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Three Barn Fires In District Sunday and Monday Nights

The steadily mounting total of losses from barn fires in this district was materially added to with two barns falling prey to flames Sunday night, and a third, together with a substantial brick dwelling, contributing its share Monday night. The record almost parallels that in Wentworth county earlier in the present month, although there is no suggestion that a firebug is working his will throughout the district, but there is a feeling which is gaining ground, that chicken thieves may be responsible for some of the fires, with the idea that the owners of stolen flocks would not be able to say positively that they had been the victims of chicken thieves.

Sunday evening about half past eight, Eddie Moore's barn, about three miles south of Chesterville, in the Limerick settlement, was the first to go together with its entire contents which included the season's crop. Fortunately the live stock was not in the building with the exception of two cows which were taken to safety, and the implements were housed in another building which by strenuous efforts was saved from the flames.

Chesterville people at Moore's were almost thrown into a panic when the cry arose that another fire was in progress and an increasing brilliance to the northwest looked as if the fire were in Chesterville, but was several miles farther on at the home of Walter Errat in the Melvin Settlement, where the barns were a total loss with 600 bushels of grain, 60 tons of hay, the farm implements and a large threshing mill, four pigs and a couple hundred hens, if the latter had not been stolen. Tom Fleming was the first one to see Errat's place burning when he was some distance away driving in that direction. When he arrived at Errat's the family were all in bed and apparently sleeping soundly unaware of their burning buildings. As Fleming drove in he espied an axe near the well and while his companion was rousing the family and summoning help by telephone, Fleming rushed to the barn and liberated three horses by chopping their halters and turning them loose. Several pigs were also saved when an exit was made for them at the north side of the building by chopping through. Errat's loss is estimated at around $8,000 partially covered by insurance.

Monday night about ten a large barn and a two-storey brick house on the Roxborough-Finch boundary five miles north-east of Finch village, belonging to James Ammell and shared jointly with a tenant, T. Legault,, went up in smoke. The blaze which was first discovered in the barn spread so quickly to the house that Ammell, his wife and child, and Legault, his wife and two children had barely time to dress and save some of the furnishings before the flames drove them out. The house was valued at $6,000 and the barn and contents at $4,000. The season's crop was in the barn as well as the farm machinery, a horse and a number of pigs. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Morrisburg Hockey Player Dies Following Injuries

Robert Penny, a member of the Morrisburg Maroons hockey club for the past several seasons, passed away Sunday night from injuries received Friday afternoon when the handle of a windless which is used to open the gates at the canal locks was released as a catch broke.

During the past few months Penny had been employed in the caretaking department of the Morrisburg section of the Ontario-St. Lawrence canal system. Friday afternoon he was standing near a windlass at Lock 23, watching workmen in their endeavours to release a jammed gate. Terrific pressure had been exerted upon the gate and the windlass chains were under heavy strain. Suddenly, a ratchet-catch on the windlass broke, and released the handles, which spun at terrific speed. Mr. Penny was struck across the head and face, and received terrible injuries.

S. S. No. 7, Finch

Sr. IV—Carl Ouderkirk 76 per cent, Edgar McLean 74.

Jr. IV—Stuart McLean 70, Roy Froats 70, Hubert Beckstead 55, Lily McLean 50.

Sr. III—Irene Sutherland 66, Neita McMillan 64, Gerald Foley 45, John Casselman 41.

Jr. III—Vera McLean 78, Eleanor Casselman 71, Adena McLean 71, Betty Foley 52.

II—Violet Rutley 69, June McMillan *8, Aurea Foley 50, Ray McMillan 48.

I—Rex McMillan, Robert Sutherland.

Pr.—Shirley McMillan, Alexander Foley, Patrick Foley, Sybil McMillan.

—Cassie Droppo, Teacher.

PLAY AT MOREWOOD

By special request, Group No. 1 of the Women's Association of Morewood United Church will repeat the play "My Old New Hampshire Home" on Friday evening, November 6th, in the Church Hall at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25c and 10c. 52

Hallowe'en Party in Library

A Hallowe'en party under the auspices of the Women's Institute will be held in the Library on Saturday night, October 31st. Games will be played, refreshments served, and prizes given for the adult's best costume, adult's comic costume; boy's and girl's best costume, boy's and gir's comic costume; child's best costume, child's comic costume. Admission, adults 25, children 10 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Long Killed When Auto Strikes Truck

On the return of the friends of Mrs. George Long, née Linda Droppo, of Albany, N. Y., who with her husband was almost instantly killed in an automobile amash in the suburbs of Albany, on Saturday evening, October 17th, brought the particulars of the accident as nearly as could be ascertained. At the time of the accident, Mr. and Mrs. Long were occupying the rumble seat of a car belonging to a friend who with two others had called for the Longs to go for a drive early in the evening. As they were still within the city limits of Albany a parked truck loomed up immediately ahead and as they made a quick turn to avoid it, their car struck the truck just behind the front seat, throwing Mr. and Mrs. Long very forcibly to the pavement at considerable distances from the truck. After striking the rear of the truck the impact threw the front of the light car around towards the front of the truck which was again crashed into. The two ladies in the front seat with the driver were somewhat injured but not seriously and the driver escaped with but one slight scratch on his hand. The driver was arrested and an inquest is under way.

Morewood Women's Inst. Will Commemorate Armistice

After the "quietude" of two months the Morewood Women's Institute met at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Steinberg, on October 15th. The president presided over a large attendance of members, four visitors and two new members. The programme was ably carried out, the committees being, Mrs. A. Swerdfeger, Mrs. H. McGillvary and Miss B. Hetherington.

A Thanksgiving paper was read by Mrs. H. Myers and two contests in keeping with the Thanksgiving with prizes of two boxes of lovely homemade candy for the winners, were enjoyed.

Two delegates were appointed to attend the Ottawa convention.

Arrangements were made for the service at the monument on Remembrance Day, November 11th. Poppies were ordered so everyone on that day will wear one it is hoped.

Mrs. Popplewell closed the meeting in the usual way after which refreshments were served.

Double Funeral at Oneonta For Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Long

Oneonta Paper.—Double funeral services were held for Mr. and Mrs. George J. Long from the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Rose Long, 18 Miller street, Wednesdav. afternoon, at 2 o'clock. A short prayer service for Mr. and Mrs. Long was conducted by Rev. George H. Phillips, of the First Methodist Episcopal Church with a committal service at the grave. Burial was in Glenwood cemetery.

Bearers were: Ray Hogan, Seldon Heller, Michael Hogan, James Hogan, Anthony Hogan, Ray Wickham, Norman Dommermuth, Lee Hull, John Spaulding, Charles Cross and Lewis Hunt.

Many floral tributes were in evidence and among them were pieces from the Utter Electric Shop and employees, A. O. Ingraham and employees, girls of the traffic department of the Otsego and Delaware Telephone Company, Oneonta Council Knights of Columbus, Oneonta High School Senior Class, employees of Wagar's at Albany, a group of local friends and neighbours, pillow from each family.

Those from out of town attending the services were: Simeon Droppo, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Droppo, all of Chesterville, Ont.; Cora Droppo, of Cornwall, Ont.; Myles Ouderkirk, of Finch, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Merkley, of Lowville; Thomas Merkley, of Schenectady; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Timlin, Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy, Mrs. Theresa Farrell, Mrs. John Monahan, Mrs. Mary Dillon, Mrs. Nellie Brogan, and Joseph Brogan, all of Scranton, Pa.

National Government Elected With Majority Almost 500

Six hundred and ten out of 615 members have been returned to the House of Commons. The remaining five results will not be known for some days.

The party standing is as follows:
Conservative, 472. Gains 207.
National-Labor, 13; gains 13.
National-Liberal, 65; gains 26; losses 12.

Labor Party, 50; losses 235.
Lloyd George Liberals, 5.
Independents, 5; gains, 3; losses, 3.

Hon. Ramsay MacDonald was elected in his home constituency by a majority of more than 5,000.

No Communist was elected.

John McGovern, the Clydesider, was the single Independent Laborite elected.

"The majority, unequal as it is gratifying," declared Prime Minister MacDonald, in a message to the nation last night, "must convince the whole world that when this country calls for assistance willing hands and devoted minds will always respond heartily. The very emphasis of the response," he added, "is embarrassing, but I appeal for forebearance as well as confidence. We appealed for a demonstration of unity but the response has been far beyond the dreams of even the most enthusiastic among us.

"To my political friends," the Prime Minister said, "who suffered such unusual reverses, and especially to those who with splendid faith and courage backed our appeal and helped swell our victory, I give assurance that our triumph will in no way mean that either the interests or the point of view of the working classes will be overlooked in our performance of the task which is before us.

Grantley Girl Becomes Bride Of Chesterville Young Man

The United Church parsonage Chesterville, was the scene of a very pretty marriage yesterday afternoon when Hazel McMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMillan, of Grantley, became the bride of Mr. Maurice Beckstead, with Rev. R. E. Newman performing the marriage ceremony.

The bride was unattended and looked very charming in a Skipper Blue georgette French lace jacket, tastefully made on long lines, falling in soft folds to her ankles, and accessories to match. She wore the gift of her mother, a crystal necklace. Before the ceremony dinner was served to the guests at the home of the bride's parents. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for Montreal and eastern points.

The bride travelled in a brown crepe backed satin dress with hat, shoes and hose to match. She wore a brown broadcloth coat with sable collar and cuffs.

The bride's gift to the groom was a Montrose wrist watch, and the groom's gift to the bride was a Marten fur.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Beckstead will reside in Chesterville.

