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## DURHAM CHRONICLE

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Durham, Sept. 7, 1905.

### Edge Hill.

Miss Grace Greenwood and Miss Goodeve spent a couple of days last week with friends in Hanover.

We regret to learn that Mrs. C. Williams is ill at present.

Misses Mary Edge and Ethel Greenwood go to town this week to attend H. S. Department of Durham school.

Miss Lily Gardiner, of Mt. Forest, accompanied by a lady friend, visited at Mr. Dan Greenwood's the beginning of the week.

Our Sunday School library has been materially increased by the addition of fourteen dollars worth of books, purchased at a liberal discount from Wm. Briggs, Toronto.

Misses Grace and Nellie Greenwood gave a quilting bee last Tuesday followed by a party in the evening. It is needless to say that all enjoyed themselves.

Harvesting is finished and it is expected that threshing will commence this week.

Miss Amy Edge leaves to-day (Monday) for Owen Sound to attend the Collegiate Institute. For the past four years she has had charge of the Primary class in our Sunday School and on Thursday evening last the teachers and Bible Class went as a surprise party to her home and presented her with an elegant gold trimmed fountain pen and a nicely worded address. Miss Edge was taken very much by surprise but in a neat reply thanked them heartily for their kindly appreciation of her services. The evening was then very pleasantly spent in games and singing. Following is a copy of the address:

MISS AMY I. EDGE:

DEAR FRIEND,—For several years you have taken an active part in the organization and teaching of our Sunday School and recognizing the value of your self sacrifice and devotion to the cause, we, the teachers and Bible Class associated with you in the work, take this opportunity of meeting with you to spend a social evening before you leave us for other work. To all attendants of the school, it is apparent the success that has rewarded your efforts. The class attended regularly. They never lacked interest and seemed to display

an enthusiasm that marks the ability of the true teacher. With these facts before us we cannot let the occasion pass without asking you to accept this small gift as a slight appreciation of the esteem and respect with which you are held by your many friends of the Sunday School. In closing we all join in wishing you a continuance of success that has so far rewarded your diligence and application, and while we know that the sphere of influence of your character will be widened we can rest assured that you will always call to mind with pleasure the happy days spent at home with the Edge Hill Sunday School.

Signed on behalf of the Teachers and Bible Class.

MAGGIE ECTOR.  
MARIA E. RITCHIE.  
GRACE GREENWOOD.  
J. W. FIRTH.

### Rocky Saugeen.

Pleased to have Rev. Mr. Atchison back again after spending a few weeks well earned holidays in the West.

Miss Amy I. Edge, formerly teacher here, left on Monday for Owen Sound where for the coming year she will take up senior teachers' work in the Collegiate. Her successor, Miss McDonald, wields the stick successfully, we are told.

Mr. Will Newell was out driving on some of the back streets of our town on Sunday evening. Will says the roads where he went are in a deplorable condition and need immediate attention.

Among those who left for the West on Saturday were Messrs. McArthur, Clark, Caswell, Campbell and the Misses Vessie.

On Friday evening last there was a gathering in the shape of a surprise party at the home of Mr. John McArthur, when the fair young ladies and lovely gentlemen tripped the light fantastic way on into the wee sma' hours of the morning. The dance was preceded by some slight of hand performances on the part of some of the young men. These performances were of a very high order and reflect much credit on the gentlemen who took part. We think that if the youths who went West on Saturday morning give an exhibition of their skill along these lines as soon as they get out there we have nothing to fear for their safe return with pockets loaded with good cash.

The coroner's inquest into the death of Adeline Scace, the two year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scace, the Melancthon Township "Evening Lights" curists, was resumed on Friday afternoon at Shelburne. Harry Scace, the father, who has not previously been available as a witness on account of his house being under quarantine, said he did not believe in medical attendance except to find what the disease is. He had no idea of calling the doctor to administer medicine. Two of the children had what he supposed was diphtheria since the little girl died, and the Lord had healed them in answer to the prayer of faith. They had received no medical attention. Asked "had the teaching of Elder Brooks anything to do with strengthening your belief in doing without doctors," witness answered "Yes." Dr. Martin testified that he had his antitoxin treatment with him when he went to Scace's. He thought they would have had some chance of recovery had the antitoxin been administered. It took the jury less than an hour to bring in the verdict that Sara Adeline Scace came to her death of diphtheria; that medical attention was necessary and would have increased the chances of recovery of the child; that Harry Scace is responsible for the nonattendance of the doctor, and that he was influenced by the advice and teaching of Elder Brooks. All the papers in the case are now in the hand of County Crown Attorney McKay, of Orangeville, and he will probably submit the evidence to the attorney-general's department before taking final action.—Dundalk Herald.

While driving home from Shallow Lake on Thursday of last week, Mrs. Jeremiah Rodman met with a very serious accident. The shaft of the buggy got loose and fell down causing the horse to make a sudden start and thus throwing Mrs. Rodman out of the buggy. Her head struck a stone and rendered her unconscious. Her son Cleave, who was wheeling from Owen Sound, came up with her just at the time of the accident. He jumped off his wheel and attempted to stop the horse but was knocked down by a wheel of the buggy and the horse stepped on his face making it necessary to have several stitches put in his lip. Mrs. Rodman was unconscious for some time and is still in a very precarious condition. Her face is very much injured and it is feared she will bear permanent marks of the accident.—Hepworth Journal.

On the afternoon of the 17th inst., a number of the residents of our village saw a rare sight in the heavens. What seemed to be a large balloon or flying ship was seen travelling towards the Northwest at a great rate. It was unfortunate that no good telescope was at hand to enable onlookers to define clearly the construction of the aerial machine. Some of the clearer sighted declare that they could see some human being hanging on and one said he saw two of them. In a short time it disappeared.—Mildmay Gazette.

### GLENELG COUNCIL.

The council met August 12th, pursuant to adjournment. All the members present, the Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Communications read as follows.

From the committee appointed to examine the bridge at lot 47. Con. 3 N. D. R. reporting that steps had been taken to have a new bridge built as they had considered that necessary.

From the Treasurer a statement of funds on hand. From Chas. Tebbutt and several others gravel accounts from several ward commissioners reports on expenditures.

Arrowsmith—McMillan—That Colin McDougal, painter of Durham be paid the sum of \$70 for painting the hall, also \$5, extra for border put on. Carried.

Weir—Hunt—That the following amounts as ward expenditures be paid. Namely, Ward 1, \$178.58., Ward 2, \$200.30., Ward 3, \$184.40., Ward 4, \$199.15. Total \$762.43. Carried.

Weir—Hunt—That Mrs. Flora McLean Steele, be allowed to put a fence across the end of the street passing through her property in the village of Priceville. As the said street is not of any convenience to any of the ratepayers of the Township, and that the said fence will be a protection to her property. Carried.

McMillan—Arrowsmith—That collectors of taxes be appointed for the year 1905 as follows. Ward 1, Thos. McGirr. Ward 2, Archie McLellan. Ward 3, Thos. Cook. Ward 4, John Ellison Jr. and that the salary of each shall be \$25. Carried.

McMillan—Weir—That George Arrowsmith and E. W. Hunt, be paid \$3 for overseeing painting on hall. By-law No. 454, striking rates was introduced and read a first and second time.

Hunt—Weir—That after having heard the report of the committee appointed to examine the bridges at lot 47, con. 3, N. D. R. they being of the opinion that a new bridge was necessary, we therefore concur in that opinion. We also move that the committee go on and have the work completed as soon as possible. Carried.

Weir—McMillan—That a cheque for \$265, be issued in favor of W. J. Hamilton, being balance due him for road deviation, and that Mr. Arrowsmith pay the same when the deeds are signed. Carried.

Weir—Arrowsmith—That M. J. O. Hanley be paid \$25, dollars for two deviations comprising 2 acres of land being parts of lot 26, con. 8, and 25 con. 9, and that the clerk be paid \$3 for preparing deeds and getting them executed in connection therewith. Carried.

Further payments were made as follows,

Thos. Jack, Gravel	\$ 5 00
Henry Firth	2 60
Andrew Lindsay, gravel	1 90
Alex. Gordon,	4 25
Jos. Atkinson,	1 00
Chas. Tebbutt,	3 00
Lachlin McLean,	1 50
Mrs. Barry,	1 45
John Russel,	3 75
Quillman,	3 10
Robert Edge,	0 75
Wm. Vessie,	2 50
" " damage to crop	1 00
Wm. Boyle timber for culvert, 6. 14.	1 50
Clerk of the Peace postage on Ont. statutes.	0 30
Thos. Lauder abstract of title Wm. Black, oils and paint for bridge.	4 00
Chas. W. Rutledge, printing voter's lists.	37 50
Neil Livingston burying dead sheep.	0 50
The Clerk on salary.	10 00
The Clerk for postage.	4 93
E. W. Hunt overseeing work, 27. 3. E. G. R.	3 00
E. W. Hunt conveying Mrs. Watterson to House of Refuge.	1 50
The Reeve committee re. walker deviation.	2 00
The Reeve expenses to Aytton re. bridge.	2 00
P. Haley painting bridge Lot 17, Con. 5.	7 00
J. E. Trelford for stove-pipes.	0 72
J. O'Neil cleaning hall.	3 00

Geo. A. Arrowsmith, Commission.	10 00
John A. McMillan, Commission.	10 00
E. W. Hunt, Commission.	10 00
Wm. Weir, Commission.	10 00
The council adjourned to Sept. 16th, at 10 a. m.	

J. S. BLACK Clerk.

### A WILLING SUBJECT.

The train was just about to move out of the station when an elderly female hurried up and sat herself down in the smoking carriage. She did not discover her mistake for some minutes, as she was too busy regaining her breath. Presently she noticed the man beside her puffing away on a more than black cigar. Then did she call the conductor and asked him if there was any room in any other part of the train. He replied that every seat was taken. With a sigh she relapse into her seat.

The clouds of smoke at her side grew thicker and thicker until she almost choked. At last, with a withering look at the man beside her she burst out:

"Sir, if you were my husband I would poison you."

With a smile the man took the cigar from his mouth.

"Madam," he replied, "if you were my wife I would take the draught willingly!"

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(6) The high stand taken by pupils of this school at the Normals, and the Universities—third place in Medicine at McGill; first place and medal in History, and third place in Mathematics at Queen's; second place in Physics and third place in English and History at Toronto; besides many other first class and second class honors at Macmaster and other colleges—and the growing demand for graduates of this school as Public School Teachers, all go to prove the efficiency of the work done.

Fees to all students not resident in Meaford, \$10 per year.

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