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MARRIED
MARRIED—At Glenallen on Wednesday Aug. 2nd, Miss Lorne Cookman, to Mr. John Smith.

DEATHS
DIED—In Jarvis, on Friday, Aug. 4th, 1916, Joseph Johnston, in his 87th year.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Ethel Snyder spent Monday in Hamilton.

Mr. J. Hellwig spent Sunday at his home here.

Robt. Rodgers of Hamilton was in town Monday.

Mrs. Walter Bates is spending a week in Hamilton.

Miss Grace Walter of Toronto is visiting at her home here.

Mrs. E. Moore of Ottawa is visiting her friend Mrs. Whibley.

Jarvis Band is attending the Walker picnic at Naticoke to-day.

Mrs. Fred Harrison and little daughter Jean, are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Brown and children spent the week end at the home of Mr. C. E. Bourne.

Miss Zeta Brown returned to her home in Hamilton after visiting her cousin Mrs. Andrew Miller.

Mr. W. Stengle, of Hamilton spent over the week end in town, returning Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Miller and son 'Eddie, of Western Ontario is at present at the home of Mr. J. C. Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou. Laur returned home Friday night after spending a few weeks in Aylmer and vicinity.

Misses Edith and Luella McCarter left to-day to visit their sister Mrs. A. R. Colman, of Kindersley, Sask.

Miss Margret Cant of Gault is visiting her cousin, Miss Isabel Simpson.

Mrs. Thomas Evans, of Naticoke, visited the week end with Mrs. Hoover.

Mrs. D. Hill, who has been visiting in Hamilton, returned home Tuesday.

J. Deming shipped a car load of cattle to Buffalo market on Saturday last.

Mrs. John Kindy and daughter, Doris, spent a few days last week in Springfield.

Guy Leathong and Bruce Smith of Camp Borden, spent the week end in Jarvis.

Death of Joseph J. Johnson

On Aug. 4, Friday morning last, there passed away at his residence here one of our oldest and most respected citizens in the person of Joseph J. Johnson.

The late Mr. Johnson had been in excellent health until about two weeks ago when he was overcome with the intense heat while working in his garden. Since then his condition gradually became worse and on Friday morning he went peacefully to his last resting place, peacefully away shortly after the hour of six.

The late Mr. Johnson was born in Lincolnshire, Eng., in April, 1830. Compelled to work at the age of seven, he started life as a shepherd. He migrated to Canada when twenty years of age, living in York County for a short period and finally settling in Jarvis in 1862.

While still he became an active member of the Methodist Church, becoming a local preacher, class leader and S. S. Superintendent.

He was married three times, his first wife being Catharine Brock, who bore four children all of which survive, his namely, Mrs. W. N. Frel, of Winona; Mrs. R. C. Bloye, Stephens Point, Wis.; Mrs. W. R. Latimer, Toronto and Miss Agnes, at home. By his second wife, Caroline Killam, he had six children three of whom are living, Henry and Benjamin at Walpole and Mrs. Thos. Jacques, of Brantford. His third wife (Mrs. Carrick) predeceased him seven years ago.

The funeral was held last Monday afternoon in the Methodist church, Jarvis. Rev. J. G. Foote officiating.

Card of Thanks

Mr. P. E. Armstrong wishes to thank the people of Jarvis for their prompt assistance at the fire which mysteriously broke out Monday morning last, destroying the drive shed and ice house with contents. Mr. Armstrong wishes to notify the public through the medium of the Record, owing to the fact, that certain parties have thrown insinuations regarding insurance, etc., that the building is barely covered by insurance. As regards the wool and other contents, either Mr. Armstrong or the Bank of Hamilton can give an itemized statement of every dollar invested in same.

Re-Opening of Knox Presbyterian Church

Knox Church, Jarvis, respondent in its new interior decorations and timely renovations, will be re-opened for Divine service next Sunday morning. The first candidate to preach with a view to a call to the congregations of Jarvis and Walpole, will have charge of the service.

The Rev. W. J. Watt, B.A.; B.D. of Port Elgin will preach trial sermons in Jarvis, morning and evening and at Chalmers' church in the afternoon.

Wanted

Mr. G. Weill will buy poultry at his barns, Jarvis, every Tuesday Highest Prices.

