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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

THE CHRONICLE.

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PRINTS, muslins and all summer goods reduced.—H. W. Mockler.

J. D. KING, the well known shoe man of Toronto died last week.

\$10 To Manitoba Monday, September 1st. See R. Macfarlane, Jr.

OUR midsummer sale begins this week.—H. W. Mockler.

THE death of his beloved wife is a sad blow to W. J. Edwards to whom we tender our sincere sympathy.

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

THE Artemesia Fall Fair is to be held in Priceville on the 14th and 15th of October.

NEW ARRIVALS.—You will find Ireland's advertisement interesting reading on this subject.

One more Farm Laborers' Excursion to Manitoba Monday, September 1st. \$10. See R. Macfarlane, Jr.

WE have about 100 Prize Lists here for distribution. If you didn't get one call in. First come, first served. Secretary Davidson has still a number left.

TAKE a walk. That's what some two hundred pairs of shoes are asked to do at Ireland's store. Out they go at prices pulled down to the lowest rungs of the ladder.

THE schools re-open on Tuesday morning next. We advise all intending candidates for the Departmental Examinations to enter at once and plod right through. There is no disgrace in an honorable failure, but who can pity those who fall from sheer laziness.

ANOTHER harvesting excursion is advertised for Saturday next. A letter in another column will explain the way the men will be distributed on arrival at Winnipeg. An effort will evidently be made to prevent the congestion of last year. The fare is \$10.00, and by the way let us mention that some who were doing next to nothing here left on one of these excursions two or three years ago and remained in the West where they are said to be doing well.

WE received a letter for publication last week regarding an anonymous letter received by the writer in which he, she or it makes certain requests. The letter to us is signed "One of your subscribers," but as we are not acquainted with any person of this name, we must decline to publish the article. If, however, the aggrieved "One of your subscribers" will oblige by giving his or her everyday name, we shall make the request and make it cheerfully. Kindly call at our office and state the particulars. We, positively, must refuse to give any attention to any anonymous articles that come to this office. The name is necessary not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

A FEW days ago Charlie Irwin, brother of Ye Editor, a resident of Collingwood Township, about four miles from Thornbury, got into a sweat. We haven't heard anything from him about it, but as the angels are always in communion with editors, it may be imagined how we got the information. We can't say positively as to the extent of Charlie's "sweat," but this much we know that similar circumstances would make us boil. He had been in Thornbury and got cheques cashed for \$80 and started home on a wagon, on a board resting on the bolsters. He was quite sober, never known to be otherwise. But his sobriety was intensified when he got about a mile and a half on the way and found his pocket-book missing. He turned round and searched the whole road back but found no trace of his money. On his arrival home, he gave expression to his first smile on finding the money there ahead of him. A woman had found it on the road, ascertained the owner by some papers inside containing his name and drove straight to his home where she delivered her lucky find. We could hug that woman for her honesty, and give her a handsome reward into the bargain, and if Charlie didn't do as we would have done under similar circumstances, we'll have to disclaim any relationship. The angel didn't tell us the woman's name, and we'll never rest easy till we find it out.

READER has forgotten to take our hint about shorter letters.

USE Red Cross Dysentery Cordial for diarrhoea, 25 cents a bottle at Macfarlanes'

WE are making things hum in boots and shoes—note our prices.—H. W. Mockler.

WANTED—Servant girl. Light house-work. Apply to Mrs. George Best, near the station.—2pd.

FINEST lot of cottons, flannelettes and wrapperettes to hand for fall. Prices away down—buy now.—H. W. Mockler.

FOR SALE—A Massey-Harris binder, second hand. A bargain by immediate purchase.—W. J. Levi, Durham.—3pd.

REGULATION 24 of the South Grey Agricultural Society says "All entries must be made on or before Saturday, Sept. 20th." Don't forget this.

THE whistle at the Cement mill was heard for the first time this week. We understand the power house is nearly completed, and that everything is progressing.

IN addition to the eight candidates who passed at the recent examination three more are within a few marks of being through, and an appeal will likely be made.

