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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Preparations are already well under way for the Sunday School Convention of Oxford County with Derham of Tillsonburg, to be held in St. Paul's church, Tillsonburg, on the 28th and 29th of June. Some very prominent men, some of whom have an international reputation, have been secured as speakers at this convention. Some of the speakers are: Rev. J. E. Berry, of Philadelphia; H. H. Picham, of London; Rev. W. J. Carls, of Windsor; Rev. W. J. Knox, of London; Rev. Clark Logan, Bradford; Rev. E. W. Halpern, Toronto; Prof. E. C. Exell, of Niagara, assisted by Prof. Alvin B. Brown, will have charge of the music during the convention. It is expected that a large number of Sunday school workers of Ingersoll will attend this convention.

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NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

EBENEZER.

May 29.—Miss Florence Spittal spent Sunday the guest of Mrs. Samuel Morris, Jr.

On Friday evening, May 24th, about 75 of the Ebenezer congregation gathered at the home of their pastor, Rev. J. T. Cavers, Derham Centre, to spend a farewell evening prior to his departure from their midst. Games were enjoyed by all. Finally the gathering was called to order and a splendid program was rendered. At this time the following address was read by Mr. C. Gill and Mr. Walter Ellery presented a well filled purse to Mr. Cavers and family on behalf of the Ebenezer people.

The Address. Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Cavers, Derham Centre, Ont.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Cavers.—The members and friends of your Ebenezer congregation desire to convey to you and your family their feelings of esteem and good will as you are about to leave the circuit. You came to us during the great war which still rages and this we realize has made the work of the pastor much more arduous and trying than in time of peace.

We appreciate your labors for our moral and spiritual good, your earnest messages will not soon be forgotten, and we trust the good work you are doing will bear fruit unto eternal life in the lives of your hearers. We understand in fact how exacting the duties of a pastor are and how distances dress upon time and strength.

We rejoice in the recovery granted to Mrs. Cavers from her serious illness during the winter. We earnestly pray God to bless and prosper you as you go forth to serve Christ and His church. We desire you to carry with you our very best wishes and in token thereof we beg you to accept this purse, a gift from your Ebenezer people which will visibly express our good will and kind thoughts toward you, our pastor and family.

Ever your sincere friends: Signed for the Church: President of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Lecky were out motoring with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. El. on Sunday last.

John Bruce is erecting a new kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wilford and daughters Gladys and Annie, recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilford's sister, Mrs. Remble, East Nisour.

George Quinn has purchased a new driver. Don't forget our village speed limit, 60 m.p.h.

On Monday evening, May 27th, the Epworth League, with their friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. McKibben to bid adieu to two of their number who have joined the colors, Mr. Frank Fleming and Charles Furtney. An address, suitable to the occasion, was read to the boys in behalf of the League, by John Morris, and at the proper time four young ladies presented them with bouquets and socks, which were given by the Ebenezer Red Cross League. The boys rendered program lunch was served and all departed, feeling their deep love to the community in the departure of these fine young men, but all join in hoping for their safe return to their homes and loved ones.

The services next Sunday will be conducted by H. L. Roberts at 2:30 p.m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p.m.

VERSCHOYLE

Verschoyle Red Cross Work for May. The May shipment of Red Cross and C.W.C.A. supplies to Hyman Hall, London, from the Verschoyle Red Cross Workers was 21 suits of pajamas and 48 pairs of socks, which were knit by the members of the Knitting Club and the school children. The average attendance at the weekly meetings for May was four, making the work very heavy for the willing few.

The kiddies of the junior room have adopted a prisoner of war and contribute monthly to his support.

A social evening was held on Tuesday evening May 28, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Daniel, president of the Red Cross. The committee is to be congratulated on the success of the evening.

A very interesting talk on his experiences "over there" was given by Lieut. Vining who was the honored guest of the evening. A feature of the evening was an eye-shower which brought in about 38 dozen to be sold for the Red Cross. Proceeds of the evening were about \$50.

HOLBROOK

May 27.—Miss Lockhart spent a couple of days in Hamilton last week. A murder on this vicinity went fishing on the 24th.

Miss R. Addison, of Toronto, spent the 24th at her home here.

Lieut. J. Leslie Dickson, has been appointed instructor in aerial gunnery at Beamsville.

EMBRO.

Embryo, May 23.—The play "The Heart of a Hero" which was put on by 25 young people from Woodstock in the Embro town hall last night was a decided success. After paying the expenses the Embro and West Zorra Society have \$45 for Red Cross work.

OUR INVENTIVE SOLDIERS.

Suggested Use of Tump-line for Carrying Munitions.

According to Frederick Palmer, the great war correspondent, it was the Canadians who invented trench raiding recently the inventive boys from the Dominion have introduced a new thing at the front. This time it is the "tump-line," which our prospectors use for carrying heavy loads over bad pieces of land in the north country. The soldiers have utilized the tump-lines for carrying heavy munitions over the broken ground during the spells of stormy weather. The men are able to get their munition into place much more quickly by making use of the simple back-woods device, and it has been invented in the Olymptics.

Now it seems that the idea of making use of the tump-line was suggested by Captain Ed. Archibald, son of Chief Inspector Archibald of Toronto. Captain Archibald was well known in Canada a few years ago as one of the Dominion's best all-around athletes. He twice represented his country at the Olymptics games. He was a prospector in the Sudbury district at one time, and had learned from experience the usefulness of the tump-line. He accordingly wrote asking the Sudbury people to provide as many 'lines' as possible in the shortest time. Mr. Hill Green canvassed the town and forwarded to Captain Archibald 435 tump-lines.

To give a proper idea of the efficiency of these 'lines,' it may be stated that previous to the introduction thereof two men were detailed to carry one box of munitions, using a rope handle on each end of the box. Even for two men, and carried in such manner, this proved to be a most awkward load; many of us who have carried a trunk know all about it.

Each box of munitions weighs 80 pounds. With the tump-line, properly adjusted, an ordinary man, experienced with the 'line,' can carry two such boxes with less expenditure of energy, and with infinitely greater comfort than the man carrying one-half the box by the former method. Captain Archibald can carry at least three of these boxes with ease, and there are several other men at the front who will carry a like number. If one man carries one box with the 'line,' one extra man is saved, and if he carries three boxes, five extra are saved, and so on. It will, therefore, be readily seen just what the introduction of the tump-line at the front means.

Captain Archibald recently wrote to his brother-in-law, Rev. C. W. Fallett, of Sudbury, stating that the tump-lines used in the recent Canadian dash in the mud at Regina were those sent him from Sudbury. He instructs that a school of instruction be given in the use of the tump-line has been established near the front, and that shortly there will be added to the many ranks of expert, hand-picked experts.

The request for the lines was received on July 6, 1916; shipped from Sudbury, July 28, 1916; received by Captain Archibald September 12th; acknowledged by Captain Archibald September 13, 1916.

PUTNAM.

The death occurred on Monday at Putnam, of Angus Grant Wallis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wallis, 12 years. The young lad had been ill only nine days, starting with blood poisoning and later developing into a complicated infection of the lungs.

The funeral was held from the family residence at Putnam on Wednesday afternoon at the Putnam Cemetery where interment was made. The services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Herbert, of Putnam, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Kellum, of Belmont, and the pall bearers were Chas. Boldwin, Archie McNixon, Jr., Allan Perry, Geo. McCreedy, Jas. Beer and Frank Boyce.

NORTH OXFORD

It is believed by some in the district that there is another lynx in North Oxford. One was shot recently and since that time tracks of a strange animal have been discovered, which, it is thought, were made by a lynx, probably the mate to the one killed.

TILLSONBURG.

May 24.—Fire, which is supposed to have been caused by firecrackers, started a blaze here today which destroyed the storehouse on Main street on the rear of the store, but a time threatened the whole block. There was a quantity of oil in the building which was a large one, and the blaze, which started from the storehouse, spread rapidly, although the main block was on fire several times. The storehouse was used jointly by Mrs. J. McDonald, the W. S. Law estate and W. F. Carleton, fruit dealer. The loss will be about \$1,000.

