

**Darkies' Corners**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
Silo filling is in full swing in the neighborhood this week.  
Mr. Ralph and Misses Ruby and Aleda Staples spent Friday with their sister, Mrs. Clark Watson.  
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Atcheson on the birth of a son.  
Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Clark Watson from Edge Hill and Zion met at her home on Thursday evening and spent a few pleasant hours. During the evening the young couple were presented with a rocking chair, health rug and brass fern pot, with a complimentary address.  
On Friday evening a large course of friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Whitmore, who were recently married and presented them with a china cabinet and a rug. Reeve Weir was chairman and called on a few who expressed their good wishes. Miss Jessie Bell read the address and Messrs. J. Newell and R. McFadden made the presentation. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, etc.  
Mr. David Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Farr Lawrence, Egremont.  
Mrs. McCannell and Mrs. McPherson visited a few days the latter part of the week with friends in Protton and Stayner.  
Miss McLean is assisting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Atcheson.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Collinson are enjoying a holiday with friends in Hamilton.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Gray are taking up residence this week in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan, who are moving into town.

**Calderwood**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
The weather is becoming very variable. No complaint is heard these days of lack of rain.  
Mr. Clarke Hamilton spent last week at Mr. Walter Hermiston's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Williams and daughter of Toronto are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Louis Leibold and other relatives on this line.  
Miss Mary Dillon attended the Teachers' Convention in Durham last Thursday and Friday.  
Mr. John Leibold is having the exterior of his house painted.  
A number of the young people of this line took in the Old Time dance in Aytton on Friday evening. They report a wonderful time.  
Mrs. Chris Kaufman spent several days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Becker.  
The small-pox scare is leaving this vicinity. Dr. Easton visited our school recently to vaccinate the pupils.  
Mrs. Thos. Ellis, Salem, spent an afternoon last week with Mrs. T. D. McMullen.

**Priceville**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mrs. Jackson and daughter Kathleen, Mr. Wilson and Mr. MacAllister of Collingwood visited recently at the Nichol home.  
Miss K. MacLean, Messrs. Murray Nichol and Clifford Hincks of Toronto Normal visited at their respective homes the past few days.  
Misses Mae and Sadie MacEachern of Durham spent the week-end with their grand mother here.  
Mr. Prosser of Ceylon preached very acceptably in the United Church Sunday morning. Though only a student he is a very fluent speaker and holds the attention of his audience throughout the service. He also took charge of the anniversary services at Salem.  
Mr. Dave Nichol treated the people of this community to a very enjoyable party on Friday evening. All enjoyed themselves to the wee small hours of the morning.  
Miss Margaret Smith, R. N. of Durham is at present nursing Mr. T. A. M. Ferguson.  
Mr. Pete Johnson attended the Teachers' Convention in Durham Thursday and Friday.  
Mrs. Neil MacKinnon and Bobs of Toronto, spent the week-end at the Alcorn home.  
Wedding bells are loudly ringing in our burg.

**Mulock**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
Almost a life long resident of this neighborhood, who will be remembered by many older citizens, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Heughan, Toronto, October 14, 1927. We extend deep and heartfelt sympathy to every member of the Currie family who mourn the loss of an exceptionally kind and loving mother.  
The deceased was a cheerful, beautiful old lady of about 84 years of age, and was much loved by all who knew her. In a large degree she fulfilled the description of wife and mother given in the book of Proverbs where, of such women it is said "her children shall rise up and call her blessed". Mr. and Mrs. Currie had a large family of 11 children, 6 of whom survive her who had lived the simple and industrious life of the pioneers of Bentinck township. Mr. and Mrs. Currie cleared their farm and built up a happy home for themselves and their children. The long married life of the worthy couple was broken by the death of her husband in 1914. During the last 13 years Mrs. Currie has spent most of her time with her daughter, Mrs. Heughan, of Toronto, where she got every care. Here she made a large circle of friends who loved her for her devoted Christian life and her kindly disposition. The members of her family who survive her are: Minnie (Mrs. Heughan), Jennie (Mrs. Salsbury), Addie (Mrs. Calvert) John, James and Willie.

