

Wroxeter.

Mr. John Sanderson returned home from Manitoba last week.

Our village is full of strangers. Nearly every family appears to be enjoying the pleasure of a visit from distant friends or relatives.

Hamilton & Sanderson are shipping heavy consignments of sheep and cattle from here nearly every day.

The Agricultural hall here was struck by lightning during one of the late storms. It sustained considerable damage, which was fortunately fully covered by insurance.

Mr. David Weir's barn, in this village, was burned to the ground one day last week. The building was insured.

Quite a pleasant re-union occurred at the residence of Alex. L. Gibson, Esq., in this village last week, all his children having gathered for the purpose. Of the boys, Thomas is a reporter on the *Globe* staff; George holds a good position in far away Vancouver, and John, the youngest, is a school teacher at Mildmay. Of the five girls two are residents of the village, the eldest, Mrs. Jas. Ireland, and a younger sister, the obliging Deputy in the post office here. The other ladies came home from different parts of the States. During their stay the family was photographed in a large group in Mr. Ireland's lawn, and Mr. and Mrs. Gibson will thus have a souvenir of an occasion which their hosts of friends hope they will often enjoy in the future ere the Reaper steps in to break the happy circle.

The people of the village turned out en masse the other day and gathered up all the loose stones and large boulders which have been a nuisance there for some time past. The streets now present a much more respectable appearance than they formerly had.

Mr. Taylor, druggist, of Harrison, and a friend, have been the guests of Mr. Jos. Cowan, for a week or so past.

Mr. Fortune, V. S., has recovered his driver. After a long hunt the lost animal was found at Hanover. Hereafter Mr. Fortune will be in Fordwich one half day in each week, commencing next Monday afternoon.

A few young ladies and their gentlemen friends enjoyed a picnic near the village the other day. By the merry laughter and romping I judge a very pleasant time was spent.

My songs fit away on the wing,
They are flitted with a smile or a sigh
And away with the songs that I sing
Fit my joys and my sorrows and I.

Dr. Brown left on Monday for a trip down the St. Lawrence, going as far as Montreal.

Redgrave.

Mrs. Joseph Fritchard is visiting her parents and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Bolton is at present the guest of Mr. Richard Morrell.

Messrs. Wallace Johnston and Earnest Fritchard paid Lakelet a visit last Saturday. We hope the visit was a success.

Misses Emma Fritchard and Martha Scarff were visiting friends in and about Lakelet last week.

Old Mr. Wallace, who has been ailing since last winter, is still on the decline. He is one of the pioneers of this township.

Glenfarrow.

Mrs. Fraser and Miss McMillan, of Shakespeare, are visiting at Mr. Douglas Fraser's.

W. T. Farrell, of St. Louis, was here last week renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Farrell has now a good position in a railway office in St. Louis. His many friends here were glad to see him.

The Misses Bentley, of Blyth, are spending their holidays with friends here.

Mrs. Wm. Walker and family, of Langside, have moved into the house lately occupied by Mr. Green.

Huntingfield.

Miss Agnes Harkness left on Monday for Manitoba. The best wishes of all go with her.

The shears at McInnes's church are badly dilapidated. A skillfully wielded hammer and some nails would soon make the needed repairs.

Berrying is still quite popular.

The Mildmay creamery wagons are doing a good business in this section. The patrons realized 10¢, clear of all expenses, for their June butter.

Mr. Walter Pomeroy had his barn re-shingled last week.

Mr. John Johnson's barn was slightly damaged by the storm Friday evening.

Mr. Wm. Loadt, 2nd con., Carrick, raised a fine bank barn last Tuesday. Wm. Woods and C. Waack acted as captains and after a spirited race Woods came off victorious by three rafters.

Mr. John Taylor and wife have returned from a short visit to the North West.

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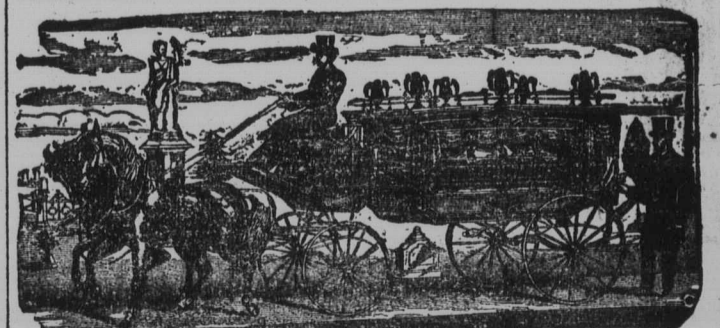
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