

# In Other Communities

### Taken From Our Exchanges About People of Your Acquaintance

#### DUNDALK

Mrs. Brinkman Sen. residing a mile north of Dundalk was so fortunate as to get a fall on the ice on Friday while getting a pail of water at the well. She sustained a broken leg at the hip.

A very unfortunate accident befel James Peterson Sen. on Friday when he slipped on the ice at the home of his daughter Mrs. A. M. Carthew, and falling heavily, broke a bone in his thigh. He suffered great pain at first, but is now doing nicely. The unfortunate old gentleman is blind, or nearly so, and could not watch his steps.

A distressing accident occurred at the Queen's Hotel on Monday at the dinner hour. Miss Thelma Maxwell, daughter of the proprietor, was waiting on the tables and in returning hurriedly from the dining-room to the kitchen, slipped and fell on the oilcloth beside the kitchen stove. In falling her arm and parently came in contact with a pot of hot soup, knocking it off the stove and spilling the contents over her. Her shoulders and arms were quite severely scalded and she suffered much pain. The patient is reported making good improvement.

#### PRICEVILLE

Messrs. Alroy McLean and Peter Johnston were in Owen Sound the last of the week.

The Lord's supper was dispensed at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning last. A large attendance was present.

The Wright Bros. have their new mill about completed and will have it in operation about February 15th.

Mr. John A. MacDonald of Edge Hill was, in at his brother Donald's on the gravel the beginning of the week. Mr. MacDonald is up in the eighties and is quite smart. We were all pleased to see him in our midst on Saturday Sunday.

Mr. Jack and Miss Elda Karstedt of Flesherston spent Sunday with their brothers, Fred and Harold Karstedt.

We are sorry to report that Miss Alma MacLean, daughter of Mr. Archie MacLean, north line, has a severe attack of pneumonia. We wish for a speedy recovery.

We are also sorry to report that Miss Laura McKinnon, formerly of Priceville, was hit by a street car last Thursday and had a small bone in her back broken and her left arm fractured. We hope she may recover quickly, but the quickest will be a long time to the sufferer.

Miss Grace Ramage is able to be out again after her long spell of illness after being hurt by a wagon in the fall.

#### FLESHERTON

A new snow car was put into commission last week for the Eugenia plant of the Ontario Hydro Commission for the use of Mr. Joe Gockill, head linesman of the Eugenia plant. The new outfit is attached to one of the Commission's Ford trucks and was purchased in the States, the installing being done by H. Down and Sons, of Flesherston. The new snow car is driven by the tractor system, with four hind wheels, the back pair being for propulsion. The sleds in front are manufactured so that they can be set on an ordinary width of car axle, so that a short axle is not needed. The whole rear end was especially constructed where manufactured, and all that had to be done upon arrival here was the installing. It was certainly needed in the work of patrolling the line of the Eugenia system, and will save time and money no doubt for the commission.

John Boland, a well-known farmer of Artemesia, passed away on Saturday, the 5th inst. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Swanton. He was seized with a stroke while returning from Markdale, the horse taking him home, and died suddenly at noon the next day. Interment was made Monday in Markdale cemetery.

On Friday a deal went through in town when Mr. James Stinson of the Toronto Line south traded his 100-acre farm on the 1st range north to Mr. George Brackenbury of town for his new residence in town, just completed. We understand that it was an even deal.

An excellent carnival was held in the rink on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Agricultural Society, when a large crowd was present, the proceeds of the evening amounting to about \$71.

The funeral of the late David Dow who passed away on Tuesday of last week from sleeping sickness, took place on Thursday afternoon last, interment taking place in Flesherston cemetery. Rev. A. J. Preston, pastor of the Baptist church, of which the deceased was an adherent had charge of the services at the house and grave. The late Mr. Dow has been a resident of Flesherston for the past eleven years, coming here with his family from his farm on the O. D. R. Mr. Dow was born near Swinton Park in 1865 and moved when a young man to the Durham road. Twenty five years ago he was married to Miss Catharine McKechnie of Lions Head, who survives him. He also leaves to mourn his loss three children, two boys and one girl, John, Annie and Peter, all of whom are at home. He also leaves two brothers and two sisters, John, on the homestead; James, in Alberta; Maggie, with her brother, John and Mrs. James Martin of Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

#### MOUNT FOREST

Word was received in town yesterday morning of the death at London, Ont., of Miss Nellie Young, formerly of Mount Forest. She is a

daughter of Mrs. Young and the late James A. Young, at one time an insurance agent here. The remains will be interred in Mount Forest cemetery, but at press time the date had not been set.

Mr. George Cline, wife and family are moving here this week from Lucan, and taking up their residence in the Baptist parsonage on Elgin Street. Mr. Cline assumes his duties as C.N.R. station agent. Mr. J. G. Heyd having been granted superannuation on account of continued illness with acute rheumatism. His many friends here regret Mr. Heyd's retirement and the cause of it, and hope for improvement in his condition. Mr. Cline and family who formerly lived at Hepworth and Owen Sound, will be cordially welcomed to the community.

A former resident of this town, Charlotte Ann Reddick wife of Walter H. Minchinton, of Toronto, died Friday at Inglewood Hospital. Deceased was the only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Reddick, who resided in Mount Forest, leaving here about 30 years ago for Toronto. They were frequent visitors in this town and have many friends here. Deceased leaves, besides her husband, one son, Kyle, also living in Toronto.

#### ORCHARD

Mr. James Ball received word on Friday that his sister, Mrs. Saunders of Durham, was seriously ill with heart trouble. Word has been received since that she has passed away.

Mr. Will Kellar had a very successful sale on Thursday although it was a very wet day. There was a good attendance and good prices were realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carmout and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Carmout of East Normandy.

Mr. Ernie Greenwood of near Durham visited at Mr. W. O. Pinder's on Friday.

The sudden death of Mrs. Joseph Walls, which occurred on Friday evening of last week, was a shock to her many friends in this vicinity, and especially in her own neighborhood where she was so well and favorably known. Although she had not been in the best of health for the past couple of months, nothing of a serious nature was thought of. We understand hemorrhage of the brain was the cause of her death. The funeral on Monday afternoon was largely attended by friends and neighbors. The Rev. Mr. Johnson of Holstein took charge of the services at the home and grave. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and six children. And what makes it more sad, she leaves a baby about two months old, who will never know a true mother's love. We extend sincere sympathy to our friends in their hour of sadness.

#### MARKDALE

The open air skating rink is being well patronized by the young people of the village and surrounding country. Markdale needs a skating rink and the organization of individuals who will undertake to fill the need deserves the hearty support of all residents in the community as well as those in the village.

While emptying ashes at the rear of his residence one day last week, Mr. Hugh Knott of this place fell and fractured a rib. He has been off duty at the shop since and it will be some days before he will be able to attend to business regularly.

Mr. E. W. Lumin of Durham spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Staples.

Mr. Herb Purvis has disposed of his farm in the suburbs to Mr. Frank Thibaudou who will get possession April 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Purvis will move to town and occupy their residence on Toronto street.

#### Attendance Rewarded

There is one lassie in town whose Sunday School teacher can have no fault with her attendance at Sunday School. This little girl is Hazel Krueger, who has not missed a single Sunday in the last four years.

Sunday, at the Lutheran Sunday School, which she attends, she was presented with a solid gold pin in honor of her achievement. Her sister Rosella, missed only one Sunday in the four years. To be placed on the Roll of Honor of this Sunday School, it is necessary for the scholar to be present every Sunday of the fifty-two.—Hespler Herald.

**Rink Campaign Reaches \$5,800**  
The canvass for \$10,000, which the ladies of the L.O.D.E. have set as their objective for the erection of a covered rink for Walkerton, is going merrily on, and at time of going to press Wednesday had reached the \$5,800 stage. Although there is some distance still to go, yet it is evident that the establishment of a rink here this coming summer is practically an assured quantity. By the time the farmer folks get their quota rounded up and the town is thoroughly combed for funds, it will be found that the public have nobly answered the call to make Walkerton an attractive spot for the young folks in winter athletics, at least, as well as providing the place with a fine community hall.—Walkerton Times.

**Death Was "Exaggerated"**  
Mr. Charles Helferman, who now resides in Detroit, was surprised to read in one of the Detroit papers the other day, that he was reported as dead, by the Detroit police.

