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LOCAL NEWS.

Cash for eggs at A. S. Hunter's.

Highest cash price for eggs at Peel's.

hosiery-H W. Mockler.

SEE Farmers' Institute Excursion Ad. for rates to the Model Farm.

June 12th This week one advertisement should interest you that is that of the Busy Store on the Busy Corner.

SEE the special line of lace curtains Ireland & Co. offers this week at \$1.00

\$1.25 and \$2.00. YARNS, blankets, single and double blanket sheeting at J. & J. Hunters'.

SEND for free sample of Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills, at MacFarlane's Drug Store. See ad. on page 5.

Sell us your wool.

must be in by the 10th of June. - H. gate or not, is cordially invited to be Dixon's son was the County Student W. Mockier.

WE inadvertantly omitted last week to mention that Mr. S. F. Morlock purchased the property of Mr. S. McCracken, now occupied by stand, about October.

workmanship and will save the pleasant. operator much trouble in otherwise keeping tally.

Two little girls, on their way to school, Monday morning last, were the other if she ever saw an eclipse of the sun before. The innocent reply was that she saw one once about pleased to see her back again, and into the composing room, made three twelve o'clock at night but couldn't remember whether it was the sun or the moon.

three years is attending Conference in Hamilton this week. He has no man of sterling character.

to Markdale on the 24th and got fair-"licked," but that they were

On the morning of the 24th, two of don't know when-we are well off. our West enders, Sam McCracken and Geo. Kress, aspirants for fame, weren't going to walk either, but all permanent injury or disfigurement the horses and rigs at the Livery will result. Stables were spoken for and neither beautiful trout.

Cash for wool at A. S. Hunter's.

Ladies waterproofs at \$3 reduced to 99c. at H. W. Mockler's.

Cash for wool at J. & J. Hunters', The Busy Store on the Busy Corner.

GENTLEMEN, see our stock of fancy shoes price \$1.10-H. W. Mock!er.

75 cents buys a pair of woman's dongola oxfords at Peel's.

Boys get your bathing suits and running shoes at H. W. Mockler's.

Lucas, Wright & Batson - Barristers etc., at Middaugh House every Monday 10 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. conveyancing-money to loan, etc.

THE millinery department in Ireland & Co's. store is rushed with orders for summer millinery. They have just opened up a new lot of leghorn hats.

be held here on Saturday, June 9th, when a candidate will be selected to THOSE who have not paid their ac- contest the constituency in the next on the success of his son in passing counts for 1899 are requested to set- election for the House of Commons. his examinations successfully at tle at once, as all over-due accounts Every Conservative, whether a dele- Ontario Agriculaural College. Mr. present, and we hope sufficient inter- sent this year, and we are pleased to est will be taken in good clean politics know he has been making good use to bring out a large number of the of his time.

Messes. Ireland & Co. wish us to Mr. Chas. McArthur, and will take thank their many friends and custompossession of the place, we under- ers for the patience they manifested during the past few weeks, while the store was undergoing repairs, and THE Telephone Co. has put in a now that everything is getting in very unique clock in the office here shape they'll be pleased to have their by which the exact time the phone continued custom, when better acis being used may be correctly comodation, light and other convenregistered. It is a nice piece of liences will make shopping more

the train Saturday night after a morning train to other points. discussing eclipses when one asked four or five months' visit in New Orleans, Chicago and other American cities and places of interest. We are breath on Monday morning, looked feel confident that her return to yells, and asked "Is the boss home?" town has gladdened the hearts of Appearing on the scene we saw if more than her parents. Miss Black was Fred Peel with a change of adenjoyed her visit very much, and her but before we had time to look at the REV. Mr. FERGUSON, pastor of the improved condition shows that she document he told us he caught

It is a common error with the pub- were whales. Fred is quite a fisheridea where his future charge will be, lic to think that a vehicle caught up man, and seldom returns empty but expects to have a place allotted to on the highway does not have to handed. to him. Mr. Ferguson can never be turn out unless called upon to do so charged with destroying the funda- by the party behind it. The law retion cannot fail to recognize him as a a vehicle as aforesaid or on horseback paratory to starting for China, where here in abundance. is overtaken by any vehicle or horse. she will engage in missionary work. man travelling at greater speed, the Mrs. Rogers will remain a few days ONE of our Lacrosse boys stopped person so overtaken shall quietly before returning to Toronto. We us on the street Monday evening and turn out to the right and allow the are pleased to acknowledge a brief

