

## There were two Salary Grabs in twelve years under Laurier Government.

### NEWS AROUND TOWN

Money found—Apply to James Carson, constable.

For sale—Ten well-bred pigs, six weeks old. Apply to James McMeekin, Varney. 1-pd

It is illegal to shoot or sell partridge this year in the province of Ontario.

We sell the McPherson shoes. Come and see them and let us tell you about good qualities.—C. L. Grant.

Mr. Val Hahn, of the Hahn House, disposed of four six-months old hogs on Tuesday that tipped the scale at 1120 lbs.

The Town Council has been approached by a manufacturing firm for the purchase of the Cream Separator ruins, with a view to starting a stove foundry. The loan asked for is the great obstacle just now.

Notice—All our past-due accounts must be settled either by cash or note not later than November 1st. After that date all unpaid bills will be placed in other hands for collection.—C. McArthur.

Mr. George Smith, who sold his Glenelg farm last fall, has purchased a farm just east of Mt. Forest, and takes possession this week. He is a good citizen and the Chronicle wishes him every success in his new home.

We want to clear out. Twenty-five suits of ready-to-wear clothing. You need the clothes. I want the money. Let us come together and do business. The prices tell the story. Men's \$6 to \$7 suits for \$4.75. \$8 suits for \$5.50, and other correspondingly cheap. At Grant's this week.

To the thinking public—Why is a coat like a watch. Two watches may have similar cases, may look exactly alike, but they have different works. It's the inside of a coat, the part you don't see that makes a good coat. I look carefully after the inside the "works" as it were, and that's the reason my work stands. I have a first class man with me, besides myself. Prices no higher than the rest.—J. A. Glass, tailor and draper.

It is to be regretted that the new bridge on Garafraxa street is not the full width of the street. A few hundred dollars additional expenditure would have remedied what must now and for the future be regarded as a mistake in the council of 1908 or rather a majority of its members. It would not only look better, but would be better. It can't be fixed now, however, and we must put up with what we have. This opinion has been entertained by the Chronicle all along, and the bridge didn't have to be built for us to realize the error. Mayor Calder and a few members of the council thought as we do, but they were over ruled by a majority, most of whom are now regretting, in all probability, that they voted as they did.

Holstein fair was held on Thursday of last week, and for a township concern it was really a credit to the township of Egremont. Their fairs are good every year, and the reason is plain: the people of the township are loyal to their own institutions and set unflinchingly in doing their best. There is always a friendly rivalry each vying with the other to produce something better than his neighbor. We are not aware that there is local jealousy. If there is the exhibitors have sense enough to keep their feelings to themselves and wait for another year to do better. Owing to a number of circumstances we were unable last week to give more than the prize list. A broken engine, want of time and want of space were our best reasons for not making comments.

At the Fall Assizes for the County of Grey, James F. Creighton, charged with the murder of his wife and two step-daughters, was found guilty by the jury and the death sentence pronounced by Justice Riddell. He is to be hanged on the 3rd of December, the plea of insanity having failed, though a big fight was made by his counsel, the Hon. A. G. MacKay. The Judge commended the decision of the jury and expressed the opinion that he would be very much surprised if they had brought in any other verdict. It's sad to think of four lives being cut off in this way, and the innocent members of the family, who are now suffering the severest mental anguish, are the subjects of much sympathy.

Mr. J. R. Gun, we are pleased to learn, is recovering nicely from a recent operation he had performed on one of his eyes.

During the past month twenty interments were made in Greenwood cemetery, Owen Sound. Of these ten were under a year and a half old.

Mr. Herb Greenwood, of Antler, N. D., has our thanks for renewal subscription. He has a kind word for the Chronicle, but wishes the Edgehill correspondent would dig up some more news.

The Hutton Hill Sunday school entertainment will be held in the school house on the 16th inst. A good programme is being prepared. Admission 10 cents. Bring your friends.—Jean Milligan, treasurer.

Hon. R. L. Borden, Hon. J. W. Hanna, Col. Hugh Clarke, M. P. P., J. P. Downey, M. P. P., and Dr. T. S. Sproule, M. P., were entertained at dinner by Dr. and Mrs. Jamieson while in town last week.

In the absence of Rev. W. S. Jamieson, who is away on a brief holiday, the services in the Methodist church on Sunday were conducted in the morning by Mr. W. A. Glass and in the evening by Rev. Mr. Dines, of Varney.

The Priceville Fair is always well represented by newspaper men. Mr. R. L. Mortimer, of the Shelburne Free Press, Mr. Stanley Thurston, of the Flesherton Advance, and the Editors of the two Durham papers were on the grounds last Friday.

Mr. Reginald Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, is in the hospital in Toronto where he underwent an operation on Monday. We understand his case is not serious, but all operations are serious enough. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly went down Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Whelan and Barrister Dunn are making improvements in the appearance of their properties on Mill Street, by what will in time be a handsome boulevard. The idea is a good one, and their example may well be followed by many others.

A bowling green 52x120 feet has been constructed by Mr. Joseph Brown at the rear of his new rink. The work was done by Mr. Ed. McGeary, of Owen Sound, and lovers of bowling pronounce it a first class job. It is large enough for four greens, and should it be found necessary to do so, the grounds will be enlarged so as to accommodate about three times the number of bowlers. Mr. Brown is busy at present in fitting up the interior of the rink by putting in the waiting rooms and galleries. When completed it will be well-equipped and commodious.

A suit for damages brought against the corporation of Owen Sound by Mr. Wm. Masson for injuries received by a fall on the sidewalk last spring was heard before Justice Riddell. The evidence went to show that the accident was due to the slanting condition of an icy sidewalk. He was awarded \$700 damages. This information may be a benefit to other towns, including the town of Durham, where some of the sidewalks are in such a slanting condition as to be dangerous to pedestrians. Our sidewalks as a rule are good, but measured by the Masson suit and Justice Riddell's decision, we have a few spots that might bring the town into trouble in case of an accident.

The Government is making an effort to protect beavers, and in many places throughout the country these industrious little animals are hard at work building homes for themselves. On the Allen farm in Glenelg work was started recently to build a dam, and Mr. McFarlane, who occupies the place, is anxious to see them protected against the ruthless conduct of intruders who are said to lurk around in order to shoot them, and have even gone so far as to pull down one of the dams. Mr. McFarlane has notices placed on the premises, and is determined to prosecute any person trespassing in any way or interfering with the beavers. The public will do well to take notice as the penalty is a very severe one.

### R. L. BORDEN VISITS SOUTH GREY

Accompanied by J. W. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, Col. Hugh Clark, M.P.P., J. P. Downey, M.P.P., Dr. Sproule, M.P. and others.

### Large, Enthusiastic Meetings in Hanover and Durham

#### BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR CONSERVATIVE VICTORIES

Hon. R. L. Borden, leader of the Conservative opposition at Ottawa, who is making an election campaign over the Dominion, was in Hanover on Thursday afternoon last and in Durham on the evening of the same day. He was accompanied by Hon. J. W. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, of Ontario, an able and forceful speaker on the political questions of the day. This was their first trip to this part of Ontario, and the reception accorded them at both towns must be highly gratifying from the interest shown in their addresses, and the evident approval of their utterances from a large portion of the large audiences.

Mr. John Taylor, the president of the South Grey Liberal-Conservative Association, presided over the meeting in a very able manner, and feeling that the audience came there to hear the visiting speakers, he showed his good sense by saying very little as chairman.

Mr. R. J. Ball, the candidate, was called on as the first speaker. He expressed much pleasure in seeing such a large audience present, notwithstanding the wet and unfavorable condition of the weather. He regarded it as an evidence on the part of the electors that everything was not right at Ottawa and that a change of Government was desired. He charged the Ottawa administration with extravagance in the expenditure of public money and an utter breach of faith in the reckless manner in which they have disregarded and ignored all their pre-election promises and pledges to the electors. He referred to the necessity for a protective policy, showing that, as originally designed by Sir John Macdonald in 1873, it created, labor for the workman and artisan, a home market for many of our natural products, a home consumption of our manufactured goods, and a general development of the country. The Immigration policy of the Government was not so carefully administered as it should be. The present government was careless and apparently indifferent as to the kind of immigrants they brought in to settle in this fair Dominion. They seemed to be reaching out for quantity rather than for quality, and the paid agents of the government, who received so much per head, were working for their own pockets rather than the interests of the Dominion at large. He thought the immigrants should be examined as to fitness before bringing them in; that they should be sound physically and mentally and have in them the

qualities that would develop into a perfect manhood and womanhood, and a desirable citizenship.

He believed that partyism had gone to extremes, and that a great majority of the people were heartily sick of any form of administration that served the interests of the party heelers and grafters, by diverting the public money from its legitimate uses to those channels which went only to strengthen a particular party and keep them in power to the detriment to the country as a whole. He believed that the people today were looking for a good economical administration rather than for the elevation to power of any one party.

With regard to Trade and Commerce, Mr. Ball pointed that the country was not enjoying a full measure of prosperity. He thought it a poor sign for the imports of a country to increase as largely as did those of Canada during the past twelve years. In 1896, the last year of Conservative rule, the exports exceeded the imports by about \$800,000. In 1907 the imports are about 104 millions greater than the exports. This, he pointed out, showed that a large amount of our money was being sent abroad, to the detriment of the country. Though the National policy of the late Government was not destroyed as promised prior to 1896, he would not expect a Government who had fought strenuously against it for eighteen years to come in and operate it successfully.

