

Our New Story, "The Pillar of Light," Commences Next Week

NEWS AROUND TOWN

Apprentice wanted.—To learn millinery. Apply to S. F. Morlock.

Last week, we received new fall shapes, in all colors, small and large.—Miss Dick.

Highest prices paid in cash for chickens and hen fowl, delivered at Holstein elevator.—James W. Hunt, Holstein. 9222p

The Durham branch of the Women's Institute will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. D. Hamilton, Egremont, on Oct. 6th. The members of the Dromore branch will be present, some taking part in the program. Everyone interested in this work will be welcomed to the meeting.

Mr. Chas. Lavelle returned Tuesday from a trip to Sandusky and Cleveland. Mrs. Lavelle, and children have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Ehrhardt, for the past five or six weeks, and were unable to return with Mr. Lavelle, owing to Mrs. Ehrhardt being ill of typhoid, and in the Cleveland hospital.

Mr. Campbell Dunsmore and his mother, Mrs. J. C. Dunsmore, are in Owen Sound this week prosecuting a case against the National Portland Cement Co. and the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., claiming unstated damages for the death of a year ago, of the late J. C. Dunsmore, who was killed at the Hutton Hill railway crossing.

In tests recently made on different makes of cement by the city of Toronto, the "National" brand, made by the National Portland Cement Co., here, stood the highest on the list. This must be gratifying to the officials here as well as to the town and shareholders of the company, and should be the means of still further promoting the sale of this brand of cement.

Mr. Joseph Reid left Monday morning for Toronto, to attend the University. We congratulate Mr. Reid on his educational advancement, and, knowing that he has always had to do some plodding, and didn't have a gold mine to fall back on, we feel like uttering a word of special commendation. We hope to hear of Mr. Reid making his mark in the world. He seems to be the right kind of stuff.

On Friday last, a consignment of bass fry was placed in Wilder's Lake, here, the same being supplied by the government through the application of our local M. P. H. H. Miller. The principal condition upon which they were granted, was that they be placed in open water, accessible to the public for fishing purposes. Though we do not know the number supposed to have been placed in the lake, there were seven cans, all brought up by Mr. A. W. McLeod, representing the Dominion Fisheries Department. The fry were taken from the Dominion hatchery at Newcastle.

The "kick my dog, kick me" slogan was the means of bringing two of our citizens into the police court on Saturday evening last. John Mitchell and Hugh McLean, Jr. were complainant and defendant respectively, and the trouble started in front of the Hahn House a couple of weeks ago, when McLean alleged that Mitchell had kicked a dog that had accompanied him up town. The affair developed into the usual argument, during which Mitchell claimed McLean used improper language toward him, for which he had him brought to court. Several witnesses were called, who testified that while there had been trouble, they had heard no improper language from either party. After the evidence was all in, Magistrate Telford fined the defendant \$1 and costs, \$6.34 in all, though he stated that had Chief Carson laid the information, it is more than probable that both parties would have been fined.

The foundation and brickwork of the new market show up well, but the flat roof spoils the effect of the whole thing. Instead of being a town structure we would like pleasure in showing to visitors, it will be a decidedly ugly-looking edifice when viewed from any direction but from the front. Sooner did we know it was going to be covered with a "flat" roof than we uttered our protest, and expressed our desire to see it handsomely finished with a decent looking roof. Mayor Laidlaw and the Board of Works, paid no attention, with the result that Durham has an ugly-looking monument in memory of their services in 1910. A hundred dollars more, added to the cost, would have given us a building we wouldn't be ashamed of. To the ignorant shoppers who think we shouldn't say anything about it, we will just remind them that we help to pay for it. The work is good, so far as it has gone, but it puzzles us to think that any council would sanction such a structure in so exposed a location.

Mr. W. D. Connor sold Toronto Windmills last week to Mr. B. Hartford and Mr. D. Donnelly.

Rev. Mr. Farr, of Gorrie, has been transferred to Blyth, where he will succeed Rev. Mr. Hartley as rector of the church there. On Monday evening, September 19th, a large number of members of his church at Gorrie assembled at the rectory and presented him and Mrs. Farr with a handsome china cabinet and gold-headed cane.