Her remains were interred beside those of her late husband in the Hanover cemetery Monday of this week.  
Mr. Irvin Knechtel, Hanover, took the services Sunday in the absence of Rev. H. Crickington. He delivered a most inspiring message and the Mulock congregation feel very grateful to him for helping.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McDonald, Mr. John and Miss Uva, Mr. Donald and Miss Flora McDonald, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dougald McDonald of Lamplash.  
Miss Blanche Boyce spent the week-end with friends at Hanover and Aytton.  
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Knechtel and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fulton on Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McLean and family of Aberdeen, the latter attending the anniversary services at Lamplash.  
A goodly number from this section attended the anniversary services at Lamplash on Sunday, all enjoying able discourses of Dr. Morrow and the musical part of the service.

**Traverston**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
During the past fortnight, the hillside and river valley at Hayward's Falls has been beauty indescribable.  
Mr. Thos. Timmins had as much sport on Saturday delivering a stag hog to the stockyards as a hunter would have in a week moose-hunting.  
W. R. Jack arrived home on Friday last from Loreburn, Sask., and looks fresh and hearty after his month's visit. He reports his brother Thos. as improving in health and western weather as somewhat disappointing this season.  
Messrs. S. H. and Hugh Wright have taken the contract of delivering all the marketable timber on lot 20, Con. 8, to the Durham Furniture Co. in town this winter. The amount is estimated at 100,000 feet. It will be a 12-mile haul.  
Mrs. M. J. Davis visited at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webber's near town a few days last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Magwood and family spent the first of the week at Mr. J. J. Pearl's.  
Mrs. Thos. Jackson and son Rob and Paul Nelson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Harrison at Swinton Park on Sunday.  
Mr. Thos. Brandon of Manitoba was a guest at Mr. Herb Allen's last week.  
After enjoying the ozone of the north country for a month with her sister, Mrs. Blodgett at Timmins, Mrs. Robert Vollett returned to the home on the 4th concession last week.  
This old home was enlivened on Sunday by the presence of T. Ivan Edwards and wife from Shelburne and, also, by the youngest son of the house, W. H. Edwards, from Toronto university.  
Threshing is about completed in this vicinity. Nobody sorry.  
Miss Reta L. Barbour attended the Teachers' Convention in town and reports it as one of the best yet.  
Mrs. Dan McAuliffe spent a month with her sister, Mrs. Henry, at Shallow Lake. Mrs. Henry returned with her.  
We saw the snow birds cavorting on Tuesday afternoon, but their presence isn't desired as yet as mangels, corn and turnips have yet to be housed.  
Traverston beef-ringers wound up business for another season last week. The average weight of animals this season was 425 lbs. Mr. G. E. Peart was re-elected president. Jos. R. Edwards, secretary; E. R. Peart, butcher; Basil Davis and your scribe auditors, salary nominally nil. A very hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. James Peart for the use of his shop.  
A happy community gathering took place at Mr. and Mrs. John Gray's on Monday evening, when the neighbours assembled to honor them before their leaving for Durham, where they will make their new home, lately occupied by Mr. George Ryan on Lampton St. When all had gathered, Mrs. Chas. McClockin called the crowd to order and read a very complimentary address, speaking highly of their worth as neighbors and citizens. At the conclusion of the address Mrs. Gray was presented with a set of dishes, Mr. Gray with a sum of money and a pair of cosy felt shoes and granddaughter, Missy Esther, with a sugar bowl and cream pitcher. Mrs. Gray in behalf of her husband and self thanked them most heartily for their kindly words and generous gifts and bade them all make merry. One of the pleasing features of the evening was the presence of the members of their family—George and his wife and Will, from Durham, Mrs. Jim Vessie from the Rocky and Harry from Gleniegl. They all report having a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Gray has been obliging neighbors, honest, neat in the up-keep of farm and home and most industrious. Everybody wishes them success in town.  
'Twas a most happy affair, the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blair in town on Saturday evening. Those who were honored with invitations and were present from this vicinity were: Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Timmins, Mrs. Wm. Firth and Miss Katie, your scribe, his better half, and Miss Mina and Mr. W. H. Edwards of Toronto. It certainly was a joyous gathering and many good wishes for the bridal couple were extended.  
The Women's Institute met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. J. Greenwood where the program was taken by the married ladies. A dainty lunch was served at the close of the meeting.  
Mr. and Mrs. John McNally, who spent the past month around Loreburn, Sask., returned to their home on the 10th concession last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Harrison of Swinton Park spent Monday evening at the Nelson home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McArthur visited early in the week with Mr. and Mrs. John McNally of Durham.

