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### LOCAL ITEMS

TEN Apprentices Wanted.—Apply to Miss Dick at once.

ALL who contemplate the purchase of a fall suit or dress should read Mockler's ad. this week.

NOTICE.—To members of S. G. R. A. The official score will be fired at 200, 300, 500 and 600 yards on Nov. 18th. Members should attend.

FIFTY large 12x14 beautiful photographs given away free. One with every dozen cabinet photos. F. W. Kelsey, Photographer.—July 12th

ALL orders taken in our dressmaking department will receive our most careful and prompt attention. Prices reasonable.—Miss Dick.

THE Public will notice an advertisement in this week's issue that it may be well for them to observe. It has reference to trespassers on a number of Glenelg farms.

OUR Varney correspondent gives an article about an attack on Max Allan which seems a little fishy, but we have no reason to believe the report is not substantially correct.

We have just opened up a shipment of goods which will complete our new up-to-date stock of trimmings. No need hereafter to send away for these goods.—H. H. Mockler.

THE next meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on October 4th at the home of Mrs. Robt. Pettigrew, Varney. The topic for discussion is "Preparation of Fowl for Market." The last meeting, which was held at Mrs. D. McCrie's, was well attended, and an invitation is extended to all ladies for October meeting.

ONE would scarcely imagine that the citizens of a place as dry as Flesherton is would have any serious nocturnal disturbances, but the Advance lets the cat out of the bag when he tells how the good people over there have been "seein' things at night." Like many others in Canada during the past few weeks they have been admiring the planet Venus, which is now the evening star, but they've been fooled by reports concerning the Hay City balloon story. Durhamites have been seeing the balloon too, and for aught we know some of them may have seen snakes.

GRADING on the new railroad is going rapidly on. About eight or nine gangs are at work between here and Hanover and several between here and Priceville. Work is also being done between Hanover and Walkerton and before the ground freezes the ordinary grading will be pretty well rounded up. We understand the contract calls for completion of the work before the first of July next, but it hardly seems possible to think it will be done so soon. However, great changes can be made in a short time by the judicious use of men and money. The location of the road through the town will not be fixed in all probability till next spring.

MR. NORMAN MCINTOSH arrived in town Saturday and will be engaged in auditing for a week or so. Mr. McIntosh is a Commercial College graduate. For some time he was occupied in teaching school, doing his last penance in the school here. He was soon selected as book-keeper in the Farmers' Manufacturing & Supply Co. where he gave good and faithful service for a year or two when he went out west for a trip, and subsequently in company with Mr. Kelly, of the Standard Bank, went south as far as Mexico. Returning a few months ago from the torrid heat of a tropical sun, he felt his ambitions were gratified and he settled down in a sequestered spot in the village of Toronto and hung out his shingle as an auditor, and is qualified to go out to Durham and other large places to unravel the snarls of the most meandering and serpentine systems of book-keeping. Since he audited the books of the Durham Furniture Co. here a year or two ago and gave a lucid explanation of every detail at the annual meeting of the Company, we have had considerable faith in the little chap's ability in the matter of accounts. He is now out on his own hook and doesn't feel in so subordinate a position as he was while serving under a trustee triumvirate who could dismiss him at any time for dusting the seat of little Johnny's pants. We wish him success.

INSPECTOR CAMPBELL will occupy the pulpit in Baptist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

PICKLING SPICES, the best to be had and vinegar aged for two years in our cellar, 40c. a gallon.—H. H. Mockler.

THE Standard Bank of Canada, Durham is the Bank that pays 4 times a year on Savings Bank deposits from date of deposit.

THE South Grey Teachers' Association will be held in Flesherton on Thursday and Friday the 25th and 26th, of Oct.

H. H. MOCKLER keeps all the leading fashion journals on file each month on the counter for the use of customers.

A COUPLE of car loads of road-making trucks were received here this week by the C. P. R. Co. and will be used for construction purposes on the new road.

THE celebrated family flour "Encore" and "Pure Manitoba" made by Wenger Milling Co., of Ayton are for sale by Messrs. Mathews and Latimer. See ad. on another page.

A MEETING of the South Grey Temperance Society will be held in the basement of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening Oct. 2nd., at eight o'clock. A full attendance is requested. Important business.

BALD HEADED MEN—It is wrong to endanger your health and sacrifice your appearance when you know that Prof. Dorenwend's Toupees and Wigs easily replace the lost hair—feather-weight—stay on securely—are protection to the head and add to health and appearance. You are invited to call at the Middaugh House on Wednesday Oct. 10th.

OUR readers will remember a case reported some time ago in which Geo. Mighton, of Bentinck, was alleged to have been implicated in the stealing of a steer from John Brown of Allan Park. The case was tried here twice being dismissed the first time by the Magistrates on account of insufficient evidence. It was again brought up when the accused was committed to stand trial at Owen Sound. Last week the matter was disposed of and Mr. Mighton was acquitted, the new evidence against him being of such a contradictory character and to be wholly discounted and not considered. Mr. I. B. Lucas of Markdale was the defendant's Council and put up a good fight in the interest of his client.

A REAL curiosity was shown us at this office Monday afternoon by Mr. Wm Howey, teacher in the school at Edge Hill. It consisted of two spools of thread, one gold and the other silver, and the owner tells us they were left over by the makers of Queen Victoria's Coronation Dress, which was woven and made in 1837. Mr. Howey's great grand-father, Mr. Henry Silverlocks, was a weaver and was engaged on the work. He kept, as a memento, these two spools and they have passed down the line as a family heirloom. Mr. Howey prizes them highly, and as a relic of days gone they must be quite valuable. He left us a short piece of the material from each spool which we have placed amongst our archives. The thread was used in putting on the embroidery on the royal dress.

A BOLD robbery took place here on Friday night last when Mr. Webster's jewellery store was entered and about a thousand dollars worth of goods stolen. Of the stolen property there were \$700 worth of diamond rings, a portion of his goods that Mr. Webster used to take home with him every night until the night in question when he hid it in the store only to find next morning that he was a severe loser. Every watch on the repair board was also carried off and there must have been thirty or forty of them. Entrance was gained by cutting or breaking a glass panel out of the back door which had to be reached by climbing steps to the height of four feet or so. Besides the goods mentioned some valuable chains and other property had been carried away. A cheap ring was found on the sidewalk in front of the store next morning, but the thieves are still at large though efforts are being made to capture them. It seems that no effort was made to get into the safe. Mr. Webster has been here only since last winter and keeps a fine display of high class jewellery and diamonds. It is hardly necessary to say that we hope the thieves will be soon brought to justice.

THE marriage of Miss Ella Laidlaw, to Barrister W. F. Dunn is announced for Wednesday, Oct. 10th.

FOR SALE.—Two good bicycles, one gent's and one lady's. Good condition \$15.00 for both. Apply to Peel at the Shoe Store.—tf.

MRS. REDFORD offers all her household goods for sale by public auction on Saturday next at 2 p. m. She has some good furniture and as she has sold her house everything will be disposed of without reserve.

A SHORT time ago, Mr. W. Black bought the Guthrie property. Since then he has disposed of it all, the house and lot to Wm. Walpole, the lot between the bakery and blacksmith shop to W. D. Connor and the blacksmith shop to Hamilton Allen.

FASHIONS IN HAIR—Ladies who wish to perfect their appearance and learn all about hair should call on Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, who will be at the Middaugh House on Wednesday, Oct. 10th., with a big stock of his famous Hair Goods Styles, Wigs, Switches, Pompadours, Transformations, Wavy Fronts etc. All the latest from Paris, Boston, London and other places. A visit is sure to prove profitable.

WE have another instance of the value of advertising. Last week there was offered a reward of one dollar to any person returning a cigar case lost in town. Monday morning County Commissioner, James Allan, of Egremont, left it at this office and got the promised reward for the finder, Mrs. Archie Baird. The owner in town, here, was tickled half to death when he saw it, and without a word handed over the reward money. It pays to advertise in the CHRONICLE.

THE new thresher made in the Foundry here by Mr. David Smith did its first work Monday at the farm of Messrs. Scarf & Sons, and did excellent work we are told. There was something happened the cutting attachment Tuesday which resulted in considerable damage and gave the workmen quite a fright when they saw the knives flying in different directions. A loose bolt or something of the sort was the cause, putting the cutter out of business. The balance of the stuff was threshed without cutting and the machine proved a great success as to capacity and quality of work done. The cutter is said to do fine work and the blower is perfect. The whole machine was made here.

### NOTICE.

The Trustees of the Durham Natural Gas & Oil Co. have disposed of the assets of the Company, and will pay three cents on the dollar. Shareholders calling on Arthur H. Jackson, Durham, will receive amount due them, and can see full statement of accounts.—5pd.

### Teacher Wanted.

FOR S. S. No. 9, Bentinck, lady or gentleman, salary \$400 or over. Apply personally or by letter, before Wednesday, Oct. 31st. Duties to begin Jan. 1st. 1906.

JAMES STINSON, Sect. Crawford, P. O.

Sept. 26-4.

## School . . . . Re-opening

Buy your School Books and School Supplies at KEELER'S and save money. Our stock of High School Books is now complete, and in Public School Books we have everything that is required.

Largest stock of School Supplies in Durham to choose from.

The most for the least money at KEELER'S. Come with the crowd as there is sure to be a great rush here for these goods.

**R.B. Keeler & Sons**  
The Busy Store on the Busy Corner.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Edna Shorey returned to Toronto, Saturday.

Mrs. P. H. Thibaudeau spent a few days in Ingersoll.

Mr. M. K. Richardson, of Flesherton, gave us a brief call on Monday.

Mr. Arthur Laidlaw is spending a few days at the parental home here.

Mrs. N. W. Campbell and family will return from Muskoka this week.

Mr. Thos. Reid is spending a couple of weeks with his son, Robert, in Flint, Michigan.

Mrs. Dan Campbell is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Port Huron.

Miss Kate McDougall is visiting friends in Chatsworth and Owen Sound.

Conductor and Mrs. Lavelle, of Stratford, were visiting friends in town for a few days.

Miss Minnie Cooke, of Toronto, is at present, visiting Mr. Wm. T. Cooke, of Crawford.

Dr. and Mrs. Oliver, of Markdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKinnon over Show Day.

Miss Macintyre, of Ayton, returned home Friday last after visiting for a time with Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and family.

Mrs. John Nicholls who has been visiting her mother for a couple of weeks, returned to her home, in Toronto, on Saturday.

Little Miss Marjorie McDougall, of Chatsworth, spent from Friday to Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott, after spending two or three months with friends here, returned Wednesday morning to their home in Winnipeg.

Mr. R. A. Lawson, of Milton, was in attendance at the Fair and returned next day. He looks well and is quite pleased with the implement business.

Ye Editor was in Hanover Saturday, and feels pleased to see the advancement of our sister town. Several fine buildings are going up and things have a healthy appearance generally.

Dr. J. C. McGillivray, of Denver, Col., was a delegate to the Sovereign Grand Lodge I.O.O.F. and made a flying trip to Durham to see some of his old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Smith and two children, of Detroit, visited a few days in this vicinity and returned home Wednesday morning, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Smith, who lives on the Parker farm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, of Owen Sound, were in town a couple of days last week as judges at the South Grey Fair. They took advantage of the situation to visit the latter's brother, Inspector Campbell.

Mr. Findlay McKay, of Regina, who has been in the West for the past twelve years, is visiting friends in Durham and vicinity. He says Doug. Munro, Rice Meredith, Ad. Meredith and Davie Winkler are all in Regina and send their respects to everybody.

### Pointers for the Council.

#### A CITIZEN WRITES:—

Harvest being over, our Mayor is busy on his rounds looking after the interests of the ratepayers. We notice a big crop of weeds uncut inside the corporation. Broken sidewalks which should be repaired. A general fixing is necessary before winter sets in.—Wake up Town Council.

When water is low at this season of the year, as it is at this present time, fever is likely to make its appearance. Our officials should see that every precaution is taken that we have pure water to drink and that no accumulation be allowed within the town of any dirt, filth or anything which may endanger the public health.

### BORN.

LUTZ—In Durham, on Wednesday, September 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lutz, a daughter.

MEREDITH—At Regina, Sask., Sept. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Meredith, a son.

### MARRIED.

CAMPBELL—STEWART—At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. McNabb, Rochester, N. Y., by the Rev. Dr. Cope, Miss Katie Stewart, to Mr. Peter Campbell, of Winnipeg.

## Millinery Opening

FALL ——— 1906

You are cordially invited to attend our Fall Millinery Opening which will be held on

Wednesday and Thursday  
Sept. 26 and 27, and following days

A most complete range of all the leading novelties in Trimmed and Ready-to-wear Hats will be shown to which we respectfully invite your inspection.

## S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

STYLISH

## Men's & Boys' Clothing

New styles in

### Two & Three Piece Suits

Light and dark shades



### Hats, Caps, Furnishings

### Stylish Prints!

1200 yards in good styles & colors. Reg. price 10c, 12 1/2c to clear at

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We have always what is new and fashionable and our prices are right. . . . Satisfaction is stamped on faces of those who buy from us.

Highest price in cash or trade will be given for Butter and Eggs.

## J. & J. HUNTER

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER.