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THE DURHAM CHRONICLE V. IRWIN, Editor and Proprietor. DURHAM, SEPT. 10, 1908.

EDITORIAL.

Wilfrid Laurier and his party proved themselves incapable financiers. Before they got into power found fault with the reckless expenditure of forty million dollars and assured the electors they would reduce the extravagance by at least two or three million dollars a year. They got in and now we have an annual expenditure of over a hundred millions.

McWilliamsville.

Mrs. Roy Teft and little son, of Hanover, spent a fortnight visiting the elder's old home and other friends in the city.

WE cordially invite all the ladies of Durham and surrounding vicinity to attend at our Nineteenth Semi-Annual display of trimmed millinery. We have the largest stock of millinery goods ever shown in our department, over 250 untrimmed shapes to choose from and as many wings and flowers. Parisian Millinery Parlors, MISS DICK Prop.

Grain is turning out well.

Mrs. W. C. Scott and daughter May, of Nanton, Alberta, are at present visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. W. R. Watson, and other friends here.

Miss Lottie Brown left on Monday for Toronto.

Mr. and Miss Adams, of Dromore, visited the Watson family one evening lately.

Miss Maggie Hamilton has returned to Owen Sound to resume her study at shorthand and typewriting.

Following are some of the visitors from this section to the Toronto Exhibition: James Brown, Wm. T. Brown, H. J. Whitmore, D. Henry, G. Findlay, J. Renwick, Ada Brown, Maud Hamilton, Emma Brown, Joe Brown, Wm. Zufelt, Wm. Wilson, Mrs. Philip Lawrence.

Hutton Hill.

Mr. George Noble, Durham and the Misses M. and J. Bish, of Waterloo, were guests recently of the former's daughter, Mrs. Charles Lawrence.

Miss C. H. Hutton entertained Mrs. R. D. Boyd and son, Eric, of Stratford, Mrs. D. Dunsmore and two children, of Calgary, Alberta, and Miss B. Petty, of Poplar Hill, not long ago.

Mr. Robert J. Stinson left last Saturday to attend the exhibition in Toronto and will remain there for about a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawson, of Milton, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. George Hopkins.

Mr. R. Pollock, of Normanby, and Miss A. Lawrence, teacher of Blyth School, spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. John Lawrence.

Mr. Thomas Milligan and his two sisters, Misses Jean and Bessie, spent Sunday with their cousin, Mrs. J. Hopkins of Ebenezer.

The harvest is past and threshing will soon be completed.

Mr. McGirr, of Glenelg and Miss S. Noble visited friends in Durham on Sunday.

Miss Elsie Petty returned Tuesday the 1st inst. to Owen Sound Collegiate to study for the last part of her first class certificate. We wish her success in her examination next mid-summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cuff and two sons, Robert and George, spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. William Picken, of Poplar Hill.

Mr. Kincaid, Mt. Forest, is spending the summer with his uncle, Mr. John McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan, Rocky, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. Dunsmore.

Mr. B. Barnes visited friends in Durham last week.

Messrs. Arnold and Alfred Noble and their wives and families spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. Geo. Noble.

Mr. John Lawrence gave a farewell party last Monday night to about fifty of his friends as he intends leaving this week to join his brother, George V., who has a farm near Kitscoty, Alberta. John was a great favorite with every person and will be missed very much in this vicinity. We all extend our best wishes for his future prosperity. The party was seemingly enjoyed as dancing and other games were indulged in. Best of all there was a sumptuous repast prepared by his mother, and served about twelve o'clock. Having done ample justice to the dinner the amusements were continued and not until near morning could the jovial crowd separate.

Miss S. Noble leaves Friday morning to attend the Toronto Exhibition and intends to spend three or four months with her friends in the city.

Mr. Cooper, of Arthur, was engaged for the harvest with Mr. Alexander Hopkins. Glad to learn that Mr. Hopkins' son, Frank is improving.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. J. H. Hunter is at the Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ireland and daughter went to Wroxeter Monday.

Miss Essel Laidlaw and Miss Marion Curry went to Dundalk Monday.

Miss McLean returned to Priceville Monday after visiting her sister, Mrs. McMurray, for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lorne Somerville left Monday morning for her home in Toronto.

Rev. John Little, of Holstein, will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit here on Sunday next.

Rev. W. Farquharson went to Toronto Tuesday.

Mrs. P. W. Marrion, is visiting at her parental home in Palmerston.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Walpole spent Sunday with friends in Markdale.

Mr. John A. Black, of Chesley, was in town Saturday.

Miss Ethel Limin went to Toronto on Saturday to attend the Exhibition.

Mrs. Ed. Langdon took in the Exhibition at Toronto.

Mr. D. Kinnee has returned from Wilberforce.

Miss M. Twamley, of the General Hospital, Buffalo, is visiting at her home near Crawford.

Miss McIntosh, of New York, is visiting her brother Norman, here.

Mrs. Joseph Robertson and daughter Dorothy, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Carson for a couple of weeks.

Master Harry Lutz returned to Galt to attend school.

Mr. Wm. Atkinson is visiting his sister, Mrs. McClure, in Toronto, and also attending the Exhibition.

Mr. Lawrence, son of Mr. Charles Lawrence, of Hutton Hill, left for the West on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. George McDonald visited her husband and daughter in Hamilton over the week end.

Master Charlie Ramage spent two or three days last week at the Toronto Exhibition.

Master Willie Gadd, of the Review staff attended the Exhibition last week.

Archie McDougall, of the Tiverton Watchman is rejoicing over the arrival of boy No. 2.

Mr. John Coutts, Barrister, of Thamesville, spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Rev. W. Farquharson, and family.

Miss Belle Caton left Tuesday morning for Manitoba where she will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Crittenden.