THE Annual Announcement of the Meaford High School is to hand. The teaching staff consists of four graduates all B. A's. The illustrated prospectus which bears the imprint of the Meaford Mirror is a creditable production.

AN interesting account of the recent meeting of the Provincial Volunteer Firemen's Association, contributed by Chief Torry, will be found in another column. It was intended for last week's issue, but we were unable to get it out in time.

WE regret to learn that Miss Lick, B. A., of the school staff, has passed through the sore trial of losing her beloved mother in Oshawa, and in consequence will not return to her school duties until about the first of October. The vacancy will be filled in the meantime.

THE Town Council has engaged Mr. George Calder to sink a well near the Furniture Factory. Their desire is to get an overflowing well that may be used for fire protection. Situated as Durham is 300 feet below Wilder's Lake, and much below a great portion of the surrounding country, it is quite within the range of possibility that a good vein of water may be tapped, and that an Artesian well may be the result.

IT will be gratifying to the friends of Miss Margaret Gun to learn that she is speedily recovering from the operation for appendicitis to which she was subjected about two weeks ago. She had good medical attendance from her brother, Dr. Gun, but no small measure of her recovery is attributable to the care and attention of her nurse, Miss Neil, whose wide experience in the operating room of one of New York hospitals served good purpose in the present case. We join Miss Gun's many friends in wishing a speedy restoration to the full enjoyment of health.

Water Power For Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS for sale the water power known as "Hayward's Falls," Glenora.

NEIL MCKECHNIE, Durham, Ont. August 19th, 1902.

DR. GEO. S. BURT.

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People We Know

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

Miss Edith Blackburn is home on a visit.

Miss Dick took a business trip to Toronto and other cities last week. Alex. Gordon and G. Sparling go to O. S. next week as Grand Jurors.

Mr. Samuel McComb is building a brick residence on Lambton Street. Mr. R. H. McWilliams, of Owen Sound, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Calder is visiting her sister at Saginaw, Michigan.

Mr. Harris, of Detroit, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blackburn in town.

Miss Maggie Beaton returned to Cannington Tuesday morning to resume her millinery duties.

Miss Hattie Watt, of Chicago, visited friends in town for a few days this week.

Miss Jessie A. Gibson, of Montreal, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Ireland.

Miss Norma Patton is visiting with Priceville and Markdale friends this week.

Mrs. J. Livingston and family are enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. Hall, of Owen Sound.

Miss Anno Noll, of Berlin, is the guest of Miss E. Kress for a few weeks.

Mr. Findlay Graham, of Toronto, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Calder and other friends in town.

Mrs. (Rev.) Newton and Master Keith returned on Monday from a trip to Norwich and elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Westgate, of St. Mary's, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Sparling.

Miss Eliza McDouald, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McDouald.

Mr. Geo. Mitchell, sporting Editor of the Hanover Post, and Mr. Taylor, of the Kenechelt Furniture Co., gave us a brief call Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whelan, of Hepworth, spent from Saturday till Monday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whelan.

President Cowham, of the Cement Works, spent a couple of days in town this week, and expresses delight at the Cement progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Standing and family, who have been visiting for the past two or three weeks at Rev. Wray R. Smith's, leave this week for their home in Brantford.

Mavor Pedwell, Barrister Dyre, Jas. Lewis, and Walter Tyson, all of Thornbury, spent Monday night in town, and gave Ye Editor a short call during their stay. These gentlemen are making an overland trip to London and other Canadian towns, and will no doubt enjoy their outing.

WE omitted to mention that Dr. and Mrs. Gun are now comfortably settled in their new residence on the hill-side opposite the Presbyterian Church. The building was erected last summer by Mr. Edward Kress and purchased by the Dr. a few months ago.

LIVERYMAN CALDWELL has original ideas, and the appearance of a hat stretcher on a hotel bar brought out the expression that he never met a hotel man so thoroughly up-to-date in business requirements. The stretcher was used in the morning of course.

