

LINWOOD.

(Held over from last week.)

The annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday School was held in the school room of the church on Tuesday night. Miss Beattie Crowe, who has been Supt. of the school for the past three years, was unanimously re-elected, as was all the other officers of the school. This school under Miss Crowe's superintendency has steadily prospered and may be said to be the banner Sunday School of the township. The school appreciating Miss Crowe's very valuable services waited upon her on Saturday evening last at her home and presented her with a very complimentary and affectionate address, together with a beautiful Rattan rocker. The address was read by Miss E. Boomer and the chair presented by Mr. G. Smith. Miss Crowe was wholly taken by surprise, but made a very felicitous and happy reply, thanking all those present for their thoughtfulness and kindness towards her. This Sunday School and the Presbyterian school in pursuance of the recommendation of the township association will meet in the Presbyterian church at 2 30 Sunday next for the quarterly review. Our stores have done an unprecedented business during the past week in holiday goods. Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Berlet and children of Waterloo joined the family circle at the old home, Mr. A. Spabr's, Xmas day. Mrs. J. B. Muselman and little Helen, of Assa., Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Grimm and family, of Milverton, and the Misses Boomer, of Berlin, are holidaying at Poplar Dell. Mrs. Bert Fish returned last week from a month's visit spent in Berlin and Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ward and children, of the Model Farm, spent Xmas day with the family at John Schnurr's. Miss Jennie Baker, of Toronto, is home for the holidays. Miss E. Hall, of Millbank, was the guest of Miss E. Boomer on Saturday and Sunday. Miss Jennie Williamson is spending the Xmas week at her home in Harriston. Miss L. A. Harding bade farewell to her many friends in town last Saturday. Miss Lily Baldwin, of Galt, is to be her successor in the junior division of our school. Mr. and Miss Harron went to Dorking for Xmas.

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January 2, 1902

LINWOOD.

(Too late for last issue.)

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Renolds, of Wanedott, U. S., were visiting their aunt, Mrs. Strome, of Eden Fields....Mrs. McEachern was presented with a handsome China tea set on Xmas eve by the Sunday school as a slight acknowledgement of their appreciation of her services as Superintendent....Rev. and Mrs. Robt Keefer of Washington were guests over Xmas of Mr. and Mrs. A. Boomer and family....Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lang and baby, Eva, of Woodstock, spent Sunday at R. J. Kerr's....Mrs. J. B. Musselman and Helen are spending New Year's with friends in Berlin....Henry Baker, who has been out in the West for the past four years, gave his parents a very happy surprise on Xmas eve by walking in upon them. Henry looks well and seems to enjoy life in the West....We learn that R. Y. Fish has disposed of his store in Emsdale, Muskoka. He has been there for some days past winding up the business and will in future devote his whole attention to his business here, which has recently grown to immense proportions....Mr. John Schnurr, of Midway, spent Xmas at his father's here....Mr. and Mrs. Val. Henry purpose locating in Stratford shortly....A. Love was in town last week calling on friends. Mr. Love, we understand, has secured a situation as organist in one of the St. Mary's churches. We wish him success.

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January 9, 1902

LINWOOD.

Oyster Supper—A few of the young gentlemen of the town treated a number of their lady friends to an oyster stew on Monday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Ballard kindly opened their comfortable and commodious home to the young people for the occasion and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The oysters were generously served in various ways, suiting the most fastidious taste to a nicety. After thanking Mr. and Mrs. Ballard for their very kind hospitality the jolly company returned to their homes here.

Briefs—A load of the Methodist young people made a friendly call last Thursday evening upon Mr. and Mrs. Bert Moffat, who have recently located near town. Mr. and Mrs. Moffat very kindly received the company and entertained them right royally while they stayed, serving refreshments before their departure. . . . The North Waterloo Farmers' Institute meeting will be held this year in Mr. A. Spahr's Hall. There will be an afternoon and evening session, at which a number of able gentlemen will speak. The addresses in the evening will be interspersed with music by local talent and "The Linwood Combaphone Orchestra", just organized, will make its first appearance that evening. Don't fail to be present.

Personal—The Misses Powell, of Elmira, were the guests of Miss J. O'Conner Monday. . . . Mr. and Mrs. A. Boomer spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Galt. . . . Mrs. D. McEachern returned Monday from a two weeks' visit in Harriston and Palmerston. . . . Will McCallum, of Stratford, general agent for the Deering Man'fg Co., was in town a few days last week on business with R. J. Kerr. . . . Geo. Stahley, after a lingering illness of over 12 months, passed away peacefully at his home here Wednesday morning, Jan. 15th, at the age of 23 years. The funeral on Friday was very largely attended by relatives and friends. . . . Mrs. A. Boomer is spending the week in Berlin with her daughters.

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January 23, 1902

LINWOOD

Briefs.—Mr. Morris F. Ertell and daughter, Lillie, of Detroit, are spending a few days with Mr. A. Boomer and other friends here. Mr. Ertell was a former resident of this place for some 25 years, but for the last nine years has resided in Detroit. Owing to the severe storm no mail came in on Monday, the mail carrier being storm bound at St. Jacobs. Our village for several days has been almost completely isolated from the outside world. The main roads running north and south are completely blocked and the usual

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February 6, 1902

LINWOOD.

Personal.—Miss L. C. Baldwin spent Saturday with her parents in Galt.—Miss Morin of Beechvale was the guest of the Misses McKay Saturday and Sunday.—Miss Linnie Little, after a fortnight's visit with her sister, Mrs. D. McEachern, has returned to Toronto.—Miss Jennie Baker, who has been spending a few weeks with her brother in Listowel, is home.—Mr. Maurice Ertell received word Sunday of the death of his sister-in-law in Stratford, and he and his daughter Lily left Tuesday morning to attend the funeral.—Miss Dolly McKay returned home Saturday from an extended visit with friends in Milverton, Harriston and other places.—Master Fred. Heimbach of Berlin High School spent Sunday at his home here.—Mr. A. Boomer was his home here.—Mr. A. Boomer was in Drayton Monday on business.—Miss Clare Little returned home to Listowel last week.—Miss Froehlich of Waterloo was the guest of Miss Lola Spahr last week.—Mrs. J. B. Musselman and Helen of Assiniboia, N. W. T., are visiting at Mr. A. Boomer's.

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February 20, 1902

LINWOOD.

Personal.—Mrs. Barbara Dahl of Toronto spent a few days last week in town with her brothers.

Mrs. V. Rl Berlett visited relatives in Waterloo last week.

Mr. Moore of Manitoba spent Sunday and Monday with Dr. and Mrs. McEachern.

Mr. Ed. Baker, who for a number of years has been a very efficient clerk in Mr. R. Y. Fisg's store, has accepted a position as head clerk with Mr. D. J. Babb, Millbank, entering upon his duties Tuesday of this week. Ed. was well liked and his many friends will miss him from town. We all, however, wish him every success in all future undertakings.

Mr. A. A. Lytle spent Sunday at his home in Tralee.

Miss Clara Boomer left Tuesday morning for Toronto as a delegate from the Berlin Epworth League, to the "Forward Movement" convention there.

Miss Adda Boomer is spending this week at her home here.

Miss Minnie Cathcart went to Toronto this week to attend the millinery openings. We understand she purposes taking a situation elsewhere this season. Miss Dawson of London has been engaged in her place at Mr. R. Y. Fish's for opening season.

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February 27, 1902

LINWOOD.

Personal.—Miss Lizzie Parsill is attending the millinery openings in Toronto this week.—Mr. D. R. Pollock was in the city this week doing some buying.—Mr. Otis Bundy was in London last week selecting millinery goods for the spring season.—Miss Adda Boomer returned home to Berlin Monday.—Mr. Hugh Rennie was home last Thursday.—Mr. Alex. Rennie has been somewhat seriously indisposed for the past week.—Master Aron Schultise is very ill at this writing with inflammation.

LINWOOD.

The Rev. Mr. Cunningham, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, has recently taken up the question of prohibition, coming out squarely in favor of the suppression of the liquor traffic. Prohibition is just now a most practical question and no pulpit can afford to ignore or maintain an attitude of silence toward it. It is an intensely moral question, and should engage the attention of all our pulpits. A great deal of interest is being manifested in regard to it by all classes of people, and where should we look to if not the pulpit for instruction on so no greater enemy to face in her practical a question. The church has work than the liquor traffic, and should therefore lead in any effort that may be made for its suppression. We do not think that any of our pulpits can afford to maintain an attitude of stocial silence at this time and we heartily commend the pastor of the Presbyterian Church here for opening the crusade on this question, and may we not now look for the pastors of the other churches to follow the example thus set. If the people are to decide this question at the polls, and our churches are in favor of the suppression of the traffic, then the work of education should not be delayed.

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March 6, 1902.

LINWOOD.

Personal. — Mr. R. B. Hamilton and Miss Mellie Schnurr spent Sunday with friends in Atwood. — Mr. Henry Baker, after a three months' visit with his parents, left Tuesday for his home in the West. A farewell party was tendered him last Friday evening by a number of his friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Rennie. — Mrs. N. Carnochan, who has been ill for the past week, with tonsillitis, is able to be around again. — Two of Mr. V. R. Berlet's children are quite ill with pneumonia. — Miss Minnie Cathcart has secured a position as head trimmer with an enterprising merchant of Port Colborne. We wish her every success. — Mrs. J. B. Musselman and daughter Helen, who have been spending the winter with friends and relatives in Ontario, left Tuesday for their home in Assiniboia. — Mr. Jas. Hosea is somewhat indisposed. — Mr. Ed. Berlet spent Sunday in Waterloo.

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March 13, 1902

LINWOOD.

Easter Cantata. — The Presbyterian Sunday School of this place will on Friday evening of this week present a splendid cantata entitled, "Easter Lillies." In connection with this the Rev. Mr. Cunningham will give a series of lime light views on the life of John J. Payton, the South Sea Missionary. The entertainment will be held in the Presbyterian Church and the admission fee is 15 and 10 cents. Everybody invited. The school has given a great deal of time and labor in the preparation for this cantata, and we trust that their efforts towards making it a success will receive a very liberal patronage.

Personal. — Miss Grieve, Miss Nelson and Miss Fleming of Fernbank were the guests of Miss Edith Boomer Saturday. — Miss Kate Spahr of Harriston spent a week recently with cousins here. — Mr. Robt. Pollock spent Sunday in Berlin. — Mr. Ashton Fish spent a few days last week at his home in Otterville.

Briefs. — The sad intelligence of the sad death of Mr. Felty Glebe, which occurred at his home in Wellesley last week, cast a feeling of gloom over the entire town. Felty who was a resident here a year or so, made a great many friends and it was with sadness and regret that we all learned of his untimely end. We tender the family our sincerest sympathy. — A caravan of six wagons drawn by 14 horses, said to be the Assyrian Gipsies, passed through here eastward on Saturday last, halting long enough to allow the women and children to canvass the town for money, provisions and other necessities, to keep them on their way. The women professed to be able to read fortunes, and on most liberal terms in fact, too liberal, to inspire confidence in their ability, and so far as we have learned, failed to get anyone to invest. Many of the children were bare-footed, and altogether they were the hardest specimens of humanity that have ever been seen in this section of the country.

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LINWOOD.

Briefs. — Mr. B. P. Rafferty of Stratford is renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity. — Mr. W. E. Wray of Bloomingdale Public School and Miss M. Alice Wray of Spring Hill, Peel T'p., are holidaying under the parental roof. — Death came into our community and claimed for its victim the only son of John J. Gilliland on March 27. The boy was a bright little fellow, two years old, and the sunshine of the home. The interment took place on Tuesday, April 1, to the Millbank Cemetery. — Many friends of the late Miss E. Boyd attended her obsequies on Saturday, March 29. — Our teachers are holidaying under the parental roof at Tralee and Galt. — Miss H. King of Hackett's is at home in Blair during the Easter vacation.

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March 10, 1902

LINWOOD.

Easter Cantata. — The cantata entitled "Easter Lilies," given in the Presbyterian Church last Friday evening, resulted most successfully. The evening was all that could be desired and consequently a large and appreciative audience gathered, and were splendidly entertained by the children and choir, who furnished the music. Miss Florence Baker presided at the organ through the cantata in a very acceptable manner. Rev. Mr. Cunningham's Lime Light views which took up the latter part of the evening, added both variety and interest to the entertainment. A great insight into cannibal life was given and many practical lessons to be taken therefrom. The church was nicely decorated with plants and cut flowers. A bowl of Easter lilies sent out their sweet fragrance, indicative of the season which they were born to represent. Great credit is due the school who were instrumental in getting up this successful entertainment. The proceeds amounted to \$22.

