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GOOD ENROLLMENT AT WINTER COURSE

THE CALEDONIA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE EXTEND WELCOME TO STUDENTS ATTENDING COURSE

On Friday, December 4th, the members of the Caledonia Women's Institute very kindly gave a social welcome to the students attending the School of Agriculture and Home Economics, in the assembly room of the new High School.

An excellent program was arranged, consisting of addresses by Dr. E. N. Berry, M.L.A.; Mr. Harrison Arrell, K.C.; Mr. Bruce French, Reeve of Caledonia, and Mr. J. L. Mitchell, Public School Inspector for Haldimand. Musical numbers were rendered by Mrs. Dr. Rossell, Mrs. H. Clark and others. The program was enjoyed by some 300, who were present on the occasion. Dr. Berry acted as chairman, and performed his duties in his usually capable manner. After the program a dainty luncheon was served by the Caledonia Women's Institute, followed by a social time and community singing.

The students wish to express in the public press their appreciation of the kindness of the Caledonia Women's Institute, in extending to them such a great welcome.

The credit for securing the course at Caledonia is due entirely to the energetic efforts of Dr. Berry. The course is a success as shown by the registration records, 51 boys and 69 girls, making a total of 120 students.

On behalf of the students, the staff wishes to thank the Board of Education for the excellent accommodation they have arranged for both classes, and the students feel that the people of Caledonia are putting forth extra efforts in order to make their stay in Caledonia both pleasant and profitable. We hope that many friendships will be formed, and that the course may be a means of creating a better understanding and greater community spirit between the urban and rural sections of the Caledonia district.

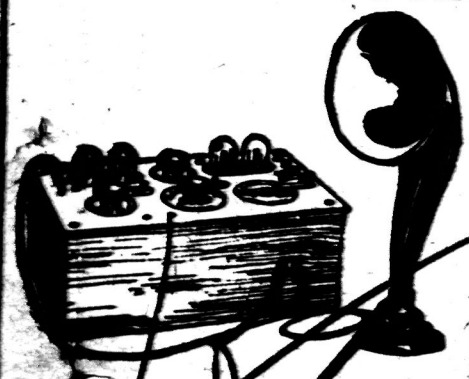
We hope before the course closes that more students will enroll and take advantage of this excellent opportunity to secure an education on modern methods in agriculture and home economics. Again thanking the Caledonia Women's Institute for their kindness, I remain,

Yours in appreciation,
C. C. MAIN,
Agricultural Representative for Haldimand County.

SEE CANADA'S CHAMPION TYPIST

The Robinson Business College of Waterford will stage a Typewriting Contest and Concert in the Town Hall, Friday evening, Dec. 18. Robinson students from the four schools—Waterford, Brantford, Dunnville and Norwich will compete. Canada's Champion typist, an ex-champion, and other speed artists will give demonstrations. A 12-piece orchestra will render several selections, and an excellent program will be put on by R.B.C. Students. Reserved seats 25c. General admission 25c. Don't miss it.

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NANTICOKE

The final debate and contest for the "Burnaby Cup" is contested by the local U.F.Y.P.O. Club, and is represented by Messrs. Harry Pratten and Carroll Lindsay. Delegates to the convention are Miss Jean Oakes, Miss Cora Henning and Harvey Evans.

A well known Nanticoke boy, lately residing in Los Angeles, California, in the person of Charles Livingstone, has succumbed to an attack of acute indigestion. The funeral will be conducted from his late residence.

The first social meeting of the Men's Club was held in the hall on Tuesday night. A very interesting program was given, the main feature being an address by Rev. W. T. Brown, of Jarvis, on "Robert Burns," which was very much appreciated by all. Also a solo by Lionel Tompkins, "Pal of My Cradle Days," and one by Wanley Lindsay, "A Soldier's Dream." Harvey Vokes gave an appropriate recitation entitled "The Face Upon the Floor." Mr. Thomas Butcher recited "The Dying Boy." This was followed by a dainty lunch, after which the young people indulged in the "light fantastic" step.

ROCKFORD

Our clay roads are in a deplorable condition. This would be a good time for our Council to take a motor ride over them.

The W.M.S. is packing a box of clothing, fruit, etc., this week for the "All Peoples Mission," Hamilton.

Miss Holmes and the Public School children are busy getting ready for their school concert, which they intend having on Monday evening, December 21st.

Our School Board attended the convention in Waterford last Thursday.

Miss Grace Wride, of Winona, spent over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wride.

Mrs. Murry Simmons and little daughter, of Woodstock, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson's.

SANDUSK

The W. I. met at the home of Mrs. John Walker and in spite of the awful condition of the roads a goodly number were out and spent a very pleasant afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Inson motored to Dunnville for the week-end.

Pleased to report that Mrs. Frank Pond is regaining her health and will soon be able to help again with all the good work of the community, as we have missed her.

The W.M.S. of Cheapside United church met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Pond on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. L. R. Dougherty has engaged some workmen of Russian nationality to cut wood for him. They are at present living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. E. Bartlett, but now the property of Mr. Dougherty.

One of last week's local papers carried an "ad" for a new teacher for our school.

