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NEWS AROUND TOWN

New potatoes for sale.—Apply to C. W. Lang.

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The signs point to an early election, but the decision is not announced.

The contract for the building of the Carnegie Library has been awarded to Mr. Hugh McDonald.

We are pleased to learn that Miss Irene Latimer has been successful in passing her intermediate piano examination.

Date of harvest excursion for Manitoba and North-west, is fixed for August 12th. See R. Macfarlane for particulars.

Durham L.O.L. No. 632 will hold a meeting in their hall on Wednesday August 9th, to confer the Royal Arch degree and other business.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Stanley McNally was successful in completing his Normal course in Calgary, and is now a full fledged professional pedagogue.

A meeting of the Durham branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Allan, Varney, on Thursday, August 3rd, at 2.30 p.m. The meeting is to be taken by the girls. Everybody welcome.

A quiet marriage took place in St. James' church, Hanover, on Tuesday of last week, when Mr. George Wies, and Miss Ada Reay, both of Bentinck, were united in wedlock by Rev. W. Henderson. We tender our congratulations.

The new pews have been placed in Trinity church during the last few days, and for comfort and design, are excellent. Wm. Smith & Son, of Chesley, is the firm that did the work, and it reflects credit upon their workmanship.

At the closing day races in Listowel last week, John Calvert's "Paddy McKinley" of this place, came in first in a field of horses from Toronto, and other good race centres. To those who don't know it, we might say that Paddy is just a trifle the best horse this part of the country has seen for some time, judging from his performance on the track this summer.

The poem by Rev. Mr. Wright, which appeared in last week's Chronicle, was taken from the "Treasury of Canadian Verse," a volume compiled by Dr. Rand, and published a few years ago. It contained among many selections from others, some from Mr. Wright's poems, and a biographical sketch. The lines we printed were the concluding verses of the poem, "The Dream of Columbus," published separately in a small volume, and now out of print. More recently, Mr. Wright published a volume of religious poems entitled "Among the Immortals," which has been highly spoken of.

The Independent Order of Odd-fellows, following their custom for the last quarter of a century, held their annual decoration services last Sunday afternoon. The rain in the earlier part of the day freshened the air, and a large number were at the cemetery to take part in the services. Appropriate addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Kellerman, the new pastor of the Evangelical church, Rev. A. R. Park, of the Baptist church, and the Oddfellows' address was delivered by Bro. F. J. Fraser. A coincidence was that on this, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the service the graves of just twenty-five members of the lodge were decorated. A service of this kind is always an impressive one, and it would be in keeping if other fraternal societies followed their example.—Walkerton Telescope.

The Presbyterian Sunday school held their annual picnic up the river on Thursday afternoon last, and had an enjoyable time.

\$10 to the Great North-west, on August 12th, over the C. P. R. Through coaches expected. No changing. See R. Macfarlane early.

"God is Light," and "The Ladder to Heaven, and How to Climb It" will be subjects of sermons in the Methodist church next Sunday.

The heavy winds of Monday last did much damage to the fruit crops. In the Niagara district it is said \$100,000 will not cover the loss.

Civic holiday, August 7th. Tickets to all points in Ontario over C.P.R. at single fare, good going 5th, 6th and 7th, returning August 8th. R. Macfarlane, town agent.

The Bishop of Huron is conducting confirmation services at St. Paul's church, Egremont, and Trinity church, Durham, this Thursday morning and evening, respectively.

Great is the contrast between the roasting hot weather of a few weeks ago, and the damp, drizzly, November-like days we have been passing through during the present week. Judging from appearances, one would be reminded of the middle of November, rather than the end of July.

The first lacrosse game of the season was played here on Friday evening, between the Hanover and Durham teams. The game was a closely contested one, and brilliant lacrosse indulged in at times. The score at full time was 5-4, in favor of the locals. The Durham line-up was: Goal, Laidlaw; point, Calder; cover, Falkingham; defence, McLachlan, Allen, McKechnie; centre, Vollett; home, Elvidge, Lavelle, A. Saunders; outside M Saunders; inside, Fluker.

