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DURHAM HYDRO USERS TO SHARE IN REBATE

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This Town One of Twenty-nine Municipalities to Share in Distribution of Surplus.-Reduction of Power Rates Authorized in 132 Districts.

The news that Durham is to be one of the twenty municipalities to share in the distribution of the accumulated surplus on the Eugenia Hydro System was received here last week, and was a welcome piece of news to local hydro users. Referring to the matter, last Wednesday's Toronto Mail and Empire

The crediting of a cash rebate in mission yesterday, when the commission gave effect to the result of its annual survey of the financial operations of the local bodies.

MERRY MIX-UP IN

The complete result of the annual survey is that the commission has authorized a reduction in power increase in power rates in one municipality. In 29 municipalities, however, the local commissions were found to have accumulated! substantial surpluses in excess of 1 the amount which it is deemed ex- thing on the tale of a pair of motor pedient for them to carry. In these markers that was aired at the polplaces lighting rates were further ice court Tuesday morning, and if numerous accidents occurring died twelve years ago. To them regarded as being as low as it was the story can be told without get- throughout the country, most of were born a family of five children, pay so much for its hydro power, by the Zion mixed quartette, a wise policy to have them. The com- ting badly askew, it is rather more which is from careless driving at two of whom survive, Mrs. Thomas according to a recent decision of dance by Miss Ruby Staples, duet mission decided on the plan, accord- of good luck than good manage- intersections as well as other Ware of Toronto, and Mrs. John the Ontario Commission, which re- by the Misses Lennox, the Dromore sumers of an amount equal to from two to four months' bills.

The rebates have been authorized considered carefully—not too slowly way must bring his vehicle to a full neighbors, Messrs. William and as before, \$16 per year per light. The church will have upwards of amount required to be held in re- Part II. commences at the sale of cludes all vehicles, whether motor McIntyre, Edward Muldoon and opinion of the Commission, as low pedient.

Dutton, Georgetown, Guelph, Hen- have. system: Kingston, Picton; on the doing of everybody, as the numbers and they must come to a full stop. St. Lawrence system: Brockville, were still charged up to William Winchester.

One-Sixth Rebate

for this will be issued in the course ownership of the car. of a few days, if not this week,

tario Hydro Commission is a good from its various angles is about as some kind not to do it again, instrumental numbers, the Zion one, as it establishes in many cases hard as it is to get out of those Townspeople too, we were told, are quartette comprising Mr. and Mrs. a renewed confidence that the houses with all the mirrors in that constant violators, and many are in- Thomas Glencross, Mrs. J. O. Greensystem is being operated for the they run on Old Home Week or at cluded in the round-up that the wood and Mr. J. H. Robson, solos by benefit of the people of the province the exhibitions. and that the actual cost of operation is all that is being charged.

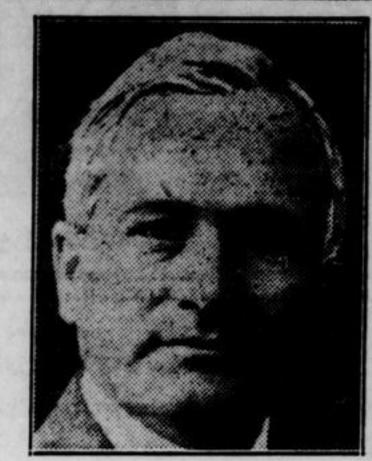
DAYLIGHT HOLD-UP STAGED NEAR GUELPH

Three Armed Men Stop Traveler and Relieve Him of Money.

large touring car, perpetrated one swarm of bees in a forest, there is | of the most daring highway hold- a little excuse if our explanation now living in Vancouver, B.C., most practical one, very interesting, ups ever committed in this district seems somewhat twisted. As we gathered together on Wednesdy and and an inspiration to those conon Tuesday afternoon, when they see it, it would take seven Philadel- motored out to Mr. and Mrs. John nected with church work. held up W. O. Fawcett, of Meaford, phia lawyers, Henry Ford and Kilmer's residence, Pooley Road, Following the programme, lunch on the Guelph-Hamilton Road, about Rosie Schwimmer a week and a half Port Coqitlam when old friendships was served. three miles from Guelph, and in to explain the ins and outs of the were renewed, and reminiences of broad daylight relieved him of \$30 various complications, and as we early days discussed. At 6.30 supbroad daylight relieved him of \$30 various complications, and as we early days discussed. At 6.30 supin cash, a gold watch, gold pencil, have not sufficient space at our disper was served by the ladies when per was served by the ladies when the ladie and other small valuables which he posal to delve further into the mat- a regular old time Durham spread had in his possession, and made ter we leave it in the hands of our appeared on the festive board, and their escape unmolested.

Fawcett, a traveller for Dalton | they can. Bros. Tea Company, of Toronto, was driving his car in the direction of Guelph, when he was halted by one of the robbers and asked for the loan of a jack. He was in the act of while climbing a fence on Wednes- and Mrs. John Kilmer, Mr. and Mrs. removing the piece of equipment day of last week and fractured his Jack McCarthey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack leave no other alternative, he was forced in which a team belonging to and Jane Kilmer. Mr. and Mrs. Reed says: to stand on the highway while the driven by Mr. Robert Corlett of (nee Ann Kilmer), Miss Mary Bull. ets, taking in addition to the articles with the mower, Mr, Corlett sus- (nee Aggie Bull). mentioned a number of private tained some broken ribs. papers, which he had in his posses-

the hold-up occurred, and messages moval of tonsils. were at once sent to Hamilton, Kitchener, Galt and other neighboring cities, no trace of the trio was found. The license plates on their in which to do some other kind of of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. years, was a member of the High automobile were so badty spattered work," answered the mother.—The William Carson in Normanby. School Board, passed through the Chairs and became Master of Sauas it was driven away from the scene of the robbery.



NEW PRESIDENT

of Driving Plates.

Hood's "Tale of a Shirt" had no-

The commission also authorized man named Langdon in Mount For- as to just what jurisdiction he had afternoon from the family residence duction in the rates to consumers. nearly everyone remained until the rebates in a number of municipal- est. The latter sold to a man named here, or in what manner the Pro- to Latona cemetery, the service be- In the domestic and commercial finish. The gate receipts this year ities by the local commissions on Yates, while Yates finally disposed vincial law should be interpreted, ing in charge of the Rev. Dr. Fraser services the rate remains the same were not so large as last, but many account of surpluses accrued in of the car to a man named Duncan. Showed The Chronicle a copy of the Smith, a former resident of Dor- as before, but in power services the nearby counter attractions, coupled connection with power supplied for This is the first part of the story, Act. The Act is plain enough, noch, now visiting relatives there. rate has changed from 2.9c., 1.9c. with the cold evening and the busy street lighting, waterworks pump- the "Introduction", though like the Whether in town or country, a mo- The service was largely attended and .33c., to 2.3c., 1.5c. and .33c., The having season, would easily account ing, and other municipal purposes. "Andante" the rest will have to be torist entering a "through" road- and the pall bearers were all old rate for street lighting is the same for this. Despite these handicaps,

serve in connection with such ser- Otto Konold some time ago when a or horse-drawn, and while it may James Sullivan. vices. While in the past the com- man named Chesney purchased one appear a hardship or otherwise, is mission has several times reduced of the Konold autos equipped with a intended as a protection to the pubrates in municipalities as a result 1926 marker. Chesney, as we get lic and an effort to cut down the GLENELG BAPTISTS of its annual survey of the basis the story, wanted to use this auto large number of daily accidents upon which they are operating, the this summer, happened to be at throughout the country, the greatpresent year is the first one in Duncan's (see Pt. I.), and Duncan er percentage of which would have which cash rebates to individual told him to take his markers to been avoided had both participants customers have been deemed ex- make the trip he was contemplating used even ordinary precaution. as they would do until his own Briefly, the Act says in Pt, vii, The 29 municipalities which share came back and there would be no Section (1a): "The operator or drivin this disbursement are: On the trouble. This Chesney did, but did er of every vehicle shall immediate-Niagara system: Bothwell, Brant- not return the markers soon enough, ly before entering or crossing a ford Township, Dundas, Dunnville, or at least as soon as he should through highway bring the vehicle

Aberdein.

vestigation brought out the fact the bylaw in Durham was quite evi- Owen Sound, who preached two Durham consumers, according to that when the car was resold, on dent when we glanced over a list of powerful sermons, both of which notice given out from the locl com- each occasion no one had taken the names and numbers that Constable were listened to and much appremission on Tuesday are to be given trouble of obeying the law of the Allen has picked up in the past ciated by large congregations.

Chesney \$10.00 and costs for using to. improper markers on his car, and we understand that there are liable to be further prosecutions for not FORMER DURHAM FOLK reporting the sale of cars and the transfer of the license to others than those to whom they were is-

As we said at the commencement, we may have fallen down on some of the points in question, but as the Three gunmen travelling in a affair was as complicated as a

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Andrew Meyers of Allan Park event. Although Provincial Police in underwent operations for the re-

Poor Ma

office boys will be out of luck.

HOLIDAY SAW MINOR ACCIDENTS

Neighborhood of Durham and Vicin-ity Escaped Luckily From Toll of Dead From Old Ailment, and Week-end Auto Accidents That Beset Province as a Whole.

Luckily no one was seriously in- and honesty.

which, under the direction of the Poultry Husbandman at Ottawa, at the ditch at Norman Schenk's hill of one week's duration, pneumonia Ontario Commission, the local Hydro present attending the World's and made a nose-dive into the ditch; setting in almost immediately after commissions of 29 municipalities Poultry Congress at the Candian It was going slowly at the time, he was taken ill, from which he was will take in the immediate future Capital, has been elected president towards their customers. The re- of the next Congress, to be held in that might to the latest the continue on the deceased was norm in Hancident is said to have been glaring and after a residence of two years headlights, the roadster and another in Chatsworth, in 1880 moved to

To Enforce Stop Bylaw

It seems that a man named Aberdein in Egremont sold a car to a law, and in answer to our question The funeral was held on Monday will, however, be practically no restop. The Act as we read it in- Daniel O'Mara, William Smith, Colin | The Durham rates are, in the \$40 when all expenses are paid.

to a full stop."

Stayner; on the Central Ontario who owned it. This proved the un- control but it seems we were wrong year with great enthusiasm.

Many Violations

PICNIC IN VANCOUVER

Pleasant Afternoon.

readers to straighten it out as best all agreed that things were as they used to be.

ing old friends and parties, some of the friends still living in Durham. Mr. Thoms Ball of Normanby fell The following were present: Mr.

TENDERED RECEPTION cently married, returned from their kerton Dr. and Mrs. Grant made Hamilton cemetery. honeymoon on Tuesday afternoon of many friends, by whom they will "What is leisure, mamma?"

"It's the spare time a woman has tion was tendered them at the home the Town Council for a couple of

THOS. McKNIGHT DEAD; PASSED AWAY SAT.

Funeral Was Held Monday Afternoon to Latona Cemetery.

Auto accidents seemed worse than | Great regret is expressed at the auto accidents seemed worse than usual last week over the province, but this locality was lucky enough to escape any serious ones, the worst occurring in the Allan Park neighborhood on Monday when a local young man is said to have lost control of his car in rounding a curve with the result that the machine turned over a couple of times. chine turned over a couple of times. a wide area for his industry, thrift

place of the rendering of the usual monthly bill, is the unique action Frederick C. E. Elford, Dominion roadster of the heavier kind took to time, but his last illness was only Mr. McKnight had been a suffer-

that night to Hamilton after being over in 1855 and grew to young towed to Smith Bros.' garage here manhood in that town. It was here for repairs. The cause of the ac- he learned his trade as blacksmith, AUTO MARKER CASE car sideswiping each other at the turn with the result that the road-himself, where he has since remaining the road and enjoyed a wide patronage REDUCTION GRANTED IN rates in 132 municipalities and an Heard Before Mflagistrate Laidlaw A minor accident occurred in among the farmers in that district. Tuesday Morning, When Defend- town Monday evening when a buggy He conducted his business up to the ant Was Fined for Wrongful Use was hit by a car and partly demol- time of his last illness, and though ished, though here, too, no one was ailing for some time, the end came Recent Ruling of Hydro Commission choir, a recitation by Miss K. M. so suddenly that his death was a shock to the whole community.

Mr. McKnight was married in 1882 Constable Allen, as a result of the to Annie Duncan of Glenelg, who

Good Congregation Attended Both Services Sunday and Pleasing Pro-

The anniversary services of the not appreciate very much. Glenelg Centre Baptist church this The refund to the town, in the sall, Kingsville, Leamington, Lucan, In Part III, of the play, Konold The Chronicle has been of the op- year were even more successful general rebate announced this Petrolia. Ridgetown, Thamesford, wanted to get hold of the car Ches- inion that it was not the intention than usual and the congregation has week will be about \$400, quite a sub-Thamesville, Tilbury; on the Geor- ney had bought from him for some to expect more than that all vehi- every reason to feel considerable stantial sum, and in doing business gian Bay system: Beaverton, Cold- reason, and, knowing the numbers cles should approach these high- pride in the review of their accom- this way it is felt that the interests water, Dundalk, Durham. Graven- that were on it, had Constable Cook ways slowly, so slowly that they plishments during the past twelve of the local system and its users Ryan's approach, but when he got hurst. Hanover, Meaford, Penetang, get in touch with Toronto to see would at all times be under full months. They go on into the new will be best served,

The services in the church on Sunday were held at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. These services were in Subsequent information and in- That there are many violations of charge of the Rev. S. J. Farmer of

a rebate of one-sixth of their total Highway Traffic Act and notifying couple of weeks. The majority of On Monday evening the annual ennet bills for 1926 and the cheques the Department of the change of these never made any attempt to tertainment was held. This, too, stop at the main corner, and we drew a large crowd. The pro-The result was the trial here understand that these offenders will gramme consisted of selections by This move on the part of the On- Tuesday, and to figure the thing out at least be given a warning of Mr. H. E. Phipps, in both vocal and constable purposes making when he Mrs. W. G. Lawrence, a duet by Anyway, after reviewing the evid- gets the names and addresses from Mrs. W. Thompson and Miss Redence, Magistrate Laidlaw assessed Department headquarters in Toron- ford, readings by Mr. Duncan Mc-Lean and Miss Katie May Firth, and Miss Jean and Master Gordon Mac-Gillivray. A short address was also

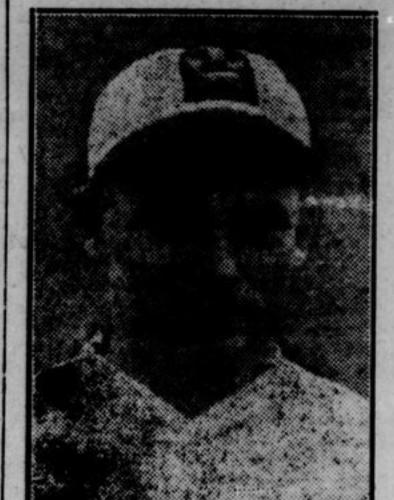
given by Mr. George Binnie. The address of the evening was given by Rev. Mr. Farmer, who spoke on the subject "A Successful Church," The successful church Well-Known Residents of Town Now was in need of four things at least, Living in British Columbia, Spent according to the speaker. It must be a living church, a laboring church, a loving church, and a Residents of the Town of Durham loyal church. The address was a

NOW IN STRATFORD

inent and Respected Residents of friends. Walkerton for Past Ten Years.

Referring to the departure of Dr.

practitioner of that city. and neighbors invited and the even- geen Lodge, A.F. & A.M., was iden- to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevens (Paul-When the meek inherit the earth ing was most pleasantly spent in tifled with the local lodge of Odd- ine Turner) a daughter, (Kathleen fellows and a member of the Ses- Louise).



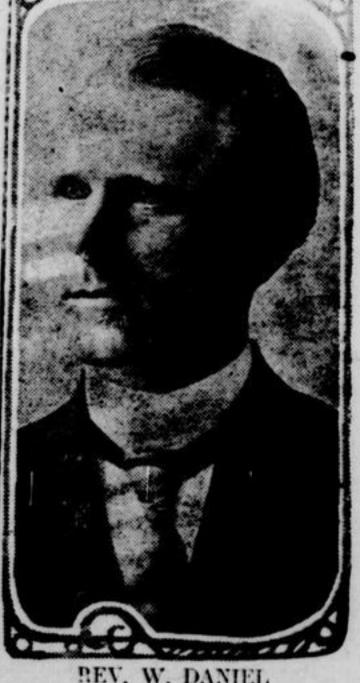
"RED" HARGREAVES

the best and most popular men on the team. A first-class catcher, he

Not Apparent at Present.

places on the highway, has said that Keepp at home, who have the sym- duces the present rate of \$36 to \$35 quartette, and an instrumental from per horsepower to the town. There the Staples orchestra.

as it is advisable to place them. If these rates produce a surplus, it LARGE BEAR SEEN is the intention to rebate a certain amount the same as is being done this month, and which is referred HELD ANNIVERSARY to in another column, but it, is not considered in the interest of the local system to lower the prevailing rate, as it may not work out as gramme Was Presented Monday well as in the past few years and make it necessary for an upward boost, something the users would



REV. W. DANIEL

Dennis Baptist Church, near Toron- & Son's, or at R. L. Saunders'.

sion and superintendent of the Sunday school of Knox Presbyterian Church.

DIED IN HAMILTON

from beneath the auto seat when he arm. On the same day, Mrs. Green- Fisher (nee Nora Meridth), Mr. and kerton two weeks ago to take up this week of the death in Hamilton lem Women. was covered with a revolver, and wood of Glenelg fell and broke her Mrs. Jack Vollet, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. their residence in Stratford, last of his nephew, John Brown Morton, ordered to "stick 'em up". Having hip, while in a runaway accident Backhus (nee Mary Harris), Miss week's Walkerton Herald and Times for 25 years engineer with the Sanford Manufacturing Company of that meeting was closed by singing and "After practising as a dentist in city who passed away at his resi- the repetition of the Lord's Prayer three men went through his pock- Bentinck, near Dernoch, ran away Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer McKerrich. Walkerton for the past ten years, dence on Victoria avenue north. Dr. C. L. Grant closed up his prac- The deceased was in his fiftieth On parting it was generally agreed tise here last week and left with year, and leaves besides his widow On Thursday morning of last week that this picnic be made an annual his wife and daughter, Jean, for two daughters and two sisters, and thing to something worse. Stratford, where he is now a part- a brothre in Winnipeg. Mr. Morton ner of Dr. J. A. Beattie, a veteran was a Mason and a member of TEMPERATURES OF PAST WEEK Hindoo Kosh Grotto. The funeral Following are the temperatures of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knisley, re- During their residence in Wal- was held last Monday afternoon to the past week, with the highest and

> Smith-In Mount Forest Hospital. Wednesday, August 3, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Lorne Smith, a son.

Stevens-In Detroit, on July 13th.

ST. PAUL'S HELD GOOD ANNIVERSARY

Both Sunday and Pollowing Gatherings Were Large and Treasury Is Considerable Sum Ahead As Result of Annual Garden Party.

St. Paul's Anglican church, Egremont, held its annual anniversary services last Sunday. There were two church sessions, one at 3 o'clock and the other at 7.30, at which good congregations turned out to hear the sermons by the rector, the Rev. E. Hr hes. Mr. H hes on both occasions preached powerful, well-thought-out sermons, both of which were to the point and dealt with the celebration of the annual anniversary.

The annual garden party on Tuesday night on the lawn of Mr. Robert Barbour, was another of those successes for which this congregation is becoming famous. To start it off Of Toronto Maple Leafs, is one of there was a good ball game between Knox, Normanby and Edge Hill, in which the former were victors, 8 to can bat either hand, and slugs with 3. Then followed the annual outdoor supper, and finary, as a crowning feature, what was possibly the best programme in the history of

The Rev. E. Hayes was chairman COST OF POWER and delivered a snort address.

Among the numbers on the program were numbers by the Dromore Means Saving of Considerable Firth of Zion, instrumental tries by Amount to Local Users, Though Messrs, J. Dunsmoor, Roy Wiggins, and Irvine Storrey, a solo by J. L. Stedman, instrumental by Carmen Durham in the future will not Queen and Roy Wiggins, selection

IN GLENELG TOWNSHIP

Farmers of That Section Now Think They Have Solution of How Sheep Have Been Getting Killed This Spring.

Tuesday of this week while out in the neighborhood of Hermie Burnett's farm on the 4th concession of Glenelg, Mr. William Ryan encountered a large bear in the roadway some four or five rods ahead of him. The bear was apparup near to where the animal had been sitting, the beast had crossed the fence and was making its way north through the swamp.

Some of the citizens think that it was only a dog that was seen, but Mr. Ryan is positive it was a bear and a big one at that. The assumption that this is the animal that has been making away with a lot of the sheep in that section is general amongst the farmers, but as bears are considered vegetarians, except when hard pressed for food. they are said to never or rarely attack other animals.

There will in all likelihood be a posse turn out this week on a search for bruin, for, whether or not he is guilty of the sheep killing, there are not many residents of Glenelg who want an animal of this calibre prowling around nights

CITIZENS REQUESTED TO DONATE NECESSITIES

The ladies of the Red Cross are asking for donations from town and country residents of cake, sandwiches, cream and home-made candy for their garden party on August 11, in aid of the Red Cross Hospital. All donations may be left at the rink on the afternoon of August 11, or on the evening of the Baptist minister, of Vancouver, 10th, when the local stores are who has accepted a call to Mount open, they may be left at Ed. Kress

PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S. MET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The W.M.S. of the Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon, July "To their new field and home 26, in the basement of the church, Dr. and Mrs. Grant and daughter with Mrs. A. Derby in the chair. The evening was spent in recall- Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Grant Were Prom- carry the best wishes of many The meeting was opened with singing and prayer, Mrs. Ledingham gave the Bible reading, after which Mrs. J. H. McFadyen read the Con-

There was a good attendance,

Sometimes a man rises from no-

lowest registered every day during the preceeding 24 hours

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