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Thursday, October 8, 1925.

ARTHUR PIQUET MET TRAGIC END

Former Durham Resident, Whose Death in Vancouver We Reported Two Weeks Ago, Killed by Street Car and Found Two Hours Later at Side of Track.

Fuller particulars regarding the death of Arthur Piquet, a former resident of this town, who was killed in Vancouver, B. C., when run over by a street car, and whose death was reported in these columns two weeks ago, have come to hand in a letter to Mrs. Thomas Daniel from her granddaughter, Mrs. McClure, a step-daughter of the unfortunate victim.

Mr. Piquet had left his home to go to his work, which necessitated his taking an interurban car into the city. The night was very foggy, and while it is not known definitely, it is supposed that he stood too close to the track and was struck by the car when it passed. The body was found two hours later by a man who came to the same crossing to take a car.

Next morning, his step-daughter, Mrs. McClure, was going down town and at the same crossing, her little daughter noticed something which investigation proved to be a man's thumb and finger. Knowing nothing of the accident, Mrs. McClure took her children to the day nursery, telling the nurse in charge of her gruesome find. The nurse brought her the early morning paper in which was told the story of the accident, the first inkling she had that anything was wrong. She returned at once to her home, found that word had already been sent there and the man identified as her step-father.

Mr. Piquet was a Frenchman, and was born in Jersey, Channel Islands, 49 years ago. He was a veteran of the Boer War, and also enlisted in the 3rd Battalion in the Great War. He was a sergeant, and for nearly three years, was a prisoner in Germany.

The accident in which he met his death occurred on September 16, and the funeral, with military honors, on the 19th. Besides his widow and two step-children, he leaves a mother and sisters in Jersey.

CANADIAN GREYS IS.O.D.E. MET TUESDAY NIGHT

The monthly meeting of the Canadian Greys Chapter Daughters of the Empire was held in the A. Y. P. A. rooms Tuesday evening. A paper written by Mrs. J. S. Knechtel of Hanover giving a report of the recent convention at Ottawa was read by Miss Weir.

A pleasing part of the meeting was the addition of three new members to the society.

The rummage sale in Hanover tomorrow afternoon was the next thing discussed, and it was decided that the local chapter take a table at the sale and endeavor to dispose of some of the donations they will collect from local citizens, the proceeds to be applied to furthering the work of the local Chapter. The Hanover ladies had offered to pool the whole of the donations from

both towns and divide the proceeds, but the local ladies, feeling that this might be unfair to the Hanover Chapter, decided to run a table of their own.

The Chapter decided to hold their usual sale of poppies on Armistice Day, and intend putting on a masquerade ball on the 9th of November.

BAPTIST SERVICES WELL ATTENDED SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Rev. Dr. Whidden, Toronto, Preached Powerful Sermons Morning and Evening—Well-filled Church Monday Night Listened to Excellent Program.

The beautiful weather last Sunday brought great congregations out to hear the Rev. Dr. Whidden, of the McMaster University, in the local Baptist church where he was the special preacher at the anniversary services held on that day. In the morning, the auditorium of the church was comfortably filled, and in the evening, it was necessary to open the Sunday school room in order to accommodate all who were anxious to hear the distinguished preacher.

Dr. Whidden is a scholarly, forceful speaker, who knows how to grip the attention of his hearers, and on Sunday, he gave two messages which will live long in the memory of those whose privilege it was to hear him.

In the morning, the preacher based his sermon on the words of Paul: "We believe, therefore do we speak." In his opening remarks, he emphasized the need of deeper and stronger religious convictions, showing that faith was vitally related to all the great facts of life. Creed and conduct always go together. They can never be separated. What a man firmly and truly believes will reveal itself in his life in all its various and varied relations. He said that there were some people who were always boasting about their superior beliefs and doctrines but who were very inferior on the matter of life and conduct, but according to the text and the whole tenor of Scripture, superior faith should produce a superior life.

The preacher urged the congregation to make their religion speak. "We believe, therefore do we speak" not so much in words, as in actions and deeds, the only ways the church can accomplish its mission and impress itself upon the life of the world. The world must be able to see in its members the very likeness and image of Jesus Christ.

The evening sermon was a powerful appeal especially to young people to aim at the very best and not be satisfied with the merely good. Basing his message on the command to the Children of Israel not to worship at every shrine, the speaker pointed out that while it was right and proper to worship God, that worship to be acceptable must be the best.

He applied the principle first to our life work: young people going out into the world should not be satisfied with anything short of the best position, the position which would call forth the display of all their highest and best powers.

The second application of the principle was to life and conduct. We are not to content ourselves with being merely good people, for the merely good is little better than the worst. Nothing short of the very best life that we can live is acceptable to the Lord.

To the past place, the speaker applied the principle of the text to religion. We must not be satisfied with anything short of the very best religion. We are living in a world of many great religious systems which give choice counsels for our guidance, but the greatest religion of the world came with Jesus Christ whose message was, "He that hath seen me hath seen the Father." No man should be content with religion until he has seen God in the face of Jesus Christ.

Singing by the choir led by Mr. Giles did much to make the services

of Sunday attractive and enjoyable. In the morning, the choir sang two anthems, and in the evening, three. A Good Program

On Monday evening, an excellent entertainment and lecture was held in the auditorium of the church, the special speaker for the occasion being the Rev. S. J. Farmer of Owen Sound. Mr. Farmer spoke for about 40 minutes and delivered a remarkable lecture from a church standpoint in that it was serious from start to finish and at times humorous to a marked degree. Mr. Farmer's address was on "The Church That Blocks Progress" and was divided into three heads: the church that misconceives its relation to the Kingdom of God, the church that sees but dimly what is its chief and ruling purpose in the world, and the church that, not only sees dimly its ruling purpose but is only slightly stirred by the forward view.

The speaker did not think much of the argument that the church and the Kingdom are one. In his opinion, the church is but the chief agency for the establishment and enlargement of the church of God. The chief purpose of the church is to win souls for Jesus Christ, and a church which does not recognize this has lost sight of its goal. He referred to the "thermometer" and "barometer" churches and Christians in dealing with the third point in his argument, classing the former as those who were always thinking of the past, and the latter, like the barometer, which dealt to a great extent with the future. He pointed out the latter class, though the ideal church and Christian was the one who learned his lessons from the past, using this as a safeguard for the work of the future, profiting by the lessons learned but not losing sight of what was to come in the promulgation of the work.

He referred to the opportunity of the newly-formed United church and also to its great responsibility. Mr. Farmer was a sincere believer in the youth of the land from a church standpoint, and said that if children learned in their early years to attend church and Sunday school they would not likely in later life depart from this rule. Churches to be successful must heed the child, he said, for the young people have the future of the church in their hands, and the church has the making of these young people.

The musical portion of the program was also much enjoyed and was of a very high order. Excellent anthems by the choir, cornet and trombone duets by Messrs. Huggill and Buschlen, and a couple of well-rendered solos by Mrs. Mark Wilson, delighted all. The singing of Mr. Albert Pequegnat of Stratford who has appeared before Durham audiences on previous occasions was also much enjoyed. While all his solos were enjoyed, "Bells of the Sea" and "The Lighthouse Bell," the latter by request, were possibly the best numbers, showing his rich, bass voice to the best advantage.

Rev. J. Taylor, pastor of the congregation, was in the chair, and at the close, thanked all those who had in any way assisted in the program.

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MULOCK JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY GREAT SUCCESS

(Mulock Correspondent)

The members and adherents of Bentinck Baptist church enjoyed having with them for their jubilee services on Sunday and Monday, October 4 and 5, Rev. George I. Burns, former pastor, after an absence of 32 years, and Rev. C. Harris of Hanover. The weather was ideal, and large congregations greeted them at all services.

At the morning service, before his sermon, Rev. Mr. Burns made kind and sympathetic reference to the changes he observed. His topic was founded on God's revelation of himself to the world, text John 14: 8. Philip saith unto the Lord, show us the Father, and it sufficed us. God reveals himself in: first, nature, second, law, third, in Jesus the perfect revelation.

Rev. C. Harris took for his topic for the afternoon, "Pure Religion," text James 1: 27. Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world.

Rev. Burns again took the evening service, taking for his theme, "The Magnetic Power of the Uplifted Christ," text John 12: 32—and if I be lifted up from the earth will draw all men unto me. Dwell on these points: first, I, if I be lifted up will draw all men unto me; second, uplifted Christ; third, the magnetic uplifting of Christ. The speaker left a lasting impression on his hearers by his earnest and devout discourses.

The musical features were good and very appropriate. Solos were rendered by Mrs. Crickington and Miss Elsie Boyce at the morning service. At the afternoon service, Mr. Allan Bell of Durham sang a solo, and the Misses Ornetta Diebel and Naomi Weber, Hanover, sang and Miss Boyd and Mrs. Crickington sang solos at the evening service.

Monday Evening As on Sunday, the church was again packed. On platform with our worthy pastor, Rev. Mr. Crickington, were brother pastors, Rev. C. Harris of Hanover, Rev. A. J. Schultz of Chesley, Rev. Steel of Elmwood and Rev. George I. Burns, Salford, the latter being the speaker of the evening, all extending greetings and congratulating the congregation on the success of their jubilee services.

The history of the church was read by Deacon Dan McLean, and was listened to with marked attention, after which letters of greetings were read by Deacon A. C. McDonald and Deacon Dan McLean from former pastors and members extending best wishes. The balance of the program was presented by the Hanover choir. Banks of flowers very tastefully arranged, adorned the platform in the Sunday and Monday services. It was the general opinion that the church was never in its history filled by such crowds. The thankoffering amounted to \$160.

BORN Moore.—In Brantford General Hospital on Monday, October 5, to Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Moore, a son.

HYMENEAL

ATCHISON—ECCLES

A quiet wedding ceremony was solemnized at the Presbyterian manse, Holstein, at half past four on Wednesday afternoon of this week when Miss Gladys Eccles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major Eccles of Egremont, became the bride of Mr. Harold B. Atchison of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Atchison of Durham. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. Wallace Johnston, the only witnesses being Miss Grace Lindsay as bridesmaid and Mr. William Eccles, brother of the bride, who supported the groom. The bride, one of Egremont township's most popular residents, looked very pretty in her wedding gown of jade georgette with lace trimming and hat and shoes to match. She carried a bouquet of opelia roses.

Following the ceremony, the bridal party returned to the home of the bride to which a few of the closest friends of the young couple had been invited and sat down to a sumptuous wedding supper, the bride's table being graced with a handsome three-storey wedding cake. Here a most pleasant hour was spent during which several short congratulatory addresses were given.

Later in the evening, friends of the young couple assembled to the number of nearly one hundred when a most pleasant time was spent in dancing, games and other amusements.

The popularity of the bride in her community was attested by the large number of beautiful wedding gifts she received and the many expressions of goodwill showered upon the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Atchison will reside in Toronto, where the groom has a good position and where the good wishes of the community accompany them.

MARRIED

Warmington—Smith.—At Detroit, Mich., Wednesday, August 12, 1925, Emma J. Smith, of Detroit, to William Warmington, of Durham, Ont.

Miss Macphail's Meetings

Meetings in the interest of Miss Macphail, Progressive candidate in the coming Federal election, will be held as follows:

SOWERBY'S SCHOOL, HALFORD, Monday, October 12.

S.S. 3, (Union) NORMANBY AND AYTON Tuesday, October 13.

LAMLASH Wednesday, October 14.

MAXWELL Thursday, October 15.

HANOVER, Women's Meeting Friday, October 16, at 3 p.m.

FLESHERTON Friday, October 16.

PEABODY (DESBORO) Saturday, October 17.

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