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TOWNSHIP AND VILLAGE ELECTIONS

On Monday one of the keenest contested Village elections, held for some time, took place, with the result of an entire new slate for the council, with the exception of the reeve, Geo. L. Miller, who was re-elected by a large majority.

The results of the balloting, which follows, may be said to have been a complete surprise to all parties concerned:

FOR REEVE	
Geo. L. Miller	151
Gordon Miller	71
Majority	80
COUNCILLORS	
Harold Burwash	118
George Webb	117
Joe Owen	104
Lea Marshall	102
E. T. Carter	99
Fred Reichel	91
Dr. Leatherdale	89
John Thomson	60

TOWNSHIP ELECTION RESULTS

In the Township election, which was confined to the deputy reeveship, W. B. Shoup headed the ballot with a large majority. The balloting results follow:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
*S.	26	43	41	92	34	121	114	6	477
*W.	36	84	10	13	6	4	3	78	234

Majority 243
*Shoup, W. B.; *Waterbury, W. M.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the members of the Jarvis Agricultural Society will be held in the Council Chambers on Saturday, Jan. 15th, 1927, at 1:30 p.m., for receiving the financial statement and election of officers and other business of interest to the Society. Members will please take notice and make an effort to attend.

G. L. MILLER, Sec'y.

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED

On Tuesday, January 4th, Silver Star Rebekah Lodge held its installation ceremonies, when the following were installed to office for 1927:

J.P.N.G.—Sis. Daisy Pond
N.C.—Sis. Florence Banks
V.C.—Sis. Mabel Jaques
W.C.—Sis. Pearl Lonsom
X.C.—Sis. Margaret Edwards
Y.C.—Sis. Stella Jones
Z.C.—Sis. Ernest Walker
A.S.N.G.—Bro. Webb Howard
B.S.V.G.—Sis. Martha Walker
L.S.V.G.—Sis. Edythe McCarter
Warden—Sis. Lizzie Howard
Conductor—Sis. Janet Crawford
Chaplain—Sis. Mary Brown
Pianist—Sis. Edna Guiler
I.G.—Sis. Kate Miller
O.G.—Bro. Jim Brown

Don't forget the Euchre and dance on January 14th. Help a good cause.

SIMCOE GOODS FOR FRANCE

We learn that the agent of the Massey-Harris Company at Paris, France, last week bought quite a large consignment of furniture from H. S. Falls Company, and had it shipped direct to France. The furniture was loaded in a motor van, which was driven directly onto the steamer and will be driven off at the port of disembarkation in France. This is becoming a popular method of shipping such articles as furniture. The van is often reloaded in France for the return journey. The purchaser of this furniture had to pay 20 per cent. duty to get the articles into France in addition to the transportation charges. But notwithstanding these charges he found it advantageous to purchase his furniture in Simcoe.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

Mrs. Mary Abraham is spending a month in Toronto.

We are sorry to report Harry Belbeck on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Shayer spent Xmas day in Rainham.

J. O. McCarthy, of Brantford, called on friends here last week.

Mrs. W. E. Wood has returned from her visit to the States.

The Walpole Council meets next Monday, Jan. 10th, at 11 a.m.

Mrs. Wm. Simpson spent a couple of days last week in Toronto.

Harold Burwash, of Hamilton, was home for the New Year's holidays.

Miss Blossom Murray, of Edmon, Ont., Alta., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Ross.

Miss Alberta Davidson has returned to her school duties at Sault Ste. Marie.

Harold Davidson has returned to his studies at the Toronto Medical College.

Milton Henning is looking after the milk route during the absence of Stan Doughty.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Eaide, of Simcoe, spent New Year's with Mrs. R. Rodgers.

Mrs. J. L. Lambert, of Aylmer, is spending the winter months with Mrs. Chambers.

Miss McKay, of Brantford, spent Xmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Walker.

Miss E. S. Anderson, of Ailsa Craig, Ont., is the guest of her brother, E. W. Anderson.

The Salvation Army Band, of Simcoe, serenaded the citizens of Jarvis on Saturday night.

Miss Winnie Pardington spent a few days in St. Catharines during the Xmas holidays.

Miss Irene Jones, of Toronto, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jodes.

Miss Florence Alward, of Detroit, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. Abraham.

Cliff Rodgers, of New York City, called on relatives and friends here during the Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bingleman and family have moved into town and are now residing on Monson Street.

Miss Alzena Jackson, of Hamilton, who was home for the holidays, has returned to her school duties.

Mr. J. J. Parsons is in Caledonia this week auditing the books for the Caledonia Milling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Schuyler visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schuyler in Paris over the New Year.

Miss Grace Walter, of Toronto, and Russell Walter, of Exeter, spent the holidays under the parental roof.

Mr. Alf. Wright, after spending two weeks with relatives, left on Monday for his home in Welland.

Miss Emily Mitchell has returned to her school duties at York, after spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Helen Thomas, of Detroit, spent the Christmas holidays as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burwash.

Mr. and Mrs. John Church spent the week-end with the latter's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gunton, Simcoe.

All those interested in boxing and wrestling are requested to meet in Peacock's Hall, on Saturday evening, January 8th.

Miss Stuebing and Mr. Archibald have resumed their teaching duties, after spending the holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hodges and son Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walker and son Alfred; Mrs. Ethel Hodges and Beatrice Hodges, and Mr. H. Long (Continued on Page 5)

SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Nominations for School Trustees were held on Wednesday last. No new candidates were put up and the old Board was returned to office by acclamation.

CARD OF THANKS

I hereby wish to express my sincere thanks to all who supported me during the recent election.

H. T. PEACOCK.

MASONIC LODGE HOLDS INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Monday evening, January 3rd, 1927, will go down as one of the red letter events in the history of King Solomon Lodge, No. 329, Jarvis, for it was the occasion of the annual installation of officers of the lodge. The ceremonies were conducted by Rt. Wor. Bro. the Hon. John S. Martin Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario, assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. James R. Waddle, P.D.D.G.M. of Wilson District No. 6, Rt. Wor. Bro. J. J. Parsons, P.D.D.G.M. of Brant District No. 32, Wor. Bro. Monfield, W.M. of Fidelity Lodge, Toronto, and Wor. Bro. Emerson Miller, of King Solomon Lodge, Jarvis. An unusually large number of local and visiting brethren attended to witness the work as put on by the Deputy Grand Master and his worthy and capable assistants.

Wor. Bro. E. M. Hair, Master of the lodge for the past year, opened the proceedings in his usual efficient manner, and the regular routine business having been dispensed with the ceremony of installation was immediately proceeded with. Hon. John S. Martin assumed the gavel, and it fell to the lot of Rt. Wor. Bro. Parsons to introduce the Master-elect, Bro. R. H. Fallis. The latter, having taken the oath of office, and following the ancient ceremonies, he was duly installed into the Master's chair for the ensuing twelve months, and the other officers of the lodge were then invested, the Rt. Wor. Bro. Waddle taking charge of the various lectures, and Very Wor. Bro. Ivan Holmes, director of Ceremonies, conducting the following officers to their respective chairs:

S.W.—John Dellar
J.W.—John H. Brown
Chaplain—John Thomson
S.D.—Rev. W. T. Brown
J.D.—S. E. Leatherdale
Sec.—R. W. Smith
Treas.—F. W. Newman
D. of C.—I. W. Holmes
Tyler—A. R. Colman
I.G.—W. Z. Nixon
S.S.—Wm. Saunders
J.S.—Ray Jaques

The Grand Honors were given by the brethren assembled, led by Bro. Waddle. The newly installed Master thanked the brethren for the honor conferred upon him. It had been the realization of his cherished hope. He thanked the distinguished brethren for their assistance; it was indeed an honor to have the Hon. J. S. Martin present. He welcomed him to Jarvis for a number of reasons; chief among them being that the Hon. gentleman was a son of Haldimand; that he was the Deputy Grand Master; that he (the speaker) was an agriculturist, and that he lived in an agricultural district; that he was installed by the Minister of Agriculture. He extended a hearty welcome to all visitors on behalf of the lodge, and later he introduced to the brethren Bro. the Rev. Dr. Kyle of Jarvis, who had decided to throw in his lot with them.

THE BANQUET

Following the work in the lodge room adjournment was made to the banquet hall, where an excellent spread had been provided under the able guidance of the former Junior Warden, Bro. Dellar. This consisted of "everything from soup to nuts," and Wor. Bro. Fallis then assumed the role of toastmaster.

The "King and the Craft" was the first toast honored and was followed by the singing of the National Anthem, led by Bro. Jos. Lamb of Port Dover. The toast to "The Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario" was proposed by Rt. Wor. Bro. J. J. Parsons. He told of the popularity of the present Deputy Grand Master—he was a son of Walpole, and therefore we feel proud of his election to that great office. He has already served two years in that capacity, and in July next would attain the exalted position of that of Grand Master and Ruler of The Craft. It would prove a great tax on the time of the already busy D.D.M., but he was sure that Mr. Martin would rise to the great occasion and would give a good account of himself as he had already done in every office that he had held. He is looked upon as one of the outstanding men in the Province of Ontario today, and his elevation to the office of Grand Master would be a popular one indeed. True, Mr. Martin lived in Port Dover, but we always remember that he belongs to us, and he was sure he never forgot his friends in Jarvis. They were

prayed to have had him with them to-night to conduct the ceremonies and he was sure that the work had never been carried out more impressively anywhere. He asked the brethren to rise and drink to the toast of the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario. This toast was responded to by Hon. Mr. Martin, who, upon rising was greeted with tremendous applause and the singing of "For he's a jolly good fellow." He said he was deeply touched by the welcome accorded him, and by the kind words of Bro. Parsons. Yes, he was a son of Walpole, and while his official duties took him for the greater part of his time to Toronto and other points, yet he never for one moment forgot his friends in Jarvis, and in that entire district. He knew a lot of the old boys—many were his old classmates; many had gone to other parts; but he was sure that every one of them recalled pleasant times of bygone days, and it was on occasions such as these that memory was refreshed and we again recalled the boys of our youth.

Mr. Martin told of the work of the Grand Lodge. He dwelt at length on the wonderful growth of the organization and he was particularly pleased at the calibre of the members that were applying for and being admitted into the membership of the Craft. It spoke well for the Craft. The young men were coming forward and were showing a keen interest in the work of the Great Order, and he was convinced that membership in the Craft meant a new interest in life. It meant better living, better men; and he recalled that on many occasions the Masonic Lodge had been called the Handmaiden of the Church. He urged all present to aspire to the high standards that the Order called for. He congratulated the newly installed officers upon their deserved promotion and urged them to give of the best that was in them in the interests of Freemasonry. Mr. Martin paid tribute to the sterling qualities of the previous speaker, Mr. Parsons, whom he had known for many years and who had assisted him in the work in the lodge room.

Before resuming his seat, Mr. Martin assured all present that it was a great pleasure for him to again come to Jarvis and he had spent an evening of profit and pleasure, and he was sure that a year of marked progress and prosperity was ahead of King Solomon Lodge, and he wished them continued success.

Senior Deacon Rev. W. T. Brown was called upon to propose the toast to "The Visitors," and he was indeed in happy vein when he arose. Of course, one expects the Rev. gentleman to come just "chuck full" of jokes, and he was surely prepared and well supplied. Needless to say, he also held the wrapt attention of the entire assembly. He welcomed the visiting brethren and assured them that their presence here at all times would be greatly appreciated. It did good to visit, the individual could always learn something from visiting the other lodges. The spirit of Brotherly Love was made manifest in fraternal and other visits. He recalled the visit of the German Chancellor to the French Premier only a few days ago, when the Chancellor had remarked that had such a conference been held in 1914, the terrible catastrophe that then befell the whole of the civilized world would (not might) have been averted. The Rev. gentleman told a few well selected stories to the delight of the assembled company and the toast was responded to by Wor. Bro. Monfield of Fidelity Lodge, Toronto, who most certainly was the best efforts of the former speaker to amuse the brethren. Bro. Monfield could not altogether figure out why he should be termed a visitor, when he was really one amongst them. He contrasted the visit of the distinguished Bro. the Deputy Grand Master, to the Toronto Lodge with his visit at Jarvis that evening. In Toronto they stood in "fear and trembling," but here in Jarvis they knew him as one of the Old Boys. But he wanted to assure them that the Rt. Wor. Bro. was highly esteemed in the city just as much as in the home district. He was recognized everywhere as a Man among Men, a leader of the Craft, and a Gentleman in every sense of the word. And then came the deluge of stories for which Masonic Faith Degrees are justly famous. Bro. Monfield won

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ANNUAL EUCHE RE PARTY AND DANCE, JAN. 14

The annual Euchre and Dance, under the auspices of the Jarvis Fire Brigade, will be held in Peacock's hall on Friday, January 14th. Cards from 8 to 10 p.m., then dancing until you are tired. A lunch will be provided. Everybody turn out and have a good time and in doing so you will aid the boys financially in their efforts to purchase a fire truck and other most necessary equipment. Donations of refreshments will be greatly appreciated. Price of admission 50c, also tickets may now be purchased from members of the Brigade.

JARVIS HOCKEY GIRLS' TEA

The Jarvis Hockey Girls will serve a 20c tea on January 8th, from 3 to 9 o'clock p.m. in the house next to the bank.

The officials of the hockey team are as follows:

Manager—Mr. Morrison
Captain—Ona Morrison
President—Mr. Marshall
Treasurer—Leota Marshall
Secretary—Marie Lonsom

WILLIAM WILSON PORTER

Slowly but surely the pioneers and older residents of this community are passing away; the old familiar figures, one by one, are dropping out of the life of the community, and the links which bind the present to the past are being snapped by the inexorable hand of death. Ere long, all that will remain for the present generation will only be the memory of the men and women who built up the community, and who laid its foundations.

Another link with the past was severed on Thursday, December 23rd, when Mr. William Wilson Porter passed away quietly, after a short illness, at his home in Jarvis, in his 81st year. The funeral service was held on Monday, 27th inst., at his residence, and was conducted by Rev. W. T. Brown, minister of Knox church, after which interment was made in the family burying ground in Knox Church cemetery.

The late Mr. Porter was born in April, 1846, in the Township of Darlington, Durham County, Ontario, and was the oldest son of the late Nathaniel Porter, who was born in Dublin, Ireland. At a very early age Mr. Porter came with the rest of the family to the Township of Townsend, and was brought up on a farm on the 13th Concession. When he was about 10 years of age the family moved to a farm on the Stage Road, close to Jarvis, the farm now owned by Lundy Smuck. Here he spent his boyhood. Reaching manhood, he married Miss Isabella Hannah, who predeceased him in 1917. After his marriage, Mr. Porter moved to Cheapside, and after a residence of some years there, he went to Houghton Township; returning from there he settled in Jarvis for the remainder of his life, and engaged in the carpentering and building business. He was a conscientious and skillful workman, and many of the buildings in the township and the town bear testimony to his careful and thorough workmanship, the house on Main Street, occupied at present by Mr. John Thomson, being one of the best examples of his handicraft. For the last seven years he resided in the home which he bought from Mrs. Church.

His family consisted of one son, Edwin of Winnipeg; Lily of Jarvis, Mrs. Clarke of Chicago, and Mrs. A. M. Williamson, Walpole, all of whom survive him.

The following brothers and sisters are still living: Jonathan, of Jarvis; Mrs. J. Bousfield, of Walpole; Nathaniel, of Ridgetown; Mrs. Manning, of Owen Sound, and Miss Porter, of Windsor.

His nephews, Messrs. A. C. Porter, Lea Porter, Noval McKim, Lorne Porter, Ray and Earl Bousfield, acted as pallbearers at the funeral.

The late Mr. Porter was a man of unassuming character and of a retiring disposition. A splendid workman, he was exact, conscientious and thorough in all that he undertook, and while he did not take a prominent part in community life, he was in the real sense of the word a builder. Honest and upright in all his dealings, he was a personified that type of citizen that gives stability and strength to any country, and his passing is regretted by all who value character in whatever walk of life it may be found.

AT THE CHURCHES

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
Rev. Dr. Kyle, Rector.

Sunday, January 9th
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer
7 p.m.—Evensong

WESLEY UNITED CHURCH

The Week of Prayer meetings are being well attended and are growing in interest. Tonight (Thursday) our Young People give the program at Knox Church, while tomorrow Rev. W. T. Brown will preach here. Come and enjoy the last two meetings of the week.

The pastor's subjects, for Sunday, Jan. 9th, are:

11 a.m.—"What Is Sin? Can It be Removed? Is It Possible to Live Without Sin?"

7 p.m.—"A Great Scripture Character, and What He Gave His Daughter for Her Wedding Present."

Everybody is cordially welcome.

"THE DUTCH DETECTIVE"

An uproariously funny farce in 3 acts, will be presented by St. Paul's Amateur Dramatic Club of Caledonia, under the auspices of the A.Y.P.A., Jarvis, in Peacock's hall, on Thursday, Jan. 6th, commencing at 8 p.m. For particulars watch for bills.

Jarvis Fire Brigade's annual Euchre and dance. Don't forget the date—January 14th.

WEDDING RECEPTION

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saunders, 332 Wellington N., Hamilton, on Xmas eve, in honor of their daughter, Mrs. J. Gipson (nee Vera E. Saunders), of Detroit. About 40 guests were present and the bride of last month was the receiver of many beautiful and useful gifts. The evening was spent in games and dancing, the music being supplied by the Boote Trio orchestra. A delightful lunch was served at midnight by the hostess. After wishing the bride and groom much future happiness, the party broke up in the wee small hours of the morning.

CARD OF THANKS

I hereby wish to thank the many kind friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during my recent sad bereavement.

LILLIAN PORTER.

Regah THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
January 7th and 8th

Feature
"THE LIMITED MAIL"
Starring Monte Blue, Vera Reynolds and Willard Louis

A breath-taking drama of the great outdoors! An epic of huge steel monsters that rush headlong over shining tracks! The havoc and destruction that follow in the wake of a train wreck. And, through it all, the fascinating tale of a virile, courageous boy who forsook the false superficiality of the East, and fought the rugged, noble mountains of Colorado to win his manhood—winning also the deep happiness of love.

—Comedy—
"KISS PAPA"
With Lige Conly

—Added—
"NEPTUNE'S DOMAIN"
Hodge Podge

Tuesday & Wednesday
January 11th and 12th

Feature
"LOVE 'EM AND LEAVE 'EM"
Starring E. Jean Egan, Lawrence Gray, Louise Brooks

Comedy-drama of department store worker who have a romance only to have it interrupted when a teasing starts to vamp.

—Comedy—
"HONEST INN"
With Johnny Arthur

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