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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

THE Walkerton Horse Races have been postponed till Thursday, July 21.

WANTED.—A couple of good stone masons at once. J. G. Vollett, Durham.—1.

GIRL WANTED.—About fourteen or fifteen years of age, to take care of small children. Good wages. Mrs. A. G. Cameron, Durham.

MR. ROBERT LAWSON sold a fine Clydesdale mare and colt recently for the modest sum of \$200. Mr. Edwin Johnston of Egremont was the lucky purchaser.

NOTICE.—Any person desiring to see the Mayor on town business will please leave word at the Clerk's office until such time as he occupies his own store premises.

THE Durham B. Y. P. U. will hold a lawn social at Varney on the evening of Thursday, July 28. Ice cream, raspberries, cake, coffee and other refreshments will be served. Admission to grounds 10 cents. All welcome.

WARNING.—Any person or persons found bathing inside the limits of the Corporation of the Town of Durham between the hours of 5 a. m. and 8.30 p. m. will be prosecuted according to Town By-law. By Order of Mayor.

THE Durham boys go to Markdale on Friday to play a Championship Lacrosse Match. To win against Markdale on their own grounds isn't easy, but the Aberdeens will have no reason to feel dishonored if they suffer defeat this time.

WE are pleased to note the promptness with which the Metropolitan Insurance Co. has settled in full the claim of Mrs. J. W. Irwin, incurred in the burning of the Middaugh House stables on the morning of the 29th of June. The cheque for \$500 was handed over on the 9th of July.

MR. and Mrs. Rodgers of Toronto, spent from Friday till Monday with the latter's sister Mrs. Robert Lawson and on the evening of their arrival they were serenaded by the Durham band in honor of their recent matrimonial venture. Readers of the Chronicle will have noticed an account of their marriage in last week's issue.

A MOST enjoyable lawn social was given last Thursday evening by the Baptist Young People's Union on the beautiful grounds of Mr. B. F. Warner, kindly offered for the occasion. As usual, a large crowd was present, and all seemed to be in a happy mood. Music was given by the Citizens' Band throughout the evening which helped to enliven the scene. Refreshments were served by attentive young girls who gathered in the snug sum of about seventy dollars.

THIS week we give on page 2 a partial list of the prizes to be awarded at the South Grey Fair to be held in Durham on September 21st and 22nd. The balance of the list will appear in next issue, and in addition the Society is getting out a thousand pamphlets which will be ready shortly for distribution. A limited number of advertisements will be inserted and business men will have an opportunity in this way to talk to the surrounding public, and perhaps begin a business relationship of mutual advantage.

PASSED WITH HONORS.—MR. A. W. H. Smith, B. A., L. L. B., son of Mr. E. Smith, of this city, and who was for the past two years in the office of Messrs. Campbell & Pitblado, of Winnipeg, has just completed with honors his course in law and was called to the Bar Monday morning. He now goes to Virden where he enters into partnership with the Hon. J. H. Agnew, Provincial Treasurer.—Brandon Daily Sun. Mr. Smith to whom the foregoing refers is a former Durham boy, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter, who have a pardonable pride in the young man's success. Mr. Hunter speaks highly of Miss McDonald's ability as a teacher and regards her as the one who first gave an impulse to "Archie" in an educational line. With his many friends here THE CHRONICLE joins in offering congratulations to Mr. Smith who has so often done honor to the old school through his educational records.

WANTED.—A young lady to learn Telegraphy at MacFarlane's Drug Store.

FOR SALE.—Second hand stove, used only three months, good as new. Enquire of W. H. Shaw, Durham.—3pd.

THE Central Hotel Store, up town, has been leased to Jacob Levine who takes charge the first of August. We are not informed as to the nature of the business he intends to conduct.

JOHN McDUGALL, of Egremont, who was committed from here for trial recently by J. P. Telford, J. P. on the charge of indecent assault on a girl under 14 years of age was found guilty in Owen Sound.

HANOVER defeated Walkerton in a Championship Lacrosse Match in Hanover last Friday by 9 to 3. The Aberdeens of Markdale were trimmed in Dundalk by the Thistles, on the same day, the score being 8 to 2. This is Dundalk's first win this season.