He concluded his address by saying that his policy was for food government, the platform of his leader, Mr. Borden. Mr. Miller, during his four years had been a strong party man, following Mr. Laurier through evil as well as good report, and justifying the government in their every action. Mr. Borden, he knew, would ask no man to follow him to the detriment of the country. The address was well received, and the manifestations of the audience showed a strong support in favor of the principles enunciated.

Mr. J. J. Donnelly, Conservative candidate for South Bruce, expressed his great pleasure in appearing on the same platform with Hon. R. L. Borden. He, too, felt that he could strongly denounce the mal-administration and mis-government at Ottawa, and the soundness of the Borden platform, which is already being largely adopted by the present Liberal Government. The disclosures of the last two sessions brought much discredit on the government at Ottawa.

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The new wide rouchings and ruffs and other new neckwear novelties now in stock, also Perrin's gloves, long and short, black, brown and tans. Every pair fully guaranteed. The House of Quality. H. H. Mockler.

Lost—A sum of money, tied in a small white handkerchief, between McArthur's store and Edge Hill or Bunnison. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at McArthur's store. Lost week before show.

Special sale of the new fall leather belts. Regular 50c value in black, brown or tan at 39c. 40c value, new corded shaped belts in brown or tan for 29c. Many other lines too. The House of Quality. H. H. Mockler.

To-day, Wednesday, at five o'clock in the afternoon, an interesting event will take place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pollock, Varney, when their sister, Minnie May Ball joins heart and hand with Mr. C. T. Leeson, of that place. The Chronicle extends congratulations.

The Furniture Factory is now working overtime on rush orders, and we are reliably informed that there are orders enough ahead to keep it running full time all winter. In view of the fact that most of the factories in the country are closed down partially, if not totally, this speaks well of our local institution, as well as its manager, Mr. Catten, who is almost wholly responsible for the large number of orders ahead.

We are forced to leave out a number of School Reports and other interesting matter, all of which will appear next week.

Special 50c sale of dress goods this week, also 25c ribbons in all shades on sale for 19c yard. See ad. The House of Quality. H. H. Mockler.

Dr. Brown, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Hahn hotel, Durham, October 10th. Hours, 12 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eyes tested and glasses supplied.

Mr. Hazzard, agent for the British and Foreign Bible Society, will give a line light lecture in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening next, October 13th. All invited.

Matthews & Latimer wish to announce to their many customers that they intend to change their system of doing business to cash or produce. Those indebted to them will please take notice of the change and settle all accounts as soon as possible, as all accounts not in by the last of October will be passed out of their hands for collection.—3.

Last week the National Portland Cement Company here broke all their former records for any one month's run, when they burned over a total of 36,500 barrels. As September is only a thirty-day month, this will mean a considerable increase on the average daily output, as all records have heretofore fallen on months containing the full complement of days. Besides the company is now operating with from 25 to 30 hands less than formerly.

### Ladies' Fall Mantles

Our stock of Ladies' Fall Coats are the finest we have ever shown. They are made from the best of all-wool materials by expert workmen that understand how to tailor a perfect fitting and stylish garment. They are composed of the newest designs, both in semi-fitting and long loose Box Back effect, nicely trimmed with braid.

We have a wide choice of cloths in all the leading shades, in black, brown, blue, grey, fawn and green. Every coat is moderately priced.



### Girls' Coats

We imported our misses' and children's coats and are satisfied we bought them 25% cheaper than we have ever done before; therefore we can save you money on your girl's winter coat. Our stock is composed of a wide range of cloths and colors, and some from \$2.00 to \$6.00 in price.

### Autumn Millinery

Our millinery department is humming with business and you will find that we are showing the latest creations in ladies' headgear. Call and inspect our stock of fall goods and compare our prices.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Estate of Robert  
Morrison, late of the Township of  
Egremont in the County of  
Grey, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSU-  
ant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario,  
1897," chapter 129, that all creditors and  
others having claims against the estate  
of the said Robert Morrison, who died on  
or about the 8th day of August, 1908, are  
required on or before the 24th day of Oc-  
tober, 1908, to send, post prepaid, a de-  
clarator to Wm. Morrison, the administrator  
of the property of the said deceased, their  
Christian and surnames, addresses and  
descriptions, the full particulars of their  
claims, the statement of their accounts,  
and the nature of the securities, if any,  
held by them.

And further take notice that after such  
last mentioned date the said administra-  
tor will proceed to distribute the assets  
of the deceased among the parties en-  
titled thereto, having regard only to the  
claims of which he shall then have notice,  
and that the said administrator will not  
be liable for the said assets or any part  
thereof to any person or persons of whose  
claims notice shall not have been received  
by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 21st day of September, 1908  
WILLIAM MORRISON, Ont.  
Varney P. O.

Administrator of the estate of Robert  
Morrison, late of the Township of Egre-  
mont, deceased.