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County-Provincial Roadways Not Yet Taken Over by Govt.

All Grey County Roadways Designated as Provincial Highways Still Remain in Hands of County, But May Be Taken Over Later.

Though it was generally understood some months ago that the County Roads between Hanover and Durham and Owen Sound and Collingwood had been taken over by the Provincial Department of Highways...

Surveyed Last Winter These two Grey County roadways were surveyed during the past winter by the Provincial Government surveyors...

Change in Highway Here With the announcement that the Hanover-Durham road was being taken over by the province...

Pass By Owen Sound Motoring from Durham to Meaford or Thornbury, the roadway as at present designated at Owen Sound takes one down through the city...

These two changes are not yet completed, and will not be until the roadways have been taken over and the necessary grading done...

CONGRATULATIONS We extend congratulations to Ernest Hildyard of Holstein and Marion Gibbs Macfarlane of Cannington on passing with honors their B.A. degree in Queen's University...

Mr. Hildyard is well known in Egremond, while Miss Macfarlane is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Macfarlane of Cannington...



LEADS ALBERTA GIRLS

Miss Mabel Nix, who graduates this year from the University of Alberta, will shortly begin her work as girls' work secretary of the Province of Alberta under the National Girls' Work Board...

Night C.P.R. Train 15 Minutes Earlier

New Time Table Came Into Effect Monday and Is Improvement Over Old.

Commencing Monday of this week the new summer time table on the C. P. R. went into effect...

With no morning passenger out of Durham on the Walkerton branch the morning change, which is fifteen minutes later...

The afternoon train leaving Durham at 3 o'clock will run on the old schedule, arriving in North Toronto at 7:35 p.m.

Grey Presbyterial Met In Owen Sound

Representatives Were Present From All Over Presbytery and Most Enthusiastic Meeting is Reported.

The second annual meeting of the Grey Presbyterial of the W. M. S. of the United Church was held in Central church, Owen Sound, on Tuesday of this week.

The report of the Young People's Secretary showed that the Y.W.A. of Knox Church, here, had a very creditable standing...

Westside church contributed several numbers, which were much enjoyed. Luncheon was served at 12:30 and dinner at the close of the afternoon session...

HOSPITAL NOTES

A young lad named Gibson from Flesherton was admitted to the hospital on Tuesday night suffering from supposed internal injuries...

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Presbyterian Church Was Formally Opened On Sunday Last

Beautiful Weather Prevailed, and, With Over One Thousand Present, the Dedicatory Service Was Most Impressive. Crowd Too Large for Church Building and Overflow Meeting Necessary, for Which Baptist Church was Used.

Sunday afternoon last, the first day of May, was a most auspicious occasion for the members of the Presbyterian faith in Durham...

Had the members of the congregation had the ordering of the weather they could not have improved upon the beautiful spring weather that prevailed...

The formal dedication was opened by the Rev. J. McKenzie of Palmerston, Moderator of the Presbytery of Saugeen...

"Grant, O Lord that whosoever shall receive in this place the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, may do so with a penitent heart, lively faith and perfect charity...

"We have now the great satisfaction of handing over to you as representing the Board of Managers, the keys of this now completed church in trust...

On behalf of the Board of Managers, of which he is the chairman, the keys were received by Mr. W. J. McFadden...

Following the dedication of the church, prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Strachan of Owen Sound and a duet by Messrs. Boorman and Kellough.

After the ceremony of dedication Dr. Kannawin was called upon for an address. He congratulated the congregation on their devotion and enthusiasm...

The minister and people then repeated these words: "We now, the people of this church and congregation, compassed about with a great cloud of witnesses, grateful for our heritage, sensible to the sacrifice of the fathers...

"O Eternal God, mighty in power, of majesty incomprehensible, whom the heaven of heavens cannot contain, made with hands, and who yet hast been graciously pleased to promise Thy special presence in whatsoever place two or three of Thy faithful servants shall assemble in Thy name, separating it henceforth from all untitled uses...

"Grant, O Lord, that by Thy Holy word which shall be read and preached in this place, the hearers thereof may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil the same.

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SIR WALTER RUNCIMAN

Who is one of the British delegates at the International Economic Conference, which will be held at Geneva next month. His appointment to this delegation has aroused considerable interest in British political circles inasmuch as he is a staunch Liberal, and also an advocate of free trade.

