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GET AFTER BUSINESS

JUDICIOUS ADVERTISING
Owen Sound is reaching out after business and will get it if she goes after it. It seems only right that it should be so, but what about the places that lie back and rest while the trade is being taken from them? They, too, have got to get out after business or give up the job as the only alternative.

We are not living now in the first half of the last century, when every town, village or hamlet claimed the trade from a certain area and, as a rule, got it. Through the modern and improved methods of transportation, time and space have been largely annihilated and the man with his car can leave after breakfast, take run of twenty or thirty miles, do business and be home in time for an early dinner. It isn't any use finding fault with those who trade elsewhere, though in many cases they would do as well at home if they only thought so. The best way to get after business is to go for it, and the best way to go for it is through judicious advertising. Make the prices right, the ads. attractive, and the business will come.

MUST NOT BONUS INDUSTRIES

In perusing the Municipal Amendment Act of 1922 a few days ago, a citizen made a rather startling discovery. In fact, he was so surprised at what he found that he wrote to the Ontario Government authorities to learn if there had not been some mistake made. He was assured in reply that no mistake had been made. The surprise has to do with Clause A, Section 395 of the Municipal Amendment Act which provides for granting of money as gifts or loans to industries by municipalities. Under the Municipal Amendment Act of 1922, this clause has been repealed. The Act was passed on May 18 and received royal assent of the Lieutenant-Governor on the following day. It is now law and is no longer legal.

The repeal of such an important clause will seriously affect several towns and cities of Ontario which had adopted the policy of bonusing new industries.

A STEP TOWARD UNION

Listowel Standard.)

Rather unique in local church history was the exchange of pulpits on Sunday morning between Rev. W.H. Dunbar, rector of Christ Church with Rev. Dr. Hazen, pastor of the Methodist Church.

The event was one that would have been impossible but for the broader spirit which prevails to-day as compared with that of but a few years ago, and from comment heard, appears to have met with the approval of the congregations.

Dr. Hazen, it is said, would make a good Anglican, while Rev. Mr. Dunbar is one of the evangelistic type and quite qualified for the Methodist pulpit. Both did good work on Sunday, despite it being their first experience.

Dr. Hazen was probably confronted with the more difficult task, but managed to get through the somewhat intricate form of service without a break or hitch of any kind. His usual clerical coat was discarded for the cassock and surplice and he preached his sermon from the regular pulpit.

The invitation was extended to Dr. Hazen because of his intended removal at a near date, and being for long years a strong supporter of Union, he had much pleasure in accepting. The beautiful service of the Anglican Church greatly impressed him.

COUNTY OF GREY LOSES APPEAL

It will be remembered that when the Supreme Court of Justice was sitting in Owen Sound in March before Justice Logie it handed down a decision in the case of the County of Grey vs Dufferin Construction Company that was favorable to the latter. The County immediately appealed the case and the judgment was given out the other day. This time the County lost again, the decision favoring the Construction Company, says the Owen Sound Advertiser.

The suit arose over the cutting of the second rock hill on the Meaford Road. The company claimed that they had done more work than their contract called for, and they were suing for this.

He—But I asked you, dearest, to keep our engagement a secret for the present.

She—I couldn't help it. That hateful Ella Sharpe said the reason I wasn't married was because no fool had proposed to me, so I told her you had.

20 YEARS AGO

From The Chronicle File of July 13, 1902.

There will be no Chronicle next week. This is the first week we have been off since starting in January, 1897.

The trustees of Hutton Hill have re-engaged the services of Mr. John A. Graham for 1903. Mr. Graham's mind is easy while off on a holiday trip to British Columbia, where he goes to see his brother.

Some are taking an interest in the controversy between "Reader" and "A. B." Personally, we are not in favor of religious controversy in a secular paper.

The sidewalks are so filthy with tobacco juice in some places that the citizens are becoming indignant.

A movement is on foot to purchase a monument for the Gregson brothers, whose drowning here a week ago Sunday we reported in last week's issue. We learn the purchase has been made from Corbett & Robinson of Mount Forest through their agent, Mr. Noble, at a cost of \$65, and it will be in position by the 28th inst. The relatives of the unfortunate deceased young twins, for twins they were, according to a letter from one of the sisters, will have the satisfaction of knowing their loved ones were cared for, even though they died among strangers.

We hope the trip taken by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown to Manitoba will have a beneficial effect on the health of both.

Mr. M. J. Bolger, of the Crown Hotel, Dundalk, has our thanks for remittance in full to October 1, with a request to discontinue the paper as he is leaving there this week. How different from some, who would skin out and leave us.

On Tuesday Mrs. McArthur received a telegram from Seattle, Wash., announcing the death of her brother, Captain James Whitmore.

Mr. R. J. S. Dewar, teller in the Standard Bank, is holidaying in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cottrell and little son, of Yale, B.C., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Meredith, and family.

Masters Walter and Willie Willison, sons of Editor Willison of The Globe, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. T. A. Harris.

Principal Allan and Mr. J. E. Burrows, teacher in Paisley Public School, left here Tuesday on a trip to Manitoba and the North-West.

Our Glascott cor. expresses belief in a cement mill being built at Irish Lake.

Work on the new school house at Orchard is to be started this week. McDonald Bros. of Durham have the contract for the brick and stone-work.

Mr. Thomas Turnbull, butcher for the beef-ring, was on the sick list last week. He is under Dr. Hutton's care.

Born.—In Durham, on Thursday, July 3, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Black, a son. Died same day.

Married.—At Portage La Prairie, Man., on Monday, June 23, 1902, by Rev. Mr. Garriock of Kawenda, Mr. Anderson to Miss Harriet E. Whitmore, formerly of Durham.

Married.—At Christ Church, Toronto, on July 3, by Rev. T. W. Peterson, Harcourt Thomas Atkins Meredith (Harry), son of the late Thomas Meredith of Durham, to Ida Cecelia Roode, both of Toronto.

TRIPLETS AT SHELBURNE

Shelburne Free Press.)

H. L. Lee, manager of the Shelburne branch of the Union Bank, came down town at an unusual hour on Sunday morning, his face aglow with "the smile that won't come off." He was inquiring for the census-taker, stating that the population of our village had been increased by three and he desired to have it shown immediately upon the census return. Triplets, two sons and a daughter, were born early that morning. To our knowledge, this is the first case on record of triplets having been born here. Sad to relate, one of the sons was still-born, but the two other infants and the mother are doing nicely. In the opinion of the attending physician, Dr. W. J. McLean, the father will, with proper care, recover speedily from his daughter and sun-stroke.

FORMER GLENELG TEACHER WILL GO TO BRAMPTON

(Orangeville Sun.)

It came as a surprise when Capt. Alex. Firth, principal of the Orangeville public school for the past 12 years, tendered his resignation to the public school board some days ago.

Capt. Firth has been appointed principal of the Brampton public schools at a higher salary than he received here and he will enter on his new duties after the holidays. The removal of Principal Firth from town is very much regretted. He took a deep interest in all movements for the welfare of the boys and was particularly active in making the public school cadets the well-drilled organization it is to-day. As principal and teacher, Capt. Firth was very efficient and under his supervision the school made steady progress. While we regret the removal of Capt. and Mrs. Firth from town we wish them every success in their new sphere of influence.

[Capt. Firth is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. Firth of Durham, and a brother of Miss K. A. Firth, still a resident of this town.—Editor Chronicle.]

NORMANBY COUNCIL

Council met in the Township Hall, Ayton, June 27, at 10 a.m., the Reeve in the chair and all the other members present except Councillor Filsinger, who took his seat at noon.

Ovens—Barber—That the minutes of the last regular meeting as read be adopted.—Carried.