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Miss Julie Curren Buried This Morning

The funeral took place this morning at St. Mary's Church where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Keaney for the late Miss Julie Curren, who passed away at the family home on Queen street Monday afternoon. Interment was made in the Upper cemetery when the pallbearers were Messrs. Howard Fulton, H. G. McCambridge, Edward Gibbons and James Masterson.

Miss Curren had been in indifferent health for some time, and earlier in the year was in a very critical state from which she rallied and appeared for a considerable time to be gaining ground, only to become much worse recently from which time she did not rally. The deceased was a devoted member of her church and gave of her best efforts in all the good works carried on in its behalf.

There are left to mourn her loss, two brothers, Patrick, of Detroit, and James at home, and two sisters, Misses Mary and Margaret, both of Chesterville.

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Husband of Morewood Girl Passes Away In Ottawa

The funeral of William Cooper McQuaig was held Saturday afternoon from his late residence, 206 Fifth avenue, Ottawa, by motor to the Presbyterian Church in Morewood, where Rev. J. Logan-Vencta, of St. Giles' Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, officiated at the service. He was assisted by Rev. Mr. Sproule, of Chesterville Presbyterian Church; Rev. Mr. Armstrong ,of Morewood United Church, and Rev. Mr. Waddell, of Winchester United Church. The choir of St. Giles' Church and also a quartette under the direction of Mrs. Angus Orr, also took part in the service, while a solo was rendered by Dr. O. C. Spratt, of Ottawa.

Before the lengthy cortege left the home in Ottawa for Morewood, Rev. Mr. Logan-Vencta conducted a short service when a great many friends from Ottawa gathered to pay their last respects, after which it proceeded to the Presbyterian cemetery where interment was made in the family plot.

Mr. McQuaig died at the Civic Hospital on Thursday at the age of 46 years, following an illness of some five weeks. He was born at Winchester Springs, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John McQuaig. For a number of years he operated a farm in that district, until about six years ago, when he took up residence in Ottawa. For the past two years he has been employed as an accountant with C. W. Lindsay, Ltd., where he was held in high esteem by his fellow employees. He was a member of St. Giles' Church, Ottawa; of the men's club of that body, as well as a member of the Oddfellows.

In addition to his widow, formerly Zoe Hunter, he leaves to mourn one son, Jack McQuaig, and one daughter, Miss Helene McQuaig, both of Ottawa; two brothers, B. E. McQuaig, of Edmonton, and Howard McQuaig, of Vancouver, and one sister, Mrs. E. Merkley, of Winchester.

The following floral tributes were received by the family:

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Burrows, of North Bay; Mr. and Mrs. B .G. Main, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Merkley, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hamilton, Mr. H. A. McQuaig, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McQuaig, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Feeley, Mr and Mrs. W. C. Hunter, Misses Laura and Carrie Hunter, Mrs. M. H. McQuaig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Feeley and family, The Burrows and Berry Family, of North Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Craig, North Gower; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheppard, Russell; Mr. and Mrs. Angus Orr; Mr. and Mrs. A. Kendrick and family, Teachers and pupils of Form 2L and 5C, Glebe Collegiate, Mr. and Mrs H. A. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Jed Tuttle, Misses Annie and Minnie Tuttle, Iroquois; Mrs. R. D. Sutherland and Mrs. J. Buist, Mr. Roy Fetterly, Mr. Bill O'Brien, Mr. Chas. Tobin, Mrs. Tormey, Montreal; Mrs. Agnes Smith, Miss Edythe Blackburn, Miss L. M .Ellis, Misses L. Johnston and L. MacDougall, Allen and Jack Taylor, Staff of C. W. Lindsay Co., Ltd.; Members of Royal Arks Bowling Club, Members of Bridge Club, Staff and Management of Newspaper Bureau, Principal and Staff of First Avenue School, Young Men's Bible Class, St. Giles' Church; Ladies' Aid and Choir of St. Giles' Church, Board of Management and Session, St. Giles' Church.

Coveted Horticulture Award Won by Miss Preston

The Massachusetts Horticultural Society, one of the oldest and best known horticultural societies in America, with headquarters at Boston, has just announced that the large gold medal of the society has been awarded to Miss Isabella Preston, Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The honour thus conferred on Miss Preston is well deserved. For the past nine years she has occupied the position of specialist in ornamental gardening in the horticultural division at Ottawa, and, during that time, has done much valuable work in originating new plants. Her breeding of new varieties of lilies has attracted wide attention. Before coming to Ottawa, she had originated the George C. Creelman lily, and another of her hybrids, raised at Ottawa, has been named Lilium Davmottiae. This lily has created very favourable comment, and in England has received an award from theRoyal Horticultural Society. Many other lily seedlings, as a result of her work, are being tested. Miss Preston has published a book called "Garden Lilies," which has proved very popular.

A new hybrid species of lilac has been named Syringa Prestoniae after Miss Preston. By crossing the Chinese lilac with the Nodding Lilac the flower clusters of which have a pendulous habit, she obtained a large number of varieties, some of which have the pendulous habit of the Nodding lilac but with much larger panicles of flowers, while others have enormous panicles with the upright habit. These new late lilacs are bound to become very popular.

Other new plants originated by Miss Preston are many charming varieties of ornamental red-flowered and red-leaved crab apples; varieties of Siberian iris, and, by crossing an early Russian columbine with the native columbine, early varieties were obtained in a great range of form and colour. Miss Preston's work with roses has resulted in several new fine varieties, and a large number are vet to bloom.

The Dominion Experimental Farms and, especially, the division of horticulture, share in this honour to Miss Preston.

Finch

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone MacLean and family were in Cornwall recently.

Miss Lillian Beckstead spent the week end with friends in Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cunningham, of Gallingertown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Gallinger.

Misses V. McMonagle and L. Wereley were in Cornwall Saturday.

Mrs. H. A. McMillan spent a few days in Massena, N. Y., recently.

We hope to see Mrs. W. G. Brownlee home soon from the hospital in Cornwall.

An intimation to slow-paying customers given by a country shop-keeper:

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GOOD THINGS TO EAT

SOUPS

By Etta Bitta Pye

HERE ARE some of the soups that might very well be reckoned as a full meal in themselves. They include chowder types, thick soups, soups made satisfying with additions of vegetables, starchy ingredients and so on. Most valuable really, and particularly good for practically a main dish for luncheon or supper. A splendid way to meet keen Autumn appetites.

Split Pea Soup

2 cups green split peas
Cold water
1 large onion, sliced
4 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons flour
1 pint milk
2 teaspoons salt
Dash of pepper
Lemon
Parsley, finely chopped

Pick over the peas, wash well and soak overnight in one quart of cold water. In the morning add one more quart of water and the onion, cover and simmer for about 1½ hours, or until the peas are soft. Press the peas and onion through a fine sieve and save all the liquid. Blend the fat and flour, add the milk and stir until thickened. Mix with the pea pulp and liquid, season and serve hot. If the soup becomes too thick, add more milk to give the right constituency. Lay a fine slice of lemon with finely chopped parsley over the top in each plate of soup just before it goes onto the table.

Vegetable Soup

1 large soup bone, cracked
3 quarts cold water
4 tablespoons fat
1 green pepper, chopped
1 cup chopped onion
1½ cups chopped celery and leaves
1 cup finely diced carrots
1 cup finely diced turnips
2 cups finely diced potatoes
2 cups tomato juice and pulp
3 teaspoons salt, or to taste
¼ teaspoon pepper

Wash the soup bone and be careful to remove all loose pieces of bone. Put the bone in a large kettle, cover with the cold water, and simmer for 2 hours. Remove the bone from the broth. Cook all the vegetables except the tomatoes, in the fat in a skillet for about 10 minutes, stirring frequently. Add the vegetables, tomato, salt, and pepper to the broth, and simmer until the vegetables are tender but not broken. Serve the meat with the soup or save it for hash or croquettes.

This makes a rather large quantity of soup, but it is equally good reheated and served another day.

Corn Chowder

1 quart diced raw potatoes
1 pint boiling water
4 tablespoons diced salt pork
1 onion, chopped
2 cups canned corn
1 pint milk
½ teaspoon salt
Pepper
2 tablespoons chopped parsley or celery leaves

Boil the diced potatoes in the pint of boiling water for 10 minutes. Fry the salt pork and onion for about five minutes, and add these and the corn to the potatoes. Cook until the potatoes are done. Add the milk and the salt and pepper, bring the mixture to the boiling point, and add the parsley or celery leaves. Serve very hot in soup dishes and place two or three crackers in the dish before pouring in the chowder.

Onion Soup au Gratin

6 medium-sized onions, chopped fine
2 tablespoons butter
1 pint boiling water
1 quart meat broth
4 tablespoons flour
4 tablespoons cold water
Salt to taste
Pepper
Toast
Cheese, finely grated

Cook the chopped onions in the fat until yellow, add to the hot water, and simmer for 20 minutes, or until tender. Add the meat broth. Blend the flour and cold water, add some of the hot liquid, mix well, and stir into the soup. Add the salt and pepper, and cook for a few minutes. Pour the soup into bowls or soup plates, place on top of each a slice of toasted bread, sprinkle the cheese over the bread and soup, and serve at once.

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Two aching teeth, each one a couple of inches long and growing along the roof of his mouth, were a just cause for the mental depression of Charlie Carson ,a trapper in Telegraph Creek district of Northern British Columbia. An ordinary decayed stump is enough for the average man. But for a whole year Carlson, remote from the centres of civilization, operating in a territory where dental surgery is never mentioned, let alone practised, suffered the agonies which undulled toothache alone can produce. Trappers and natives in the Laird area believed him insane; and Carlson believed himself to be insane, for proper sleep had not come to him for over twelve months. Unable to exist near the settlements, the unfortunate man took to hiding in the bush, living the life of a wild thing, for he was afraid that should his condition become known he would be transported to an asylum.

