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Friday, August 8th, has been Proclaimed a Civic Holiday for Durham.

Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

SEE Peel's ad.

CIVIC HOLIDAY, August 8th.

TENDERS wanted to construct tank in town. See ad.

10c. towelling for 5c. at The Big Store.—J. A. Hunter.

For great summer shoes call at Peel's.

5c. line snaps for 2c. at The Big Store Hardware Dept.

BUY your children strap slippers at Peel's.

BUCK'S Happy Thought Ranges at The Big Store are the best made.

SHREDED Coconut, Jelly Powder and Quick Tapioca at Grant's.

SLASHING sale of women's summer skirts and clothing at The Big Store.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Jersey calf, registered pedigree, cheap. Apply to F. Peel.—tf.

A LARGE quantity of McCormick Binding Twine to be disposed of at the Durham Foundry.

BUY Rogers' machine oil at The Big Store Hardware Dept. It's the best.

The Durham band begs to acknowledge with thanks a contribution of five dollars received from the Methodist church recently. E. D. McClocklin, Secretary.

SCHOOL SECTION No. 1, Glenelg, (Bunessan) put a new bell on the School house this week. This is another right step, as a bell is a part of all proper school equipment.

The residence of Mr. Lachlan McDougall about a mile east of Priceville was struck by lightning on Saturday, July 19th, and totally destroyed together with most of the contents.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. Herbert W. Noble, a young man of twenty-four years. About four years ago he contracted a severe cold which affected his lungs, and developed into consumption from which he lingered on until Thursday of last week when death brought release. On Sunday afternoon his remains were interred in Durham Cemetery whither they were followed by a large concourse of relatives and friends. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved mother and family.

REV. MR. MOOREHOUSE, an Episcopal clergyman, addressed a full hall here on Friday night last. The topic was "Success in Life," and was graphically presented from many sides, the enumeration of which we must at present pass over. The subject, of course, is a broad one, and capable of a very varied treatment. In connection with the lecture there was a very brief programme of song the principal performers being Mrs. (Rev.) Newton, Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder, Miss Meredith and Mr. J. A. Hunter. A vote of thanks to the speaker and entertainers by Inspector Campbell and Rev. Mr. Farquharson followed by the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close. Rev. Mr. Ryan occupied the chair in a very acceptable manner.

At the late meeting of the County Council by a vote of nine to seven it was decided that Grey should have a poor house. A committee was appointed to look into the matter, and report as to location and other details. Durham put in a claim and accordingly a deputation visited town on Tuesday consisting of Owen Sound, Shute, of Holland, Harness of Derby, Agnew, of Meaford, McArthur of Priceville, Allan, of Egremont, McLean, of Bentinck, McKinnon (The Warden), of Durham, and Preston, of Osprey. Prior to going on an expedition to spy out the land Mr. Laidlaw had arranged to take these gentlemen and a number of our citizens out to the Lake and run them over the Cement Works. The visitors were apparently delighted and truly astonished at the magnitude of the concern and will return to their respective homes with different ideas of what a genuine Cement mill consists of. A number of locations for the House of Refuge were next examined and the deputation, we hope, left with the idea that Durham has a substantial claim for more public institutions than have hitherto fallen to her lot. We cannot tell what the outcome of the examination may be, but confidently believe that good and substantial reasons can be urged in favor of Durham as a proper centre for a House of Refuge.

HOGS were 7c. live weight Wednesday.

\$1000 WORTH of brand new boots and shoes just opened up at The Big Store.

THE management of St. Columba Church, Priceville, advertises for Tenders in this issue.

MR. KEELER, Jeweller, has purchased the residence of Mr. Archie, Little, east of the town.

MR. J. A. HUNTER, of The Big Store, has placed a very attractive sign in the store which reads "Hardware Dept."

IT is reported, though not definitely that Mr. Leitch has purchased the property and grocery stock of Mrs. Barnett, up town.

SUNLIGHT, Life Buoy, Monkey Brand, Crest, Surprise, Comfort, Gold, Complexion and Cold Cream Soaps for sale at Grant's.

THE Big Store has just opened a new stock of Slater shoes for men. Prices \$3.50 to \$5.00. You can't beat them. We are all sole agents here.

THE Union 'Bus has changed hands Mr. Gowanlock, the liveryman, having purchased from the late proprietor, Dan Campbell, who is now free to give all his attention to the Implement business in which he is very successful.

WE are pleased to notice in the Brandon Sun that Miss Stella Smith, twelve or thirteen years of age, a grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter, has been eminently successful in her collegiate examination, having secured the 1st best scholarship of \$20. With her many friends and acquaintances here we extend our congratulations.

