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LOCAL NEWS.

Buy one of the latest Hats at The Big Store.

BILLS for the first installment of taxes will be sent out this week.

FOR SALE.—Pure Bred Jersey Bull Calf, Registered Pedigree. Apply to F. PEELE.

MR. JAS. McMULLEN, M. P., was chosen as the Liberal Candidate for North Wellington, on Monday last.

MR. W. H. BEAN wishes to announce that he has secured the agency of the money order branch of the Canadian Express Company.

The Big Store windows this week are better than ever. Mr. Robert McCracken as a window dresser is hard to beat.

MR. J. A. HUNTER, of The Big Store, will have a large exhibit of furs and ladies' mantles at the Fall Fair. This is a good move.

THERE are still a number of Prize Lists left over, which may be had from the Secretary, Mr. A. Davidson, or by calling at this office.

We had a decided frost on Tuesday morning. A couple of ladies say there wasn't any up town, but we didn't enquire what time they got up on that particular morning.

REPAIRS and improvements are now being made on the McKechnie stand, to fit it up in up-to-date style for Mr. C. McArthur who will occupy it after the first of next week.

MR. JACOB KRESS, while at the Western Fair in London purchased a new harse which cost him in the neighborhood of a thousand dollars. He will have it home this week.

THE Ladies Aid wish to announce that on the second day of the Fair, Wednesday, they will serve luncheon in the Town Hall from 11 a. m. to 1:30 p. m., for the modest sum of 15c and tea from 5:30 to 7:30 at the same price. In the Hall will be a table of useful articles which will be disposed of to all who wish to purchase.

The Big Store

J. A. HUNTER.

Everybody...

should attend the

Durham Fair, SEPT. 25 & 26.

THE BIG STORE will be there as large as life and twice as natural, with a

Large Exhibit of

Furs & Mantles.

CALL AND SEE US. The Fair will be better than ever all through this year.

J. A. HUNTER, DURHAM.

A FULL line of trunks, telescopes, lunch boxes etc. at the Shoe Store.

THE CHRONICLE and Mail and Empire only 40c. for the balance of 1900.

NEW wallpapers at The Big Store. Special lines at 3c. a roll.

TEACHERS wanted in S. S. No. 1, Normandy, and No. 3, Bentinck. See ads.

OWING to the Fair next week, papers usually mailed Wednesday noon will not be sent out till the following day.

THE Rev. W. G. Reilly, rector of Chatsworth, will conduct the Harvest Home services in Trinity church and Allan's School House, Egremont, on Sunday next, and preach special Thanksgiving sermons.

SATURDAY'S Globe contained a portrait of old Ben Derrick, of Williamsford, a negro supposed to be 125 years of age, who escaped from slavery and settled in this country seventy-five years ago.

DR. HUTTON, late of Priceville, has removed to Durham where he will carry on the practice of his profession. Office rear of drug store, Calder's block, next door to Dr. Holt, Dentist. Will visit Priceville daily till further notice.

WE regret to learn of the sad and unexpected death of Mr. H. P. O'Connor, of Walkerton, which occurred on Thursday morning last as the result of a fall from his horse on the Sunday previous. He was a clever lawyer and as a politician was a strong man in the Liberal ranks.

MR. LAVELLE sold his residence here on Tuesday morning last, Rev. Father Hauch, of Markdale being the purchaser. Mrs. Lavelle and family will move this week to Toronto, and we trust they may enjoy themselves in their new home. They have always proved themselves good citizens and while we regret to lose them, we are pleased to welcome Father Hauch their successor, a gentleman whom we have always found a man of sterling principles.

WHILE making up train in Hamilton on Tuesday night last week, Conductor Milligan met with a serious accident. A trench had been dug in the railway yards in order to reach a sewer pipe, and in the darkness he stepped into the drain and fell across the rails, injuring his abdomen and rupturing an artery, which died internally. Mr. Milligan, not knowing that the injury was dangerous, brought his train to Palmerston. Conductor Milligan is well known in Grey and Wellington counties, having run from Durham to Palmerston for many years, and we are sorry to hear of the mishap that will lay him off for a few weeks. —Clifford Express.