Word of the unhappy woodsman's state was borne to the Laird post of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. It was represented to Corporal T. V. Sandys and Corporal Harvey that a mentally deranged man was wandering in the wilderness; and the circumstances were such as to demand investigation. The officers of the Royal Mounted knew Carlson, knew him as a sane ,industrious frontiersman who had befriended them on former occasions. Sending another trapper into the bush to remind Carlson of their friendship, they induced him to come out to them. His condition, according to the officers' report, was pitiful. He told of his sufferings and submitted to examination. The cause was made patent.

With what instruments were at hand, Corporal Harvey at once set about performing a dental operation. Exposed inside the roof of Carlson's mouth were two enormous teeth. Patiently, Carlson submitted himself to their extraction and when the operation was over the teeth were each found to measure two inches in length.

"Carlson (who is a Swede) no longer slinks around but is his own cheerful self," the officers' report concludes.

Seventh Ave., E., Osnabruck

Mrs. John G. Otto is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Middlemiss and Miss Eva Otto at Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hartwell, Mrs. Jane Warner, Mrs. Ella Hartwell and Mrs. Mary Nagel, of Osnabruck Centre, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Ostler and family.

Mr. Asa Hawn spent Sunday with Mr .and Mrs. George Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Droppo, of Chesterville, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

Rev. H. D. Whitmore called on Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wert and Sterling on Wednesday.

Mrs. William McGinnis, of Wales, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wert.

Mrs. John Brownell and Miss Jean spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brownell and Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wert and Sterling motored to Montreal on Saturday to spend the day with their son, Cecil, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Mrs. Harold Anderson, Aultsville, spent Thursday with Mrs. Percy Rutley.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. Brownell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Brownell and Kathleen motored to Monkland on Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Brownell and Jean visited Mr. and Mrs. Norm Eligh on Sunday.

Mr. Corrie Paupst and Mrs. M. Baker spent Sunday with Mrs. Agnes Brown.

East Winchester

Mr. and Mrs. William Hay had a social evening at their home last Monday in honour of their 45 years of married life.

Mrs. McIntosh is visiting friends at Apple Hill.

Mr. John Summers attended the funeral of the late T. Moffatt, Morewood, last Saturday.

Mr. Samuel Hurley, of Winchester Springs, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Smith last Tuesday.

Miss N. Gillies, of Goldfield, was visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Annable, for the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Turner, of Winchester, were calling on friends here recently.

Miss Betty Anderson attended the birthday anniversary of her cousin, Miss E. Stewart, of Cameron Ave., last week.

Mrs. John McCauley was visiting Mrs. John Summers one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, of Ottawa, were recent guests at their parental home here.

Once there was an elephant and a flea going over a bridge. When they got over the bridge, the flea said:

"We sure shook that one, didn't we, big boy?"

Friend: "Why is it that your son rides in a car and you always go on a street car?"

Father: "Well, he has a rich father, and I haven't."

Communication

To The Editor,
The Chesterville Record.

Dear Sir,—The following explains fully why the Village Council was unable to make the first High School debenture payable in 1931.

"Referring to the file herein covering the dispute between the Village Council and High School Board of Chesterville, the opinion of officers of the Department upon the subject matters in dispute is as follows:

1. The requisition of a high school board to a municipal council must be in sufficient detail to enable the council to determine whether the proposed expenditures are lawful.

2. The estimates covered by the requisition must cover only contemplated expenditures for the next ensuing twelve months for maintenance of the school and not exceeding $500 to cover expenditures for permanent improvements contemplated to be made in the next twelve months.

3. A high school board has no right to include in its estimates more than is sufficient to cover expenditures for the year, with the exception that if an unforeseen expenditure has had to be incurred in the preceding year which was unanticipated when the previous estimates were submitted, the amount of such unforeseen expenditure may be included.

4. A high school board has no right to undertake permanent improvements (even under $500), not covered by the estimates, except for unforeseen purposes rendered necessary by force of circumstances.

5. A high school board has no right to undertake permanent improvements to cost over $500 until the money has been provided by the municipal council.

6. A high school board has no right to apply money provided for maintenance to meet expenditures incurred for permanent improvements, and vice versa.

7. A high school board cannot compel a council to provide funds to meet expenditures already incurred for permanent improvements costing over $500, if such permanent improvements were proceeded with before the council's sanction was obtained. Nor could the board require the matter to be submitted to the ratepayers.

8. When a high school board desires to undertake permanent improvement to cost over $500 it must first apply to the council for the necessary funds, and cannot proceed until the necessary debenture by-law has been passed by council either of its own volition or at the mandate of the ratepayers when that is obtained.

9. Funds for permanent improvements to cost over $500 are to be provided by means of a debenture issue and not out of current municipal funds.

10. A municipal council has the right to scrutinize the estimates of a high school board, and while it may be compelled to levy for all legitimate expenditures, the council may reject items which are illegal.

11. The estimates of a high school board must set off against expenditures all items of estimated revenue including government grants, county grants, fees, funds on hand, etc., and it is only the balance of expenditures over estimated revenues which should be levied for.

12. If a council improperly rejects the estimates of a board or refuses to levy for expenditures which are proper, a high school board may apply to the Supreme Court for a mandamus to compel the council to act.

13. While a high school board may specify the minimum term of years over which debentures for permanent improvements are to be made payable, and may also specify for instalment in lieu of sinking fund debentures, otherwise the question of term of debentures, dates of payment, rate of interest, etc., are matters within the jurisdiction of the council only.

14. The foregoing covers the general situation, and as to the particular points of the Chesterville issue, I think it is only necessary to add as follows:—

(a) The requisition of the board for $3000 would appear to be improper as they do not require that amount to meet expenditures for the ensuing year. The surplus over requirements can be rejected.

(b) If the construction of the sceptic tank was unavoidable and unforeseen, the cost thereof up to $500 can be included in current estimates.

(c) If the council and the board agree there is no reason why the total cost of the permanent improvements, apparently $1311.21, could not be debentured, and current taxes thereby reduced. If the board does not agree, the council appears to be in a position to refuse to levy in 1931 for this expenditure as the excess over $500 was illegally incurred by the board.

(d) If debentures are issued in 1931 for the permanent improvements undertaken, the first payment of principal and interest thereon cannot fall due until 1932 and the first levy to meet the debentures need not be made until 1932.

TORONTO, August 19th, 1931.
1931.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dafoe, of Massena, N. Y., spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Dafoe and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dafoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McConnell and family, of Massena, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell.

Mrs. Melissa Holilster, Miss Lena Hollister and Mr. Allan Hollister, Miss Mabel Stein and Mr. W. Sutton, all of Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dafoe and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Dafoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallinger and Miss Keitha spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Empey, of Ottawa, spent last week on their farm in The Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bolton, of Winchester Springs, were recent guests of Mr .and Mrs. Mason Beckstead.

Mrs. Willis W ereley and Mrs. J. Beaupre spent the week end in Cornwall the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hall and family.

Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marcellus and daughters Irene and Jean, of Iroquois.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Handron and daughter Frances and Mr. W. Drake, of Cornwall, called on Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dafoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Beckstead and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Styles of Morrisburg.

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H. J. McMAHON

James Moffatt, Morewood, Died at Age of 81 Years

The funeral of James Moffat was held from his late residence in Morewood, on Saturday afternoon, to the Presbyterian Church where Rev. Mr. Merrilees, Moderator of the Montreal-Ottawa Synod, officiated at the service. He was assisted by Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of the Morewood United Church, and Rev. Mr. Sproule, of the Chesterville Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Mr. Merrilees, who conducted the service in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Nimmo, delivered a comforting message to the bereaved family. A special message of song was brought by Rev. and Mrs. Merrilees when they rendered a solo. During the service the choir sang a special sacred number.

Although the large church was filled to capacity, half as many more were obliged to wait outside.

Mr. Moffat died on Thursday at the age of 81 years, after a lengthy illness. He was born at Dumfries, Scotland, in 1850, and came to Canada with his parents at the age of seven years, when they settled near Morewood.

In 1884 he was married to Margaret Loughridge, of Morewood, who survives him. When a young man he started in business and for 50 years operated a saw mill and flour and feed business in Morewood. He was a member of the local Presbyterian Church and board of elders. He was a well-known and highly respected citizen and his cheerful disposition won him many friends in the vicinity. He was the last of a family of six.

Besides his widow he is survived by two son, Donald Alexander and Kellock, of Morewood.

A large number of floral tributes were received by the bereaved family, among which was an offering from the members of the Session of the Presbyterian Church, The Family, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marcellus, Misses Laura and Bell Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs W. S. Feeley, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hunter, Misses Laura and Carrie Hunter.

The pall bearers were the members of the Session, Thos. Coulthart, Lennox Baker, Robert Rainey, John Fleming, John Shaver and Roland Shaver. Interment was made in the family plot at the Presbyterian cemetery, Morewood.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my neighbours and all others who assisted Sunday night in saving my other buildings from destruction when my barns were burned.—ED. B. MOORE.

Morewood

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carlyle and Miss Margaret Carlyle, of Ottawa, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gibbons of Brockville and also friends at Sharbot Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swerdfeger, of Lunenburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Swerdfeger.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. Isadore Lavictoire and family in the death of a wife and mother.

Mr. Merrill Loucks, of Ottawa, visited for the week end with his mother, Mrs. E. Loucks.

Mr. Ralph Dillabough, of Westboro, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Dillabough.

