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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Gleanings in brief for busy people.

Band concert Friday evening, Feb. 21st.
Troubles are like babies—they grow larger by nursing.
A few cords 3-foot or 4-foot good dry wood wanted. This office.
Married men do not live any longer than single ones; it only seems longer.
Mr. Fred Hogarth, of Wodehouse, has his farm for sale. See his adv. in this issue.
Men wanted, to cut cordwood and logs. Good wages. C. W. Armstrong, Markdale.
No woman was ever married too long, not to try to get some other woman in the same trouble.
Don't forget the band concert on Friday night. It promises to be a rare treat. Plan of hall at Turner's drug hall.
A good comfortable house in desirable location, bringing \$132 a year rent will be sold for \$1,400. Enquire at this office.
House for sale, in Markdale, 24x26, 14 foot walls, 8 rooms, good cellar, half size of house, wood shed 12x17, detached. This office.
Two or three loads of our young people spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. Jas. Bell, at Bell's Lake, on Tuesday of this week.
For Sale or to Rent—The Rocklyn Hotel, Rocklyn, Ont. Possession May 1, 1902. Apply to W. H. Dodson, 503-4 D. S. Morgan Building, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Toronto Telegram is a keen, critical gleaner of exchanges.
The man who attends strictly to his own business has a good steady job.
For Sale.—Three young Shorthorn bulls, also three good young cows. Jas. Bell.
Three cows and ten head cattle rising two years old for sale. Mrs. S. J. Coleman, Markdale.
Brood sows for sale.—I have a number of young sows, bred of the right bacon type. Jacob Lougheed, Wodehouse.
The distance from place to place has been materially increased recently by variations in the road, commonly known as pitch holes.
For Sale.—Fresh pressed hay, Silver Hulled Buckwheat, and a general purpose horse. Cattle will be taken in exchange for horse. A. Beattie.
The new proprietor of the Dundalk Herald doubtless realizes a heavy mental tax, editing page after page of—elaborately displayed advertisements.
F. T. Hill & Co. have a staff of carpenters on making extensive alterations in the Hill block which will greatly enlarge and improve the interior of the premises.
In our local notice last week of Amos Stafford's credit sale a wrong figure caused an error in the date. The sale takes place on Friday next, Feb. 21, not February 11, as stated last week.
The buyers picked up thirteen horses last fair day in Markdale, paying some fancy prices. Roch Marien bought from Reeve Marsh his two noted horses "Hall Forest" and "Antillo." Some \$2,500 was paid for the lot.
Tenders will be received by the committee of New England church for the building of a large shed, timber and all material on the ground. Tenders to be in by the 20th February. For particulars apply to Jacob Lougheed, Wodehouse.
Thomas A. Duff, of Toronto, Organizer for the Grand Orange Lodge of British America, will be present at a special degree meeting of L. O. L., No. 176, at Berkeley on Monday evening, the 24th inst. Visiting brethren welcome. Jas. Gillespie, R. S.
Gramophone for sale, Berliner make, style "B" with thirty-three records, twelve hundred needles and ten-inch horn. Also box for packing and carrying the machine. Cost \$44, will be sold for \$20. Apply to H. C. Kemp at the Markdale House on the afternoon of Saturday, Feb. 22nd, 1902.
The young man or young woman that takes a Business College course does a wise thing, and there's no better institution in the land for imparting a thoroughly practical business education than the Northern Business College of Owen Sound. Its graduates are proverbial for securing good situations and for success in life.
Walden brothers have leased Mr. W. E. White's blacksmith shop and business in this place for a term of five years and are now in possession. Mr. Jas. E. Walden has been in the employ of Mr. White for eighteen months and is well and favorably known as a good mechanic and respected citizen and needs no further commendation at our hands.
Mr. Wm. A. Anderson, who has been Town Clerk of Durham for a number of years, died at his residence there on Monday morning, February 10th, at the age of 67 years. Appendicitis was the cause of his death. He was a member of the Orange Order, and for many years has been county treasurer. The funeral took place to Trinity Church cemetery on Wednesday last.
The re-opening services of New England Methodist church will take place Feb. 23rd, when Rev. Wm. Buchanan, the eloquent and popular pastor of Markdale Methodist church, will preach morning and evening. During the last few weeks the interior of the church has been undergoing considerable improvements of an artistic and useful character. A free will offering will be asked of the congregation to defray the cost of decoration.

Rev. C. O. Johnston.

The Public Library Board has engaged the Rev. C. O. Johnston for a lecture in the Marsh hall on March 4th. He will lecture at New England on the 3rd. This means a rare treat for all who attend.

Notice re Vaccination.

Owing to the presence of small-pox in this municipality the Board of Health has instructed me to impress upon the public the advisability of general vaccination at the earliest opportunity. J. H. Bull, M.B., Medical Health Officer, Holland.

Improving Slowly

Mr. Joshua Dodds, who had his spine seriously injured by a fall, on the 23rd of January, is making some improvement towards recovery. He has the use of his arms, head and shoulders, is not suffering much pain but from the breast down is still powerless, though some feeling has returned. Dr. Ego, his physician, has hopes of recovery, though the process will be slow.

Mount Forest Goes Dry.

A most edifying sight was beheld in St. Mary's R. C. church on Sunday last, when two hundred men, both young and old, went forward in a body and took the pledge at the hands of Very Rev. Dean O'Connell. This most commendable act on the part of those neophytes of temperance, called forth the heartfelt praise and gratitude of the Rev. Dean. We are certain that he will ask God to bless the good resolutions of those men who have set such a strong example to the rest of the congregation.—Confederate.

