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Local and Personal

St. Patrick's Day!

Wedding Bells are ringing.

The roads are drying fast.

This Wednesday is Simcoe's 3 day.

The Wapole Council met on Saturday last.

Roy Chrysler, of Delhi, was in town on Monday.

Mr. Wallace Moore, of Welland, is home on an extended holiday.

Miss Kate Osborne of Pt. Dover, spent Sunday in town.

J. S. Burwash and son, Harold, were in Hamilton on Tuesday.

Count Witte, the first Prime Minister of Russia, is dead.

Spring is here, but winter is still likely to have something to say.

Mrs. Lewis Miller, spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Simcoe.

Miss Thayer, of Aylmer, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chambers.

Miss Bourne and Mr. Arthur Bourne are spending a few days in Hamilton and Toronto.

Lincoln Beachey, the noted American aviator, died to his death at San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hewson and little daughter, Ruth, were in Simcoe this Wednesday.

Mr. Gus Weil will ship another car of horses for Mr. Joseph Owen during the coming week.

TO RENT—A good warm brick house to rent. Apply to Wm. GLANFIELD.

Alex. Dunnet, a young farmer aged 24 years of Ononda, died on Saturday last of meningitis.

The crew of a German Hydroplane wrecked off Jutland was picked up by Danish fishing vessels.

Miss Lindsay, of Hagersville, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.

Miss Francis Newell left Monday evening for Toronto, where she will attend the Hamburg Recital.

A very successful ice cream social was held at the Garnet Methodist Church Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Nunn and children of Hamilton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minter during the week.

Lost or Strayed—A Brown Spaniel Dog Pup, answers to name of Rover. Reward by returning to R. R. Telford at Bank of Hamilton, Jarvis.

Mr. Andrew Rodgers and Mrs. Elva Rodgers attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Bragg in Hamilton on Tuesday, the latter spending a few days in the city with relatives.

Wm. Campbell operator at the Hydro Electric Commission's transformer station at Falls View, received a 2,000 volt shock, but recovered before a pulmotor arrived.

The Farmers' Club of No. 17 S. S. Wapole, will hold their first Annual meeting on Tuesday, March 23rd, at 8 p.m. Members and those wishing to become members are requested to attend.

Thieves entered the home of Mr. T. Guler on Sunday evening last when the family was at church. A gold watch, some money and other articles were taken. A couple of strangers about town on that day are suspected.

The Mission Band of the Methodist Church will hold a social on Friday evening, March 26th, in school-room of the church. Supper will be served, with Maple Syrup and Hot Cross Buns the main features, after which an excellent program will be given. Admission, adults 25c, children 15c.

The Hagersville Choral Society held a second concert on March 9, under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. The first concert was such a decided success, and so many were unable to secure admission, a repeat concert was arranged. The second concert was also a splendid success. Dr. Frank Hager's solos were greatly appreciated, while Mrs. Baker more than acquitted herself with the obligatory parts in her usual good style.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the friends who came to us in our hour of trouble, and contributed all that human kindness could suggest to help and comfort, we return most heartfelt thanks, and although such devoted friendship cannot remove the sad memories that linger around our vacant chair, it brings into view the brightest side of humanity and throws the pure light of an unselfish friendship into a darkened home. May the day be far distant when those friends who gathered around us will need similar attention, but when the time comes may they receive the same full measure of generous aid and tender sympathy they brought to our home when death was an inmate there.

J. J. COONAN.

METHODIST CHURCH

Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor will preach in the morning service.

Rev. H. Heward, B.A., will preach in the evening, representing the B.M. Society. A union meeting will be held at the close of the evening service for re-organization.

Death of Chris Kohler

The announcement of the death of Mr. Chris Kohler, in Buffalo hospital, last Wednesday evening, March 10th, was heard with profound regret by his hosts of friends throughout not only Haldimand County, but at various points in the Province. Mr. Kohler was one of Haldimand's best-known sons, a warm-hearted and jovial citizen, greatly esteemed by all who knew him, and his death at the comparatively early age of 53 years, saddened many hearts, and cast a pall of gloom over the entire community.

About three weeks previous to his death, Mr. Kohler had gone to Buffalo hospital to undergo an operation for the relief of ailments which had troubled him for some time. He had progressed very well after the operation and bright hopes for his ultimate recovery were shaken only a few days previous to his demise, by other complications which had developed, and in the combat of which the best of nursing and medical skill from both Ontario and the States, was unavailing. The end came peacefully on the evening of Wednesday, March 10th, the members of the family, and other relatives, being at his bedside.

On Thursday evening the remains were brought to Cayuga, where they were met at the station by a large circle of sorrowing friends. The body was then conveyed to the family home in Kohler, and local friends together with the members of the 35th unit of the third contingent marched in company with the casket, to the bridge.

A BRIEF SKETCH

The late Mr. Kohler was a son of Martin and Anna Kohler, pioneer citizens of Haldimand, who had emigrated here from Germany. He was born on the old homestead, now occupied by his son, Norman, in 1861 and together with his brother, Jacob took over the stock business which had been carried on by their father, and developed it, until they became known as one of the largest and best known stock firms in Canada, with operations extending almost from the Atlantic to the Pacific. They also as circumstances of the market permitted, did a large export trade in cattle and sheep to the London and Liverpool markets. They were also instrumental in the development of several of the gas fields in Haldimand and the firm was among the largest holders of farm land in Haldimand County.

In the course of business the late Mr. Kohler travelled extensively throughout the Province, and he had a reputation on the markets of Toronto and Buffalo as one of the shrewdest and most capable of live stock dealers, a man whose word was never questioned. He was, without doubt, one of the most popular men in the County, whose splendid qualities of uprightness, geniality, kindness and hospitality made him welcome everywhere.

One of the unique incidents in the lives of Kohler Bros. is that they have both represented their native County in the Legislative halls of the Province. Mr. Jacob Kohler was elected in 1905, and continued to represent the County until 1911, when he retired, and Mr. Chris Kohler was elected. The latter gentleman represented the County from 1911 to 1914, when he retired from public life owing to ill health and pressure of business interests.

The late Mr. Kohler was a member of the Evangelical church, of which he was a liberal supporter, and a consistent and devoted Christian.

Mr. Kohler had travelled widely in England, Scotland, Ireland and Germany, having on several occasions visited the home of his father and mother in the latter country. He was a thoroughly patriotic citizen and an intelligent admirer of British institutions.

Besides his sorrowing widow, a family of one daughter, Mrs. J. H. Rays, Rainham, and two sons, Norman and Martin, of Kohler, survive.

The funeral on Saturday afternoon was probably the largest in the history of Haldimand County. It is estimated that fully two thousand people were present to pay a last tribute of respect. A brief service was held at the home, followed by a public service in the church, after which interment was made in the Evangelical Cemetery. Only a very small proportion of those present were able to gain admittance to the services, which were conducted by Rev. Mr. Wing, of Berlin, assisted by Rev. Mr. Leibold, the local pastor. The pall bearers were: Messrs. J. H. Snider, D. Kelly, Wm. Walker, B. Depoty, O. Grindell, J. Kindree, D. Duff, and M. J. Furlong. The floral tributes were profuse, and beautiful.

A Toronto male quartette, led by Mr. Ruthven McDonald, sang several appropriate numbers at the home, the grave and also at the church.

Among the many friends from a distance were: Messrs. Thos. Marshall, M. P. P., and Chas. Bowman, M. P. P., and Sam Clark, M. P. P., representing the Ontario Legislature; and representatives of the Buffalo, Toronto and Hamilton live stock markets. Friends were also present from Tillsonburg, Galt, Berlin, Hastings, Bay City, Mich., Buffalo, Caledonia, Dunnville, Pt. Colborne, and various other points.

The Floral Offerings

The casket was banked with beautiful floral tributes, among which were included:

Wreaths—Messrs. Smith & Linn, Delhi; Mr. W. J. Aikens, Dunnville; Messrs. Dunn & Levaek, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Birk, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kohler and family, Dunnville; the F. W. Fearman Co., Hamilton; Messrs. Wright & Carroll, of The Walker House, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Beadle, Buffalo; Armour & Co., Hamilton; President and Directors of the Haldimand Agricultural Society; Canadian Bank of Commerce; Kohler S. S. Class; Liberal members of the Legislature; Mr. J. Kohler's family. Wreath and Pillows: Mr. and Mrs. J. Kohler. Pillows from Dr. and Mrs. O. H. McCauley, Calgary; Hamilton Butchers; Murphy & Colter, Cayuga; Sprays, from Mr. Burt, Whaley, Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. High, South Cayuga; Mr. C. Birk and family, Buffalo; Mrs. D. Kelly, Caledonia; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, Hamilton; the grandchildren, Cross, from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mehlbacher; Basket, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Westover, Buffalo; Gates-Ajar, Mr. Duff and employees; Broken Wheel Mrs. C. Kohler and family.

Death of Mrs. Bragg

Mrs. Harriet Frank-Bragg, widow of the late John Bragg, of Jarvis, and formerly of Bowmanville, passed away Sunday morning after a slight stroke at the home of her son-in-law, Robt. Rodgers, 49 East avenue south, in the city of Hamilton, in her 90th year. It was just two months to the very day of her death that deceased had celebrated her 89th birthday among a small party of her nearest friends and relatives. Her husband predeceased her some thirty years ago, two children, one son and one daughter, also awaited her crossing the last river, which separates this life from the eternal. They were the late James Bragg, of London, and the late Mrs. Robert Rodgers, both well known to many in this vicinity.

After a long, busy and useful life, she died as she had lived—honored, trusted and loved. She died with the awakening of life of a new day. It was surely a most fitting time for a pure spirit to take its flight heavenward. With the eye of faith one could see at the dawn of this memorable spring morning an invisible hand wave a signal, and a voice in softest accent on the morning breeze, announce that the gates were open and that God's angels were waiting to escort her in.

She reared her own monument while she lived in the hearts of all who knew her. Her life was completed if work well done constitutes completion. Her christian life was beautiful from its beginning to its close, and through all the vicissitudes and sorrows that she met in the way, her faith in God never wavered. But she has passed away and soon the budding leaves of spring will cast a soft and cooling shade upon another grave that hides from our sight all that is mortal of a true and noble woman.

The funeral took place on Tuesday morning from the residence of Robt. Rodgers, Hamilton, to the Stuart St. depot, thence to Bowmanville for interment. Rev. D. A. Moir, assisted by the Rev. J. T. Smith, conducted the service at the home. The pall bearers were—Rev. Jas. Aude, Rev. J. T. Smith, Messrs. Schmuck, John and Thomas Chappel and D. Evans.

There was a large number of floral tributes to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased lady was held by a very wide circle of friends.

"Fare thee well, oh thou to memory dear!
Dust to dust, and lulled to slumbers sweet;
Sleep on, forever, in the prison dress,
But in realms on high, shall our spirits meet."

\$500 per Month.

The County Council met last week. Among other business transacted, they passed \$500 a month for ten months to the Patriotic Fund, for taking care of families or dependents of Haldimand county soldiers away on service. A special committee consisting of Warden Sarge, J. C. Ingles, J. A. Tinsley, Henry Pyle and L. Werner, as secretary—treasurer, was appointed.

ed to act as an executive committee with the fund officers, as far as Haldimand is concerned. H. H. Ames, of Montreal, was present at the meeting, and explained fully the urgent requirements of the fund, and Colonel Baxter also gave an address full of information on the subject.

The resolution letting the contract for a foot bridge at Caledonia, was voted down by the Council, after passing the Road and Bridge Committee. It will come up at the next meeting. The complete minutes will appear at a later date.

Nanticoke.

No race suicide in this burg—babies like wide skirts, are becoming more fashionable here.

Authentic news from Hamilton announces that Mrs. O. Fletcher of that city recently presented her husband with a baby girl. Before her marriage the young mother was Miss Belle Davidson, of this village, where she and Mr. Fletcher are well known. Although Mrs. Fletcher had just recovered from an attack of measles, both she and her first born are reported to be progressing nicely.

Sap's rummin' and the sugar camp is the centre of interest on the farm these balmy spring days. Many of our farmers have tapped trees and several have started to "bleed down" Chas. Foss and Percy Diet of Selkirk, have returned to the Hoover Fishery, where they are helping prepare the fishing apparatus for the summer season.

Spring is here sure 'nuf for the village crows has at last emerged from her teepee and is on the war-path again.

Wm. Bartlett has returned to town and is again driving the Jarvis to Nanticoke mail route. His son-in-law, Carl Fitzgerald, who drove the mail all winter, moved to Mr. Bartlett's farm on Monday.

According to word received in this village last week, Mrs. Mary Levine died recently at her Ohio home. The deceased was a former resident of this place, leaving here about forty years ago. Her husband Joseph Levine, passed away before the family left this village and is buried here. He owned and managed a hotel where Wm. Seaman lives now. The family was always held in high esteem here and the demise of Mrs. Levine will be deeply mourned.

Warren Banfield pilgrimaged to Hamilton last Saturday. Diamond rings are sold in the big village under the hill.

George Evans attended the annual Home Circle Convention held at Toronto last week in his official capacity as delegate of the local lodge.

The new babies are easily the most prominent people in the village. Already have they proved themselves an irresistible attraction to their unmarried female citizens of all ages—stated and unconfirmed.

Walter Wood, of Buffalo, is visiting under the parental roof on the Lake Shore road.

Mrs. Wm. Lown, of Broadway, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Davis on Sunday.

Geo. Dennis is reported very ill. There has been no marked condition of any of the others on the local sick list.

Bathed in brilliant sunshine and fanned by warm spring zephyrs, society promenaded on main street Sunday afternoon for the first time this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson, of Simcoe, visited friends and relatives in the village on Sunday.

Faith and Be Jabbers and their still some good old Irish stock left in the village yet, as witness the wear in 'to the green and the Shamrocks in evidence on St. Patrick's day. The feast of Ireland's Patron Saint was fittingly observed at several parties held in the village.

Rockford

Mr. Lounds subject Sunday evening was "Mrs. Lot." He will continue this theme next Sunday.

The annual county S.S. Convention will be held in Trinity Church, Simcoe, on Friday, March 19. Our school appointed delegates last Sunday and we hope to be well represented.

Miss Ethel and Wilbert Howard returned from Toronto last week, where they had been in attendance at the great temperance convention. Come next Sunday to hear the report.

Miss Yeomans and Miss Chambers were the guests of Miss Lois Wymer over Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Somers is visiting her parents at Glanford.

Chas. Smith and wife, of Simcoe, were visiting at the former's home here on Sunday.

Frank Somers was in Toronto over Sunday.

Miss Lela Somers was the guest of Miss Marion on Sunday.

Mrs. Caswell is visiting friends in Hamilton.

Garnet Woolley of Jarvis, has purchased Joe Kenney's farm and moved there last week.

Rev. J. W. Kitching, of Binbrook, was in attendance at and took part in the services of the funeral of the late Mrs. Smith, of Salem on Monday.

The Lenten Services follow—

March 21.—Fifth Sunday in Lent.—Passion Sunday.

11 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon. 7 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. "Power of the Holy Ghost."

J. HIRST ROSE.

John Redmond addressed a big meeting at Manchester on recruiting.

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F. H. Seeley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Royal Hotel and will remain in Hamilton this Tuesday and Wednesday only, March 23 and 24th. Mr. Seeley says the Spermatic Ligament as now used and approved by the United States Government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in ten days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, gold medals without number, and has been prescribed by the United States Government at Washington, D.C., for impotency. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call he will be glad to show same without charge or fit them if desired. Any one ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this opportunity.

NOTICE

All parties in arrears in my lumber yard must call and settle or give note before the 1st of May, as on that date my books close.

J. C. SANDERSON

RAILWAY FARES PAID FROM JARVIS TO FALLS STORE SIMCOE, ONTARIO.

Saturday of this week and each Saturday during March and April, The H. S. Falls Co., Limited, of Simcoe, will pay RETURN Railway fare from Jarvis to Simcoe on a purchase of \$7.50 or OVER. The above arrangement enables you to do your shopping at one of Canada's BEST STORES and most advantageously. Present your railway ticket to the last salesperson waiting upon you and the price you paid for it will be refunded to you.

Death of Rev. C. Stringfellow.

The death of Rev. Charles Stringfellow occurred at his late residence in Hagersville Monday. Rev. Mr. Stringfellow had been in delicate health for some weeks past. He was born in Leeds, England on April 18, 1852, and came to Canada and entered the ministry of the Wesleyan Methodist church in 1875, serving on the Point Levi and Danville circuits in the province of Quebec, after which he was appointed to Indian mission work in the west, where for 11 years he served on Oxford House and Norway House missions. He then returned to Ontario and travelled the following circuits, Nisour, Kirkton, London North, Saltford, Oxford Center, Charnville, Leoville, Ker, Ridgeway and New Credit mission. He was superannuated in 1896 and retired to Hagersville, where he has since lived. For many years he was a member of the public library board and served as its treasurer, commanding the universal respect and esteem of the community. He was twice married and is survived by his wife, who was a Miss Foster, of Louisville. Also one daughter, Mrs. Grassie, of Hamilton. A son and daughter predeceased their father. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 2 p.m.

Deaths

ARMOUR—At Nohomis, Sask., on 4th March, 1915, Frank H. Armour, youngest son of the late John Armour, formerly of Victoria, B.C., Ont., aged 25 years, 10 months and 4 days.