Quite a number of ladies of the Women's Institute attended the convention held in Ottawa Wednesday.

The Presbyterian W. M. S. will hold their Thankoffering on Friday evening, October 30th, when Mrs. J. R. Hill, of Ottawa, will be the speaker.

Mrs. W. J. Cobey, of Morrisburg, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Coulthart.

Miss Beth Carlyle, of Dunbar, is spending a few days with Misses Belle and Laura Moffatt.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. A. B. Allison on the death of his sister, Miss Jennie Allison, of Winchester Springs.

Rev. and Mrs. Sproule, of Chesterville, were calling on friends in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George MacLean, of Manotick, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. James Moffatt and family in the death of a husband and father.

Mr .and Mrs. Ralph Allison and son, of Winchester Springs, visited on Sunday at their parental homes.

Miss Vivian Fetterly, of the Ninth, visited for the week end with her cousin, Miss Gretta Fetterly.

Mr. Archie McNeil, of Cambridge, spent a few days with Mr. Robert Steen.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. Willie McQuaig and family in the death of a husband and father.

Mr. Donald McLeod is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

We are glad to see Miss Doreen Campbell out again after a sickness of a few weeks.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I wish to thank Mr. James Clement for promptness and payment in full for my recent damage to barn by windstorm. Also thanks to the Hartford Ins. Co. for cheque.

GEO. L. SHAY.

Miss Jennie Allison, Winchester Springs

At the residence of her sister, Mrs. Anson Deeks, on October 21st, Jennie Allison passed to her rest and eternal home.

The deceased was the daughter of the late William R. Allison and Eleanor Sproule, born in the township of Winchester 59 years ago. In her early years Miss Allison became a member of the Methodist Church, later of the United Church, Winchester Springs. For years, too, a loyal member of the Women's Missionary Society. Throughout her years of physical handicap she never complained. Her kind and cheerful disposition and her sterling goodness made her an influence for good among all whose privilege it was to know her.

The funeral service was held from Elma United Church and was largely attended. The service was conducted by her minister, Rev. W. A. Morrison, assisted by Rev. R. W. Armstrong, of Morewood. In the sermon touching references were made to her high Christian character, her courage, cheerfulness and faith.

"Servant of God, well done,
The glorious warfare past,
The battle's fought, the race is won,
And thou art crowned at last."

After the service the remains were conveyed to Elma cemetery for interment.

The pall bearers were: H. P. Allison, of Smiths Falls; A. B. Allison, of Morewood; William Allison, Dunbar, and Thos. Allison, of Inkerman.

Miss Allison leaves to mourn her passing one sister, Mrs. Anson Deeks, Williamsburg; three brothers, H. P., of Smiths Falls; J. C., of London, Ont., and A. B., of Morewood.

There were floral offerings from the Women's Missionary Society, Winchester Springs; from the Robertson Grocery Co., of Smiths Falls, and other friends. Friends attending the funeral from a distance—Mrs. J. H. McLean and Mrs. Nettie Kendrick, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. George McLean, of Manotick; Mrs. Milton Swerdfeger, Glen Stewart; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison and Mrs. W. P. Allison, of Morrisburg; Mr. G. B. Allison and family, Westmount, Que.

Melvins

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Beckstead, of Grantley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Farren Beckstead, visited Mrs. Fannie Ouderkirk, of Madrid, and Mrs. Effie Garlough, of Stake Falls, N. Y., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald and family, of Ormond, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Christie.

Wedding bells are ringing loudly in our Settelement. Hark, they are ringing very loudly.

Mr. Don Christie spent Sunday with friends at Massena, N. Y.

Mr. David Clark, of Ottawa, called on Mr. Wm. Sheldrick one afternoon last week.

Miss Marion Scott spent a couple of days last week with her grandparents at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott and son Clifford and Mrs. Peter Poole spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond, of Carleton Place.

Miss Edith and Master Roy Darling spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. George Beckstead.

Mrs. Leon O'Neil and son Stuart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Masterson near Chesterville.

Miss Ruby Stata, of Morrisburg, is spending this week with her sister, Mable, at Mr. G. F. Beckstead's.

Straders Hill

Mrs. Sipes, of Ottawa, is spending some time with Mrs. Blanche Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Cook and children were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Hanson's recently.

Mr. Guy Strader made a business trip to Morrisburg Monday.

Mr. George Locke, of Morrisburg, was a caller at Mr. Ross Hanson's recently.

Mrs. Blanche Hanson and family and Mrs. Sipes visited friends at Morrisburg on Monday.

Mr. Will Farmer visited his aunt, Mrs. Houlehan, of Morrisburg, who has been very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McGowan and children, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hanson were callers at Mr. Rufus Casselman's, Winchester Springs, on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Harper and children visited friends at Toyes Hill on Sunday.

Riverside

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pollock visited Dr. and Mrs. J. Pollock, Avonmore, at the week end.

Mrs. L. Montgomery visited her parental home on Tuesday.

Anniversary services will be held in St. Paul's United Church, Berwick, on Sunday, November 1st, when Rev. Forsythe, of Montreal, will be present.

Miss Leanna Smirle, R. N., of Cannamore ,visited Mrs. R. C. Bogart on Friday of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bogart visited Mr and Mrs. P. M. Ouderkirk Tuesday.

Mrs. Smith McMillan and Miss Jean Smith spent Thursday with Mrs. Dan Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay M. Droppo and Thelma visited the latter's parental home on Thursday.

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Elma

Mr. Douglas Thom and his mother made a business trip to Ottawa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Durant, Iroquois, visited friends here on Sunday.

Services next Sunday at the United Church at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Come and let us worship.

Presbytery has arranged for a great meeting of members and officials of the United Church to be held at Winchester on Friday evening next. The Dundas Ministerial Double Quartette will render music, and Rev. J. C. Steed, of Africa, will be the chief speaker. Come and hear of the work of the Kingdom.

The Thankoffering of the W. M. S. was held at the United Church last Sunday evening. There was a good congregation. The chief features of the programme were a fine anthem by the choir and a beautifully rendered solo by little Eileen Beckstead, and the very interesting address by Rev. F. Hoffman, of Saskatoon, Sask., a great man doing a great work. The pastor presided.

Mrs. Donald McIntosh entertained to supper Rev. A. M. Russell and family and Rev. W. A .Morrison and family last Friday evening.

FOR SALE

Eleven pigs six weeks old for sale. Apply Jacob Swerdfeger, 'phone Morewood. 52

FOR SALE

Two high graed Jersey Milch Cows and one Bay Driving Mare, one brood sow. Apply Thomas Fleming, R. R. No. 2, Winchester. 1-2

FOR SALE

4 Grade Holstein Heifers, rising 2 years, priced to sell. Apply to A. E. Smith, Chesterville. 52tf

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A number of Australian White Leghorn Cockerels, bred-to-lay strain, for winter laying. $1.50 each. Apply John Norton, 'phone 2-r-21, Crysler. 52-1

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Farm, 100 acres, lot 14, Con. 7, in Township of Finch, ¾ mile north of Berwick on improved road. Good buildings, 300 sugar maples.—Apply to Arnold Meldrum, Berwick. 52

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Andrew Henderson.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all parties having claims against the estate of Andrew Henderson, late of the Village of Chesterville, Liveryman, deceased, who died on or about the 21st day of December, 1928, are required on or before the 31st day of October, 1931, to send postpaid or delivered to the undersigned, Solicitor, for Susannah Margaret Henderson, Administratrix, full particulars of their claim duly verified.

AND NOTICE is further given that immediately after the said last mentioned date the said Administratrix intends to distribute the said assets of said estate among parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice and the Administratrix will not be responsible for any part of said assets so distributed to any person notice of whose claims has not been been received at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Morrisburg this 9th day of October, 1931.

Arthur Flynn,
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52 Solicitor for Administratrix.

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Goldfield

Mr. Alexander Gillies, of Ottawa, spent the week end at his home.

Mr. Cecil Droppo, of Ottawa, visited friends here during the week end.

Miss Grace Nephew and Miss Margaret Nephew, R. N., visited friends in Ottawa during the week end.

Miss Nell Gillies is spending a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. S. Annable, Winchester.

Mrs. John Clarke, of Toronto, visited for a few days with Mrs. James Younge and other friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith and family, of Chesterville, were guests of Mrs. J. Younge on Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Quiglev and Mrs. Quigley, of St. John's Church Cornwall, visited at the home of Mr. A. D. Gillies on Wednesdav afternoon.

Mrs. C. Gillies and Misses Nell and Jennie Gillies and Messrs. Hugh and Archie Gillies were in Cornwall on Friday.

The many friends of Mr. Crawford Barkley will be glad to hear his health is much improved after spending thepast three weeks in Cornwall hospital suffering from a run-down condition.

Mrs. A. P. McLean, Mrs. Kendrick and Mr. Hudson Kendrick attended the funeral of the late Miss Jennie Allison on Friday last.

Rev. Dr. O. J. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts, of Finch, called on some of his congregation here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLeod and Mr. Hosea Droppo were in Ottawa on Saturday.

Mrs. J. McMillan, of Avonmore, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Warner one day last week.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I wish to express mv appreciation to the Grenville Patrons Fire Insurance Company and their agent, Mr. C. F. Marshall, for the prompt and satisfactory adjustment of my recent loss by fire. —E. B. MOORE.