Sandusk extends congratulations to Miss Doris Pond, who has been successful in her exams at St. Joseph's Hospital and received her uniform on Monday evening.

HED NEVER LIVED IN WALPOLE

An English "globe-trotter" declares probably with injustice, that Japan "has weather, but no climate," and that the weather is most uncommonly bad.

He quotes a foreign resident as saying, "I have lived 10 years in Japan, of which nine and three-quarters have been wet," and concludes his unfavorable comments by "dropping into poetry":

Dirty days hath September,
April, June and November;
From February unto May
The rain it raineth every day;
All the rest have thirty-one,
Without one blessed gleam of sun,
And if any of 'em had two-and-thirty,
They'd be just as wet and twice as dirty.

S. S. ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

The Garnet United Church will hold their annual S. S. anniversary services on Sunday, Dec. 20th, at 11 and 7 o'clock, when Mr. Alfred Shields, formerly of this district, will have charge of both services. The following evening a free tea and concert will be given. Tea served in the basement from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which a splendid program will be rendered. One of the special features of the evening is a play entitled "Fun on the Podunk Ltd.," which should prove a special attraction. A free will offering will be taken at the door.

ROCKFORD SCHOOL REPORT

The following is the November report. The names are in order of merit:

SR. IV—Hazel Wride, Lillie Edwards, Ethel Burch.

JR. IV—Eleanor Jones, Minnie Smith, Flora Caswell, Beverley Evans, Beatrice Petheram, Laura Caswell.

SR. III—Evelyn Wride, Nick Onifrichuk, Mary Onifrichuk, Gordon Dulcis, Helen Anderson.

JR. III—Mary Angus, Lillian Kenny, Edith Buck, Wray Jones.

II—Lloyd Anderson, Ray Herron, Donald Hall, Clayton Caswell.

I—Katie Onifrichuk, Roy Kenny, Ella Hall, George Anderson, Marvin Herron, Alex Thomson, Norma Golding, Grace Smith, Monna Hall.

PR.—Elizabeth Kenny, Eileen Buck, Beth Thomson, Eleanor Herron, Bobbie Golding (absent).

SPELLING HONOR ROLL

SR. IV—Lillie Edwards, Hazel Wride.

JR. IV—Beverley Evans, Laura Caswell.

SR. III—Evelyn Wride, Mary Onifrichuk.

JR. III—Mary Angus, Lillian Kenny.

II—Donald Hay, Ray Herron.

I—Katie Onifrichuk, Gracie Smith.

L. HOLMES, Teacher.

AN OLD TIME DANCE

will be held in Peacock's Hall, on Friday, Dec. 11th. O'Donald-Kindree-Shea Orchestra. Admission 75c including tax per couple; extra ladies 25c.

NO BYE-ELECTIONS

There are to be no bye-elections for the Provincial House in any Ontario constituencies this winter, according to Premier Ferguson. North Norfolk will be among the unrepresented ridings until next spring at least.

CHURCH NOTES

ST PAUL'S CHURCH

The church warden are having the mountings on the church bell repaired. Messrs. John Ivey and Pond are doing the work.

The inscription on the bell reads:

"Cast for St. Paul's Church, Jarvis, A.D. 1871. The first bell erected in the Township of Walpole."

The Choir will practice their Christmas music on Friday evening and the Sunday School on Saturday afternoon.

Do not be a fair-weather Christian. Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy by attending church, no matter what the weather is. The old-timers attended church twice a Sunday, rain or shine, why cannot we?

The Sunday School Concert will be held on December 29th.

Christmas decorations begin on Saturday, 19th December.

WESLEY UNITED CHURCH

Mr. Henry Johnson and the pastor attended the Haldimand Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, held in Cayuga on Tuesday of this week.

The Y. P. League is held on Friday night at 8 o'clock. Miss Mabel Blight has charge. Mrs. N. Pond gives the topic and sketch. The monthly Missionary offering will be received.

The children are taking a lively interest in practicing for the S. S. Xmas entertainment to be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22nd. The program promises to be most interesting. Don't forget the date.

The W.M.S. meets in the Sunday School room of the church on Tuesday afternoon next, Dec. 15th, at 2:45. All the ladies are cordially invited. The Xmas program will be rendered.

The pastor's subjects for Sunday are:

11 a.m.—"A Remarkable Record."

7 p.m.—"The Unexpected Happened."

Strangers cordially invited.

GOLDEN WEDDING

A very pleasant event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hoover of Forestville, on Monday, Nov. 23rd, when friends and relatives numbering about 40, gathered together to celebrate the 50th anniversary of their wedding. Those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Aude and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hurst, Hagersville; Mr. and Mrs. J. Blackman, Selkirk; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Pond and Mrs. Anna Pond of Jarvis.

CONCERT AND TYPEWRITING CONTEST

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VISIT SIMCOE I O O F LODGE

Headed by D.D.G.M. Wm. Jaques, a large contingent of brethren visited Simcoe Lodge No. 161, I.O.O.F., last Friday evening. Degrees were conferred upon 99 candidate from Jarvis and another from Simcoe, both by the local degree conferring team.—Simcoe Reformer.

THE LATE JAMES ARMSTRONG

The funeral of the late James Armstrong, who died on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, was conducted on Friday, Nov. 27th, from his late home, Stanley St., Simcoe. Rev. W. L. Davidson, of Simcoe United church, and Rev. Thos. Green, of St. Mary's, formerly of Simcoe, officiated. S. L. Krompart and Arthur Edmonds sang "Some Day the Silver Cord Will Break," a favorite hymn of the deceased. The large attendance and numerous floral tributes bear abundant testimony of the high esteem in which deceased was held by his wide circle of friends.

The bearers were: Dr. Wm. Burt, Dr. McIntosh, O. Haviland, Robert Alway, R. T. Hoskins and W. Preston. Interment in Oakwood cemetery.

Those attending from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sloan and Wm. Walker, Port Dover; Mr. and Mrs. Eyre, Toronto; Mr. A. R. Hosack, Hamilton; Prof. E. Milten, Mr. Crouse and Mr. Jarvis, of Guelph; Mrs. Gee, Mr. W. J. Craig and son Trevor, Mr. Harp and Mr. Tattersol, Brantford; G. R. McBurney and wife, Hagersville; W. J. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. John Forrest and Mrs. Wm. Laidlaw, Jarvis; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Pond, Dr. Shirk and Mrs. Shirk, Mr. and Mrs. S. Britton, Mr. and Mrs. Schwyer, Mrs. Norman Buckley, Mr. James Metcalf and Mr. O. Smith, Selkirk.

The late Mr. Armstrong was formerly a well known resident of Chateaufort, where he was engaged in the bee business. He was considered to be an authority in this line of business, and at the time of his death occupied the position of Inspector for the Ontario government.

Charlie Brock, of Caledonia, spent a few days in town this week.

AWARDED SIXTH PRIZE

John Walker, received 6th prize for Shorthorn cow 3 years and over, with Scottish Rose.

1926 LICENSE PLATES TO BE READY DEC 15

Toronto, Nov. 24.—Automobile license plates for 1926, are to be issued earlier this year than last, Hon. Geo. S. Henry, minister of highways, stated that the new plates would be ready for distribution on December 15, instead of February, as in previous years.

The new plate has black numbers on a light grey background, making it more conspicuous than last year's for law enforcement.

Mr. Henry gave one reason for the earlier date of issuing the licenses this year the desire to meet with the wishes of the dealers to encourage Christmas sales of cars. Although issued in 1925, there will be no extra charge for the new 1926 licenses, and they will be good till the next year.

The early issuing will speed up the distribution of the plates, so that all motorists will have the 1926 numbers by the first of the year. For Mr. Henry also states that the time of grace will be shortened probably to one month or less in comparison with the two months in other years.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mrs. N. Balkwell spent the week-end in Buffalo.

Mr. Gordon Miller spent the week-end in London.

Mr. Thos. Wright is visiting this week in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones spent Saturday in Toronto.

Miss Adeline Miell spent a few days in Hamilton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacMurchy spent Sunday in Hamilton.

Miss Sarah Hind visited with relatives in Hamilton on Sunday.

Mrs. Norman Balkwell is spending a few days in Galt this week.

Mrs. Chas. Walter returned home on Saturday from her visit to Mitchell.

Mrs. T. Harris and sons George and "Jap" spent the week-end in Buffalo.

A meeting of the Fire Brigade will be held in the town hall on Tuesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Miller spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Machell and family, of Fisherville, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Eatell, of Hamilton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Machell on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Leatherdale entertained a few friends on Sunday evening last.

Mrs. Hall, of Georgetown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Roberts this week.

Mr. W. J. Biggar, of Erie, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Roberts on Friday.

Mrs. Cairns and children, of Hamilton, are visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Machell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miell and family moved to their new home in Tillsonburg on Monday.

Mr. A. Kraft, who has been residing at the local station for some weeks, returned to his home in Cayuga on Tuesday.

Dr. Howell visited his son William, who is a patient in St. Joseph's hospital, on Sunday. We are pleased to report that the patient is doing nicely.

For all coughs and colds—take Broncholine. The best cough mixture and the largest people for the money. Jarvis Drug Store, Wm. Jaques, Prop.

On Friday evening a few friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Forrest, Ballsville, and spent an enjoyable evening in honor of Mr. Forrest's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Roberts and Mrs. Arthur Belbeck attended the funeral of their cousin, the late Chas. Wade, at Norwich on Tuesday.

Regah THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
December 11th and 12th

—Feature—
"THUNDERING HERD"
Zane Grey Drama

Romance of the early West in which Buffalo hunters, fights with Indians, battles with villains, and harrowing adventures.

—Comedy—
"THE TOURIST"

Tuesday & Wednesday
December 13th and 14th

—Feature—
"RUGGED WATER"
Irvin Willat Production

Melodrama of Cape Cod Coast depicting romance of a young life saver and daughter of a cowardly captain who is also a religious fanatic.

—Comedy—
"BABY BE GOOD"

HAGERSVILLE, ONT.