We have to chronicle this week, the death of two octogenarians, in the persons of George Hepburn, of this town, who died on Sunday last at the age of 80 years, 7 months, and Lachlan McNaughton, of Normanby, who died the same day, at the age of 84 years. We hope to receive obituary notices of both gentlemen for our next issue.

Miss Rita Irwin has secured the position of organist and choir leader in the Methodist church in Newmarket, and will enter on her duties next week. She took charge of the work last Sunday, and the official board decided to accept her services. On Monday, she made a short canvass of the town, and secured a nice class of pupils. The electric cars have hourly service to Toronto, and she intends to continue her course at the Conservatory, taking a lesson or two each week.

PERSONAL

Chief Carson is in Owen Sound this week.

Miss Adams, of Stratford, is the guest of Mrs. R. Aljoe, jr.

Mr. John Picken went to Owen Sound Monday morning.

Mr. Ed. Hildebrandt is in Owen Sound.

Mr. John Lavelle, of Toronto, was in town over Fair Day.

Miss Annie MacKay left Thursday last for Paris, where she has secured a situation.

Mr. Stanley McNally is engaged in teaching near Clive, Sask., and is reported to be doing well.

Mr. A. A. Catton is spending a few days holidaying at Montreal and points in the United States.

Miss E. Robinson, of Mt. Forest, is spending a week's holidays, the guest of Mrs. E. W. Langdon.

Mr. Geo. Langdon, of Kenilworth, spent over Sunday, the guest of his brother, Mr. Ed. Langdon.

Mr. A. H. Burnett, of Hopeville, was a visitor at the Fair, Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. Scarf is in Owen Sound as a witness in the Dunsmore case.

Mr. Geo. McDonald drove up from Hamilton on Tuesday, and is visiting his family here.

Mr. W. H. Whitechurch is in Owen Sound to give evidence in connection with the Dunsmore accident.

Miss Gemma Saunders, who has been employed in this office for the past five or six years, left on Thursday to accept a situation in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Laidlaw, of St. Thomas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDonald. Mr. Laidlaw is an engineer on the Wabash, running east and west out of St. Thomas.

Rev. Dr. Farquharson left Monday to attend a meeting of the Alumni of Knox College, in Toronto. Mr. Farquharson is one of the literary contributors at the meeting.

THE RIFLE CONTEST.

A friendly shooting contest was held last Friday at the ranges, each of the six highest shots receiving a handsome gold scarf pin. The following is the number of points made by each contestant at 300 and 500 yards, as indicated. The possible number of points at each range was 35, or a total of 70.

Table with columns for Name, 300, 500, and Tot. Rows include R. Torry, O. Snider, N. McCannel, H. Holmes, A. Bell, W. Ramage, Dr. Hutton, Dr. D. B. Jamieson, Jas. Lothian, G. Geddes, Geo. Lothian, R. Taylor, H. Burnett, F. Frost, W. Humphries, J. P. Telford, A. Everett, J. McKenzie, A. McKenzie.

The prize winners were: J. P. Telford, 54; Dr. Hutton, 50; A. Everett, 48; W. Ramage, 45; R. Taylor, 45; Dr. D. B. Jamieson, 45.

THE FALL FAIR.

The Fall Fair was held Monday and Tuesday, and it is generally conceded that the exhibits were the best ever shown here. There were several hundred entries more than on any previous year, but the attendance at the hall and grounds was much lower than it should have been, on account, no doubt, of the extremely lowering appearance of Tuesday forenoon. The gate receipts, however, amounted to \$310, which was easily \$100 more than the Directors looked for at the opening of the gates at one o'clock.

Judging did not start until Tuesday, and as none of the prizes were obtained until afternoon, and we go to press Wednesday, we can not go into particulars, beyond giving the list of winners.

The concert in the evening was a grand success. The hall was packed to the doors, and many had to be turned away. There may be better entertainers than Fax, but we don't know who they are. Thirty years before the public, with a clean record, is a reputation to be proud of. His selections are all chaste and funny, and never does he indulge in anything vulgar or suggestive. For fun without filth, give us Fax.

Miss Rodney appeared for the first time in Durham, and from the volumes of applause, she gave good satisfaction. She has an easy stage appearance, and was liberal in response to encores.

Mr. Hector McDonald gave a number of much appreciated selections on the bagpipes, and his charming little daughter, Jessie, delighted the whole house in her Highland Fling and Sword Dances.

Miss Rita Irwin acted as accompanist, and did exceedingly well, though the music was all new, and the liberties taken by comedians make them a hard class of entertainers to keep time with.

Mr. Binnie acted as chairman, and endeavored, in a few remarks, to inspire the farmers to greater interest in their fall exhibitions.

CLASS I.—FIELD GRAINS.

- Fall wheat, white.—G. Binnie, J. W. Blyth, D. Hamilton. Fall wheat, red.—W. Willis, R. Edge, H. Williams. Spring wheat.—W. Ramage. Buckwheat.—H. Grasby. Oats, short-white.—H. Grasby, W. Scarf, W. Ramage. Oats, long-white.—T. W. Scarf, W. Ritchie, R. Edge. Oats, black.—J. G. Gray. Barley, 6-rowed.—W. Ramage, W. Scarf, J. W. Blyth. Barley, 2-rowed.—R. Lindsay. Peas, small white.—W. Willis, D. Edge, W. Ramage. Peas, any other.—W. Ramage. Timothy seed.—R. Edge. Flax seed.—W. J. Andrews, R. Edge, W. Ramage. Col. field grains.—W. Scarf, (Ryrie medal). Col. grain in sheaf.—W. Scarf.

CLASS II.—FIELD ROOTS.

- Bus, potatoes, white.—D. Edge, W. Willis, R. Lindsay. Bus, potatoes, any other color.—W. Willis, R. Barber, R. Lindsay. Col. potatoes, 4 varieties.—D. Hamilton, T. Lauder, W. J. Andrews. Swede turnips.—J. Fortney, D. Edge. Turnips, any other kind.—W. Willis, T. Scarf. Mangel wurtzel, long red.—A. Brown, T. Scarf. Mangel wurtzel, any other kind.—W. Willis, R. Lindsay. Field carrots, yellow or white.—W. Willis, Brigham Bros. Sugar beets.—W. Willis, M. Barber. Ensilage corn.—M. Barber, J. Fortney. Col. field roots.—T. Scarf, D. Hamilton.

CLASS III.—VEGETABLES.

- Coll. garden vegetables.—W. J. Adams, G. Blackburn, R. Edge. Salsify.—A. Brown, Miss Mockler. Cauliflower.—N. Harvey, C. W. Lang. Cabbage, early.—J. & J. Hunter, R. Edge. Cabbage, winter.—R. Edge, W. Ramage. Cabbage, red.—N. Harvey, R. Edge. Table carrots, long.—R. Edge, M. Barber. Short horn carrots.—Brigham Bros. W. J. Adams. Table parsnips.—R. Edge, T. Lauder. Celery, red.—W. J. Adams. Celery, white or yellow.—C. W. Lang, N. Harvey. Radishes, winter.—C. W. Lang, J. Fortney. Radishes, summer.—G. Blackburn, E. J. Hartford. Coll. peppers.—C. W. Lang, G. Blackburn. Tomatoes, red.—R. Edge, A. Park. Long blood beets.—R. Edge, W. Willis. Turnip beets.—G. Binnie, W. D. Connor. Onions, from seed.—A. Park, W. Weir. Pint silver skin onions for pickling.—N. Harvey, C. W. Lang. Common potato onions.—R. Lindsay, R. Edge. English potato onions.—R. Lindsay, G. Ritchie.

- Pint Dutch sets.—N. Harvey, W. J. Adams. Onions from Dutch sets.—J. W. Blyth, E. A. Hay. Table squash, winter.—Rev. Farquharson, W. Ramage. Squash, bush.—R. Edge, G. Blackburn. Vegetable marrow.—W. Weir, J. W. Blyth. Yellow pumpkins.—N. Harvey, R. Lindsay. Table turnips.—R. Edge, D. Edge. Sweet corn, six ears.—S. H. Edwards, H. Grasby. Citrons.—W. Ramage, Brigham Bros.

- CLASS IV.—DAIRY PRODUCTS. 50 lbs. tinned butter.—D. Edge, H. Williams, G. Ritchie. 25 lbs. crock butter.—R. Edge, W. Ramage, A. Brown. 4 lbs. moderately salted butter.—A. Brown, W. J. Andrews, Miss Lily Harris. Home-made cheese.—J. W. Blyth.

