

THE DURHAM CHRONICLE

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COUNTRY MERCHANTS MUST WAKE UP

A newspaper has a right to uphold its own town, and every town should support its own newspaper. No newspaper, however, is justifiable in misrepresenting facts, and wilful misrepresentations cannot be long tolerated in any community.

LETTERS FROM BELGIUM

From Sgt. Marshall

The following letter from Sgt. Caldwell Marshall, who enlisted from here about a year ago and is now in Belgium, will be read with interest by his many friends here. It was dated on the 30th of August, and was handed to us on Tuesday.

From Signaller Petty

The Chronicle has received a letter from Signaller Will Petty, under date of August 30, from "somewhere in Belgium." He says: "As you will notice, I am now using that familiar heading, 'somewhere in Belgium.' We arrived here from England some time ago, and at present are getting broken into the 'game.' As you know, the rules are now very strict in censoring letters, and therefore, we are not allowed to tell when we arrived, or anything about our movements or present position.

Premier Borden has promised that an investigation will be held into Lieut.-Col. McKenzie's suspension from command of the 141st Battalion.

DURHAM AND PRICEVILLE RESIDENTS CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

MR. AND MRS. MATTHEWS

Mr. and Mrs. James Matthews received one of the pleasant surprises of their lives when on Wednesday of last week their family, three sons and three daughters, with their wives and husbands and their 13 grandchildren assembled at their home in Durham to celebrate with them their golden wedding day.

At 12 o'clock noon Mr. and Mrs. Matthews were called upon to stand forth, when an address was read by little Miss Tena Merchant of Yeovil, and a presentation of gold coins made by little Misses Jessie Hooper and Amanda Matthews, all the children being granddaughters of the couple.

After dinner, Mr. Kelsey took a photograph of the group. A few pleasant hours were then spent in the parental home, when all took their departure for their own homes, much pleased with the day's event.

Dear Father and Mother.—We, your children and grandchildren, have assembled here to-day to celebrate with you your golden wedding day. We consider this to be a great privilege, which God, in His goodness, has bestowed upon us and upon you, in that we are permitted to be present here to-day and to commemorate with you the 50th anniversary of your wedding day.

MR. AND MRS. OSTRANDER

A rare event happened in Priceville on Monday, the 18th inst. It was the celebration of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Ostrander of this place. All the members of their family were present to take part in the reunion.

EGREMONT COUNCIL

Council met September 13, members all present, minutes adopted. The reeve reported having met Comr. Cronin of Proton re water grievance of Jas. Hockridge on Egremont and Proton town line.



Their Majesties King George of Britain and King Albert of Belgium are shown in the western theatre of war, where they met recently near the firing line.

A. Ferguson is instructed to attend to the matter.

Robb-J.A. Ferguson—Re communication from C. Drumm asking for \$10 damages to his auto, that no action be taken.

Robb-Hunt—Re petition of Edward Harrison and 14 others asking for grant to dig a drain along side of road at lots 23 and 24, con. 22.

By-law No. 320, to appoint an assessor, was passed, the name of Walter A. Reeves being inserted, salary \$130.

By-law 321, to levy the rates, was passed, a rate of 12.4 mills being required, as follows: County rate, 3.8 mills, provincial war tax, 1.1 mills, township rate, 5.1 mills, general school rate, 2.4 mills.

Comr. Robb reported the following road jobs: J. Brown, cedar plank, \$9.50; W. Yake, joists, \$4; P. Hattle, culvert, \$9.25; T. Stewart, covering bridge, \$3.75; E. Murphy plank, \$4; J. Hunt, drawing tile, \$5.

Comr. J. A. Ferguson reported: F. Clarke, culvert, \$4; J. Eccles, culvert, \$5; D. McCannel, wire fence, \$17.75.

Comr. W. Ferguson reported: B. Woods, brushing and stoning, \$12; S. Williams, cleaning gravel pit, \$1.50; J. Whitmore, raking stones, 75c; W. Wells, gravelling, \$1.50; B. Woods, wire fence, \$13; J. M. Lawrence, gravelling, \$2.25; J. C. Harrison, gravelling, \$2.25.

Com. Hunt reported: J. Hunt, building cement abutments, etc. for bridge, \$112.50; G. Calder, cedar covering, \$55; W. Stinson, cleaning ditch, \$4; T. Kirby, cleaning ditch, \$7.50; J. Troupe, cleaning ditch, etc., \$6.50; W. Horsburgh, repairing culvert, etc., \$6.88.

Robb-W. Ferguson—That the following accounts be paid: For gravel—J. Gould 72c, A. Ross \$6.36, W. Pinder \$2.70, W. Allan \$5.40, M. Porter \$2.16, W. Bryans 36c, J. Egan \$2.10, S. McMurdo \$3.54, R. McDonald \$2.70, G. Hunt 90c, G. McFarland \$2.34, T. Wright 54c, M. Foster \$1.68, G. Tibby \$6, A. McKay, express, 50c; R. Mead, sheep killed, \$10; V. Alles \$9.50, Dr. Brett \$7; W. A. Lawrence, inspector, \$1; J. Geddes 75c, R. Aitken \$2, Municipal World, supplies, \$12.11; Rep. office, printing, \$1.45; J. Hunt, com. tax, \$9.75; Reeve, services, \$5; C. W. Robb, com. fees, \$3; J. A. Ferguson, \$4.50; W. Ferguson, \$2; J. Hunt \$5; J. Matthews, spikes, 3c; J. McArthur, witness, Robb, \$2.50; L.B. Nicholson \$2; R.M. Tribe \$2; R. Irvine \$2; P. McEachern \$2.70; D. Roberts \$2; J.R. Philip \$2; D. Allan \$2, G. Hunt \$2.10, W. Ferguson \$1.70, J.A. Ferguson \$2.30, Councilors' pay sheet \$15; J. McGrath, use of council room, \$2.

Council adjourned to Nov. 17. —D. Allan, Clerk.

DARKIES' CORNERS.

Miss Edna M. Ritchie returned Wednesday, after spending a couple of weeks in Toronto at the Exhibition.

A most successful Red Cross meeting was held last Friday at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hopkins, when the autograph quilt was put together and quilted, 11 pillow cases made, and a lot of knitting done. Collection \$3.30.

Miss Lizzie Weir visited last week with friends in Holstein.

Miss Margaret Lindsay spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hunt, Allan Park.

Congratulations to Mr. George Stewart, Bunessan, and Miss Blanche Bell who join heart and hand to-morrow, Wednesday.

Miss Maggie McFadden of town, spent Friday last with Mrs. R. McFadden. Mr and Mrs. Robt McFadden visited Sunday with Zion friends.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table of market quotations for September 19th, including Toronto Cattle Market, Toronto Grain Markets, and Butter and Cheese Markets.

THE TONIC THAT BRINGS HEALTH

"Fruit-a-tives" Builds Up The Whole System

Those who take "Fruit-a-tives" for the first time, are often astonished at the way it builds them up and makes them feel better all over.

SEED GRAIN AND POTATOES TO BE AGAIN DISTRIBUTED

By instruction of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a distribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers for general distribution.

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy.

You owe it to Yourself to try

Penslar Dynamic Tonic

This builder of vitality and stronger nerves enjoys the recommendation of people everywhere.

By no means is it merely a stimulant, for the results of Dynamic Tonic on the system are permanent and always beneficial.

If you are run down, if your nerves are shattered and your system needs new vigor, nothing will help you more than this fine tonic.

Look for the formula on the label—it protects you.

75c. per bottle.

Geo. B. Dingman Druggist Central Drug Store G. T. R. Town Ticket Agency



COLUMBIA GRAFTONOLAS ARE THE BEST VALUE

SOME DAY YOU WILL BUY A TALKING MACHINE

When that time arrives be sure to come to us and see and hear the Columbia Graftonola before deciding upon your purchase.

We'll gladly send a Graftonola up to your home on approval.

If you already own a disc machine, try Columbia Records. They fit any machine, and are the best records made.

85c Up Ask to hear 'The Dog Fight' and 'Backyard Conversation' Between Two Jealous Irish Wash-women' (A 1716.)

H. J. SNELL Columbia Graftonola and Record Dealer DURHAM

Wholesale Produce

Table of wholesale produce prices for Toronto, including eggs, creamery prints, and various meats.

East Buffalo Cattle

Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; slow; shipping steers, \$8.00 to \$10.50; butchers, \$6.75 to \$9.00; heifers, \$6.00 to \$8.00; cows, \$3.50 to \$7.25; bulls, \$5.00 to \$7.25; stockers and springers, \$5.75 to \$7.00; stock heifers, \$5.00 to \$5.75; fresh cows and springers, \$2.00 to \$3.00 lower, \$50.00 to \$105.00.

Chicago Live Stock

Cattle—Receipts, 25,000; market weak; heavy, \$11.20 to \$11.20; west, \$11.25 to \$11.50; pigs, \$9.50 to \$9.75; roughs, \$9.50 to \$9.75; stags, \$7.00 to \$8.00; light yarkers, \$9.75 to \$11.00.

Chicago Live Stock

Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market heavy at noon; Saturday's average, \$10.50 to \$10.50; mixed, \$10.10 to \$10.10; heavy, \$10.50 to \$10.50; light, \$10.50 to \$10.50.

We have a complete range of Infants' Mitts Hosiery, Underwear No Advance in Prices The Variety Store

B. Balment Electrical Contractor 789 Dupont Street, Toronto, Ont.

DURHAM MARKET

Table of Durham market prices for various commodities like wheat, oats, hay, and potatoes.