The mistake on the part of the custodians of the peace in the great automobile centre was a natural one. A few days previous, Mr. Helferman had been accosted by a man on the street who told a hard luck story and asked for a little financial assistance promising faithfully to repay a small loan. Mr. Helferman, in the generosity so characteristic of people from Arthur and vicinity, gave the required financial assistance. The recipient of the needed cash asked Mr. Helferman for his address and placed it in his pocket. A day or so after it seems he succumbed suddenly and the only mark of identification which the police could find on his person, was Mr. Helferman's name and address which they concluded was the cognomen and place of residence of the deceased and reported accordingly to one of the city newspapers. As Mr. Helferman had also taken the name and address of his chance acquaintance, the matter was later rightly adjusted.—Arthur Enterprise.

**Ontario's Oldest Skater**  
The Toronto Star has been endeavoring to find the oldest skater in Ontario and to date Meaford claims the honor with splendid possibilities of holding it against all comers. Our esteemed townsman, Mr. John Govette, at 82 years of age is still a skater and it might be pointed out that he is no "round the circle skater." Mr. Govette is a fancy skater which is a sport at which very few can even start, let alone excel. The young skaters of today know very little about fancy skating and outside a few special clubs in the cities one never sees any fancy skating nowadays. About the only time Meaford people see fancy skating is when Mr. Govette takes a trip to the rink and shows the younger generation how it is done.

The Star doesn't specify "plain or fancy skating" in its search for the oldest skater. Meaford is willing to match Mr. Govette against any Star can produce from the rest of Ontario.

The Star after reviewing the work of a few mere youngsters of 69, 70 and 76 continues:

"The dean of all entries to date, however comes from Meaford. This is Mr. John Govette of Meaford, well known, hale and hearty, who was 82 years old January 24, 1927. Mr. Govette, who was born in Weston, Ont., claims to have started skating at the age of 9 years on wooden skates that had runners like the old fashioned cutters. Mr. Govette says he hasn't missed a winter since he started to skate, so he has skated for 73 years. Govette has put on several exhibitions of fancy skating at the Alexandria rink in Meaford and will accept a stipend of \$100 to give an exhibition at the Toronto Arena at some future date providing no older skater can beat his record. Can anyone equal Mr. Govette's record?"—Meaford Mirror.

**"Stringing" the Reporter**  
A certain farmer, who lives only a few miles from Kincardine, recently told us this story. Seven years ago he hung his vest on the barnyard fence. A calf chewed up a pocket of the garment in which there was a standard gold watch. A short time ago, the animal, a staid old milk cow, was butchered for beef and the timepiece was found in such a position between the lungs of the cow that the respiration—the closing in and emptying the lungs with air—kept the stem winder wound up, and the watch had lost but four minutes in the seven years.—Kincardine Review Reporter.

**A Great Timepiece**  
Ten years ago Mr. R. J. Pangman of Lisle lost his watch plowing in his fields and after a preliminary search, abandoned all hope of ever again checking up the fleeting hours with his cherished chronometer. But last November Mr. Pangman was again busily engaged in turning up the soil in his field when he was delightfully astonished to see his old vest pocket friend lying at his feet, a little discolored and with a dirty face, but apparently none the worse for its Rip-Van Winkle stunt. Mr. Pangman picked up the prodigal timepiece; wound it up; set the hands to the proper time and up to the present the watch has performed perfectly and with seemingly not the slightest ill effects of its long interment below the earth's surface.—Creemore Star.

**Gale Did Damage**  
The heavy gale which swept over this district last Thursday night did considerable damage to barn roofs. Some farmers lost portions of the roof, and many shingles were loosened. Listowel was in darkness all Thursday night, the power trouble being between Milverton and Springville. About 10:30 Friday morning the power line was connected up with Eugenia and in the afternoon when the trouble was located and repaired the power was switched to the regular line.—Listowel Banner.

Not all the light-weight champions are in the ring. Some of them run coal yards, grocery stores and butcher shops.—Chicago Tribune.

**The Melody Boys' Orchestra**  
MUSIC FOR ALL OCCASIONS  
Let Us Furnish the Talent for YOUR GARDEN PARTY  
H. E. PHIPPS, Manager  
Phone 119 Durham, Ont.

# Problems of the Farm

Contributed by Gray County Department of Agriculture

### FARM MANAGEMENT FOR HATCHING EGGS

There are a few things that are within ones method of handling a flock, that may be done which, with us increase the HATCHING POWER of the fertile eggs.

In order for hens to lay well, they generally have to have some animal protein; that is, insects, worms, meat, beef scrap, tankage or milk. Generally speaking one feeds about one ounce of meat to each bird daily or about 15 per cent. of Beef scrap or animal meat in a dry wet mash, or both. One hundred hens should drink a pail of skim milk or buttermilk daily, if they are going to lay 50 per cent. or better.

Our experiments show that of the above feeds that are available during the winter, milk in some form stands in a class by itself, as a feed to produce eggs for hatching.

We find that the addition of a-bout half teacup of Cod Liver Oil to the mash daily, for one hundred hens, also increases the hatching power of the eggs. With us, it is much better with milk than other meat feeds.

The feeding of clover meal, or the clover leaves that fall where the hay is thrown down for the other livestock, appears to help produce a better egg to hatch.

Then, perhaps the best and cheapest factor to help the hatch is direct sunlight; that is, where the hen sits or stands or scratches in the sunlight, not behind glass, but in the direct rays. You may have several easy methods of getting this hen out of doors in the sunlight.

If she exercises in the sunlight in the barnyard, and in the sunlight it may help your hatch of chicks as much as 15 or 20 per cent.

We are not so particular what grains or what mash you feed, as these do not appear to make as much difference in hatching eggs as do the feeds mentioned above. Our ratios are as follows:

Scratch grain:  
1/2 cracked corn  
1/2 wheat.

Mash:  
700 lbs. corn chop  
500 lbs. shorts  
300 lbs. oat chop  
150 lbs. alfalfa meal  
7 lbs. fine table salt

3 gallons of Cod Liver Oil.  
The birds eat about 6 lbs. of scratch grain to 4 lbs. of mash. The grain is fed in straw, night and morning, the dry mash is in the hoppers or boxes before the bird all the time, and the oil in most cases is mixed in a moist mash and given at noon. Each 100 hens drink about a pail full of buttermilk daily.

**Why Not a Clearing House**  
Some farmers have come to the office asking if anyone was wanting a sow, boar or bull. There are few in the farmers hands. Likewise some farmers would like to buy stock of various kinds. Why not then make your Agricultural Department act as a clearing house for you. That Department is at your service. Why not make use of it?

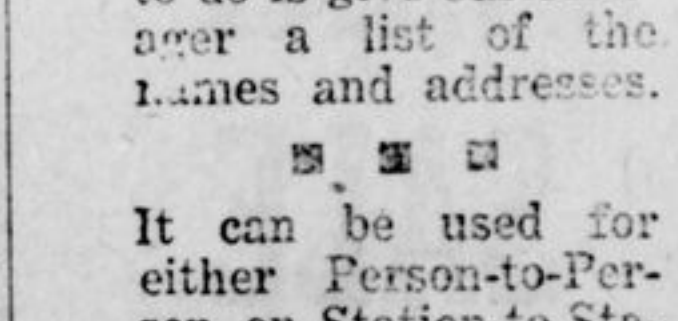
"I've just seen the world's greatest optimist."  
"So? Who was he?"  
"A young man out hunting rooms with a saxophone under his arm."

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**A. S. Hunter & Co., Durham**  
Seed Refiners Hardware Merchants

### Normanby Council

The Municipal Council of the Tp. of Normanby met in the Clerk's office, Aytun on Monday, February 7, at 10 a. m. The Reeve in the chair; all the other members present.

Ovens—Seim: That the minutes of the last regular meeting, as read, be adopted.—Carried.

Ovens—Seim: That the Auditors be paid \$30.

Ovens—Widmeyer: That George Feurher be given the contract of making cement tile at the same price as last year and same conditions.—Carried.

Ovens—Widmeyer: That the Clerk be instructed to advertise for the township printing.—Carried.

Ovens—Seim: That By-law No. 3 of 1927 be appointment of an Assessor be given first and second readings.—Carried.

Widmeyer—Baetz: That By-law No. 3 of 1927 be given third reading, signed by the Reeve and Clerk and filed in the bylaw book.—Carried.

Baetz—Ovens: That the following accounts be paid: M. E. Murray and Miss Ada B. Fortune, auditors, \$30; Palmer Paterson, balance account re repairing road, Lot 15, Concession 2, \$4.80; Council meeting at date \$17.20; J. H. Ellis, stamp check book, \$2.00; Robert Holton, balance of account re Minto and Normanby townline in full, \$128.20; Municipal World, dog tags for 1927 \$20.55; Geo. H. Mitchell, bal. printing account to date, \$83.

The Council adjourned to meet in the Clerk's office, Aytun on Monday, March 7 at 10 a. m. to let township printing contract, appoint pathmasters, poundkeepers, fenceviewers and for general business.

R. H. FORTUNE, Clerk.

### SOME STUDENTS' DEFINITIONS

Blizzard—The inside of a hen.  
Mountain Range—A large cook stove.

Oxygen—An eight-cornered figure.  
Dispel—To spell incorrectly.  
Butter—A billy goat; Buttress—A fanny goat.

Frontispiece—A headlight on a Ford.  
Furlough—A fur-bearing animal.  
Mistake—To steal something.

Observatory—A place where flowers grow.  
Tonsorial Parlor—Where you go to have your tonsils out.  
Joan of Arc—One of Noah's daughters.

**A Bank with 900 Branches**  
800 in Canada including Vancouver, Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, Fort William, Windsor, Ont., London, Hamilton, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., Halifax, Sydney, Charlottetown.  
100 Abroad including London, New York, Paris, Barcelona, St. John's, Nfld., Havana, San Juan, Santo Domingo, Port-au-Prince, Nassau, Port of Spain, Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Caracas, and in Colombia, Peru, Venezuela.

**The Royal Bank of Canada**  
Durham Branch J. A. Rowland, Manager

**Hardware Bargains**  
Mouse Traps: Don't be annoyed with mice, use Victor Mouse Traps, 2 for 5c.  
Food Choppers: See the new improved chopper, that opens up for easy cleaning, with patent feature that stays that back drip on the floor ..... \$2.25  
Tea Kettles: Special value in copper Tea Kettles, heavily nickle plated, No. 8 ..... \$2.00  
Wash Boilers: Wash Boilers, Solid Copper full No. 9 size ..... \$3.50  
O'Cedar Mops: Can't be beaten for a good strong, serviceable mop. We are continuing our Free offer of one Fifty Cent Bottle of O'Cedar Polish with each two dollar mop or One Twenty-Five Cent Bottle O'Cedar Polish with each \$1.25 mop.  
Hack Saws: Adjustable Frame, complete with 10" blade ..... 60c.  
A. S. Hunter & Co., Durham Seed Refiners Hardware Merchants

### JAPANESE ADVERTISING

Japanese advertisements are rich in metaphor and quaint humor. Here are a few examples: A Tokio stationer announces that "the paper I sell is as solid as the hide of an elephant." A fishmonger promises to deliver all orders at customer's houses "with the rapidity of a shot fired from a rifle." "My extra special vinegar," a grocer declares, "is as sharp as the tongue of the most shrewish mother-in-law." A large multiple shop begs the public to "come into our stores. You will meet with an overwhelming welcome. Our assistants are as amiable as a father who is endeavoring to marry off his daughters without giving them a dowry."

Paying Teller: "Sorry, madame, but your account is already over-drawn."  
Lady: "Well, suppose it is. Haven't I a right to do what I like with my own account?"

### The Bargain Store

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Ladies' and Misses' shoes, Oxfords and Slippers in wide and narrow lasts at a price that will suit everybody.

Men's Ladies' and Children's Hose in a large variety of shades.  
A full line of Spring and Summer Underwear for Men, Women and Children.

Boys' Spring Wool Sweaters and Pullovers, also Jerseys blue and khaki.  
Fresh Groceries and Dried Fruits always on hand. Flour and Meals. Highest price paid for good Butter and Produce. Cash or trade.

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