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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

NEW spring stock of boots and shoes just arrived at S. F. Morlock's.

SEE Morlock's change of ad. Special cuts on men's and boys' clothing.

THERE is no tea better than Blue Ribbon tea. You can get it at J. & J. Hunters'.

CALL and see the nicest range of new spring dress goods ever shown in Durham.—S. F. Morlock.

PRIESTLEY'S black dress goods, guaranteed qualities, at J. & J. Hunters'.

PRIESTLEY'S black cravenette waterproof, 60 ins wide, only \$1.35 a yard at J. & J. Hunters'.

CEYLON Planing Mills for sale or to rent, or would exchange for farm or village property.—R. P. Legate & Co.

PRICEVILLE correspondent gives a lengthy account of the death of Mr. Neil McKee including the result of the coroner's inquest.

IN our list of professional cards Miss Margaret G. Gun, musical graduate, makes an important announcement.

COAL OIL.—W. Black is an extensive dealer in Coal Oil. He has just received another carload. It is easy deciding what quality he stocks by the quantity he sells.

A MEETING for the purpose of organizing the Durham Lacrosse Club for the coming season will be held in the office of W. S. Davidson on Thursday evening, Feb. 20th, at 7:30 sharp. A full attendance is requested.

MISS Belle McDougall, whose marriage takes place this (Wednesday) afternoon, is the first lady in Durham to win "The Chronicle" on our terms. Five more will be similarly given, to the next five Durham ladies who get married before the April 1st. Next!

OUR Merchant Tailor, Mr. Glass, tells us that next week he will advertise a great surprise in the line of good suits at low prices. He is getting in a large stock, and claims to have the most perfect cutting system known to the trade. Look out for his ad. next week.

OUR Conservative friends must not forget that next Wednesday is the day fixed for the annual meeting of the party. Messrs. Hoyle and McDiarmid are able men, and to hear them will repay every lover of good and honest government. Next Wednesday, Feb. 26th, at 1 p. m.

MR S. A. HERRINGER, of Mount Forest, spent a week or so in town, papering and painting the Star Restaurant now occupied by Mr. T. J. Jordan, successor to Mr. Healy. The work is artistically done and the transformation is such that one would scarcely think it was the same place.

THE Star Restaurant, now run by Mr. T. J. Jordan who bought out Mr. Healy, was formally opened for business on Monday night last. For some days back the place has been undergoing repairs and refitting, and now it presents a neat, tidy appearance. The band was in attendance at the opening and the sales of the evening, we understand, were quite satisfactory. Mr. Jordan's ad appears in this issue, and with the increasing population, and consequently increased necessity for everything in his line, we have no doubt he will soon merit a fair share of public patronage. He is a general, off-handed, young man, and we wish him a full measure of success.

"THE Wily Celestial"—a Chinese cakewalk, by Ande Webb, is a musical composition in an entirely new vein. It is published in the February number of the J. W. Pepper Piano Magazine. The piece is a genuine musical novelty and will command the attention of all who hear it. There is a combination of the Oriental and the African which is altogether new and fresh and the contrasting effects are interwoven in a way which is very ingenious. In addition to the music, the publishers have added 22 pages of fine musical literature, illustrated with half-tones, of some of our leading vaudiville artists 21 complete pieces for the piano—10 songs, 11 instrumental—25 cents. For sale by all newsdealers.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

CHURCH NOTES.

TRINITY.
Divine Service next Sunday at Aberdeen.

Service and Sermon in Trinity church Friday evening at 7:30.

BAPTIST.
The Young People's Union gave a Social evening in the church on Monday last which was well attended by the members of the Society and their friends. The early part of the evening was spent in social chat until Mr. Bell, the President, called the meeting to order, and in a neat little speech welcomed all present. A program was presented consisting of speeches, recitations and singing. Tea and coffee were served and the remainder of the evening was spent pleasantly among them. Mrs. Newton sang a couple of solos which added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening and the singing of the Doxology brought to a close a most successful gathering.

METHODIST.
There was an unusually large attendance at the Quarterly Sacramental Service on Sunday morning. The names of a number of candidates for membership in the church, by letter and on profession of faith, were introduced by the pastor.

The Young People's Epworth League of Christian Endeavor resumed its meetings on Monday evening. The new Topic Cards are now in the hands of the members, and the services will be run with increased interest in the future. Topic for Monday evening "Obedience," introduced by Miss S. Carson and Mr. G. Yiirs.

The third quarterly official board meeting was held on Monday afternoon. The financial report for the nine months of the connexional year was highly encouraging. A second hundred dollars has been paid on the debt since the November meeting. The quarterly statement of receipts will be placed in the hands of contributors in the first week of March.

Mr. A. Catton took the morning service at Varney on account of the sickness of Rev. J. C. Pomeroy.

The pastor will be in charge of the services next Sunday. In the morning subject "What's in a Name?" in the evening "The Master's Mathematician."

Zion—Sacramental Service will be conducted on Sunday by the pastor, and the quarterly love-feast will be held.

PRIESTLEY'S black broadcloth, Priestley's wool sateen, Priestley's black sole cloth, satin finish, at J. & J. Hunters'.

Low Rates to The North-West.

Beginning March 1st and every day thereafter during the months of March and April, 1902, the Great Northern Railway will sell one-way settlers' tickets at very low rates to almost all points on its main line west of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Low rates will also be made in connection with the Great Northern from Chic. go.

The journey must begin on the day of sale of the ticket, and tickets will be good for stop-over ten days or less at points on the Great Northern Railway west of, and including Havre, Mont.

This is the best opportunity that has ever been offered to parties who wish to investigate the many advantages offered them in the great Northwest. For rates, time tables, and full illustrated information, call on or write Chas. W. Graves, District Passenger Agent, 6 King St. West (room 12), Toronto, Ont.

New prints, new shirtings, new flannelottes, just to hand.—S. F. Morlock.

A Unique Christmas Present.

A few days ago we saw a very unique Christmas present in the hands of Mr. Robert Aljoe, Jr. It consists, as the following rhyme explains, of a piece of an old worn out coat, from which a square about six or eight inches was cut. The edges were frayed out and two Union Jacks painted at the top, and beneath it was nicely penned the home-made verses attached hereto. The donor of the singular present was Mr. Fred Downs, formerly of Toronto, but now of Heidelberg, South Africa, where he is engaged in the War. The present was sent to his mother, Mrs. Karis, sister of Mrs. Aljoe. The following is the verse:

A SOLDIER'S GREETINGS.

New Year's greetings to all at home he sent. A soldier who is not with the best of his friends. On a piece of khaki from an old coat he'd worn. Discarded because it was tattered and torn. It's not a gift of high or highly priced card. But it carried his best and kindest regards.

TO DEAR MOTHER, BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

FROM FRED.

People We Know

THE GOING AND COMING OF VISITORS IN THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

Miss Hutton, of Port Barwell, spent a day or two at home since last issue.

Mrs. Geo. A. McKay, of Port Elgin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Kepkey.

Mr. Billings, of Jackson, Michigan, has returned to town to resume work on the cement works.

Mr. Thos. McDonald, of Morrisburg, was in town Saturday and gave us a call and a dollar.

Mr. John Ehrhard, bookkeeper of the Cement Co. is in Toronto this week.

Mr. Carl Newton came home last week from the Guelph Business College.

Mr. G. McKechnie left Tuesday morning to attend a meeting of the Directors of the Cement Co.

Mr. Frank Livingston left this week for Montreal where he intends to engage in the piano business. We wish him every success.

Mrs. Martin, accompanied by Mrs. E. Rowe, left Saturday morning for her home in Boston after spending a few weeks with friends in town.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. G. Boone and family, of London, came up Monday night for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. McDougall and family.

Miss Nellie Morton, Durham, returned to Teeswater with her cousin, Miss Morton, who has been visiting at Mr. Thos. Morton's for a few days.

Mr. Peter McDougall and his sister, Miss Sara, of Fiverton, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. McDougall this week.

Mrs. Ed Redburn returned last week to her home in Fergus after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watt.

Misses Hazel and Flora McGregor returned to town Thursday night last, after an extended visit with friends in Montreal, Ottawa and other places. Their many friends in town were glad to welcome them back again.

Not The One He Ment

It is said that a certain well known commercial traveller, of this city, was once passionately fond of honey, but isn't so any more. It came about this way: He was a regular visitor at a hotel in a northern town and the proprietor knowing his taste for honey always had some on hand for him. On one trip he took his wife along and as he approached the hotel he mentioned to her that they were going to a place where he could have honey. When the pair were sitting at the supper table no honey appeared and the travelling man said sharply to the head waiter "Where is my honey?" The waiter smiled and said "You mean the little black haired one?—Oh, she don't work here now." And the drummer never did get it fixed up satisfactory with his wife.

New Restaurant in Durham

IN J. C. HEALY'S OLD STAND. . .

Oysters! Oysters!

If you want Oysters Stewed, Fried, Raw or in Bulk, or if you want a good square Lunch, call on us.

We carry a well assorted stock of CHOICE GROCERIES,

Chocolates, Creams, Fancy Biscuits, Etc., Etc., and we deliver goods to any part of the town.

Yours for BUSINESS

T. J. JORDAN, Star Grocery and Restaurant.

Bargains . .

Big Bargains at Keeler's New Jewellery Store.

THIS WEEK we will give Special Bargains in Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silverware, Spectacles and Eyeglasses, Etc.

Can you see as well as you should? If not, come in and let us show you our new way of fitting Spectacles and Eyeglasses. EYES TESTED FREE.

WE ARE expert Watchmakers, Jewellers, Engravers and Opticians. R. B. Keeler is the only man in the county with a Watch factory experience.

Fifty Dollars Reward for a Watch that I cannot repair. All our work is guaranteed to give satisfaction. All goods bought at KEELER'S engraved free.

R. B. KEELER & SON
Two Big Jewellery Stores.
DURHAM - AND - HESPELER

C. O. F. Banquet.

The Canadian Order of Foresters held their annual banquet at the Middaugh House on Friday night, when about sixty members of the fraternity and a few other invited guests partook of one of the nice suppers Mine Host and Hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Hahn are so able to prepare. Oysters and turkey were served in abundance, while fruit, tempting ham, and the choicest pastry were lavishly spread before the fraternity, and disposed of, only as a happy, healthy community can dispose of such articles.

For a time the waiters were busy, but the cravings of the inner man were ultimately satisfied, when Dr. Jamieson was called upon to occupy the chair, a position, he occupied on this occasion with great satisfaction to all concerned. It was nearly midnight, but notwithstanding this the annual event must be finished in the orthodox fashion, by a few after dinner speeches. The first toast was to His Majesty, the King, in which all joined heartily in singing the National Anthem.

Mr. White, Grand Secretary of the Order was present, and was next called on by the chairman. For about half an hour he delighted the audience in his interesting account of the origin and growth of the Canadian Order of Foresters. They originated in Canada and were a purely Canadian Institution. For the first few years their growth was not rapid, and some difficulties were experienced in procuring funds to meet their first death claims. Subsequently, however, the order began to flourish, and of late years the growth has been phenomenal, the present membership being over 45,000, and all Canadians. The surplus now in the treasury is \$1,150,000. The amount paid in 1901 on death claims was in the neighborhood of \$215,000. The funds in the Society are invested in good securities, and earning good interest for the order. Many other points were discussed that were assuredly of interest to the members and could have no effect other than a high inspiration of confidence in the stability of the Order. Mr. White is an enthusiast in Canadian Forestry and no doubt his visit will leave a good impression.

Mr. R. Elliott, of Ingersoll, High Chief Ranger, was the next speaker, and intensified the importance of the Order by going extensively into its financial aspect. The address was well delivered, and the speaker showed so complete a knowledge of all details, and manifested such sincerity that he too inspired the brethren with a fuller confidence in the nobility of the order.

Rev. Mr. Smith, a member of the order, was called upon and for a few minutes entertained and edified all present.

At about half past one the meeting was brought to a close votes of thanks to the chairman and speaker, after which all again joined in the National Anthem.

HIGHEST cash price paid for raw furs at Peel's.—tr.

DR. GEO. S. BURT.

Late Assistant Roy. London Ophthalmic Hos., Eng., and to Golden Sq. Throat and Nose Hos.

Specialist: Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose EXCLUSIVELY.

Will be at the Middaugh House 1st Wednesday of each month, from 2 to 6 p. m.

S. F. MORLOCK

CLOTHING SALE

The Large Sales reached during the past few months is proof that shoppers appreciate the Style, Fit, Quality and Price of our Clothing, and to make room for a large shipment of Spring Clothing arriving shortly. We will clear the balance of Odd Lines at a Great Sacrifice.

Boys' Suits and Ulsters

- 10 Boys' Suits \$2.00, cut price \$1.50
- 13 Boys' Suits \$2.75, cut price \$2.25
- 9 Boys' Suits \$3.00, cut price \$2.50
- 20 Boys' Suits \$4.25, cut price \$3.00
- 18 Boys' Odd Pants, cut price 75

Men's Suits That Please

- 10 Men's Serge Suits going at \$2.75
- 13 Men's Tweed Suits going at \$4.00
- 11 Men's Tweed Suits going at \$5.00
- 20 Men's Tweed Suits going at \$7.50
- 8 Men's Large Size Ulsters \$5.50, for \$4.00

All Odd Lines must go at a sacrifice. Now is your chance to buy a good Suit or Overcoat for little money. Try us for Good Clothing.

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

S. F. MORLOCK

BOOTS AND SHOES



Big Reductions in Boots and Shoes to Clear for Our New Spring Stock.

J. & J. HUNTER

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER.