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COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUR STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS.

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FORFAR.

MONDAY, Oct. 17.—Husking and paring bees are all the rage around here.

Farmers are busy ploughing.

The concert given by the school on Columbus day was a grand success.

FRANKVILLE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 14.—Mr. H. Dier spent Sunday visiting friends near Westport.

Miss Hall of Lansdowne spent a few days here last week, the guest of Miss Laura Mitchell.

The newly elected officers of Frankville Epworth League are: Chas. Richards, president; W. Dowsley, secretary; Chas. Rudd, treas.; Robert Davison, Misses Etta Soper and Dorma Eaton, vice-presidents.

Mr. C. W. Leverette spent Sunday in Easton's Corners.

A. H. Eliot is improving the appearance of his grocery store by giving it a coat of paint.

PLUM HOLLOW.

MONDAY, Oct. 17.—Husking bees and prayer meetings are all the rage around here.

Ed. Thomas, of Lake street, is encamped at Willse Lake hunting ducks. We hope you will have good success, Ed.

Mack Moulton, of the stone road, was the guest of Mr. Enos Soper, of Frankville, on Sunday the ninth.

Mr. Mahlon Yates, who has been very ill for the past few weeks, we are glad to say is on the gain.

Miss Maggie Frye was the guest of Annie Morrison last week.

Mr. Phillip Yates attended the assembly at Oak Leaf on Friday night last and said he enjoyed himself splendidly.

Our young man has already commenced to call him Uncle John. We think it will be a sure go.

WILTSETOWN.

MONDAY, Oct. 17.—There seems to be plenty of work for the threshing machines here, as there are two running in almost a stone's throw of each other at the time of writing.

We are sorry no one has responded to our call to say something about the changing of the name of this place. We will suggest a name ourselves in a couple of weeks more.

The four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America was celebrated at our school house last Wednesday afternoon. The school house was beautifully decorated with evergreens, maple leaves and suitable mottoes. There was a choice programme of reading, recitations and singing. Mr. Wm. Earl acted as chairman and several other gentlemen gave short speeches. Great credit is due Miss Bullis for the excellent programme and the tasteful decoration.

ADDISON.

MONDAY, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Moore, of Hamilton, has been spending a few days with her friends here.

Mr. A. Church, of Mt. Pleasant, is the next happy man—it's a boy. Mother and child are doing well.

Mrs. H. S. Moffatt has been on the sick list for a few days, but is slowly recovering.

The Rev. Mr. Knox has been in poor health for a few weeks, but is able to attend to his pastoral duties again.

Farmers in this section are mostly through with their potato harvest and report a very poor crop, owing to the rot.

A few of our local sports attended the North Augusta fair on the 7th inst., and report having a good time.

Mrs. Shepherd, who has been in Brockville for some time lecturing, will be in our village on the 18th inst., and will lecture afternoon and evening in Ashwood Hall.

Mr. C. Stowell is putting a creamery in the Palace Factory and will make butter after the cheese season is closed.

Mr. George Polough, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in this section for a few days.

WESTPORT.

FRIDAY, Oct. 14.—The cholera wave has been much dreaded in this country lately, but another wave of a different and less damaging nature has lately struck this place and vicinity, viz.: the matrimonial wave. There were no less than four marriages here on Wednesday last. The following are the couples: Mr. W. S. Ripley and Miss Eliza Thompson, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. James Pletts; Mr. Michael Adams and Miss Bridget Cawley; Mr. Edward O'Hare, of Burgess, and Miss Kate Mannion; and Mr. W. J. Rhine and Miss Minnie Cawley in St Edward's R. C. Church.

The Rev. Dr. Smith, of Kingston, dispensed the sacrament of the Lord's supper in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath.

Westport cattle fair was held on Tuesday last. The crowd was large and the showing of cattle good. Two car-loads of cattle were shipped the following morning by our local buyer, Mr. Noah Whitmarsh.

The Rev. J. B. Huff, Baptist minister, will shortly leave this place for Sault St. Marie.

An open lodge was held in the Westport Division-room of the Sons of Temperance on Friday evening, as a farewell for Rev. Mr. Huff P. W. P.

The Luckey Murder.

An immense crowd of people assembled at Irish Creek on Wednesday last to attend the inquest and obtain a view of the suspected murderer. He was brought from Smith's Falls, heavily manacled, by Chief McGowan. He manifested little concern when meeting the gaze of so many people, and during the inquest maintained a stolid demeanor. The enquiry was conducted by Dr. Vaux, of Brockville, an experienced coroner, and though nothing new was elicited, the whole matter was recorded in a concise form. Detective Greer, who is working on the case, conducted the examination. Evidence was given showing that the prisoner had arrived at Smiths' Falls at 4 o'clock on the morning of the murder. He was seen at 5 o'clock walking towards the scene of the murder, and returning to Smiths' Falls in the evening. A parcel which he carried on both occasions served to identify him. The parcel found in the possession of the prisoner when arrested contained only a pair of woolen drawers and a pair of gailers. Detective Greer attaches great importance to the latter, and is seeking to establish the fact that they belonged to the murdered man.

The jury were only out twenty minutes, and brought in the following verdict:

That one Charles Luckey, not having the fear of God before his eyes, but being moved and seduced by the instigation of the devil, on the 8th day of October, 1892, did kill and murder John James Lucky, sen., Martha Luckey and Mary Ann Luckey.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

It was read to the prisoner, and he took the contents in the same stoical condition that marked his demeanor since his arrest. He was unable to speak when asked if he had anything to say, and the coroner immediately committed him to stand his trial for murder at the next court of competent jurisdiction at Brockville, which will be held this week.

Chief of Police Rose of Brockville took the prisoner in charge and brought him to Brockville.

AN AFFECTING SCENE.

There was an affecting scene here just before the departure of the prisoner for Brockville, when his brother, John Luckey, and wife, visited him at his room at the hotel. He seemed anxious to see them, but broke completely down, and cried like a child. He said it was his intention to reform his bad ways after being liberated from the Central Prison, but he accidentally fell into the present serious scrape. "I am as innocent as a child," he cried in a loud voice, "and, thank God, there's no blood stains on my hands." Before departing for Brockville prison the brother and sister-in-law shook hands with the accused. They hung their heads low, and the woman cried bitterly.

There are only two criminal cases on the docket for the fall assizes at Brockville, and though the session opens to-day it is not likely that Luckey will get his trial before next week, as it is said the counsel for the prisoner is not ready to go on with the case. Detective Greer has worked up the case thoroughly for the prosecution and will bring proof that the pair of gaiters found in the possession of the prisoner were worn by his father at Smith's Falls market on the morning of the murder. An effort will also be made to establish the fact that some of the money found on prisoner was part of a sum paid to his father that day. Should this be done, the conviction of the accused is almost a certainty.

The prisoner still maintains his composure and shows not the least sign of breaking down. He apparently slept well Saturday night and partook of a hearty breakfast Sunday morning. He spends a large portion of the time in reading his bible and claims it has always been his custom to do so. He also freely converses with Jailer McDougall, Sunday voluntarily broaching the subject of the murder, and vigorously protested his innocence.

Mr. J. R. Lavell of Smith's Falls, was interviewed Saturday afternoon, and stated that he had been employed by the prisoner to make a defence, and several incidents have occurred during the inquest and since that would lead him to believe that a strong defence can be made. He would work hard on the case from now forward. Mr. Lavell also stated that he had also been asked by the relatives of the prisoner to act for him. Mr. John Luckey, jr., had stated to him that he would find out the perpetrator of the tragedy if it took him all his life, and if it were his own brother, he was prepared to see him pay the penalty. During the prisoner's interview with his lawyer on Monday he appeared to be very cheerful now that some one was taking an interest in him and also strongly protested his innocence.

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The important effect of advertising is one of a direct nature. It conveys the impression that the party is anxious for business, is unavoidably supposed to be an industrious, attentive, civil person who keeps the best of articles at the cheapest rates, does everything in the neatest and most tradesmanlike manner and in general uses every expedient to gratify and attract customers. People like to purchase under these circumstances, and the system of advertising assuring them that such circumstances exist at this particular shop, they select it accordingly.

Death of Hiram Holmes.

Owing to the fact that during the past four or five weeks our time and space has been so taken up with fair and municipal work, that we have been unable to pay that attention to local events that we should, we have neglected to chronicle the death, at the age of 76 years, of Hiram Holmes, for many years a resident of this village. His death, which occurred on the 25th September last, was not unexpected, as he had been confined to the house for some six or eight months. Mr. Holmes was a son of the late Richard Holmes, the centenarian, and has always resided in this vicinity. He, for a short time, owned the Saunders' mill, and since that time has resided in this village. He was somewhat eccentric in his habits, but of sterling honesty in all his dealings with his neighbors. During the later years of his life, at least, he was a strict vegetarian. His memory was phenomenally good, and he could readily recall, with every detail, events that occurred half a century ago. His tall, erect figure is missed from our streets and his wise counsel from the deliberations of his old friends.

Tax Collecting.

The promp collection of taxes is a matter that every member of a municipal council should insist upon. In many municipalities the roll is not returned for months after all the taxes collectable should be in the hands of the municipal treasurer. This delay is owing to the action of the collector in waiting on delinquents, and we are sorry to say that they are often encouraged by members of the council. The time fixed by the Act for the return of the roll is the 14th December; the greater part of the taxes should be in the hands of the treasurer by that time.

If the rate payers are given to understand that the taxes must be paid by a certain day, and that all not then paid will be collected in the manner provided by the act, there will be no difficulty in securing the money, and the finances of the municipalities will be placed on a better and more business-like basis.

The salaries paid collectors are never very exhorbitant, and they should make every effort to be in a position to make their final report to the treasurer on or before the first of January, and in this they should be encouraged by the council.—Ex.

Bill Nye on Wagon Roads.

Our wagon roads throughout the country are generally a disgrace to civilization, and before we undertake to supply Jaeger underwear and sealskin covered Bibles with flexible backs to the African, it might be well to put a few dollars into the relief of galled and broken down horses that have lost their health on our miserable highways.

The country system, as I recall it, was in my boyhood about as poor and inefficient as it could well be. Each township was divided up into road districts, and each road district was presided over by an overseer of highways, whose duty it was to collect so many days' work or so many dollars from each taxpayer in the district. Of course, no taxpayer would pay a dollar when he could come and make mud piles on their road all day and visit and gossip with the neighbors and save his dollars too.

The result seemed to be that the work done was misdirected and generally an injury to the road. With all due respect to the farmer, I will state right here that he does not not know how to make roads. An all wise Providence never intended that he should know. The professional roadbuilder, with the money used by the ignorant saphead and self-made road architect, would in a few years make roads over which two or three times the present sized load could be easily drawn, and the dumb beasts of the country would rise up and call us blessed for doing it.

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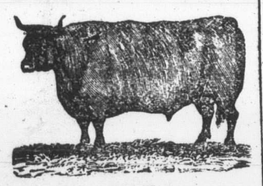
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