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NEWS AROUND TOWN

General servant wanted. Apply Mrs. Hughes, Countess street.

For sale.—A quantity of binder to be cleared out at once, the foundry.

For sale.—Twenty-five acres of land in the coil. Price moderate. Samuel Henderson, Priceville, Ont.

The Durham junior lacrosse team in Orangeville to-day playing exhibition game with the team that place.

Messrs. Geo. and Robt. Smith at Tuesday morning for Disley, ask, where they will likely remain until late in the fall. They shipped two threshing machines here on Saturday last and have two others in course of construction, one of them being nearly ready for shipment.

The garden party on the Presbyterian manse grounds on Thursday night of last week was the most successful ever held by that congregation. Various kinds of refreshments, a good program, and music by the band helped to pass a most enjoyable evening. The proceeds amounted to \$115.

David Keyes, contractor, of Kincardine, came into town on Monday morning last with a car loaded with lumber, a cement mixer, and other paraphernalia belonging to his outfit. Mr. Keyes has the contract of building the McGillivray bridge, in Glenelg township, and will start the work at once. We understand he has a bridge to put up in Bentinck township also.

The garden party on the rectory grounds on Tuesday evening under the auspices of Trinity church, proved a most successful one, and the proceeds will reach considerably over the century mark; about \$115, we are told. Durham band was in attendance throughout the evening, and several choice selections were rendered. The candy booths and ice cream tables, too, received good patronage, and a very pleasant social time was enjoyed by all.

A few weeks ago we reported a runaway team that was brought to a sudden halt just in front of our office by running astride an electric light pole. The last issue of the Markdale Standard reports a similar runaway with similar results. The team ran against a pole in front of The Standard office. In both cases, the neckyokes and harness were broken, but otherwise little damage was done. Newspaper offices are evidently great hold-ups for runaway teams.

A little three-year-old girl in Toronto rushed out in front of a heavily loaded wagon, and was knocked down and killed before the driver could do anything to prevent the accident. It is a great surprise that even more accidents do not occur in a similar way. On Sunday morning last, we saw a child on Garafraza street with no clothing but a shirt. It was just about church time and a team was coming along, when the little thing rushed out innocently, almost in front, to throw dirt at the passing vehicle. Had the child been run over and killed, we could not blame the driver, who is unknown to us. A day or two ago a number of youngsters were playing in front of our office, when a couple of them rushed out in front of a motor cycle, greatly to the annoyance of the rider, who might easily have caused an accident, either to himself or the thoughtless youngsters. Similar pranks have been played with passing autos, and the report of an accident or even a death at any time, need cause no surprise. The authorities and parents can never be too vigilant in the matters referred to, but unfortunately there are children so saucy, and parents so sensitive, that the town constable would be abused if he exercised his authority for their welfare. The little tots don't know any better, but there are some big lumps of girls and boys to whom a good dose of Solomon's panacea should be judiciously applied.

OBITUARY

JOHN STAPLES.

On Wednesday of last week, Mr. John Staples met with an accident which terminated in death in Sunday morning last.

In putting away a gun he had been using, he caught it by the muzzle, and undertook to hang it up by the trigger guard. The weapon was loaded, and whether cocked or not, we do not know. While attempting to put it in place, it discharged and the load lodged in the upper portion of his leg. The accident appeared serious from the first, but recovery was hopeful. Medical aid was at once summoned, and all possible assistance rendered. He had some nails in his pocket, and these were driven into the leg by the force of the charge. Blood poisoning set in, and the suffering man was in a state of intense agony for several hours, before his sufferings were relieved by death on Sunday.

The deceased gentleman, who was 68 years of age, has been a resident of Glenelg for a great many years, and was well-known as an honest, upright citizen and a good neighbor. He has had a great deal of trouble during the past few years, having lost five of his family, three sons and two daughters, from tuberculosis.

Five or six years ago, he had his barn burned, together with his misfortunes with a calmness that would crush most men.

Besides his sorrowing widow, he leaves four daughters, Mrs. Joshua Dean, and Mrs. Wesley Ball, of Toronto, and Mrs. Wesley Ball, of Mt. Forest. Besides, he leaves four brothers and two sisters, George, in Glenelg; James, in Markdale; Benjamin, in California; Dr. W. D. Staples, in Hanover; Mrs. James Whitmore, in Glenelg; and Mrs. Cowie, in Allandale.

Another daughter, Mrs. Wilson, lives at Invermay, Sask.

Interment, under L. O. L. colors, took place Tuesday afternoon at Trinity church cemetery.

HERBERT POLLOCK.

After an illness of three months from dropsy and heart trouble, Mr. Herbert Pollock passed away on Tuesday morning, July 22, at the home of Miss Bradley, in Egremont. He was nearly 28 years of age, and had been a resident of the township all his life. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pollock, and besides his parents, he leaves three brothers, Robert, Wesley and William, and four sisters, Mrs. Charles Buckle, Mrs. George Gliddon and Mrs. William Camplin, all of Toronto, and Miss Minnie, at home. Interment takes place this Thursday afternoon to Maplewood cemetery.

Read our new serial story, Jack London, the author, is too well known to need an extensive introduction, and the story "Adventure," which commences this week, is one of his best. Read it.

Buy it now, Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

Messrs. Thos. Hobbs and Bert. Webb, of Toronto, came up on Sunday morning on a side-car motor cycle to spend a few hours with Ye Editor. They left on the return trip Sunday evening at half-past six, by way of Flesher, and expected to make the trip in about four hours.

After a residence of many years on the South Durham Road, Artemesia, near Priceville, Mr. Arch. B. McLean recently disposed of his farm there, and is this Thursday holding an auction sale of his household furniture. Mr. McLean, and daughter, Miss Kate McLean, leave shortly on a trip to Montana, where they may possibly take up their abode. We understand Mr. McLean was born on the farm which he recently sold, and, being well and favorably known in the vicinity in which he has spent practically all his life, it is not to be wondered at that the news of his departure is being received with regret by his many friends.

TRAVERTON.

Say, isn't this summer just flying by?

Miss Mary McNally arrived from Toronto on Saturday evening to enjoy a well earned holiday.

Messrs. Clark and Stanley McNally, of Meaford, spent a week lately with their many kindred hereabouts.

Mr. Colin McArthur has the brickwork of his home completed. Mr. H. McDonald and son, of town, gave him a big lift with it and it won't be long till master mechanic, Geo. Kress, of town, will be at the carpenter work.

Mrs. J. H. King and two children, of Owen Sound, are holidaying with her kindred, the Laughlin brothers.

The council fathers are getting a hustle on bridge building this year. Pleased to learn they propose to erect a new one in the hamlet. 'Tis badly needed. We'll try to dodge the tax collector.

Councillor Peart recently made a good job of that dangerous hill at Connelly's corners.

Mrs. W. W. Prudham's talk on "Mission Work in Japan" in Zion in Sunday afternoon was intensely interesting, instructive and graphically portrayed. The audience will be pleased to hear her again.

W. J. Cook's big implement house rose as if by magic on Tuesday evening of last week. 'Tis a fine one and reflects much credit on the workmanship of Messrs. J. Dillon and T. Cook, of Markdale.

Half a hundred or more young people had a night of merriment afterwards, and Mrs. Cook had piles of delicious cookery disappear. It was a real happy affair.

Masters Finlay McRae, of Public school No. 5, and Leo Dorsey, of Separate No. 5, are receiving many congratulations over winning their Entrance exam.

Misses Jennie and Maud Macfarlane returned to their home in Hamilton last week, after spending a fortnight with kindred near Waudby.

Mr. John McNally, of the 16th concession, has raised his barn, and has employed Mr. Moon, of Williamsford, to erect a neat stone foundation under it.

Some are nearly through having but the majority have just commenced. They've been giving it a chance to grow.

This neighborhood was grieved and shocked to learn of the fatal accident that befel Mr. John Staples, as he was known to everybody, having been one of the best known of the early threshing machine men, and later one of the township's deputy returning officers for over a score of years.

The sympathy of a wide circle of friends and neighbors is extended to his bereaved partner and sisters, and his brothers and sisters.

Mr. A. B. McLellan is simply pouring machinery into this neighborhood. He has sold a 6-foot mower to councillor Peart, a 12-foot rake to your scribe, during the last week.

DORNOCH.

Mr. and Mrs. James Waggoner and family are spending a few weeks with the latter's mother, Mrs. Philip McIntosh.

Mrs. Glenn, of Owen Sound, spent a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Hunt.

Mrs. Robt. McClaren and daughter, Miss Jennie, returned to their home in Peterboro on Monday, after spending a month's vacation with her mother, Mrs. P. McIntosh.

Miss Margaret Mortley, who has been holidaying with Miss Blanche Reid of Dromore, returned home on Saturday last.

Mrs. H. Hunt, Mr. C. Hunt, and Miss Lyla McKnight, spent Wednesday of last week in Durham.

Misses I. Dargavel and N. Black spent Wednesday evening in Durham.

Misses C. and L. Mortley, also Miss Bessie Campbell, spent Sunday afternoon at "The Hedges."

Miss A. McDonald, of Durham, spent the week end with Miss Ivy B. Dargavel.

Mrs. T. J. Ryan is visiting her home west of this burg.

A number of the young people attended the dance last Thursday at Mr. Tom Shewell's. Reports say they had an excellent time.

A few people around this vicinity attended the barn raising at Mr. Ellison's, of Glenelg. Reports say everything went off well.

Miss C. Mortley left for a two-weeks' holiday with Miss B. Reid of Dromore.

Mrs. Robt. Hay, who has been spending the past month with Port Elgin friends, returned home on Tuesday of this week.

We are sorry to hear that Miss M. O'Mara has been ill for the past week. Hope to hear of her recovery soon.

We miss the smiling face of Mr. Geo. Tracey, who is spending a few months in Chatham.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

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20 per cent. Off on all Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Ornaments, Etc., Etc.

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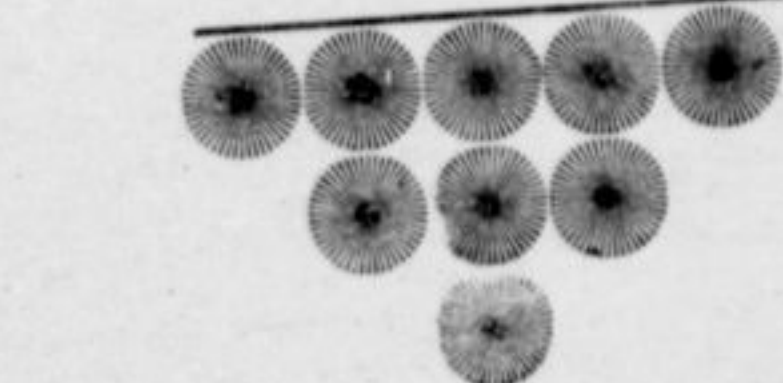
For the next 30 days we are offering our complete millinery stock, including this week's new arrivals in Sailors, Outing Hats, and Fancy Shapes in Peanuts, Milans, Leghorns and Panamas at greatly reduced prices.

Special value in Children's Hats.

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