

DEATH OF A MONOGENARIAN

It falls to our lot this week to chronicle the death of Mrs. David Connor, who passed away on Tuesday at the home of her son, W. D. Connor, at the advanced age of 95 years, 11 months and 28 days.

Her maiden name was Margaret Hillis and she was born in the County of Monaghan, Ireland, on the first of April, 1826. When quite a young girl she came to Canada with her parents, who remained in Hamilton a year or two before settling in Bentinck, a mile north of Livingston's Corners.

She was married about 70 years ago to the late David Connor, and for several years resided near Aberdeen, on the farm now occupied by Mr. George Miller. About 50 years ago they moved to Glenelg, where Mr. Connor died about 20 years ago, the deceased remaining with her sons on the homestead till last October, when she came to end her days with her son, W. D. Connor, in town.

The marriage resulted in a family of seven, four sons and three daughters, all of whom are living with the exception of one son, who died a couple of years ago. The surviving members of the family are: Mrs. W. H. Edwards, in Saskatchewan; Mrs. Joseph Payne, in Pickford, Michigan; Mrs. William Runnings, at Dornoch; William D., in town, and James and John on the homestead.

The remains are being laid to rest this afternoon in Durham cemetery.

THE LATE MRS. McMILLAN

Two weeks ago we reported the death of Mrs. John McMillan at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Macfarlane. We clip the following dispatch from Antigonish, which appeared in the Halifax Evening Echo of March 15:

"A wide circle of friends will regret to learn of the passing away of Mrs. John McMillan, formerly of Antigonish, whose death on the 13th inst. occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Macfarlane of Durham, Ontario. Born in Dunferline, Scotland, the deceased, whose maiden name was Margaret Gibson Bauld, after spending a portion of her days in the city of Edinburgh and the Isle of Man, came in the early sixties to Halifax, N.S., where she resided for some time with her uncle, the late John Gibson, and in 1870 was united in marriage to John McMillan, late of Antigonish, in which town she made her home for the next 37 years. A lady of culture and refinement, with many endearing qualities of mind and heart, a bright and interesting conversationalist, she adorned the circle in which she moved and made a host of friends wherever she was known, a few of whom still survive to cherish the memory of former days, of hours happily spent in the long ago under her hospitable roof in the old home at "Riverbank," Antigonish."

FORMER DURHAM RESIDENT DIED IN DAKOTA

Mr. William Derby, son of the late Thomas Derby, well-known in town and vicinity who died about fourteen years ago, died at his farm home south of Jamestown, North Dakota, on Wednesday, March 1. He was 63 years of age and for 41 years had been a resident of Stutsman County, where he went from Ontario in 1881. He was married in 1892 and his wife died in 1910. Of his family there are six surviving members, all residents of Stutsman County. Two brothers, Thomas and Robert, live in Dakota, and he leaves three sisters in Canada: Mrs. James Kerr of Egremont, near Holstein; Mrs. James Munn, Mrs. Moore, and two brothers, also in Canada. The funeral was held under the auspices of the A.O.U.W. on Friday, March 3, when the remains were laid to rest in Highland Home cemetery. Rev. Strutz, who conducted the funeral obsequies, characterized the deceased as a Christian man, a good fellow-citizen, a kind and honest neighbor, one who loved and was devoted to his children, a hard and constant worker. He was a good and faithful Workman practised charity and lived up to the cardinal principles and fulfilled the obligations that he assumed at the altar.

FORMER RESIDENT OF DURHAM DEAD AT WINDSOR

Mrs. Lovie, whose death is reported below, was a resident here some fourteen years ago and was well and favorably known by many of the citizens. Her husband was engaged for a time with Mr. A. S. Hunter up town. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Lovie left here for Owen Sound and later went to Galt and other places before settling in Walkerville in 1914. The Border Cities Star reports her death as follows:

"Mrs. Anna Lovie, widow of the late Alexander Lovie, died this morning in the Hotel Dieu after seven weeks' illness. Deceased was born in Scotland 50 years ago and had resided at 58 Windermere Road, Walkerville,

coming to the Border Cities in 1914 from Aberdeen, Scotland. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Walter Middleditch, 558 Janet Avenue, from where the funeral will take place, the arrangements to be announced later. Rev. W. A. Earp will officiate. Deceased was a member of Naomi Rebekah Lodge, L.O.O.F." The clipping handed in to us contains no date.