- CLASS V.—MISCELLANEOUS. Two loaves bread, by farmer's wife or daughter.—R. Barber, J. W. Mather, W. Grant. Two loaves brown bread, home-made.—R. Barber, W. Grant. Bread from McGowan's flour.—J. W. Blyth, G. Ritchie. Bread from McKechnie's flour.—A. Robertson, F. Sproat. 1 doz. buns.—F. Sproat, A. S. Hunter. 1 doz. tarts.—F. Sproat, A. McDonald. Apple pie.—F. Sproat, R. Burnett.

- Pumpkin pie.—Mrs. Maurer, N. Harvey. Pie, any other kind.—J. W. Blyth, A. Robertson. Fruit cake.—A. Brown, F. Sproat. Light cake.—R. Burnett, F. Sproat. Canned fruit.—J. S. McIlraith, S. H. Edwards. Raspberry wine.—W. Scarf, G. Binnie. Mixed pickles.—J. S. McIlraith, W. Scarf. Quart maple syrup.—W. Weir, S. H. Edwards. Ten lbs. honey in comb.—S. H. Edwards, M. Barber. Five lbs. honey, strained.—S. H. Edwards, M. Barber. Five lbs. beeswax.—S. H. Edwards. Crabapple jelly.—W. J. Andrews, R. Burnett. Raspberries.—W. Scarf, W. Weir.

CLASS VI.—LADIES' WORK and HOME MANUFACTURES.

- Pr. men's gloves, hand knit.—R. Burnett. Pr. men's mitts, hand knit.—Brigham Bros., A. McDonald. Pr. men's socks, hand made.—G. Binnie, R. Burnett. Pr. women's fine wool mitts, hand made.—Mrs. Dr. Craig, G. McKechnie. Pr. women's fine wool stockings hand knit.—R. Burnett. Best darned socks, stockings, or gloves or mitts.—J. Towner, Mrs. Maurer. Rag mat.—Mrs. Craig, Miss Nellie McGrath. Yarn mat.—T. Petty, Mrs. Maurer. Log cabin quilt.—D. A. Campbell. Quilt, cotton piece or patched.—Mrs. Craig, R. Burnett. Quilt, woollen.—Brigham Bros. Quilt, crazy work.—Mrs. Craig, W. J. Andrews. Quilt, fancy.—Miss L. Harris, D. Edge. Quilt, knitted cotton.—Mrs. Maurer, Mrs. Craig. Quilt, crochet cotton.—Mrs. Dr. Craig. Coll. quilts, not less than four.—E. A. Hay, R. Burnett. Set women's underclothing.—J. Towner, Mrs. Maurer. Ladies' waist, embroidered in silk.—Mrs. Maurer. Shadow embroidering.—R. Burnett, Miss Harris. Embroidered centre piece or tray cloth.—E. A. Hay, J. Towner. Other embroidery in silk.—G. McKechnie, H. Williams. Embroidery in linen.—Dr. Gun, Miss Harris. Pr. bedroom slippers.—R. Burnett H. Williams. Netting.—J. Towner, Miss Mockler. Mexican drawn work.—R. Burnett, H. McCrae. Canadian drawn work.—J. Towner, W. J. Black. Battenburg work.—G. McKechnie, Miss Harris. Tatting.—Miss Mockler, G. McKechnie. Crochet lace work.—Miss Mockler, Miss Harris. Honiton or point lace work.—Miss Mockler, G. McKechnie. Knitted lace work.—Mrs. Maurer. Tenerife lace work.—J. Towner, W. J. Black. Kitchen apron.—R. Burnett, W. J. Andrews. Wallochin work.—G. McKechnie, J. Towner. Fancy pin cushion, Battenburg or Honiton.—G. McKechnie. Fancy pin cushion, any other kind.—R. Burnett, Mrs. Craig. Sofa cushion, painted.—W. A. Lawrence, W. J. Black. Sofa cushion, embroidered.—G. McKechnie, E. A. Hay. Sofa cushion, any other kind.—J. S. McIlraith, G. Binnie. Pr. pillow shams, or bolster.—J. Towner, W. J. Andrews. Toilet set in wool.—D. Edge, G. McKechnie. Fancy towels.—E. A. Hay, J. Towner.

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