Mrs. John Williams left for the West on Tuesday morning. Mr. Williams will leave shortly as he intends to locate there.

Mrs. Wm. Harbottle returned to her home in Toronto after an extended visit with her brother, Mr. Hugh McDonald, and other relatives.

Dr. J. C. McGillivray, of Denver, Col., and his sister, Miss McGillivray, of Elmwood, visited Miss McKenzie the fore part of the week.

Mr. W. J. Porter, who has spent the past two months in town, returned to his home in New York Tuesday morning.

Mr. Wesley McNally, of Lambton St., visited his sister, Miss Kate, in the city, for a few days, and also took in the Exhibition.

Rev. W. S. Jameson will occupy the Methodist church pulpit in Walkerton next Sunday, exchanging with Rev. M. A. Wilson, of that place, who will conduct the Harvest Home anniversary services here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Catton took in the Exhibition in Toronto the latter part of the week. They were accompanied by Miss Douglas, of Leamington, who returned home after spending a few weeks here.

Mrs. J. W. Irwin, who has been at Englehart, New Ontario, since the middle of July, returned to town on Friday last. Mr. Irwin will not return till some time in October.

Miss Edward, of Berlin, who has been spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, here, returned home on Wednesday morning.

Miss Bugg has opened up a new Millinery Parlor over A. B. Hunter's hardware store. See her ad. on page eight.

George H. K. Midford is to be married in September, as announced elsewhere. We hope the boy may do well and develop into perfect manhood.

Ye Editor was at the Exhibition week and feels proud to think that we have the best annual show in the world. The weather was all that could be desired and large crowds were in attendance.

For Sale.—Good nine-room house. Furnace heated, good garden, out-buildings and large stable. Will be sold cheap. Apply to W. D. Mills, Box 73, Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vander Water, Chisholm, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen, to Mr. George H. K. Mitford, of Toronto. The marriage will take place the last of September.—Globe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawson, of Milton, are renewing old acquaintances here for a few days.

We have received information of the outbreak of what is supposed to be cholera at Proton Station. Mrs. McLean and daughter, wife of the section boss of that place were the first to succumb to the disease, while a son is still in a precarious condition. Mr. Armstrong, proprietor of the hotel at the station is also dead. We have no further information, but understand there is some talk of placing the village under quarantine.

The town council met in regular session on Monday evening last, and transacted the following business:—Accounts amounting to \$713.93 were passed and ordered to be paid. Councillor Brown was appointed to wait on Solicitor Kingston of Mt. Forest and give him all the information necessary in the liquor men's appeal against the local option by-law, and Chief Carson was appointed collector of poll taxes.

Dornoch.

Mrs. Charles Heft, of Sault Ste. Marie is spending a few weeks at home with her sisters.

Miss McKenzie of Durham spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Smith.

Miss Lamont, of the Soo, is holidaying with friends here.

Miss McIntosh, of North Dakota, is visiting some of her girlhood friends whom she had not seen for ten years.

Rev. J. F. Smith and family who have been summering here, left on Saturday for their home at Comber.

The young people who took in the excursion to the North-west were, Angus McIntosh, James Robertson, and Jack McIntosh.

Mr. James Buchanan spent Sunday with friends in Owen Sound.

The farmers in this vicinity have finished harvesting and have started threshing.

Mrs. Lawrence and children, of Toronto, visited William Buchanan last week.

Miss Susie Campbell, formerly of Dornoch, intends leaving for Toronto in the course of a few weeks.

The Indians can boast a Longboat the Italians a Dorando, but we are just as proud that we can boast a George Bovington, who caused considerable excitement on Monday night by carrying a bag of flour two miles and a half without taking it from his shoulder. It was a feat of which we may well be proud and we congratulate Mr. Bovington on his wonderful strength.

Traverston.

Miss L. Scott, a former popular teacher in No. 5, was the guest of Miss E. Edwards a couple of days last week.

Miss Matt Devitt and his sister, May, of Rocklyn, were guests at Councillor Hunt's the beginning of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Orchard, of Holstein, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greenwood one day recently.

No sooner is harvest off than the rush of the thresher is on. Mr. Joe McNally has purchased a Waterous traction engine and has done extra good work on the 8th concession. Mr. Will Bartley with powerful outfit is cleaning out the barns along the lower end of the 6th, but had a break on his engine on Saturday that will lay his outfit idle for a few days. Further east ex-councillor Black is doing excellent work with a brand new Case engine and separator, while Mr. James Haley is doing better work than ever with his old reliable Champion.

Mr. Will Bartley and family, of Markdale, were guests of Mrs. Will Jack the past week.

Born—On Saturday morning, Sept. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Robson, boy No. 2. Doing well! Congratulations!

Pat. Ryan recently came home after spending the summer up the lakes.

It was with dismay that this neighborhood learned of the heavy loss sustained by Messrs. John Staple and George Aljoe and Miss Farr through the recent fire, and we have every reason to believe that their sympathy would take a practical shape, if someone would take the initiative.

Messrs. Ernest Cook and Arthur McNally drove over to Meaford on Saturday to visit friends and lay in a stock of plums.

A feeling of sadness and sorrow fell over the neighborhood on Sunday, when the news spread that Dennis Ryan of the 4th concession had passed away that morning after a sharp and severe attack of that dreaded Pneumonia. Deceased was the oldest son of the late Timothy Ryan, and was born and reared on the farm on which he died. He leaves to mourn his death, a most loving mother, his well-known brother, Will, and three sisters, Mary (Mrs. Quillman), Maggie and Ellen, all of whom have been devoted to him in his illness. He was in his 69th year. Being a faithful member of St. John's R. C. Church, the funeral took place to the cemetery there, Rev. Father Savage officiating.

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