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J. A. HUNTER
The Big Store - DURHAM, ONT.

GLASCOTT.

The weather continues very warm. Harvesting is about completed. Threshing has commenced, and fall wheat sowing is in operation.

Born—Unto Mr. and Mrs. Thes. Moran, Jr., a daughter. All is well.

Died—At Rochester, N. Y., on the 5th inst., Mrs. Chas. Richards (nee Sarah Lamb). Deceased was a sister of Geo. Lamb, Glascott, and Joseph Lamb, Markdale. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and seven of a family.

Mr. John Ritchie returned to his home at Port Arthur this week after an absence of seven weeks.

We welcome in our midst Mr. and Mrs. Scott who have lately arrived here, and take charge of the management of Mr. John Ritchie's farm.

Mr. Chas. and Miss Elizabeth Boyle left here on the 18th inst for a two months' visit with relatives and friends out west. Their headquarters will be Brandon, where Mr. Boyle's daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ledingham, resides.

Mrs. Geo. Lamb and Miss Sadie left this week for a six weeks' visit

with Mrs. L's parents, brothers and sisters at the Soo, Mich. It is five years since Mrs. L's last trip up the Lakes.

Miss Maude Bigger, of Hespeler, is at present visiting with Miss Minnie Lamb and other schoolmates for a few weeks.

Messrs. C. and S. Boyle have invested in a Massey Harris (S. 4 ft. cut) Binder, which does its work to perfection this season, while Robt. Goodwell also runs a new Peter Hamilton, and concludes it's all right.

VICKERS

Fall wheat sowing is completed in this part with an increased acreage. Mr. Wm. Calvert has rented Mrs. Fraser's farm for a term of years.

Mr. Jos. McCulloch left Tuesday for the city, and will be absent for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corbett returned last week from Sault Ste. Marie looking refreshed by the trip.

Mrs. Hess returned to Hamilton on Saturday, after spending a month with her mother, Mrs. Fraser.

WATERSVILLE.

Well, Mr. Editor, we are alive yet but have been very busy lately, and as the busy spell is over with us for this year we will try and be on Jack a little oftener in the future.

The Purvis Bros. of Berkely have completed the stone work of Mr. Alex. Ellison's barn. Doubtless they have made an A 1 job.

Many were the hearty handshakes extended to Mr. Charles R. Watson, who returned a couple of weeks ago from Sault Ste Marie. Charlie has lost his health while away, so thought it wise to return. We are glad to learn that he is now regaining his usual health again.

On the 29th of August Mr. and Mrs. Gillin Boyd ticketed for Buffalo. During their stay they intend visiting relatives and friends of the latter.

Mr. William Bell is doing a thriving business along the threshing line this season. He has secured the services of Sandy Ellison and William McNally for the fall, and they are doing excellent work.

Mr. Angus McKechnie, accompanied by his sister, Miss May, took advantage of the cheap rates to Toronto last week.

Miss Bertha McNally is spending a few weeks visiting with relatives and friends in Meaford.

On Wednesday night of last week the youth and beauty of our hamlet assembled at the home of Mr. Wellington Dorrner, and we are informed that there was an enjoyable time spent, and when the wee sma' hours of the morning began to creep on, the crowd dispersed and made for their homes or the homes of somebody else in many cases. All who were there that were not in a disagreeable mood, would say that it was a lively time.

Miss Mary Robinson, of Cleveland, paid a flying visit to the parental hearth a short time ago.

The Glenelg Baptist garden party will be held on the evening of Sept. 13th on the lawns of Mr. William Backer. A good time is expected as an A 1 program is in preparation. The following gentlemen are invited to be present and assist in the program:—Rev. Mr. Graham, Dornoch; Rev. Mr. McGregor, Durham; Rev. Mr. Smith, Durham; Mr. M. Richardson, Flesherston; Dr. Landerkin, M. P., Hanover; Dr. Smith, Dornoch; Mr. J. M. Davis, Euphrasia; I. B. Lucas, M. P. P., Markdale. Tea served from 7 to 8 o'clock. Admission 10c and 15c. Proceeds in aid of repairing fund.

They are a jolly pair Miss Minnie Lamb of Glascott and Miss Maude Bigger of Hespeler, who were renewing old acquaintances on the 10th one day last week. It is a number of years since Miss Bigger met with her many schoolmates, and her many friends are according her a hearty welcome.

One of our youths strayed out of the Burgh on Sunday evening and evidently got lost, but having met a winsome lass who took pity on his lonesomeness he returned safely, early on the morning.

Miss May Robinson accompanied by her sister Katie left a short time ago for Cleveland, Ohio, where they intend to remain for some time.

Miss Sarah Flora McArthur Sunday at Mr. Geo. Lamb's, of Glascott.

Miss Alice Boyce, of Crawford, is rusticated at her sister's, Mrs. Geo. Twamley.

Rev. P. M. Campbell left last week for the Queen City where he intends taking in the Exhibition. During his vacation Rev. J. B. McKinnon, of Port Elgin, will be in supply.

ORCHARD

The monkey men were performing on the streets on Sunday last. Such work should be put a stop to on the Sabbath day.

Mr. John Cornish, Jr., has the sympathy of the community in his affliction through the loss of his little boy from Diphtheria. The boy was about five years of age, and Dr. Jamieson did all for him that medical skill could do. We understand that the disease has been spread through some families concealing it from the neighbors. Under such circumstances the school should be closed.

Politics are very quiet. Many of Dr. Landerkin's friends will not support him this time as they think the Government should have provided him with a position, and allow him to retire from the turmoils of election campaigning.

Mr. A. Schram is erecting a fine new barn. Mr. Geo. Schram is doing the stone work.

Mr. John Smith, of Con. 1, Normanby, lost two fine cows a short time ago. It is thought they were poisoned. The loss is a heavy one for a poor man to bear.

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FLESHERTON.

Division Court was held in the Town Hall here on Wednesday of last week, His Honour, Judge Morrison, as usual, presiding. A couple of cases only contained anything of public interest, the first being that of Livermore vs Ritch, a farmer and a farmer. Both parties live near Wareham. The plaintiff sued defendant for \$13.50, for use of horse and squaring foundation for barn which he claimed he had the contract to build. The defendant denied contract for barn, and let it to another party. He also claimed that the squaring was incorrectly done, and that he was to have use of horse for his feed. His Honour, however, held that the squaring done by plaintiff and use of the horse were evidently given in view of the contract claimed, and not given, and therefore gave judgment against defendant for \$10 and costs.

Taylor vs. Neilson, both of Proton Station—The plaintiff hired with the defendant for seven months at \$18 a month. Before the conclusion of two months he left his employer and sued for \$32.80. His Honour held that the plaintiff left his employer without just cause and was therefore, strictly speaking, not entitled to any wages. He was, however, disposed to allow him \$20 without costs, which was satisfactory to defendant's counsel, and judgment was given accordingly. A number of unimportant cases were disposed of and the court adjourned about 3 p. m.

Mr. J. A. Curry, and Engineer Eugene Coste representing a Collingwood Syndicate who are about to commence prospecting for natural gas in Osprey and Artemesia townships appeared before Artemesia Council on Saturday last asking for a franchise to allow them to lay their pipes along the sides of the public highway. After due consideration the franchise was granted as far as the powers of the Council go. Mr. Coste engineered the work in connection with the gas wells in the Welland district, and is of the opinion that the conditions prevail in these townships favorable to a good flow of gas. Agents are now at work among the farmers leasing small pieces of land on which to commence prospecting work, and if gas is found the land owner is to be paid \$25 per annum for each well operated on his property. Should this enterprise prove a success, and we trust it may, it will prove a source of great revenue to the farmers of these townships.

Labor day was observed as a holiday here only by the public school staff.

On Tuesday of last week Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Thompson had their family circle enlarged by the arrival of a young daughter.

Master Jimmie Wilson, of Toronto, aged 4 years, who was visiting his uncle, Mr. Andy Wilson here, was some days ago, while playing with his little cousin, accidentally struck in the eye by a piece of stick which burst the eyeball and totally blinded the eye. The little sufferer was taken to Toronto and an operation was to be performed on Monday on the other eye to try to preserve it, as it has become affected from the injury to the other. Much sympathy is felt for all concerned.

Mr. Joseph Clinton, a teacher in the Methodist Sabbath School, who has been very ill for some time, has so far recovered as to be able to picnic with her class of girls, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent together in that way on Saturday last.

Mr. T. A. Rodger, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Hamilton, spent Sunday with Rev. L. W. Thom here and in the afternoon preached in the Presbyterian church in his usual earnest and effective manner.

Mr. W. Sinclair, of this place, supplied Rev. Buchanan's work at Markdale.

Communion was dispensed in the Baptist church by Pastor Grimshaw,

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who under his present appointment in this charge officiated in that capacity for the last time. Mr. Grimshaw's ministrations have been highly appreciated by his people here, who are loth to part with him, but he has soon to leave to resume his studies in College.

Mr. F. G. Karstedt's horse took fright while at the C. P. R. depot one day last week; upset and slightly damaged his new delivery wagon, but did not succeed in breaking away from the driver.

At a meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance here held a few evenings ago it was resolved that the Field Secretary, Rev. J. G. Shearer, B. A., be invited to address a public meeting here on the work of the Alliance at his earliest convenience.

Messrs. Thos. Clayton, Fred Brown, Robert Hawkins, J. B. Egan and T. Chislett were the Artemesia representatives taken by Mr. W. Trimble to the Reform convention in Durham on Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Hansford and children returned to their home in Toronto on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Bellamy.

Miss Christoe left on Monday to spend a couple of weeks in Toronto and while there discharge the pleasing duties of bridesmaid for one of her young friends.

Miss Maud Richardson is home from Toronto for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Richardson. Miss Richardson came by way of Collingwood and Owen Sound, where she visited friends and enjoyed the lake breezes for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Henderson left last week to visit for a few weeks with relatives in Toronto and Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bell, of Lauriston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strain on Friday last.

Mr. John Kingston returned last week from Grace Hospital, Toronto, where he was nursed through an attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. Richard Parslow, of Swinton Park, visited last week with his daughter Mrs. Percy Lawrence.

Mr. Richard Smith and daughter, Miss Maud, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Jacobs and family and Mr. J. Cuthbert, of Parry Sound, are visiting at Mr. A. Kenny's, 4th line.

Mrs. R. Ruthven, Clarksburg, visited her brother, Mr. F. Cairns last week. Mrs. J. Mitchell accompanied her and visited her aunt, Mrs. W. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. Batson, of Markdale, were in town on Sunday, bidding good-bye to old friends.

Mr. Percy Lawrence and the editor of the Advance left on Wednesday of last week on a wheeling tour and among other places visited Penetang, Midland, Waubashene, Orillia, and Barrie, returning home Monday. They made 76 miles in their first day's run, spent one day fishing at Orillia and Sundayed in the pretty town of Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart spent from Saturday till Monday with friends at Collingwood and Fever-sham.

Miss Parks left on Monday to visit her sister in Toronto.

Mrs. Alex McCalmon and Miss Heron took in the Fair and spent Sunday with friends in the city.

BORN.

NICHOL—In Durham, on Thursday, Aug. 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nichol, a son.

DIED.

BULL—On Sept. 3rd, 1900, at Pincher Creek, Alberta, Robert Burgess Bull, late of Durham.

MARRIED.

LOVE—Cook—At the home of the bride's parents, Rosedale Farm, Traverston, on August 29th, Ella M. Cook, daughter of Thomas Cook, to John Love, of Glenelg Tp., by Rev. Wray H. Smith.

DON'T BE DUPED

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

By dealers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers. Announcements of these comparatively worthless reprints are very misleading. They are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, while they are all reprints of a book of over fifty years ago, which was sold for about \$5.00, and which was much superior to these imitations, being a work of some merit instead of one Long Since Obsolete.

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FALL FAIR.

The Western Fair, London, Sep. 6-15	
Great Northern, Collingwood, " 18-21	
East Grey, Flesherton, October 2-3	
Glenelg, Markdale, Sept. 20-21	
Centre, Walters Falls, " 25-26	
St. Vincent, Meaford, " 27-28	
Euphrasia, Rocklyn, Oct. " 5	
North Grey, O. Sound " 16-17	
Central Canada, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22	
Kemble Agl. Society " 27-28	
South Grey, Durham " 25-26	
Orangeville, " 28-29	
Shelburne Sept. 25-26	
Walkerton " 18-19	
Owen Sound " 12-13	
Strathroy " 17-19	
Goderich " 18-19	
Berlin " 18-19	
Listowel " 18-19	
Guelph " 18-20	
Millmay " 20	
Pinkerton " 20	
Palmerston " 25-26	
Teeswater " 25-26	

Market Report.

DURHAM, SEPT. 5, 1900.

Fall Wheat	\$ 60	\$ 65
Spring Wheat	60	65
Oats	25	25
Peas	55	55
Barley	35	40
Hay	7 00	7 00
Butter	15	16
Eggs per dozen	11	12
Apples per bag	50	75
Potatoes per bag	60	60
Flour per cwt.	2 00	2 50
Oatmeal per sack	2 00	2 00
Chop per cwt.	90	1 00
Dressed Hogs per cwt.	7 75	7 75
Hides per lb.	5 1/2	6
Sheepskins	25	50
Turkeys per lb.	8	9
Geese per lb.	5	5
Ducks per pair	40	50
Wool	16	17

Hardware!

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Another Shipment of Hammocks. Do not lose the last opportunity of the season to get one.

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CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 42, con. 2, E. G. R., Glenelg, about Aug. 1, one ewe and lamb. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

ROBERT EDGE, Edge Hill.

CAME ASTRAY

Strayed to the premises of the undersigned, lot 7, con. 2, Glenelg, on or about the 19th of July, a ram lamb. Owner may have it by proving property and paying expenses.

JOHN McNALLY, Traverston P. O., August 28, 2.

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