Social Evening.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church was in charge of the Social committee on Monday evening last, and as usual their efforts to provide an evening's enjoyment to those who attended, were crowned with success. The programme consisted of readings, and recitations by various members of the League, solo by Mr. G. Wilson, and a speech by Mr. John Crone. After the programme had been rendered a substantial lunch was served and a few minutes spent in social chat. The committee who had charge of the proceedings of the evening were Miss Mary Stephenson, Miss Minnie Rutledge and Mr. Chas. Pickell.

Mr. Whyte nearly the Choice.

At a meeting of the Board of Education recently held in Owen Sound to decide on a science specialist for the Collegiate Institute to succeed Principal Jenkins, out of 23 applications the committee recommended Mr. Henry Coan, B. A., of Stratford, and that in the event of him declining the position that it be offered to Mr. David Whyte, at present Natural Science Master of the Niagara Falls Collegiate Institute. Mr. Whyte is from Markdale, and it is indeed pleasing to learn that he came within one of being the choice for so many applicants. Mr. Whyte is a clever and rising young man. LATER.—Since the above was put in type we learn that Stratford Board refuse to release Mr. Coan, and Mr. Whyte gets the plum.

Moffat-Hanbury.

One of the prettiest church weddings witnessed in Chatsworth was celebrated in St. Paul's Church on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 11th, when Miss Jennie Hanbury, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Hanbury, was married to Mr. James Moffat, of Sydenham. At two o'clock the bride escorted by her father entered the church as the strains of the Wedding March were played by Miss Blyth. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of cream silk lustrous, trimmed with sequin and white silk. She wore a wreath of orange blossoms on her head and carried a bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by Miss Hannah E. Moffat, sister of the groom, who was dressed in cream cashmere and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was ably supported by Mr. Tho. Hanbury, brother of the bride. The impressive ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. G. Reilly. About fifty invited guests were present. The company went from the church to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanbury, where, after congratulations, a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. The esteem in which the bride is held was shown by the numerous handsome presents she received. The bridal couple left by the afternoon train going south, departing amidst the congratulations of a number of friends who had assembled at the station to see them off.—News.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Henderson left Tuesday on a visit to Erin.
Mr. Geo. Walker was in Thornbury last week.
Mrs. Cowan, of Forest, is the guest of Mrs. W. Turner.
Miss Douglas is visiting her sister Mrs. A. Hill, in Orangeville.
Mr. Andrew Love, of the suburbs, took a trip to Thornbury last week.
Dr. Sproule, M. P., is attending parliamentary duties in Ottawa.
Mr. Hilliard Elliott, of Shelburne, spent a few days in town last week.
Mr. Les Elliott, of the suburbs, spent Sunday in Owen Sound, returning on Monday.
Mr. Frank Tuck returned last week from an extended visit to Emsdale, Muskoka.
Miss Moe and Miss Minnie Henry left Monday on a visit to Toronto and Cheltenham.
Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCutcheon attended the funeral of Mono on Saturday of Mrs. M's mother.
Mr. J. J. Lyons has accepted a situation in the office of Messrs. G. Copeland & Sons, Merchant Millers, Elmhurst, Ont.
Mrs. Robert Campion and little daughter Vera, of Brookholm, are visiting with Mrs. Abel Wright, of Markdale, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rouleston, of Holland Centre, passed through on Tuesday morning train for Crown Hill, Simcoe County, where they will reside.
Mr. W. J. Shortill went to Toronto last week as representative to the A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge, which is in session. Mrs. Shortill accompanied him.
Mrs. Archy Donaldson, formerly of this place, but now of Oak Lake, Man., has been on a visit hereabouts and in Muskoka. She speaks in glowing terms of the prairie province.

Serious Accident.

Last week Mrs. Thos. Davis, Glenelg, slipped near her doorway and in the fall broke her hip. Her injury was so serious that she was unable to get up, and she was confined to her bed for several weeks. She is progressing nicely and we hope for her continued improvement.—Durham Review.

Markdale Cheese Factory.

I hereby announce to those engaged in dairying, that believing the time has come when a change from cheese making to butter-making would be a benefit to the farmers of this section of country, I have decided to make the necessary change in my cheese factory and to fit it up with the very latest makes of machinery for the manufacture of butter on the cream-gathering plan. I wish to sincerely thank all those who have patronized the Markdale Cheese Factory, and especially those who patronized it continuously for the seventeen years that it has been in operation, and now solicit a continuance of your support in the butter business, and would invite all within a radius of eight or ten miles who have cream to sell to give me their support. Yours respectfully, Thomas Elliott.

Wedding.

On Wednesday, Jan. 29th at 3 p. m. the residence of Mr. Wm. Sanderson, Shelburne, was the scene of a pleasant event when his youngest daughter, Martha, and Mr. A. Dunlop, Vandeaur, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. Mr. Jordan in the presence of about sixty guests. The bride was attired in lawn Henrietta, trimmed with Applique and Chiffon, and was given away by her brother William. She was attended by Miss Hannah E. Brown, while Mr. W. A. Weber assisted the groom through the trying ordeal. After the ceremony was performed and congratulations over all sat down to a sumptuous supper prepared by the bride's mother. The remainder of the evening was spent in games, dancing etc. The bride was the recipient of many useful and valuable presents which testified to the esteem in which she was held. After spending a couple of weeks with their friends in the vicinity of Brantford, Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop returned to their home near Vandeaur.

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