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GEORGE WHITMORE, Mar. 23, 99. DURHAM.

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JOHN HOPKINS, JR., Prop'r, ALLEN PARK.

WATERSVILLE.

Well, Mr. Editor, we wish you and your many readers a happy and a prosperous new year.

Mr. Hector Leitch is engaged with Mr. Hugh Baird for the winter months.

Miss Maggie Barkley, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. William Barkley is at present seriously ill. We hope soon to hear of her recovery.

Why does J. E. go down south so regularly? There must be something very interesting there.

Mr. John Morrison has been on the shelf for a few days with the gripe.

Master Laughy McKechnie was visiting Bentinck friends last week.

Miss Mary J. Ellison, who had an abscess in her head, by going under two operations is regaining her usual health again.

Mr. Charles McKechnie is spending his Christmas holidays at home.

Miss Annie Lamont, of Bruce, is spending a few weeks at Mr. John Morrison's.

Mr. Nicholas Melosh spent 'Xmas with Dornoch friends.

Miss Hannah Quirk, of Dornoch, was the guest of the McKinney family the beginning of the week.

Mr. William Ellison has secured the agency for the Township of Glenelg from Mr. J. A. McEachern, General Agent for County of Grey.

We wish William success in the book business. Mr. Charlie McKechnie will also spend his time in Durham, Markdale and Priceville.

Success Charlie.

On the 25th of December the weather was somewhat cold and stormy during the day, but towards evening the atmosphere became more moderate.

affording opportunity to a large crowd to assemble at the home of John McKenzie. A good time has been reported. This occasion has exceeded all former events of the kind.

Mrs. M. Baker has been ill for some time, but at time of writing she is as well as can be expected.

Mr. Peter McInnes will have a chance to try his hand at the municipal machine. He will make an A 1 councillor.

Mr. Thomas Baker, of Orangeville, enjoyed Christmas hospitalities at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bartley are the fond possessors of a little baby girl.

We extend a cordial welcome to Mr. John McKechnie and his sister, Mrs. Donald McInnes, both of Manitoba, who are to spend the winter months at the parental home.

John is a jolly good fellow and his many relatives and friends are pleased to hear of his returning home.

Since commencing our budget we are forcibly reminded that when enjoyment has nearly reached the climax it is often mingled with sorrow.

A short time ago came the sad tidings that Robert Bartley, who moved from here to Owen Sound last spring lost two of his children. His little girl, Angelina, about eight years old was enjoying the sport of the day and was in perfect health.

Her little brother who died a week later was also in perfect health, and little did the fond parents think the angel of death was so soon to claim them as victims. They both went to bed as they did afore time, and in the morning their bright spirits fled beyond that bourne from which no traveller returns. The remains were interred in Owen Sound cemetery.

The parents and relatives have the sincere sympathy of this community in their sad bereavement.

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Mr. Andrew Derby, a blacksmith of Guelph township, well known in the surrounding townships, was killed by train on Saturday last. Mr D. is a near relative of the Derby families in this vicinity.

TOWN COUNCIL The Town Council for 1900 held its first meeting on Monday night, Mayor Laidlaw presiding. In his opening remarks the Mayor announced that debts to the amount of nearly \$1200 were unpaid from 1899, though many of the accounts were certified and had been previously before the council.

Discussion was next opened on the vexed Queen Street deviation question, and the settlement of bills for work thereon. The total cost amounted to \$414.85, the total cost of the last year's council being exceeded by \$214.85 by the Board of Works.

Councillor Gorsline was soon on his feet and read a couple of resolutions about a yard long each, but he couldn't get a majority of the council to help him through with the job.

The whole burden of the resolutions consisted of a series of demands on Mr. Kelly to waive certain claims in return for special benefits to his property resulting from the opening of Queen Street. Why Mr. Kelly should bear the burden placed upon him as a greedy councillor is more

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Teacher Wanted.

AN EXPERIENCED TEACHER for S. S. No. 1, Normanby. Duties to commence Feb. 1, 1900.

THOMAS WALLACE, Sec. VARNEY, ONT.

Notice.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE South Gray Electoral District Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall, Durham, on

Wednesday, 17th day January, 1900, at one o'clock p.m. for the election of officers and general business.

JAMES EDGE, President. AMCH. DAVIDSON, Secretary. Durham, Jan. 3, 1900. 2 Is.

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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL keep for service at Lot 17, Concession 4, Glenelg, Centre, two pure bred boars, one Yorkshire and one Berkshire. Terms \$1.00.

JOHN MCVICAR, Pomona. Dec. 23, 1899.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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SONS of Scotland Concert—Jan. 19.

WANTED.—Men and teams to cut logs on lots 37 and 38, con. 3, N. D. R., Glenelg, and to deliver same at mill in Durham.—N. McINTYRE, J.

ARTHUR BLIGHT, Toronto, Scottish singer, will appear at the Sons of Scotland Concert to-morrow night. Go and hear him

MISS JEAN RENWICK, of Dromore, a young Queen of Scottish Song is engaged for the Sons of Scotland Concert Jan. 19.

FOR SALE—Two good fleshy, pure bred short horn bulls, 1 yr. old, one heifer two years old. Prices moderate. W. A. Livingston, Allan Park.

The Presbyterian Sunday School Entertainment was held Tuesday night in the Town Hall. The program was good and listened to by a large audience

A TEA MEETING will be held in Crawford, Methodist Church, this Thursday evening. The bills announce a good program. Don't fail to attend.

We don't ask you to "See Rome and Die" but you should hear Fax before you die. He'll be at the Sons of Scotland Concert, to-morrow evening.

CHARTER SMITH is again ready to attend to the wants of the public, having fitted up the moulding room, of the Old Cochrane Foundry, where he will do business until spring, when the rest of the building will be put in shape.

A LETTER showing the necessity for the establishment of a House of Refuge in this County, based partly in a local incident has been received, but as it came to hand too late for this issue we hold it over till next week.

"GREAT SCOTT, where did you drop from," was the substance of remarks made in concert when Malcolm Graham and Ed. Kress met in our office Tuesday morning. They last saw each other in Brandon a few weeks ago and apparently, without expecting to, they met here as we have indicated. In a minute or two they settled down to talk, but the burden of their conversation was about the Prairie province of which both hold golden opinions. They will return in a few weeks.

In an interview with Mr. M. Richardson, of Flesherton, on Saturday last we regretted much to learn that his loss in the late Dundalk fire was much greater than is generally supposed, and though very reticent on the question we have no doubt he feels it very heavily. Mr. Richardson is a man who never says much concerning his own misfortunes and it may be almost safe to assert that only his most intimate friends will ever be able to drag from him the extent of his loss. In his charitable acts also, he keeps a quiet tongue never letting his right hand know what his left hand doeth. He is opening up business again, and we sincerely trust he may meet with better fortune next time.

Now is the time to renew subscriptions. Many have already done so, and a number of new names have been added to our list. Some who have long been in arrears have paid, and frequently we receive a kind word with remittance from a distance. This week we have pleasure in thanking Mr. John L. McKenzie, of Mine Centre, for his sub. for 1900. If every one would do likewise we would be put in a position to improve our plant and give our readers much better service, but handicapped, as we sometimes are for want of money it is impossible for us to do as well as we would wish. Now kind reader if you are in arrears, take our case into consideration, give us a helping hand and we'll divide the profits by giving you a better paper. We don't want to hoard up money; every dollar we get is spent for the benefit of our readers, and the support of our family.