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## THE DURHAM CHRONICLE

W. IRWIN, Editor and Proprietor.  
DURHAM, JUNE 16, 1910.

### MR. PRESTON HONORED

On Friday evening last, a number of the friends of Mr. A. H. Preston, assembled in the Hahn House, in order to express their appreciation and goodwill towards him, before his departure for Stettler, Alta., where he has been transferred as manager of the branch of the Traders Bank at that place. During Mr. Preston's time here, as manager of the branch here he made many friends, who regret very much to see him leave. The following address explains itself:

To Arthur H. Preston, Esq., Manager of the Traders Bank, Durham, Ontario.

We, a few of your Durham friends, having learned that you are to be promoted, and that you will shortly leave this town for your new field of work in the West have taken this opportunity of meeting together in order to express our regret at your departure, and also to convey to you our congratulations on your promotion.

During your stay in Durham you have made many friends, who will regret to see you leave town. You came here a stranger, and after a short residence of a year and a half you depart leaving behind a host of friends, whose best wishes will follow you to your new sphere of labor. Particularly has your genial manner and your ever kindly and courteous disposition won for you the regard of the business men and of the farming community of this locality and we feel assured that these same characteristics will win friends for you wherever you may go. You are an example of the truth of the proverb: "To have friends, a man must prove himself friendly."

We take this opportunity of presenting you with some tangible mark of our esteem and regard, and we would ask you to accept this watch as a slight token of the kindly feelings of your Durham friends towards you, and we hope that by its means you will always be an example of punctuality to your staff, and that when you consult this time-piece you will ever be reminded of the many friends you have left behind you in the eastern part of the Dominion, and who will "watch" your future career with interest.

Signed in behalf of the Committee,  
J. H. HUNTER,  
JOHN JOHNSTON,  
H. CARVETH,  
F. ROLPH.

### HYMENEAL.

#### BURNETT-WARNER.

"The Pines," Durham, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Tuesday last, when Miss Iva Pearl, daughter of Mrs. B. F. Warner, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry A. Burnett, of this place.

At the hour of eleven-thirty, to the strains of the Wedding March, played by Mrs. Newton, the bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her cousin, Mr. W. C. Vollett who gave her away, and took her place beside the groom under an arch of white lilacs and mountain ash, when Rev. W. L. Newton, Baptist minister, performed the service that made them man and wife. Both were unattended.

The ceremony over, and after the usual congratulations had been extended to the happy young couple the company, which consisted of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, repaired to the dining room, where a daintily prepared wedding dejeuner was served.

The young bride was very becomingly attired in a wedding gown of cream cloth, with satin trimmings of veiled chiffon, and was the recipient of many beautiful wedding gifts from friends and relatives. Her going away costume was a suit of Rajah silk, with picture hat trimmed with mauve flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett left on the afternoon G. T. R. train on a short honeymoon trip to Hamilton, Welland, Niagara Falls, and other points, carrying with them the congratulations of their many friends for a long and prosperous journey over the matrimonial sea. Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. Burnett will take up their residence at "The Pines."

### Traverston.

Those dull days are hard on June brides.

Mr. J. Ryan sold a 3-year-old colt last week to St. Hill for \$201.

J. J. Peart has sold his black driver and it goes out West.

Rev. Dr. Farquharson's sermon in Zion on Sunday was an eloquent scholarly and broad-minded one.

Mrs. Wm. McNally of the 6th concession had a visit from her sister Lucy, of Denver, Colorado. She is the wife of a prosperous merchant there.

Mrs. J. J. Peart returned home on Thursday of last week after spending some days ministering to her sick sister, Mrs. Metcalfe of Hanover.

Mr. M. J. Davis was stricken seriously ill with inflammation of the bowels one night last week, but under the untiring care of his better half and the skill of Dr. Jamieson he is recovering.

Miss B. Taylor has resigned her position as teacher in No. 5 and there is not a man, woman, youth or child in the section, but feel sorry that she will be leaving us at the end of the term. She is wonderfully popular with all, and is a first class teacher to boot.

It created quite a ripple of excitement in the vicinity last week, when the news spread that Mr. Archie McNab was wedded to Miss Martha Anderson in Toronto. Archie and his sister, Katie, left on Wednesday morning for the West, but it wasn't known that he intended taking a bride with him. He is one of our careful, progressive farmers, and the fair bride is a most amiable, clever girl. She is the youngest daughter of the late George Anderson of the 4th concession. (We unite with a wide circle of friends in wishing them every joy and a safe return in autumn.)

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid of Michigan, who are making a visit to relatives in various parts of Ontario are spending this week at Reeve Hunt's and the Edwards' homestead.

Messrs. S. McMurdo and N. Kinsman, of Swinton Park were up this week the first of the week and bought a nice bunch of cattle at good prices.

Councillor McNally has made an excellent job of cutting down Flynn's hill on the 6th concession.

Councillor Firth had the grader at work on our line lately and we won't say 'tis better to drive over since the grading done was badly needed.

Will Linnell who has put in Mr. Wm. McNally's crop this spring left last week to work in the cement works. He made a good job of the spring seeding.

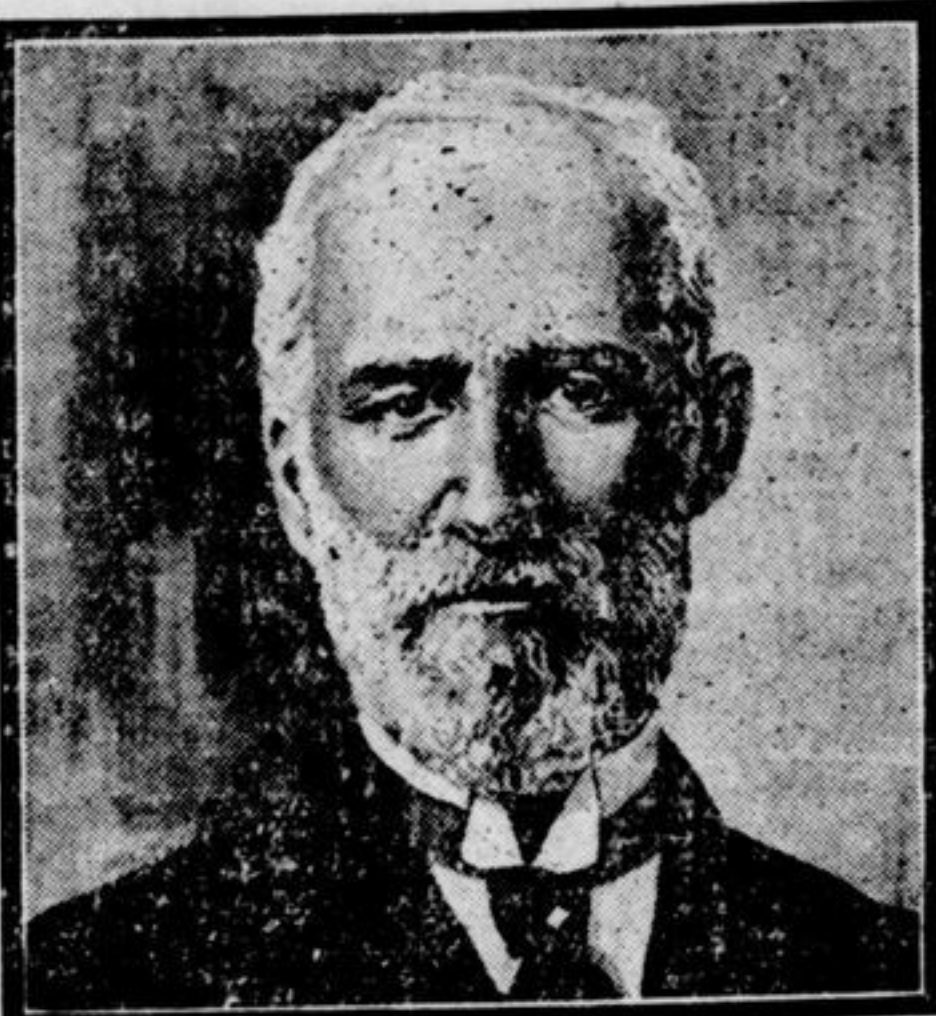
# "I FEEL IT MY DUTY

## To Give You a Statement In Regard To 'Fruit-a-tives'"

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spent the first of the week in our cottage.

The Traveston beef ring re-opens the season's fat living on Monday June 16th, John O. Greenwood putting in the first animal.

### LAI D THE CORNER STONE

The laying of the corner stone for the first rural high school in Ontario, marks the beginning of a new educational era for the province. On Friday afternoon last, in the picturesque little village of Flesherton in the presence of a large number of interested spectators, the important ceremony was performed by the Hon. James S. Duff, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, Dr. A.H. U. Colquhoun, deputy Minister of Education, was also in attendance, and took an active interest in the important function.

The stone contained the usual receptacle, in which was placed a copy of each of the leading newspapers, including the Flesherton Advance, and other documents, as well as the present coins of the realm. After the ceremony, and the declaration that the stone was "well and truly laid," the large company repaired to an adjoining grove, where a couple of hours were pleasantly spent in short addresses, the key-note of each being congratulatory in spirit, with a strong expression of hope that enterprise would more than satisfy the most sanguine expectations of its ardent supporters. As in all aggressive measures, the establishment of the institution has a number of opponents, but the feeling of the speakers seemed strongly of the opinion that time and a better knowledge of the benefits of the school would wear away all feelings of antipathy.

The township of Artemesia, and the village of Flesherton, constitute the school district, and in addition to teaching the higher subjects of the school curriculum, special training will be given in Scientific Agriculture by a properly qualified professor. The feeling that country children are deprived of many higher educational advantages for want of higher grade schools, had its influence on the promoters in bringing the high school to the child who would otherwise be unable to get to the high school. While we have a personal feeling in favor of all educational progress, it is not our intention at this juncture to try and convince others to think as we do. We know the futility of such an attempt, and wait for the changes that may come through a few years' experience.

All the rural schools are engaged, to a greater or less extent, in preparing candidates for entrance to the high schools, but once the high school examination is passed the child is often forced to quit school and his education is too frequently at an end. The expense of sending a child from home and paying for board and tuition is often a great hardship on the financially overburdened parents, who would often strain a point were a school at all convenient. We are now looking forward hopefully to the time when the children of Artemesia will have the advantages of a higher education and when regular lines of conveyances will carry them to school in the morning and carry them home

again at night. This is not an entirely new idea. It has been in successful operation elsewhere, and may soon be regarded as a necessity by the outlying portions of Artemesia township. It would not be looking towards an impossibility to imagine stabling accommodation to be provided in the village, or perhaps on the school premises when the children from different localities might take turns in providing means of transportation. We are living in an age of comparatively cheap bicycles which in many cases would serve a good purpose for a considerable portion of the school year. Where there's a will there's a way and a pupil who is anxious for a higher education will "find a way or make it."

Mr. John Boland, chairman of Board took his place as chairman on the platform to which he invited Inspectors Campbell and Huff, Hon. J. S. Duff, Dr. Colquhoun, Dr. Sproule, Hon. I. B. Lucas, Joseph T. Clark, of the Toronto Star, M. K. Richardson, ex-M. P., Banker Mitchell, Barrister, W. H. Wright, -W. H. Thurston, W. Irwin and others, most of whom made brief addresses, all of a congratulatory and hopeful character, but for want of time and space we are unable to give even an outline.

A well attended Banquet was given on the evening. After disposing of a very sumptuous repast Mr. John Boyd occupied the position of chairman very efficiently, and happily disposed of a very lengthy toast list as follows:—  
The King, God Save the King.  
The Dominion Parliament, responded to by Dr. Sproule.

The Legislative Assembly, by I. B. Lucas.

Education, Inspector Huff and Messrs. Marcellus, Holland and Mitchell.

School Board, John Boland, D. McTavish, Thos. Henry, J. S. Wilson, J. McMillan, and the architect, Mr. Forster.

The Township Council, by Reeve Boyd.

The Department of Agriculture, by Hon. J. S. Duff.

Agricultural Interests of the Township of Artemesia, by Joseph Blakely and Wes. Buskin.

The Press, by W. Irwin and W. H. Thurston.

The meeting closed about one o'clock, with the National Anthem.

The death of Goldwin Smith, which occurred last week, removes one of the brightest literary characters from the continent of America. For over thirty years he has been a resident of Toronto, and one of the most advanced writers of the age. He was in his 87th year.

Over thirty are reported missing from the destruction of the office of the Montreal Herald. A heavy water tank over the top of the building fell from its position and crashed through the five storeys carrying with it death and destruction. Fire broke out immediately from electric wires, gas pipes, typesetting and other machinery, and the injured, dead and dying were reduced to an unrecognizable mass. Readers will bear in mind that this is not The Family Herald and Weekly Star office, as many imagine.

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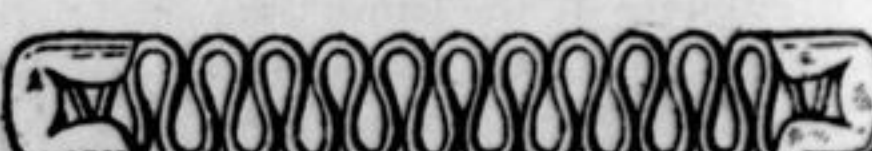
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