Fire which is supposed to have started from a spark from a locomotive through the post office, and for a time threatened to destroy the big frame elevator at the G.T.R. station and owned by J. Chandler. The town waterworks system was shut off, as reports are being made, but excellent service was given by the Tillson Co. After half an hour's hard work the firemen succeeded in extinguishing the flames. The loss will not be heavy.

FRED. J. FYDELL FOR SALFORD

Following is a list of all the past and changes in Woodstock and North Districts as contained in the first report of the Stationing Committee of the Hamilton Conference. Woodstock, Dundas Street, S. A. Laidman; Salford, Fred J. Fyde; Beachville, J. W. Kitching.

North District—Tillsonburg, A. J. Lewis; Delhi, J. C. Culp; Derham, J. Wesley Bean; Burford and Fairfield, J. Fred Kaye; Kelvin and Beckton, W. J. Ellis.

THAMESFORD.

May 27.—The work of building the C.P.R. water tank is progressing rapidly. The pump house is located north of the bridge and the drains are partially laid from there to the tank which is located a little east of the station.

Principal J. Campbell and the assistant teachers at the school prepared a most interesting program for Empire Day. Patriotic songs, drills and physical exercises comprised the entertainment. Mr. Campbell conducted the program and gave a short talk on the history of the flag. Miss Dick's class of girls made a pretty picture as they marched through the different movements of their flag drill.

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THE BANNER RED CROSS REPORTS

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR APRIL AND MAY—TOTAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING MAY 31ST

Following is the Banner Red Cross report for April and May, 1918:

Table with columns: Receipts for April, Expenditures, Total Receipts, Total Expenditures. Includes items like Cash Balance, Collections, Sold 2 pair of socks, Yarn, Sugar Social, Township Council, Mrs. John Bruce, Mrs. A. Brown, Mrs. Fred Rodenhurst.

DERHAM FARMER LOSES TWO LARGE HAY STACKS

Delmer, May 28.—Children, playing with matches, set fire to and burned two large haystacks of the 27th division, Derham, belonging to J. H. Smith.

The barn of Michael Lellow on the Goshen road, Middleburg Township, was struck by lightning on Sunday and slightly damaged.

A mild form of smallpox has broken out in the home of James Lawrence on 11th concession of Derham. The family has been quarantined.

Joseph Williamson has sold his fifty-acre farm to his son, John Williamson.

Safety for the Birds.

Approval of the treaty for the protection of migratory birds recently ratified by the Governments of the United States and Canada has been given by Great Britain. Nothing now remains to put it into effect save the formal exchange of ratified copies by the two countries involved. Therefore it may be said that the final step has been taken in what is probably the most important movement for the protection of birds in this country in the history of the United States. The treaty will be in force for fifteen years, and will automatically renew itself from year to year after the period, unless one of the contracting parties gives two months' notice of a desire to terminate it. It is not probable that such a contingency will ever arise.

The most vital provisions of this treaty are: "That no bird important to agriculture because it is an insect destroyer shall be shot at any time. "That no open season be set on any species of game birds shall extend for a longer period than three and one-half months. "Canada shall so restrict open seasons on game birds as to prevent their being taken during the breeding season. "That there shall be no shipment from one country to the other of birds which are taken contrary to law. "Under a treaty such as this it is apparent that not only will the many valuable species of game birds which journey annually across the border in their migratory flights be adequately protected, but also that the even more important insectivorous birds may go and come in entire safety. By the consequent service to the farmer this treaty may easily have a favorable influence on the cost of living in both countries.

Farm Women.

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WIVES OF ALDERMEN BARRED FROM LUNCHEON

Woodstock, May 28.—The wives of the aldermen of Woodstock, will not attend the luncheon to be given on the occasion of the visit here of the Duke of Devonshire on June 11. The matter came up at the city council and a very warm discussion followed a resolution introduced to have the ladies present at the luncheon. This was defeated by a vote of 6 to 3.

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1,000 JEWS DROWNED.

Refugees From Russia Meet Death When Steamer Sinks. New York, May 28.—A cablegram received today by The Jewish Daily News brought the word that a thousand Jewish refugees from Russia were drowned when the steamship Oriole was sunk recently in the Caspian Sea. The message was from Harbin.



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