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LOCAL NEWS.

—For Sale—One span working horses, six year old.—T. Brown. 1f

—For American or Canadian Oil, a nice Lamp or Lamp Goods of any kind try MacFarlane's. 3

—Potatoes Wanted.—Any quantity for which the highest price will be paid in cash. A. McLachlan 1f

—American Horse and Cattle Food and Excelsior Condition Powders are prime favorites. Try them—MacFarlane & Co. 3

Prize Lists are out for the Christmas Fat Stock and Poultry Show, at Guelph, to be held on Thursday and Friday December 8th and 9th.

—For Sale, or to Rent.—Good five room house, with cellar size of two rooms, 7 foot stone walls. Half acre of first-class garden. Good Water. Easy terms. Apply to George Michter, 2

An English Admiral says: "It is true, the life-saving service of America is not equalled in the world." It is also true, that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saves, annually, thousands of lives. Invaluable in sudden colds, throat and lung troubles.

QUARTERLY Services will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday. Love Feast at 10 o'clock. Regular services at the usual hour after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Rev. John Garner of Hanover will preach both morning and evening.

A judge recently decided that any person who takes a paper regularly from the post office—whether directed to his address or not—is responsible for the pay. He also said that if any person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made and collect the whole amount whether it is taken from the office or not.

THERE will be a tea-meeting at Zion Methodist Church on Friday evening the 12th inst. Tea will be served in the old church from 6 to 8 o'clock. A splendid programme has been arranged including speeches by Inspector Campbell and Rev's Humphries Kitching and Burns. Instrumental music by Miss Large and G. W. Jones. Singing by the choir. Admission: Adults 25c., Children 15c.

THE Americans aim to excel at everything they undertake so as to say each and every important thing they have is the greatest on earth. They admit, however, that Canada has the best weekly paper on the continent in the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal. Americans have tried over and over again to produce such a paper for a dollar, but have failed. The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal has the proud distinction of being quoted by editors, and the best editors, all over the continent. There is no doubt about the supremacy of the Family Herald and Weekly Star. Its rise and progress is a matter for honest pride.

WOMEN RESPONSIBLE FOR TRAMPS.—Women responsible for tramps, is the conclusion recently arrived at by a thoughtful white ribbon woman. How? Why, they feed every big, lazy, dirty-looking fellow who asks them, just because they are afraid that if they do not, they will do them some harm. These disreputable mortals beg their food of decent, hard-working people, and then spend what little they can earn or beg on drink and tobacco. Women who feed such men, she says, are just as cowardly as are the men who will not vote against the liquor business, for fear it will injure their business. Both need to cultivate courage. Praying and preaching will not stop the villainous traffic unless followed up by courage and deeds. Women must stop feeding tramps. Give no food or clothing to anyone that uses either liquor or tobacco. If this were done by all, then all tramps would be starved into total abstinence and work.

Miss Hutton has secured the position of teacher at Lamdash.

A number of stores in Hepworth are now lighted by acetylene gas.

—Watch Found.—Give full description and pay expenses. This office.

ANY person requiring the services of a boy for the winter, may apply to Mrs. T. Lauder Durham

EVERY Conservative in Durham and vicinity is invited to a meeting to be held in the Oddfellows Hall this (Thursday) evening at eight o'clock. Don't fail to be in attendance.

THE Poultry Association held their third meeting on Friday evening last. Forty-four members were reported, with the prospects of increasing the number to a hundred. The next meeting will be held in the Library on Monday evening next, Nov. 15th.

"Prepare for the worst, but hope for the best," says the old proverb. Hope for health, but be prepared for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, pneumonia, or any other throat or lung difficulties, by having Ayer's Cherry Pectoral always at hand. It is prompt to act, sure to cure.

A few of our clubbing offers to paid-in-advance, cash subscribers. The Chronicle to the 1st of January 1899. \$1.00.

The Chronicle and the Weekly Mail and Empire to the end of 1898 \$1.30.

The Chronicle and the Toronto Sun (Patron Organ) \$1.25

The Chronicle and Family Herald and Weekly Star with premium picture to end of 1898. \$1.75

Snow fell on Tuesday to the depth of about six inches. We may be a little premature but we suggest that harvesting machinery be housed for the season. Last year we saw a reaper out after Christmas while the owner was talking of the hard times. In this connection we may say that a little money spent in providing shelter for implements, machinery and stock will pay a large dividend on the investment. We speak seriously when we say that cattle can't thrive when they have no better shelter than the shaded side of a barbed wire fence.

A city paper alluded to the harmless pranks of some little town boys on Hollowe'en as the work of little "toughs." If these little chaps are to be designated by such an opprobrious term what shall we say of the educated collegians—young men who should know better—who made the night hideous with howls and yells, that would have made a wild Indian turn green with envy? It is easy enough to call the little fellows names but our city scribe has too much respect for his own hide to call down the big fellows.—Toronto Junction Leader.

MR. THOMAS MILLIGAN, of Bentinck, one of the chief defendants in the long-standing, mythical, Crabbe Fence bluff game will be able to give some important evidence at the trial this month should the case come up for a hearing, which is not at all likely. For over twenty years Mr. Milligan has kept a diary in which he made a record each night of the work he was engaged in during the day. By referring to this he is able to find some unpalatable pills for prosecutor Page. Mr. Milligan's head is in paying five dollars for a right he should not have paid for. Had he quit then he would have saved himself much trouble, but seeing his fellow farmers in danger, his future action was a matter of self-sacrifice and we are pleased to know that the farmers have supported him manfully and are determined to do so to the end of the chapter. On a question involving so much the farmers should stand in solid phalanx against every invasion of their rights. Patent right men will have a poor show in this.

THE number of this issue is 1601. What is the number on your label?

Wm. Black has two car loads of coal and two car loads of Coal Oil coming in next week.

A new burglar proof safe, weighing 4800 lbs, for the Standard Bank, arrived on Monday and was placed in the vault in the new McIntyre block.

We are told that even Reformers are displeased at the action of the government in taking off the mail service between here and Chatsworth. General indignation prevails around Dornoch.

On Thursday Miss May Black of Hespeler had Isaac Johnson before the Magistrate of that place charged with throwing his arms around her neck and kissing her. The evidence showed that Miss Black, in the presence of two or three others, threw a chip at Johnson when he continued the joke by taking hold of her, and a scuffle ensued. She admitted putting her hands under Johnson's arms and tickling him. The magistrate did not consider the offence a punishable one and let him go.—Listowel Banner.

The Conservatives of Centre Grey have made an excellent choice in selecting Mr. I. B. Lucas, of Markdale, as the nominee of the convention. A better and more popular man would be hard to find. As a lawyer he has already risen to a high position in his profession. He is a pleasing speaker, a logical reasoner, a convincing debater, pleasing in his habits and thoroughly temperate in his habits and a gentleman always. Next to Mr. Richardson he would have been our choice, nevertheless we feel he is politically, the stronger man of the two and though opposed by Mr. Boland, the most popular Liberal in the riding we feel that his election is sure.

In choosing a candidate to represent the Conservatives of South Grey at the coming contest we need the very best material that can be produced,—a man whom all parties must regard with respect, and whose unwavering fidelity to the Conservative cause cannot be questioned. The Liberals have chosen their best man, best because of his popularity and his wealth and no doubt they will put up a good fight. We must do the same and it behoves us to use every honest influence in securing the election, moreover, while we cannot predict the choice of the Convention, we think it would be well to make a choice as soon as possible so that all can get to work at once. The enemy is at work and every day an effort will be made to secure pledges from those who are not fixed in their political leanings.

On Tuesday last we had a very pleasant half hour call from Mr. Neil Black who has been a resident of British Columbia for thirty-five years. For a great portion of that time he was in the employ of the local government as superintendent of the old government road extending from Yale on the Frazer River to the Caribou gold diggings. This is a mere wagon road over which transportation was made to and from the mines. The road was constructed at great cost by the British Government but owing to cheaper transportation through the opposition of the C. P. R. the road is largely abandoned. Mining in the Caribou district is not now paying though Mr. Black tells us of a gold brick he saw from there a few weeks ago the value of which was \$175000. We were more than delighted with Mr. Black's description of how the pioneer miners and prospectors had to rough it in those early days. Speaking of the Klondyke region he says he knows nothing about it and though we thought we knew something of our geography we were really surprised to learn that after spending nearly a week on the train to get to Victoria, he would then be only half way there. Only those having iron constitutions should ever think of going. We were much pleased with the pleasant interview, and regret we hadn't more time with Mr. Black.

ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT GONE.

The subject of this sketch, Mr. Richard Walter Horn, died on Saturday night last after an attack of typhoid fever followed by inflammation of the bowels and other complications. Mr. Horn was a native of Devonshire, England, where he was born nearly sixty years ago. At the age of fifteen or sixteen he came to this country with his parents and settled in Oshawa from which town he came to Durham thirty one years ago. Since then, with the exception of about three years spent in Grand Valley and Markdale he has resided here, engaged mostly in blacksmithing at which he was very successful. This is the first break in the family circle, the deceased leaving a wife and seven children, all grown up, to mourn the loss of a kind husband and indulgent parent. All his children, with the exception of Thomas, who is in New Mexico, were present at the funeral obsequies which took place on Monday afternoon last to the Saugeen Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Dr. Jamieson and H. W. Mockler, T. Harris and A. McLachlan, J. P. Telford and A. McKenzie.

Rev. A. G. Jansen conducted the services.

The deceased was very highly respected and leaves many friends who sympathise with the sorrowing family in their sad bereavement.

C. Elvidge, 1 day's work,	\$ 1.00
C. Falkingham, 2 1/2 day's work	2.50
C. Ramago, Printing	2.50
C. Leavens, salary as Fireman	2.50
G. Meikle, salary as Engineer	3.75
G. Russell, salary 1 month	17.50
Wm. Calder, selecting Jurors	2.00
W. B. Vollet, " "	2.00
Geo. Russell, " "	2.00
John Jack, glazing	15
W. H. Benton, salary Engineer	8.75
C. Smith, repairing Engine and home	12.75
N. G. & J. McKechnie, flour for Mrs. Becker	2.50
W. Irwin, printing	1.00
A. M. Dargavel's account	Lumber 20.97
Dr. Jamieson, examination of Miss Kinnee	5.00
	\$86.87

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mr. David Jackson is in Toronto this week.

Miss Robinson, of Harriston, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Warner.

Dr. R. Culbertson left for Michigan last Friday where he intends starting a practice.

Mr. John Cameron of the McLean Publishing Company spent a few days at home lately.

Mr. Neil McArthur left for Victoria Monday morning. He intends returning to the Klondyke.

Inspector Campbell is in Owen Sound this week attending County Council while Mrs. Campbell is with him visiting friends.

Mr. Neil Black of Spuzzum, B.C., who has been visiting here for the past couple of weeks returned yesterday to his home in the west. His brother John A. accompanied him as far as Toronto.

The relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Horn were: Mrs. McNally, of Weston, sister of Mrs. Horn; Miss Annie Horn, of Weston, daughter; Mr. Chittick, of Walkerton, brother-in-law of the deceased; and his two sons, Samuel of London and Walter of Lucknow.

Town Council.

Council met Monday evening. Members present: Wm. Calder, Mayor; Geo. Sparling, Reeve; Councillors, R. Bull, L. Elvidge, Arch. Hunter, Wm. Whitmore, Geo. McKechnie. Minutes read and adopted.

Communication—(1). From F. S. Spence, Sec. Dominion Alliance, Toronto, laid over.

(2) Claim presented by G. L. McCaul re Lenahap, damages to horse and buggy. No action taken.

The following accounts were considered by the Finance Committee and recommended for payment:

Standard for Quality

is one of the points about our Clothing.

Lowest in Price

is the other. They are proving themselves as the weeks go by in the increased trade we are doing in this department. Compare the prices and inspect the quality.

- Men's Heavy Tweed Suits (no trash) special at \$5.50.
- Men's Heavy Double Breasted Suits, special at \$6.00.
- Men's Extra Heavy Winter Suits, special at \$7.50
- Men's Fine Clay Worsted Suits, special at \$10.00.
- Men's Fine Black Serge Suits, special at \$9.50.
- Men's Strong Tweed Pants, special at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.
- 10 Men's Overcoats, were \$5.00 to \$7.00, now \$3.00.
- 15 Boys' Overcoats, were 6 to \$10, now \$4.00.
- Men's Heavy Frieze Ulsters, all wool and wool lined. A special snap at \$6.50.
- A snap in Men's Black Waterproof Coats with 30 inch cape at \$5.50.

Boys' Suits at All Prices.

Ramsay & Morlock

Cash and One Price

Calder's Block, Lower Town.