Will Use Machine For Oiling Streets

Not Much Business Done at Regular Meeting of City Fathers Monday, Though Considerable Discussion Took Place.

Last Monday night was "air your views" night at the Council Chamber, at least so we have been told as we were not there personally...

The big piece of business was the matter of buying oil for the streets this summer, and if the dry spell keeps up the dust layer can be put on any too soon...

The matter was left in the hands of the Board of Works to purchase the oil and see that it was put on.

Two Deputies

Messrs. Ed. Kross and D. C. Town waited on the Council to see what could be done about putting in a drain opposite their places of business, where the water in the spring and after a heavy rain ran on to their property.

A deputation was there from the I. O. E. with a plan for the decoration, renovation and beautification of the Town Hall.

Other Business Done

Following a discussion on the requirements of the fire department, it was passed that 200 feet of hose be purchased. Accounts amounting to \$1092 were passed and ordered to be paid...

While there was considerable discussion regarding several matters before the Council no action was taken, but will probably be dealt with at the June meeting.

Rev. J. H. Whealen Goes To Courtright

Anglican Rector Transferred to Parish in Lambton County, and Takes Charge Next Month.

Rev. J. H. Whealen, rector of Trinity church, made the announcement Sunday at the regular evening service that he had been transferred to a charge at Courtright and would take up his new duties on the first Sunday in June.

Rev. and Mrs. Whealen came here four years ago in March from Thedford, and while residents of the town have made many friends who will regret to learn of their removal...

His successor here has not yet been appointed by the Bishop, but it is likely that the announcement will be made in the course of a week or two.

Grey County Roads Are in Fine Shape

County Good Roads Committee on Annual Tour of Inspection—Three Road Building Outfits Are Being Started Middle of May.

Warden Chas. Holt, of Normanby; Reeve John A. Pringle, of Keppel; Reeve W. L. Taylor of Osprey; Reeve Neil Calder of Egremond and Reeve Jacob Lemke, of Sullivan, comprising the good roads committee of the Grey County Council, made their regular spring inspection of the county roads last week...

Started at Hanover

The committee met at Hanover on Thursday morning, and accompanied by County Engineer R. C. McKnight, County Road Superintendent John Johnston and Provincial District Engineer Hays, proceeded to Sullivan, the roads they came from Hanover through to Durham and thence to Dundalk via Holstein, remaining Thursday night at Dundalk. On Friday morning they went into Osprey township, and up to Eugenia, through the Beaver Valley to Thornbury, Clarksbury, Meaford and on over to Owen Sound.

Roads in Good Condition

Reeve Pringle, who is chairman of the committee, stated that they found the roads generally in much better condition than for several years past. This they attributed to the remarkably fine weather this spring, but if the weather keeps good, all of them will be in use about the middle of May...

Complete Hanover Bridge

There will be no large bridges erected this year, at least the committee have not seen any place where one is necessary. The bridge at Hanover, which was only nicely started last year, will have to be finished, and it is more than likely that a new top will have to be put on it although this has not been definitely decided.

The taking over of the 20 foot strips through the towns of Hanover and Durham, regarding which there has been so much controversy in the County Council sessions may materialize this year, although Reeve Pringle stated that it was hardly likely that there would be any permanent paving done in either place this year...

Stone & Sand Plant Started Monday

Big Output Expected This Season of Products of This Well-Known Durham Concern.

After being closed down since the cold weather set in last fall, the plant of the Durham Stone & Sand Company opened on Monday and have now a full complement of men at work. This year a record in the amount of stone and sand shipped is expected as the building prospects are very bright and the company is prepared to deliver their product on short notice.

During the past winter considerable shipping has been going on and as a result most of the smaller sizes of stone have been taken out of stock and there is little danger of catching up with the storage once the season opens up.

The company is looking forward to a steady season and have never commenced work in the spring with better prospects for seeing all previous shipping records broken.

TEMPERATURES OF PAST WEEK

Table with 3 columns: Day, Min., Max. Thursday 33 57, Friday 29 52, Saturday 28 53, Sunday 29 58, Monday 38 58, Tuesday 37 57, Wednesday 44 63.

Following are the temperatures of the past week, with the highest and lowest registered every day during the preceding 24 hours. The readings were taken at 5 o'clock each evening.