

**Traverston.**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Never has there been more beautiful weather for garnering in the harvest than the past two weeks. The greater number in this locality had the sheaves all in by August 31. The sweet clover has still a week to ripen. Very rarely has old fields of fodder corn, and the still heading of June and July have made excellent catches of clover, especially alfalfa and the odious sweet clover.

Sorry to learn that Mrs. J. P. Falaise is laid up with pleuro-pneumonia. It is very doubtful if ever the waters of the Rocky Saugeen were so low as at the present time, from some unexplainable cause. Some are of the opinion that the low state of the Great Lakes may affect the springs which feed the Rocky.

There is general rejoicing along the concessions and particularly around Mr. William Timmin's home over the return of his better half from Durham Red Cross Hospital, where she received the finest of treatment and tender nursing.

Mrs. J. H. Robson has been unwell a good deal this summer owing to a bone being misplaced. Dr. D. B. Jamieson skilfully eased the painful limb in a plaster cast one day last week, and she is doing nicely since.

Miss R. L. Barbour of Egremont arrived on Monday, and when she threw open the door of S. S. No. 5, she found it all scrubbed white and everything spic and span.

Mr. Albert McDonald and Miss Elizabeth Hughes of South Bentinck were visitors at Mr. W. J. Greenwood's the first of the week.

Mr. John Snell of town filled Zion's pulpit on Sunday afternoon and had a splendid message. The service was further enhanced by a magnificent solo, "The Prodigal Son," sung by Mr. Herbert Lamb of Detroit who was formerly one of Glenelg's popular youths but is now a successful real estate dealer.

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**Glenmont**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Miss Sarah Tucker returned to her duties in Toronto on Monday after spending a couple of weeks at her home here, and with her sister, Susie, in Southampton.

Mr. John Weir and daughter, Miss Belle, spent last Sunday with Mr. Peter Muir and family of Artemesia.

Mrs. James Harrison spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Heard.

Mrs. James Tucker is holidaying with her son, William, and family in Toronto.

Mrs. E. Ritchie and son, John, spent last week with friends in Durham and Edge Hill. They also visited friends in Pinkerton, Bruce County, and Owen Sound.

Harvesting will soon be a thing of the past for this year, and the weather has been of the very best for the saving of the grain. However, a good rain is much needed.

Mr. Ernest McGirr and sisters, Margaret and Chrissie, of Durham, also Miss Olive Weir and Mr. A. Doelofs of Cleveland were recent visitors with relatives here.

There will be church service at Ebenezer on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and on every first and third Sunday in each month as long as conditions are favorable. On these dates the evening service will be withdrawn at St. Columba church, Pricoville, but will be held at Salem. We trust this new arrangement will meet with the approval of a large majority of the people.

**Edge Hill**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mrs. McKechnie of Brampton visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson and family for a few days.

Miss M. A. Edge was in Waldemar last week and attended the funeral of a relative, Miss Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ellison of Toronto were guests of their cousins, the Misses Edge, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergie, of Toronto, were visiting at the home of the latter's uncle, Mr. H. Williams, for a few days.

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLean. As there was no supply for the church here on Sunday, Mr. Puthurbough took the service.

**Holstein**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Main and son, William, of Waterford, spent from Friday till Tuesday visiting friends and old acquaintances in this vicinity. On Monday forenoon, William left his car standing on the nicline just north of the mill. During his absence, the car started down the hill and ran into a buggy owned by Mr. David Davis. The buggy was standing opposite R. J. Arnill's store and was considerably damaged, but no one was hurt.

Mr. William Thorne, of the Bank of Montreal, Exeter, spent part of a week recently with his parents here. He left Wednesday to visit friends in Woodstock and other points.

Mr. George Hostetter is home for a short vacation.

Quite a disappointment was felt when Colonel Hunter informed the Library Board that he could not be present on Monday evening last as he had been called to New York on business.

On account of building operations, the public school did not open this week. The Continuation school is in full swing again with a good attendance.

Mr. Bruce Peglar is spending a few days with Mr. W. T. Pinder.

Mr. Hildyard and Mr. Koch arrived in the village recently and are right into work in the Continuation school.

Rev. W. Johnston and Miss Winter are spending this week at the Toronto Exhibition.

Miss Reta Roberts has returned to her school duties in Scotland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnill motored to Guelph Sunday and met their children there on their return trip from Blackstock and Toronto.

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We are having fine weather for harvesting. Quite a few in this burg have finished.

Miss Olive Weir and friend of Cleveland are visiting at the Weir homes and Mr. John Newell's.

Miss Annie Smith spent Sunday with Miss Eliza Patterson.

Mr. Ernest McGirr, of Galt, recently spent a day at the home of his brother, Mr. John McGirr.

Mrs. McPherson, of Toronto, is spending her vacation with her sisters, Mrs. N. McCannell and Miss M. McLean.

Mrs. Joseph Atkinson, accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. Davis, to Toronto, where they spent a week, returning Wednesday.

Rev. Mr. Burnett and Mrs. Burnett and children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. Geddes.

**Rocky Saugeen**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mrs. W. Lohsinger and two children of Kitchener are visiting her mother, Mrs. Jerry Allord.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turnbull and family spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vessie and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McKechnie, Glenora.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawson spent Sunday with friends in Owen Sound.

Miss Mary Miller of town spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. James Miller.

Miss Georgina Miller is spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Peter Hepburn.

Mrs. David Watson and daughter, Helen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Watson of Welbeck. Mrs. Mary Brown and son, Alexander, spent Saturday with the McLean families.

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(Our Own Correspondent)  
Miss T. Laughlan and nephew, Mr. Stewart Ford, are visiting at the home of Mr. Walter Nichol.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Patterson spent a few days recently with Stayner friends.

Miss Mary Bell left for her school at Parry Sound on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bryans and family, of Varney, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence.

Miss Margaret McDonald, Bentinck, spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Eliza Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haslett, Bentinck, visited recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindsay.

The missionary meeting of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Geddes on Thursday, August 20, with a large attendance. The devotional exercises were conducted by the President, Mrs. Andrew Derby. The Bible reading was taken by Miss Davis, and Miss Merron McArthur took the topic on "Prayer." Singing and prayer brought this successful meeting to a close.

**Allan Park**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mr. Nelson McMahon has purchased a new Ford coupe from Smith Bros., Durham.

Mr. Herbert Schenk's little boy had his hand severely hurt one day last week. We understand that while the cream separator was in motion, he got his hand in the gear and was so badly injured that the lad has since been under the doctor's care.

Miss Marietta Park left Monday for her school at No. 9, Glenelg, where she has been for the past two years.

Miss Eva McMahon motored to her school on Monday which is at Mount Pleasant, six miles south of Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith left last Friday for Kitchener, returning on Sunday. They report a fine holiday and an enjoyable trip.

Mrs. Andrew Park, who has been under the doctor's care for the past few weeks, is understood to be improving. We are glad to hear of it.

**Aberdeen**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie and daughter and Miss Marjorie Vessie were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Ewen.

Mrs. Angus McCormick and two daughters, of Port Arthur, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McCormick.

Miss Catherine Smith of Toronto is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellison and sons, Ernest and William, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Ewen on Sunday.

Mr. Mary Lamb left Monday for her school at Erie Beach.

Miss Clara Hones, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Hugh McDonald.

Mr. James Ewen has treated himself to a sedan car.

**South Bentinck**  
(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mrs. John Milligan is visiting friends in Toronto and taking in the Exhibition this week.

Mrs. Montgomery, of Chatham, Mrs. Parker, of Galt, Mrs. Livingstone and Miss Christine Livingstone of Hamilton motored up and called on Mrs. Alfred Corbett.

Misses Helen Milligan and Mary Turnbull, teachers, left last week for their schools at Haliburton and near Port Arthur, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. James Turnbull of Ebenezer, spent the first of the week with friends on the line.

Miss Daisy Mather of Durham visited her brother, Mr. William Mather, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Corbett visited an afternoon with the former's brother, Mr. Thomas McDonald, Mulock.

The threshing company are holding a meeting at Mr. John Milligan's Wednesday evening.

**GIBSON'S LATEST ATTRACTED HELP AWAY FROM SETS**  
"Let's go over to the Gibson-Sedgwick set," was a suggestion heard daily while "40 Horse Hawkins" was being filmed at Universal City. The suggestion would be made by those employed in one of a multitude of capacities at Universal. The reason for it was that on Gibson's set, there would be a lot to laugh at.

This is the latest Universal-Gibson production to be released, and it will be shown at the Veterans' Star Theatre tomorrow and Saturday evenings. Hoot Gibson is the star, and Edward Sedgwick directed. Advance information from the studio is to the effect that the production is one of the most humorous ever screened by this director and star.

**World News Seen At A Glance**

Daily Events as Told by Cable Condensed for Busy Chronicle Readers.

A plan to connect the Thames docks with traffic junctions and depots by a network of subways to handle freight traffic and thus relieve the serious congestion in London's streets, has been announced by the authorities.

A party of British Boy Scouts numbering 750 left London Sunday on a pilgrimage to Rome. Before starting on their journey, the Scouts' colors were blessed by his eminence, Cardinal Bourne, Archbishop of Westminster.

Another ship has been lost on the dangerous reef, "Greenstones," off Ouessant, the westernmost of the islands off the coast of Brittany, France. It was the new cargo steamer, Nantaise, which was on its second voyage from Rotterdam for Brest, laden with coal.

Manufacture of liquors containing 60 per cent of alcohol and vodka of 40 per cent will be permitted in soviet Russia from October 1 under a decision reached by the Central Executive Committee. Sale of liquor is permitted throughout the federation.

Innovation after innovation follows the trend of the times in new Turkey. By order of the prefect, the picturesque night watchmen of Constantinople must shave off their flowing beards and crop their long hair. Also they must replace their vari-colored turbans and scarfs and baggy trousers with a uniform resembling that of the regular police.

Mystery surrounds the disappearance of a newly invented rapid fire gun built on the lines of the Lewis gun from which great things had been hoped for. The weapon disappeared from a railroad depot in France while in transit. The gun which is the invention of the workmen of Tulle arms factory, was being shipped to a proving ground for trials before a parliamentary commission prior to its adoption by the army.

The Italian submarine Sebastiano Veniero disappeared during last week's naval manoeuvres off Sicily and has not been heard from since.

A dozen merry-makers are believed to have been drowned off Perpignan, France, in the capsizing of the fishing smack, Marie Louise, while returning early Monday morning from a festival at Banyuls-sur-mer, a small seaport at the foot of the Pyrenees.

The fourteenth Zionist Congress was closed in Vienna Monday morning at 6 o'clock by Nahum Sokolow, chairman of the executive, after a 13-hour session, with the authorization to Dr. Chaim Weitzmann and Mr. Sokolow to form their own executive.

Three thousand persons on Sunday attended a meeting in Vienna City Hall to express a desire in favor of Austria being attached to Germany. President Loeb of the Reichstag recently came from Germany with a committee of Germans desirous of the union of the two countries.

The Roumanian Government has issued 500,000,000 lei (about \$2,650,000) in new money during the present month to tide over the difficult situation caused by practical inability to export the country's grain surplus. The government depends largely upon the export tax on grain for a large part of its revenue.

A violent explosion occurred late on Sunday night on board the small British steamer, Concret, moored in Havre, France. The vessel broke in two and caught fire and sank. The French watchman and his wife, the only persons aboard, perished. The Concret had been employed in clearing away wartime wrecks obstructing the approaches to the port.

**ONE REASON FOR BUILDING COSTS**  
"Does the average man who builds a house today know that the preventable forest fires of the last few years have added several hundred dollars to the cost of the structure?" asks Colonel Greeney, chief forester of the United States. "I think not. Neither does the woman who buys a piano or a set of furniture realize that an appreciable part of the price she pays is a tax levied by the same weight. Every board, every wooden packing box and crate, all furniture and every product made of wood is costing more today because forest fires destroyed approximately 21,000,000 acres of standing timber in 1923, and have destroyed an average of more than 7,000,000 acres a year during the last quarter century.

"During the last eight years, the country has suffered an average of 41,503 forest fires annually. These were only the reported fires, and we know that many more occurred which were not reported. Fewer than 8 per cent of these fires were caused by lightning. The rest we can safely charge up to human negligence and carelessness—and criminality, since 17 per cent were incendiary."

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**DON'T SNUB A BOY**

Don't snub a boy because of physical disability. Milton was blind and deaf. Beethoven, the musician was deaf, yet—  
"To blind old Milton's rayless orbs  
A light divine is given;  
And deaf Beethoven hears the hymns  
And harmonies of heaven."  
Don't snub a boy because he chooses a humble trade. The author of "Pilgrim's Progress" was a tinker.

Don't snub a boy because he stutters. Desmosthenes, the greatest orator of Greece, overcame a harsh and stuttering voice.

Don't snub a boy because of the ignorance of his parents. Shakespeare, the world's poet, was the son of a man who was unable to write his own name.

Don't snub a boy who seems dull and stupid. Hogarth, the celebrated painter and engineer, was slow at learning and did not develop as soon as most boys.

Don't snub a boy because he wears shabby clothes. When Edison, the great inventor, first entered Boston,

he wore a pair of yellow linen breeches in the depth of winter. Don't snub a boy because he is a poor drunkard. Kitto, who made a new departure in Bible study was such. He fell from a scaffold in his boyhood and became totally deaf. He was so "pinched with hunger, shivering in rags, crawling about with exposed and bleeding feet" that he was sent to the parish workhouse where his first book was written.

What the world needs today for the salvation of the boy is to have faith in him.

**He Was Economical**  
A Scotchman was leaving on a fortnight's business trip and called back as he left home: "Goodbye all, and, Katherine, dinna forget to make little Donald take his glasses off when he's nae looking at naething."

A Welshman and an Irishman were out riding when suddenly the Welshman said: "Now, Paddy, where would you be if the galloways had ita due?" "Riding alone!" said Paddy tersely.

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**PRESENTED PASTOR WITH PURSE OF**

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Burnett, ore, Recipients of Award Presentation From Durham Presbyterian Church.

The home of Mrs. N. S. Lamilton street was the happy gathering on Thursday last week, the opening of the monthly work tea of the Presbyterian Ladies' Association. The meeting on this occasion was more than ordinary in the congregation, and for busy afternoon and an ex-Rev. W. J. Burnett and his wife were made the guests of an address and presentation of a purse of gold and silver as a token of the esteem in which they were held by the congregation. The address was by Mr. S. D. Croft, the pastor, by Mr. John Morrison, W. J. Hepburn made the presentation of the reading lamp, of himself and wife, Mr. Hepburn, referring particularly kindly feelings that had assisted between himself and his congregation, and who leaving them to accept the state of a Presbyterian church, the welfare of the congregation would always be of interest to him.

There was a large attendance at the gathering at which an social time was spent, busy season and the fact agricultural members of the congregation were invited to vest doubtless kept many a being present.

Rev. Mr. Burnett, whose included Amos church at and Knox, in Normanby, in this vicinity for the years, where he and Mrs. have made many warm friends will regret exceedingly, are leaving. Since early addition to his work at the in Normanby, Mr. Burnett taken over the services of the Presbyterian Church at the satisfaction of the congregation with his services is best at the presentation of last evening.

At one time, it was the cure Mr. Burnett's service combined churches of the Rocky Saugeen, and in view, he was extending time ago, and much regret when the information was that it would be impossible to accept. Later Mr. he accepted a call at Dixie, but so great was the brought to bear on him by congregations at Amos churches that he did not accept a call to St. Mary's Sunday preached his sermon to his two townships, and to his Durham town last Sunday evening. Following is the address at the gathering last evening:

Durham, Ont., August To Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burnett Dear Mr. and Mrs. Burnett:

It is with a mixed sorrow and happiness here this evening. We that you are leaving us to know that your worth recognized in a large field. While our associations been of a very long standing in that short time, we to think a great deal of and while we will feel keenly, we will continue by realizing that what is another's gain, is our church of Durham, we you to accept this purse of reading lamp as a slight our esteem, not for their for the good wishes that them.

Wishing you both ever in your new field of labor. Signed on behalf of the Presbyterian church of Durham, John Morrison, S. D. Croft, Secy.

**BRUCE HIGHWAYS BEST IN FOUR CO**

So Declares Editor of Barrie Advance.

When he returned from to Kincardine trip, via Chesley, Hanover, and Editor MacLaren, of the Barrie Advance, writes as follows: "One needs not to travel the so-called 'good-roads' of the County of Simcoe to find the truth of the statement. Mr. Squire, Deputy Minister, when he said the miles in the system, the was necessarily spread really good roads could be had."

"Last week the writer over nearly 300 miles of Simcoe, Grey, Bruce and Counties, and was convinced that those travelled Bruce highways were the best of the four. In fact drove on better gravel roads being very few places might not drive as fast. The big reduction in the the Simcoe system shows the County to show many results from the money