Notes. — Miss Dawson of London, engaged as milliner at R. Y. Fish's establishment, came to town Monday, and is now ready and prepared to wait on all the old customers and also many new ones. Miss Dawson comes highly recommended and will most likely be able to please the most fastidious. — Miss L. C. Baldwin goes home to Galt for the Easter week, and Mr. Lytle to his home in Tralee. — Miss E. L. Boomer left to-day to spend the Easter holidays with friends in Brampton and Toronto. — Miss Linnie Little returned home Friday. — Miss Jennie Williamson leaves Good Friday for a holiday with her parents in Harrison. — Mrs. Frank Carr was waited upon last Tuesday evening by a bevy of young ladies and presented with several mementoes, it being the 10th anniversary of her wedding day. All left at an early hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Parr many happy returns of the day. — Mr. Alex. McIntyre spent a few days last week at Mr. Alex. Rennie's. — Miss Lizzie Parsill is again in charge of the millinery department at Mr. D. R. Pollock's and will be pleased to wait on her customers as of yore.

A Linwood's Boy's Success. — Many friends and old school mates of Mr. W. F. Ertell, formerly of this place, will be pleased to learn of his advancement since leaving here. Will, as he was known here, was but a boy when he left some eight years ago, and from a letter to an old school mate we learn that he has not only graduated in medicine but has become medical director for the Yonterman Sanitarium at Kalamazoo, Mich., for consumptives. Well done, Will. We are always pleased to hear of the success of Linwood boys abroad, not a few of whom have made their mark and some a handsome fortune after leaving here, and some who staid have done well also. Before leaving here Will adopted the principles of total abstinence from all intoxicants and we are pleased to learn that he still maintains them, and his success in both his studies and in his profession no doubt largely are due to his temperance principles. The world has no use to-day for young men who spend their time in the saloon or bar-room.

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LINWOOD.

The intelligence of the death of Master Bert Williams, which occurred some two weeks ago, was received with very much surprise and regret by his many friends and acquaintances who were not aware of his recent brief illness. Through the latter part of his short life Bert had been a great sufferer with that distressing disease, viz., asthma, which latterly developed into consumption. Bert was a bright, manly little fellow of 5 summers and a general favorite with his school mates and friends, and his early demise filled all hearts with sadness. His funeral was very largely attended by many sympathizing friends.

Personal.—Mr. Ed. Baker of Millbank spent Sunday at his home. — Mrs. Coleman of Crosshill was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Manser Sunday. — Miss Annie Goetz is ill with pneumonia. A meeting will be held in Mr. Friedman's sample room Thursday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Lawn Tennis Club for the summer. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. Chas. Parsill, jr., left this a. m. for Toronto, where he has secured employment.—Mr. Will McCallum of Stratford was in town last week on business with Mr. R. J. Kerr.—Mrs. Ed. Dieclamm and baby of Milverton spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Bundy. —Miss Jennie Baker has accepted a situation in Atwood.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Boomer spent Tuesday in Berlin. —R. Y. Fish was in Waterloo Monday on business.—Miss L. Fish of Emsdale is expected back to town this week, to do the bookkeeping at R. Y. Fish's establishment, in the absence of Ashton Fish.

Serious Accident. — Mr. Andrey Currie, a farmer residing some five miles west of this place, met with a very serious accident on Friday, the 11th inst., which very nearly cost him his life. It appears that while oiling the gearing of his windmill used for pumping water, the fans got into motion and he was whirled off the platform, falling headlong some 40 feet to the earth, and in the fall his head struck one of the crossbars of the steel frame, inflicting a vastly scalp wound, one side of his head being completely laid bare. Dr. McEachern was hastily summoned and dressed the wound, putting in some thirty stitches to close it. Fortunately no bones were broken, and although suffering from the terrible shaking up he received, we are glad to learn that there are hopes of his recovery.

Linwood's Quota for the War.— Messrs. Ashton Fish and Robert Pollock, two of our most promising young men, left on Tuesday for Toronto to offer themselves for active service in South Africa. Mr. Fish is a son of John D. Fish, Esq., of Otterville, and has been in the service of his uncle here (R. Y. Fish) for some three years. He has a fair education, is a most competent bookkeeper and is an exceptionally smart young man, 21 years of age. During his stay here he has made many friends, and while we very much admire his pluck and devotion to his country, we regret his departure. **Mr. Pollock is the youngest son of David Pollock and brother of D. R.**

Pollock, merchant of this place and was born here, has also a fair education and is very genial in his deportment. He is, however, some two years the junior of Mr. Fish and of rather slender build and while he has the qualifications in the way of courage for the fray and devotion for his country, his acceptance is somewhat doubtful. Nevertheless his willingness to serve his country in the capacity of a soldier and in a crisis like the present, is worthy of commendation and should not soon be forgotten. We wish them both bon voyage and a safe return.

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Miss Nellie Schnurr entertained a number of her friends on Thursday evening from in and around town in honor of her guests, the Misses Weaver of Heidelberg.—Mr. Alfred Lytle spent Sunday at his home in Fralee.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Mr. Patterson, the newly appointed elder, was unable to be present owing to illness. A Thanksgiving service was held in the evening, Mr. Cunningham giving a discourse on the "Shall Nots" of the Bible.

Spring seeding is now well under way, and a week or so more of fine weather will see the most of the spring grain planted.

The fall wheat has stood the winter and the lovely, open changeable weather remarkably well, in fact no one seems to remember a spring when the wheat on the whole looked so promising as it does this spring.

Improving.—Mr. Andrew Currie, who was reported last week as severely hurt, and lay in a critical condition is, we are glad to learn, in a fair way to recovery.

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April 24, 1902

LINWOOD.

Briefs.—R. F. Fish, Esq., and sister Elizabeth were unexpectedly called to Trafalgar last week to pay their last respects to their elder brother Edward, who died April 29, after an illness of only two days. Mrs. Fish was called at the same time to attend the obsequies of a cousin in Toronto. — The Misses Boomer, Baldwin and Little spent Sunday in Milverton. — The excessive rains of Tuesday of this week have delayed somewhat the completion of the spring seeding.

Personal.—Dr. and Mrs. McEachern entertained friends from Listowel over Sunday. — Our boys sail for South Africa Thursday. We wish them bon voyage and a safe return. — Mr. G. L. Baldwin of Galt spent a day recently with his daughter. — Mr. Val Henry of Stratford was in town Monday.

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May 8, 1902

LINWOOD.

Personal — Mrs. V. M. Berlet and children of V. M. are visiting at Mr. A. Spahr's.... Mr. Frank Schummer of St. Clemente, has been engaged as clerk at Mr. R. Y. Fish's.... Mr. W. F. Babb of London Medical college, was in town over Sunday calling on his old friends.... Mrs. Isabella Hawke, of Galt, spent a few days recently with her brother and sister, Mr and Miss Harrow.... Miss Lola Spahr is quite ill with inflammation.... Miss Adna Boomer, of Berlin, who is slightly indisposed is at her home.... Miss Edith Boomer is staying a week in Berlin.... Mr and Mrs A. Spahr spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs P. Lobsinger, at Mildmay, last week.... Master John Hicker met with a rather serious accident at the football match in Newton Sunday evening, having his leg very badly bruised below the knee.

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May 15, 1902

LINWOOD.

Lobsinger-Spahr. — Miss. Kate Spahr, one of our Linwood girls, was quietly married in Hamilton on Tuesday, April 29th., to Mr. P. Lobsinger of Mildmay. The bride and groom arrived at the bride's old home May 1st., where they remained for a few days receiving the congratulations of old friends. Friday evening, May 2nd. the bride was waited upon by the members of the Lutheran church choir and presented with a chamber set as a slight token of remembrances. The bonny couple left for their new home in Mildmay followed by the good wishes of Linwood friends.

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May 22, 1902

LINWOOD.

DIED.—At Guelph, May 27th, Mrs. Martha Welsh, relict of Edward Welsh, formerly a resident of this place, aged 94 years. The interment took place at Linwood, May 29th. Mrs. Welsh with her husband and large family was one of the early settlers of this section of Wellesley, coming from the County of Peel, Iowa, 50 years ago. Her husband predeceased her some 36 years. Francis and James Wright two of the founders of this place, were her sons by a former marriage, but are both dead some years. Amongst her relatives present at the funeral were Mrs. Wm. Wright, of Guelph, and her husband, with whom the old lady had very pleasantly spent the last years of her life, her son, Thomas, of Detroit, her daughter, Mrs. James Fleming, of Mornington, and several of her family. Mr. Wm. Wright, of Moorefield, a grandson and his wife and her niece. Mrs. A. Boomer of this place and a number of her old neighbors and acquaintances were also present to pay their last tribute of respect. The services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Monsinger.

Personal. Mr. and Mrs. A. Boomer attended the funeral of Mr. Boomer's nephew, Mr. J. E. Speight, which took place in Acton May 23rd. —Mr. Alex Rennie had a barn-raising last Friday to which a large number last Friday, to which a large

Over a hundred partook of the sumptuous tea spread on the lawn. The young people enjoyed a social hop in the evening. — Mrs. Allie Rennie and her daughter Ruth are spending two weeks at "Maple Hurst". Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Grimm and children spent Sunday at Mr. A. Boomer's — Mr. Montgomery and sister of Wroxeater, are spending a few days with Miss Montgomery, town.

Chronicle Telegraph

June 5, 1902

LINWOOD.

Brief:—Mr. McKenzie of Hawkesville occupied the Methodist pulpit here Sunday morning preaching a very interesting and practical sermon from the text found in xx Chapt of Revelations 12th verse "And the books were opened" Mr. Mackenzie is a very easy speaker and all those who heard him Sunday morning would be delighted to hear him again at an early date.

Arrested:—Martin McCormick late manager of the flax mills here was arrested on Tuesday morning charged with maliciously smashing a cutter belonging to Wm. Oakley and was brought before squires Boomer and McKay to answer for the offence with which he was charged. It appeared that the defendant and another young man had been imbibing somewhat too freely the day previously and strolling about came upon a cutter in question stored in one of the flax barns and for want of something better to do and not from malice towards its owner (for Billy has no enemies) wantonly smashed down the dash board and knocked the panel out of the back of the cutter which however was not a very valuable one. As soon as McCormick was arrested he owned up to the offence and the case was settled out of court, McCormick paying the complainant \$2 and the costs of his suit to far.

Chronicle Telegraph

June 12, 1902

LINWOOD.

Personal. — Mr. Charles and Miss Bell Rowell of Woodstock were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kerr over Sunday. — Messrs. Hamilton and Lytle attended a successful garden party held at Donegal Friday evening last. — Mr. Ed. Baker spent Sunday at his home here. — Miss Dawson of R. Y. Fish's millinery department spent Sunday with acquaintances in the country. — Miss Liza Montgomery entertained a number of her Linwood friends Monday evening, treating them to generous dishes of taffy before dispersing. — Mr. Bert Fish left Monday for Owen Sound to spend the summer months as bookkeeper at the new King's Royal summer resort. — Miss Addie Greenwood and brother of Wellesley visited at Mr. G. G. Manser's Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kerr spent last Thursday with Dr. Glaister and sister in Wellesley. — Mr. Pem Rennie of Ridgetown was home over Sunday.

Football Match. — There was an unusually large crowd in town Saturday evening the point of special interest to the majority being the football match between the Hawksville seniors and the Linwood intermediates, which resulted in no goals for either side. The players were banquetted at A. Spahr's dining room and afterwards enjoyed the ice cream at V. R. Berlett's parlor which is again in good working order for the summer season. Don't miss the treat when you come to our busy town Saturday evening.

Early Closing. — The early closing system adopted by our merchants, commencing May 1st., has resulted very satisfactorily all round. There was a little opposition from the out-

side public at first but soon they very good-naturedly conformed to the law and when not convenient to shop in the day time they are satisfied to go so Wednesday and Saturday evenings when the stores are open to accommodate the public until midnight — if necessary.

Gardiner — Little. — We copy the following from the *Edmonton Post*. It will be of interest to many *Chronicle* readers: "Mr. W. H. Gardiner, the builder who recently arrived from Listowel was married on Monday night to Miss Linnie Little of Linwood, Ont., who arrived here Sunday. Owing to the wash-out Mr. Gardiner was compelled to drive five miles south of Strathcona to meet his bride, who left Calgary Saturday in company with Mrs. Cressman of Toronto, sister of Mr. Gardiner. The marriage took place at the manse at eight o'clock Monday night, Rev. Mr. McQueen officiating. The bride wore a neat fitting travelling costume of blue grey broadcloth with dainty white silk blouse with silk insertion and tucks, and was given away by Mrs. Cressman. Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner will take up their residence in Edmonton.

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