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DURHAM CHRONICLE.

## Do Your Shopping Friday Evening. All Stores closed on Saturday, July First.

### Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

House and lot for sale.—Apply to Mrs. Thos. Fox.-tf

FOR SALE.—Gentleman's Bicycle. Cheap. At this office.

House to Rent on Garafraxa street Apply to Edward Kress.

FARMERS should have printed Envelopes. We furnish them in large or small lots.

"THE chief feature was a fine song of as one of the best in America. artistically rendered by Mr. Cyril Dwight-Edwards."-Irish Times (Dub-

His Honor Judge William Weir Fitzgerald, late of Welland, died in London on Wednesday evening of last He was the founder of the I. 0. F.

A SCHOOL picnic will be held at Hut ton Hill in Donnely's grove, to-morrow, Friday afternoon. All are invited. Bring your baskets along.

cut and holes, horns and tail bone out Durham.-4 pd. I will pay 8c. per 1b. 2 lbs. per hide tare.—Thos. Smith. 4.

ion Day one hour after the arrival of | ion Day, July 1st. the afternoon train due at 1:40 p. m., and from 6:30 to 7 p. m. But not after 8:45 p. m. train.

DURHAM District L. O. L. will attend Divine Service in a body on Sunday July 9th, to Trinity Church at 11 a. m. Brethren are requested to meet in their Lodge Room at Calder's Hall at 10 o'clock sharp. By order of the Committee.

AT a meeting in Hanover last week the following lacrosse schedule was agreed upon: Durham at Hanover June 29th; Hanover at Owen Sound blood train of the New York Central or 7th.

has issued a proclaimation, requiring passed between. all citizens who own dogs to confine them for the next six weeks or so. Dogs running at large are to be shot. This is the time of year rabies is prevalent, and we would advise all who own dogs in Durham to keep a sharp lookout for indications of the terrible rifles, etc .disease.

MR. JAMES LAVELLE, recently transferred from the Durham Palmerston branch of the Grand Trunk, to the passenger run from Stratford to Owen | fraxa Road. Sound, came up on Saturday night to make arrangements for moving his family to Stratford. Mr. Lavelle is very much pleased with his new run, Throwing Hammer, Tossing the Caber and though regretting to leave Dur etc., etc. ham, where he has been a resident for so many years, he feels he has a little 25c; Children 15c; Vehicles (extra) easier position at more pay than form- 25 cents. erly, though his expenses will be much heavier. We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle from our town, and join their many friends in wishing them good luck and prosperity in their new soprano, very highly spoken of.

tion Grounds on Friday evening, was well attended, and though our boys well attended, and though our boys went down to defeat at the hands of the Browns, of Harriston, the spec- the Aerialist. tators were well pleased at the showing they made against, probably the best team in Western Ontario. At the close of the seventh innings, the score stood 7-4, the Harriston pitcher July 7th. as a town Holiday to meet was being hit pretty freely and had the request of a petition from a large the light permitted the game to have number of our townspeople who wish gone on the other two innings, indica- to take advantage of the cheap excurtions are that if the home team had sion to Niagara Falls on that date. not been ahead, the score at least, This is the most delightful season of would have been more even. A couple the year, everything looking its best. of fumbles and short throws to first, at It gives a grand opportunity for the a critical stage of the game on the people in and around Durnam to pic home team, was partly responsible for nic together where they can spend on e our boys' defeat, but with a little more day in the year from business cares, practice, we hope to see them among viewing while at the Falls the great

try.

How is your label?

HAVE you paid your subscription?

FOR SALE,-House and lot in Upper Town. Apply to MacKay & Dunn.

THE Entrance Examinations are going on now.

THE stores will be all open Friday, (tomorrow,) evening until ten o'clock, but will he closed all day Saturday.

TEN pipers, four drummers and a drum major will constitute the pipe band to be here on the First. PRINCE Stanley, the high-wire

WOOL WANTED.-Highest price in cash or trade for any quantity of nia. Wool at J. & J. Hunter's.

or trade, at J. M. Findlay's Busy Store, Dromore.

WOOD WANTED-Brick wood, four feet long, at the Durham Brickyaad. Ayling & Sons.

To BEE KEEPERS .- Bee hives, sup- East. ers, frames and smokers for sale .-FOR green beef ring hides free of Mrs. Wm. H. Benton, Albert Street,

DINNER at 25c. and supper will be served by the ladies of the Methodist THE Post Office will be open Domin- Church in the Town Hall on Domin-

> DR. BURT specialist in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat will be at the Middaugh House, Durham, for consultation on Wednesday, July 5th, from 10 to 4. Eyes tested and glasses

WIFE WANTED .- A young man of British Columbia, formerly of Glenelg, Convention in Toronto. wishes to correspond with some young lady. Object matrimony. Address J. ter Flat Hotel.

sent there for examination, and as a about three quarters of an hour before, ally we preferred Mr. Mowat. result of the case the Mayor of London and no train, freight or passenger had

### PROGRAMME FOR JULY 1

For the day programme there are Pipe Band of the 7th Fusiliers. St. Andrew's Cadets in kilts with

The Durham Brass Band.

