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## H. H. MOCKLER

### ODDFELLOWS' "AT HOME."

The members of Grey Lodge No. 169 I. O. O. F. held their annual "At Home" in the Town Hall, Tuesday night last. Between one hundred and fifty and two hundred invited guests were present, and about half past eight Mr. F. W. Search, N. G., opened the meeting with a short address and began a program of instrumental and vocal music and short addresses. Two instrumental duets were given on the piano by Misses Rita Irwin and Amy Kelly, a couple of magnificent piano solos by Mrs. Newton, and a well rendered piano solo by Miss Elma Holt, a little girl who is scarcely able to reach the pedals. A couple of humorous recitations were given by Mr. Ed. McClocklin, and a somewhat lengthy but well received humorous recital by Mrs. Stonehouse. Miss Jean Brown was heartily encored and forced to respond to a much appreciated vocal selection, and Mr. H. H. Mockler's solo was also a pleasing number. Mr. Porter, District Deputy, of Listowel, being present made a brief address expressive of his appreciation of Oddfellowship. At a later stage Mr. Wm. Laidlaw and Ye Editor were called upon and made a few remarks each.

At the close of the Literary program a sumptuous repast was served in the lower hall after which all who desired to do so were at liberty to go, but the presence of an orchestra from London caused many to prolong their stay and listen to the excellent music of the harp and other instruments, which led the youth and beauty to "chase the glowing hours with flying feet." The dancing continued until about three o'clock when all returned satisfied that the whole program was an enjoyable affair.

The Society here is in a very prosperous condition and are looking forward to a big demonstration about the middle of June.

### SIR JAMES WATSON'S OPINION

He says that the commonest of all disorders and one from which few escape is Catarrh. Sir James firmly believes in local treatment, which is best supplied by "Carrhazone." No case of Catarrh can exist where Carrhazone is used; it is a miracle worker, relieves almost instantaneously cures after other remedies fail. Other treatments can't reach the diseased parts like Carrhazone because it goes to the source of the trouble along with the air you breathe. Carrhazone is free from cocaine, it leaves no bad after-effects; it is simply nature's own cure. Accept no substitute for Carrhazone which alone can cure.

### GEORGE TWAMLEY'S CLOSE CALL

**Found Unconscious from Asphyxiation But Will Recover.**

This, Wednesday, morning a message from Toronto was received by Mr. George Lawrence announcing the serious condition of Mr. George Twamley, whose home is near the Rocky. A short time ago Mr. Twamley went West intending to take up land, and is evidently on his way home. In Toronto he either blew out the gas or was put to sleep in a room with a leaky gas jet which nearly finished him. From the information we get an open fan light was the only thing to give him even a chance for recovery. Mr. Lawrence was asked to inform his wife and family of the accident and express the strong hopes entertained for his recovery though a couple of weeks would elapse before he would be able to continue his homeward journey. We are unable to understand how matters can be so bad that a couple of weeks will be required, and hope that a couple of days will be sufficient. Mr. Twamley is an industrious, well-to-do farmer, owns considerable property here, but was evidently anxious to get some of the prairie lands of the great North-west. Though we can not give full and definite information at the time of writing we are convinced that Mr. Twamley's condition is such that his friends need not fear more than a temporary illness.

### Caught Cold While Hunting a Burglar.

Mr. Thos. Lanorgan, provincial Constable at Chapleau, Ontario, says: "I caught a severe cold while hunting a burglar in the forest swamp last fall. Hearing of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I tried it, and after using two small bottles, I was completely cured." This remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds. It will loosen and relieve a severe cold in less time than by any other treatment and is a favorite wherever its superior excellence has become known. For sale at Parker's Drug Store.

### NOTICE.

Citizens are notified that all out-houses, pig pens and yards generally should be cleaned at once, as the Health Inspector is about to make his rounds.

HUGH MACKAY, INSPECTOR. Ap. 16 3tc.

### A QUEER ANIMAL.

**Peculiar Toadlike Creature That is Found in Surinam.**

In Surinam there is a remarkable toadlike creature the female of which carries the young in a series of cells in the thick skin of the back, which assumes a strange honeycomb-like appearance. When this lady toad is carrying her nursery about with her she is a very repulsive looking object. Single handed she would be quite unable to cope with the important question of placing eggs where they will be most favorably disposed for hatching, and for this she has to rely on the good services of her mate. Soon after the eggs are laid they are taken up by the male and pressed, one by one, into the cells in the thickened skin of his partner's back. There they grow until they fit closely to the hexagonal form of their prisons, each of which is closed above by a kind of trapdoor.

After a period of some eighty-two days the eggs reach their full development and produce, not tadpoles, but actually perfect little toads. The reason of this is that the tadpoles, which require to breathe the air dissolved in the water by means of their external gills, could not exist in the cells, and consequently this stage of development is passed through very rapidly within the egg. In due time the young toads to the number of 80 or 100 burst open the lids of their cells, poke out their noses and make their entrance into the world. The mother toad rubs off the remains of the cells against any convenient stone or plant stem and comes out in a brand new spring outfit.

### "HIS HIGH MIGHTINESS."

**One of the Titles Proposed For the First President.**

One of the embarrassments of the new office of president was in regard to title—how the chief magistrate of the United States should be addressed. The subject had occupied the attention of congress, and a joint committee from the two houses had been unable to agree. The newspapers had taken the matter up and discussed it freely. With some "his excellency" was thought the proper caper, others wished a longer and higher sounding title, and not a few favored the appellation given to rulers in Holland—"high mightiness." It was finally decided to the satisfaction of all parties that Washington should be called simply the president of the United States.

While these controversies were at white heat Speaker Muhlenburg was one day at a dinner given in honor of Washington and was asked by the president elect what he thought of the title of "high mightiness."

"Why, general," replied Muhlenburg, laughing, "if we were certain that the office would always be held by men as large as yourself or my friend Wynkoop (a large sized gentleman from Pennsylvania sitting at the table) it would be appropriate enough, but if by chance a president as small as my opposite neighbor should be elected it would become ridiculous."

### Friendship Among Fishes.

The sea cucumber, with long body and mouth fringed with tentacles in a feathery circle, gives lodgings to smaller forms, which have been called its messmates, which actually live within its body and swim in and out at will, thus finding a welcome shelter and also feeding on the half digested food of their hosts. In similar way sea anemones, attached to a rock and furnished with a circle of feelers or tentacles, with which they catch and hold their food, make friendships with little fishes which swim fearlessly within their grasp and are constantly infolded for a few moments in what to the prey of the anemone would be a living tomb, but very soon the tentacles unclose and allow the playful little prisoner to escape at will. In similar fashion fish have been seen living and sporting within the arms of tropical starfish.

### A Curious Oath.

The following curious oath was until recent years administered in the courts of the Isle of Man: "By this book, and by the holy contents thereof, and by the wonderful works that God has miraculously wrought in heaven above and in the earth beneath in six days and seven nights, I do swear that I will, without respect of favor or friendship, love or gain, consanguinity or affinity, envy or malice, execute the laws of this Isle and between party and party as indifferently as the herring's backbone doth lie in the middle of the fish."

### The Bright Spots.

No man knows his strength or his weakness till occasion proves them. If there be some thoughts and actions of his life from the memory of which a man shrinks with shame, surely there are some which he may be proud to own and remember—forgiven injuries, conquered temptations (now and then) and difficulties vanquished by endurance.

### Friendship.

Don't flatter yourselves that friendship authorizes you to say disagreeable things to your intimates. On the contrary, the nearer you come into relation with a person the more necessary do tact and courtesy become. Except in cases of necessity, which are rare, leave your friend to learn unpleasant truths from his enemies.

### Beloved of the Gods.

Miss Mary Anderson (Mme. Navarro) in the play of "Pygmalion and Galatea" once turned with outstretched arms toward the audience. She was supposed to be appealing to heaven. "The gods will help me!" she cried. At once with one accord the "gods" of the gallery roared response, "We will!"

### ROBERT A. GRANT.

Mr. Robert A. Grant, the well-known barrister and active Liberal, died last night at his residence, 208 George street, after an illness of about a month, which became serious a few days ago, of pneumonia and heart failure.

He was a son of Rev. Dr. Grant of Orillia, and was born 40 years ago at Waterdown, Wentworth County. He was educated at Ingersoll and Toronto, and was called to the bar about eighteen years ago. He had always practised with the firm of Kerr, Macdonald, Paterson and Grant.

Mrs. Grant died last December, after an extended illness, and two little boys survive. There are five brothers—George D. Grant, M. P., Inglis and Gordon of Orillia; Fred, of Midland; and William, of Detroit; and one sister in Orillia.

[Mr. Grant was a son-in-law of the late J. H. Hunter, of this town, and was well known to many of the present residents.—Ed.]