AUCTION SALE

—of—

LIVE STOCK & FARM IMPLEMENTS

The undersigned, having lost his barns by fire, will offer for sale by Public Auction , without reserve, on the premises, Lot 14, Con. 6, Twp. of Finch,

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At One o'Clock, p.m., Sharp:

6 High Grade Holstein Cows (1 freshened), 3 Grade Jersey Milch Cows, 2 Pure Bred one-year-old Heifers, 2 Grade Jersey Calves, Sucking Colt, Brown Mare 10 years old, 1300 lbs.; Disc Harrow, Side Rake, New DeLaval Separator 750 lbs. capacity, 4 8-galoln Cans, Quantity of Buckwheat and Oats.

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—of—

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The undersigned, having lost his barns by fire, will offer for sale by Public Auction on the premises—Lot 22, Con. 1, Township of Winchester,

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—on—

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5th, 1931

At One o'Clock, p.m., Sharp:

18 High Grade Holstein Milch Cows, all supposed to be with calf; 7 High Grade Holstein Heifers, 2 years old, supposed to be with calf; 5 Spring Calves, 1 High Grade Holstein Bull, rising 2 years, 1 Grey Mare, 10 years, 1250 lbs.; 1 Black Percheron Colt rising 2 years, 10 Shoats about 120 lbs., 1 Brood Sow due to farrow on Nov. 5th. Deering Corn Binder, Lion 12-disc Harrow, Set Drag Harrows, Deering Manure Spreader, Rubber Tire Buggy, Milk Wagon, 2-furrow Gang Plough, Hand Roller, M.-H. 17-tooth Tractor Cultivator, new; Moody Threshing Mill with blower, in good running order; Moody Circular Saw, Ford ½-ton Truck in good running order, Bell Ensilage Cutter No. 60, with 30 ft. Carrier, new; Reversible Honey Extractor, new, never used; Wax Press, French Sleigh, Cutter, Milk Wagon Pole, Cutter Pole, 60-ft. Canvas Belt, 4 8-gal. Milk Cans, 30-gal. Milk Can, Feed Boiler, Police Pup. Many other articles.

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Ross Morrow, Auct. 1

PIONEERS IN MUSKOKA

Remembered by Several Chesterville People

THERE has just come to hand a little pamphlet that tells of the romance of the early days round Mary Lake, Muskoka. It was largely through the efforts of a little city woman who married into village life and took it up with loving enthusiasm that the pamphlet came into being. That city woman, Mrs. Victor Clarke, whose splendid work in the Port Sydney branch of the Women's Institute, and in the district round about, has been spoken of often, passed a short time ago, only a day or so after the pamphlet, called "Pioneer Days in Muskoka," came off the press. Though little more than a girl, this sometime Hamilton woman, has left a deep impress on that part of the world in which she made a new home, and whose fascinating stories she came to appreciate and love.

The stories in the pamphlet begin with the days when the "Prussian" brought from England on three successive voyages, three families who laid the foundations of the village of Port Sydney. The first to arrive were Mr. and Mrs. James Jenner, who came by rail to Belle Ewart, then by steamer across Lake Simcoe to Orillia, then by smaller steamer to Washago, by stage to Gravenhurst, to Bracebridge by steamer, to Utterson by stage, and thence on foot to Mary Lake. The stage ,if paid extra, would bring on the luggage, which in the case of the Jenners included a 15-pound cast-iron bake kettle! They found dense forest untouched by man in this year, 1890, though a few men were hewing out a government road, a director, Hiram Fetterly, coming from Huntsville, then a mere trading post.

They began to hew out sites for log cabins, their chief comfort the open fireplace, where they baked bread, that Mrs. L. C. Casselman, writing of the early days for the pamphlet, says far surpassed in flavour bread baked in modern ovens. Then Jenners found that a Mr. and Mrs. Ladell had preceded them, and to these hospitable people there came in 1871 three Canadian-born youths, the Richard, William and Joseph Clarke, who founded the Clarke family in that part of the world.

From that the story, told to various meetings of the Insitutes, by Mrs. Casselman, already mentioned, by the late Mr. Victor Clarke, by Mrs. Arthur Clarke, her mother-in-law, and the Port's W. I. secretary; by Mrs. J. E. Brown, by Mrs. Hoth, and by Mrs. J. H. Osborne, describes the adventures that each of the families the story-tellers represent, encountered in the new country There are tales of a youth falling on an axe and cutting his troat, the wound bound up by a settler till he could be taken to Toronto. Sent home three months later to die, the boy refused to let the man who drove him to a concession line to bring him any farther. Later he was discovered sitting against a tree, dead, and the coffin in which he was buried was made of boards taken from the floors of two houses, the only lumber available.

There are tales, also ,of a boat being stranded for a week on a sandbar with a delicate woman on board; of two boys leading a cow through four feet of snow when a family moved into the district; of a farmer, bringing in seed peas, stranded for three days in a blizzard by the roadside, of a funeral, when the corpse was drawn on a hand-sleigh by 11 men, the husband sitting on the coffin; of a bridegroom-elect walking many miles for a ring and freezing both hands enroute; of tree stumps as dining tables and hair freezing to the pillow at night; of a woman who thought it no feat to carry 60 pounds for miles, barefoot, putting on her boots only when she came on a settlement; of doctors who came to Port Sydney, but finding little to do, moved on to an unhealthier clime; of entire outfits of household furniture made by the hands of the settlers; of the Welsh carpenter who built the first Church of England, setting it up on logs, of beds made of shavings; of wincey dresses and knitted hoods, the standard dress for the women, so that there was small rivalry in that line; of marriages when the bridegroom and his bride joined hands across a stove; of barn beams 29 by 12; of elderly women, the only nurses in the district, walking 10 miles alone to a sickbed; of "luxuries," in other words, two small windows; of coarse black sugar, that dripped like molasses; of candles made from deer fat; and of school teachers who picked some of their scholars up in their canoe and paddled them to school, and of many other happenings in the life of this part of Canada that is said to have taken its name from the Indian Chief, Mesqua Ukee, who had fought with the British in the War of 1812.

Counties' Finances in Good Shape

Finances of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry are in excellent condition at the present time. Dr. J. Howard Munro, warden, announced at the opening meeting of the October session of Counties' Council Monday night that the counties have a credit balance of $109,000 bearing interest far exceeding that on the debit balance.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late James Moffatt wishes to show their appreciation of the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy on the death of the husband and father, and to Rev. Mr. Merrilees, Rev. A. H. Sproule, and Rev. R. W. Armstrong, and to Mrs. Merrilees and the choir.

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G. C. LACEY,
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1931.

Cornwall Lawyer Sought By Provincial Police

With investments of the church of which he was once rector's warden tentatively listed among the $100,000 in clients cash and securities alleged to have been dissipated on stock market and race track gambling, George A. Stiles, K. C., one-time mayor and community pillar of Cornwall, and outstanding among Eastern Ontario barristers, is the object of a police search which may spread through Canada, the United States and Mexico.

Paralleling closely the case of Tom Brown, ex-mayor of Stratford, who disappeared under similar circumstances, the search for Stiles is said to have begun more than two weeks ago, a day after the former board of trade president and authority on the St. Lawrence seaway project vanished from the city.

Warrants charging false pretences and misappropriation of funds totalling nearly $5,000 were issued against him then. Official estimates, however, set the total of the funds and securities as high as $75,000.

While rumors had been current for some time of shortages in the trust funds, the investments entrusted to him, the revelations caused a sensation and widespread shock throughout the district.

The flight of the 32-year-old lawyer followed closely, it was learned, a final effort to avert disaster when his creditors and those he had allegedly victimized descended upon him demanding settlement. A meeting of claimants was held at the county courthouse, and Stiles, though not present, submitted a statement of assets and liabilities, which, friends argued, indicated that settlement could be made of an encouraging percentage of the various claims.

Stiles was born and raised in Cornwall and is the son of highly respected citizens. As a young man he learned telegraphy in a downtown telegraph office operated by his father but had aspirations for a career in law. A brilliant student, he gained high honours in his studies at the University of Toronto and Osgoode Hall, and graduated about 32 years ago.

After being called to the bar he practised for a number of years in partnership with G. I. Gogo, K. C., and finally opened up an office of his own. Shrewd, eloquent, and with exceptional talent in court, Stiles quickly built up a large practice and was known as one of the leading barristers of Eastern Ontario. He gained a wide reputation as defence counsel and was widely sought throughout Ontario.

In 1912 he served a term as mayor of the city, after spending several years in council. He was at one time president of the Board of Trade, and for many years in other capacities on the executive. He was keenly interested in politics, and refused the Liberal nomination for both provincial and federal candidacy on several occasions.

Stock market deals and gambling are claimed by the police to have led to Stiles' downfall. He was known as an investor with wide interests involving considerable sums of money. Stiles was a lover of horse racing, and is known to have lost heavily in track gambling.

The police of Baltimore, Md., were asked by the Cornwall police Monday to make a search in that city for George A. Stiles, K. C., Cornwall lawyer, who is wanted in Cornwall on three charges of converting to his own use and thereby stealing funds amounting to $4,600.

"Dad, what is bankruptcy?"

"Bankruptcy, my boy, is when you put your money in your hip-pocket and let your creditors take your coat."

News and Information For the Busy Farmer

Furnished by the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

Buy Canadian Cattle

With the present rate of exchange prevailing, United States cattle buyers are coming north again to buy dairy and feeder stock. The advantage that the present depression in Canadian funds just a little more than offsets the U. S. tariff barrier which has kept them home for some time past. A buyer recently arrived looking for dairy cattle, presented a letter of credit for $1500 and was given a deposit account of $1650. Thus the present prospect is that a considerable demand for Canadian live stock will develop.

Marketing Geese

The time to prepare geese for market is when the weather turns cold in the fall. They should then be taken off pasture and those selected for market should be placed in small penned enclosures, provided with plenty of water and grit and kept clean. They should be fed heavily on whole corn, the best medium for the fattening of geese, and about two weeks 'heavy feeding should fit them for market. Twenty-four hours before killing geese should be starved but given plenty of water. Care should be used in plucking, the dry or steam methods being recommended, for the reason that the feathers are particularly valuable, bringing as much as 60 cents a pound. The dressed bird should be rubbed over with a damp cloth and set aside to cool. The twelve-bird box makes a desirable market package.

Royal Birthday Cards For Farm Boys and Girls

Every boy and girl in Canada whose tenth birthday falls between November 18th and 26th, inclusive, will receive a personal birthday card from the Royal Winter Fair Toronto, if it is requested. This is because the Winter Fair on those dates also celebrates its tenth "birthday."

This year the fair is designated a "commemorative show" to recall the inspiring influence it was to Canadian agriculture when founded ten years ago. And it is to help in spreading a cheery outlook respecting agriculture that the birthday party is being held.

A birthday greeting, neatly engrossed with the child's name, will be sent if parents or guardians will write to the Royal Winter Fair offices, Toronto, giving clearly the child's full name and address, with the exact date of birth and year. In addition eligible children who are able to attend the Winter Fair will be given a complimentary ticket in their own name entitling them to free admission to every department of the Fair.

Use Home-Grown Seed

At the Growers' Council Potato Meeting held recently in Toronto it was reported that Ontario farmers had bought 55,000 bushels of certified seed from outside the province last year. It was stated that we have an excellent crop of certified Cobblers, Dooleys and Green Mountains in Ontario this year and it was recommended that Ontario farmers should first make use of this seed before importing, owing to unusual market conditions. It was felt that farmers might order their supplies and save money by making their purchases now.

Weekly Crop Report

The weather continues to be very satisfactory to Ontario farmers. There has been enough rain to encourage the luxuriant growth of pastures and in many areas to increase the flow of underground streams and fill wells which have been very low or empty. Farm work is well advanced. Fall ploughing will be finished in good time. Wheat is making wonderful growth and there is fear that in the more southern districts growth will be too rank. All classes of live stock are in good condition. Weather had permitted continued pasturage and there is a bountiful feed supply. The root crop is being harvested in good condition. Dairy production is above normal. The yield in Oxford County has been estimated at 20 to 30 per cent higher than last year, while in Grenville a 40 per cent increase has been reported. Farmers' discouragement is confined almost wholly to market prices.

Keep The Pullets Well Fed

The time is at hand when pullets should be confined to their winter quarters, but the pens should first be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected. Birds will not do their best work if infested with lice or mites. It is during the winter months that the birds make their best profits, and for this reason they should be housed and fed in a manner that will keep them healthy and vigourous. They will require a full ration of suitable feed, besides plenty of clean water, green feed, shell and grit.

The change from the growing ration to the laying mash should be made gradually. Home-grown grains cannot be sold for much on the market, and while they may form a large proportion of the birds' ration they do not supply all necessary ingredients for the production of eggs. The use of a high protein commercial mash mixed with chopped home-grown grains will give much better results than the grains alone.

Corn Borer Warning

An inspection of the corn fields in Kent County shows that on an average there at least fifty per cent more borers this year than last. This fact has caused the Provincial Entomologist to send out a warning message to all Ontario corn growers, urging upon them the necessity of cleaning up their corn fields more thoroughly than ever. Some growers have the idea that the borer has been beaten. They are wrong. The borer will never be beaten. The best the farmers can do is to keep the borer so closely under control that the damage from this pest will be as small as possible. If there is the slightest let-up in the precautions taken by the growers to clean up their fields, the borer will take advantage of it and multiply at an alarming rate.

Grape Crop Moves

While prices received by grape growers have not been entirely satisfactory, C. W. Bauer. secretary of the Growers' Markets Council, points out that they have disposed of the crop to the public this year without any great dependence on the wineries for an outlet. Growers who held back the cutting of their grapes were rewarded by a higher price. Mr. Bauer does not believe that there has been overplanting if the growers continue to develop the fresh fruit market; in fact he predicts that there may not be a large enough crop to meet the demand for Ontario-grown grapes next year. The special efforts and advertising campaign to sell this fresh fruit east and west this year undoubtedly brought good results.

Boys' and Girls' Contests

The year 1931 marks a new era in Boys' and Girls' Club work in Ontario. Early in the year new policies were issued in connection with the following club objects: Calf, swine ,poultry, garden, grain, potato and canning. As a result there were 200 boys 'and girls' clubs with a total membership of 5068, carrying on active programmes during the year. On October 19th teams representing the swine and cattle clubs held their provincial competitions. Six swine and twelve cattle clubs took part in the conests and in each case a team was composed of two club members, between the ages of 16 and 20 years. The winning team in the swine department was from Lennox and Addington and scored 995 points out of a possible 1200, while the runners-up from Durham scored 908. The competition consisted of judging of four classes of swine and answering questions on general management and marketing of swine. The Peel County Holstein Club was high team in the cattle competition, scoring 1061 out of a possible 1200 points. The Cattle Club teams judged four classes of cattle and answered questions on management and care of cattle. The winning teams from Lennox and Addington and Peel will represent Ontario in the national contests at the Royal Winter Fair.

Father criticised the sermon, mother disliked the blunders of the organist, and the eldest daughter thought the choir's singing atrocious.

The subject had to be dropped when the small boy of the family with the school-boy's love of fair play, chipped in with a remark, "Dad, I think it was a jolly good show for a penny."

A man went to see his physician for advice as to how to be cured of the habit of snoring.

"Does your snoring disturb your wife?" asked the doctor.

"Does it disturb my wife?" echoed the patient. "Why, it disturbs the whole congregation!"

"Do you ever have to hurry to catch your morning train, Mr. Ballantyne?"

"Well, it's fairly even, you know. Either I'm standing on the platform when the train puffs in, or I puff in while the train stands at the platform."

Judging Demonstration To be Held Near Winchester

With a view to giving further study to the problems that have to be met and dealt with in the breeding and development of a herd of Holstein cattle, an important meeting, which will take the form of a judging demonstration, will be held at the farm of W. J. Fawcett, three miles south-west of the village of Winchester, on Friday, October 30th, commencing at two o'clock, p.m.

The purpose of the meeting, being arranged jointly by the Dundas County Holstein Breeders' Club, and the Extension Department of the Holstein-Friesian Association, will be two-fold, to bring the breeders together for a friendly discussion on type and breeding, and secondly to study the methods of advancing the general interests of the breed including a better and more profitable market for our cattle.

All phases of the work will be taken up under the leadership of practical breeders and judges whose services are being secured for the occasion. The meeting is under the joint auspices of the Greater Dundas Holstein Club of which H. S. Carkner, Winchester, is the president; J. A. Simpson, Secretary, and W. A. Cameron, Mountain, and G. A. McNaughton, Finch, fieldmen, and the Extension Department of the Holstein-Friesian Association, Brantford.

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The Doll and the Preacher

THE circuit-rider was glad to come upon the cabin, although the clearing round about it was so scant and ragged in tilth as to promise scant comfort. He had left the main trace five miles back, thinking to take a short cut cross-country to his next stopping place, with the result of losing himself completely. He was no mean woodsman, yet the clouds were so thick and low-hanging that he had lost all sense of direction.

The cabin stood unfenced, well back from a blind path, in a little level space, with the ground behind sloping sharply to the spring. The spring was so bold you could hear the water leap and gurgle, even before you came to the cabin door. The door was of heavy puncheons, stoutly braced and barred, but no latch-string hung hospitably from the face of it, although thready smoke curling from the chimney said there was somebody at home.

So like-wise did the big mastiff, crouched yet vigilant beside the rough door step. He had bristled the least bit at the sight of the circuit-rider, but by the time Brother Apsley had got down and tethered his horse he stood wagging his tail in amiable welcome.

Almost as the preacher knocked, the door swung open and a voice shrill with pleasure cried:

"Mammy said, if anybody come, I must ask, 'Who are you?' before I let 'em in. But I know you cain't be nobody bad—if you had-a-been Watch would a-done tore you all to pieces."

"Good dog! Thanky, sir!" Brother Apsley said, stooping a little to pat the big tawny head thrust into his hand.

"But if you're all alone, you had better not trust him too far," he went on, looking down, not so far, at the figure confronting him. It was a child's figure, somewhat overgrown, in a plaid linsey frock that came halfway to the knees, notwithstanding it had been pieced with solid stuff around the bottom. The feet were bare and calloused.

"Come right in and sit down," the girl said hospitably, then with a quick glance at the saddle-bags slung across the preacher's arm: "Stay, less'n you've got to git on somwhars to preach. I know you are a preacher if I did never see one. Mammy says they all have saddle bags and most of 'em whiskers."

"You are good at guessing," Apsley said smiling, "much better than I, even if I were not lost and a stranger. Tell me who you are—and where I am. I have no appointment to-day, fortunately, but to-morrow I'm due to preach twice—at the Ferry, and at Brother Greer's."

"Oh! I'm so glad. You can stay to dinner," the child said. "I'm havin' holiday, you know—and it's lonesomer'n anything. Mammy give it to me—the holiday—to stay home from Grandma Britton's and tend to the little young chickens. We've got a brood just hatched. Soon as she knowed daddy was goin' to the house-raisin' over at Duncan's, she set her megs to spend the day with granny—and take all the children. I been laughin' 'most ever since she started, thinkin' how it'll be. She's ridin' Betsy and totin' Neddy and the baby in her lap, and has got Gen'l and Lady Washington up behind her. I'd be mighty glad I didn't go, if it wasn't for just one thing."

