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NEWS AROUND TOWN

See our Sale Register on page 2.

Macfarlane's Tonic Elixir, 50c. a bottle. Will tone you up for the spring work.

Hemlock, spruce, balsam, basswood and cedar logs wanted, at the rear of the foundry.

Mr. Geo. Frappe bought the John Williams property on Elgin street, and will move in shortly and commence to make improvements.

Dr. Brown, L. R. C. P., London, England, eye ear, nose and throat, will be at the Hahn House, Durham from 1 to 5 p. m., March 15th and April 15th.

A letter from Mr. Ernest Gadi. Foxwarren, Man., dated the 21st inst., says: "We are having spring like weather now, though there is plenty of snow yet." Thank you for remittance.

For sale.—Alberta farm lands on very easy terms. Time or crop payment plan. For particulars write to the C. P. R. Lands Office Box 162, Owen Sound, Ont.

The cement works started grinding on Monday last, and are getting ready for the season's run. For the time of year, business is good, and a big output is expected this year.

Citizens coming to town on business might save themselves trouble by looking over Chronicle advertisements before starting out. All progressive business men advertise in the Chronicle, and they find it pays to do so.

Trimmed hats from \$2.75 to \$5.00. Over one hundred to choose from, also about two hundred untrimmed shapes. The latest styles in white tussan and black, in small becoming styles, or medium and large.—Miss Dick.

The heavy rain of Monday last practically wiped out the remaining snow, though it became contrary and snowed again Monday night. Though winter is over, we are not yet likely to get much of the "balmy zephyrs of spring" we used to read about in the school readers. In fact, local weather prophets are predicting a late-cold spring.

Through train to Winnipeg and Edmonton via Chicago, St. Paul and G. T. P., will be run by the Grand Trunk Railway on April 4th. This train will consist of Pullman tourist sleeping cars, and passenger cars for Winnipeg, and west to Edmonton will have every comfort, without change of cars. Passengers leaving Durham on the afternoon train, April 4th, will make connection with this train at Stratford arriving at Edmonton about 7 p. m., April 7th.

On Friday evening last, the 31st Battalion Band spent a few hours at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston jr. they taking advantage of the occasion of their recent marriage, to present them with a handsome mantle clock and an address, expressing their appreciation of the services of Mr. Johnston who has for a number of years been a valued member of their musical organization. After a pleasant evening had been spent and supper indulged in, the company broke up about midnight, all joining in wishing the young bride and groom many happy years of wedded life.

While watering his horse on the ice on McKechnies' dam on Sunday evening last, Mr. John Latimer had a soaking experience he'll not forget for some time. The ice broke through, and Mr. Latimer and the animal were forced to take a plunge bath in several feet of water. The horse, a blind one, started to swim to save himself, but headed the wrong way, and landed on a little island in the middle of the dam. Mr. Latimer followed on the ice, and after some difficulty got him back to the shore, where, with the assistance of two or three men, he was dragged out. Mr. Latimer had been on his way to church, but thought he could listen with better attention if he had his chores done, but when he got through with the job, he was wet from head to foot overcoat and all. He didn't go to church.

See the new wallpapers at Macfarlane's.

Call and inspect our standard grades clover and timothy seed, before buying.—Mrs. A. Beggs & Son.

"The healing virtue of Jesus," and "Two Builders," will be the themes of sermons in the Methodist church next Sunday.

Some new styles in the tailored hats. We will make them in colors to match your new spring suit. Medium coarse braids are used to make the small hats.—Miss Dick.

Young man, remember the great men of to-day were once like you. They succeeded, why can't you? You will if you attend Mt. Forest Business College. 112tf

Mrs. Graham wishes to inform the ladies of Durham and vicinity that she is opening up a dress and mantle making shop first door north of the post office. City experience. 2pd

If you desire to hear a business matter discussed in a business way, don't fail to attend the Reciprocity meeting in the town hall, Durham, on Saturday next, April 1st at 2 o'clock, p. m. 112tf

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, will be held at the home of Mrs. N. McCannel, on Thursday, April 6th. There will be an exchange of patterns and flower seeds. Members, come prepared. All are welcome.

We have a comfortable brick house for sale. We can make the terms so easy that any careful young man starting in life will find it very little trouble to pay for it, and have a house of his own in a few years. Apply at the Chronicle office for particulars.

Miss Christine Henderson, of Waudby, returned last week after spending a three months' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Sarah McArthur of Cleveland. Mrs. McArthur was a resident of this town over twenty years ago, and has still sufficient interest in town and vicinity to read the Chronicle regularly. And she pays for it, too.

Dr. Farquharson, of Winnipeg, preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday. In the evening he gave an interesting account of the expansion in the West, and the need of men and means to enable the church to keep pace with the rapid development of the country. He quoted the Dominion Immigration Agent as estimating that the yearly immigration might be expected to reach in ten years the immense number of one million. With these facts before us, it is evident that the crisis in the West of Missions in the West is far from being realized yet.

