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NEWS AROUND TOWN

House to rent.—Apply at this office. 10 12tf

The next horse fair is announced for Thursday, October 19.

Ladies, get your visiting cards now. Prices have advanced, but they will go higher.

For sale.—The Happy Hour theatre will be sold cheap to a quick purchaser.—Apply to Geo. W. Loughby, Durham.

Lost.—On Saturday night, October 7, between Durham and the Rocky, a pair of child's boots. Reward at this office or at Levine's store.—Wm. Large.

Lost.—Between Pollock's corner and home, a good raincoat. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at The Chronicle office or delivering it to the owner, Lorne Allan.

Christmas will soon be here, and you'll need private greeting cards. See our samples at a dollar a dozen up. Your name and address and in many cases, your monogram neatly printed or embossed, make these an ideal Christmas gift.

Persons sending in news items for publication should always sign their names, to ensure publication. We like to give all the news, but we want to know who sends it, and unsigned communications may be assigned to the waste basket.

An exchange says there is to be no partridge hunting this year. Owing to the unfavorable nesting season in 1915, it was thought advisable to give these birds some extra protection, and a close season for two years has been put on this species of game by the Ontario government.

A remarkable development in British war planes is demonstrated by the fact that they can fly at the rate of two and three-quarter miles a minute. One crossed the English Channel at the narrowest point, 22 miles, in eight minutes. This is "going some," if we may be permitted to express an opinion in the street vernacular.

According to an item in The Owen Sound Advertiser, Inspector Matt Beckett visited the Commercial Hotel at Aytun on Tuesday of last week and in a certain hay loft discovered nine cases of whiskey each containing a dozen bottles. This is said to be the first seizure made in this county under the new temperance act and the case was investigated by Magistrate Creasor on Friday last at Aytun. A fine of \$200 was imposed.

Orchard anniversary services were held on Sunday and Monday last. The services on Sunday were conducted by Rev. Mr. Stewart of Drew, who preached to large congregations at both services. On Monday evening a fowl supper was served in the old school, when the house was packed. After supper, all repaired to the church, where a good program was rendered, consisting of addresses by the chairman, Hon. Dr. Jamieson, Rev. T. H. Ibbott of Holstein, Rev. E. S. Moyer of Durham, and Mr. W. L. Falkingham, pastor. Good music was furnished by the choir, Mrs. (Dr.) Brett and others. The proceeds amounted to \$52.

The anniversary services in connection with the Mulock Baptist church were held last Sunday, and a crowded church greeted the minister at both services. The pastor, Rev. F. Ashton, was the preacher for the day. The morning text was from I Samuel 7:12, and the evening text was Ps. 100:4. The church was tastefully decorated with plants and flowers, and the new seats proved to be very comfortable. The music rendered was of a high order, and very much appreciated. In the morning a duet, "Count your mercies," was well sung by Mrs. A. Hastie and the pastor, and also a trio by Miss F. McDonald, Mrs. Hastie, and the pastor. In the evening, Mr. Allan Bell rendered two solos in a very efficient manner and they were much enjoyed. Thus passed one of the very best anniversary services ever known at Mulock.

OBITUARY

JOHN WEIR.

Another of our pioneers passed away on Sunday in the person of Mr. John Weir.

The deceased, who was of Scotch parentage, was born in Northumberland, England, in 1835. In 1852 he came to Canada with his father and two sisters, and in the fall of that year the family settled on lots 51 and 52, of the third concession of Glenelg, where the subject of this obituary remained to the time of his death.

He was married in 1859 to Elizabeth Weir, and to them were born a family of six children, three sons and three daughters, all of whom survive, with the exception of Mrs. Wm. Davis, who died in 1903. The surviving members of the family are Mrs. James Atkinson, now of Toronto, John Weir of Egremont, Adam of Owen Sound, William, and Mrs. Joseph Atkinson of Glenelg. Mr. Adam Weir of Durham is a surviving brother, his two sisters, Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. William Robertson having died some years ago.

The deceased was a Liberal in politics, a Presbyterian in religion, and honorable and upright in all his dealings. He was quiet and unassuming in his life, never sought publicity or public office, and during his sixty years as a member of the community he was held in the highest esteem by all. Interment took place in Trinity church cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, the remains being followed to the grave by all the members of the family and a large number of mourning and sympathizing relatives and friends.

HOLSTEIN.

The parsonage was made bright and happy by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Gemery and son of Toronto, during Thanksgiving.

John A. Marsh of Knox College was home over the holiday and preached in the Presbyterian church. He went to Mildmay on Sunday and sang at a banquet there.

W. G. Pettigrew and H. Reid of Toronto spent the week end in the village.

Mrs. (Dr.) Ferguson and children spent a few days lately at her old home in St. Marys.

Mrs. G. Freeman of Mt. Forest spent Friday in the village. She has just returned from her visit to different points in Michigan.

J. R. Weber of Normanby, and Miss Jemima Ellis of Egremont, joined hands on Wednesday of last week. Elder D. W. Cameron performed the ceremony.

The members of the 147th Battalion of this vicinity were home on last leave last week. A large crowd saw the boys off on Friday. The ladies presented each with a pair of socks.

The mill has undergone a thorough repairing so far as the boiler is concerned.

We understand Geo. Bye has decided to take charge of the rural mail, R.R. 2, after the first of next month.

Mrs. Allingham spent the holidays with her mother near Sarnia.

Monday was a day of rejoicing in the home of Wm. Leith, north Egremont, when G. P. Leith and wife of Holstein, and D. Leith and wife of Normanby spent the holiday with them.

Wm. Nelson and wife, who have been on an extended trip west, returned last week.

Mrs. Whetham of Mt. Forest Sundayed with her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Hershey.

Miss Lena Allan was the guest of Dr. Lam friends last week.

Mrs. Grier visited at Markdale from Saturday till Tuesday.

Messrs. A. Robertson, W. Whitmore, R. Isaac and W. Wakefield, were home from Hespeler over Monday.

Thanksgiving Day was cold, and the town was very quiet. A number from other places visited friends here, and some of our citizens were out of town for the holiday.



MAJOR E. L. KNIGHT
Killed in Action September 26

EDGE HILL.

Born.—At Antler, N. D., on Sept. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Greenwood, a son.

Miss Edith Edge was home from Stratford over the holiday.

Miss Ethel Greenwood, who is teaching near Listowel, was home for Thanksgiving, accompanied by her friend, Miss Dean.

Messrs. Hopkins and Allan of Toronto spent the last week with the Collier family.

Mr. John D. McFayden spent Sunday with friends at Zion.

Mr. McCrae of Guelph was visiting over the holiday with Mr. Thos. Ritchie.

Mrs. R. H. Banks was visiting at Laurel for a few days.

Messrs. C. H. Moffat, John Moffat and A. J. Greenwood enjoyed an auto trip to Walkerton and Mildmay on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Whaley conducted prayer meeting in the Grange on Tuesday evening. It was well attended.

A successful Red Cross sewing bee was held at Mrs. Jos. McNally's home on Thursday afternoon. They made four shirts, 18 towels, 12 pillow slips, and knit three pairs of socks, besides making a cash contribution of \$3.

Misses Valerie Edge, Winnie Greenwood, Maggie Firth and Nona Williams, and Messrs. C. H. Moffat and W. J. Ritchie attended the South Grey Sunday school convention held in the Baptist church, Elmwood, on Tuesday.

McWILLIAMS.

The weather the past week has been beautiful and warm, giving the farmers a chance to take up their roots.

Miss Alice Lawrence of Toronto spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence.

Mrs. Jas. Brown spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Watson spent a day last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Morrison.

Ebenezer Sunday school observed Rally Day last Sunday. It was quite a success, the fine day and good roads bringing everybody out.

Sealey Bros. are digging out the foundation for a new residence.

Mr. John McCaul has his new house nearly completed.

Quite a number from around here attended the Artemesia fall fair at Priceville last Friday. The weather was fine and the exhibits, though not so good as on former years, were good for the season.

The potato crop around here is almost a failure. Some have a fair crop, some will have as many as they planted, and quite a number have none at all.

An Electric Catfish

A powerful electric battery which is actually alive and swims about at will—that is Dame Nature's champion electrical experiment. It is found in the River Nile and is known as the electric catfish. The fish often grows to a length of 4 feet, and has electrical plates all along its body. From these plates the fish can discharge a strong current, which kills other fishes instantly, is powerful enough to stun a horse and often gives a severe shock to a human hand.

Readiness

Are you in readiness to meet the daily increasing scarcity of Dry Goods?

Think that many of Europe's most extensive industries have been closed altogether for lack of material, while others are only producing a small portion of their former output.

Readiness will win

Thoughtful people will avoid later disappointments by laying in their supply of merchandise while it can yet be had at reasonable prices.

Underwear for Men

We were lucky in securing our winter Underwear at the old price—85c, \$1.00, \$1.25. This Underwear was bought early before the advance, which enables us to offer it to our customers at the old price.

Ladies Wool Skirts

Another large shipment of all-wool Serge Skirts in blacks and navies. These skirts are guaranteed by the makers for style, fit and workmanship. Come in and see them.

S. F. MORLOCK

THE STORE OF HONEST VALUE

Two Big Rousing Bargains in Boot and Shoe Department

Ladies' Pumps, Oxford and Tie in Patent, Kid and Gun Metal. Reg. \$2.50 and \$3. **\$1.79**
Your choice

Enormously price reduced for our stupendous clearance.

200 pr. Women's, Misses' and Childrens' Shoes, per pair **50c**

Every pair marked more than double the money. Come early to ensure getting your size.

J. & J. HUNTER

Fall wheat, wheat, red—Arch—W Ramage. age. Long white Binnie 3rd. B Binnie, W. R. Small peas, wh—W J Allan. T. nie, D. Edge. Edge, J. Blyth Petty, T H Binn—W Rame—W Rame (This class is n book was not a

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DAIR Tinned butter Geo Ritchie, G Grahlm, Mr Butter, lb prin Grahlm, A Burnett, Alex R. M. PLAYR

DOMES Two loaves s daughter. Ale Brown bread, Barber. Bread J Mather, Voll Gowans flour Mrs Towner. A Park, Matt —Matt Barber W. G. Hender Apple pie—R R kin pie—N Lemon pie—N Pie any other

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