Miller—Barber—That the following accounts be paid: H. Allenson, 294 yds. gravel, \$29.40; H. Allenson, cleaning out gravel pit and shovelling, \$9.00; A. Keller, to pay parties repairing hill at Orchard, \$209.69; Felix Curran, to pay parties to repair road, including \$6.00 for gravel, \$16.80; J. Petch, to pay parties to repair road, lots 10 and 11, con. 5, \$94.00; H. Liesemer, to pay parties to repair road, \$15.00; J. K. Fischer, 116 yards gravel, \$11.60; J. Whiteford, to pay parties to repair town line B. & N., half charge to Bentinck, \$58.00; J. J. Aitken, 60 yards gravel for town line B. & N., half charge to Bentinck, \$6.00; Commissioners, looking after Township business—Reeve \$5.00; Filsinger \$7.50, Miller \$2.50, Ovens \$32.50, Barber \$20.00, total \$67.50; J. Whiteford, to pay parties repairing road, 15 and 16, con. 18, \$108.20; A. Kraft, 135 yards gravel, \$13.50; O. N. Maes, 193 yards gravel, \$19.50; O. N. Maes, to pay parties repairing road lot 37, con. 3, \$54.00; H. B. Becker, to pay parties repairing road lot 25, con. 13, \$15.00; P. Horrigan, information which caused a dog to be shot for killing sheep, as per resolution of Council, \$10.00; J. Morris, repairing road lots 6 and 7, con. 3, \$2.50; Commissioner Ovens, to pay parties repairing road, including \$7.20 for gravel, con. 2, \$102.70; G. Gerhardt, repairing streets of Ayton, including \$9.50 for gravel, \$66.70; W. Moore, 140 yards gravel, \$14.00; P. Kraft, 110 yards gravel, \$11.00; A. Hopf, running road grader, 2 1/2 days, town line Minto and Normanby, \$6.25; Dr. Easton, expenses to Toronto convention, \$12.50; J. Fischer, to pay parties repairing road lots 20 and 21, con. 7, \$36.00; J. Smith, 97 yards gravel, \$9.70; J. Schnell, repairing road grader, etc., \$7.50; G. Dickert, 40 rods wire fence, \$40.00; Meeting Board of Health, May 29, \$8.70.

The Council adjourned to meet in the Township Hall, Ayton, Monday, August 14, at 10 a.m. to strike the rates and for general business. All Secretary-Treasurers of School Sections must send in their requisitions on or before that date, otherwise the Clerk will strike the same rate as last year for each section.

—R. H. Fortune, Clerk.

Mr. Meighen's Solid Worth.

(Toronto Star.)

The London Advertiser advises Mr. Meighen to "thaw out his face and become a little more human; get closer to his own followers in the House." The glad-hander does, of course, achieve a certain popularity, but Mr. Meighen is acknowledged even by his political opponents to have a certain solid worth which is more important to the country than hand-shaking.

SWINTON PARK NURSE HURT IN MOTOR ACCIDENT IN E. C.

Two graduate nurses of the Toronto General Hospital, Miss Ethel Campbell and Miss E. Burton, were seriously injured in a motor accident near New Westminster, B. C., on the morning of July 3, after successfully completing an auto trip from Toronto with a party of five girls including Miss Alice MacDougall of New Westminster, B.C., who drove the car, and two Toronto girls, Miss Mabel Pugh, and Miss Doris Hooper. The party left Toronto on the 24th of May and motored by way of Chicago, Minneapolis and Yellowstone Park, arriving in Vancouver a few days previous to the accident. The auto, driven by Miss MacDougall, was run into by another auto, resulting in serious injury to two members of the party.

Miss Ethel Campbell, who is a resident of Swinton Park, was very badly injured. Miss Burton lives at Oakville. The other three, Miss MacDougall, a native of Westminster and Miss Pugh and Miss Hooper,

were graduates at this year's class at McMaster University.

PALMERSTON'S TAX RATE HIGH

(Palmerston Spectator.)

Palmerston's tax rate this year will be 54 mills on the dollar. Although this appears higher than last year it is actually a reduction, as the County Rate was increased 3 mills. Recent heavy lawsuits on the part of the county and extra expense on county highways are responsible for the county increase, but this is something over which the Town Council has no control. The town rate this year is only 40 mills, the school rate 14, library 2 mills, debentures 18 mills and the county 10 mills. It must be remembered that the county gets \$3,000 more than last year, receiving four mills over the town's assessment, whereas last year they received five.

Life will never be comfortable for the pedestrian until he invents some kind of disguise that will make him resemble the tack.—St. Joseph News Press.

Progressive Florida.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

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- DON'T neglect to drown out your camp fire thoroughly with lots of water. Stir up the ashes and throw on more water.
- DON'T build your camp fire against a rotten log or stump—nor on high exposed windy points; nor near moss patches; nor at the base of a tree.
- Build it in a former fire place, if any at hand, or on a flat rock, or on a spot cleared down to the true soil below, preferably by the edge of the water.
- DON'T forget that the upper layer of ground in the forest consists of partially rotted wood which holds fire and slowly burns. The only real soil which will not burn is beneath.

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Parliament Buildings, Toronto

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