The checker match in the public library building on Friday evening last attracted considerable interest and quite a large crowd witnessed the exhibition. As previously announced in these columns, Mr. A. J. Smith challenged any eight players in Durham, to play him for a period of two hours, and if any one of the eight succeeded in beating him, he was to supply an oyster supper for the crowd. If they did not, why they were to put up the meal. Although Mr. Smith did not have to pay for the oysters the time limit saved him a beating at the hands of Cliff Elvidge, who had him down, three men to two, with nearly one hour to play. Mr. Elvidge claimed a victory when time was up, claiming that the rules of checkers called a three to two game a win, provided a draw could not be shown. This Mr. Smith claimed he could do, and after the supper, the game was finished, with the result that Mr. Smith was defeated in fourteen moves. It was a good game, though, and Mr. Smith is some checker player, even though he has to thank Father Time for saving him the price of the soup in this battle. While he beat the other seven, Messrs. E. A. Rowe and J. W. Crawford each played him a close, hard game. It is likely another match will be arranged in the near future.

Revival services are being held in the Methodist church.

Plowshares and sole plates for the various plows in use for sale at the foundry.

To rent.—The Rocky Saugeen hotel property.—Apply to J. A. Brown, Durham.

We understand that Mrs. Hind underwent an operation at Fergus for the removal of goitre.

According to a letter from Thos. Turnbull, Mowatt New Ontario, written March 27th, they had two feet of snow up there then.

Owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. McCausland on Sunday evening, the pulpit in the Baptist church was ably filled by Inspector Campbell.

Reciprocity is the question of the hour. H. H. Miller will discuss the matter at a meeting to be held in the town hall, Durham, at 2 p. m., Saturday, April 1st. Opposition invited.

Are you satisfied with your position? Have you stopped to think how many have passed through Mt. Forest Business College, into the very positions you desire? Begin your course now. 112tf

SOUTH GREY RIFLE ASS'N

The members of the South Grey Rifle Association met at the Armory building Friday evening, 24th inst., when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Hon. Pres., H. H. Miller.
Hon. Vice Pres., W. Ramage.
Pres., J. P. Telford.
Secretary, J. G. Hutton.
Treasurer, John Kelly.
Capt., S. Hughes.
Lieut., G. Lothian.

It was resolved to set aside \$20 for prizes to be competed for during the season. Former prize winners not eligible to compete.

In order to encourage rifle practice, the Dominion Government are awarding a valuable prize of silver plate, inscribed with the Dominion Coat of Arms, and name of winner, to the highest marksman in each Association. Four competitions will take place during the season, dates to be fixed by local officers. Further information may be had from the secretary, or other officers of the Association.

Candian Government Annuities.

A free lecture will be given in the town hall, Durham, on Thursday, March 30th, at 8 p. m., when R.D. Cameron, authorized representative, will explain the Government Annuities Act recently inaugurated. This is an important subject, and is creating a great deal of interest when it is properly understood, and every citizen should hear how to secure an annuity of from \$50 to \$600 per year for life, age 55 and upward. Mayor Black will preside. Ladies are specially invited; everybody welcome.

The Port Elgin Times says: Mr. Cameron sets forth the advantages clearly, and caused a great deal of interest, and his address was forceful and entertaining.

PERSONAL.

Ye Editor was in Toronto on Friday and Saturday last.

Mr. W. Calder went to Orangeville on business on Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Yiirs has been quite ill for the past couple of weeks.

Miss Cowan, of London, is the guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cowan.

Mr. Fred. Falkingham has accepted a position with the Spies Furniture Co. in Hanover.

Mr. Arthur Brooks has returned from New Hamburg, and is at present working in Smith's foundry, here.

Messrs. J. Ireland, J. Gun, E. Hildebrandt and Dr. Grant went to Guelph on Tuesday morning to attend a Masonic meeting there.

Dr. James Farquharson attended the meeting of the Home Mission Committee in Toronto, last week, and visited at the manse here over the week end.

Mrs. W. H. Hartley and Mrs. R. Burnett, leave for London on Monday, to attend the annual convention of the Huron Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary.

Millinery Opening

You are cordially invited to call upon us during our

SPRING MILLINERY OPENING

When we will be pleased to show you the latest creations in French and Paris Pattern Hats

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
March 20 and 21, and Following Days

S. F. MORLOCK

Spring Opening

As our spring goods are arriving daily, we are now able to meet the needs of the spring shoppers.

In Dress Goods

We have a complete stock of plain, fancy and wash fabrics, consisting of checks, stripes, diagonals, plaids, etc. Some striking values in Shepherds Plaids.

Clothing Department

Never before has our stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings been so complete as at present. We guarantee fit and quality. These are very snappy styles. Come in and get a suit that you will be proud of.

House Furnishings

Lace Curtains, new designs, ranging in price from 25c to 5.00 per pair.

Special prices in new patterns of Floor Oil-cloths and Linoleums.

Carpets in Union, Wool, Tapestry and Brussels.

Fancy Rugs in all sizes.

J. & J. HUNTER