DECIDED NOT TO ALLOW THE LATTER DAY SAINTS TO HOLD A SERIES OF MEETINGS IN TOWN HALL—MATTER UNDER DISCUSSION AT ADJOURNED MEETING WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

The only matter to create a discussion at the adjourned session of the council Wednesday night was a resolution by Elliott and Coniskey to rescind the motion passed Monday night granting the free use of the town hall to the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints for the 8th, 11th, 13th, 15th and 18th of this month.

As mover of the resolution Mr. Elliott stated that he did not understand the situation when he introduced the motion to grant the organization the free use of the hall at Monday night's meeting. He understood that the organization was not the kind that should be encouraged in the town of Ingersoll, by giving them the free use of the town hall. He regretted that he considered it necessary to rescind the former resolution and particularly in view of the fact that he was its mover.

S. W. L. Scott, a representative of the organization, described on hand bills advertising the Ingersoll meetings as "Michigan's Favorite Orator," addressed the council on invitation of the Mayor. He began by stating that the situation was embarrassing for him. He also said he would like to know the grounds on which the objection was based. So far as the Mormons were concerned the speaker said the organization he represented had done more against Mormonism than any other institution. He described the work of missionaries of the organization he represented and went on to state "we are in no way connected with that institution that has been a stench in the nostrils of the moral world." He said the objection was based on the fact that he was its mover.

NORSWORTHY PROPOSITION FOR PARK OFF

MAYOR WILL NOT APPROVE OF THE AGREEMENT—STATEMENT FROM MR. NORSWORTHY EXPRESSING DISAPPOINTMENT THAT PROPOSED PLANS COULD NOT BE CARRIED OUT.

The following letter has been received by Mr. J. C. Norsworthy from J. L. Paterson, one of the executors of the Carroll estate, in reference to the transfer of the Carroll Hotel property on King Street east for which Mr. Norsworthy was negotiating:

Ingersoll, July 8th, 1915. J. C. Norsworthy, Esq. Dear Sir:—According to arrangement with you yesterday afternoon, I called upon the Mayor this morning with the contract and asked him if he was prepared to approve of it. He said that he did not care to do so. He also added that there was no possibility of the town taking over the property under the will of the late Dr. Carroll and that, therefore, he did not see that he or any of the town officials should interfere further with the matter.

Yours truly, J. L. Paterson.

Mr. Norsworthy's Statement.

Statement for publication: "While I am somewhat disappointed in not being able to carry out the plans proposed by myself and my son in regard to this proposition, at the same time I appreciate the very sensitive position Mr. Buchanan was in and it would be the last thing I would wish that Mr. Buchanan, as Mayor of the corporation, should do anything that would be contrary to his conscientious scruples."

THE POULTRY FANCIERS ARE ORGANIZED

VERY REPRESENTATIVE AND ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER MONDAY NIGHT—ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE FOR THE ANNUAL SHOW TO BE HELD ON 4TH, 6TH AND 7TH OF JANUARY, 1916.

Poultry fanciers of the town turned out in representative numbers to the organization meeting held in the council chamber Monday night. The meeting was the most enthusiastic ever held by the poultrymen of the town and the indications point to the highest expectations being realized. The feeling was unanimous that the coming show should be made the most attractive that the County has ever had and with this object in view no pains will be spared by the members individually and the Society. Organization was effected under the name of The Ingersoll and South Oxford County Poultry Association. All in attendance were delighted with the large attendance and the spirit of co-operation that was so outstanding. It was regarded as spelling success for the society. The following officers were elected:

Patrons—Donald Sutherland M.P.; the Mayor, C. C. L. Wilson, J. A. Coulter, R. B. Hutt, Thos. Seldon, Gordon Elliot, Harry Richardson. Hon. President—V. A. Sinclair, M. P.

President—S. A. Gibson. 1st Vice—Jas. Pettit. 2nd Vice—Wm. English. 3rd Vice—J. L. Vance, Sr. Sec-Treas.—G. A. Tonson. Executive Committee—The foregoing officers and Messrs. Jas. Moore, Dave Vance, F. G. Henderson, John A. Henderson, Jas. Vance Jr., Lorne McDougall, H. B. McKinnon; Jas. Kerr, Dr. R. A. Williams, Fred Frank, F. J. Fisher, Harold Henderson, S. S. Saunders, Marshall McKay. Auditors—Dr. R. A. Williams and S. S. Saunders.

Dates of Show. After some discussion it was decided to hold the next annual show on the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of January, 1916. The judges appointed were R. Oke, London, and H. W. Partlo, Woodstock. It is the intention of the Society to issue prize lists at once and a number of special features will be added in connection with the prizes. About thirty-five beautiful silver cups will be offered as special prizes.

