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Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that the Company Partnership heretofore subsisting, between the undersigned as General Merchants under the firm name of Miller, MacFarlane & Co. at Jarvis, Ontario, has been this day dissolved by Mutual Consent.

All debts due to said partnership are to be paid to Miller Bros. and all partnership debts to be paid by them.

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Witness Geo. L. Miller
Jarvis, January 2nd, 1912.

She laid the still white form beside those which had gone before. No sob, no sigh, forced its way from her heart-throbbing as though it would burst. Suddenly a cry broke the stillness of the place—one single, heart-breaking shriek; then silence. Another cry; more silence. Then all silent, but for a guttural murmur, which seemed to well up from her very soul. She left the place. She would lay another eye to-morrow.

The editor of this paper would be the last person on earth to knowingly say a word to hurt the feelings of any one of its subscribers or citizens, especially at a time when the dark winged messenger of death has brought sorrows to the home, but from the best of motives we desire to call the attention of our readers to the custom that has outgrown its purpose, if it ever had one. When sickness and death comes to your home it is only natural that your friends and neighbors should do what they could to assist you. They would be heartens if they did not. They know from the expression of your face that you are thankful and deeply appreciate all they do, and it is not necessary to rush into print and tell the world that your neighbors were kind to you when you were in trouble. The reading public are becoming tired of the old stereotyped "hand of thanks." You can express to your friends, by a look or word your thankfulness in a more impressive manner than you can in a column of cold type.

Local and Personal.

Items of Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

Leap Year

'Tis Leap Year, girls, and don't forget, The privilege of the suffragette. With healthful, hesitating beaux, Pinch up your courage and propose, Untie old precedent's red tape And let no quality man escape. She who hesitates is lost, So land your man at any cost, If you have youth as well as beauty. The Leap Year cry is, "Do your duty." Say, "Andy, dear, will you be mine?" Of all mankind for you I pine? If he a happy year would wish you, And slyly try to dodge the issue, Just get a grip upon his coat, And put the question to a vote, If he votes "No," and you vote "Yes," Throw out no signal of distress. 'Hip, hip, hurrah, it is a tie— Best be the tie that binds, you cry.

If you are a quitter don't begin. Plenty of No 1 domestic onions at Allens.

Now we are catching it for that fine weather.

How many are sleeping with your windows up.

How is the man who swore off feeling these days.

There will be lots of ice before the end of February.

For Sale—2 two year old heifers due to freshen soon—M. C. Priest.

Bones—In Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 27th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dettling, a son.

D. C. Allen shipped over 45000 loaves in ten months to outside points. Quality in every loaf.

Mrs. Fred Brown and babe spent a day last week with her mother, Mrs. F. E. Brown of Boston.

Don't equal because you had of shovel the snow. A little more of that exercise is just what you need.

Business Men's Association, regular meeting, Tuesday, Jan. 16th, 1912. A full attendance requested.

A meeting of the Walpole Agricultural Society will be held in Foster's Hall, Jarvis, on Thursday, Jan. 18th, 1912.

This is the kind of cold they don't feel in Winnipeg. We hope nobody in Jarvis is suffering from it for lack of the same to keep warm.

HOUSES FOR SALE.—A nearly new frame house, 8 rooms, good well and cistern, barn and chicken-pen on place. Apply to Jan. Johnston, Jarvis, Ont.

Gentlemen! you will save me if you purchase one of our handy change purses. It can't slip through the hole in your trouser pockets. The Record.

John Vrooman will have an auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., on Lot 16, Con. 13, Townsend, 1 1/2 miles east of Mount Zion church on Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1912.—John Deming, auctioneer.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

Anglers from without the confines of Ontario who wish to fish from their own boats or yachts will in the future have to pay five dollars for that privilege. This is the effect of an order in council passed by the Provincial Government.

American subscribers to The Record are advised that with the heavy postage rate it necessitates the payment in advance of all American subscriptions when due. We direct the attention of our American subscribers to the labels on their Records when the date to which the subscription is paid is given. The subscription price to persons residing in the United States is \$1.50 per year.

A subscriber once received a dun through the postoffice, and it made him mad. He went to see the editor showed him a few duns of his own—one for paper, one for type, one for fuel and several others. "Now," said the editor, "I didn't get mad when these came because I knew all I had to do was to ask several reliable gentlemen like you to come and help me out, and then I could settle all of them." When the subscriber saw how it was he relented, paid up, and renewed for another year.

Between sixty-five and seventy couples attended the C.O.F. assembly, given in the Music Hall, Jarvis, on Thursday evening last. The music was furnished by the Henderson orchestra of Simcoe and the many whirl was participated in to the perfect contentment of all until the wee small hours. How the youth and beauty did enjoy tripping the light fantastic toe to the splendid music furnished them and the sparkling eyes and blushing countenance bespoke perfect satisfaction. Several of the older element enjoyed the evening with a few games of cards. So successful was this assembly that the members of the C.O.F. have decided to hold another on Thursday evening, Jan. 18th, at which the Kindrie orchestra will be in attendance.

Last Opportunity

A few weeks ago we rendered several accounts to subscribers who were in arrears for The Record. Some responded but there are still a number who omitted settling up. We mean business and those who are not paid up by Jan. 20th we will be obliged to place these accounts in other hands for collection. If paid at once it will only be \$1 a year, if after the 20th \$1.50. **PAY NOW** and save further expense. **THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE**

As a man's mind is bent, so is his tongue inclined.

A practical joke is never what it is cracked up to be.

It takes a bachelor to think that he understands women.

A cheerful liar is more entertaining than a gloomy truth teller.

Some men think they are ambitious if they try to avoid hard work.

Some society women are known by what they waste their affections on.

Have you seen our Klip-Klip, a perfect manicure and sanitary cigar cutter. It is a handy article for you to carry. The Record.

The rink, which was opened on Saturday evening for the first time was not very well patronized, owing to other attractions in town.

Merchants and others are warned of a set of photographic advertising fakers who worked Eastern Ontario and left unpaid bills behind them. They are a coupon concern.

The voters of Ontario have had elections enough to last them for some time to come, and ought to be ready now to devote a little attention to their own private affairs.

The most disgraceful sight one ever sees in this town is a number of young boys, not yet in their teens, with cigarettes in their mouths. A boy behind a cigarette is a siff subject for the reform school.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all dealers.

Miss Lora Little, who has had charge of J. A. Burwash's millinery department for the past three seasons left last week for her home in Blair. We are sorry to learn that Miss Little has decided not to return to Jarvis. During her stay here she has made many warm friends, who will indeed regret her departure.

This paper is endeavoring to give its patrons the best service that is possible to give and all that the patronage will permit. Our paper is being frequently complimented on its appearance and the amount and kind of matter it contains. Our citizens can make the paper still more effective by liberal patronage, both in subscriptions and advertising. The paper will always endeavor to merit the patronage.

Next summer there will be more autos in town than ever, and every horse in the neighborhood will be able to make their acquaintance. The flying machine will be the next wonder, and those who live in the open should make preparation for its coming. Tops of fence posts, telegraph poles, church spires and all upright objects should be made broad and flat so as to avoid piercing the gas bags or delicate frames of the machines that might glide against them.

New Year greetings are greetings of good will. How they soften hard hearts, purify base desires, sweeten bitter thoughts, and make every deed purer and holier; every wish kinder and tenderer. Let benediction drop from lips, and substantial gifts fall from overflowing hands. Make cheerless homes radiant, and hopeless hearts to thrill with unexpressed gladness. Forgive your enemies. Bury the past. Rise above the mean and petty resentments which you may have harbored against those who have not used you well.

That newspaper advertising is becoming increasingly potent is everywhere admitted, and many illustrations of its effectiveness serve to increase the faith of large users of space in The Record. The latest example of the splendid results from The Record was from a small ad., which announced a cutter for sale. It belonged to B. A. McCarter, who informed us that the ad. brought the desired result in a few hours after the paper was issued. The Record is a great friend-maker and gives results to advertisers when all other mediums fail. If you don't believe it, try a small ad.

You get quality if you buy your oysters at Allen's.

Now see that your horse is well shod and warmly blanketed.

In the distance a faint sound of wedding bells can be heard.

Miss Maud Webster of Sanduck is the guest of Miss Nina Underhill.

John Morrison of Medicine Hat is visiting friends in Jarvis and vicinity.

A coat of paint may conceal the age of a house but not the age of a woman.

BORN—In Walpole, on Saturday, Jan. 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buck, a son.

Mass will be held in St. Patrick's church, Caledonia, on Sunday next at 10.30 a.m.

John Mitchell, jr., last week purchased the 50 acre farm of James Walker for a good figure.

The days are lengthening and the cold is strengthening, at least we felt it during the past few days.

Mrs. Mary Meehan's many friends will be pleased to learn that she is improving from her recent illness.

The Literary Society will meet in the Presbyterian school room Friday evening, Jan. 12. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morrow and children after spending a couple of weeks at the home of the former's parents, returned to their home in Corra, Penn., on Tuesday evening.

Dr. Colman spent about ten days in Battle Creek, Mich., he being called there on account of the serious illness of his son, Walter. He returned to his home last Tuesday evening. He left his son very much better.

Jack Kohler has returned to his home from a Buffalo hospital and is much improved in health. He is unable to be around yet, however, and may have to return to the hospital in the near future to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Owing to our increased advertising space we find that our news columns are becoming crowded. From week to week we receive news in memory of departed friends and we wish to remind those contributing same that a charge will be made of five cents per line.

Bring the news to this office. We are always glad to have our subscribers send or bring us large lists of news. If each one of our items of readers would give us one item each week what a grand local paper we could have. Send in anything but politics and we shall be very thankful.

Beginning with the first day in January, 1912, any person wishing to carry on business as an undertaker in the Province of Ontario shall get from the Provincial Board of Health a license the cost of which is \$1. Failure to secure a license lays the undertaker open to a fine of \$25.

The minister of agriculture has adopted a scheme which should prove a benefit to the grain and potato growers of the country. It has been decided to distribute during the winter and spring superior sorts of grain and potatoes to the farmers. See letter on second page for further information.

The annual meeting of the Walpole Farmers' Mutual Fire Assurance Co. will be held at the head office, Jarvis, on Saturday, Jan. 20, at one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Financial Statement electing Directors and fixing their remuneration. All members earnestly requested to attend.

What about the Christmas feeling? It's surely not already dissipated. Now it's very much a question of habit. It's just as easy to be nice and pleasant and civil with other people as it is to be a grouch and a bear. It pays better and it makes life more desirable and endurable. Try it. It won't hurt you.

Jarvis and neighborhood have been in the grip of the Storm King for several days and the railways are suffering as a consequence. The cold is intense and the wind biting. The snow is piled up in drifts in many places and in the country many of the roads were blown bare, while the snow was fence high in other places.

Some women are old maids because their faces are their misfortune; some are old maids because when they fish for whales and throw back one minnow too many. In general the sex is divided into two classes—those who have not yet lost hope and those who are still afraid that in some moment of foolishness they may yet get married.

The first installment of King George V. postage stamps were on sale Monday, this week. The colors and denominations are the same as the current issue, while the central figure is the portrait of that of his majesty in the uniform of an admiral, thus typifying the Sailor King. Forming the base are two supporting branches of maple leaves. The design has been approved and recommended by his majesty. The other denominations will follow shortly.

New Motor Record for Dirt Track Racing

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 8.—Louis Uikrent, in a Rao Car, won the fifty mile race over a two mile dirt track at Lakeside yesterday, in 46 minutes 12 3-5 seconds, establishing a new record for a dirt track. McCAHANE & AIKEN, Local Agents.

The A.O.U.W. Concert

The Francis Firth Co., which appeared in the Music Hall on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the A.O.U.W., was greeted with a fairly good house. The concert was given by W. Francis Firth and his company, which though small in number, (being composed of but two other artists), was amply qualified to render a high class performance and to give unbounded pleasure. Miss Mazie Jackson scored a success in her solos. She has a voice that is clear and bird-like and a pleasant unaffected manner. Mr. Firth has a voice of rare beauty of tone, his enunciation is clear and distinct and he discloses the work of an artist in the rendering. This was Mr. Eaton's second appearance in Jarvis and he was the star of the evening and he delighted the audience by his musically interpreted selections of the compositions he had chosen. He kept the audience laughing from start to finish with his several selections. In fact all the artists pleased all present and graciously responded to numerous encores.

Death of Mrs. Wilkins

One of those events which cause feelings of sadness and regret in the hearts of old friends and acquaintances and that of great pain to those near and dear, occurred on Saturday, Jan. 6th, 1912, when Elizabeth Ann Wilkins, the beloved wife of Peter H. Wilkins of Walpole, died at her eternal rest and reward. Deceased has always enjoyed good health up to within a few days of her death, when her heart refused to operate which resulted in her death. Mrs. Wilkins, who had attained the age of 88 years, 11 months and 9 months, has been a resident of the township for several years. She who knew her so well, will long remember her as a friend, loving, tender and true. Most of all she will be missed in the home by her grief-stricken companion as well as by her two dear children, Mrs. Schuyler and Maynard Wilkins, who feel to-day that their dearest friend has been snatched from them. Two brothers and three sisters, besides a host of friends and relatives also mourn the departure of their loved one. She was a most devoted member of the Methodist church and her kind smile and greeting will be much missed by both young and old alike. The funeral took place on Tuesday and after a short service in the church, Balmoral, the remains were laid to rest in the cemetery. No written words can convey to them the condolence extended in their behalf, nor will words afford them any measure of relief from the severe shock and profound affliction to which they have just been subjected.

Roulston-Green

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Green, 251 Landsdowne Ave., Toronto, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1912, when their daughter Georgina was married to Watson Roulston of Garnet. While the wedding march was being rendered by Miss Bernice Roulston of Hagersville, the bride party entered the drawing-room, Miss Burton Roulston, sister of the groom, acting as bridesmaid, Alexander Green, brother of the bride supporting the groom, the part of flower-bearer being taken by Miss Margaret, sister of the bride. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Arthur (Chas.) Eddy, D.D. The bride was gownwed in gray silk with fringe to match, the bridesmaid in navy blue satin cloth, and the flower-bearer in black silk trimmed with royal blue. The bride's shower-bouquet was of white carnations and lilies of the valley, those of the bridesmaid and flower-bearer being of pink carnations. In proposing the toast to the bride at the wedding dinner the officiating minister took the opportunity of referring to the excellent service which she had already rendered the Garnet community and the pleasure all felt in anticipating her permanent residence there. The groom made an appropriate reply. Mr. Eddy also referred to the sterling qualities in the character of the groom which had won for him universal esteem. The groomsmen were Edwin Roulston, father of the groom, also gave short addresses. The table decorations were of lilies of the valley and white carnations. Among the many gifts to the bride were a number from "Old Scotland," her native land, the groom's favors being: to the bride a gold brooch set with rubies and pearls, to the bridesmaid a gold watch, to the flower girl a crescent brooch and to the groomsmen a scarf pin. The bride's travelling outfit was of navy-blue ladies' cloth with fur-lined coat and hat to match. Not until a more than generous supply of confetti was showered upon the happy couple did they reach the taxicab in waiting to start them on their wedding trip, which will include Oak Ridges, Scarborough and other points. As the young couple are widely known and highly esteemed in this locality their many friends join in wishing them a life of peace and happiness, coupled with health and prosperity, and as they journey on through life, may dark clouds may fit across their pathway but we trust they may ever be able to behold the silver lining in the cloud.

How About Your Eyes?