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that never treated "whiter" in all their some people complain about our eleclives. The Markdale team he says is tric light system, (and in this cona good one, and treated the visitors nection we cannot plead absolute drove some of his family over to in Princely style. The days' outing innocence), an insolicited reference by the picnic at Hayward's Falls, and will not soon be forgotten, but Mr. Brown, foreman in the Furniture retraced his steps to the Glenroaden though beaten fairly our boys want Factory, commenting on their super. Mills to try his hand at the Piscato have another tussel with them jority, has led us to think that, as a torial Art. He was only gone soon, and they'll beat them next time town, we have been a little harsh in short time when he returned to the if they can only manage to get our criticisms. He says our lights picnic grounds with four nice trout, enough of balls through the goal. are steady, without flickering, and the largest of which measured 18 Of course they will. The score was during his time here they have never inches and weighed one pound, fourgiven out. He also remarks that if teen ounces. Tim felt he had great we're not satisfied, it is because we luck, and was tickled on returning

What might have been a very serthough lacking ambition for alder- ious accident occurred in Smith's With reference to the two monumanic power, determined to make the Tannery on Saturday last. Mr. John ments sold to Messrs. Neil and Chas. day a record breaker, and, hereafter, Smith was preparing to "blow out" McDonald, Priceville, recently rethe names of Tom Allan, Billy Cal- the boiler, and in making ready to ferred to in this paper and the Reder, Charlie Leavens and Pete Pater- attach the pipe to a short jet connect- view, as having been sold by Mr. son, as successful piscatorial artists, ed with the boiler, the exertion John A. Black, Mr. McCalmon the music furnished by Messrs. W. H. would sink into oblivion and be heard necessary caused the jet to become marble manufacturer here wishes us Arrowsmith, W. Keating and others. no more. All preparations were disconnected, when the steam escap- to state that Mr. Black sold them last gleam of sunrise. They weren't go- neck Though still suffering consid- few weeks ago by putting them in cleared of the dancers for a time to ing with the giddy multitude to the erable pain from the unfortunate position. They were manufactured give way to a literary departure. various centres of amusements. circumstance, we are pleased to learn at his Markdale Branch. They were going fishing, and they that he will soon be well, and that no

Billy Caldwell nor Dan Campbell Two clocks have been procured ment, the appellants being Geo. could accommodate them. The fish. through Mr. W. A. MacFarlane Ryan, of the Central Hotel, and Jno. ermen were modest, and enquired here for use in the Durham Furni- Wright, of the Durham Bakery. about single rigs but rejoiced when ture Factory to keep tab on the Both assessments were reduced, the they found the only one available night watchman. The Insurance former from \$3100 to \$2500, and the was a team and heavy wagon, which Co. requires that a regular system latter \$1000 to \$900. After the Court though a little inconvenient, they of watching the premises be strictly rose, a special meeting of the council felt would be necessary to carry home adhered to and these clocks are so was held, at which a committee was the fish. They started early, Sam constructed that by pressing a appointed to wait on Mr. McIntyre handling the lines, while George spring the exact time of doing so in reference to increased danger to used his fish pole as a whip and gave will be registered. The clocks are adjoining property through the reimaginary lessons on how to land the to be placed in different parts of the moval of his buildings to the middle three pounders they were going to factory so that in going from one of Lambton Street, against which get. They reached the fishing to the other the whole length of the certain Insurance Companies have grounds near Allen Park at an early building will be traversed, and any notified the town that they will be outing. hour, worked hard all day, and about danger discovered from fire. Should held responsible in case of Damage. Mrs. Ross superintended the "bilsunset, weary, worn and wet reached the registration not show up in the Mr. Telford was also authorized to ing" of the tea, and the booth did a home but sad to relate their wagon morning the night watchman will be go to Hamilton to make some enquiry rushing business until about five A full line of cigars and pipes al-

RUBBER heels put on at Peel's.

the erection of commodious shed ac- Ellis, of Mt. Forest, were guests of comodation at the Presbyterian friends in town on Sunday. Church.

SERVANT GIRL WANTED-To go to Toronte. Small family, good wages, TRY a pair of our heavy working Apply immediately to Mrs. Rogers, at Inspector Campbell's.

> MR. FRANK LIVINGSTON leaves Saturday for London to travel for the De Laval Cream Separator Co., of call on Queen's Birthday. that city. Congratulations.

WANTED. - By McFarland & Richards, Dundalk, 50,000 lbs. of wool for cash or trade. All kinds of woollens in stock such as yarns, blankets, here on June 9th. sheetings, etc.

WE congratulate Mr. W. L. Dixon

THE attention of the Town Council is directed to the condition of our sidewalks in the south end. A couple of young ladies were seen to stumble and fall a few evenings ago. The dersigned up till Tuesday, June 5th, of that luminary being obscured by to pay for a broken leg or two.

served as a holiday. Some went collectively. All materials furnished flected to the earth just as a lamp HALE, hearty and handsome are fishing and some to Hayward's Falls by undersigned. Plans and specifica-Miss Frankie Black, who stepped off Walkerton, Owen Sound, and by Office, Durham.

HE rushed into our office, out of Methodist Church here for the past didn't fret much during her absence. swenty-eight trout that morning before breakfast but none of them

told us that the Club had been over said vehicle or horseman to pass." call from both ladies and our wish is strange visitor, a panoramic view that Miss R's efforts amongst the Celestials may be crowned with success.

> Ox the 24th Mr. Timothy Moran, to think his Friday's dinner was so well provided for.

THE Council met on Monday night as a Court of Revision. Only two

the Furniture Co. Loan Debentures. out.

PERSONAL.

Durham, Ont., Thursday, May 31, 1900.

PREPARATIONS are being made for Miss Merl Allan and Mr. Tom

Miss Annie McKenzia, of the Ayton teaching staff, spent the latter part of last week at her home here.

Miss Carrie Sullivan, of Flesherton, was the guest of Miss Ella Laidlaw over Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Roberts, and her little daughter of Holstein, gave us a brief

held in the Oddfellow's Hall to-mor- in this week's issue. which we will pay the highest price, row night, Friday, to select delegates to attend the Convention held

No. 4 Company.

Will leave for Niagara June 12th Will drill Saturday evenings, May 26th and June 2nd. Recruits want-CAPT. O. M. SNIDER. Co., No. 4, 31st Bat.

Tenders Wanted.

Tenders will be received by the unfown Fathers should see the walks 1900 for the brick and stone work, the shadow of the earth falling upon made safe before being called upon and carpenter work of a brick block, her face. 53x126 feet, two stories high, corner of Garafraxa and Lambton Streets, QUEEN'S Birthday passed off very Durham. Tenders for the different quietly in town, but was strictly ob- works may be made separately or

NORMAN McINTYRE, Durham, Ont

The 24th At Hayward's.

The first picnic, of the season, was held on the Queen's Birthday, at Hayward's Falls, when about seven degree of accuracy with which scienor eight hundred assembled to take tific knowledge and mathamatical part in the sports, and enjoy the hospitality of Mr, and Mrs. W. L. Falkingham, who are now expected to make this an annual event.

sports indulged in on such an occa- being thrown together without desion, such as swinging, boating, sign, and working by mere chance. MRS. Rogers and her daughter Miss racing, etc., while those who didn't The transit of Venus accurred in the mental principles of the itinerant quires the party to turn out of his Margaret Rogers, of Toronto, arrived care to indulge in the more vigorous summer of of 1881, and astromonical system. As a gentleman and a own accord. This is what the Act Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. N. W. exercises, could satisfy their curiosi- calculations show that a recurrence preacher he wears well and the says: "In case a person travelling or Campbell. Miss Rogers left Wednes- ty in viewing nature in its primeval will not take place until the year thoughtful portion of the congrega- being upon the highway in charge of day morning to see other friends pre- grandeur, which truly seems to be 2004. Truly the Heavens declare the

> The rocks, the caves, the waterfall and the forest blending into one harmonious, whole presents to the well worthy of a days' visit, and as he gazes upon the tumbling torrent his mind reverts to the fact that an untold power has, for ages, been go-

> The Rocky Saugeen is well named and now when the giant force of electricity is just being harnessed by man to do his work and reduce his burden, the time seems near at hand when this perpetual power may be changed to serve a more useful purpose. Such are the thoughts that flit through a speculative mind in a speculative age, and ere long that the moter power of the town may get its

Turning briefly to the picnic and its amusements :- The dancing platform was well patronized and many tripped the light fantastic to the

made the night before that the sports ed in great force, scalding Mr. Smith fall while engaged by him and that he up so liberally, and this part of the might be under way with the first pretty severely about the face and (McCalmon) completed the contract a program ended, the platform was

Reeve Staples was asked to take the chair by Mr. Falkingham, and it is needless to say he performed his part all right.

Short addresses were made by Mr. Binnie and Ye Editor, well rendered Edwards is a half sister. and appropriate solos sung by Miss Carrie Greenwood, Mr. Thos. Thomas, Miss Florence Falkingham, Mrs. Falkingham and Miss Werner, the latter being a Durham lady. spirited recitation by Miss Ivy Mc-Govern was well rendered and well received, and the dance went on

We have no doubt all enjoyed themselves, and will be glad of another opportunity to repeat the days

box wasn't more than half full of called on to give an account of about, and arrange for the issuing of o'clock when everything was sold ways on hand.

Though the subject of eclipses is supposedly well taught in our public schools we find that even yet there are men unschooled in the cause of the phenomenon, and a few words of A Conservative meeting will be explanation may not be out of place

Without going into a lengthy definition of eclipse, we may simply say that it is a darkening of a luminous body such as the sun or moon. REV. MR. FARQUHARSON will take PASTURE-We will pasture cows or The moon, in round numbers, is 240, Rev. Mr. Fergason's work at Zion on young cattle at \$3.00 per head for 000 miles from the earth while the Sunday next. No preaching service this season. There is a run of about estimated distance of the sun is 97, children's and misses' fancy straw will be conducted in the Methodist forty acres of good grass, well wat- 000,000. If in the course of her orbit Church here thus giving the mem- ered and shaded. Apply at once as the moon should happen to pass in a bers an opportunity to visit other only a limited number will be taken direct line between the sun and the in. Terms, Cash in advance. R. Mc- earth, the rays of the sun are obstructed and the result is a partial or total eclipse of the sun, as the case may be. Such an occurance always happens about the time of the new moon, when both bodies are on the same side of the earth, or in more technical language when the earth, sun and moon are in syzygy.

> and moon should be in opposition, that is the three in a direct line with the earth between the other two the result would be a total or

The light of the moon is only a reflected light, the light of the sun which shines full upon it being reshining on a brilliant object causes a words expressive of the condition of while others went to Markdale, tions may be seen at J. P. Telford's diminished light to be thrown by the latter in some other direction. Thus may be seen the causes of solar and lunar eclipses, or eclipses of the sun and moon respectively.

The simple witnessing of the eclipses as they occur is not the strangest thing in connection with such phenomena. The wonderful calculation enables us to fortell these events hundreds of years before they occur must lead the thinking mind to reflect on the impossibility of such The program consisted of the usual perfect and complicated machinery glory of God and the firmament showeth His handiwork.

Death of Rev Joseph Edge.

Many of our readers will regret to learn that Rev. Joseph Edge, of London, died at his home on Tuesday

The deceased was born in Glenelg, forty-eight years ago, on one of the Edge farms near Zion. Though he had few educational advantages. by dint of hard work and hard study, he worked his way upward, step by step, until he became President of the London Conference of the Methodist Church, a position made vacant by his untimely death.

In his ministeral work he travelled impetetus from Hayward's Falls the Paisley, Hanover, Clinton, would not be an unreasonable conjec. Godrich and Acton Circuits, and for the last three years he held the pastorate of Wellington Street Church,

Mr. Edge was a success everywhere and popular wherever he was known. He was a fine specimen of physical manhood, vigorous, strong and active and a man of whom his native township may well be proud.

The remains were taken to Owen Sound, and laid away in Greenwood cemetery, this Thursday morning, to await the final resurrection. He leaves a wife and family, who are likely to take up their abode in Owen Sound, to mourn his departure. He has many relatives in this vicinity, of whom, we understand, Mrs. R. T.

Thomas Swallow

Bows to the Public, and is prepared to sell at right prices.

A full stock of hair and face toilets. you are in need.

Just as we write, Monday morning at 9 o'clock, a number of boys and girls, and men and women, are gazing with the naked eye and through smoked glass at the most complete! solar eclipse that has been observable for years in this part of the earth, and many before who never witnessed such a phenomenon will have some

If, on the other hand, the sun

morning last, of spinal meningites.

noney refunded.

Our dandruff remedies are working wonders. Don't fail to try them if

Smoke "Tommy the Barber" cigars.

The Eclipse.

thing to think about in after life.

Razors guaranteed satisfactory or

If your hair is falling out give us a

Our Waterproofs

Ordered For Fall.

Are already in stock. As we haven't room for them we will clear them out at the following ridiculously low prices:

\$10.00 KIND AT \$7.50. 7.50 5.00 3.50. 2.00.

> They come in assorted kinds and colors-some with Velvet Collars, some Double Breasted. cthers with Cape attached.

Although this is not the season for selling Waterproof Coats, we expect that we will not have a coat left in two weeks. The early buyer gets the choice.

. We pay cash for WOOL

Highest Price For Butter and Eggs.

The Busy Store at The Busy Corner.

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Goods will be given

DURING SALE.

See our very large stock of Ready-Made

> Clothing DURING SALE.

Mammoth Moving

Our immense stock in every department must be reduced to onehalf before moving, and as we are fully aware that this can only be done by selling goods at a very small margin, we have decided to slaughter our stock. This is a chance of a life-time, and don't fail to take advantage of it.

BRING ALONG your Butter & Eggs for which the Highest Market Price will Always be Paid.

S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

CALDER'S BLOCK

DURHAM, ONT

Save money by buying your Boots and

DURING SALE.

Shoes here

Great reductions in Blouse Silk Lengths now going on here

DURING SALE.