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THE DURHAM CHRONICLE

J. IRWIN, Editor and Proprietor. DURHAM, JULY 2, 1908.

EDITORIAL.

Wm. Barnhouse of Toronto, formerly of Flesherston, spent a week at the Y at Flesherston where he tends to spend a couple of days returning to the Queen City.

There with a view to starting a business and stayed at the Munshaw house. He asked Mr. Munshaw what he thought of the prospects of a young man going into the shoe business in a village, and Mr. Munshaw's reply was characteristic of the man who has borne the name of keeping a class hotel. His reply was "The shoe business is all right if a fellow will mind his own business and not hang around here."

Similar remarks might be made of Michael Mehlhausen who has just left Durham. We frequently hear him remark that he refused to give up to men who became troublesome when under its influence, and persons on the "Indian List" would ask in vain for the cup that he refused.

open bar. We hope Mr. Mehlhausen and family may prosper in their new home in the West, and we believe there are very few of the better thinking people of Durham who wish them any harm.

THE QUESTION OF THE HOUR

People generally like to know where to find a man. Very little positive knowledge can be had of some people. You never know where they are politically, religiously or morally.

Mack in "Saturday Night" says, "Some animated young person in Owen Sound with a considerable gift as a writer has sent me an anonymous letter with the postage so insufficiently prepaid that it cost me four cents to induce the postman to let me have it."

For what we are about to receive Lord make us truly thankful.—Amen.

The above prayer, though used almost altogether in the form of a table blessing, might well, we think, be turned to good account by the members of the Epworth League of this place in dealing with the Grand Trunk Railway System.

Some two months ago, this company, through Mr. J. D. McDonald, was approached on the matter of the League's annual excursion to Niagara Falls. Though the company didn't absolutely refuse their request, for the outing, which has always been a money-maker for the railroad company in particular, they didn't fall over any thing in accepting the proposition.

The Grand Trunk Railway System is now pensioning off all employees who attain the age of 65 years. Their privileges as regards passes will remain as heretofore, with the exception that they will have to apply to the Pension Department for them.

BORN. McDONALD—In Durham, on Saturday, June 27th 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDonald, a son. DIED. BELL—In Durham, on Thursday, June 25th, 1908, Alexander Bell, Jr., aged 38 years. BROWN—At Orchard, on Sunday, June 28th, Mrs. Wm. Brown, aged 57 years.

OUR PROPER FLAG.

The question as to which is the proper flag to be used by our schools and public buildings on occasions of national holidays is one which has been discussed at length time and time again.

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Sincerely yours, C. W. JAMES, Secretary Dept. of Education.

Traverston.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell and family and Mrs. Wm. Dodds, of Berkeley spent a few pleasant hours at Mr. Wm. Firth's and Zion's picnic on Saturday.

Miss Jennie Fallaise and Miss Eva Burnett, of Durham, are enjoying a happy outing at Mr. John O'Greenwoods.

Roy McNally is home this week recruiting from some strained muscles.

Zionites were pleased to have a visit from Miss Woodrow, teacher of No. 3, to their picnic. She has the qualities that win esteem and good will.

Masters Anderson Grant and Stanley Roberts came up from Toronto on Saturday to spend the holidays with grandma Anderson up the 6th con.

Bachelor Hughes, of Dornoch, was keeping an eye on the lassie that could most deftly cut the pieces at the festival.

Mrs. Harry Holmes and baby of town, are regaining strength at the old, parental home.

Mrs. McNab, of Rochester, with bright, little Ena, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. John McNally of the 6th.

At Tuesday noon of last week, an electric bolt struck the home of Mr. John McNally of the 10th con. smashing dishes and badly shattering the building.

Zion Sunday School picnic of 1908 will long be remembered for the ideal day, the perfect spirit of harmony and the simple joyousness that possessed old and young.

The booth under control of Sec. W. L. Falkingham did a big trade, three big bunches of bananas going magic like. The Sec. is unrivalled for getting through his work.

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huge success. Supt. Edwards went home with a glad and thankful heart. Nothing to mar the happiness of anyone and very much to be regretted that a day that shall not soon be forgotten and chert among those who helped to make it a grand success was Miss Olive Cook.

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS. DURHAM. HIGH SCHOOL DEPT.

Names are arranged in order of merit. Honor standing—40% on each subject, 75% on total. Pass standing—40% on each subject, 60% on total.

FORM II TO FORM III. Scholarship—Eva Renton, Dro more. Honors—Eva Renton, Winnie Binnie, Nellie Hepburn, Ruby Mills.

FORM I TO FORM II. Scholarship—Vaddie Caldwell, Durham. Honors—Vaddie Caldwell, Beth Jamieson, Lizzie McCuaig, Willie McAllister.

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BIG CLEARANCE of Wash Goods. July is here, and each week must be marked by quick selling in order to move our summer stock. Nothing but radical reductions can accomplish this—so down go the prices for the month of July. This Opportunity is Most Seasonable!! We have divided our Big Surplus of Wash Goods into Two Lots.

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Items for S... SUMMER SHOES—Keep Oxfor... are some of our prices... Babies' tan Oxfor... Children's tan Oxfor... and \$3.75. Men's tan... sizes and all prices—De... Hosiery, Plain a... CASHMERE, plain or rib... Cotton, black, plain or... Children's fancy cotton... Ladies' and misses' fancy... blue and grey, 15c to 20c... erer cashmere hose, new... not too splashy. 25c to 30c... Handsome Sum... ALL white, all black, b... stripe patterns, most... dies, \$1.35 to \$3.25 each... \$6.00 Stylish S... NEW skirts, all-wool, pa... brown, pleated & ripple... Fine White Wa... JUST a few left of the... lengths, pretty pattern... plete the waist and ins... About that Tru... ANY one of these trunk... you on your holiday tr... looking pieces, trunk... \$6.50. Telescopes at 5... Men's and Boy... A \$1.00 BILL invested i... large worth of comfort... variety of colors, 50c... Working Shirts... IN different colors, bla... cloths, 50c to \$1.00 ea...

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