THE Meaford Mirror justly retaliates by reminding us of our advice some time ago that the platform and not the press is the proper place for religious controversy. You are quite right Brer. Bywater, and by the way things are shaping we hope to shake them both off in the course of a century or two.

August Bride

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.

Millinery.

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THIS WEEK we are showing our new Felt Ready-to-wear Hats. Over 75 different styles. White Camel-hair and Pale Grey are all the rage. We will be pleased to show you these goods whether you buy or not.

BARGAINS.

Beautiful Blouses.

WE ARE also showing a grand assortment of Silk Blouses. They will pay you to examine them before they go. They are perfect in fit and reasonable in the price, from \$1.75 to \$5.00. All the leading colors.

Miss Dick, LAMBTON STREET

A Wail For The Good Old Days.

By R. Utus.

So that's what you call Lacrosse, eh? Well, my boy, you've made a mistake. You're playing ball with a netted stick. But it isn't Lacrosse, it's a fake. It might be some new-fangled tennis or some kind of "pick and toss." But you've gone and disgraced the name, my lad. By calling that game Lacrosse.

It was 'way back in the early eighties some twenty odd years ago. That I used to play with the "Peelers" the game of Lacrosse I know. This thing you call comination we never knew nothing about. But you got the ball and you kept it as long as your wind held out.

I guess, perhaps, you have noticed that this right arm of mine isn't straight, and my nose is a little off centre. And I've got a limp in my gait. There's a limp in my conversation, for I'm short a few teeth and some hair; and I've got a few bumps on my cranium. That Nature has never put there.

The last game I played with the "Peelers" I remember it well as my name. Our rival for many a game we had won from them once and lost once and this was to break the tie. For I'm a strong man and went out on that field determined to do or die.

The first half went off rather quiet. The score standing goal after goal. With no very brilliant playing and only two men out. We were holding each other level, and the game was all but done when our cover man made an error and they scored the winning one.

At least, it looked like a winner to all of the boys that day. With the score two to one in their favor and only one minute to play. But one man gripped his stick tighter, and made to himself a vow. To redeem in that sixty seconds the blunder he'd made, somehow.

It was drawn and their men got it. And came tearing down the line. But our cover was there to meet him. And he made no mistake this time. But he captured the ball and he started with a yell like a bound set free. And he shook off this startled defence man. Like the wind shakes the leaves from a tree.

But their point man's stick was ready and it flashed out true and well. And our cover's arm was broken. And he staggered, and reeled and fell. He was up again in a second. With the stick in his left hand grasped, charging their goal like a cyclone while their men looked on aghast.

The goal man came out to meet him, with a half scared look on his face. But the goal man, ball, stick and cover all went through the posts in that race. So we were tied again at the finish. But we won out in extra time.

Yes, the old arm is still a bit crooked and my face looks the worse for the strife. But I wouldn't deal that minute for the best five years of your life. And that's why I don't like to see you playing that baby game. And calling your play Lacrosse, for it ain't. And my boy you're disgracing the name.

A COUPLE of weeks ago we had a letter enquiring about Cement progress, and this week we are asked about the proposed oil or gas wells. The engineer says he has stock in the concern and wants to know what's being done. We have no new light on the subject, but presume it is the intention of the Company to get to work soon.

South Grey Women's Institute.

A meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Darby, Vickers, on Thursday, 3-pt. 4th, and will commence at 2 o'clock p. m.

KATE L. DIXON, Secy.

HITS AND MISSES.

The Chesley Enterprise trusted W. Quirt, of Dryden, Algoma, for 3 years subscription and he refuses to pay it. William is a great church worker, but there's no harm in "doing" a printer.

What is the next thing to a dude? was asked in a fashionable parlor the other night. One lady answered an ape, another orang-utang, but when a little girl said the next to a dude is his under-shirt the subject was suddenly dropped.

S. F. MORLOCK

Mid-Summer Sale Now on

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

- LADIES' WHITE WEAR
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- 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.

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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.

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