Lost

On Saturday, Aug. 5th, between Jarvis and Rockford, a linen table cloth, somewhat soiled. Finder kindly return to Record office.

Explains Itself

France, July 7, 1916.
Mrs. J. Batchelor,
R. R. No. 3,
Jarvis, Ontario, Canada.
Dear Madam—
You will most likely wonder who it is writing you, but you won't be long in finding out as I happen to be the one who got the hot box you knitted and believe me they came in handy as we just came in from a march with plenty of rain and certainly was glad I had them to put on.

I am unable to give you any particulars or news of any kind as all mail is censored and we have to be careful what we put in our letters.

I am out of the trenches for a few days, billeted in a barn with plenty of straw to lay on a few miles behind the firing line. My address is no. 404255, Pte. T. G. Clarke, 3rd Canadian Trench Mortar Battery, 1st Division, B.E.F., Canadians, France.

We were having fine weather here up till a few days ago when we began to get considerable amount of rain. That it about all we get here, rain and plenty of mud which makes it very bad indeed.

We have been having quite a lively time here lately. Have been in a couple of scrap myself but managed to get through all right.

Must ring off. Hoping to hear from you soon. I remain
Sincerely yours,
PTE. T. G. CLARKE.

Fair Postponed

At a recent meeting of the Officers and Directors of the Fair Board it was unanimously decided to postpone the Fair for this year. The principal reasons for this action being that the weather is more or less interested in the Great War and that every loyal Canadian is putting forth every effort to bring it to a successful conclusion, and the farmers are handicapped by not being able to get their crops sowed in the proper season, leaving them with almost no spring crop. The continued droughts since July 1st have put the vegetable grower out of business, and, blight, scab and fungus has rendered his rendered the fruit crop useless.

In the face of the above conditions and after the Department of Agriculture had been interviewed by the President and Secretary, who were of the same opinion as the Directors, the above action was decided on.

It is to be hoped that every member of the Society for 1916 will, from now on, make every effort to further the interests of the Warlike Agricultural Society, so that another year may bring the best Fall Fair ever held in Jarvis, and that long before that time the Allied Army may have driven the German Baby-Killers out of existence.

Small Fire

The drive shed and ice-house of Mr. P. Armstrong were totally destroyed by fire last Monday morning shortly after five o'clock in the morning. When first seen, by Mr. Ed. Kendrick, the blaze was very small in the west end of the shed, but owing to continuous dry weather, the flames were beyond control by the time help could be summoned. Very little breeze was in evidence and the flames were easily kept from spreading. The fire is supposed to have originated in a quantity of wool, which was stored in the barn. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss was largely covered by insurance.

Some trouble was encountered in getting the fire-engine in operation, which has undergone extensive repairs, but under the direction of pump man Chas. Youcan and the driving influence of Capt. G. Steel operations were soon running smoothly.

Smoke From the North

The reason for the heavy haze which hung over our village for the greater part of the day Sunday, could not be definitely learned. It is thought that the wind during the previous few days had blown the smoke and mist from the northern lands which were swept by fire the early part of last week. Many were afraid that another conflagration had broken out in that already stricken land. No report of any further outbreak was received however. It is quite possible for smoke to travel as far as it is thought that the local haze has travelled. Old timers recall that thirty years or so ago, a heavy haze hung over the village, having been carried by the wind from Michigan, which was being ravaged at that time by serious forest fires.

Vareney W. I.

The August meeting of the Vareney Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. H. K. Saunders with the attendance of thirty-four. After the business in connection with the Institute and accepting the kind invitation from the Sandusky Institute for the September meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Pond, the first Thursday of the month, a good programme was given. A paper by Mrs. Butcher, subject "A plan for a week's house work in the country." A talk on France and its people by Mrs. R. A. Miller. Photograph selection by Mrs. Saunders. Roll Call—Some useful suggestions. The meeting was brought to a close by singing the national anthem.

The October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Exelby, on Thursday, Aug. 15, from the residence of his son Harry, of Hamilton. Four sons and one daughter survive.

Haldimand County School Fairs

The Rural Fair is a new movement which is rapidly gaining in popularity throughout the Province. This is evident from the fact that while 234 school fairs were held in 1915, plans are now under way for 288 fairs which include 2594 rural schools or 61,000 children.

In the organization work of the school fair, the agricultural representative secures a certain number of schools which converge conveniently to one centre, and the school children are held responsible to a large degree for its success. Each school has a Fair Board composed of three of its brightest boys or girls. The Chairman or Chairlady of this Board at some convenient time or place meets the representatives from the other schools for the purpose of discussing what items would be most satisfactory to the pupils for the final draft of the prize list and for discussing general problems that have to do with the management of the Fair. In all this organization work the agricultural representative is especially to see that everything is carried on a strictly business basis which is undoubtedly a great source of education in business affairs to the pupils. This body of School Fair Association and for each fair in the County there is one of these Associations.

The work of such an Association is not alone confined to the making out of prize lists or of the final management of the fair. The running of a school fair requires considerable funds which funds are supplied from many sources. Each school section taking a part in a school fair makes an annual grant, the amount of which is based upon the enrolment of the school; a fee of 25 cents is collected from each applicant for eggs, which is also put to the credit of the School Fair Association, and grants are made by County and Township councils. In most cases sufficient prize money is hard to get from the forementioned sources alone, so private individuals often give special prizes to the extent of a few dollars which help to make up the deficit. It is quite customary to give approximately \$100 in prize money at each fair. The prizes won by the pupils of each school section will be credited to the teacher and blank cheque forms are issued to the pupils.

The cheques are drawn upon the teacher, thus giving the pupils a little bit of practice in elementary banking. Previous to the year of 1916, cheques were drawn upon the bank but the addition of the war tax has made this practice too expensive.

For the year 1916 there will be 288 school fairs held in the County of Haldimand on the following dates: Jarvis-Sept. 26th; Fisherville-Sept. 27; Caledonia-Oct. 6th; Cayuga-Oct. 4th; Dunnville-Oct. 20th. The fairs are usually held in a large tent supplied by the Department and the exhibits make an attractive sight. While the judging of the exhibits is in progress, sports and contests are organized outside of the tent which is a source of amusement to the spectators at all times. It is indeed too short a day to those attending a school fair as there is almost a degree of excitement and enthusiasm manifested as all times by those interested. It is to be hoped for the current year that parents and guardians will give the utmost attention to the pupils in their work relating to school fairs.

Renton.

The lake seems to be the only cool place. On Sundays quite a few from this vicinity goes there to have a splash.

Miss Francis Stone of Toronto is the guest of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Duncan spent the week end with friends at Port Rowan.

Mr. Wm. Smith, G.T.R. engineer, of Port Dover, was the guest of H. Newell's on Sunday last.

Miss Eva Secord is spending her vacation with her cousin, Miss Colina Pease near Port Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Southwell of Wycomb spent Sunday last at Mr. Roy Stone's.

Quite a few people in our vicinity were as the old saying is, on needles between five and six o'clock in the afternoon on Sunday last, when a dense fog of smoke came over our burg. The phones were continually ringing to ascertain where the fire was, but no one seemed to know, so we came to the conclusion that it must be smoke from Northern Ontario.

Our harvest will soon be over in our burg.

The shower we got on Tuesday cooled the air off a little. We hope for some more.

Misses Belle and Lena Mitchell are spending a few days in Windsor.

(Intended for last week.)

The wheat and barley harvest is almost completed in our burg. Threshing alike seed is the order of the day with lots of straw and no much seed.

Quite a few from our burg spent Sunday last at the Lake Side.

Pte. Sidney Benstead, 173rd Batt., of Hamilton, now at Camp Borden, spent the week with friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brock and Miss Stella, of Naticoke, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Newell.

N. J. Campbell and the Misses Mable and Mildred spent Sunday last near Port Dover with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walker.

The apple crop is very poor in our vicinity. Fruit of all kinds are very scarce while the berry yield is ended. The grain crop is very light although the hay crop is very heavy being far above the average. Will some other correspondents tell us about the crops in their vicinity? "You know we all have not got autos."

Pte. Walter Hiffe, 133rd Batt., returned to his duties again, at Camp Borden, on Monday last, after spending a two week's furlough at his home here.

We are all looking for a nice shower of rain to freshen thing up a bit.

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