

FAIRFIELD

March 8—Rev. Mr. Miller held his first service in Fairfield church on Sunday morning.

Miss Hilda Long is spending some time with friends in St. John.

Friends of Miss Mary Withers are sorry to hear of her illness, and all wish her a speedy recovery.

Misses Flossie and Jessie Moore, of Midway, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Bell.

Russell Armstrong is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. William McWhinney.

Thomas Rankin was a visitor to Tynemouth Creek on Friday evening.

Roy Bell spent Friday evening at the home of A. W. Rankin.

Misses Gladys Barrett and Marjorie Smith were visitors to Shanklin Sett. on Saturday.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Weston on Friday evening and listened to some selections on their new phonograph.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell on Saturday, the occasion being the ninth birthday of their eldest daughter Rhea Josephine, who received many presents from her young friends. Those present were Mary and Rebecca Armstrong, Mildred Smith, Donald Armstrong, Edna and Audrey Bell and Wesley and Hugh Bell. Games were enjoyed by the children, after which a supper was served. A birthday cake was the centre of attraction, each eager for the lucky piece. Mary A. March and Jennie Armstrong assisted Mrs. Bell in serving. Others who called during the evening were Harvie and Earle March, Thomas Rankin, Charles Ellis and Miss Frances Patterson. Radio music was listened to, ice cream and cake were served, and a general good time enjoyed by all.

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Mar. 8—Arlington Otis, who was working with Garfield Reid since Christmas, has returned to his home in Clover Hill.

Fred Titus will soon bring his lumber operations to a close, and Fred Mercer's mill will be moved to Norton.

We have no road masters here, but the farmers turn out with teams and break the roads.

The sad news has been received by J. B. Allaby, of the sudden death of Mrs. Thomas V. Kierstead of Freeport, Maine, on Feb. 14th. Mrs. Kierstead was a daughter of Isaac B. Wetmore, of Bloomfield Station, and was 57 years of age. Mr. Kierstead spent his boyhood days at Bloomfield, being a son of T. W. Kierstead, who built and conducted the store now owned by W. A. Saunders.

His many friends will sympathize with him in his sad bereavement. The deceased is also survived by two sons and two daughters. The school here has been reopened after being closed for a month on account of an epidemic of measles.

The friends of Mrs. I. J. Mercer will learn with regret that she is not improving in health.

Misses Ruth Reid and Blanche Allaby, teachers, spent the week end at their homes here.

A gentleman on a motoring tour stopped to replace a tire in a desolate part of the Highlands. A neighbor chanced along and helped. "I suppose," said the tourist, "that even here the bare necessities of life have risen tremendously in price." "Aye, ye're right," replied the Scot, "and it's no worth drinkin' when ye get it."

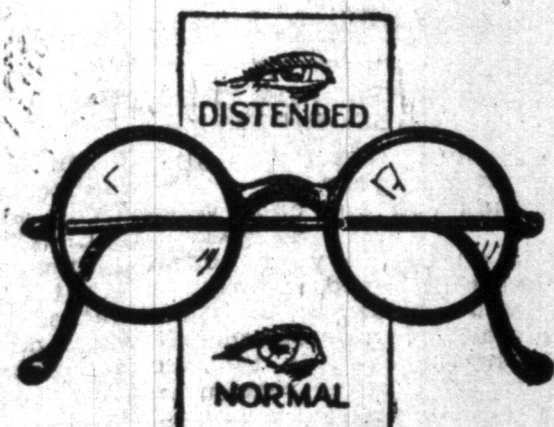
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Terrible Backache

Hamilton, Ont.—"After my baby was born I had terrible backache and headaches. I could not do my work and felt tired from the first minute I got up. But worst of all were the pains in my sides when I moved about. I had to sit or lie down for a while afterwards. I could keep my house in order, but many things had to go undone at the time, because of my ailments. I was told by a neighbor to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as she said it would build me up. I was relieved before I had me up. The first we bought and have not had any trouble like it since."—Mrs. T. MARKLE, 115 Ferguson Avenue South, Hamilton, Ontario.



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WALKER SETTLEMENT

Mar. 13—If the weather keeps as favorable for a few days as it has been for the past week the men will complete their lumbering operations.

Master John E. Anderson, who had his foot badly injured on March 6th, is able to be around again.

William Erb, Sussex, was in this place Thursday on business.

Miss Helen Wilkins, Lissonville, spent Friday and Saturday in this place, guest of friends.

George Lisson, employed by W. John Anderson, spent Tuesday in Sussex.

Mr. Courtney Walker spent Saturday in Lissonville, guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong.

Mr. Andrew Anderson, Piccadilly, is helping his brother S. T. Anderson, to get his logs hauled to the mill.

