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Whosoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more in love with his own opinion than with the truth.—WATSON.

Thursday, July 2, 1925.

LABOR-SAVING DEVICES

Dr. Guy E. Manning of San Francisco, editor of the Pacific Coast Journal of Homeopathy, is the latest to try and take the joy out of life, at least for the woman who is fortunate enough to possess some of the modern labor-saving devices that hydro in the home permits her to enjoy.

Dr. Manning may be right in a good many cases, but we cannot agree with him generally. True, the woman with an electric washer, vacuum cleaner and other devices might find it hard, or even impossible, to go back to the tub, the broom and the stepladder, and most certainly finds more time for the enjoyment of the pleasures of life, but we would hate to say that she is getting lazy.

We might as well advocate the return of industry to the old ways of hand labor as to say that the women folk are not entitled to some of the joys of this life when they can afford it and have the opportunity of doing so.

Personally, we would like to see every household in city, town, village and country equipped with something that would lighten the labor of the women folk, and think that in the great majority of cases, man has proved himself a most selfish creature in the employment of this kind of machinery.

What farmer would like to go back to the cradle or the reaper? What printshop would like to go back to the days of the old Washington printing press and the foot-driven Gordon? None, we venture to say, but a good many of these same people would advocate that the women folk should still pursue the same methods in washing clothes, separating cream and milking cows that were in vogue when their grandmothers were girls!

CLEAN STREETS

The best advertising a town can resort to from the standpoint of passing tourists is clean streets. Whether we will admit it or not, all of us have in our mind's eye some town we have passed through on a motoring trip whose streets were cleanly kept and whose general appearance bespoke good housekeeping.

able, but who ever heard of a new suit being shown off to advantage with a pair of dirty shoes? So it is with a town. Citizens may beautify it as they will, but if the streets are allowed to run down and develop an unkempt appearance, all this work is lost.

What say the citizens of Durham to a campaign for clean streets? How would it be if the Town Council were to purchase litter baskets and place them in handy positions throughout the town and request the business men and citizens to make use of them?

Let's go! Start a campaign of street cleanliness and make Durham the cleanest town in Ontario!

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The reason some people are so anxious to "take it to the Lord in prayer" is probably because they are too lazy to get out and hustle a little for themselves.

And now some women are objecting to the word "obey" in the present marriage service. What's the difference? There's not many of them that do it, anyway.

The Nation's Breath used to be described in the advertisements as halitosis. Now they're trying to blame it on Ferguson's beer.

One of our exchanges suggests that Canada's new flag contain a cross of stars in the fly, or this failing, the north star above and the nine stars for the provinces in a crescent below.

LADY BOWLERS HELD FIRST TOURNAMENT MONDAY

Eight Rinks Took Part in Exciting Contest Monday Afternoon.

The first ladies' bowling tournament of the 1925 season took place on the local green Monday afternoon when eight rinks battled for the prizes put up for the event.

FUNERAL OF REA H. CRAIG WAS HELD MONDAY

The body of Rea H. Craig, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Logan Craig of Grand Valley, whose death by drowning was reported last week, was washed up on the shore a mile west of Port Hope, where it was recovered Saturday last, and the funeral took place from the parental residence on Monday.

How to Answer an Anonymous Letter

A well-known author on leaving his house one morning forgot a letter that he had intended to mail. During the afternoon, something recalled it to his mind, and as it was of considerable importance, he hurried home.

SCHOOL HONOR ROLLS FOR PAST MONTH

- U.S.S. No. 10, Glenelg and Egremont. J. IV. to Sr. IV.—Archie McPhail, Katie McKinnon, Allie Eckhardt. Sr. III. to Jr. III.—Anna McEachern, H. Alice Proudly, H. Florence McPhail, Mae McEachern (ab.) Martha Eckhardt R.

S. S. No. 14, Normandy. J. III. to Sr. III.—Harry Park recommended. II. to Jr. III.—Walter Parke, Kelly Lewis.

S. S. No. 2, Egremont. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Vera Robins H, Evelyn Robins F, Mary Campbell F, Jr. III. to Sr. III.—Eileen Aberdein, Joe Campbell.

S. S. No. 1, Glenelg. Sr. III. to Sr. IV.—Louise Jacques, Orval Hopkins, Roy Hargrave. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Grace Hopkins, May Collinson, Bertha McNally.

S. S. No. 1, Egremont & Normandy (Honors 675, Pass 540). Jr. IV. to Sr. IV.—Irene Grashy 675.

S. S. No. 1, Glenelg. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Annie McArthur, Beth McGillivray, Douglas McArthur, Amelia Legate.

S. S. No. 12, Egremont. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Florence Patterson H, Ethel Lawrence, Wallace Adams, Martha Lawrence, Lolita Daley.

S. S. No. 3, Bentinck. Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Gordon Coutts H, Archie Turnbull H, John Coutts H, Wilbur Mighton, Borden Brown, Milton Bartman.

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Hired Help. Salesman: "Here's a stylish cane if you don't object to its being a bit heavy."

Customer: "Not at all. If it proves too heavy for me, I can have my man carry it for me."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Albert Noble, who has been confined to the Durham Hospital for the past month with a serious attack of pneumonia, returned home Sunday.

Capt. J. F. Wright was home from Owen Sound over Sunday. Mrs. Knight and son, Don, left this week for Clintonville, Wisconsin, where they will visit for a time with her sister, Mrs. Tilleson.

Miss Margaret MacKenzie of the Toronto teaching staff is spending part of her vacation here with her sister, Mrs. Dan. McDonald and family.

Miss Marjorie Middlebro of Owen Sound is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. S. Kearney, and brother, Mr. C. G. Middlebro, for a few days.

Mr. George Campbell of Middleville, Mich., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John McKechnie, for a few days.

Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Richenbach, both of North Bay, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hepburn and family.

Mrs. E. Burnett of Hanover and formerly Inez Redford, were in town last week visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. J. S. McIlraith went to Cromarty on Friday and on Saturday attended a reunion of the Hamilton family. She will return this week.

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Mrs. J. B. Adams of Detroit, Mich., visited last week with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McFarlane in town, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFarlane in Glenelg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lauchlan of Ottawa are spending two or three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Laidlaw, here.

Mr. Ernest McGirr, left yesterday for New York City, where he will take a graduate course at Columbia University in connection with the attainment of his M.A. degree.

Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Foster of Toronto were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Gagnon. Mr. Foster took the services at the United church at Priceville on Sunday.

Mrs. Alex. Forsyth of Welland is spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. George Gagnon. Miss Helen Forsyth of Welland is also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gagnon.

Miss Margaret Epworth of Harrison is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. S. Hastie, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pust have returned from their honeymoon and are now occupying their residence on South Street.

Mr. Colin McGill and Miss Mary, Mrs. Ralph Joseph and Mr. B. Brodie, all of Toronto, and Mrs. William Hay and Mr. B. Small of Droomore were visitors the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacNicol of Toronto are the guests of the Misses Calder on Bruce Street.

PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S. HELD MEETING THURSDAY

Met at Home of Mrs. John Morrison and Received Report of Recent Convention at Toronto.

The June meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. John Morrison on the 18th ult., and a good attendance was present.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. A. Derby and Mrs. J. H. McFadyen took the Bible reading. The report of the Presbyterian Congress and W. M. S. convention at Toronto was given by the President, Mrs. A. Derby, which was very interesting and showed the great enthusiasm and fellowship which existed among the people.

The meeting closed with all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Our Prices on Flour and Feeds

- Pilot Flour, per bag, \$ 5.25
Maple Leaf Flour, per bag 5.25
Pastry Flour, 24-lb. bag 4.20
Standard Screenings, ton 28.00
Oat Chop, ton 35.00
Heavy Mixed Chop, ton 35.00
60% Tankage, per bag... 3.25
Feed Flour, per bag... 2.25
Mixed Grain for Poultry, per bag... 2.25

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Live Hogs 812.50
Wheat 1.35 @ 1.40
Oats .40 @ .45
Barley .65 @ .70
Buckwheat .65 @ .70
Mixed Grain, per cwt., 1.40 @ 1.45
Hay 10.00 @ 12.00
Eggs, Firsts 27, Seconds .22
Butter .50
Potatoes, per bag .50
Hides .08
Sheepskins 50 @ .75

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DURHAM JUVENILES DEFEAT WALKERTON

Defeated Boys From Bruce County in Spectacular Event Friday—Return Game at Walkerton Friday.

The O. A. L. A. Juvenile championship crosses match on the agricultural grounds last Friday night between the Walkerton and Durham teams was all that it was advertised to be, and though the local boys won handily with a big score, the Walkerton boys were on top of the ball from the start to finish.

The game, paced better, and their heads to better advantage with the result that they score plays that the visitors were not able to prevent.

Walkerton, however, have a good team, were in good condition, and were right on the heels of their conquerors all through the game, and when they did get the ball, they lost their cunning when close in and failed to score as frequently as they might.

Their fielding, however, was looser than the locals, and being their first game for this year, at least, they were unable to hold the fast travelling blue and white.

With a little more practice and experience, they will yet make the Durhams extend themselves to hold their lead, and the last game of the double schedule to be played on the 9th inst. should be a good one.

The teams lined up, from goal out as follows: Walkerton (2)—Schurr, Walker, George, Truax, Beck, Mills, McGeorgor, McNabb, Lettner, Smith, Subis, Clancy, Klein and Johnson.

Durham (17)—Lavelle, McDonald, Lake, Storey, Atkinson, Noon, Ed. Widge, Spence, McLymont, Landis, Subis, McComb, Vollett, McFarlan and Becker.

BARRISTER W. D. HENRY DECEASED TUESDAY

Late Thomas H. Henry Had Been Resident of Orangeville During His Entire Lifetime.

Mr. W. D. Henry of Markdale, who has offices in town, was bereaved Tuesday afternoon by the death of his brother, Dr. Thomas H. Henry, who passed away in his 58th year after an illness of one month.

Dr. Henry was a graduate of Toronto University and, with the exception of three years in Ottawa, was a resident of Orangeville all his life.

Dr. Henry was a lacrosse enthusiast and played for three years in the famous Capitals of Ottawa. He was instrumental in building Idylwyld Park at Orangeville and as president of the lacrosse club was instrumental in bringing several championships to Orangeville.

Besides being interested in sports he was also active in educational affairs, holding important positions on the High and Public school boards.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter, two sisters and five brothers and had built up an extensive medical practice in Orangeville. Interment took place yesterday in Orangeville.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT LOCAL PICNICS

Despite Many Counter Attractions Attendance This Year Was Good at Local Dominion Day Celebrations.

The Bunesman, Yeovil and Varnie U.F.O. picnics yesterday all enjoyed a good attendance so far as we can learn, good programs of sports were run off, the picnic suppers even better than usual were taken altogether, it must be said that very successful celebrations were held.

At Yeovil besides the special softball game and other sports were pulled off, and while the editor of this paper was on the ground and enjoyed the day with other celebrants, we had to leave too early to witness the sports. We did, however, enjoy the supper and the social afternoon.

At Bunesman picnic, No. 9 and Zeboys played baseball, Zion won out, while the Swinton Park side won from Priceville in softball. The supper served is reported as the best the ladies of that vicinity have ever provided, and everybody thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Saugeen Presbyterial Met at Palmerston

(Continued from page 1) every society in the Presbyterial is represented. Four or five loads went from Durham and immediate vicinity.

The Star Car THE ARISTOCRAT OF LOW-PRICED CARS THE well proportioned new stream line body, with new high type nickel-plated radiator, makes the Star "the aristocrat of low-priced cars." McCabe & McLaughlin Star Cars are equipped with the exclusive Tubular Backbone which preserves the body and keeps the frame rigid. We will show you how it works. Advertisement for The Star Car by McCabe & McLaughlin, featuring a vintage automobile.