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LOCAL ITEMS

A LARGE stock of new fancy neck-wear just in at Miss Dick's.

GENERAL servant wanted. Apply to Mrs. F. W. Kelsey, Upper Town.

BOGUS ten dollar bills on the Bank of Quebec are said to be in circulation. Look out for them.

If you want any furniture or carpets call at Furniture store. Big reduction owing to building operations.—a 12th.

LOST, on Sabbath last, somewhere between Durham and Zion Church a fur gauntlet. Will the finder please leave at Methodist Parsonage.

AT the bottom of page 2, you'll see an ad from Neil McCannel, one of our County Commissioners. Better read what he has to say about himself.

THE Toronto General Post Office was burned on Sunday night last and Monday's mail here contained a lot of matter thoroughly water soaked.

DR. BROWN, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Knapp House, Durham, Saturday, May 12. Hours, 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. Eyes tested and Glasses supplied.

THE new scenery for the Merchant of Venice is very appropriate to the play, one scene being the grand canal and famous bridge of Venice the Rialto. Don't miss this grand play.

THE Owen Sounders will have a new experience now since the closing of the bars and no doubt there will be many violations of the law. Surely a place ought to grow and prosper without intoxicants and see no reason why our County Capital should dwindle away for want of whiskey.

WE were in error last week in the starting point of the C. P. R., from the Owen Sound line. Instead of starting a short distance south of Flesherton Station we learn that the starting point is about 3 miles south or somewhere near Proton Station. The continuation of the old Durham Road east of Riceville threw us out when examining the blue print.

THE Young people of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a social evening on Monday night. A recitation by Mrs. Benton, a couple of recitations each by Mr. Will Laidlaw and Miss Aldred, a duet by Mr. Flarity and Stanley McNally, a duet by Misses Bertha Sparling and Rita Irwin constituted the principal part of the program, if we omit the taffy in which all took part.

THE twelfth Annual Horse Show, held in Toronto, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday was the most successful of the Society. Though there was a decrease in the gate receipts of about \$1100 the class of horses shown was above the average and from this standpoint the show was much ahead of former years. Prince Arthur of Canaught who was present and opened the Show, was greatly pleased at the class of horses raised in Canada.

GEORGE HUGHES, sport and social man of Durham, had a chat with several lacrosse enthusiasts at the Mount Royal Club here the other day. George stated that Durham will likely play this season, and had learned through the committee that they had their backers on several good ones. At present the Durham line-up is scarcely as strong as last season. George did not believe that Durham would or could place a team in the junior series.—Hanover Post.

LOCAL option went into effect Tuesday in the township of Artemesia and it is reported that the Munshaw House will be closed and no accommodation given to the public. This would be a very unwise move as every good citizen should realize his responsibility and the necessity of submitting to the will of a legally constituted majority. Of course Mr. Munshaw has a perfect right to retire into private life if he wants to, but the present is a very inopportune time and should he wish to re-open in the future, his action would militate against. The Munshaw House has always borne a good name, which resulted to some extent, no doubt, by the strict temperance sentiment of the place which prevented a second hotel being established in the village.

RAIN-COATS are a special bargain, at Flarity's.

GOOD house to rent on Main street. Apply to Miss Hutton.—2pd.

FROM what we hear on the street, Durham needs a good planing mill and wood working factory.

MR. ALEX. MCLACHLAN is having the water works installed in his residence on Bruce street.

LADIES' silk blouses, silk drop skirts and voile and lustre dress skirts and suits at Miss Dick's.

TWO new lines in umbrellas, called the unique and suit case. Either as convenient as a pocket in a shirt. The one can be folded up and placed in a suit case and the other the top can be taken off at any time, a new one placed or a rib put in. One rib given with each one, at Flarity's.

THE Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the service in the Methodist Church on Sabbath morning next. The service will begin at 10:30 instead of 11. In the evening the choir will render a Song Service. The Pastor will speak on "The Missions of Christian Songs."

TORONTO seems to be a little short on British flags. In the Union Station at the reception to Prince Arthur, the place of honor was occupied by the Stars and Stripes, while the theatres also seem rather short on National emblems. Perhaps Montreal or Hamilton would be able to lend Hog-town a helping hand in future if notified in time.

THE Toronto "Saturday Night" is now running a series of articles on men who have served Great Britain in the army at home and abroad. This week's issue will contain a sketch of Mr. Fred Hunter, an old Durham boy, now serving in India. This will be especially interesting to old-timers around here who will be pleased to hear of a Durham boy's success in foreign lands.

WE chronicle this week the death of Mrs. Buckingham, south of the town. The old lady lived here for many years and is always referred to as a hard working, industrious and honest woman who had an uphill climb in life. She was seventy-eight years of age and could be seen frequently on the streets until a few months ago. George Buckingham and Mrs. Downs are two of her family.

THE South Grey Temperance Association held a meeting Tuesday night in Calder's Hall. The attendance was fair and evidently in earnest. Rev. Mr. Farquharson gave a historical sketch of the origin and development of the license system and showed that improvements were being made all along the line. His opinion is favorable to the two-fifths vote on the question of local option or the repeal of the same.

THE real spring weather seems to have come at last. Up to the present the nights have been rather cold and indeed frosty. There was not sufficient rain apparently to take the frost out of the ground and vegetation was slow in starting. A goodly down pour of warm rain on Tuesday night has changed the face of nature and things are looking brighter. Spring work is progressing favorably and while the weather has not been good for growth, it has been excellent for work.

THE Grand Trunk station at Walkerton was burned last week together with a considerable quantity of freight and a couple of cars of rattan goods that might have been pushed out of the way had there been the exercise of a little presence of mind. The old station was away out of town and there was much trouble in getting the fire engine and brigade there in time to be of much service. From the newspaper reports we do not imagine there is much sorrow in Walkerton over the loss of their waiting shed which has long been regarded as a disgrace to the town and company. For some time the company has been talking of moving the station to a more central location and now that the fire has cleaned them out they will have an opportunity to carry out their intentions.—[The last report is the G. T. R. will rebuild in the same place.]

A PHENOMINAL RECORD.

The National Portland Cement Co., Limited, is turning out the largest output of any marl cement plant in Canada, the average daily output being 1200 to 1250 barrels per day, and this beats the record for any eight kiln wet process plant in the world.

The National Brand is the leading brand of cement in Canada and have yet to receive their first complaints as to quality.

The new Superintendent, Mr. Geo. McGrane, who installed this plant always maintained that if the plans was properly manned and run to its full capacity that it should turn out more cement than any plant of its size in the world on the wet process system and under his supervision he has demonstrated by actual operation that his views were correct.

Starting the plant on the 7th day of April and getting the machinery all running, he turned out for the balance of the month of April 25565 bbls., the management last year under the supervision of Mr. H. H. Farr started one day earlier in the month turned out 15716 bbls.

The stockholders and Directors of N. P. C. Co., Ltd., made wise selection in electing Mr. R. H. McWilliams as President as he has personally remained the Mill, the present output showing his ability as to putting the proper men in charge of each department.

YOUNG-McINNIS.

That merry young spirit Daniel Cupid Esquire has got busy again, and among the latest to throw up their hands is Mr. Simon Young, a former Hanover boy now residing in Durham. Simon withstood cupid's wiles and woman's loveliness as long as any reasonable man could be expected to, but now he is a staid married man and a believer in the desirability of conjugal bliss. His wife is Miss Anna J. McInnis and hails from the neighborhood of Kilsyth. All honor to her! The last act in the drama was consummated at the old homestead on Wednesday of last week and was witnessed by the immediate friends of the contracting parties only. The young couple were unattended. Rev. Mr. Watson tied the knot securely. The bride looked charming in white silk. Her travelling suit was blue, with white trimming. Mr. and Mrs. Young will reside in Durham and here's a wish that they may have long life, happiness and prosperity.—Hanover Post.

Reduction in Furniture.

We must reduce our stock of Furniture, owing to building operations:
Bedroom sets were \$25.00 selling for \$17.00.
Dresser and Stand, British bevel glass, were \$14.00 selling for \$11.00.
Dresser and Stand, service oak, were \$19.00 selling for \$16.00.
Sideboard, quarter cut oak, was \$36, selling for \$32.00.
Ash sideboards, were \$12.50 selling for \$10.50.
Extension tables, 10 feet long, \$10.
ED. KRESS, SALESMAN,
Next door to Post Office.



BIG STOCK OF Easter Goods —AT— KEELER'S See Display Windows. R.B. Keeler & Sons The Busy Store on The Busy Corner.

FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN.

Notwithstanding the busy season in the country and many other attractions in the town, there was a goodly audience in the Presbyterian Church on Monday evening to hear the address by the Rev. T. McCullough of Harrison, on "Canada from Ocean to Ocean." Beginning in the mists of the eastern coast the speaker took his audience over the bright and smiling lands of the east and left them a little over an hour later, straining their eyes to see through the fogs on the ocean shores of the setting sun. We visited the land of Evangeline and saw her waiting at her door for Gabriel as she waited long ago. We saw the prim little village of the habitant by the Baie de Chaleur and the quaint and narrow streets of ancient Quebec as well as the mighty trees of the west. We had steamers, trains and trolleys at our service and contented ourselves with a look at the outside of lordly hotels when we had not money enough to enjoy their more substantial hospitality. We passed round the barren shores of Lake Superior and felt refreshed when we stood again, like the fair damsel in the old time among the sheaves of yellow corn—All these scenes—the lonely bachelor in his chaotic attempts to keep house, the broncho branding and busting and the reaping and threshing of the fruit of the field—all these had their interest, but the part of the address that held the audience the most intensely was that which presented the steep frowning glories of the rugged but awe inspiring Rockies. A few well selected scenes thrown on the canvas give a little idea of these mighty works of the Creator than could be conveyed by pages of wordy description.

The solo by Miss Jean Brown and the duet by Misses Ida Wilson and Nora Galvin were well received and all felt they had spent a helpful and enjoyable evening.

HITS AND MISSES.

Lots of Durham men have religion, but they carry it in their wife's names.

Every girl is anxious to be handsome. She might improve on this by being anxious to be useful at the same time. A woman that can't put a patch on her petticoat or sew a button on her husband's trousers hasn't yet complete her education for usefulness.

We don't mind seeing a man well dressed if he can afford it, but his suit always seems to fit better when his tailor bills are paid.

The weather this spring hasn't been satisfactory for the showing of new hats. How provoking to have rain every Sunday!

THE Scotchmen will hold their annual demonstration on the 2nd of July.

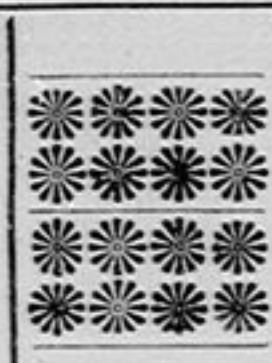
BEAR in mind the Grey Lodge No. 169 intend holding a monster demonstration here about the middle of June. Premier Whitney, R. R. Gamery and others will be present.

Mr. J. A. Glass who has been away for the past two or three years in Philadelphia and elsewhere, returned home a couple of weeks ago. He occupied the position of Merchant tailor here till he sold out to Mr. Flarity and left for the land of the Stars and Stripes. He is now exhibiting a very unique contrivance in the shape of a coal-oil stove which gives evidence of good work. The device, we understand is covered by American and Canadian patents and Mr. Glass has the right for a portion of Canada. It is not an ordinary coal-oil stove, though coal oil is the fuel used. It is so constructed that it can be fitted easily into an ordinary cook stove, range or heater, and the expense according to circulars we have seen is only three cents a day. Of course the expense is based on the cost of coal oil on the other side of the line, and with the higher price of fuel here it will be somewhat more expensive. By using it is claimed that an ordinary stove may be used for all domestic purposes including heating just as coal or wood are used, but with no ashes or dirt to remove. It seems to work all right.

One More Chance for Niagara.

The 31st Regt. goes to Camp Niagara June 12th. Any one wishing to go must sign the roll by May 29th as that is the last date. A few more good recruits will be taken. Apply CAPT. O. M. SNIDER, Hampden, Or STG. SGT. W. W. RAMAGE, Thistle.

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