WE are just in receipt of a letter from C. E. Layton, well-known here as the man who superintended the foundation construction at the Cement Works. He is now in Jackson, Michigan and we are pleased to know that he hasn't forgotten us.

EXPERT Judges have been appointed to attend the Fair here on September 21st as follows:—Horses, Alexander McLean, of Carleton Place. Beef Cattle and Sheep, Noble Milne, of Ethel; Dairy Cattle and Swine, R. S. Stevenson.

Two weeks ago during a thunder storm, about twenty-five local telephones were rendered useless and serious inconvenience was felt for the want of them. Repairs are now about completed, and we hope the service will be A1 in every particular.

GARDEN PARTY.—A garden party will be held at the residence of Mr. John Aldred, Varney, on Thursday, July 21. Admission to the grounds 10 cents. Sandwiches, coffee, cake, ice cream, etc. on sale. Football, baseball, etc. to commence at 6.30. Everybody come.

IT must have been some sort of optical illusion that led us to believe that Brad Jamieson was home last week. His father says he wasn't here, and the only explanation we offer is that the Dr. is growing so youthful in appearance that we mistook him for the young chap.

THE National Portland Cement Co. beat all previous records on Monday last when they ground over 1,300 barrels, Angus Cameron having put through 750 barrels during the night shift. Tuesday was the biggest day's shipping since the mill began running. Everything now is reported to be going like clock work.

TOM LIVINGSTON is what the boys call a cracker-jack. He has three children in his family, and the first was born July 2nd, celebrated that year as Dominion Day. The next was born the 14th of February, St. Valentine's Day, and the third came on Tuesday last, the 12th of July, King William's Day. Now we are going to fix the 17th of March for the next birthday in Mr. Livingston's family, and if the date isn't right we'll miss our guess, that's all.

THE Clarksburg Reflector has entered its thirteenth year with good prospects of passing through the boyhood stage of its existence, and developing in due time into perfect manhood. During its existence there were four or five proprietors, it was burned out once, and passed through the other ups and downs so well known to those unfortunate enough to go into newspaper work for a livelihood. We wish the Reflector continued prosperity.

THE Walkerton Herald is forty-three years old, and enters on a new year with promising prospects of reaching a good old age. It is one of the pioneer journals of this country and its files, if intact, will contain many interesting records. It was established in 1861, about five years before THE CHRONICLE which dates back to 1867, yet if we go back to the first number of the Durham Standard published February 19th, 1857, and from which THE CHRONICLE is a continuation, we have the start by a little over four years.

THE street watering contract will be attended to by John Kenney, instead of Ben Warner to whom the Council awarded it, as intimated in last issue.

COUNCILLOR TORRY, of Mulock, and J. W. Johnston of the same vicinity, attended the Annual Meeting of the Ayton Binder Twine Co. on Thursday last, and express pleasure in the prospects.

LAST week, we reported the serious illness of Islay Campbell whose recovery was hardly expected. We are pleased however, to learn that she is now out of danger, and making good progress.

IT's too bad that the innocent should suffer for the guilty, but this is a daily occurrence. The indecency of some of the boys bathing in town has forced the Council to take action in the matter and now all bathing within the corporation has to be done between 8:30 p. m. and 5 the next morning. Had the boys kept under cover all this would have been avoided.

THE Orangemen attended the Baptist Church last Sunday in a body and were over a hundred strong, the largest Society parade of the season. The band was in attendance, and the services and choir music were highly appropriate. The Society was delighted with the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Newton as well as the magnificent choir.

A COUNTRY school-mistress tells the story and the incident is supposed to have happened not many miles from Durham. The lady teacher had great trouble with an unusually mischievous boy and one day in exasperation she said:—"Well, I wish I could be your mother for just a week. I'd rid you of that disposition." "A'right ma'am," replied the lad. "I'll speak to father 'bout it."

THE morning of the Glorious twelfth had a very unfavorable appearance and a wet day seemed to be almost certain. Notwithstanding the drizzling rains, and heavier downpours which lasted up to about seven o'clock there was a large crowd at the station here determined on going to Listowel to commemorate in real old fashioned style. The Battle of the Boyne Glenelg Lodge is noted for their fine regalia, and recently they purchased a handsome new banner which on account of the rain they had to keep covered in the morning. The day was spent very pleasantly however in Listowel where a great many Lodges had assembled on the occasion. As the day didn't come in to suit our convenience, being too close to press day, we can not go into particulars. In fact we are not informed in regard to any special features of the event. They were a fine looking body and their conduct was such as to force respect for the Society.

Card of Thanks

The L. O. D. L. held their annual Church parade on Sunday last to the Baptist Church where a very cordial reception was given them. There were over a hundred in attendance and we desire to tender a unanimous vote of thanks to Rev. Mr. Newton for the very appropriate sermon, to Mrs. Newton and the Choir for the fine music furnished, and also to the band for their efficient services. The Committee desires also to thank the brethren for their presence.

WM. RITCHIE, C. M.
J. W. BLYTH, D. D. M.
JOHN WILLIAMS, Chap.

Struck Luck.

WATCH CHAINS.

We place on sale this week 80 Ladies' and gentlemen's gold filled WATCH CHAINS at prices never heard of in this county before. These chains are warranted from five to twenty years, and as we bought them away under price we have some great CHAIN BARGAINS awaiting you. Every chain right up-to-date as they just come from best chain factory in Canada.

Now is Your Chance to buy a first-class CHAIN very cheap. Come quick and get first pick.

R. B. Keeler & Son
LEADING JEWELLERS.

People We Know

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

Miss Lily Walker is visiting friends in Allan Park.

Miss Nellie Watt is now on the Review staff.

Miss Maud Saunders is home from Hamilton on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanderson, of Toronto, are in town visiting friends.

Mr. L. G. Ireland, of Toronto, spent a few days at home here.

Miss Marion Elvidge is home for a short vacation.

Miss Flora MacKenzie is visiting at Mulock this week.

Miss Clara Ireland, of Guelph, is visiting her cousin, Miss Annie Ireland.

Miss Lou Davidson returned home last week after spending a pleasant holiday with friends in Toronto.

Miss Florence Saunders is recovering from a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs.

Mrs. Matheson, of Kincardine, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Saunders, last week.

Mr. Tenton Ireland, of Guelph, is staying in town as clerk in his uncle's store.

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Mrs. (Rev.) Newton, accompanied by her son, Keith, left Tuesday morning to visit the World's Fair at St. Louis and at the same time to visit her son, Carl, who after a couple of years' absence will be quite an attraction, no doubt. We wish them a pleasant trip and a safe return.

Mrs. R. F. Miller, of Brantford, returned home Saturday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Falkingham, her sister Mrs. John Harbottle, and other friends. She was accompanied by her nephew Geo. Harbottle who intends spending his holidays in the Telephone City.

Mrs. David Jackson and daughter Christene, and her sister Miss Armstrong left Monday morning on a trip to the old country, England and Scotland chiefly. Miss Armstrong is well-known here as an efficient trained nurse, and all to whom she ministered in time of sickness as well as all with whom she was acquainted will wish her a pleasant voyage.

CHAS. HOY was transferred from Owen Sound to the Central Prison, Toronto, on Monday last. There were thirteen others in the lot, all under the supervision of Prison Bailiffs Ryan and Simser. Only three were from Owen Sound. The other eleven were from the Soo, Port Arthur and Rat Portage.

Of Interest to Ladies.

The visit of Prof. Dorenwend to Middaugh House, on Wednesday, July 20th will afford the ladies of Durham and surrounding country an opportunity of consulting him regarding their hair, its needs, and their requirements in all styles of Hair Goods. Prof. Dorenwend carries with him a large and most varied assortment of this famous conception in Switches, Bangs, Pompadours, Wavy fronts and Wigs. The equal of these high grade natural hair productions can not be procured from any hair goods dealer in America. Prof. Dorenwend has the distinction of being the largest manufacturer and the most noted specialist in these goods. Private apartments are at the convenience of all who avail themselves of calling at the Middaugh House on the day of his visit Wednesday July 20th.

Special Millinery Sale

For the next thirty days we will sell the balance of our Millinery composed of stylish and up-to-date Readytowears and Sailors, in Straws, Linen and Duck, at Half Price. All trimmed goods of the latest summer styles at very reduced prices. We are not over-stepping the mark when we say that these Hats are worth as much again as we are asking for them. Now for Snaps.

S. F. MORLOCK

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in the new premises

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OTHER
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