

MASONIC DEDICATION WAS HELD TUESDAY

New Home of Durham Lodge No. 306, Scene of Interesting Ceremony on Tuesday Evening. Twenty-five Past Masters Took Part in Ceremony Conducted by D. D. G. M. of Grey District, No. 25.

Tuesday evening of this week, a most interesting ceremony to local Masonry took place in the new lodge rooms here when, under the direction of Rt. Wor. Bro. W. G. Blackwell, D. D. G. M., assisted by twenty-five Past Masters, they were officially dedicated to the use of the Lodge here. The same evening, Rt. Wor. Bro. Blackwell paid his official visit as the D. D. G. M. of the District.

After the service of dedication had been gone through, all repaired to the banquet hall, where a sumptuous repast was partaken of. The banquet over, the toast list was placed in the hands of W. Bro. E. D. McClocklin, who acted as toastmaster. The following toasts were proposed: The King and the Craft, proposed by W. Bro. E. D. McClocklin. This was responded to by the singing of "God Save the King."

The D. D. G. M. and Grand Lodge, was proposed by V. Wor. Bro. E. A. Hay, of Durham Lodge, and responded to by Rt. Wor. Bro. Blackwell, D.D.G.M., of Dundalk Lodge, and by Rt. Wor. Bro. Rutherford of North Star Lodge, Owen Sound.

The Visiting Brethren, was proposed by Bro. Rev. W. H. Smith of Durham Lodge and responded to by W. Bro. C. J. Boss of Saugueun Lodge, Walkerton, W. Bro. F. A. Glebe of Hanover Lodge, and W. Bro. Peter Muir of Prince Arthur Lodge, Flesserton.

The Old Lodge Room, was proposed by W. Bro. J. A. Graham, and responded to by W. Bro. J. R. Gun of Hamilton.

The New Lodge Room, was proposed by Bro. Rev. J. H. Whealen of Durham Lodge, and responded to by W. Bro. D. C. Town, also of Durham Lodge.

Following this was the unveiling of a photo of Bro. James Burt, one of the oldest members of the craft in the district and a valued and esteemed member of Durham Lodge since 1875.

The toast, "To Brother Burt," was given by the Toastmaster, W. Bro. E. D. McClocklin, and very heartily responded to by Mr. Burt himself.

The Junior Wards, was proposed by the singing of Auld Lang Syne brought the meeting to a close. At this juncture The Chronicle feels it will not be amiss to refer to the flourishing condition of Masonry here and to congratulate the local lodge in their evidence of prosperity in having this summer purchased what is without doubt one of the very best buildings in the town to be used as their lodge room. The well-known McIntyre block, is a home of which they may well be proud, and we join the citizens of the town in wishing them success and prosperity.

During the past couple of months there has been a lot of work done on the building, especially in the interior decorations, and when finished, will be one of the best lodge rooms in the district.

The following visitors were among those present from out of town: Rt. Wor. Bro. W. G. Blackwell, D. D. G. M., Grey District, Dundalk. W. Bro. L. C. Champ. William Thompson, Bro. G. Spence, M. C. Dowell, H. A. McCawley, Dundalk.

V. Wor. Bro. C. J. Bellamy, W. Bro. Peter Muir, G. Mitchell, J. Sinclair, G. A. Watson, G. Bro. J. S. McMillan, B. J. Sim, G. E. Banks, A. Brown, W. R. Meads, Alfred Hanley, of Prince Arthur Lodge, Flesserton. Bro. E. E. Broughton, J. G. Heyd, A. J. Corbett, E. E. Penwarden, R. O. Kilgour, T. H. Smith, of St. Alban's Lodge, Mount Forest.

W. Bro. F. A. Glebe, H. H. Doubt, J. A. Macez, W. J. Cross, Bro. T. L. Lombard, J. T. Roe, A. E. Ball, F. I. Rogers, W. E. Brugnauer, B. M. A. Sutherland, of Brugema Lodge, Hanover.

Rt. Wor. Bro. D. Rutherford, Bro. E. T. Macdonald, A. McGillivray, M. S. Sinclair, S. H. Breese, of North Star Lodge, Owen Sound. Bro. J. W. Hodson, H. R. Moffat, J. C. Tenant, W. J. Hodson, J. Telford, of St. George's Lodge, Owen Sound.

Bro. W. R. Alder, of Dundurn Lodge, Hamilton, and Bro. W. A. Anderson, of Kary Lodge, Barrie. W. Bro. C. T. Boss, Bro. C. Lamont, E. Singer, A. E. Heughan, of Saugueun Lodge, Walkerton.

FORMER MEAFORD BUTCHER BUYS PRICEVILLE BUSINESS.

George Tryon Disposed of His Business Last Week to Audrey Londry.

Mr. Audrey Londry has purchased a butcher business at Priceville and will take possession next Tuesday. It is the only butcher shop in the village and has been established for a number of years. It is Mr. Londry's intention to cater to the country as well as to that of the village. As he is a man of practical experience in the butcher business he no doubt will make it a success.

HAD COLLAR BONE BROKEN

While playing at the High school yesterday morning, Harold McFadden, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. McFadden, had his collar-bone broken. He was taken to the office of Dr. Jamieson, where the injury was attended to.



DURHAM BAPTIST CHURCH, where Rev. James Taylor was ordained last Tuesday afternoon, and of which he is now pastor.

O. S. BOOTLEGGER IS OUT ON BAIL

Harry Angel of Owen Sound Charged With Illegally Selling Liquor. Out On \$500 Bail—Case Adjournd to Monday of Next Week.

On information laid by Inspector Beckett, Harry Angel, of Owen Sound was tried here Monday afternoon before Magistrate Laidlaw charged with selling liquor unlawfully in the Township of Glenelg between the 14th of February and the 14th of May of this year.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charge and was the only one to give evidence at the hearing. It was alleged to have been a case of bootlegging, but as others are implicated and other arrests are to follow, full publicity was not given at the court. Names of persons who are supposed to be a bootlegging organization in the County of Bruce were communicated only to the Magistrate and to facilitate further arrests it was the wish of the authorities that definite information regarding names and locations be withheld for the present.

Barrister Cameron of Owen Sound examined the accused and brought out important information that will be used in another trial growing out of similar irregularities for which arrests had been made previous to the hearing of evidence here on Monday.

Angel said he resided in Owen Sound for a number of years and resides there still. On Monday morning, May 12, between eight and nine o'clock, he got six bottles of whiskey from a man in Bruce County (name given previously to the magistrate, as well as other names not publicly announced).

On inquiry as to why he gave the full amount, \$22.00 to the man from whom he got the liquor, Angel said he gave it all because he owed him some money.

An arrangement had been made between the seller and Angel that he was to keep all sums in excess of \$3.00 a bottle. The profit on this transaction was the difference between \$3.00 and \$22.00, or only four dollars; he further swore he did not other selling of whiskey under the arrangements.

Angel did not know whether or not Mr. Wilson, at whose home on Lambton street a certain quantity of the liquor had been found, knew the Bruce man from whom the whiskey came. He did not think the whiskey but he was under the impression that he knew.

Magistrate Laidlaw said the man in question was the only one he got whiskey from during the period covered and that he had no positive knowledge of anything he had omitted telling.

At the request of Mr. Cameron an adjournment was granted up to Monday, June 2, bail being accepted for \$500.00.

SUFFERED BROKEN NOSE WHEN PLAYING BALL

Unfortunate Accident on School Grounds Monday Evening.

Clarence Noble, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Noble, met with a painful accident on Monday evening when playing ball at the High school grounds. It was getting dusk and, when playing catch, the ball slipped in between his hands in the darkness, breaking his nose quite badly so that it was flattened out on his face. It is only a short time ago that the young lad had an operation performed and it is possible that his nose was not quite recovered, as we are informed that the ball, instead of being thrown, as is usual with boys playing catch, it was being merely "tossed" from one to the other.

Anyway, Clarence received a badly smashed nasal organ which was later attended to by Dr. D. B. Jamieson.

DURHAM WON BOTH GAMES WITH MARKDALE HIGH SCHOOL

Durham High school boys and girls won both games against the Markdale High school here last Thursday, redeeming a double defeat suffered at Markdale a few days previously.

Oddly enough, when a second story worker is arrested they never ask him which party he belongs to.

HON. DUNCAN MARSHAL IN DURHAM JUNE 6

Will Deliver His Noted Address on Scotland in Town Hall—Total Receipts Go to Local Red Cross Memorial Hospital.

Last week we announced that the Hon. Duncan Marshall would be in Durham on the 3rd of June and deliver an address on "Scotland." On returning to Toronto, however, Mr. Marshall found other duties awaiting him, and, instead of coming on the 3rd inst., as originally intended, he has changed the date to the 6th inst., when he will be here without fail.

Mr. Marshall is an old Bruce County boy, having been born in the vicinity of Chesley, and from his birth, commencing with his first loud wail for something to eat, the embryo politician has been steadily developing voice culture, and, at an early age showed a more than ordinary aptitude for platform work. This, coupled with the fact that he has the ability to hold his hearers, should mean a full hall for the address on Friday evening of next week.

Another feature that the residents should not forget is that Mr. Marshall is not coming for hire. His services are free, even his transportation being thrown in, and the receipts on the night in question, to be devoted wholly to the Red Cross Memorial Hospital, will be just as large as the people of Durham and surrounding country see fit to make them.

Mr. Marshall's lecture on Scotland is in reality not a lecture at all. It is merely a story of the land's eaks and heather as seen by Mr. Marshall himself during a recent visit. There is no propaganda to the address—just a story of a pleasant trip through Scotland told as only Duncan Marshall can tell it. The town of Durham, and surrounding country try has long prided itself on its Scotch ancestry. An opportunity is now before all to learn more of the land of their ancestors, and to those who boast no Scottish blood in their veins, the opportunity is here to learn something about the northern portion of that "tight little isle" that you never knew before. Incidentally, it will also be a nice way of making your donation of the same time listen to a humorous and informative lecture.

Commenting upon Mr. Marshall's address on "Scotland" delivered in Chesley recently, The Enterprise of that town says: "Hon. Duncan Marshall has a wonderfully retentive memory, a splendid command of the English language, is a keen observer and has such a wide acquaintance with public men that his address was a rare treat. Lectures are usually dry, but Duncan made his fairly scintillate with humorous stories illustrative of Scotch character, and there wasn't a dull moment for the whole hour and a quarter in which he graphically unfolded scenes and descriptions of men and conditions in the land of the heather."

WILLIAMSFORD GIRL GRADUATED AT GUELPH

Was One of Class of Thirteen to Receive Diploma.

Thirteen nurses received their diplomas at the annual graduation exercises at St. Joseph's Hospital, at Guelph, last Thursday afternoon. The presentation of the diplomas was made by Dr. A. MacKinnon, while the school pins were presented to the graduates by Mayor William Stephens of Guelph. Brief addresses were delivered by Hon. Lincoln Goldie, Provincial Secretary, and Rev. F. Wafer Doyle, S. J. In the graduating class from this vicinity were: Selena A. Moore, of Williamsford; Basilla Corrigan, of Chesport; Winnifred O'Reilly, Eden Grove; Appolonia Webber, Mildmay, and Edna Ernst, Chesport.

THE DUTY OF DRURY

"Timothy Hay," who philosophizes weekly in The Wingham Advance-Times, sums up his views on the recent investigation at Toronto in this way: "The Globe is hintin' that mobby theeer was somethin' just not right wid fins before the U.F.O.'s got into power, but in the firsht place I don't believe it, an' in the second place I wudden't believe it if theeer was. Anyway, it was the dooty av the Drury lads to find it out."

COLD SPELL SEEMS ABOUT OVER

Indications Are That Period of Good Weather Is About to Succeed Cold Spell of Last Month.

There are not many people who care to pose as weather prophets, but there is a feeling in the air this Thursday morning that we are going to have a respite from the rain and cold weather of the past month and enjoy some real spring weather of the old-fashioned sort we used to get when "we were boys."

Last week-end possibly cleared the air, and from the condition of the weather over the holiday, it certainly should have done something. In Durham, a cold wind blew almost continuously and the temperature was anything but spring-like. On Sunday it was very cold, so cold, in fact, that very few cars were on the road that did not have to be. In the vicinity of Arthur, thirty miles south or here, on the provincial highway, a real old-fashioned snow-storm is reported to have raged the most of Sunday afternoon, and our Priceville correspondent also reports a general fall of the beautiful ten miles to the east of us. It is no wonder that Durham citizens hugged the fire nearly all day, and gardening was not thought of. It was even too cold to fish.

Toronto and all other points in Ontario report cold weather for the holiday, the temperature in the vicinity of the Queen City being even worse than here, with snow and sleet falling.

There is one satisfaction, however. The condition of the weather all over the North American continent is reported very backward. In the Eastern States and south as far as the Carolinas there has been much rainfall, while in the Mississippi Valley the weather has been wet and cold. The Western United States report cold, backward weather, so that this section of Ontario is not the only cold and disagreeable place this year. From Cincinnati, Ohio, comes the report of the heaviest fall of snow of the winter on March 10, when over six inches fell.

It is to be hoped that Old King Sol will come into his own for a time, though too much sunshine can sometimes be as detrimental to crops as too much rain.

CHOCOLATE THIEVES THE LATEST IN HIGHWAYMEN

Four Young Men in Auto Rob Hotel at Rocklyn—Car Number Known.

Four young men in a Ford car stopped at the Rocklyn Hotel, about ten miles from Meaford in Euphrasia Township, on Monday afternoon during the temporary absence of the proprietor. They stated that they were on their way to Kimberley to spend a few hours in trout fishing. One of the four engaged the servant girl in conversation in the kitchen while his associates remained in the bar-room. On looking out of the window the girl noticed the three men eating chocolates and in the act of getting into the car. She remarked to the man in the kitchen that some candy in the bar and he replied that he would settle for whatever they had taken. He left the kitchen without any further remarks and he next moment all four were speeding away in their automobile. When the landlord returned he discovered that a box of chocolate bars and a box of cigars were missing.

The fishing story is believed to have been a blind as the car when last seen was heading in another direction. The number of the car is known and the provincial license department has been communicated with in the hope of locating the owner.

NOW HOLDS FISH RECORD

Mr. Thomas Allan caught a trout last week that measured seventeen inches long and weighed one pound and ten ounces. The catch was made from the McKechnie dam.

This, so far as we have heard this year, is the record for 1924, and beats the one held by Mr. Oscar Hahn, who caught one a couple of weeks ago measuring fifteen inches in length.

BENTINCK RESIDENT DEAD

Mr. James Davis a well-known resident of Bentinck, died on Saturday last and interment was made on Monday.

The late Mr. Davis was in his 73rd year and for a great many years had resided on the county road at what is known as Whiteford's curve, two miles east of Hanover. He is survived by his widow, three sons and three daughters.

Read the Classified Ads. on Page 7. It will pay you.

Ordination Services Tuesday Were Very Impressive Affair

HOMER JUKES CONCERT WAS MUCH ENJOYED BY ALL

Fine Program Put On Under Auspices of Methodist Church Last Thursday Evening.

A fine musical recital was given here on Thursday night under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church. Major Jukes, a gifted baritone vocalist of Toronto, was advertised as the chief drawing card, to be assisted by local talent. The Yirrs orchestra was in attendance and entertained the meeting with a number of fine selections that were enjoyed by all present, who gave unstinted applause at the close of each number.

In addition to the regular orchestra work, Mr. Padfield, gave a well-rendered monologue to music by Miss Stella McCrae, who rendered excellent service as accompanist to all musical numbers on the program.

"Willie On the Radio," was a one-act farce in which the chief characters were Joe Rainford and George Huggill. It was innocent, amusing, and well presented, but there was nothing about it to be classed as highly edifying. We'll venture to say, however, it will be remembered when the other numbers are forgotten.

Mr. Jukes as a soloist is not a stranger to a Durham audience. He is a native of Hanover, and sang here before the war and before his subsequent training had given his present efficiency. He ranks high as a baritone soloist, and the numbers rendered were all classical. Amongst his selections were: "Bandolero," "Friend of Mine," "O Make Me Pure," "For You Alone," "Little Mother of Mine," "Vagabond."

Mr. Jukes has a pleasing personality, and a fine voice of wide compass and under complete control. Few equals and fewer superiors have appeared before a Durham audience. We regret the small attendance.

MR. C. M. BOWMAN WAS SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. (Dr.) D. B. Jamieson's Father Was in Critical Condition in Sanatorium at Battle Creek, Michigan.

Word was received here last week by Mrs. (Dr.) D. B. Jamieson, that her father, Mr. C. M. Bowman, ex-M.P.P., and one-time Liberal Whip in the Ontario Legislature, was seriously ill at Battle Creek, Mich.

At the close of the investigation the council retired to give the matter fuller consideration in the absence of the candidate. During their retirement the remaining audience continued the service in sacred song led by Mr. Allan Bell.

In about half an hour the council filed in, but the waiting audience had no doubt as to what the verdict would be. It was unanimously in favor and the candidate coupled with congratulations to the congregation in the wisdom of their selection.

It was now nearly six o'clock, and in response to a very pressing invitation, all, strangers first, repaired to the school room, where a very sumptuous luncheon was served by the ladies of the congregation. It was a busy time and haste was essential that all should be in attendance at the church at the time announced.

Very shortly after seven o'clock the church was fairly well filled and all present were engaged in a service of song.

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Mr. Allan Bell followed with a solo, after which the ordination prayer was delivered by Rev. Mr. Buckborough of Port Elgin.

During this Mr. Taylor was in a kneeling position and surrounded by ordained clergymen with hands resting on his head. The right hand of fellowship was then given by Rev. Mr. McAlpin of Warton, and by this act the candidate was admitted to the church as a fully ordained minister. The charge to the minister was then given by Rev. Mr. Harris of Hanover, who was followed by Rev. Mr. McLuckey of Paisley, who delivered an able charge to the congregation.

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TEMPERATURES FOR LAST WEEK

Thermometer readings made each morning at 8 a.m., and are for the preceding 24 hours. The following are the maximum-minimum temperatures for the week:

Owen Sound Baptist Association District Well Represented When Rev. James Taylor Was Ordained and Admitted to Pastorate of Durham Baptist Church.

Interesting and impressive meetings were held in the Baptist church on Tuesday afternoon and evening, to witness the ordination of Mr. James Taylor, who has been officiating as pastor since his acceptance of a call from the congregation on the 13th of November last.

Many ministers and lay delegates were present from churches in the Owen Sound district, and these were seated in the middle of the church, filling a complete section, and were constituted into a Council to examine into the fitness of the candidate, who was now seeking admission into the church as an ordained minister of the gospel.

When all was in readiness the candidate was introduced to the audience by Mr. W. H. Moffet, one of the church deacons, and proceeded after a few introductory remarks to read his statement to the Council. He first referred to his conversion at sixteen years of age. Subsequently he engaged in church work in the capacity of a lay minister, and from the measure of success he had was impressed with the feeling and belief in a divine call to enter the work of the ministry.

Next in order he referred to doctrinal statements, doctrine of the Trinity, doctrine of man, doctrine of redemption, and doctrine of the church, in each case giving a scriptural quotation for the opinions he held. His statement was clear, in well-chosen language, and presented with a sincerity and earnestness that could not fail to leave a favorable impression in the minds of the Council as well as in the minds of all others present.

At the close, Rev. Mr. Harris of Hanover, the moderator, suggested to the Council that the examination and investigation into the fitness of the candidate follow in the order of the topics presented. First, as to his conversion, he was closely questioned, and in this and all the succeeding examinations he was never at a loss to give answers that were satisfactory and approved by the council. The examination lasted for over an hour, during which the searching questions poured in continuously from all sides, and were met with answers with little hesitation.

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