"What is it?" the preacher asked as his hostess paused for breath.

"My sugar-aig," she answered promptly. "Granny has basketsfull of 'em. Ye see, she blows all her goose-aigs, stidder breakin' 'em, and has got the best sugar orchard on the creek. When she's makin' sugar, she fills up the goose-aigs. My me! Ain't they good! I know she'll send me one, but like as not mammy'll let it fall and break—and then let Gen'l eat up the pieces. He's the biggest little glutton—and she so partial to him; hit's a plumb shame."

"Partiality is bad—but how about daddy? I more than suspect he is partial to—somebody else," Brother Apsley ventured, his eyes twinkling. "You haven't told me his name yet," he went on, "nor how I can get to the Ferry—"

"Easy enough. This is the Nichols place,—Bill Nichols is my daddy,—and I'm Rhody, goin' on twelve, the oldest child," the girl interrupted, with something like confusion. Then, seeing that the name had meant nothing to the minister, she went on: "You can start an hour by sun and git to the Ferry before dark,—'tain't but a little piece from here after you strike the trace,—and the path goes right spang to the trace; so don't you worry."

SHE had established the visitor in a big hide-bottomed chair and stirred open the smouldering fire. Now she threw three small hickory logs on it, swept up the hearth with a turkey-wing, then drew forward her own seat, a low block sawed from a tree-trunk, sat down, folded her hands primly, then unfolded them, leaned toward the minister and asked: "Say—do you know how to make dolls? Mammy says preachers know nigh about everything."

"They ought to—but some of us are shockingly ignorant," Apsley returned. "What sort of dolls do you mean? I think I've helped my wife stuff a rag one or two."

"That sort. I never had none at all—not even a corn-silk baby. Mammy says it's sech a wast to pull 'em. She says too I had a doll when I was a baby—a red ear o' corn with her apron tied round it. Now she can't see why I want a dolly baby, when she's always got a real cryin' baby for me nurse and tend. But I do want it. I had just started to make it when you knocked. See there!" Rhoda said, holding a breadth of copperas homespun, somewhat faded, but sound and strong. "I ripped that out o' the frock granny gimme, year before last. I've all grown outen it, and mammy's savin' it for Lady, when she grows up to it. But she shan't have it. Mammy is the savin'est woman. She was, even before she got the cyarpet-fever. Now, she even grudges pieces for patches; says they'd go so nice in a quilt—and the holes last mighty nigh as long. Daddy says when she starts weavin' the cyarpet—if she ever does—he'll sleep in his clothes else he knows she'll cut 'em for cyarpet rags. I don want no cyarpet—the floor's plenty good."

"It seems so to me—but then I'm no judge," Brother Apsley said, looking down.

The puncheons had been adzed smooth and even, their edges neatly squared and driven so well together that there were no cracks bigger than a quarter of an inch.

Rhoda, following his glance with her own, nodded, saying:

"Mammy never let daddy rest till he done it—she wants him to hew down the logs inside here too, so she can whitewash 'em, but he'll hardly ever do it. You see daddy don't want to farm—nor ter stay here, now the settlement's gittin' so full o' folks. He's all for huntin' and fightin'—we have more skins, and bear meat, and venison, and wild honey, 'n you can shake a stick at. But that don't satisfy mammy—she wants to be like folks. And she says daddy don't know what's best. If he can read and write, and she cain't, that's jest because he growed up in the old settlements."

All the while she talked Rhoda had been fingering her cloth. There was a huddle of seed cotton, and yet more cloth, within a clean tow apron on the floor beside her, also a pair of worn shears, almost guiltless of edge.

Brother Apsley reached for the breadth, stretched it to full dimensions, eyed it critically, then gave it back with a sigh and a head-shake, saying:

"I'm afraid we'll have to let it go. My wife cuts out her dolls by a pattern the same as she does my coats. You have no pattern? I thought not. Suppose we make a bargain: you wait, and save your cloth for doll dresses. The next time I come round the circuit I'll bring you a doll. Tell me, would you like it big or little?"

"You won't ever come here again," Rhoda said, looking away.

Apsley smiled at her, asking: "Why not?"

A SHAKE of the head was her only answer. "Let 'em stay away, and I'll be peaceful," daddy had said. "But if you fetch 'em in here, I'll throw 'em out."

Rhoda had not forgotten, but she had known it was safe to ask the preached in. Daddy would not be home until long after dark—the house-raising was sure to wind up with a shooting match, and he would stay to beat everybody.

She looked straight at Brother Apsley, saying appealingly:

"Don't you reckon if I made you a real good fire-stick, you could mark me out a doll like granny does when she marks out daddy's coats? She comes to help mammy, you know, every time he has a new one."

"Maybe. But what's a fire-stick?" Apsley asked, laughing.

Rhoda searched in the chip basket for a stout splinter, set the end of it well afire, then extinguished it in the ashes. As she held it up, still smoking but charred black, she asked gleefully: "Whar did you git your raisin'? I thought everybody knowed about fire-sticks."

"I didn't, you see. I've learned something," the preacher answered.

Rhoda was on her knees, stretching the copperas breadth on the smoothest spot in the floor.

"Now you mark! I'll hold," she said over her shoulder.

Apsley knelt down opposite her, and with the charred stick for a pencil, drew a doll's head and body according to his best remembrance.

"You have to sew on arms and legs after you make an stuff them," he explained to Rhoda. "But they are not hard—you can cut them straight."

"No; thar must be feets—I don't keer about hands," Rhoda protested.

"All right. Here goes. But feet take a great deal of cloth," the minister assented, again flourishing the fire stick.

He was near to laughing because Rhoda was so appealing, the doll of his patterning so grotesque. But when Rhoda had cut it out and begun sewing on it his interest became almost painful.

He agreed readily to her suggestion that he help himself to potatoes from the heap roasting in the ashes, also to dried venison, and corn bread from the cupboard.

"You see, if I stop and make company with you, I cain't finish my dolly," she explained. "And unless I finish now, it won't never be done."

She sewed cleverly, taking bites between stitches.

"Oh, yes—I can spin and weave and knit, and bottom chairs, too," she said in answer to Apsley's questionings.

After a little she startled him by asking: "Do you ever sing and pray for just one little gal? 'Cause if you do—I'd like to hear you. Mammy knows a hymn, but she cain't sing."

The preacher choked. When he could speak steadily he said: "I will sing all you like, and pray before I leave you. Understand, little lady, nobody is small or poor, or insignificant in God's eyes. Your prayers, and mine, go as straight to him as those of the king or the president."

"But—he'd listen quicker to Gen'l Jackson. Daddy says the Gen'l is bigger'n all the world," Rhoda commented wistfully.

Brother Apsley gave her a radiant smile, saying, "No, General Jackson is no more than we are—in the sight of God, who knows all things."

Rhoda stared, but went on sewing. Brother Apsley sang and sang. He had a strong, clear voice and put all his heart into the hymns. Now it was "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," now "Coronation," now revival and camp-meeting chants full of trumpet chords. Rhoda chimed tremulously, uncertainly, into one of the chants, saying softly at the close of it:

"That's the one mammy knows. I wonder, if she heard you sing it, would she ever try it again?"

"Yes—if her soul sings it, or her heart," Apsley said. Then he took out his Testament, read a verse or two, and began to preach. It was the simplest sermon—the story of Bethlehem told for an untutored child. But in all his ministry he had never felt more clearly the power of God. His eyes shone, his voice though low had a thrill to it.

Rhoda rewarded him with rapt attention; towards the last she even halted in her work. But when he had prayed briefly she pulled herself together, saying as she wiped her eyes:

"I didn't know before you could feel so good you had to cry." Then again she set her fingers flying. The day was wearing late—in an hour at the outside mammy would be home.

"Would you mind feedin' the chickens? I most forgot 'em—and it's time them little fellows went to sleep," she said.

BROTHER APSLEY obediently took the hunch of ash cake, went outside, crumbled it into the coop, then saddled his horse, which had been fed in the ramshackle stable, and led him around to the front door.

As he stepped inside Rhoda gave a triumphant cry. "Look!" and held toward him her doll, not only finished but fully clothed. One copperas skirt, something scant to be sure, fell quite over the splay feet; another, gathered full about the squat neck, came well below the waist, and was girdled with a treble strand of narrow-knitted red yarn.

Dolly's clothes exactly matched her complexion, being in fact off the same piece. Rhoda touched them proudly.

"She's got on my pantalettes—they come with the dress. All I had to do was to gather 'em round the top and make armholes. I'll make some sleeves for her if I ever can find a scrap,—'twould be too bad to cut into the other width,—and it took sech a sight o' stuff to make her, thar ain't much left."

"I don't think she minds," Brother Apsley said.

Rhoda did not answer—she was blissfully cradling the doll in her arms, hushing it against her breast. After a little she whispered very softly: "I love her 'cause she's mine." Then louder, as she caught sight of the saddle horse, "Sing one more time—please—before you go."

The clouds had broken, the March world was full of windy sunshine and bursting buds. All the fresh spring fragrancies came in through the open door, to mingle with the pleasant smoky reek of the hickory logs, now burned all but to coals.

Brother Apsley advanced to the hearth, and held his fingers to the fire, then bent his head and lifted up his voice in the strain: "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow."

He wanted to leave a benediction with the house, especially with the child. He would tell his wife about her, and of how he had played providence in the doll-making. They themselves were very poor, but he had full faith that somehow Milly would make shift to send his doll god-father a more seemly doll. How Milly would laugh at this doll if she saw it—every part of it was too big or too little for every other part. But she would understand, even better than he did, why Rhoda looked at it with seraphic eyes.

Thus his heart and memory undervoiced his singing. At the end, he looked up, strangely and suddenly conscious of another presence.

A man, tall, lean, forbidding, clothed entirely in buckskin, stood in the doorway, leaning negligently upon a long rifle, and looking at him with questioning eyes, in a silence that was ominous.

Hospitality was the land's law and rule—in any other house Apsley knew he would have been instantly welcomed and bidden to stay, by the returning master. He made to speak, but before he got out a word Rhoda had flung herself upon the tall man, still clutching the doll with one hand, with the other holding fast to the newcomer's arm, saying the while:

"Daddy! You won't hurt him! You mustn't—if he is a preacher. He got lost—and found hisself here—and I made him stay to help me with my doll."

"Hurt him!" the tall man said, very low, dashing the back of his hand across his eyes. "Why, honey, I'd sooner fight fer him. We won't let him go away—not to-night anyhow. He sung to you and holp you—that's enough. This house is goin' to be home for him, as long as it's home to me."

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The good work done by the school health services does not provide for the pre-school child, or for the child who attends where there is no school physician or nurse.

A child should be able to recognize a picture or object one-half an inch square at twenty feet. Each eye is tested separately, one eye being covered with a card during the test of the other. For near vision a picture book may be used. If there is any appreciable defect in either eye, whether for near or distant vision, the family physician should be consulted.

Cross-eye is a condition which is frequently neglected because of the parents' ignorance as to its significance. Children with this condition should be placed under medical care without delay. A cross-eyed child sees double. This causes confusion and so the mind trains itself to pay attention only to the image that comes to it through the straight eye. This results in one eye's being developed through use and the other becoming useless because it is not used.

Unless the condition is treated early, the child loses the use of one eye and is actually blind in that eye. If the child is treated between two and three years of age the most or all of his vision can be saved; the longer treatment is delayed the more vision is lost. Cross-eye is a condition which does not correct itself. Children do no grow out of it.

If the child is placed sitting, facing the parent, an arm's length away, with one eye covered by the parent's hand, and is made to look at the parent's nose with the uncovered eye, the parent will find that, on uncovering the other eye it is either looking at the nose, which means that no cross-eye is present, or that it moved in or out, which is an evidence that cross-eye is present.

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"Prize fighters?" exclaimed Funkie.

"Yes," replied Finkie, "she went to a bridge party."

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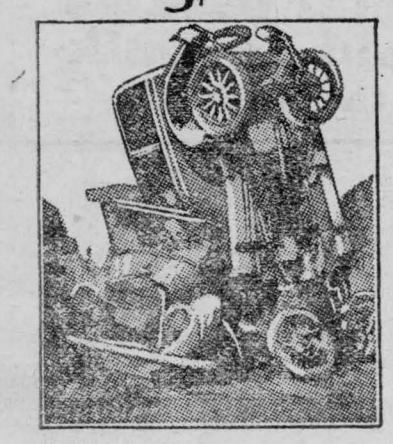
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Mainly About People

Dr. R. G. Dodds spent the week end with his parents at Perth.

Mrs. John Sutherland is spending this week with friends at Brinston.

Miss Mabel Shirkey has returned to Toronto, having been the guest of Mrs. W. A. McElroy.

Miss Florence Cramer spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Barkley, of Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dillabough, of Massena, were renewing acquaintances in this vicinity on Saturday.

Miss Hilda Peake left for Montreal on Tuesday where she intends remaining for some time.

Mrs. Robt. Purtelle, of Picton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Clement, this week.

Mr. Ronald Lynch, of the O. N. S., spent the week end with his father, Mr. E. B. Lynch.

Miss Helen Merkley spent the week end in Massena at the home of her grandfather, Mr. John Dillabough.

Miss Florence Millea, of Montreal, spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Miss Lera Fetterly, of Ottawa, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. L. Fetterly, for the week end.

Mr. Foster Fulton and Miss Helen Hamilton, of Queen's University, Kingston, spent the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hammond, of Innisville; and Mrs. Finlayson, of Almonte, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reaburn.

Mr. D'Arcy Flynn, Miss Eileen Flynn, Mr. M. Gillan and Miss Irvine, of Tarrytown, N. Y., spent the week end here.

Mr. P. D. O'Grady left for his home in Cleveland this morning, after spending the summer with his sister, Miss Annie O'Grady.

Mr . and Mrs. George Johnston and Miss Winnie Vey, of Brinston, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland.

Miss Gertrude Cannon, of Portland, Ont., was the guest of Mrs. Ralph Hummel and Miss Lucy Hummel this week.

Miss Elsie Hewitt, of the Ottawa Normal School, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Hewitt.

Rev. Father Forkeptsy and Mr. Clayton Hummel, from Touckahoe, N. Y., were visiting at the latter's parents', Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hummel, and friends.

The Women's Institute will meet in the Library on Tuesday, November 2nd, at 2.30 p.m. Members will please note the change of date, made necessary on account of the convention in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. M. Turner, who were recently married, have taken up their residence in the apartments over the post office. Mr. Turner is chemist for the Nestlé's Milk Products Company at the local plant.

ARE SEASONS CHANGING?

OLD-TIMERS recalling earlier days insist that the weather in Canada has modified. The weather man keeps on repeating that the weather is on the average much the same as it always has been. It may be that meteorlogical statistics, like statistics on other subjects, lend themselves to deceptive conclusions. There can be no doubt that the present Autumn in the neigbourhood of Chesterville has been milder than usual. Now we have similar reports from the people at the head of the lakes, over 1000 miles away, and considerably father north. The Fort Williams Times-Journal of October 24th, says:

"Here it is October 24th—just 62 days removed from Christmas Day—and roses, pansies and sweet peas are abloom in Fort William gardens; the weather is soft and warm; the whole district basks almost drowsily under a smiling sun."

According to the Times-Journal, 35 years ago this week the district lay under a blanket of four inches of snow. Winter had come. Twenty years ago the frosts were regular, the temperatures low and folks were preparing for Winter. What has the official weather man to say about the contrast in weather thus presented?

Orchardside

Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott spent Wednesday visiting friends in Aultsville.

Mrs. Ernest Beckstead visited her mother, Mrs. A. Weegar, Dunbar, for a few days last week.

Messrs. H. Cunningham and R. Armishaw, of Ottawa, spent the week end at Mr. Geo. Cunningham's.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gallinger, of Archer, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Loucks.

Mr. Clayton Hummel and a friend, of New York, visited at Mr. E. Hummel's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hummel and daughter, Mrs. Tupper, of Williamsburg, visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. Taylor, of Grantley, on Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Elliott and son, Bert, visited Mrs. Earl O'Shaughnessy on Thursday afternoon.

The Misses Hilda Edgerton, Bertha Beckstead and Florence Elliott attended the birthday party of Miss Norma O'Shaughnessy on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Edgerton and son Carl spent Sunday at the home of Mr. William Coulthart, of Morewood.

Berwick

The anniversary service will be held in St. Paul's United Church on Sunday next, at 7.30 p.m., when the special preacher for the occasion will be Rev. D. J. Forsythe. On the Monday following, a concert with refreshments will be held in the church at eight o'clock, p.m. Admission, adults 25c, children 15c. Everybody welcome.

Miss Petronilla Spotton, of Wales, spent the past week at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Meilleur and family, of St. Isadore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meilleur.

Mrs. Ruth Meldrum and Mr. and Mrs. C. Meldrum, Miss Hilda and brother Claude, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLean of Newington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens and daughters, of Westboro, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Wm. Galvin, Frank and John.

Mrs. Wilburn Ouderkirk and baby were guests of relatives in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lorne MacLean and daughter, of Goldfield, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLean here.

A few of the Institute ladies spent Tuesday at Ottawa.

We were sorry to hear that Mr. James Amell lost his fine house and barn about midnight Monday. Mr. Amell lives about four miles east of town.

MR. FARMER

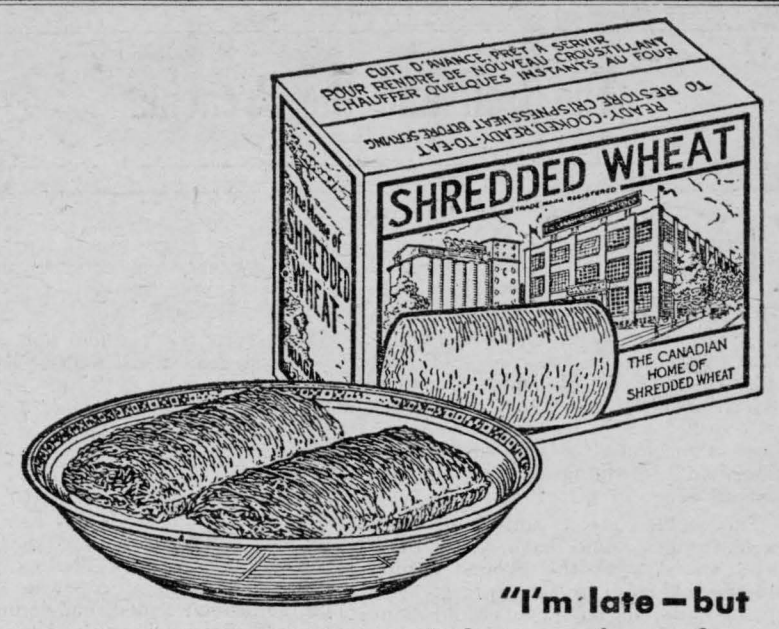
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