MR. JOHN COLLINS, late of Orchardville, has opened up a blacksmith in the old Innis foundry just across the Garrafraxa Street bridge. We welcome him as a citizen, and if he can do as much work and as good work as our Orchardville correspondent used to give him credit for there won't be much need of other blacksmiths after John gets in full swing.

DR. HORSEY M. P., of Owen Sound, met with a sad misfortune in the Sun Portland Cement mill last week which resulted in his death at the Marine Hospital a few hours later. The mill was just being put in operation and the different parts were being tested when a rapidly revolving balance wheel happened to burst in the power house. A piece of the wheel struck the doctor and from the first no hopes were entertained of his recovery. The deceased was the chief promoter of the concern and was anxiously watching developments in the initial stage of operation when the accident occurred.

THE citizens of Priceville must have received quite a shock on Wednesday night last when the spire of the Presbyterian Church of that village was struck by lightning and badly damaged. Our correspondent out there must have left the place, as we have heard nothing from him of any account for several months, and it is only through the kindness of others we are in a position to mention the disaster. From what we learn, the slate was all peeled off, the spire and the braces supporting the main steeple badly shattered. The damage is estimated at \$100 to \$500, but a move is being made in the direction of having it repaired.

DR. GEO. S. BURT.

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

Specialist: Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose EXCLUSIVELY.

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

CHARCOAL in bulk at J. A. Hunter's.

BARGAINS in hardware at J. A. Hunter's.

EXCURSION to Mount Forest Friday afternoon. Fifty cents return. Children 25 cents.

THE Glenelg Voters' List was posted in the Clerk's office July 29th. See notice in this issue.

TRINITY Church S. S. (Lawrence's Hall) will hold their annual picnic in Ector's grove, Friday afternoon, Aug. 1st, 1902. All are welcome.

THE garden party of the season under the auspices of the young people of the Presbyterian Church will be held August 8th on the grounds of Mr. Alex. McLachlan. Good programme. Band in attendance.

IT's well worth something to trust a small amount to those who are likely not to pay, and while they owe you, which is likely to be forever, they're not likely to bother you again, and if they do you know how to handle them.

TWO of the iron workers at the Cement Works had a narrow escape from death on Monday last. While engaged in rivetting the scaffolding fell precipitating both to the ground beneath, a distance of about twenty or twenty-five feet. One of them had a bone of the arm broken and both were somewhat injured, but we trust recovery is certain.

THE members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church and the children and teachers of the Sunday School had a pleasant outing at Wilder's Lake on Tuesday last. It was their annual picnic, and the kindness of the Cement Company in giving them a free ride over the new railroad intensified the pleasure of the occasion, and made the picnic of 1902 a memorable one in the history of the League and School.

WE were pleased on Tuesday last to shake hands with our old teacher, Mr. Robert Agnew, of Meaford, who is now a member of the County Council. We had an idea that he considered the modest scribe a bad "young'un" as he wielded the birch over us in the early 70's. Such, it seems, is not the case, and the opinion he gives would be good enough to put in a Sunday School book. Another teacher heard from, and still no reason why we should not be allowed to live. Mr. John A. Munro doesn't give us a very bad record, and should a few others like Mr. Agnew and Mr. Munro come on the scene and talk similarly, the chances are we'll think ourselves too good for this sphere, and seek something better than the mundane joys that lie so thickly in our pathway. We were real pleased to meet Mr. Agnew, and hope his kindly feeling will be extended to supporting our claim for the Poor House.

OFF TO SCOTLAND.—On Monday afternoon last Mr. R. McFarlane, Sr., his daughter, Mrs. J. P. Hunter, his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Jackson, and Mr. J. H. Hunter, of the Corner Store, set out for Bonnie Scotland where they will remain for a couple of months' visit. The Saturday previous Mr. Walter Nichol, Sr., went as far as Toronto and will, in all probability, join the others there on their trip to "The Land of the Heather." Half a century ago a trip to the Old Land would appear like an eternal separation, but such are the changes of that half century that time and distance are now so nearly annihilated, that a trip across the ocean has come to be regarded as a brief outing to those who have the time and money at their disposal. And after all what better way could any one devise for a good profitable and invigorating summer holiday. We wish them one and all a pleasant voyage and a safe return.

July Brides

Can be supplied with every means of adornment from our rich, varied and elegant assortment of jewelry. Everything here is so exactly up-to-date that it indicates the year and season as clearly as the almanac. Past experiences teaches every customer that purchases made from us are diamond values in gold price settings. No trouble to show goods.



We Carry Largest Stock of Silverware in Town.

R. B. KEELER & SON

DURHAM AND HESPELER.

"Two Big Jewellery Stores."

Millinery Bargains

We are still very busy in the Millinery department, and since the hot weather, orders are rapidly rushing in from all sides. Saturday morning we will show in the window over 35 plain shapes at 12½c. These shapes are fashionable and will trim up prettily. Also 15 trimmed hats at 75c each. They are very stylish and neat, regular \$2.00 and \$2.25. Don't fail to call and see these excellent bargains for yourself.

Miss Dick, LAMBTON STREET

PORTLAND Cement in bags or bbls. at J. A. Hunter's.

SEE the Lacrosse Match at Mount Forest Friday. Fifty cents return. Children 25c. Everybody go.

ONLY one Farm Laborers' Excursion to Manitoba, date August 21st, for particulars see R. Macfarlane, Jr.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 6, I shall be at the Middaugh House, Durham, for consultation in Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose Cases. Hours 2 to 6 p. m.—GEO. S. BURT.

THE Presbyterian Sunday School picnic at Wilder's Lake last week was largely attended, and quite an enjoyable affair. They were taken out on the Cement Company's railway, and enjoyed the trip on the flat cars even better than they would if more comfortable accommodation had been afforded.

ALTHOUGH no paper was issued last week we hope our readers will not infer that we were idling around doing nothing. Quite the reverse, for the whole staff was as busy as nailers tussling through the Glenelg Voters' List. Another week's holiday would indeed be necessary to enable us to even up with our work. We do not refer to this little rush in a fault-finding spirit, nor do we wish our patrons to think we are too independent to take their orders and their work.

TWO weeks ago we referred to the fact that a monument had been purchased for the Gregson brothers, who were recently drowned in the river here, and that the monument would be in place on the 28th of July. True to what we then said, it was placed in position on Monday last by the manufacturers, Messrs. Robinson & Corbett, of Mt. Forest, and reflects great credit on them as skilled artisans, as well as great credit for the kindness of the contributors who conceived the idea of giving the unfortunate young men a good Christian burial.

WE have to inform our many readers this week of a change of business. For three generations a business has been carried on here by the Hunter families, and all readers are familiar with the name of Mr. J. A. Hunter, whose spicy advertising has formed a special feature of the local papers. Mr. Hunter was a young man of considerable enterprise, and so far as our personal knowledge of him is concerned we always found him honorable in his dealings, and further we are of the opinion that the general public found him just as we found him. But he has sold out his business, and after the first of September the business at The Big Store will be controlled by other hands. The new purchaser, Mr. Russell, of Elora, is a gentleman highly recommended to us, as a man of sterling ability and uprightness in his dealings. Apart from what we hear we know nothing. In the same sentence in which we express our regret at losing Mr. Hunter let us welcome Mr. Russell, and hope that the same friendly business relations, hitherto carried on between Mr. Hunter and us, may be transferred to the new man, Mr. Russell, and that time will inspire us with as full a confidence as we had in his predecessor. Mr. Hunter, as we learn from his advertisement this week, intends going to Minneapolis, where he will engage in what we hope may prove to him a more lucrative business.

OUR CLUBBING RATES.

Readers of THE CHRONICLE who pay one dollar a year in advance can get the following papers at the clubbing rates named:

Mail and Empire, weekly.....	\$.75
Family Herald and Weekly Star.....	.80
Toronto Daily World.....	2.00
Toronto Daily News.....	1.30
Toronto Daily Star.....	1.25
Montreal Witness, weekly.....	.65

S. F. MORLOCK

Mid-Summer Sale Now on



REMNANTS of all classes of Summer Goods now going, including:

- LADIES' WHITE WEAR
- LADIES' VESTS
- LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS
- LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR TOP SKIRTS
- MILLINERY
- ENDS OF MUSLINS
- ENDS OF PRINTS
- ENDS OF DRESS GOODS
- MEN'S READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING
- AND BOYS' READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING

Now is your Chance to get Bargains during this Great Sale.

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

S. F. MORLOCK

REDUCTIONS

Reductions in the prices of Ladies' Whitewear, Underskirts, Chemises, Corset Covers and Night Gowns. Now is your chance to secure bargains.

MEN'S FOOTWEAR.

Men's Working Shoes at \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 pair.
Men's Fine Shoes, McCredy's make, at \$1.60, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75 and \$4.00 pair.

M'CLAREN'S JELLIES.

In all the different flavorings—Strawberry, Raspberry, Orange, Cherry, Pistachio, Calfsfoot, Pine Apple, Lemon and Vanilla—10c a package or 3 for 25c.

LEMONADE CRYSTALS.

Lorimer's Concentrated Lemonade Crystals, 20c a bottle. Try a bottle, it's good.

BLUE RIBBON TEA.

Try Blue Ribbon Tea, Also Black, Mixed and Ceylon Green.

J. & J. HUNTER

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER.