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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

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The Provincial Health Inspector of the Province has returned from a tour of inspection and reports a clear and healthy condition of the Province.

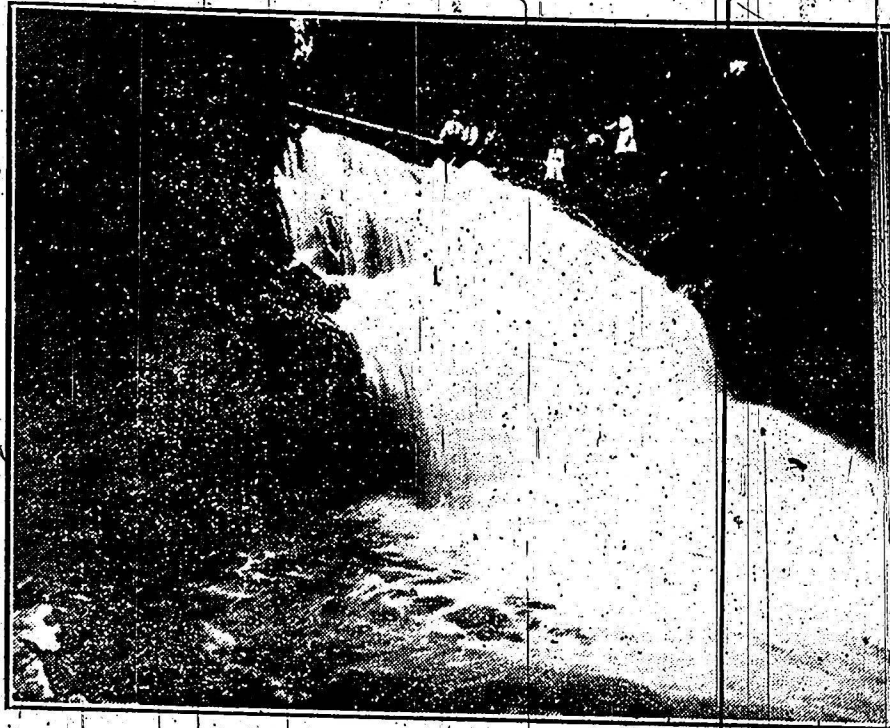
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Mr. John Cameron died in Dundalk on Sunday, the 19th March, from heart disease. Deceased was born in Glenelg, Scotland in 1826, and moved to Dundalk about 60 years ago. He was a Presbyterian and an Orangeman.

The council acted wisely in having the streets cleaned on Tuesday, and the city will be getting busy with the ice and snow ahead.

Five broke out in the finishing room of the Durham Furniture Factory about 7:30 p.m. on Thursday last, and the fire had completely destroyed the building and contents.

Very grateful ought all to be over the beautiful and satisfactory departure of the winter's snow. Could there have been a plebiscite on the question the message to the powers would have been an invocation to grant just such favors as we have received.



Hayward's Falls in Harness

MINNEHAHA may be more noted for its hospitality and sociality. About ten years ago the property was acquired by W. L. Falkingham, who is widely known as an intelligent, clever fellow and whose loss last August of his sunny, cheery, busy helpmate created the sympathy of the whole countryside. Some four years ago Mr. Falkingham sold the water power and ten acres adjoining to the late Neil McKechnie, of the McKechnie Bros., Durham. After his death it was ideally offered for sale and barely thirty months ago was purchased by Minnie Bros., of Markdale, men whose names are synonymous for all that is progressive and successful in business, for their moral integrity and upright life, for the almost magnetic harmony existing between them and their employees. They possess the happy faculty of selecting the right men for every department of their various undertakings.

It was well on in the season when work was begun. First Messrs. Cherry and Seville's iron blasted openings into the massive iron girders that support the fifty foot high and 6 foot in diameter perpendicular flume, with wheel shaft, and gearing, and timber structure for being covered in. From the upright shaft a 60-foot horizontal shaft leads to the power house on the bank. Herein is a dynamo capable of producing over 1200 lights, and which sends a current of 3000 volts to a step-down transformer in the sub-power house which raises it to a 10,000 voltage that is flashed to Barrhead Mills, where a

step-down transformer reduces it to the original voltage and from thence to Markdale's palatial homes, busy workshops, crowded departmental stores, well-kept hostels, the model House of Refuge, or homes with special brilliancy the macadamized streets, with their granolithic walks. Twenty incandescent or 800 candle power supplies the village needs at present; but with the completion of the dam at the Falls, and the placing of two extra water wheels for which provision is made, there can be produced power capable of lighting several towns.

On March 10th the power was turned on and with one exception the village has been lit with strong, steady light since. For perseverance, persistence and power to overcome obstacles, storms or bad roads the Minnie Bros. have few equals. Much of the credit is due to Mr. Whitehead, who engineered the work, and to his skilled workmen. Beside the electric wire is a good telephone communication, the erection of that line of poles and strings of wire being a heavy task. Mr. F. J. Ritchie is the electrician in charge, and though he modestly professes to know very little about the wonderful power, yet he deftly touches the intricate machinery with the skill of a wizard and the technical terms fall from his lips with a familiarity that clearly evinces he is no novice in the electrical art. We found him courteous itself and despite our befogged senses was able to give us a very clear perception of the workings of the various latest-improved up-to-date appliances.

Death of Miss Spear.

The sad news of the sudden death of Miss Mary Elizabeth Spear, daughter of Mr. William Spear, west bank line, who died on Wednesday of last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. McDevitt, Schomberg, was a shock to the community. A little over three weeks ago Miss Spear went to visit her sister, who was ill, and though not robust was in her usual health till less than twenty-four hours of her death, which was due to a general collapse of the system.

On Thursday the remains were brought by her father to her late home from where the funeral took place the following day to the Presbyterian cemetery, Orange Valley. An appropriate service was conducted at the house by the family pastor, Rev. E. W. Thom, of Flesherton, who also performed the last rites at the grave. The deceased was 34 years of age. She was an amiable young woman, living a consistent Christian life which had its influence for good on all about her. Four sisters of the deceased are married. One sister and only brother are at home with the aged father who feels very keenly the great loss sustained. Many friends sincerely sympathize with him and the members of his family in their sorrow.

A while ago soft water was very scarce, but when it did come there was an abundance and many cisterns have been converted into cisterns, much against the wishes of householders.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. T. E. Benson, of Owen Sound, is in town this week. Mr. J. S. Rowe was in Owen Sound on business Saturday. Mr. G. W. Armsstrong is on a business visit to Meaford this week. Master Orle Rutledge was home from Owen Sound Saturday and Sunday. Miss Mattie Denison, of Toronto, is visiting her aunt Mrs. F. W. Chalmers, of Owen Sound, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chalmers in town last week. Mr. Charlie Crowe, who has been brakeman on the C. P. R. for some time is home for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Agnew returned from their wedding trip on Saturday evening and spent Sunday in town with the bride's sister, Mrs. Nesbitt. They visited friends in Toronto, Alliston and other places during their tour.

Mrs. Archie Lyons returned last Thursday to Sunderland after a prolonged stay with her mother, Mrs. Ina Miller, who has been quite ill, but is recovering. Miss Becky, who has also been ill, continues to sink and is not expected to survive.

Markdale Council.

The March monthly meeting of the Markdale Council was held on Monday evening, all the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Moved by J. H. Stephenson, seconded by J. Artley, that the following accounts be paid: R. R. Smith, \$1.35; C. W. Noble, \$2.50; J. W. Rutledge, \$1.50; Chas. Reed, \$2.80; J. J. Arthur, \$2.00; John Walker, \$10.00; A. Macpherson, \$25.00; John R. Baines, \$1.00; J. H. Stephenson, \$5.75; Jas. S. Rowe, \$8.25; Jas. E. Matson, \$8.00. Jackson Kells. That the Report as finally audited by the clerk be accepted, and the required number be printed or distributed.

Carried. Stephenson-Jackson. That the Finance Committee enquire into the validity of the treasurer's security and report at next meeting, the treasurer to furnish bonds to the extent of \$2000. Carried.

Kells-Jackson. That the clerk be and is hereby instructed to prepare a bylaw to make it imperative on ratepayers of Markdale to cut all weeds upon or opposite their premises as per statute, to prevent same going to seed. Lost. Kells-Jackson. That whereas the old agricultural grounds have fallen into disuse, that said plot be sold by public auction, if after being properly advertised it should bring a satisfactory price. Carried. Council adjourned.

JOHN M. DAVIS

Has resumed his old place as a Stock Drover. He has followed the business for fourteen years, but has been practically out of it for some three years. Now he takes hold again and being well and favorably known all through these parts the farmers will be glad to again do business with him. Drop him a card to Vandeventer's office or telephone him from Kimberley or Markdale.

