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NEWS AROUND TOWN

Live hogs are \$11 to-day.

Mr. Jones, the new proprietor of the Middaugh House has opened up for business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass have moved to the house formerly occupied by Mr. Jas. Calvert.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church took in over \$30 last Saturday at their sale of home-made baking.

Mr. Percy Harding of Orangeville, sang a very acceptable solo in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

W. S. Middlebro, M.P., has been re-nominated as the standard bearer of the North Grey Conservatives in the next federal election.

Dr. Black, specialist, eye, nose and throat, will be at the Hahn House, Durham, on Thursday, July 6, from 10 a.m. till 7 p.m. for consultation. Eyesight tested free and glasses supplied.

A garden party will be held at the home of Mrs. Thos. Brown, Durham, on Friday, July 14, under the auspices of the Durham branch of the Women's Institute. Proceeds for patriotic purposes.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's, Egremont, will hold their first picnic at Wilder's Lake on Friday afternoon, July 7. Refreshments will be served and boating, games and other amusements will be the attractions.

Rev. H. Caldwell of Waterford was in town Tuesday and gave The Chronicle a few minutes' visit. He was present at the Kerr-Caldwell wedding yesterday. We are always pleased to have the pleasure of his company.

The Ladies of St. Paul's church, Egremont, have an autograph quilt to be disposed of at the picnic next Friday afternoon. They have already made upwards of \$100 on it and the proceeds are to go to patriotic purposes.

A sample of wheat and rye straw was left in our office yesterday. The rye was six feet in length and the wheat five feet. It was grown on the farm of Henry McCaslin, where lots more of the same kind may be seen. It wasn't old rye; just this season's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Campbell of Crawford announce the engagement of their daughter, Victoria Elizabeth, to Sergeant Alexander C. Stewart, 14th Grey Battalion, C.E.F., of Perth, Scotland, the marriage to take place quietly in July.

Anniversary services of Knox church, Normanby, will be held on Sunday, July 2, at 3 and 7.30 p.m. Rev. Mr. Whaley will preach at both services. On Monday a tea-meeting will be held from 6 to 8 o'clock. The Ayton choir has been secured, and a good program will be given. Admission 25c. and 15c.

Miss Minnie McClocklin went to Hepworth Tuesday to be present at the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Alex. McGillivray. The deceased was a maternal uncle of Mrs. E.T. McClocklin of Durham, and Mrs. E. D. McClocklin of Toronto. He was not particularly well known in Durham, but has a number of distant relatives in the adjacent townships.

Farmers in this locality, though hindered by the catchy weather in getting in their crops, have much reason to rejoice in their good prospects, when compared with other places in Ontario. Between Chatham and Windsor, along the line of the Grand Trunk Railway, the ground is still in a fearful condition, much of it lying under water and yet unswamp, and in some places unploughed. The crops in North Kent and North Essex are not at all promising. In the southern part of Essex where the land is somewhat higher, the prospects are much better, but later than usual. There, too, the weather was wet, but the land dried faster on account of its rolling nature. It seems from our observation that the field crops in this locality are the best along the line.

For sale.—A good working horse. Apply at Smith's Garage.

Mrs. Burt Handforth and two children, of Toronto, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McNally.

Having accepted the agency for the Dundas Lightning Rod Co. parties wishing any rodding done should call or see J. N. Murdock, Durham, 615th

Mr. H. J. Snell took the service in the Baptist church Sunday, in the absence of Rev. Mr. Wylie, who was called to Hamilton on account of the death of his brother.

Mr. Andrew Pennington, who resided here for some time while conductor on the Grand Trunk, is now engaged in the Grand Trunk baggage office at Windsor. He was quite ill for some time after leaving here, but appears quite well again.

Murray Findlay, son of J. M. Findlay of Dromore, who was attending Normal school at Stratford, has enlisted for overseas service. He was one of 23 students from the Stratford school to don the khaki, which has sent over half its enrolment for the 1916 term.

Mr. Alfred Heather of Majorville, Alberta, in renewing his subscription has a kind word of appreciation for The Chronicle. He and his brother George started farming for themselves this year, and have a half section in crop, with good prospects of a bumper yield. He says the majority were through seeding in April, but the weather was very dry till the 24th of May. Since then the growth has been rapid.

Word was received here Monday that Corp. Caldwell Marshall and Pte. Lance McGirr have been transferred from England to France. Thus, day by day, our boys are nearing the scenes of activities and the dreams and hopes of their earlier military careers. We wish them a further advance, hoping success may crown their efforts and that they may return again unharmed to the homes of their loved ones.

Pte. David M. Borthwick, who was reported here as among the missing at the front is still well and in the land of the living. The missing soldier, it was later learned, was Lieut. David S. Borthwick, and not the man from here. On Monday Mr. A. H. Jackson received a letter from the Borthwick from here, but it contained very little of a military nature. He is somewhere near Ypres, and has, no doubt, had a tough enough time of it in the western "scraping zone." In his letter he thanks Mr. Jackson for kind remembrances and also intimates the pleasure of hearing from Mr. Towner.

A most interesting meeting of the Durham branch of the Women's Institute was held in the public library on Tuesday afternoon when Miss Duncan of Toronto gave a splendid address on "Conditions as we find them, and what to do to improve them." She thought we could all dispense with a lot of unnecessary things we are now doing and do more for Red Cross. We have heard a lot about economy, and how many of us have started to save? If we do not start now, what will we do when the war is over? She spoke of the last word that the late Dr. C. C. James said to the delegates before they started out on their summer series of meetings. It was to tell the people to save, to be thrifty, to economize, and produce more. Other conditions we could improve are: the marketing of eggs, vegetables, etc. More care should be taken of bakers' bread, which is handled so often; more knowledge of food values is necessary and more kindness should be shown to strangers in our town. She spoke of many other conditions which could be improved. The question drawer brought on a good discussion on canning. Forty-four ladies were present. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Potatoes \$1.75 a bag while they last at John McGowan's mill.

As Saturday will be a public holiday, the ladies of the Red Cross have decided not to serve refreshments, as originally intended.

Mrs. Ramage gave an interesting address Monday night to the Epworth League of the Methodist church. Her topic was on Woman's Suffrage.

Miss Pulford and Miss Middlebro of the teaching staff will leave tomorrow to visit friends at Erin, before going to their respective homes in Leamington and Owen Sound.

Miss Marguerite Hutton, daughter of Dr. Hutton, was taken to Fergus yesterday morning, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, and is doing as well as can be expected.

Guelph goes back to standard time to-morrow morning. The daylight saving fad has petered out after a trial of two or three weeks, and it isn't likely the clocks will again be tampered with.

A patriotic garden party was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Wm. Lunney, near Mulock. Supper and refreshments were enjoyed by the many visitors and a good musical and literary program was given by way of entertainment. There was a fairly large attendance and the proceeds amounted to nearly \$90.

Word was received here the end of last week of the death of Mr. Thomas Haskin, who has been living in London the past couple of years. The old gentleman was over 90 years of age, one of the early settlers of this locality, and highly esteemed by all in the community. Interment took place on Sunday last. In the absence of fuller information we defer a more lengthy obituary.

The name of Pte. Jas. Farquharson appeared amongst the list of wounded in a report published Friday. He was a son of Rev. Dr. Farquharson, for many years pastor of the Presbyterian church here. We have not learned of the nature of the injury, but hope he will soon be restored to his full strength. Dr. and Mrs. Farquharson have had more than their share of trouble through sickness and we hope they may not be called upon to bear the burden of another added sorrow.

We had a letter from Capt. C. E. Wolfe yesterday. He is still at Salonica and we presume he is well, but he didn't say so. He sent us a copy of the Balkan News the only English paper printed in Greece. It has been in existence about a year and when the war and we predict its suspension for want of English-speaking people to support it. He speaks well of the good work done in the hospitals, and the demonstration they had on Canada's Day, when sports and games of all kinds were indulged in. The sports consisted of running, jumping, tugs-of-war, etc., and the most interesting of all amusements to the native spectators was a game of ball in which Canadian "rooting" was largely indulged in. He says he rode 30 or 40 miles to see the games, and enjoyed the recreation very much.

A garden party was held Tuesday night at the home of Mr. Jas. McGillivray, near Glenelg Centre. It was under the auspices of the Baptist church and was well patronized. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Wylie, was unable to be present, as he had been called to Hamilton to attend the funeral of his brother, who died suddenly. Mr. Geo. Binnie was elevated to the chair and discharged his duties very efficiently. The music consisted of choruses by the Glenelg Baptist choir, a solo by Theodore Fallaise of Durham, violin music by Mr. G. Ritchie and family, and pipe selections by Mr. Dan. McCormick of Scotchtown. A drill by the B. Y. P. U. of Durham was well rendered and very much appreciated. Rev. Mr. Whaley of the Presbyterian church was in attendance and delivered an appropriate address. There was a large attendance and all enjoyed a sumptuous supper.

HYMENEAL

MISTELE—HARRIS

On Wednesday, June 21, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Harris, Rodney, Ont., a pretty wedding was quietly solemnized when their eldest daughter, Anna Edna, became the bride of Mr. Henry G. Mistele, son of Charles Mistele, and manager of the Durham branch of the Royal Bank. Rev. J. P. Falconer officiated.

MOORE—LAWSON.

On Saturday, June 24, a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. James Lawson, Cornish Road, Moore Park, Toronto, when his daughter, Gladys Eleanor, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph M. Moore, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, of Durham.

The home, for the occasion, was beautifully decorated with pink sweet peas, roses and various kinds of foliage. Rev. Capt. Magwood was the officiating clergyman. Miss Bard played the wedding march, and the bride was gracefully given away by her father.

The bride was tastefully attired in a smart travelling suit of navy blue taffeta, and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas, artistically arranged. The bride was assisted by her sister, and Mr. St. Clair Little, a friend of the groom, acted efficiently as his best man.

The young couple, after returning from a short honeymoon, will take up their residence in Moore Park, Toronto.

GAGNON—DARLING

We congratulate Mr. George Gagnon, who was married yesterday morning in Simcoe to Miss Rita Darling, daughter of Mr. John A. Darling, a resident of this town for many years. The bride and groom are well known here and highly esteemed by all. After a short honeymoon they will take up their residence in Durham. We extend them a hearty welcome.

McELROY—ALLAN.

Yesterday, in the Western Presbyterian church, Winnipeg, a very pretty marriage was solemnized when Miss Edith Allan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allan of this town, was united heart and hand to Captain McElroy of the Battalion.

The bride, assisted by Miss Fanny Moran, a friend of her childhood, was neatly attired in a suit of military blue chiffon taffeta, trimmed with blue maribou. She wore a dainty sailor hat of pale pink silk crepe with ostrich trimming and blouse with deep fishu to match. She wore white high kid shoes, white gloves and carried a bouquet of pale pink roses. After a wedding breakfast at the Fort Garry, the happy couple left for Calgary and points west. On returning from a short honeymoon they will reside in Port Arthur, where the groom's battalion is at present stationed, and may later go to Valcartier till the battalion is ordered overseas.

We tender our heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, the latter of whom we have known from her infancy.

KERR—CALDWELL

At five o'clock last evening, in the presence of two hundred and twenty-five invited guests, a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caldwell of Normanby, when their daughter, Myrtle Margaret, was united in marriage to Mr. Norman Kerr of Varney. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Caldwell of Waterford, the bride's uncle. The bride was assisted by her cousin, Miss Mabel V. Farrier, of Hillman, Mich. Mr. John C. Kerr, brother of the groom, discharged the duties of groomsmen, and Miss Lydia Caldwell, cousin of the bride, was the charming little flower girl. We leave a fuller account to our Blyth's Corners correspondent, to appear next week. In the meantime, we tender our congratulations.

MARSHALL—ALLAN

At five o'clock yesterday afternoon, an interesting event took place, when his daughter, Maggie Mae, was married to Mr. James McCall Marshall. No particulars have reached us, but this will not prevent us from tendering our congratulations, and expressing our best wishes.

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CORNER CO

Rev. Mr. Hawken the service in St. and created a fision. He is looked coming man.

Mrs. McMeekin spending a few home with her so

Mr. Jas. Eden barn contracts. T easily worked, w weather.

Mr. Lorne Allan plement house l noon, to give be the barn yard. I gave a party, w as a very enjoy who were presen vented, by the attending.

Our teacher, M has been re-eng board at a sala

Our annual school picnic son's bush orn June 29. A good Everybody is in be made welco

Green Grove mences operatio

Mr. Jas. Mars struck by lightn a post shattered splintered, but The Grey and B was prompt in damage.

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Mr. and Mrs. Brussels spent week visiting here. They wer the Picken-Gras

Mr. and Mrs. Forest spent a latter's old hom last week.

Mrs. Noble at the U. S. have week's visit a mother. Mrs. P

Mrs. ———, nett, of Berlin, last week at h Wedding bells burg, and our give a detailed

BLYTHE

The heavy rain considerable c there. Mr. Norm Varney was ba We are sorry fortune, as the ble to repair th siderable.

The Bell Tel putting in the concession nor An effort is be them to contin this locality.

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Anniversary held in Knox July 2, further will be publish the two Durh

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The rev. gentl ing comparis Isreal, Judah to war agains pointed out th relying on the numbers, leavi their miserabl humility, and present crisis, the success of only be brou great deal of returning bac guidance and

The annual C Carson's bu moon was qui not by any t they might be get in betwe a fairly good Troy of Orch delighted the merous select pipes and vi Watson and N den, each sar usual good st er was Mr. E county, who address, who vantages of t Co-Operative aimed at, wh and what it the farmers s guns. Mr. Hal speaker, well and appearl recognizing r farmer and t and bettor u protect their Thos. McNie each added t Jas. Wilton quite accepta of ball war between Har teams, result in favor of J under the su John Leith, others, did t were certain vote of than speakers and Invitations the marriage Allan of Eg McCaul Mars June 28.