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DISTRICT NEWS

PHILIPPSVILLE

On Saturday last a very hard and exciting game of hockey took place between Delta seniors and the seniors of this place on the Philippsville rink. Both teams, being equal in weight, kept up a continual fight until after half time was called. The score then stood 2 to 2. A Philippsville man broke the tie and scored. Delta lost courage and the score ended in 6 to 2 in favor of the home team.

DAYTOWN

Mrs. Ed. Nicholson was called to Singleton's corner by the sudden death of her uncle, Mr. Harry Garrett.

Mr. Arden Huffman is quite sick. Miss Jennie Percival had a Christmas tree and entertainment at the school house on Thursday for her scholars.

Miss Estella Irwin was visiting Miss Maria Wood one day last week. The Misses Maud and Ella Huffman are at home for the holidays.

Mrs. W. H. Metcalfe of Morton, formerly of this place, nee Miss Alta Johnston, passed away after a few months illness.

WASHBURN'S

Our school has been conducted very satisfactorily by Miss Davison of Delta. The term wound up with a Christmas tree and entertainment, which was a decided success. Miss Davison is engaged for another year with a raise of a salary.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spence and children arrived at her father's house, Mr. W. H. Moulton, for Christmas and intend to make a short winter visit.

George I Bulford arrived home from Calgary on Dec. 26 to see his mother, who is somewhat improved.

CHARLESTON

Our school closed on Thursday for the Christmas holidays. The teacher and pupils gave a concert in the afternoon, which was much appreciated by those who attended. At the close the teacher treated the pupils to candy and popcorn, neatly arranged in little pink net bags, after which the pupils presented her with a gold watch chain, accompanied by an address. We are pleased to know that Miss Rabb is to remain with us for another year.

The crossing on the lake is now said to be good.

G. Bradley is making fair progress with his mill.

Mr. Benjamin Beale, sr., is quite poorly.

GLOSSVILLE

Miss Eva Brown, who has had an attack of appendicitis, is improving.

Mr. Mills Church is a happy man—it's a girl.

Mrs. Clyde Hawkins of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting friends here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mills Church.

Mrs. Madden Hewitt, who has been sick with pneumonia, is improving. The children of our school spent a very enjoyable time on Thursday afternoon last. They gave an entertainment, and the teacher, Miss Anna Hall, treated them to candy and nuts, after which Miss Jennie Johnston read her appropriate address and Miss Ester Brown presented her, in behalf of the school, with a handsome eight-day clock. Miss Hall has taught here for four years and she will be missed very much by all. Farmers here are all busy getting up their wood.

GLEN BUELL

The well known Eckardt family of Swiss Bell Ringers will give a first-class entertainment in the Methodist church on Saturday, Dec. 31st.

Miss Ella Davis, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Leech of Smith's Falls, has returned home.

Rev. Mr. Billings occupied the pulpit on Christmas day.

On Thursday evening a number from this vicinity drove to the residence of Mrs. Wm. Howe, Addison, a former resident of this place, to spend the evening. Before returning to their homes, Mrs. Howe was presented with a purse and an appropriate address as a remembrance of the festive season.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dack and Miss Marian Trickey were guests at the home of Mr. D. Dack on Sunday.

Miss Edith and Russell Stevenson attended the meeting of the

services as teacher, and the sincere regret that all felt at her removal.

GREENBUSH

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whiting, of Brockville, are spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Kerr.

Miss Ethel Olds and Miss Ethel and Master Roy Kerr of the Athens high school have returned home to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Miss Lolo Olds of Brockville has arrived to spend a few days with old friends in Greenbush.

We are pleased to report that the public school trustees have secured the services of our much respected present teacher, Miss Davis, to conduct our school for the year 1905.

On the 23rd inst the annual Christmas entertainment took place in our church. The programme showed that there had been a great amount of very careful training, especially in a drill performed by 16 young ladies. Great credit is due to the young ladies and gentlemen, also to the officers and children that contributed to the pleasure of the entertainment. Last but not least, old Santa Claus appeared on the scene to make the little folks happy.

JUNETOWN

Mrs. Clow has returned home after visiting friends in Athens.

The annual oyster supper held in the Foresters' hall on Wednesday night last was, as usual, a success, a goodly number being present. With songs and music the evening passed away very pleasantly.

Our teacher, Miss E. DeWolfe, has been re-engaged for the coming year.

Misses Lnetta Herbison and Maud Avery, who are attending the A.H.S., are home for their Christmas holidays.

The marriage of Mr. Harry Franklin to Miss Emma Kincaid took place on Monday last in the Methodist church. After the ceremony the bridal party returned to the home of the bride where all—with about seventy invited guests—partook of a sumptuous wedding feast, after which the happy couple left on an extended wedding tour. We extend our hearty congratulations.

On Thursday afternoon, the last day of the school term, the pupils held a concert in their school room (which had been nicely decorated by them with flags and evergreens) to which the people of the section were invited. The most pleasing feature of the entertainment was the presentation of a beautiful toilet box and suitable address, as a Christmas gift from the pupils to the teacher.

SOPERTON

Mr. Charlie Frye and sister, Miss Jennie, attended the Breese Steacy wedding, near Athens, on Thursday last.

A number from here attended the Xmas entertainment given by Miss Jennie Davison, teacher, Washburn's Corners, and report the evening a grand success.

W. Gallagher, Harlem, is a guest at E. J. Suffell's.

The entertainment given by the Soperton Sabbath school on Friday night was well attended, and much credit is due the young ladies who had charge of it.

After four years diligent work in our school, Miss L. Kelley bade her pupils farewell on Thursday, 22nd inst., to take charge of Glen Buell school next year.

On this occasion she was waited upon by a number of young girls of the section who, on behalf of her friends and pupils, presented her with a handsome ruby tea service and beautiful calendar, accompanied by the following address:

"To Miss Kelly,—It devolves upon me to offer you, in the name of the boys and girls of this school, a slight token of our esteem and regard.

"I am not now addressing you as our teacher, but as our friend, our dear trusted and very much tried friend; how often have we not tried your temper and forbearance!

"Dear Teacher, we will always remember you, and shall look back to the school not as an abode of penance but rather of pleasure, since your kindness and helpfulness have so rendered it.

"The little gift we offer you is of no intrinsic value, but it is rich in love, gratitude and respect. Please accept it and wish it our united hopes that your life may ever be full of happiness and prosperity."

Miss Kelley, although taken entirely by surprise, made a few suitable remarks.

Misses Maysie and Zella Frye, of Miss Weeks, Athens, are visiting favorably both in vocal and instrumental music.

Miss Suffell, pupil of A.H.S., is home for the holidays at home.

Mr. D. Dack is still confined in bed, but is improving.

NEWBORO

Messrs. E. Barker and W. Pinkerton of Queen's University, Kingston, are spending their holidays here.

Mr. R. Grennon has gone to Smith's Falls, where he will work in the foundry.

A meeting of the council was held on Dec. 14th and Mr. H. S. Foster reported that all the taxes were collected. This is the third time in succession that the taxes have been collected before Dec. 14th, and Mr. Foster is certainly to be congratulated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Parish returned to town last week, and the Palace Rink will soon be in running order.

Mr. G. Ewing and E. J. Adams, Westport, and T. R. Whaley, Soperton, were the guests of lady friends last week.

At a meeting of the League on Friday evening Miss Hannah was presented with an address and a gold watch. Miss Hannah has been connected with the League for the past three years and her loss will be keenly felt.

Mr. D. R. Rogers of Portland passed through here on Friday evening.

The funeral of the late Henry Garrett of Crosby took place to the St. Mary's Church on Tuesday. Services were conducted by Rev. E. M. Rowland.

A special meeting of the council was held on Friday evening to consider the protest of Mr. Jos. Abramson against paying a transient traders license. After careful consideration, it was decided to compel Mr. Abramson to pay a license of \$50 before opening his mercantile business.

Sec. Treas. A. H. Tett attended a meeting of the Leeds County Hockey Executive at Portland on Friday evening. A schedule was arranged with the Smith's Falls, Newboro and Portland teams.

A meeting of the Conservatives was held in the town hall here on Saturday for the purpose of appointing a commissioner to represent the Sixth Division in the County Council. Over two hundred delegates were in attendance. Mr. John McCumish has been unanimously chosen by Conservatives as their representative of the sixth division in the counties council.

DELTA

Christmas day was apparently very much enjoyed here. There were many family gatherings, at which turkeys geese and chickens were in great demand.

Edga Horton, the cabinetmaker, has been appointed agent for the Cyclone Woven Wire Co. of Toronto.

Miss Victoria Bell, of the Normal School of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mott of Toronto are at present visiting at James Bell's.

John Stewart has finished his work as tax collector.

The Sabbath-school of the Baptist Church held their annual Christmas tree in town hall on the 22nd. A very interesting and enjoyable programme was rendered. After the con-

clusion of the programme the presents were distributed. Santa Claus had evidently been very generous towards the members of the school, for the presents were not only numerous but also very handsome. Among them might be mentioned a beautiful Bible which was presented to Mr. J. A. Stevens as a token of the gratitude of the school for his untiring efforts in raising the children. The annual report presented by the supt J. A. Stevens showed that the school is in a healthy prosperous condition. Rev. R. G. Garrett occupied the chair. The free will offering taken amounted to \$31.16.

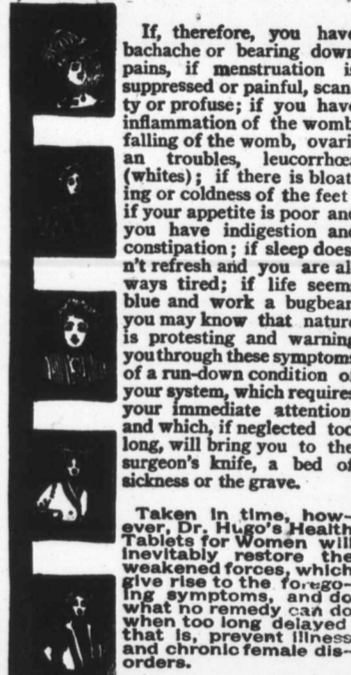
Mrs. J. B. Phillips of Kingston is at present spending holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Copeland.

The Christmas tree and entertainment held at the town hall on 24th, under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday school, was a decided success. Those who took part in the programme ably filled the position assigned to them and every thing passed off pleasantly in the presence of a well filled house. The drills exhibited by Chantry ladies and gentlemen were admired and praised by all. The presents were distributed. The proceeds netted \$32.00. The Supt., John Horton, showed that the school is in a prosperous condition. Rev. G. H. Williams occupied the chair.

A number from here went to Chantry and Soperton Xmas trees and returned home, reporting an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaver of Montreal are at present visiting L. N. Phelps.

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