Masters Warren and George Arnold spent an evening last week at the home of Mr. Courtney Walker.

Reuben Greer, the Rawleigh retailer, was in this place last week.

Andrew MacFarlane has completed his lumbering operations in the settlement.



TRYING A PASTOR FOR HERESY—LITERAL VIEW OF EVE AND SERPENT ORDERED

The chapter of Genesis referring to Adam and Eve, the serpent and the tree of knowledge, must be interpreted literally, says the report of the commission of the General Synod of the Dutch Reformed Church which has been trying the Rev. J. H. Geelkerken for heresy.

The report stipulates that the clergyman, to retain his status with the Synod, must sign an undertaking accepting this conclusion, but it is considered highly improbable that Dr. Geelkerken will consent.

A deputation from the Synod is holding conferences with him, and until he announces his final decision judgment in the case cannot be pronounced.

Some time ago Dr. Geelkerken had preached a sermon which the Synod believed cast doubt on the Genesis story of Eve and the serpent. He was brought to trial in January to answer charges of heresy. It being pointed out that his sermon had permitted the deduction that he no longer stood on the fundamental doctrine that the whole Scriptures must be unreservedly accepted as the true revealed word of God.

Twelve professors of theology and fifty elders assembled to judge the case, which for months had stirred nationwide interest with sharply divided opinions, indicating that within the Reformed Church a modernist trend of ideas had gained a foothold.

Some German churches sent delegates to watch the trial, it being regarded as vital for the future of the Calvinistic faith, for which the opponents of Dr. Geelkerken emphasized, thousands died in Holland's eighty years' war with Spain.

PROFLIGATE GENIUS

(From an Exchange)

An elderly man of ultra-convivial habits, but withal learned and bookish, was hailed before the bar of justice in a country town.

"Ye're charged with 'bein' drunk and disorderly," snapped the magistrate. "Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced?"

"I'm not so debased as Poe, so profligate as Byron, so ungrateful as Keats, so intemperate as Burns, so timid as Tennyson, so vulgar as Shakespeare, so—"

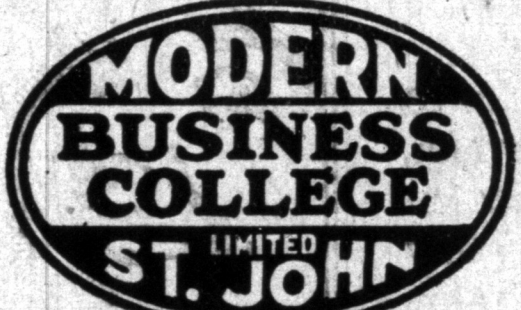
"That'll do, that'll do," interrupted the magistrate. "Ninety days. And officer, take down that list of names he mentioned and round 'em up. I think they're as bad as he is."

Near Durham, South Africa, is the Place of Death, a funnel-like cleft in the coast rocks into which, in times gone by, the Zulu chiefs were accustomed to place the victims of their wrath, to die.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of the rights, powers and privileges given to mortgages by Chapter 152 of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick, 1903, entitled "The Property Act" and all amendments thereto and by virtue of the covenants contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and made between Annie Elizabeth Wild, wife of Robert G. Wild of the Parish of Westfield in the County of Kings in the Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and the said Robert G. Wild as Mortgagors of the first part and William E. Bowman of the City of Saint John in the County of Saint John and Province aforesaid, Insurance Manager, as Mortgagee of the second part, which said Indenture of Mortgage is registered in the Registry Office in and for the County of Kings as number 80806 in Libro No. 9 pages 91-93 on the fifth day of February A. D. 1924, there will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by said Mortgage default having been made in payments secured thereunder be sold by Public Auction at the premises hereinafter described in the said Parish of Westfield on Wednesday, the twelfth day of May A. D. 1926 at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, the lands and premises described in said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—"All that certain lot of land situate lying and being in the Parish of Westfield, in the County of Kings and bounded as follows:—Beginning at a marked cedar post standing on the upper side of the highway on the line between lot number one and lot number two known as Jacob Belyea's upper line; thence northwesterly along said line until it meets the eastern line of lands belonging to the estate of the late Robert F. Hazen; thence northeasterly along a certain brook thirty rods or to the centre of Lot Number Two; thence southeasterly through the centre of Lot Number Two until it meets a maple tree standing on the upper side of the Highway; thence southwesterly along said Highway to the place of beginning; containing seventy acres more or less." Excepting thereout and therefrom all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land described in a certain Deed thereof from the said William E. Bowman and wife to one Arthur S. Bowman which said deed bears date the 11th day of February A. D. 1922 and Indenture is duly registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the County of Kings by the numbers 77815 in Libro 4 of the said Records page 491 et seq. together with all buildings and improvements thereon standing and being and the appurtenances thereto belonging.

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