

## The Chronicle for the Balance of the Year 25c. to New Subscribers.

### NEWS AROUND TOWN

Get your calling cards at this office.

Private sale of Household Furniture. Mrs. Peter Matheson.—2pd.

Miss Dick was in Toronto last Monday buying some more millinery and millinery novelties.

If you desire to be fashionably as well as sensibly attired, come to us for dress goods. We know.—The House of Quality, H. H. Mockler.

The private telephone system extending from Durham to Allan Park, has been connected with the system of the Bell Telephone Company at Durham. It is worth noting that Allan Park can now be reached over the Bell Company's lines.

You don't have to pay more than 30c or 60c per yd. for your new dress. We have the most fashionable fabrics at those prices. October patterns are here. Style book free.—The House of Quality, H. H. Mockler.

Writing from Moosomin, under date of Sept. 15th, Mr. J. C. Jopp says:—"For the past three weeks have had perfect weather for harvest work. Threshing out of the stock is now on. The yield is light, spring and fall plowing ten to twelve, new land and summer fallow twenty to twenty-two bushels per acre. The sample is good No. 1 and No. 2 Northern. The forty odd idle men mentioned in my last have found employment and left the town."

We have just learned from the Mail and Empire, Toronto, that we stand second on the list of agents sending in subscriptions last winter and spring for the Weekly Edition of that paper. For several years we have sent in enough to entitle us to the special privileges of the highest ten on the list of successful agents. Two years ago we took first prize in the Toronto News Contest. The Belleville Intelligencer was the only paper in Canada to send in a larger number of Weekly Mails than we did. If we keep on thus we'll have quite a record in a thousand years or so.

The new bridge is now in a condition to accommodate traffic, though much filling has yet to be done. The Chronicle expressed the opinion before work began that the bridge would be much better to be the full width of the street instead of somewhere in the neighborhood of forty feet. Many scouted the idea, some going even so far as to say it would have done several feet narrower. Now that the work is in shape to see it in reality there are many who now see the mistake, and if it were to be done over again we believe it would have been made the full sixty-six, the idea always entertained by Mayor Calder and strongly urged by him. It is said that five hundred dollars more would have paid for the increased cost incurred by the increased width. To our way of thinking it would have been money well invested. The Chronicle's opinion remains unchanged. Both bridges would be better if the full width of the streets.

We presume that some people think newspaper men are persistent dinners. Let a farmer place himself in a similar position, and see if he would not do the same. Suppose he raises a thousand bushels of wheat, and his neighbor should come and buy a bushel, and the price was one dollar or less and says, "I will pay the amount in a few days." As the farmer does not want to be small about the matter, he says "All right." Another comes the same way, and another, until the whole thousand bushels of wheat is trusted to a thousand different people, and no one of the different persons concerns himself about it for it is a small amount they owe the farmer and of course that would not help him any. He does not realize that the farmer frittered away his entire crop of wheat, and that its value is due in a thousand little dribbles, and that he is seriously embarrassed in his business because many of his debtors treat it as a little matter. But if all would pay him promptly, it which they could do as well as not, it would be a large sum to the farmer and enable him to carry on his business without difficulty. And the trouble is much aggravated when neglect of payment goes on from year to year.—Mt. Forest Confederate.

Hockey Meeting.—All interested in this great game will meet at Darlings' Parlors on Thursday, Oct. 1, at 8 p.m.

We have this week added another progressive feature to our store service. Read our ad., it tells about it.—The House of Quality, H. H. Mockler.

Rev. Mr. Bice took charge of his work again on Sunday after an enforced absence of four or five weeks through illness. He is much reduced in flesh, but we hope to see him speedily regain his former health.

Did you know that there is a store in Durham where the choicest neckwear for men, sold elsewhere for 50c and 75c, is offered for 45c each or 3 for \$1.25. 12 dozen new patterns just arrived. Ask to see them.—The House of Quality, H. H. Mockler.

Friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hopkins, of Proton Station, will regret to learn of the death of their only child, George Alvin, on the 17th inst., at the age of two years and ten days. The remains were interred Friday in Flesherton cemetery.

Mrs. Thos. Morton, of this place, received the sad intelligence on Friday last that her sister, Mrs. Jas. Brydges, had died in Detroit the day previous of neuralgia of the heart. The deceased lady was fifty years of age. Mrs. Morton left on Saturday morning to be present at the funeral.

The C.P.R. excursion to Walkerton on Friday last was well patronized by the citizens of Durham, who, to the number of ninety-four, took advantage of the cheap rates to visit the Fall Fair at that place. Amongst those who attended from here we noticed Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ryan, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ryan, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Swallow, Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Scheurman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. W. Macfarlane, Mr. and Mrs. S. McCracken, Mrs. George Blackburn, and the Misses Blackburn, Misses Bea McCracken, Flossie Limin, Mary Wright, Ida Harbottle, Mamie Wilson, Bertha Allen, Mary Daniels, and Messrs. W. Patterson, Brad Jamieson, John Watt, Robert Watt, Thos. Whelan, T. Morton, Thos. Mighton, Otto Baur, S. F. Morlock, J. Gibson, A. Mountain, Geo. Moore, D. McNab, G. McKay, Lionel Robson, M. McAuliffe, Alex. Russell, W. Lavelle, Foster Saunders, W. B. Vollet, Geo. Kress, James Carson, W. Caldwell, J. C. Telford, Allen Bell, James Lenahan, Dan McGrath, R. Cochrane, J. N. Murdock, Robert Adlam, John Clark, Alex. McLachlan, D. Ferguson, Sam Wilson.

To the Front.—The man who dresses with taste, which means without ostentation, not only maintains his dignity and wins the respect of his fellows, but a certain deference is accorded him which the carelessly dressed man cannot exact. To be lavishly dressed indicates a vulgar conception of the usages of society, but to be simply, neatly and cleanly attired is the mark of the man of gentlemanly tastes and bearing. It is a trite truism that clothes do not make the man, and the aphorism is often employed by those who regard invidiously others who aim to dress well and with propriety. But it is a matter of every-day experience that the man who is well dressed will command more attention in his contact with men than the one who is slovenly attired, no matter what may be the quality of his garments. To be well dressed one must have a good tailor. By this we do not mean the man who can cut and sew, but the artist who can drape a form with intelligence and fit the figure so that the apparel may show to advantage. Experience is the main point. I maintain that there are as smart Canadian cutters as there ever were in the United States, for instance: the Out-letters' Association of the United States and Canada met five years ago in Toronto. Who got the prize? Canada. Four years ago they met again in Philadelphia. Who got the prize? Canada. For further information call on J. A. Glass, Tailor and Draper, P.S.—By the way, look into J. A. Glass' window and see big surprise.

### OBITUARY.

MR. ROBT. HENRY.

Early Saturday morning, Sept. 12th, there passed away an old and respected resident of Egremont township in the person of Mr. Robert Henry, of Dro-more.

Though ailing for some time past, Mr. Henry was able to be about until within a few days of his death, and his passing away, though sudden, was not unexpected.

Mr. Henry was a Scotchman by birth, being born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland, on Dec. 2nd, 1828, and coming to Canada in 1852. In 1856 he was married to Miss Annie Derby, daughter of the late Andrew Derby, of Normanby, a union that was an exceptionally happy one.

In politics, Mr. Henry was a staunch Liberal, and in religion a devoted Presbyterian, always taking an active part in the affairs of the church, leaving nothing undone that would further its interests, either socially or religiously.

Besides his widow, he leaves to mourn his loss a family of ten, three sons and seven daughters, as follows: Andrew, John and Robert, all residing in Egremont; Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Wm. Brown; Mrs. Wm. Clark and Mrs. Thos. Brown, of Egremont; Mrs. Martin, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Walker, Qu'Appelle, Sask.; and Miss Agnes, of Toronto. Interment took place in Amos cemetery on Monday.

MRS. WM. SIRRS.

With a suddenness that is startling, even in persons of an advanced age in life, came the announcement of the death of Mrs. Wm. Sirrs on Friday evening last.

A most estimable lady and practically a life-long resident of the township of Egremont, she was known far and near for her many excellent qualities and her kindness to those in trouble, and the intelligence of her passing was received with profound regret and sadness by all.

Mrs. Sirrs was in her usual health up till the Tuesday preceding her death, when she was stricken with partial paralysis, suffering one stroke on Tuesday and two others on Wednesday, and lingering on till Friday, when she quietly passed away.

Born in the County Tyrone, Ireland seventy-one years ago, Mrs. Sirrs (then Margaret Jane Queen) spent the first fifteen years of her life in the old country, when she emigrated with her parents to this country and took up residence in Montreal. After a two years' residence there, the family moved to Egremont township, where they have remained ever since. Forty-five years ago she married the man of her choice, Mr. W. Sirrs, who with a family of seven children survive to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate wife and mother. The children are:—Mrs. W. Chapman, Mt. Forest; Mrs. Robert Mead, Egremont; Thos., of Fargo, N. D.; Will and Agnes at home; and Wes, and John, who went west only two weeks ago, and whose present address is not known. Mrs. Wm. Carson, who died three years ago, was also a daughter. She also leaves to mourn her departure three brothers, Samuel and Isaac Queen, of Egremont, and one sister, Mrs. Marselles, of Toronto.

Mrs. Sirrs was in religion a Methodist, always taking a deep interest in the affairs of her church, and has been a devoted member of the Varney church ever since its birth. The many expressions of sympathy and the large attendance at the obsequies on Sunday last attest the esteem in which she and her family were held, and the Chronicle joins their many friends in extending to the grief-stricken ones our sincere sympathy.

MISS MCINTOSH.

The uncertainty of life was never more fully exemplified than it was last week in the death of Miss McIntosh, sister of Mr. Norman McIntosh, of the firm of Lenahan & McIntosh, of this town. A week ago last Saturday and Sunday she was in town to visit her brother, and the writer was forcibly struck with the bright healthy appearance of this admirable young woman who was taking a brief holiday from her labors in New York City, where she was discharging her duties as a professional nurse. She was the picture of health, and a bystander remarked that he would give anything if his daughter had the same rugged

constitution and healthy appearance. Little did either of us think that by the following Tuesday morning she would be in the spirit land, but it was indeed so. On Monday she went to visit her mother and other members of the family in North Bruce, near Port Elgin, and the following morning early her eyes were forever closed in death. Such is life with its uncertainties. Blood poisoning was the cause in her case. Who knows the dark diseases lurking round to carry mortals home. We sincerely sympathize with the sorrowing brother here and the other members of the family elsewhere.

### PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Connor visited Normanby friends on Sunday.

Master Ernest Everitt is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. W. Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jack, of Ebdordale, took train here on Friday for the Walkerton Fair.

Mrs. Thomas C. Morton went to Guelph on Saturday to attend the funeral of her sister, the late Mrs. Brydges.

Messrs. Bert. Saunders and Percy Daniels took in the Walkerton Fair on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Walpole were in Walkerton on Friday attending the Fall Fair there.

Mrs. Julius Subweck and daughter, Miss Ida, of Dornoch, took train here on Saturday morning for Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Moore, of Wilson, N. Y., are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Normanby.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ferguson, of London, are visiting the former's parents in Proton township, and were guests over Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown and family here.

We will gladly tell you about the new styles and proper shades. It's our business to know, and we have spent years in finding out how.—The House of Quality, H. H. Mockler.

Mrs. Campbell and daughter Islay returned from their summer home on the Lake of Bays where they spent the past three months. Miss Campbell, we are pleased to say, has improved in health during her absence.

Mr. F. McIntosh, of Seaford, representing the Champion Gas and Gasoline Engine of Hillsdale and Champion Feed Mills of Johette, Que., was in town Monday and Tuesday. He sold a feed mill to Mr. Ferguson, of the mills at Rocky Saugeen.

Mr. Chas. Bamage, Editor of the Review, returned home safe and sound on Saturday night from a trip to the West, which lasted for four or five weeks. During his absence he visited Edmonton, Banff and many other places, and is highly pleased with many parts through which he travelled. The fairly good crop this year will save the farmers from the disasters which would follow another bad year.

The teachers of South Grey will hold their annual convention in Flesherton on Thursday and Friday, the 8th and 9th of October. Noted educationists from outside the Inspectorate will be present and take part are, H. H. Burgess, B.A., P.S.I. Owen Sound; M. N. Clark, B.A., Principal Meaford Public School; J. L. Cornwell, B.A., Head Master Meaford High School. The program now in the hands of the teachers is full of practical subjects.

### BORDEN AT HANOVER.

On the first day of October, next Thursday, Mr. R. L. Borden, Leader of the Opposition at Ottawa, will be in Hanover in the afternoon and deliver an address to the electors. Special train arrangements are being made for the convenience of all who desire to attend. The regular train going West at noon will take passengers to Hanover, and they will be returned in the evening by a special train which is being arranged. Fuller particulars will be given later.

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that the statements recently circulated by certain parties, accusing me of making assertions designed to be hurtful to the business of J. N. Murdock, of Durham, as Implement Agent, are entirely false and without foundation.

A. McCABE, Varney.

## FALL Millinery Opening

We extend to the ladies of Durham and vicinity a cordial invitation to attend our fall millinery opening to be held in our millinery show rooms ON

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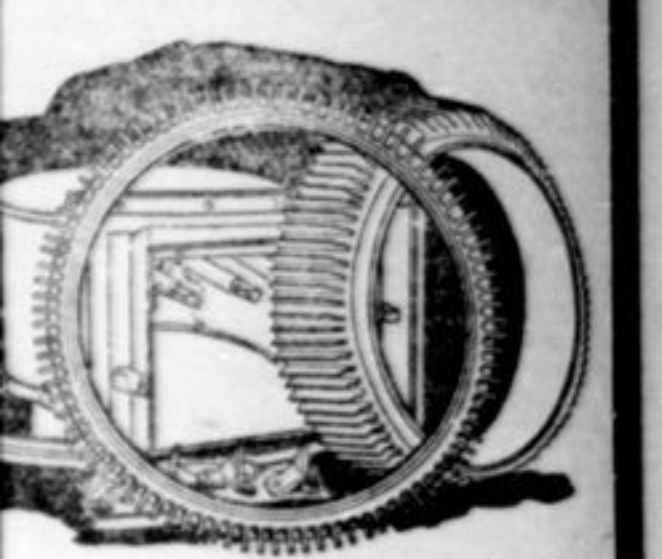
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