THE PASSING OF

CECIL WELDON

Was Manager of Baseball Team Here in 1904 and Was Well Known to Citizens.

Many Ingersoll friends will learn with keen regret of the death on Monday at Minniewaska, Gravenhurst, of Cecil Weldon, who, as manager of the Ingersoll Western Ontario baseball team of 1904, was widely known here. His death at the age of 34 years took place after an extended illness. Deceased was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Weldon of Thorold. He possessed a genial, unassuming disposition and will be kindly remembered by scores of citizens.

The funeral will take place at Toronto this afternoon. Dr. R. A. Williams, a College associate of the deceased, and a member of the Ingersoll ball team of 1904, left this morning to attend the funeral. He will be one of the pallbearers.

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DEAD GERMANS IN TRENCHES FOR 10 DAYS

ANOTHER DESCRIPTIVE LETTER FROM A CANADIAN SCOUT IN FRANCE—SHELLLED WHILE IN SEARCH OF DEAD BODIES—THE SNIPERS ALWAYS BUSY.

Recently there was published in The Chronicle a highly descriptive letter from a scout with the Canadian expeditionary forces in France. The letter described many of the thrilling features of the war and was read with intense interest.

Following is another letter from the same writer, just received by a relative in Ingersoll, which will be found equally interesting:

"Since we left Ypres we have not done very much although the infantry have been in the trenches, and had some pretty heavy fighting.

"We were called out a few days ago to go to the trenches and bury the dead. It was not altogether a pleasant job I'll admit, the dead were mostly Germans in a trench that had been taken about ten days before and the bodies had been lying in the hot sun since.

"We left our billets at 7 a.m., and rode about seven miles and left our horses as near the firing lines as we could, then we walked up to the 2nd reserve trenches. There are three lines of trenches in this place, first the firing line, then two reserve trenches behind.

We were sent out between the 1st and 2nd reserve trenches to look for dead bodies but as we were out in the open and it was broad daylight, the Germans could see us and began shelling us, so the Colonel of the infantry who were in the first reserve trenches ordered us to stop work and wait in the trenches until dark as he did not want to attract any more shells than necessary; so we waited in the trenches from 9 a.m. till 9.30 p.m.

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BEGIN WORK FOR PAVING THE STREETS

EXCAVATING FOR THE STORM SEWERS WAS COMMENCED ON KING STREET EAST THIS MORNING—FIDELITY COMPANY'S BOND FURNISHED BY THE COMPANY FOR SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF CONTRACT.

All details having been officially disposed of, actual work in connection with Ingersoll's brick pavements has been commenced, a fact that will be very gratifying to all citizens who have been in sympathy with the improvement campaign.

The contract between the Municipal Concrete Construction Company, of Berlin, and the Corporation has been signed by the Company and the Corporation. The Company has furnished a Fidelity Company's bond for between \$4,000 and \$5,000 for the satisfactory completion of the work.

Monday morning the Company began hauling sewer pipe for the storm sewers, for which excavating was commenced this morning on King street east.

It is understood that the work will be rushed forward, and it is expected that in a comparatively short time citizens will have an opportunity of judging for themselves the merits of brick pavements.

Considerable time has elapsed since the question of better streets became a civic issue, and it was only through the business-like and concerted action of a large number of citizens interested in the movement, and the council, that brick was eventually settled upon as the paving material for the work now to be done. The general opinion, however, is that the pavements will be appreciated to such an extent that their advantages will be generally recognized and the work continued from year to year.

THE INGERSOLL COLLEGIATE PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS

THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS WERE SUCCESSFUL AT THE RECENT PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS—THE NAMES ARRANGED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER—IN THE CASE OF THOSE WRITING ON LOWER SCHOOL EXAMINATION PROMOTIONS ARE NOT ANNOUNCED.

Form 1A.

F. Avey, J. Baigent, honors; M. Baigent, L. Barrett, G. Bodwell, P. Brooks, G. Craik, A. Critchley, E. George, A. Gray, L. Hobson, A. Hoppe, E. Huntley, R. Hutcheson, L. James, R. McCarty, J. MacDonald, R. McKay, M. McPhee, W. Morrison, W. Murray, honors; L. Neill, J. Patterson, O. Sharpe, A. Smith, H. Stephenson, honors; Helen Stone, honors; F. Stone, F. Stowbridge, B. Sutherland, J. Tane, honors; J. Wilson.

Form 1b

R. Banbury, G. Baskett, M. Baskett, G. Brown, S. Daniels, W. Detweiler, G. Edwards, honors; E. Enright, A. Fisher, honors; C. Fortier, J. Hanlon, D. Howe, D. Hunter, R. Kiborn, D. McKay, honors; A. Mahee, J. Meatherell, S. Minshall, G. Morris, F. Moulton, G. Murray, R. Moulton, E. Nancekivell, E. Neill, C. Thomas, M. Tanner, N. Tweedie.

Form 2

G. Bowman, F. Elliott, W. Halpin, M. Lee, E. MacDonald, M. MacDonald, G. McCauley, E. McKay, R. McKay, M. McNiven, R. Neeley, G. Sutherland.

Form 3b

D. Baskett, C. Grieve, E. Harrison, R. McIntyre, T. Morrison, K. Spence, D. Thomas, G. Waite, E. White.

In the case of those who are trying on the lower school examination, promotions are not announced at present, as the result of that examination will be taken into account.

The promotion of the following is withheld for the present, but may be granted later in accordance with instructions which have been sent to the students concerned:

Form I b—N. Corless, M. Nancekivell, J. Vance.

Form II—J. Fleischer, L. Middleton, J. Ross, W. Tate.

Form III b—S. Elliott, C. Healey.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES AT ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

Following are the lists of candidates who were successful at the recent Entrance Examinations at the various centres in South Oxford.

INGERSOLL.

C. K. Arkell, S. M. Bowman (honors), Grace Boyse (honors), H. H. Brown, J. L. Bullock (honors), Lenore Burns (honors), R. Byerley (honors), V. L. Cable, C. Caddey, O. A. Carson, R. L. Cowell, J. R. Currie, G. W. Daniels, M. E. Devereaux, B. D. Dickson, A. M. Dundas (honors), Tait (honors), G. F. Thomson (honors), M. H. Edwards, Jack Enright, A. Fleischer (honors), E. M. Hennessey, C. G. Holmes, A. L. Huntley, J. F. Johnston, E. W. King, E. G. Lefler (honors), C. M. Lockrey, K. O. C. Lynch (honors), H. MacDonald, R. E. McCorquodale, Wm. McDermott, E. McPhee, H. C. McIntosh (honors), B. J. McMillan (honors), R. W. Muir (honors), C. L. Nagle (honors), Nora Nagle, G. Oliver, E. V. O'Dell (honors), R. G. Payne (honors), J. M. Pook, P. M. Ranney, J. G. Ruddick, V. G. Shipton (honors), R. E. Smith (honors), W. M. Sutherland, G. H. Tait (honors), G. F. Thomson (honors), M. A. Thornton, F. J. Tilt, W. Todd (honors), A. M. Trotman (honors), H. E. Uren, V. L. Waterhouse, A. Waterworth (honors), Helen L. Waterworth (honors), J. F. Way, M. E. Wilson, A. B. Yelland (honors), L. A. McIntee, M. M. Thornton, M. L. Wilson, W. A. Flock, G. B. Gerrie, D. M. Harrison, H. J. McKay, M. L. Waterworth.

Lewis Fowler, who was unable to write on the examination on account of illness, was recommended for admission by the Entrance Board and was granted pass standing by the Department of Education.

NORWICH.

M. Barnes, H. Beattie, S. Bond, Leora Cameron, Annie Cayley (honors), Eric Cornell, Robt. Deller, Helen Hill, Frank Hopkins, Ernest Lowes.

BURGESSVILLE.

Clarence Beene, Irene Bossence, Wilfred Dennis, Cecil Gill, Grace Hilliker (honors), Willie Hughes, Carol Kelly, Lynn Kelly (honors), Frank Longworth (honors), Sheldon Moyer, Margaret Neely, Beatrice Stevens, Marion E. Wallace (honors), Zene O'Neill, Grace Lindsay.

OTTERVILLE.

Mabel Arthur, W. S. Cornell, M. C. Fish (honors), J. M. Furlong, H. A. Harford (honors), A. R. Hillier, Floyd Malcolm, Mayne Stewart (honors), Florence Smith.

MOUNT ELGIN.

Mildred Caverhill, Ray Ellis, W. C. Fleming (honors), Gertrude Jones, F. L. Pow, L. E. Stroud, L. E. Thomas, Nora Lewis.

BROWNSVILLE.

H. G. Agur, M. E. Brady (honors), H. K. Crawford, H. W. Esseltine, H. F. Foster (honors), M. B. Kelly, Enid Nelson (honors), W. A. Overbaugh (honors), B. L. Pratt (honors), Orval Vashinder, L. D. Robertson, E. P. Fulkerson.

TILLSONBURG.

J. R. Auld, W. F. Auld, Pearl Ball, H. D. Betts (honors), Amelia Bilow, Vera Clark, Ben Curtis, Hadley Curtis (honors), M. A. Devlin, Gordon Dawey, John Graves, Harold Imrie, Minnie Leggoe, Richard McQueen, Stanley Parry, Esther I. Reynolds, Freda Riach, Florence Rogers (honors), Florence Sandham, Roy Sinclair, Norma Turnbull, Wilbert Wardle, Alta Williams, Hazel Williams (honors), Beverley Wood, Lawrence Young, Nellie Pettman (honors), Basil Mahee, Stella Parry, Eva Reynolds, Uriel Suell, Max Pollard.

INGERSOLL RINK WON CONSOLATION

QUARTETTE SKIPPED BY W. R. VEALE WINNERS OF THIRD COMPETITION IN THE OXFORD COUNTY BOWLING TOURNAMENT AT WOODSTOCK.

The Ingersoll Lawn Bowling rink skipped by W. R. Veale won the final game for the Consolation prizes in connection with the Oxford County Bowling Tournament in a game played at Woodstock Tuesday night. It will be remembered this game was postponed from July 2nd.

In the game Tuesday night the Woodstock rink scored seven on the first two ends, but from that time on the Ingersoll quartette made a run away of the contest, having the score 24 to 13 at the end of the sixteenth end when the Woodstock players decided to quit, leaving the last two ends unplayed.

The rink was composed of T. C. Hammill, lead; A. T. Lowe, second; A. McDermid, third, and W. R. Veale, skip. In the game Tuesday night W. H. Sutherland played second in place of A. T. Lowe, the latter being unable to make the trip to Woodstock.

TOWN AND DISTRICT.

Mr. John Halter had the misfortune to have his left hand badly injured while operating a machine at the E. L. furniture factory Friday afternoon. Three of his fingers were very badly lacerated.

A very successful afternoon tea was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. Bowes, King Street west, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U. The afternoon was occupied with cutting mouth wipes for the soldiers. The society also donated between sixty and seventy towels to accompany the mouth wipes. During the afternoon dainty refreshments were served.

The Philathea Class of the Baptist church held a most enjoyable picnic on Thursday afternoon, on the lawn of Mrs. E. Maybee, Harris street, when some seventy-five members and friends of the Class met together. A pleasing feature of the afternoon was an address read by Mrs. W. A. Elliott and a presentation of a lamp to Mrs. Geo. Russell, Oxford Street.

On Thursday evening at the home of Miss Nellie Campbell, about forty friends of Miss Rose Ely, tendered her a miscellaneous shower of both ornamental and useful articles. An enjoyable evening was spent with music and games. A dainty luncheon was served, after which the guests departed, all extending to Miss Ely sincere well wishes in view of her approaching marriage.

At the recent examinations in music at the London Conservatory the following pupils of Miss Pura Horsman were successful: Grade 4 piano, honors, Miss Lena MacVicar; pass, Miss Beatrice Brooks; Grade 2, first-class honors, Louise Yorke, Clara Jelly, Master Ray Eden; Grade 2 rudiments, first-class honors, Miss Lena MacVicar; honors, Beatrice Brooks. The prize awarded by the Conservatory to the pupil taking highest standing was won by Master Ray Eden.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Wm. Nagle, and family wish to thank their many friends for the sympathy and kindness shown them during their recent bereavement.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

Officers Installed at Regular Meeting of Harris Chapter.

At the regular meeting of Harris Chapter Royal Arch Masons, Friday night the following officers were installed:

First Principal—Ex. Comp. R. E. Hutt.

Second Principal—Ex. Comp. H. P. Stoneman.

Third Principal—Ex. Comp. W. A. Sutherland.

Scribe—Ex. Comp. A. S. Crawford.

Scribe W.—Comp. W. Seldon.

Treasurer—Comp. W. J. Elliott.

Principal Sojourner—Ex. Comp. G. M. McKay.

Senior Sojourner—Comp. R. Calcott.

Junior Sojourner—Comp. C. Emory.

Master 1st Veil—Comp. O. E. Robinson.

Master 2nd Veil—Ex. Comp. J. L. Revell.

Master 3rd Veil—Ex. Comp. W. O. Edwards.

Master 4th Veil—Most Ex. Comp. M. Walsh.

Tyler—Comp. Geo. Russell.

THE ANNUAL UNION SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION

Thursday, July 22nd, Has Been Proclaimed a Public Holiday.

Thursday, July 22nd has been proclaimed a holiday by the Mayor. As this is the date selected for the annual union Sunday School excursion to Port Stanley the announcement will bring joy to the hearts of hundreds of the juveniles of the town. But it is not only by the rising generation that the outing is looked forward to with pleasurable anticipation. It has become one of the big events of the year with many citizens, and a holiday having been declared, it is expected, under favorable conditions, there will be the usual large exodus to the lake.

Countless have been the cures worked by Holloway's Corn Cure. It has a power of its own not found in other preparations.