**Latona**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McWilliam spent Sunday with McArthur's.  
Mr. Albert Livingstone has rented his farm to Mr. Bert Marselles, who gets possession this week. We welcome them to our neighborhood.  
Visitors at the Mortley home the past week were: Mrs. J. E. Baxter and son of Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins, Miss Kennedy and Mr. Kennedy, of Arthur.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crutchley spent the first of the week with friends in town.  
Mr. Bob Mortley finished threshing this week and reports a very good season.

**Rocky Saugeen**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
The U. F. W. O. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dougald Clark. There was a very good attendance of members and several visitors. Much interesting discussion was held. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Clark and helpers served a dainty lunch. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. Hiddleton.  
Miss Mary Heslip is spending a few days with Mrs. D. Wilkie.  
Miss Mamie Crutchley arrived home much improved after her recent illness.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vessie and family spent a few days with friends in St. Marys.  
Miss Glenna Lawrence spent the week-end with Mrs. L. McLean.  
Miss Margaret McLean has been under the care of Dr. Jamieson the past week with an attack of pleurisy. Pleased to hear latest reports find her improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Miller and family were guests with friends in Durham on Sunday.  
Miss Kathleen Firth, Durham, was a guest of Mrs. Neil McLean Tuesday evening.

**Edge Hill**

(Our Own Correspondent)  
Mr. Arthur Edge was in Mount Forest Monday on business.  
Threshing is finished up for this season and silo filling is in progress. The corn crop is considerably below the average this year.  
Miss Margaret Edge of town and Miss Lane, of Durham High school staff were guests of Mrs. W. J. Ritchie on Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McNichol of Toronto visited over the week-end with the McFayden family.  
Mr. Metville Anderson has leased Mr. J. J. Atkinson's farm for a term of three years.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cushnie of Toronto were guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. H. Williams last week. Mrs. Williams accompanied them on their return to the city and will spend some time with friends in Toronto.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atkinson have moved to town after spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ritchie.  
Our mail courier, Mr. Albert Livingston has commenced this week to make his rounds in the morning.  
On Thursday evening the friends and neighbors of Mrs. Clark Watson met at her new home and presented her with an upholstered rattan rocking chair and a Smyrna health rug, also an address expressing good wishes for her future health, happiness and prosperity. Mr. Watson replied briefly on behalf of his bride, thanking them for their gifts and good wishes and extended an invitation for all to enjoy themselves.

**FLORIDA'S WONDERFUL BEACHES**

Are you longing for the caressing warmth of a cloudless mid-summer day for the song of birds, for the scent of flowers? Then don't wait months to enjoy them! In Florida you may drink in health and gladness at one of her magnificent coastal resorts. Motor over her glorious roads. Play Golf in her brilliant sunshine. Enjoy the thrill of her deep-sea fishing and sailing. Bask on her velvet silver beaches. Plunge into the buoyant warmth of her surf.  
A winter spent on the beaches of Florida is a winter spent in a paradise of sunshiny pleasure and luxury.  
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Choir Leader: "Aunt Maggie, you have been awfully active in the church all these years, and now you are going to be married, we want to sing your favorite tune for you as you march down the aisle. What will it be?"  
Aunt Maggie: "As I march down the aisle on my wedding day, just sing that old familiar refrain, 'This is the way I long have sought and wept because I found it not'."  
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Manufacturers of High-Class Monuments  
Estimates Given and Designs Submitted Free  
All work guaranteed first-class  
Hugh McDonald, Thos. Soper, Durham Chesley

**Egremont Council**

Council met Oct. 17. Minutes adopted. The Treasurer reported having received payment of arrears of Taxes appearing against Lot 1, Centre St. North, Holstein.  
Ferguson—Robb—That the County Treasurer be instructed to erase from his books the arrears of Taxes appearing against Lot 1, Centre St. Holstein, payment of same having been made.—Carried.  
Ferguson—Robb—That the Reeve be instructed to sign Pay sheet No. 8 for work performed on roads.—Carried.  
Hunter—Wilson—In reference to the communication received from the District Manager of the Bell Telephone Co., Stratford, that the Clerk be instructed to inform the District manager that unless some action is taken in regard to the granting free exchange with the Central office in Durham and also owing to dissatisfaction in the present service this Council feel it will be their duty to take steps toward building an independent line.—Carried.  
Wilson—Hunter—In reference to the communication re ditch, 15th sideroad, lot 16, Con. 19, that the Reeve and Road Superintendent attend to the matter.—Carried.  
Ferguson—Wilson: That the Reeve and Road Superintendent attend to the Water grievance complained of at Lot 2, Con. 16.—Carried.  
Ferguson—Robb: That the Road Superintendent have the brush cut at the intersection of Concession 7 and baseline.—Carried.  
Hunter—Wilson: That a letter of sympathy and condolence from the Council board be drafted and transmitted to the bereaved family of the late Charles McInnis.—Carried.  
Wilson—Hunter: That the following accounts be paid: Geo. H. Rawn, sheep killed \$15.00; James Lothian, do. \$36.00; James Geddes, ins. sheep, \$1.75; R. Aitken, do. \$2.00; pay sheet No. 8 for road improvement \$280.78; Road Superintendent for services \$49.35; selectors of Jurors \$3.00; Members of Council, attendance at meeting to date \$15.00; R. Christie, use of room \$2.00.—Carried.  
Council adjourned to meet Saturday, November 12th, for general business.

—DAVID ALLAN, Clerk.  
**MANY SIGN FOR HYDRO**  
Hydro service for farmers between Tara and Port Elgin is quite possible, since about a dozen in the district around Arkwright have already been up with the hydro representative who is going through the section. There is some indication of a reduction being made in the service charge. The farmers hope to be of considerable assistance by way of men and material if the line is constructed.  
Read the Classified Ads. on Page 7.

**See Our Window Display**

Curtains, per pair \$ .79  
Flannelette Blankets .....\$2.19  
Tea Toweling, per yard .....17c-19c.  
**SPECIAL**  
Brooms .....39c.  
**TERMS: CASH**  
**Geo. Campbell**  
Two doors north of Post Office Durham Ontario

**VETERANS' STAR THEATRE**

Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
October 20, 21 and 22  
**Rudolph Schildkraut**  
in  
**"Pals in Paradise"**  
Finding a gold mine is one thing, but holding it is another as he found when a girl claimed it as her property—that's why they become "Pals in Paradise."  
also  
Two Reel Comedy  
Coming October 24, 25, 26  
**"The Scarlet Letter"**  
First Show Starts 7.30  
Adults—25c. Children—15c.  
Next Week:  
**"MANHATTEN MADNESS"**  
featuring  
Jack Dempsey and His Wife

**"MIRACLE" WHEAT AGAIN PROVEN INFERIOR**

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periodically under one name or another.  
In 1908 the United States Department of Agriculture began an extensive investigation of this wheat, which investigation continued for several years. In the meantime it had been tried by farmers all over the United States but it is not now grown anywhere as a commercial crop. The fact that it has never become established in spite of the remarkable advertising it has received is a good indication of its inferiority. Promoters however, resurrect it periodically and, owing to its striking and unusual appearance, manage to sell it to the unsuspecting farmer at exorbitant prices.  
The essential facts concerning

Alaska wheat have been summed up very nicely in a bulletin published by the United States Department of Agriculture—Bulletin No. 357, 1916, P. 27—at the conclusion of extensive tests conducted at many points in the U. S., as follows: 1. That it has been used in this country very often as a means of deceiving people and very seldom as a farm crop; 2. that it has failed to produce even fair yields; (3) that it is not a good milling wheat; (4) that the branched head is not a sign of superior yielding power.

Wife (looking out of bedroom window: "This is a nice time at night to come home."  
Workman: "I've been at the meeting debating the strike."  
Wife: "Well, you can now stay where you are and discuss the lock-out."  
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**Princess Pat Quebec**  
Black Trim \$60.00  
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**A New Happy Thought Achievement**  
The Happy Thought Cosy Home Heater.  
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It Radiates Heat.  
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It Burns Any Fuel.  
This new heater takes the place of a small furnace. Be sure and see it! .....\$35.00

**A. S. HUNTER & CO.**  
Hardware and Seeds Durham, Ontario

**HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL WON SHIELD FRIDAYS**

Four Schools Competed scholastic School Meet Week.—Fine Weather But Small Crowd Turned See the Students Perform

Ideal weather was here time for the interschool and track meet of the Bruce High schools, held agricultural grounds in D Friday of last week. With ulularly warm day for the year, which ended with a ably lowered temperature sun went down, the elements particularly kind to the pupils of the two county they pulled off their event.  
Throughout the whole competition was keen a not until the final boys' that the champions could nounced, the Hanover an pupils going into the la the meet a tie, with 46 p All along the line throug ous events, the compet being: Hanover 51, Durha ley 42, Walkerton 23.

**Winners of Medals**  
Following the meet a and a number of the st ouned to the High sc the results were figur the medals presented, and Gordon Maloney a school captured the medals for first and sec the meet, with 11 and respectively; Grab of Fred Murdoch of Durha honours in the Junior B 13 and 7 points; E. Hind and F. Wright of Hanov for first place with 5 p Macdonald of Durham with 3. The Junior cup a complicated affair. N. M. Collinson of the Du each having 3 points, a Campbell of Chesley an of Hanover. The toss d cided who was to get, and the honors went to Campbell for first and tion respectively.  
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**NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH**

Jean, the young Daug and Mrs. D. C. T. Burned to Death Took Fire When at  
On Tuesday evening about 5 o'clock, little three or four years of ter of Mr. and Mrs. place, had a very r from death by burni playing about a bonfir of McFadden's drug st ing took fire. But for of mind of Leonard M was the first to see smothered the flame hands and legs, she certainly have perish Nothing definite is just how the accide Jean, and a number companions were en at the rear of the st not known if they started, or whether number possessed a m one of their own. G to the blaze, her dress was burned off the low body, her limbs and the waist being severe deeply burned. Luc wearing a heavy w and this prevented climbing higher an face and upper bod Had this happened, doubt that nothing e her from a horrible The little patient the home of her pare she is now recuperat terrible experience r results are anticipa

**SURPRISE PARTY MISS SA**

Daughter of Forme This Part of Ont For Nurse in Regi  
The following in Loreburn, Sask. He interest to many raders, Miss Jack Mr. and Mrs. Thon residents of the Zi went West some y niece of Mrs. N. Mc ham, and Mr. W. The Herald says:  
A very pleasant was held on the ev at the home of Mr Jack, in honor of who on Monday ret where she is a nur the Grey Nun's hos has been home sev erating from a fr friends were in th had a very enjoya before departing Jack with a lea slight token of the she is held in the