INSANE MAN RAN AMUCK IN SARAWAK TOWNSHIP

(Owen Sound Advertiser.) An insane man who lives in the country back of Brooke created considerable excitement and stir in that section of the community one day last week. His first violent outbreak was in the morning when, laboring under some hallucination that there was some one after him, he brandished his wife from the house, brandishing a hatchet or small hand-axe and butcher knife. The wife fled to neighbors and friends. Later a group of neighbors went to the house, but when they came near they too were chased. They disappeared in every direction over the fields and soon made themselves scarce.

The next chapter deals with the arrival of the city police, as High Constable Pembroke was not in the city. Chief Foster and his men went out to bring the man in and put him where he could do no harm. As they approached the place they must have been observed, for when the police rapped on the door the man inside had it locked and immediately started to nail it. The officers made short work of bursting the door in, and then they grappled with the man. He put up a stiff fight and before he had the hatchet and knives taken from him he managed to inflict a nasty gash in P. C. Wilson's left arm below the elbow. He was taken to the city lockup and confined there for several hours before being taken to the jail. In the lockup he was given some tobacco by a constable and when he was being taken to the jail he submitted very quietly to the constable who had given him the tobacco.

He is in the county jail at the present time and is under observation by several doctors.

WOULD TAKE GOOD MUSIC TO ALL SMALL TOWNS

Ed Howe, 'The Sage of Potato Hill,' novelist, former editor of the Atchison (Kansas) Globe and now doubly famous author of "Ed Howe's Monthly," a Journal devoted to Indignation and Information, has added his name to that of the very large number who have written in to advise a wealthy man how to spend his money for the good of humanity. "For heaven's sake," says Mr. Howe, "get your man to endow a band of forty men to give free concerts over the country; under a tent, and always in the smaller towns, where good music is never heard. If a chorus of twenty voices could be added, and the program well selected, such an organization would do more good than all the preachers combined."

A WORD FROM THE WEST

Mr. John Williams of Tisdale, Sask., in a letter written March 23, has a few things to say that may be of interest to our readers, and particularly to his friends in this town and vicinity. After telling of his pleasure in reading The Chronicle every week, referring to the good health he enjoys, and wishing pleasure and prosperity to the people here, he goes on to say things of more general interest about his home town, the weather, and other matters. He says in part: "We have had a very fine winter, but a little cold in January. Our roads have been in fine condition, and the snowfalls have been only about an inch at a time. Sleighing yet is fairly good. "Our town is growing fairly well. We have a Public School that cost us \$32,000. We have a grist mill, six elevators, four churches, one drug store, two blacksmith shops, five livery stables, two banks, 5 boarding houses, two bake shops, two hardware stores, seven good general

Rob Roy Grain Prices.

We are paying 60c. to 65c. for Oats, 90c. to 95c. for Barley, 95c. to \$1.00 for Buckwheat, \$1.75 to \$2.00 for Peas, and \$1.35 to \$1.40 for Wheat at our elevator this week.—Rob Roy Mills Limited, Durham, Ont.

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We have for sale the following properties: 114 acres on the 2nd Concession of Glenelg; 60 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, about 20 acres bush, and the balance in pasture land; running water on farm. On this property is a good brick house, log barn and frame stable. It will be sold cheap for quick sale, on easy terms if desired. Rough-cast 8-room house in the Town of Durham. This property is not equipped with the modern conveniences, but is a good home for somebody. There is a good cellar, and a large, good woodshed. If you are interested in buying a farm or a house in town, consult us. The Chronicle Office, Durham.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Rebecca Irwin, who spent the past month with her brother, Ye Editor, and daughter, left Tuesday morning intending to spend two or three weeks in Toronto before returning to her home near Heathcote.

Miss Rita Irwin is spending two or three days in Toronto this week. Mr. Charles Parks, Past Grand Master of the Independent Order of Oddfellows for Ontario, was in town the fore part of the week in the interests of the Oddfellows Relief Association. He attended the meeting of the Lodge here on Monday night and his talk on Oddfellowship was an inspiration to all present.

Mr. J. H. Robertson, formerly the Secretary of the National Portland Cement Company, here, but now a successful business man in Chesley, called on friends here on his way back to Chesley from Toronto, where he purchased a new Overland car.

Mrs. E. W. Limin left today for Woodstock to visit her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) Morris. She was accompanied by her grandson, who had been here for the past month or more.

Mrs. H. H. Engel of Hanover visited her sister, Mrs. J. McKechnie, a day or so last week.

Miss Lily Ritchie is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Percy Mooney, and other friends at Pinkerton this week. Mr. and Mrs. James May left Friday afternoon for Boston, Mass., where they will spend the summer. They went by way of Sherbrooke, Que., and will also visit friends there.

Miss Lizzie Byers of Parry Sound is visiting friends in town.

MISS McPHAIL MADE SPEECH

Miss McPhail, representative for this constituency, made her first speech in the House of Commons on Monday last. The Ottawa reporter in Tuesday's Mail and Empire speaks of it as follows: "The fact that Miss Agnes McPhail, representative of South-East Grey, the first woman member of parliament, made her first speech in the House, was in itself an interesting feature of the day's proceedings, even though the speech itself was brief. Members of both sides were evidently impressed by this consideration, for they applauded vigorously when Miss McPhail rose and when she resumed her seat. Miss McPhail made her first plunge into parliamentary debate when the estimates for the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment were before the committee of supply. She commented upon the increases in salary which the committee was being asked to vote and concluded with the pithy remark, 'It almost looks as if the higher the salary the higher the increase'."

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stores and two butcher shops. The booze business, I am sorry to say, is growing at a rapid rate. Our wild animals are getting scarcer. Moose, bears and wolves are getting few and far between.

"We had a good crop last year, but the fall in prices knocked the edge off all kinds of business. During the past three years we have had a big immigration to the Carrot River Valley and there is a good prospect for an extensive influx of Americans this spring.

"With best wishes for the health and prosperity of Durham friends, I remain, Yours very respectfully."

OBITUARY

JAMES HOOPER

The Township of Egremont lost one of its oldest pioneers on Tuesday the 21st of March, when Mr. James Hooper passed away at the age of 83 years, after an illness of ten days from pleurisy and pneumonia.

Mr. Hooper was born in Somersetshire, England, and 75 years ago came with his parents to Canada and settled in Glenelg. After marriage, he settled in Egremont, where he remained to the time of his death, with the exception of a short time spent in Michigan.

Sixty years ago next September he married Jane Watters, who survives, the marriage ceremony being performed in Durham by the late Rev. Alexander Stewart. The marriage resulted in an issue of five sons and three daughters: Isaac, Matthew, Abram, David and George, all in the Township of Egremont, the latter being on the homestead. The daughters who survive are Mrs. Joseph Lawrence and Mrs. W. A. Lawrence, of Egremont. A daughter, Mrs. D. McKelvie, died about twenty years ago.

Interment was made in Amos cemetery, Dromore, on the 24th inst., the service being taken by the Revs. Burnett and McCarten.

JOSEPH MOORE

We regret to learn of the death on Friday last of Mr. Joseph Moore, who passed away at his home in Egremont from pneumonia, contracted a few days previously. For some time he had been ailing from heart trouble, but recovered about Christmas and was able to be about. He subsequently took a relapse and pneumonia developed and was the immediate cause of death.

Mr. Moore was born at Palermo, in Trafalgar Township, nearly 70 years ago, and when ten years of age came to Egremont with his parents and has ever since been a resident of the township. He was twice married, first 47 years ago to Miss Mary Tucker, who died in 1893. Some years later, he married again, his second wife being Miss Mary Falconer, sister of Constable Falconer of this town. No family resulted from the second marriage, but the first marriage resulted in a family of seven, as follows: John H., who died in town last summer; Ellen, married and living at New Liskeard; Thomas and Sarah (Mrs. Daley), in Egremont; William, in Durham; Glen, in Alberta and Mary (Mrs. Walter Turnbull), of Glenelg.

Mr. Moore leaves also five brothers and one sister: Thomas, in the West; Mrs. William Lawrence, in town; John, in Holstein; George, in Durham, and William and Robert on the old homestead. He was a Methodist and also a member of the Orange society, under whose auspices the remains were laid to rest on Monday afternoon at Ebenezer (Glenelg) cemetery.

SERVICE MEN PAY LAST TRIBUTE AT FUNERAL OF DEAD COMRADE

The town was shocked on Monday morning when a message was received announcing the death of Charles W. Havens at the Christie Street Military Hospital, Toronto, where he underwent an operation on Saturday to remove decayed matter and pus from a bone at the rear of one of his ears. The young man was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens, and in answer to the call for men went overseas in 1915 with the 147th Battalion. While in France he was engaged as stretcher-bearer and proved himself a brave and fearless soldier and is credited with many acts of bravery. He had been shell-shocked during his service and one of his ears gave him trouble and he ultimately became deaf on one side. It was for treatment of a decayed bone that he went to the hospital and the operation was performed on Saturday, and was apparently successful, but meningitis followed unexpectedly and death resulted on Monday morning.

The remains were brought here Monday night and in the meantime his veteran soldier comrades made arrangements for a military funeral to the Durham cemetery on Wednesday afternoon. Instead of having the service at the house as originally intended, arrangements were made to take the remains to the Baptist Church, where an appropriate sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. McEwen, who spoke very feelingly of the deceased as a brave and honorable soldier, and from an intimate personal acquaintance he knew him to be a true Christian character.

Six soldier pall-bearers accompanied the remains from the home to the church, on approaching which they passed through two lines of uniformed veterans, about fifty or sixty in all. At the close of the service, under an armed military escort in charge of Sergt. J. L. Stedman, the remains were conducted to the Durham cemetery, the hearse being followed by the uniformed veterans under command of Lieut. D. M. Saunders. At the grave the committal prayer was said by Rev. Mr. McEwen, and additional prayers by Rev. F. G. Hardy, after which the firing party discharged three volleys over the grave, followed by the solemn sounding of "The Last Post," by Bugler F. Bunce.

During the service in the church, Rev. F. G. Hardy, as Chaplain for the Great War Veterans, expressed their sympathy to the bereaved parents, the sorrowing young widow and other relatives. He also read as a lesson I. Corinthians: xv, and Rev. C. G. F. Cole offered the concluding prayer.

The church and school room were literally packed and many were unable to gain admission to the service. The furniture factory, where the deceased was a valued employe, was closed for the afternoon.

The casket was banked with flowers, including many beautiful and costly wreaths and sprays. Following is a list of tributes:

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Wheat.....	1.35 @ 1.40
Oats.....	60 @ 65
Barley.....	90 @ 95
Buckwheat.....	95 @ 1.00
Peas.....	1.75 @ 2.00
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Besides his young widow, formerly Miss Mabel Trafford, whom he married two years ago last 17th of March, the deceased leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens, and one brother, Master Seaman Havens, at home, and six sisters, Bertha (Mrs. McKnight), St. Marys; Henrietta (Mrs. George Riehl), Kitchener; Annie (Mrs. Henry Rimmer), Durham; and Misses Vina in Toronto and Merida and Florence at home.

GARD OF THANKS

Mrs. C. W. Havens, also Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Havens and family wish to thank the many friends and relatives for kindness and sympathy shown to them during the last illness and death of their beloved husband and son.

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