R. W. ENNIS, Markdale.

Our reputation does not come by chance. It is because we have conclusively demonstrated that we give VALUE, STYLE and EXACT FIT. THE WORK IS OURS; THE PLEASURE YOURS. QUALITY falls. You will appreciate these goods more after you have had them a few months. They will cause a flurry amongst those who know the value of the lines we handle. One BIG BARGAIN follows closely on another. These are the values you are looking for: the kind you will talk about; the ones you will be proud to show your friends.

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Our celebrated HAND-MADE HARNESSES are always on the top of all others. All at rock bottom prices.

R. W. ENNIS, Markdale.

Little Business Getters.

Miller's Grip Powders cure. Sold by W. Turner & Co. Spring tonics and blood purifiers at Turner's drug store. What is better than presence of mind in a railway accident? Absence of body. New life for a quarter. Miller's Compound Iron Pills. Sold by W. Turner & Co. You can get 15 full sized packages garden or flower seeds for 25c. at McFarland, Stafford & Co's. A dose of Miller's Compound Powders occasionally will keep the children healthy. Sold by W. Turner & Co. Beautify your home by having a flower garden. Fifteen packages seeds for 25c. at McFarland, Stafford & Co's. Bibby's Cream Equivalent; Oil Cake, International Stock Food, Dr. Hest's Stock Food and Herbage and Turner's drug store.

For Sale or To Rent. Two farms in Embrasia township, well situated and well timbered. Apply to W. Moore & Sons, Meaford, Ont. What is the difference between a good soldier and a fashionable young lady? One faces the powder and the other powders the face.

Say Dad, you were speaking of getting a new drill this spring. Just go and see that new Massey-Harris No. 4 drill, it is up-to-date, nothing to touch it in the town. Now is the time to have your painting and paperhanging done by Charlie Gibson, late of Guelph. Works done on shortest notice. Orders taken at Rutledge's livery.

Highland Heather produces the finest high grade perfumes carried in stock at Turner's drug store. It is a triple extract but a very delicate odor. Bring your own bottle and try an ounce of it. Any amount of money to rent on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses low. No dues. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale. Agent for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

Jackson & Hannah, the leading implement dealers have just introduced a car of those famous Bissell's harrows and steel land-rollers, also have a full line of the McCormick seedling and harvesting machinery the E. Gray and Wilkinson Plows, the E. Gray's corn measure sifter, Raymott's sowing machines, National cement separators, the noted Heintzman pianos and Bell organs. Would advise all intending purchasers to call and examine the goods and get prices and you will be surprised what we can do for you.

Instant Louse Killer, Insect Powder, Hollibore, Zenoleum, Little's Sheep Dip and other insect destroyers at Turner's drug store.

A gardener sowing four bins destroying his fruit from a grub and then killed one, how many remained? None. The others flew away.

For Sale. Two cots by "Honor Bound Second", one rising two years and one rising one year. Lot 9, con. 5, Emphasia. Geo. Lawrence, Kimberley. If this interests you kindly step in and square and fat like account which you owe to us. Bring along your shirts, collars and cuffs, also drying and cleaning. Markdale Steam Laundry.

Bring along your summer vehicles for sale, may be seen at J. J. Vore barn, Markdale, also 50 acres pasture land to rent, well watered by running stream and well situated, lot 8, con. 10, Holland. George McCauley, Walter Falls.

If you want a nice lumpy come and see my stock of samples. I can't stock up as heavy as I would like to for want of room. Do not mean to say I have the best buzzies on earth, but I think I have just as good as any and as well handled, and at the right price. J. W. Klotz, Markdale.

Bring This. We want your help towards making an early start with our work therefore we will make a collection of your soiled linen every Monday morning, so please have your laundry ready. Work will not be finished until work clothes brought in by Wednesday night. Markdale Steam Laundry. Agency Parker's, Dye Works.

To Rent or Sell. Mr. A. S. Madill, South St. Marie, Ont., has distrusted his present residence. First, the north half lot 27, con. 13, Armosia, 50 acres, good buildings, a very desirable property; second, the west half lot 37, con. 14, Armosia, 50 acres, a rough property suitable for pasture. Apply at once to Lucas, Wright & McArthur, Markdale.

Established 1880. Wm. Lucas & Co. Bankers. MARKDALE, ONTARIO. Transacted all general banking business. Ample capital enables us to offer every accommodation to our customers consistent with sound banking principles. We make a specialty of investment in mortgage security on first class farm property, interest from 4 to 5 per cent per annum. Agents in Canada. The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

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