### A BILIOUS HEADACHE.

Is one of the meanest things in the world. To prevent biliousness use Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which keep the system clean and pure, regulate the bowels, give tone to the kidneys and liver. You'll never have a headache, you'll never have a sour stomach, but you will have vigorous bracing health by taking Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Your druggist sells Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box or five for one dollar.

### Stray Heifer.

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, April 5th, Lot 32, Con. 2. E. G. R., Glenelg, one heifer two years old, Color, roan, with white face, dehorned. Any person giving information that will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

R. H. BANKS, Edge Hill P. O. April 19th.

### NOTICE.

All who have signed, and all who intend to sign the Service Roll of the South Grey Rifle Association are hereby requested to go at once to Police Magistrate Telford, or some other Justice of the Peace and take the Oath of Allegiance.

Feb. 19th, '06. BY ORDER.

Don't miss the Piano Recital in the Town Hall Thursday night. \*25 & 35c.

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### Wire Fencing

There is no fence to equal the American Steel Wire Woven Fence. Once up properly there is no need for repairs. It lasts for years—just what you are looking for. It's horse-high, pig-tight and bull-strong. No stock can get over, under or through it. The most unruly animal can't butt it down, and there are no bars to tear and injure the stock. We also keep in stock all other kinds of Wire for fencing, in large quantities, and our prices are right.

### A SURE CURE

We have a sure cure for horses' sore shoulders, and a preventative for sore shoulders.

## W. BLACK

### HOW TO GET CONSUMPTION.

Ninety per cent. of the "lungs" contract consumption by allowing power of resistance to fall so low that a favorable condition for the development of the bacilli is provided. In a healthy system consumption can't take root. But where there is weakness and debility, there you find tuberculosis. For developing strength and building up the weak, nothing equals Ferrozone. It makes the blood nutritious and the nerves enduring. The way it converts food into nutriment, the appetite it gives is surprising. Just what the man verging on consumption needs,—that's Ferrozone. If tired and weak don't put off. Fifty cents buys a box of fifty tablets—at all dealers.

### TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The large brick house and property, centrally located in the Town of Durham, belonging to the estate of the late J. M. Hunter, together with several other lots, is now offered for sale and will be disposed of at easy price and on easy terms to a quick purchaser. Apply for particulars to

MRS. J. M. HUNTER, or to A. H. JACKSON. Ap. 12th.

## NEW Dress Goods

We have our New Dress Goods in now.

In grey, the leading color, we have a good assortment from 50c to \$1 25 yard.

We also have a nice line of Mohair, which we are selling at 37c yard.

We have a nice line of CRUM'S PRINTS

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## C. L. GRANT

 DURHAM.

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And in these few weeks we want to sell every dollar's worth of goods we possibly can. Here are some snaps in

### Housefurnishings

- Lace Curtains, regular \$1.25, sale price..... \$1.00 pair.
- Lace Curtains, regular \$1.00, sale price..... 75c pair.
- Frisled Bobbinet, regular 50c, sale price..... 40c yard.
- Brussels Carpets, regular \$1.25, sale price..... \$1.00 yard.
- Brussels Carpets, regular \$1.00, sale price..... 75c yard.
- Tapestry Carpets, regular 75c, sale price..... 50c yard.
- Tapestry Carpets, regular 50c, sale price..... 40c yard.
- Wool Carpets, regular \$1.00, sale price..... 75c yard.
- Wool Carpets, regular 75c, sale price..... 50c yard.
- Union Carpets, regular 50c, sale price..... 38c yard.
- Union Carpets, regular 40c, sale price..... 30c yard.
- Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers, reg. \$2 50, sale price... \$2.00.
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- Cretannes, good colors and patterns, reg. 15c, sale price.... 12c.
- Cretannes, good colors and patterns, reg. 12c, sale price.... 10c.
- Art Sateens, good colors and patterns, reg. 25c, sale price... 20c.

### Ginghams and Muslins

Ginghams and Muslins, all colors, reg. 15c, sale price..... 12c.

Ginghams and Muslins, all colors, reg. 12c, sale price..... 10c.

### Ribbons of all kinds at Half Price.

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Embroidery and Insertion, reg. 20c to 25c, sale price... 15c yard.

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### BOOTS AND SHOES

Money saved for you on every pair of Boots and Shoes bought here. We cannot quote prices. Hundreds of odd pairs at odd prices. Splendid assortment of Ladies' Fine Shoes.

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Hats, Caps, Braoses, Ties, Collars, Shirts, Clothing, etc., etc. We are ready to clear them out, at prices to make you smile.

This sale will soon be over. Make all you can out of it while it lasts.

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