Prince Stanley, the high wire marvel in clown and straight pantomime, and performances. Tug-of-war, East vs. West of Gara-

Bag-pipe competition for amateurs.

Dancing for good prizes. Racing, Jumping, Putting Stone

Admission only by ticket. Adults

For the evening concert in the rink:

Cyril Dwight-Edwards, a baritone vocalist of first rank.

Miss Susie McGill, a London Miss Mae Butler, an efficient instru

mentalist and accompanist.

roused great enthusiasm. Cadets, Pipers, Dancers, Stanley

### CIVIC HOLIDAY.

Mayor Hunter hss declared Friday

the first teams of this part of the coun- natural wonder, and also the great power works now under construction.

## People We Know

THE GOING AND COMING OF DURHAMITES AND THEIR FRIENDS.

Mr. Wm. Legate left Tuesday morning for Red Deer, Alta.

her home in Toronto for the holidays. don, Eng.) Miss Edith Everett, of Palmerston, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. C. Firth is spending a few days with friends in Toronto.

Wes. Theobald and Mr. Moyer, of Mt. Forest, were in town Friday. Mr. Will Kearney has left for Merartist, to be here on the First is spoken lin, Co. Kent, for a couple of months. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Legate and family

are visiting friends at and about Sar-

HIGHEST price paid for wool, in cash | Manitoba where they intend to reside.

Mr. Thos. Corbett, of Sault Ste. mother.

nesday afternoon of last week, after an absence of a couple of weeks in the

Dave Smith and Will Glass started out Tuesday morning to bill the towns between here and Elora for Niagara Falls Excursion to take place July 7th. Dr. Holt left for the West this Thursday morning. On Monday

night, his brethern of the Oddfellows Society honored him with an address and presentation. Mr. and Mrs. Umphrey, of Iowa.

visited the former's sister, Mrs. C Firth. It was thirty-two years since Mrs. Firth and her brother parted in the Old Country and they never met each other since. Mr. Umphrey was a delegate to the International Sunday

"MR Cyril Dwight-Edwards shines made a great hit with his splendid rendering of 'The light of the moon.' "-THE 20th century Flyer, the blue Folkstone Express (Eng.)

14th; Durham at Owen Sound July last week, at Mentor, Ohio, about 20 Huff, Science Master of Meaford High service being held at the appointed 21; Owen Sound at Durham July 28th; miles east of Cleveland, when eight School for the Inspectorship of East time interment was postponed to Owen Sound at Hanover August 5th persons were killed and thirteen in Grey, which is to include the township await the arrival of a son, James, who jured. The train was running at the of Osprey, now in Mr. Campbell's started from Los Angeles before his rate of sixty miles per hour, and ran division. Mr. Mowat was the other mother's death and did not arrive un-THE little four year old son of Dr. into an open switch. Four of the five candidate and the vote stood 8 to 7, til Monday night. McGregor, of London, was bitten by a Pullmans, were ditched, the fifth one Mr. McCannel being absent through Deceased was born on Yonge St. supposedly mad dog, in London, on remaining on the track. The switch illness. We imagine he would have near Toronto, seventy years ago the Thursday last. He has been taken to is supposed to have been opened pur- voted the other way and made the 9th of next month. In 1859 she was the Pasteur Institute, New York, for posely to derail the train, as another result a tie had he been present. We treatment. The dog has also been "flyer" had passed through in safety hope Mr. Huff is all right, but person-

> Kennedy of Bunessau met with the misfortune to have his barn struck by lightning Sunday night last and total- living with their children at the Sault, ly destroyed, together with all his machinery, harness and some live stock. A buggy and harness belonging to Michael Courdt, and a lot of his clothing and tools were also destroyed. strong at Gravenhurst, James of Los The barn was undergoing improvements. Loss estimated at \$1200. Insurance \$700.



We have the up-to-date goods for weddings. In Wedding

In Fine Gold Jewelry for the debentures to the amount of \$1800 for Bride and Bridesmaid, we have a the purpose of enabling the Trustees of School Section No. 2, in the Town-For Wedding Presents we have

the Largest Stock of Fine Silver- ship of Egremont. ware ever shown in Durham. Stock, and Low Prices.

Basy Bargain Store on the Busy Corner.

"MR. Cyril Dwight-Edwards sang the fine arioso from Benvenuto (Diaz) splendidly. Its grand phrases afford ample scope for his telling voice."-Era (London, Eng.)