FROM "The Rocky Mountain Echo," published at Pincher Creek, we clip the following obituary notice of the late Robert Bull:—It is our sad duty this week to have to chronicle the death of Mr. R. B. Bull, who departed this life at 4 o'clock, on Monday afternoon last, at the age of 60 years. Mr. Bull came here from Durham, Ont., about a year ago, on account of his health, and for a time the change seemed to do him good, but for the past month he had been failing rapidly. Mr. Bull leaves a widow and three daughters, who have the sympathy of the whole community in this their sad bereavement. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place from his late residence, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and was under control of the Masonic fraternity, of which he was a member. He was also a member of the A. O. U. W. in the east and his lodge there has been notified of his death.

THE Annual Exhibition for South Grey will be held here on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. It is important to intending exhibitors to know that Rule 24 says:—"All entries must be made on or before Saturday, Sept. 22." This will save the secretary considerable trouble and prevent a rush later on, when all the time is needed for other work. A number of copies of the prize list are still on hand, and may be had by applying to the secretary. From the long list of prizes offered and the speeding attractions of the second day there seems no reason why this exhibition should not equal, or even excel, any of those held in previous years. The test of speed for Farm Horses, for which the purse is \$25, and the open race test, for a purse of \$100.00, will be well contested, and we expect to see some good horses on the track. We hope to see everyone within a radius of ten miles present, and many others from beyond that limit. This is our own local, let it be well patronized.

MATTER crowded out again.

GET your fall boots at the Shoe Store.

THE best boot and shoe trade is done at the Shoe Store.

MAYOR LAIDLAW and family are now comfortably settled in their handsome new residence on Mill Street.

DR. HUTTON who succeeds Dr. Freil is in town every day himself, and will move his family shortly. We must do the orthodox thing and say, "we welcome Dr. and Mrs. Hutton to our midst."

THE list of Entries for South Grey Exhibition are rushing in rapidly, and present indications are that the show will eclipse anything yet held in Durham. Don't forget the dates, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Everybody come!

As we go to press a little earlier than usual this week we are unable to give an obituary of the late Mr. W. H. Benton, who died here on Tuesday after a few weeks illness of Anemia. The deceased was a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters, who will conduct the funeral. He leaves a widow and three children to whom we extend our sympathy.

SAYS an exchange: "A sensible young lady made the following dying request of her friends: 'Do not lay me down by the rippling brookside lest the babbling lovers wake me from my dreams; nor in the beautiful cemetery in the valley lest sightseers cooing over epitaphs distract me; but let my sleep be under the counter of the merchant and businessman generally who never advertise. There is peace that passeth all understanding, and a deep sleep into which neither the buoyant footfall of youth nor the weary shuffle of old age will ever intrude.'"

DR. SPROULE was again nominated as the Conservative candidate for the Commons in Centre Grey at the Convention held in Markdale on Thursday last. At the same meeting the present member in the local legislature was again the unanimous choice for East Grey. There is very little doubt about the returns of both gentlemen to their respective positions. Addresses were made by President Kells, Vandeleur; Dr. Scott, Maxwell; Nicholas Reid, St. Vincent; Jas. A. Thompson, reeve of Sullivan; Wm. Cook, Meaford; Matthew Richardson, Flesherton; Thomas Adams, Thornbury; and Messrs Sproule and Lucas, the nominees of the Convention.

Lane—McIlvride.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Friday evening at the residence of Rev. E. A. Henry, when Mr. R. Lane was married to Miss Jessie McIlvride. The contracting parties are well known in Brandon. Mr. Lane being the senior member of the firm of Lane & Elvies, transfer coal and wood merchants, while the bride is a sister of Ald. McIlvride, who has been visiting her brother for the last three or four months. The happy couple have the best wishes of large circle of friends for their future happiness.—Brandon Times.

General Items.

It is reported that 2200 members of official families committee suicide when the Allies entered Pekin.

Mayor Smith, of Chatham, was chosen Saturday as the Conservative candidate for the County of Kent.

London, Sept. 16.—A special despatch from Naples says an agent of the Transvaal states that the object of Mr. Kruger's visit to Europe is to negotiate a settlement with Great Britain and that he has full power to act to that end.

A special cable to the Mail and Empire from Pretoria says: "There is strong reason to believe that General De Wet, who has caused the British so much trouble, was killed on Sept. 7th near Potchefstroom. His Kaffir servant, who has reached Vereeniging, states that General De Wet was shot through the lungs and died a few hours afterwards. The British captured forty-two engines at Barberton. At present, however, they are of no use, as Kaapmuiden, the place where the Barberton road joins the main railway is still in the hands of the Boers.

DIED.

BENTON—In Durham, on Tuesday, Sept. 18th, W. H. Benton, age 41 years.

ARROWSMITH—In Georgetown, on Tuesday September 11, 1900, David B. Arrowsmith, age 31 years, 3 mos., 5 days.

TUCKER—In Durham, on Sunday, Sept. 16, Walter Tucker, aged 82 years 5 months and 22 days.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jamieson returned home on Monday.

Dr. Jamieson paid a short visit to Buffalo on Saturday last.

Mr. Ed. McClocklin, Philadelphia, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Jake Kress attended the London Fair.

Miss Arrowsmith left for Saginaw Monday morning last.

Mr. A. McLachlan was in Walkerton Friday last.

Mrs. Tucker, of Port Elgin, attended the funeral of Mr. W. Tucker.

Mrs. Lynn, of Allan Park, visited her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Redford.

Mr. Chas. F. Sawrey, of Owen Sound, gave us a call, Wednesday morning.

Mr. D. J. Cochrane, familiarly known as "Jack," returned to school in Toronto Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bridges, of Belgrave, attended the funeral of the late Mr. Walter Tucker.

Miss Dolly Nester, of Owen Sound, spent a few days in town last week the guest of friends.

Mr. Chas. Colville, of Chesley, visited his brother, Mr. Jas. Colville, a day or so last week.

Reeve Mark Armstrong, of Markdale, was in town Saturday and gave us a brief call.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blakeston, of Priceville, were in town Saturday last.

Miss Annie Watt, left for Guelph for a prolonged visit on Wednesday, yesterday morning.

Miss Laidlaw, of Hanover, spent a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Redford.

Mr. Geo. Lamb, of Glascott, gave us a call Tuesday morning bright and early.

Mrs. W. Black and her daughter, Miss Frankie, returned to town Friday last from a visit to Southampton.

Miss Kinsman, of Toronto, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Daniel Greenwood, at Edge Hill.

Miss Dick, of London, returned last week to again take charge of the millinery department at Ireland's & Co.'s.

Mr. J. Lavelle, Ex-Conductor of the road from here to Palmerston, now of Toronto, was in town this week.

Mr. C. W. Armstrong, representing The National Publishers Association, of Cleveland, spent a day or so in town last week on business.

Mr. Frank Dewar returned to Detroit Saturday morning after spending a week or two with his brother here.

Mr. E. O. Windsor, whom we knew from boyhood, is in town prepared to attend to anything in organ and piano tuning.

Miss N. Davidson, of Peterboro', is in town attending her brother, Barrister Davidson, who is somewhat seriously ill at present.

Barristers Telford and McCaul and Mr. J. P. Park attended the funeral of the late Mr. H. P. O'Connor, at Walkerton, Friday last.

Miss Sophia Jack returned from Guelph Monday, and will remain home as her father's condition requires considerable attention.

Messrs. Henry Tucker and T. Chislett, of Ceylon, attended the funeral of the late Walter Tucker on Tuesday afternoon last.

Mr. M. Richardson drove through town Tuesday. We understand his political prospects are getting better every day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Moore, accompanied by Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Moore's sister, leave shortly for Victoria, B. C. where they will reside.

Sandy McArthur and Jack Campbell were at Swinton Park and Priceville on Sunday last. Their reception was such that they intend to go often, especially Sandy.

Miss Lauder and her sister, Miss Bertha Lauder, of Kamloops, B. C., who visited a number of friends in town during the past five or six weeks, return to-day to resume studies in Toronto.

Mr. J. W. Armstrong, formerly a jeweller in Flesherton, latterly of Lucknow, but now a jewellery traveller having Canada and the United States for his field gave us a brief call on Monday while in town a few hours.

FALL WANTS.

Oils and Paints, Whiting, Paris White, Alabastine, Glues, Brushes, Varnishes, Machine Oil, Harness Oil, Coal Oil and Lamps, at

PARKER'S DRUG STORE

BUNESSAN.

Miss Maggie Beaton has gone to town for the fall and winter season to learn the millinery business with Miss Culbertson.

Joe Firth has gone to Edge Hill to work for a month. If only there's some nice girls within reach Joe won't mind the work.

"It's a good reminder of an old corauroy road" is the verdict of the old settler every time he passes over that new covering of a bridge between here and Durham.

Now for that letter from China, Mr. Editor. That leader on the Toronto Exhibition is rather hard on the country cousins. If the thing were figured out by somebody who could see more than one side of the question, the balance for free meals, etc., would easily come out on the side of the farmer. Think of the city and town agents, etc., who never pay for a meal!

Now that Chas. G. Robson has spoken we'll all hide our heads with shame for being guilty of having used such an antique thing as vertical writing and we'll once more adopt the Spencerian system, and aim also to become the equal or the superior of anything on the—aw—American continent.

The many friends the late Dr. Freil made in this district were much grieved indeed to hear of his sudden death. His skill and friendliness were rapidly extending his patients here, and soon he might have had almost the entire care of our sick. We are sorry he has gone, and we hope his wife and child may not grieve as those without hope.

Another death too has occurred which we must notice; that of Mrs. Archie Beaton. Her end was rather sudden, but Mrs. Beaton was one of those who was ever ready for the Master's call, so it could not take her unawares. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

WILL WORK AT NIGHT.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cures Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c. at all drug stores.

DORNOCH

Mr. David Robinson left last week to accept a remunerative position in Sault Ste. Marie.

Rev. Mr. Graham occupied a pulpit in Desboro last Sabbath, his pulpit here was very acceptably filled by a Student.

Miss Colena Campbell, of Toronto, is this week a welcome inmate of the parental home here.

Editor Ramage, of the Review, was last week a welcome caller in the village and vicinity.

Misses Corlett and McCracken left on Saturday last for Chicago where they intend to reside for some time.

Mr. John F. Campbell, of Clonnet, Minn., is at present filling a place in the family circle that has long been vacant. Mr. Campbell was born and spent his boyhood days in the vicinity, but left while young for the American side and there with integrity, pluck and perseverance has accumulated and enjoys a remunerative position as superintendent of a railway line.

Mr. C. Robinson, who has been absent for a number of years in Rat Portage, is enjoying home comforts here at present.

Enapke's gang of Masons are this week hard at work on the masonry of H. Alexander's new barn, size 55x70.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hooper, of Top Cliff, Glenelg, were the beginning of the week visiting in this vicinity.

Rev. Dr. Smith, late of Indore, India, is to lecture on Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian Church on the Manners and Customs of India.

Mr. F. Bray of Toronto, is renewing former acquaintances in the vicinity during the last couple of weeks.

Misses Elsie Ledingham and Smith left Monday for Owen Sound to attend the Y. P. C. A. which met on Tuesday.

Inspector Campbell made his semi-annual visit to the schools in the vicinity and as usual found the school laws strictly complied with.

Mr. Geo. Scheuermann leaves to-day for Lions Head where he has secured a good position as a cooper.

On Wednesday, the 13th inst., at the home of Mr. John Riddell, Sullivan township, the ceremony was performed which indissolubly linked Mr. Neil Wilson, formerly of Traverston, to Miss Jessie H. Riddell, as man and wife. To the happy couple we extend congratulations.

HOT WEATHER BARGAINS. Shirt Waists and Wrappers. We have a few Shirt Waists and Wrappers left that must be cleared out within the next two weeks, and to do so we will sell the balance of these goods at cost, and when we say cost we mean cost. Come Early and Secure a Bargain Before They Are All Picked Over. J. & J. HUNTER. The Busy Store on The Street.

Great Moving Sale! We have decided to move into our new store Within Next 20 Days. We don't want to move more goods than we can possibly help, and are fully alive to the fact that this means the prices must be the leverage to turn it into money. During this Great Sale we will sell goods at prices that will put competition out-of-sight and make buyers forget that "times are close." Everything Must Go. Remember this is a Genuine Moving Sale. S. F. MORLOCK, Cash and One Price. Calder's Block, Durham.