This you will say is an important question. Nature has designed that we shall have only one pair of eyes. How very important then to take the best care of this precious possession. If you notice your eyesight is diminishing, or hold the print farther from you; or headache nervousness or blurred vision, you need them attended to at once. Don't put it off until a future date. Do it now. Free examination.

R. E. Matthews of Port Dover, a graduate of the National College of Optics will be at the American Hotel, Jarvis, on Jan. 11 and 12, 1912, and each succeeding month. Orders left at the Record office or Hotel will be attended to.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST CHURCH

The monthly meeting of the W. M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Andrew Rodgers on Tuesday afternoon. "Western Women in Eastern Lands," is the text-book for 1912. Topic for to-night "Elisha," service at 7.30. Everyone welcome.

Next Sunday Rev. B. B. Rowe of Hamilton will preach morning and evening and also at Garnet in the afternoon.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The W.A. met yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Campbell's. Owing to the severe storm the attendance was small, but an excellent start was made with the outfit for the boy at the Sarses Home.

A very interesting report was read from the representative on the Diocesan Board giving a description of the December monthly meeting.

The annual Sunday School Tea and distribution of prizes was held in the school house last evening. The inclement weather kept the out of town scholars at home but the attendance of those in town was almost complete. The ladies provided a splendid tea and after some time had been spent in games prizes were distributed to all who had been in attendance twenty Sundays during the year. A bag of candy and an orange was given to every scholar.

Enough provisions was left over from the tea to give the juniors a treat on Saturday afternoon.

Knox Church Anniversary

The Anniversary Services in connection with Knox church, was held on Sunday last and was conducted by Rev. W. M. Grant of St. Thomas. The weather, although somewhat foggy and cold, did not deter a large crowd from attending. Mr. Grant is the possessor of a fine physique, a somewhat nasal voice, and has just magnetic influence enough to create the eyes of the whole congregation upon himself and to hold them there throughout the whole of the discourse, while he has sufficient eloquency ability to bring out the true meaning and make his reading agreeable and easily understood. The choir conducted the service of praise in a manner to elicit the highest encomiums of all. Miss Lillian Allen, who sang "O What a Change" in the morning, and "Consider and Fear Me," in the evening, made a fine impression on all who heard her. She sings with great clarity and sweetness of tone, enunciates well and gives feeling expression to the words. On the following Monday evening the annual tea was held. The weather was not so favorable as on Sunday, a blinding snow storm prevailing at the time for people turning out to come to the tea, and as a consequence the ladies, who had made such elaborate preparations, were fearful that there would not be enough present to consume the abundance of good things they had prepared. But despite the rough weather many braved the storm and were amply repaid for their trouble. The ladies of Knox church have long had the reputation of getting up extra good suppers, but on Monday evening they outwitted themselves, the spread being among the best ever made in Jarvis. This part of the entertainment was a success, as usual, and seemed to be duly appreciated by the people coming in out of the storm. The social element was not forgotten and a cultivated as well as the physical and all seemed to enjoy themselves to the full. In the auditorium the chair was occupied by Rev. John Robertson, of Port Dover, who seems to have the happy faculty of being able to keep everything in good humor, and making all things run smoothly and pleasantly on such occasions. After a few words of greeting he introduced the following high-class artists, who furnished the greater part of the excellent and varied program: J. M. Sherlock, tenor; Jean Anderson Thirde, Soprano, Miss Blanche Walter, Elocutionist and Miss Annie McKay, Accompanist, who were very liberal indeed with their selections. The audience was manifestly greatly pleased with the entertainers. Encores were many and the enthusiasm had the true spontaneity. Owing to illness Archdeacon Bela was unable to be present. Spicy and well-fitting addresses were delivered by Rev. Arthur Clare Eddy, pastor of Methodist church, Jarvis, and Rev. Grant. On Tuesday evening another tea was held at which a pleasant and social time was enjoyed. The proceeds for Sunday and the tea amounted to \$172.

Farm for Sale

Seventy-five acres, two miles west of Jarvis. Apply to Robert J. Hunter, 40 Arthur Ave. N., Hamilton, Ont.