Another good old mother has gone the way of all flesh in the person of Mrs. Geo. Tolchard, 15th concession of Bentinck, who passed away on July 12th, leaving a bright testimony of an undimmed hope of a joyous immortality. Her decease only four months after her husband has irreparably bereft the family circle, of which she was the centre, of a kind and loving mother. Mrs. Tolchard was born in Torcross, Devonshire, England where she was married, and 37 years ago, came with her husband and young family to Canada, and settled first at Brockton, now a suburb of Toronto. After a residence of eight years in Brockton, the family moved to lot 7, con. 15, Bentinck, where by thrift and industry, Mr. and Mrs. Tolchard soon had a comfortable house. A family of six sons and one daughter are left to bless the memory of mother. They are William, and Mrs. John Dales, in Chesley; Fred, Elias, and George, on the home-stead; and John, in Toronto.—Hanover Post.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week as we were running off the paper a very heavy wind and rain storm passed over town and for a few minutes it was dark as night. During the brief storm the furniture company met with considerable loss but the rain coming first and then the wind, was no doubt the cause of saving a number of lives. The brick walls of the new addition were just about completed but the timbers had not been put in position to strengthen them. In less time than it takes to tell it, about seventy feet of the upper storey on the west side was blown to the ground the weight of brick knocking down and breaking several of the large timbers used in the construction. Some of the heavy main pipes for the sprinkler system being installed were also bent out of shape and rendered practically useless. Several men had been engaged where the brick fell but left to escape the rain, and they were not a minute too soon in getting out of the way. It is estimated that it will cost a thousand dollars to repair the damage.

McMASTER BAND SERVICES IN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Splendid Attendance at all the Services. Men's Meeting and Women's Meeting Features of the Sunday Services.—McMaster Male Quartette and E. T. Newton, B.A., Tenor Soloist, Sing at all Services.



O. A. CHAPMAN, Leader.

Seaforth is getting a new post office, the contract being let the other day for \$27,000.00.

Durham's Civic Holiday comes this year on the 7th of August. Although no official proclamation has been made as yet, the chances are that the usual custom will be followed, and all business places will be closed on that day.

Durham has a new Armory, but for the past month or so it has been of very little use to those for whom it was intended. Owing to some reason, the electric lights were cut off, and now the Band find it impossible to practise on Tuesday evenings, as has been their custom. It seems funny to us that the Government can afford to spend \$7000 or so in a military building, just to let it lie idle practically all the time for the want of sufficient illumination to use it.

It was with great pleasure we read of a man the other day who was out boating with two ladies and another man and insisted on rocking the boat, and who paid dearly for his dastardly act. He had rocked the boat so that it was well filled with water and the ladies were so afraid that they became hysterical while the other companion did all in his power to get him to stop this dangerous act, but to no avail. When coming to the shore, the rocker was given a shot out into the water and was nearly drowned, and he had to be fished out with a boat hook. He was not very well pleased with his experience and had his assailant before a magistrate. After hearing the evidence the magistrate dismissed the case and told the complainant that he got what he deserved and was sorry that he had not power to send him to jail for his cowardly act. The magistrate's words are only too true, as "boat rockers" are becoming too numerous and it is high time that some law was made to deal with those fools before too many lives are sacrificed.—Chatsworth News.



G. A. CLARKE

Last Wednesday evening, the McMaster Evangelistic Band opened a series of special meetings in the Durham Baptist church. There was a good attendance on the opening night, which has been steadily growing. On Wednesday and Thursday evenings, the addresses by these University students were directed especially to the church members and professing Christians. On Friday evening there was a splendid attendance, when an appeal was made to the unsaved. Since then, a steady work of grace has been going on and decisions are being made at almost every service.

There was a large attendance at the open air service on Saturday evening. The Male Quartette sang several selections, and one of the members of the Band spoke briefly. Next Saturday evening, at about 8.30, there will be another open air service on the street corner.

Sunday was a day crowded with services. At the morning service at 11 o'clock, Mr. Pink preached, basing his remarks on the text, "If a man die, shall he live again?" In the afternoon, at 3 o'clock, a meeting for men was held in the town hall, when Messrs. Trembert and Chapman spoke. At the same hour, Mr. Pink and Rev.



E. T. NEWTON, B. A., Soloist.

Mr. Cooper, of Mt. Forest, addressed a women's meeting in the Baptist church. Both services were well attended, and the McMaster Male Quartette sang at each meeting. At the evening service, the Baptist church was crowded, when Messrs. Clark and Chapman spoke. The Male Quartette sang "Come to Our Father's House," and Mr. Newton, with his rich tenor voice, sang "Jesus is Standing in Pilate's Hall."

THE MUSICAL EVENING.
On Thursday evening, the McMaster Band will hold their Musical Evening. The evening will be given over almost entirely to music. The Male Quartette will sing "Lead Kindly Light," and "Blue Galilee." Then will be a duett, "Come Unto Me," by Messrs. Clarke and Newton, and Mr. Newton will sing "The Ninety and Nine, (Campion). Everyone who enjoys music will want to make it a point to be at this service. The meeting will interest you, and the singing and addresses will make you think.

MASS MEETING ON SUNDAY.
On Sunday afternoon next, a mass meeting for everybody will be held in the Presbyterian church. The Quartette will sing, "The Shepherd True," and Mr. Newton will sing "I Love to Hear My Saviour's Voice." Keep this meeting in mind. The services will start at 3 o'clock.

Trinity church Sunday school will hold their annual picnic on Friday of next week. Where they will meet has not yet been decided, but the town park, near the cemetery, is spoken of.

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