"Mr. Cyril Dwight-Edwards was warmly applauded and encored for his excellent and artistic rendering of Miss Johnston, teacher, has gone to Golden Days' "-Morning Post (Lon-

> AFTER an absence of about seven years, and a sojourn in Los Angeles, California, since 1891, Mr. Jos. Corbett is visiting friends in the vicinity.

WE hope it is not too late to tender personal congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCullough, of Vickers, recently married.

THE splendid new station at Chesley was burned by lightning Sunday night. Mrs. George Hutton and daughter, It was only a few months ago that Miss Mary, left Monday morning for this building was completed, and it was up to date in every way.

THE Baptists had a successful Marie, was present at the burial of his garden party Tuesday night. The weather was a little cold for ice cream Mr. Peter Gagnon returned on Wed- or they might have taken in a little more money.

### OBITUARY.

MRS. JOSEPH CORBETT.

We regret this week to record the sad circumstances which led to the death of Mrs. Joseph Corbett.

About two weeks ago she was on the train from Gravenhurst to Toronto, intending to go to Galt to visit her daughter, Mrs. Parker. The train was in motion and she walked to the rear end to get a drink of water. The deceased lady was about 70 years of age, and it is supposed she did not notice that in opening the door she was going out on the rear platform, from which she slipped off, or walked off. Falling heavily to the ground she was considerably shaken up, but strange to say there were no external evidences of A. D. Aspen Grove, B. C., care of Ot- prominently and successfully and injury. She was again taken on board and removed to the hospital in Toronto where she died last Thursnay.

The remains were taken to Durham for interment and the funeral arrang-July 7th; Hanover at Durham July lines, was wrecked on Wednesday of THE County Council selected Mr. ed for Monday afternoon, but a short

married at Galt to Joseph Corbett who survives her. Next year Mr. and Mrs. Corbett removed to Durham and lived in the vicinity ever since until about WE regret to learn that Chas. three years ago, when they retired from farming in good comfortable circumstances, and having since been Gravenhurst and Galt.

Nine children remain. Thos. B., John, Wm. and Mrs. Montgomery, at the Canadian "Soo," Mrs. John Arm-Angeles, California, Joseph of Indianapolis, Mrs. Parker of Galt and Mrs. Thos. Livingston of Durham. All were present at the burial Tuesday morning except William and Joseph.

The friends and relatives have the sympathy of the community in the sad circumstances under which they have been so suddenly and unexpectedly placed.

BORN.

MACDONALD-On Thursday June 22nd, 1905, to Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald, a

DIED.

CORBETT-In Toronto, on June 22nd, 1905, Mrs. Joseph Corbett, aged 69 years, 11 months and 17 days.

### Public Notice.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a By-Law was passed by the Rings we have everything that | Municipal Council of the Township of Egremont on the Ninth day of June, A,D., 1905, providing for the issue of ship of Egremont, to erect a School House in said Section in said Town-

And that said By-law was registered Also Fancy China at Keeler's, in the Registry Office for the South the noted store for Quality, Large Riding of the County of Grey, on the 12th day of June, A.D., 1905.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within one month from the date of registration and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated at Holstein this 10th of June, A. D., 1905, DAVID ALLAN, CLERK.

# Spring Apparel

Beauty abounds on every hand here. Departments all complete with goods attractive, becoming and moderately priced.

## Millinery==Elegant and Lovely Modestly Priced...

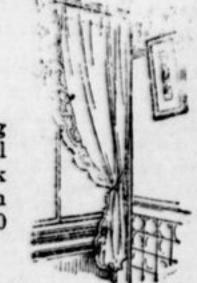
OUR ORDER BOOK plainly shows the result of Millinery opening week. Such a brilliant display was worthy of a much larger town than Durham. Our Hats were greatly admired and were designed by our own milliners who won unstinted praise for elegance, novelty and good taste.

## Ladies' Dainty White Lawn Waists.

A complete showing of spring and summer White Lawn Waists, made in dainty fashions and marked specially low. It's a waste of time and money to look elsewhere. We have decided to sell these waists at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.50.

## Nottingham ... Lace Curtains

This is the season for renovating your homes. NEW CURTAINS will be required. See our great stock before buying. We have them from \$1.00 to \$5.00 per pair. Our \$1.00 Curtain is a hummer.



## S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

The Busy Store has long borne a reputation for the uniform good quality of their goods, and requires very little advertising to demonstrated the fact to their numerous customers. Every customer at this store is a living advertisement, and it is our aim to make and keep as many ne v patrons as possible.

# Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea

Fresh from the plantation, is noted for its Flavor, Strength, and Pure Fragrance, . .

Lead Packages 20, 25, 40c. a lb.

In General Dry Goods we carry the Choicest Stock in town.

Highest prices in cash or trade for Wool, Butter and Eggs.

# J. & J. HUNTER

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER.