

DURHAM CHRONICLE

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Whoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more in love with his own opinion than with the truth.—WATSON.

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BORDER BOOTLEGGERS The Border Cities Star complains that there is altogether too much bootlegging, and too many dives in Windsor and vicinity and intimates that Government Control in that part of Ontario is not the success it was hoped for...

GETTING BY There are a whole lot of people in the world whose sole aim is to "get by". If they have a mission to perform, they do it sufficiently well to pass inspection, but that is all.

THOSE AWFUL PICTURES The daily press has had quite a number of letters during the past week in reference to some works of art shown at the Toronto Exhibition. We can't say much about them personally. We have never yet seen an art gallery that did not have something in it that we would not care to have hung in our front office.

BORN Davidson—In Durham Hospital, on Monday, September 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davidson, Durham, a son.

Johnston—In Bentinck, September 12, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Johnston, a son.

McKechnie—In Durham Hospital September 10, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKechnie, Glenelg, a daughter.

After a man marries he soon gets rid of the idea that he is the whole show.—Chicago News

DURHAM MARKET Corrected September 4, 1927 Hogs 10.50 Wheat 1.15 Oats 40 @ 50 Barley65 @ .70 Buckwheat65 @ .70 Peas 1.10 @ 1.15 Mixed Grain, per cwt. 1.25 Hay, per ton 8.00 to 10.00 Butter38 Eggs38

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young, Durham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel B., to E. Stanley Arthur, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arthur, Otterville, the marriage to take place in September.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huggill of Toronto are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. Huggill, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McDonald and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, formerly of this place, but latterly of Fergus, have rented the H. S. Griff home on College street and will move back to Durham in the course of a few days. Mr. King has been quite ill for some weeks in the Guelph hospital and while recovering, will not be able to engage in any active pursuits for some time.

Mr. Robert Watt of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Peter Reid.

Mr. Alex. McQueen of Detroit is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McQueen.

Mr. Joseph McCulloch of Detroit, Michigan, visited here for a few days with his brother, Mr. W. G. McCulloch in Bentinck, and with his brother-in-law, Mr. D. Robinson in Glenelg. With Mr. Robinson, he left last week for a visit with friends at Hamilton and other places on the Niagara Peninsula.

Messrs. P. Gagnon, and Dr. D. B. Jamieson and son Bowman, left here Monday on a ten days' moose hunting trip in Quebec, in the vicinity of the Bouvay mining camp.

Mrs. P. Gagnon and daughter Miss Norma, motored to Burlington and Hamilton last week-end and visited with friends and relatives there.

Mr. P. Gagnon received word Saturday that his mother, Mrs. A. Gagnon, was somewhat seriously ill in hospital at Watertown, N. Y.

Mrs. Gagnon left here last spring to visit her family in different parts of the continent this summer and was visiting her son, Mr. Charles Gagnon, when taken ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Aljoe returned to St. Marys on Sunday, after spending a week's holidays in town.

Mr. C. H. Darling, his sister, Mrs. George Gagnon and daughters Helen and Mary, and Miss Jessie Withun, attended the Short-Forsyth wedding in Simcoe last Saturday. Little Miss Helen was one of the flower girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Daniel of Woodstock are spending a week in town with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Firth, accompanied by the former's mother, all of near London, visited with Mrs. J. F. Wright, here, last Friday.

Mrs. L. D. Snow of Tampico, Mexico, is visiting with her father, Mr. J. W. Even and brother, Mr. Douglas Ewen, for some weeks. Mrs. Snow came north to recuperate from an attack of malaria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lauchlan of Ottawa are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Laidlaw. Before returning home they purpose visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laidlaw at Windsor, and also with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grasley of Wyandotte, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brigham of Chicago spent the first of the week in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brigham.

Mr. Robert Watt of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Peter Reid and from here goes to Calgary, to visit with his son, Mr. Charles Watt, and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. McLean were in St. Catharines yesterday attending the funeral of a cousin of Mr. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Trotter and son Kenneth, of Owen Sound, spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Duffield.

Miss Maria Ritchie of Winnipeg is spending a month in town with her mother, Mrs. W. Ritchie, and sisters, Misses Kate and Lily, and with other friends and relatives here and in Glenelg. Miss Ritchie is on the staff of the T. Eaton Company.



WIFE (full of suspicion, to exhausted husband): "That's the second pair of girls I've caught smiling at you! I think you'd better come in front here and pull!"—Humorist, London, Eng.

DURHAM COUPLE FIFTY YEARS MARRIED

(Continued from page 1) coming here Mr. Morton has engaged in farming to quite an extent, and for 18 years was a trusted employee of the National Portland Cement Company.

Mr. Donald Graham of Sault Ste Marie, Mich., is visiting his parents, Principal and Mrs. Graham here.

Rev. J. E. Peters of Meaford spent a couple of days in town last week renewing acquaintances, and took part in the funeral services of the late George A. Moore.

Messrs. James and Robert Tait, J. Caruthers and D. Shaw, all of Toronto, were in town yesterday for a day's fishing. The two former also visited relatives while here.

Mr. W. J. Black and Mr. Ed. Burnett, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Black, all of St. Marys, visited relatives and friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smallman and son Jack went to Toronto last week and took in part of the Exhibition. They also motored to Niagara Falls and to Fort Erie to see the Peace Bridge, returning by Brock's monument.

Miss Edith Willis of Guelph is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Willis.

AN ANSWER WANTED

An irate resident of Glenelg was in our sanctum the other day asking for information in regard to the town pound. It seems one of his porkers got loose and wandered off.

It finally came in, instead of impounding the animal as he should have done, locked it up in the shipping pens at the C. P. R. station. Here it remained for two days without food or water.

Glenelg says he is not so much concerned over his animal getting impounded if they are found wandering at large, but he would like to know what action he could take up against anyone who locks them up for two days without food or water.

He does not notify the pound-keeper, and would have let the animal remain longer had he not missed it and started out to search for it.

We had no answer for the question, not being a lawyer, and will leave it for our readers to express opinions on if they so desire.

COMPLETE WORK THIS WEEK

It is expected that the work of the new Y on the C. N. R. south of town will be completed this week. This, with the new siding put in, will do away with a lot of congestion of former years in keeping the Durham Stone & Sand Company supplies.

Formerly the empties had to be handled several times on occasions and it even hauled out on to the main line to allow the loaded cars to be shipped, but with the new siding and the Y all this inconvenience will be done away with.

The work is in charge of Roadmaster Sampson of Palmerston and it is expected that the work will be pretty much completed this week. During their stay here the workmen have occupied the regular C. N. R. boarding cars.

Coats Attention, Ladies

Here we are again with a full range of Fall and Winter Coats. Something different and smart. Our biggest aim is to please our many customers, and while buying we have endeavored to keep in view quality, workmanship and style.

Our Men's Department is complete in Fall and Winter goods. Overcoats for Men and Boys, suits, shoes, underwear, sweaters, etc.

Dresses

See our Fall line of Ladies' and Misses' Dresses in crepes, cut-velvet and sport material.

Our Men's Department is complete in Fall and Winter goods. Overcoats for Men and Boys, suits, shoes, underwear, sweaters, etc.

Levine's - Mt. Forest

IMPROVEMENT AT FACTORY

The appearance of the east wall of the Durham Furniture Company building has been very much improved by a large sign indicating the business of the company and what it manufactures. Heretofore, in approaching the C. N. R. station it was rather difficult for a stranger to know exactly what the big building housed. To all appearances it might have been either the headquarters of the International Bible Students or one of the recently opened Government Control breweries. However that's all settled now. It is a furniture factory.

HORSE WENT IN DITCH

Last Tuesday morning a horse belonging to Mr. R. Campbell and driven by Mr. W. Gray, slipped off the bank into the ditch alongside the new post office foundation, and for a time there was considerable excitement and a lot of hard work before the animal was released. Before the horse could be released it was necessary to dig a clearance for its legs as it fell in somewhat sideways in endeavoring to save itself. Once the animal's legs were free it was an easy matter for it to walk out.

KICKED BY HORSE

A serious accident occurred on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell at Welbeck on Friday of last week when their young son, Charles, only four years old, was kicked in the face by one of the horses, with the result that his jawbone was fractured and several stitches were required to close the wound in his face.

We have not been informed as to the particulars of the accident, but understand that the young patient is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

WALKERTON WON

The Walkerton ladies' team of softball players took the local ladies' team into camp last Saturday night to the score of 21 to 13. On the play they deserved the win as they fielded, batted and apparently knew more of the game than the Durham team.

The locals will have to step out into society when they meet the champion "Wawanekas" of Owen Sound, who go into the finals for the softball championship of Ontario, playing off for the title with either Galt or Guelph.

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VETERANS' STAR THEATRE Friday-Saturday, Sept. 16-17 LEATRICE JOY in "VANITY" Is there class distinction in this country? See "Vanity" for the answer—you'll be thrilled, amazed, delighted. COMEDY—Alice Day in "SOAP SUDS LADY" First Show Starts 7.45 Adults—25c. Children—15c. COMING SOON—"The Unknown Soldier"

Business Extension I wish to announce the opening of a Smallwares Department in connection with my present business, which will be ready for Fair Days, September 20 and 21. As all goods on our shelves will from now on be sold at the lowest possible price, and at a very small margin of profit, after this date our terms will be strictly Cash. Your patronage is solicited, GEO. CAMPBELL 2 doors north of Post Office. Durham.

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FALL FAIR DATES 1927

For the first time in a good many years The Chronicle publishes below a partial list of the dates Fall Fairs throughout this section of Ontario, as issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. At one time this was a regular column in our paper, but the dates were often wrong and caused so much confusion that we stopped the practice. During the past couple of years we have been asked frequently why we have discontinued the publishing of these dates, and as the news is apparently of interest to a good many of our readers, we give below a partial list issued by the Superintendent, Lockie Wilson.

We have no idea why these dates cannot be issued correctly from the Department, but it is a curious fact that they are not and although mistakes are not frequent, there usually are enough of them to destroy confidence in the balance of the list. We publish this list, but are in no way responsible for its correctness. It is as we have received it at this office and is the best of our knowledge, correct. Anyway, it is authentic.

Table listing fall fair dates for various locations: Ailsa Craig, Alvinston, Ancaster, Arthur, Atwood, Ayton, Brantford, Brussels, Bayfield, Belmont, Blenheim, Blyth, Bothwell's Corners, Burford, Burlington, Caledonia, Chatsworth, Chesley, Clarksburg, Clifford, Collingwood, Courtland, Delaware, Dorchester, Drumbo, Dundalk, Duncannon, DURHAM, Elmira, Elmvalle, Embro, Erin, Essex, Exeter, Fergus, Flesherton, Florence, Forest, Fort Erie, Galt, Georgetown, Glencoe, Gordie, Hanover, Harrow, Highgate, HOLSTEIN, Ilford, Ingersoll, Jarvis, Kirkton, Lakeland, Lambeth, Leamington, Lion's Head, Listowel, Lucknow, Markdale, Melbourne, Merlin, Midway, Milverton, Mitchell, Mount Brydges, Mount Forest, Muncie, Nuncestad, New Hamburg, Norwich, Oshweken, Ottawa (Central Canada), Owen Sound, Paisley, Palmerston, Paris, Parkhill, Petrolia, Pinkerton, Port Elgin, Priceville, Rainham Centre, Ridgeway, Ripley, Rockton, Rodney, St. Marys, Sarnia, Seaford, Shelburne, Shedden, Springfield, Stratford, Stratfordville, Strathroy, Tara, Tavistock, Teeswater, Thamesville, Theford, Thorndale, Tiverton, Toronto, Underwood, Wallaceburg, Walter's Falls, Waterford, Watford, Welland, Wiarton, Wilkesport, Windham Centre, Wingham, Woodstock.

The Modern Face "He was almost with expression," a novelist described some day, "there was a woman with bridge countenance, and had a perfect poker face. Money may talk, but hear enough to become Border Cities Star."