# THE DURHAM CHRONICLE

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THE HYDRO ELECTRIC WAVE

At present there are many of the progressive towns of Western Onreaching out after Hydro-Electric power. So far, Durham seems to stand to one side to see the cars go by. Is it wise to remain inactive till all the good things are swallowed up by our competitors? Our present supply may be sufficient for all present needs, but to stand stationary is not a progressive idea of the 20th century methods. New industries are looking round for places to locate and with cheap power to offer we would be in possession of a leverage that less favored places wouldn't have. Our geographical position for an inland town has the advantage of good railway facilities. We have already two steam roads, and there's no telling how soon our facilities may be further increased. No doubt me good. My husband was delighted the furniture company would be willing to turn their present power over to the Commission on reasonable terms; this could easily be increased by connecting up with supplementary power from other sources, and soon every industry in town would be using the hydroelectric. The electric light company's power, too, could be taken over by the Commission, and the town lighting supplied from the same energy. Cheap power always available would create business and other industries, large or small, would follow in the train. and before long there would be a substantial material development along industrial lines. If we want get after it.

### MEN OF JUDGMENT ACT WITH JUDGMENT

some were anxious to have him send in his resignation. For cersome of us think he ought to. We amount of current they received. superior to that of any other man the problem. in the place, we are forced to the conclusion that he should be the best man for the position of police magistrate. Again, he occupies a position of perhaps greater independence than any odist church advertised last other business man, and as far as week that a two-reel moving picwe are concerned we'll move care- ture exhibit of the Prodigal Son fully and be sure of our ground before we seek for a change.

### MAKE THE HALL SAFE AND AVERT DANGER

The old town hall on its nev foundation has been undergoing repairs and will, we presume, be ready for use in the course of few days. For 40 years or more it has been used for all kinds gatherings, and it may be the idea of the council and many of the citizens that it will serve similar purpose for another half century. No accidents have happened in the past and it is to be hoped that no accidents will happen in the future, but the law now is different from what it was 40 years ago, and the conditions that would then be tolerated can no longer be sanctioned and approved. There was little or no thought then of danger at public gatherings, but now is is necessary to make provision for the safety in and interfere with any violation 2 of the public. The doors are made to open out according to law, but the law further requires additional exits to afford easy means of escape in case of accident. We have seen the hall that a hasty escape without fatalities would be hard throw out a hint to the council to reduce danger when it comes. be given to all legal requirements. Only law-abiding citizens can be regarded as good citizens in the strictest sense of the term.

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MRS. H. S. WILLIAMS

PALMERSTON, ONT., June 20th. 1913 "I really believe that I owe my life to "Fruit-a-tives". Ever since childhood. I have been under the care of 'ians and have been paying doctors' is. I was so sick and worn out that people on the street often asked me if I thought I could get along without help. The same old stomach trouble and distressing headaches nearly drove me wild. Some time ago I got a box of "Fruit-a-tives" and the first box did and advised a continuation of their use. "Fruit-a-tives" completely cured me.

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### THE FLECTRIC LIGHTS

Last week we referred to what "other fellows" have been saying about the electric light service, anything we'll have to get out and and a further reference to the same subject will not be out of place. We do so in no fault-finding spirit and what we have to say is merely suggestive and may For some time there has been We believe the system of lighting opposition to Mr. Telford as pol- in this town is absolutely wrong ice magistrate, and a while ago and general satisfaction will never result so long as things are conducted along present and tain good and just reasons he past lines. We believe, under hasn't done so. There is no man present conditions, the all-night capable of pleasing everybody, service on a "flat rate" is the and even if a change were made cause of much of the trouble, and we have no definite assurance that the extravagant waste of that the change would be an im- current is largely responsible for provement. No business man, it a deficiency in the service. The seems to us, would hanker after introduction of metres would go the job, and few business men pos- a long way towards a proper sess the legal qualifications re- remedy. People are liable to be quired in the decision of the var- extravagant at the expense of ious differences that come up others when they have a free from time to time. Mr. Telford hand to do so, and we fully believe may be lenient at times, and a much better and more satisfacthrough pure kindness of heart tory service would be given if impose a lighter sentence than users were required to pay for the have no hesitation in believing he It would have a tendency to has at least average intelligence make the users shut off the lights and average judgment. In these when they were not actually needrespects he is surely as well fitted ed, and furthermore, a greater for the position as the average number of lights would be installman. To these, when we add his ed in many homes. The introducknowledge of law, which must be tion of metres will help to solve

### THE PRODIGAL SON FAILED TO MAKE THE HOME RUN

The young people of the Methwould be given Monday night las in the lecture room of the church Somebody interfered, however and the show didn't come off. We don't know who originated the protest; some think that Mr. Damm, proprietor of the Star theatre was the man to set the ball rolling.

To give such an exhibition is evidently a violation of the present law regarding moving picture shows, and Mr. Damm, or anyone else, had a perfect right to object, under the circumstances, and no reasonable person can blame him for doing so. The law requires proper exits to provide for escape in case of danger.

It is always necessary, we understand, that a properly licensed operator should be in charge, and that the machine itself should be licensed. In the absence of the required conditions, it was perfectly right for some one to step

The Methodist people submitted gracefully when the error was brought to their notice, and only the remaining portion of the program was presented. We are always glad to see people stand up for law observance and we hope that in this and all other matters a cheerful obedience will \*\*\*<del>\*</del>

The young people of the Methodist church have much reason to JAMIESON.-In Durham, on Monbe thankful to someone for pointing out the error before a blunder was committed, and when future errors are about to be made unwittingly we hope they will again be warned. It is the business of any man having the good of the community at heart to sound note of warning when there's danger ahead.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. J. F. Irwin is visiting with her parants in Hamilton.

Mr. Peter Ramage returned the first of the week from an extended trip through the west.

Messrs. Geo. Thompson, Thos. A. Cook, W. McDonald and Thos. Cowan are attending the Poultry Show at Guelph this week.

Mrs. Geo. Watt, and her daughter, Miss Barbara, have gone to London, where they intend to spend the winter with Mr. Mrs. Frank Clemas.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson, formerl Miss Alice Lawrence, of Plent Sask., is visiting her mother an other relatives and friends this locality. She expects to re main for a couple of months.

Mr. Wm. Moore is at Harristo attendingt he funeral of Norma T. Kearns, who was killed ther on Monday, while working as lineman for the Bell Telephon

### MARKET REPORT

DURHAM, NOV. 26 1	913			
Fall Wheat	83	to	8	8
Spring Wheat	83	to		8
Milling Oats	38	to		35
Feed Oats	32	to		34
Peas	85	to		8
Barley	48	to		48
Hay15		to	17	25/12
Butter	100000000	to		22
Eggs	30	1.12		30
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Dried Apples		to		00
	60		700	-
Oatmeal, per sack 2			-	50 25
Chop, per cwt 1	10		7	90
Live Hogs, per cwt 7				10
Hides, per lb	75	to		85
	14	-		27
Wool	5	-		5
Tallow	15	200		15
Daru	10	10		10
LIVE POULTRY MA	RI	E	7	

DRESSED FOWL

Turkeys	12 to
Geese	7 to
Ducks	10 to
Geese	10 to
Roosters	6 to
Hens	7 to



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Butter	22	to		22
Eggs	30	to		30
Potatoes, per bag 1	00	to	1	00
Dried Apples	5	to		5
Flour, per cwt 2	60	to	3	00
	50	to	2	50
Chop, per cwt 1	10	to	1	25
	90	to	7	90
Hides, per lb	9	to		10
Sheepskins	75	to		85
Wool	14			27
Tallow	5	to		5
Lard	15	to		15
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Turkeys.	 12 to
Geese	 6 to
Ducks	 7 to
Chickens.	 8 to
Roosters.	 4 to
Hens	 5 to

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Cinnamon 2 lbs Flour

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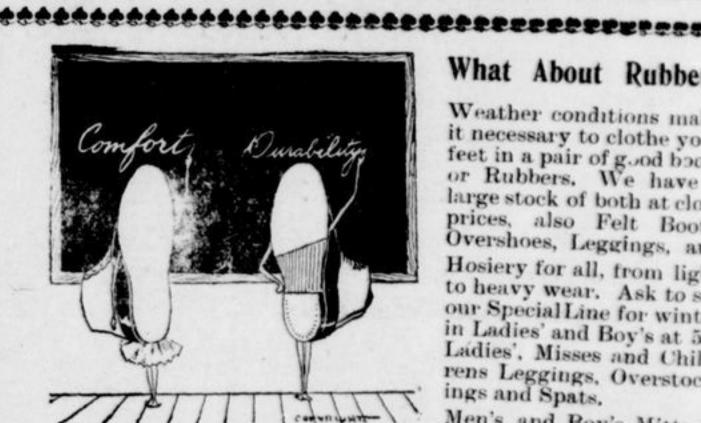
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