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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

THANKSGIVING DAY, Oct. 16.

PRICEVILLE FAIR, Oct. 14 and 15.

FRENCH flannel for waists at James Ireland's.

STANFIELD'S unshrinkable underwear is the best—at Grant's.

MEN'S waterproof jackets, just the thing for fall wear, at Ireland's.

The carpenters are at work now putting on the roof of the new Baptist church.

LADIES' fine undershirts in black and colored. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00 at McKeechies'.

WHEN tired of ready-mades and you want an up-to-date suit or overcoat go to Glass the draper.

BARCLAY & NOBLE have a fine exhibition of furs, robes, etc., at their showroom in the Calder Block.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Stewart on Friday next, Oct. 10th, at half past three in the afternoon.

A REVIVAL service is now in progress in the Methodist church, under the management of two evangelists, the Monkman Bros. These gentlemen sing beautifully, and one of them is a fairly good speaker.

THURSDAY, Oct. 16th, has been proclaimed Thanksgiving Day, and consequently the dates of the Teachers' Convention at Flesherton have been changed to Friday and Saturday instead of Thursday and Friday as announced on programs.

Mr. W. W. McRAE, of Petrolia, late of Sumatra, East India, Natural Gas and Oil Expert, arrived in town Tuesday evening and is prospecting in the interest of the Durham Natural Gas and Oil Co. Mr. M. has a thorough knowledge of the work and has full confidence that gas will be found in this locality. There are also good indications for oil.

WORD was received here this week from Mr. N. M. McLean, of Regina, that on the 28th of September he lost two fine little girls from diphtheria. The children were 4½ and 7½ years of age. The mother and her ten-year-old son are both down with the same disease, but in the communication which was received here by Mr. Jno. A. Black, Mrs. McLean's cousin, there was hope for their recovery, which we hope will be realized.

We regret to learn of an accident which befell Mr. P. D. McEwan, of Roelan, N. W. T. by which he had one of his arms broken which for some time will incapacitate him for any kind of work. "Pete" as he was familiarly called was from Varney, out for the past three or four years has been living out West. He still holds membership in Grey Lodge No. 169 I. O. O. F. to whom intelligence of the accident was communicated. We hope soon to hear of his restoration to a full measure of strength, and his naturally cheerful disposition will be a great help toward his recovery.

We are getting heartily tired of that fruitless religious controversy but as it seems no nearer to the end than it was six months ago we are going to try a new scheme to see how it will work. This is our plan now. A B. will get the privilege of one more free letter and after that a charge of two dollars a column will be made for all the space used by either combatant. This is the lowest price we ever accepted for a patent medicine reading notice, and now for the balance of the controversy we hope to make a little revenue out of the discussion. If we adopted this plan in the start, we miss our guess if the Apostolic Succession would not have been settled long ago.

Mr. C. LAYTON, who has been here for the past year or so managing the construction of the foundation work at the Cement Mill, left this week for Rockmart, Georgia, where he will engage in similar work on the new mill to be erected there. We regret to have him leave us, but should he never return, he has left behind him, in his work, a monument that will last for ages. Mr. Layton, on more than one occasion, expressed to us his kind feeling towards the people of Durham, and was ever loud in his praise of the class of men he had with him on the work. He pronounces them the best he ever had anywhere, and he has been managing big works for many years. This speaks well for the laboring class of this vicinity. We wish Mr. Layton success.

FREE Photos—See Browne's ad.

WE have a good supply of blankets just in.—C. L. Grant.

If you want good breeding stock see W. A. Livingston's ad.

GRANBY Rubbers are the best, N. G. & J. McKeechies have them.

LADIES' fur coats and caperines—new styles—at James Ireland's.

LADIES, if you want a new raincoat James Ireland has one to fit you.

AMES HOLDEN boots are the best, all kinds and shapes. McKeechies'.

If you want a pair of kid gloves, we have them in black and colors.—C. L. Grant.

A FEW good dwelling houses and lots for sale in Durham. Apply to A. H. Jackson.—2.

YOUNG sows to sell, from five weeks to 6 months old, Berkshire.—Robert Britton, Allan Park.—1pd.

AT James Ireland's they have just received another lot of those ready made shirts you admired so much.

AT Mr. Joseph Corbett's sale on Tuesday next the whole of his household furniture will be offered for sale at auction instead of only a part as stated in the bills.

At the Hanover Fair Mr Robert Britton was successful in taking four first and two second prizes on the batch of Berkshire pigs he had on exhibition.

We have to thank Messrs. W. G. Collier, McGregor, Man.; Jas. Thompson, Brimley, Mich., for a remittance of five dollars each since last issue. Mrs. Hiram Leopard, of Rosecommon, Mich., has also favored us with a dollar which comes to hand regularly every year.

MRS. MURDOCH, of Detroit, sister of Mr. Thos. Russell, spent a few days last week in town and vicinity. We are pleased to learn that since Mrs. Murdoch left here about three years ago she is doing a lucrative business in connection with the Hygienic Institute in Detroit and we have occasional evidence of a large monthly addition to her bank account.

WATCH for new Gent's Furnishing Clothing and Shoe Store opening in Hunter's new block, nearly opposite the Middaugh House. This business is to be owned and conducted by Mr. W. Theobald, who is well and favorably known in town, and for whom we bespeak a share of public patronage. From his off-handed geniality we have confidence he will do well.

An interesting though rather slimly attended tea meeting was held on Tuesday night at Ebenezer church near Vickers. The unfavorable condition of the weather kept many away, but those who were present enjoyed themselves fully. The literary part of the program consisted of addresses by Rev. Mr. Pomeroy, Rev. Mr. Newton, Principal Allan and Rev. Mr. Curry, together with a couple of recitals by Miss Maud Irwin. A social is announced for to-morrow, Friday evening.

On the evening of Tuesday, Sept. 23 in the Baptist church, Parkhill, a reception was given to the new pastor, Rev. W. MacGregor and family, by its members and friends. At 7.30 p. m. Mr. C. Schram took the chair and opened the meeting with singing by the choir, and then read a letter of welcome to the pastor, to which he suitably replied. The pulpit and platform were most artistically decorated with all kinds of plants, giving it to the audience a very beautiful appearance, while the tables were bountifully spread with choice eatables by the ladies. Though the night was extremely wet a goodly company greeted the pastor and his family. The program was made up of singing, recitations, speeches, and closed with the National Anthem.—Gazette-Review.



We Carry Largest Stock of Silverware in Town.
R. B. KEELER & SON
The Big Jewellery Store. DURHAM, ONT.

People We Know

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

Mr. T. Elliott, of Toronto, is the guest of his nephew, Dr. A. C. Wolfe.

Mr. Thos. Sullivan, of Irish Lake was in town this week for the first time in two years and a half.

Mrs. Barber and Miss McNeil, of Alton, spent from Friday till Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown.

Miss Dorothy Lawrence and Miss Traynor left Thursday last for Toronto where they will spend the winter months.

Mrs. Thos. Corbett, of Sault Ste. Marie, returned Saturday last after spending a few weeks with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Will Harris spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Harris, and left Tuesday morning for Buffalo where he intends to spend some time at his work as a typo. We are pleased to see Will looking so well.

Mr. Walter Nichol returned last week from a trip to Scotland which he enjoyed very much, especially his renewal of acquaintanceship with the friends of his boyhood days.

We had a call Saturday from Mr. and Mrs. Collins, of San Francisco. Mr. Collins is a cousin of Arthur Jackson in town and for over thirty-five years he has been in San Francisco nearly ever since he left here and has been most of the time connected with the Chronicle, of that city, the leading paper of the Pacific coast.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the Consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe tags to January 1st, 1904.—THE EMPIRE TOBACCO CO., LIMITED.

On Friday last Rev. Mr. Newton's son, Keith, a boy about eleven or twelve years of age was out driving his father's horse to which was attached a light rig. In front of Mr. Wright's bakery the animal decided to boss the job and started on the run down the Durham Hill, and along Garafraxa Street, About the skating rink the plucky little jockey was dumped out. The horse didn't wait for him to get in again, but continued to the old slaughter house, then crossed to the next line west where he again turned and came home by way of Hutton Hill having left the broken rig on the road behind him. Keith came out of the fray with a sprained ankle, and the horse too carried marks of the escapade.

The annual Thanksgiving services in connection with the Methodist church at Varney was held on Sunday and Monday last, religious services on Sunday followed by a grand festival on Monday evening. We understand the usual custom of the church was followed, and that fowl in abundance were served to the hungry crowd. It was quite a disappointment to us not to be there for the supper, but as brother Ramage was on hand, he'll be able to give a personal testimony regarding its excellence. A good musical program and short addresses by Rev. Mr. Farquhar, Mr. Wm. Allan and Editor Ramage constituted the after part of Varney's great annual event. Quite a number from here were in attendance.

DR. GEO. S. BURT.
Late Assistant Roy. London Ophthalmic Hosp., Eng., and to Golden Sq. Throat and Nose Hosp.
Specialist: Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose EXCLUSIVELY.
Will be at the Middaugh House 1st Wednesday of each month, from 2 to 6 p. m.

Sept. 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.

AN INSPIRATION.

(By our Muse.)
"How long O Lord shall they utter and speak hard things?"—Psalms 94: 4.

There is whispering grim in the workshop
And voices are raised in anger,
Amongst harvesters threshing the yield.
There's an anguished wail in the kitchen,
And a muttering deep in the street,
Where dark words of execration,
Keep time to the hurrying feet.
The storm-clouds of war are gathering
And talk of rebellion is rife;
While strong men are arming, and women
Are fearfully waiting the strife.
Our prayers have all been unheeded,
Our grovelling petitions scorned;
So now in desperation,
In battle array we are formed.

The Trust, that great tentacled monster,
Has cornered the meat and the coal,
While its octopus arms pull us downward,
Like some hideous, blood sucking ghoul.
The rights that our forefathers fought for,
The freedom they taught us to use
Have vanished at last, for this demon,
The Trust fiend, has cornered the news.
I pick up my paper and scan it,
In vain something new I would see
But there's columns about "Jewish Vestments,"
Worn thousands of years B. C.
And about "Apostolic Successions,"
"Rituals," Prayer Books and "Creeds"
Extracts from volumes of History
Jibings at Saints and their deeds.

There's "A. B.'s" reply to "Reader,"
Then "Reader" replies again,
There is slander venerated with religion
And mudslinging thicker than rain.
But with all their wrangling and wringing,
Never a word do they pen,
Of Christ's sweet and beautiful message
"Peace and Good Will toward Men."
We used to find some consolation
When the troubles of earth weighed us down,
In the thought that our trials would be over,
When we'd gain our harp and our crown.
But if there's a place called Heaven
Where arguing Christians go,
Then I hope the Good Lord will send me
To some other place down below.

"OUR ARMY."

The fire department of our town are to be congratulated on their having been able to secure the wonderful entertainment of "Our Army" (companion pictures to "Our Navy") for to-night and to-morrow night, 8th and 9th, and it is to be hoped that the citizens of Durham will take advantage of the opportunity afforded of seeing how the defenders of our Empire were made.

"Our Army" shows the life of the British Soldier from the time he goes up for enlistment until he becomes a regular "Tommy Atkins" going into every branch of the service. In addition to these wonderful moving pictures, there are songs, both Patriotic and Humorous, Recitations, Monologues, &c.

Last night in Ontario Hall, the new English entertainment, "Army Life," in which is depicted life in the British army, was given for the first time in Kingston. Despite the fact that the night was so stormy a large sized audience saw and appreciated fully the magnificent pictures presented. The entertainment runs on similar lines to "Our Navy," which was here last November, differing only in the fact that it deals entirely with the army. If there is any place in Canada where an entertainment would receive thorough criticism it would be in Kingston, and when it is said that the almost continued applause from beginning to end was most emphatic, it may safely be said to be a success and that it will pass muster wherever shown. The picture showing the gymnastic drill of the Aldershot gymnasium class particularly appealed to the audience, and is, perhaps, the best and most spirited moving picture ever seen here. The artillery division of "Army Life" is extremely good, the gun drill without ammunition, and hooking in at the trot, brought forth loud applause. The views of King Edward and the Queen upon their first visit to Scotland at Balmoral was exceptionally good, and also the late photographs of their Majesties. The band of the 14th P. W. O. R. rendered a couple of bright selections in their usual good style. The lecturer, Mr. T. E. Kyle, who by the way is a very clear and lucid speaker, announced that the entertainment will be given to-night, to-morrow night and Thursday evening, and that there would be a matinee to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock, and on Thursday afternoon after school hours, a special school children's matinee. Large houses will be the rule during the remainder of the engagement.—Kingston News, April 22nd, 1902.—Kingston News.

S. F. MORLOCK

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That hat problem will be easily solved if you visit our Millinery Showrooms. The most extensive Millinery assortment in Durham is here for your pleasure. New York, London and Toronto in all their Millinery glory and excellence are represented here in pleasing array. Street Hats, Ready-to-wear Hats and Trimmed Hats in such gay profusion as to make the scene almost bewildering. No thought or fancy has been overlooked, no worthy style neglected, and no matter how extreme or how modest your taste, this is the one store that is sure to gratify it. So easy to make a test. Come and see. It will pay you.

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COATS AND SKIRTS

COATS.

Ladies' 37-inch Frieze Coat, double-breasted, with yoke, self strapping and velvet collar, turned back cuffs, welt pocket, lined with mercerized Italian, color Oxford.

Ladies' 37-inch Beaver Coat, double-breasted, velvet collar, slash pocket, bell sleeves, lined with mercerized.

Ladies' 30-inch Kersey Jacket, double-breasted, turned back cuffs, mercerized lining, colors—Oxford, Fawn and Black.

SKIRTS.

Ladies' Tailor-made Skirts, perfect fitting, beautifully made, trimmed in the latest styles, at \$3.25, \$4.50 and \$5.75.

Ladies' Fall Suitings and Dress Goods are now in. Frieze in Oxford, Black and Navy.

Homespun in Oxfords and Blacks, and a beautiful assortment of Tweed Suitings. See them.

All-wool Coating in Black, Brown, Red.

J. & J. HUNTER

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