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## LATE WM. SCARF WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN

Lived Greater Part of His Life in This Vicinity, But For Past Ten Years Had Been Resident of Toronto.—Funeral Was Held Last Sunday to Durham Cemetery.

The news of the passing of Mr. William Scarf at his late home, 367 St. Clarens Avenue, Toronto, last Thursday morning, was not only a great shock to his two sisters, here, but to the whole community, as word had been received here only the day previously that he was very much improved and apparently re-covering from an attack of heart trouble with which he had been more or less confined to his bed during the month of April.

town, where they became widely known as breeders of Shorthorn cattle and Yorkshire hogs. In this they made a great success and the name of Thomas Scarf & Sons was known over a wide area as outstanding agriculturists and breeders of live stock.

was married to Miss Maria Edge of Glenelg, who survives. For a time they lived in Bentinck and owned and operated the present William Noble and Ernest Roseborough farms, and by strict industry and business management had marked this spring last Saturday aftersuccess. Thirteen years ago they disposed of their properties and ments held full sway and a regular came to reside in Durham, leaving torrential downpour flooded the here three years later for Toronto, streets. Commencing about 1.30 in in order that the deceased might the afternoon the rain continued be in closer touch with his calling until 2.45 and during that time a of Dominion Inspector of Weights trifle over one and one-half inches Mikado and the Rising Sun. and Measures, an appointment he fell. According to the rain gauge had received some time before. In at The Chronicle office 156 hundthis, as in his other undertakings, redths of an inch fell. For this Mr. Scarf was most successful. He part of the universe this is a heavy was a good business man and at the precipitation, but anyone who was time of his death was assistant in forced to be out of doors at the

### Accident Caused Death

Though the immediate cause of three years ago last November (Continued on page 2)

### FIFTY MEMBERS IN CHURCH PARADE

held to Trinity church last Sun-than to either go ahead with the day evening, when about fifty work or erect a proper barricade members of the local lodge, with a to avoid accident to passing traffic. few from outside lodges, attended. The wall was erected something anniversary on Tuesday of last The service was in charge of the over twenty years ago, but as the rector, the Rev. E. Hayes, who took sidewalk was built too soon after Allan Park by Rev. A. Heigh. Mrs. his text from Luke 10:25, "And be- the fill was put in, the settling of tempted him, saying, Master, what to sink and this, allowing the water shall I do to inherit eternal life?" to get in, had gradually undermin-Again was told the story of the ed the wall until it became unsafe. Good Samaritan, the priest and the Saturday's storm settled the matter Levite, and the lesson taught by as the water ran in behind the moving to Wiarton some fifteen this famous parable. The sermon wall, undermined it further and was a most forceful one and was caused it to collapse. one of the best ever delivered to the

#### Durham lodge. Degree Work Monday

meeting night of the lodge, and a only a short distance from town most pleasant evening was spent. there was no rain at all. It was Several members of the Owen about noon when the first rumbling Sound lodge were present and put of thunder was heard and about on a degree for the locals. Their 1.30 when the storm broke. For a work was of a high quality and time it looked as if it might pass the locals were delighted with around to the north but finally niece from Hanover, attended the company of Hanover men, who their exemplification of the third apparently split in two parts, the degree. Following the regular bus- one coming south the other contininess the members sat down to an uing along its northerin path. excellent banquet at which several From all appearances the country



Pilot Fred Melchoir of the Junkers Co. is shown wearing the parachute with which he descended Durham Buying Station, purchaser gathering are Mr. Victor Bartman, his mother's residence on Garafrarecently held in Guelph. Mrs. W. and Saturday the week was clear from a United States army amphi- of eggs, poultry, etc., has rented of Hannah, Alta.; Mr. Chester Bart- xa street, the deal having been put the building recently occupied by man and Mr. Roy Bartman of Scana through this work. from a United States army ampliful the building recently occupied by man and Mr. Roy Bartman of Scapa, through this week. Mr. Browne, excellent paper on missionary work redths of an inch fell while on Satbian plane which carried him to the building redths of an inch fell while on Sattle stranded transatlantic aero- F. W. Moon as a machine shop and Alta. There are also twenty-eight we understand, intends to rent it among the Northwest Indians. She urday afternoon between 1.30 and plane Bremen. Melchoir parachut- is already in possession. In an- grandchildren. ed 1,800 feet to the ground. But other column Mr. Clemetns tells the plane Bremen. Melchoir parachuted 1,800 feet to the ground. But
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Lasted For Well Over Hour .- Retaining Wall Washed Out.

This section of Ontario experienced its heaviest fall of rain for noon, and while it lasted the elecharge of that important office in time will agree that the rainfall was one of the heaviest ever experienced here.

The heavy rain was not without death was given as heart failure, wall on Lambton street, which has Mr. Scarf's illness dates back to for years been in a state of poor repair was washed out by the flood and there is apparently no further choice for the Town Council but to make the necessary repairs. This wall has been under discussion in the Council on previous occasions, WIARTON COUPLE but we have been led to understand that of the late the Council has been of the opinion that the Local Lodge of Odd Fellows Attend- wall would stand for some time ed Church in a Body Last Sunday | yet and its repairing this summer Evening.—Some Visitors Present. was not seriously contemplated. Saturday's storm has altered mat-The annual church parade of ters considerably in that the Grey Lodge No 169, I.O.O.F., was Council now has no alternative

hold, a certain lawyer stood up, and the earth caused the concrete walk Miss Martha Hopkins of Bentinck

for although it rained over a considerable area, in some parts of their residence at Wiarton. Bentinck it is reported that very Monday night was the regular little rain fell, while in Normanby more than our share. The rain was badly needed and everything is now warm weather following the crops will get a good start and Ontario's usual prosperity prevail.

### PLENTY OF DANCES

when youth and pleasure meet" is children.

### IN NEW PREMISES

### DIFFICULT OPERA WELL PRESENTED

Hanover Troop Won Many Laurels Mrs. Hayes, Government Speaker, Here Friday Evening Last in Addressed Gathering on "The Masterly Presentation of "The Mikado".

The late Mr. Scarf was one of the best known men in this vicinity. He was born at Morpeth, Northumberland, England, in 1864, and when 17 years of age came with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scarf, to Canada, the family setling in Durham. They subsequently engaged in farming on the farm now owned by Mr. James Lawrence, three miles north of the vicinity, and the most own, where they became widely are nown, where they became widely are nown where they became widely are nown on the late Mr. Scarf was one of the company consisted of about three was not during the covening in both solo and chorus who took for her subject "The Information of the Was Mrs. C. Hayes of Georgetown, who took for her subject "The Information of the Modern Magazine presentation in their home town. It is quite within the bounds of conservatism to say that "The Milator of the comparatively new and had more scope. She criticized the moving picture because it was not true to ordinary life, and she most extravagant and altogether the best show of its kind ever seen. The company consisted of about year.

oi the cast.

and, with correct costumes, perfect Speaking of the modern maga- ed off, which, with other casual- the cheering had died down Mr.

tion should be made of Ko Ko (A. could have but one effect on those wrecked car and rescued Watt from active support in the campaign. Winkler), who carried the heaviest who read them. part and brought his company through a most difficult production ers to join in the fight against the hospital and was taken to the Genhospital and was taken to the

## HAD GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bartman Were Former Residents of Bentinck Township Near Allan Park.

Two of Wiarton's old and highly esteemed citizens, in the persons celebrated their golden wedding hostess and her assistants. Bartman before her marriage was Township. They resided in the township of Bentinck until 1883 when they came to Bruce Penin- Deputation Interviewed the Council sula, and settled in Tobermory, years ago. They were lifelong members of the Methodist and The storm must have been local United churches, and have enjoyed a large circle of friends during from Hanover, composed of Messrs.

the recipients of many beautiful years, and a fixed rate of water.

being exemplified in town the past Of a family of twelve children, can be arrived at, while before a week and this. Last Thursday a eleven are still living seven of fixed assessment can be granted good crowd was in attendance at whom were present for the unusual the matter will have to be submitthe Blu-Bell orchestra dance, and event. Relatives who attended ted to the ratepayers. on Monday of this week the Blue were: four sons, Mr. Lawrence The council was anxious that the Water Boys put on a jitney dance Bartman, of Toronto; Mr. Clarence whole matter be gone into very which also drew a fair crowd. Bartman of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. carefully and is also most anxious With a couple of Owen Sound or- Joseph Bartman, of Cobalt, Ont., that this industry should get startchestras threatening to put on a and Mr. Edward Bartman of Wiar- ed again, and every encouragement series of dances, two of which ton, three daughters, Mrs. Howard was given the Hanover men. The In other words, if they are so in-le clined, they will no doubt "hop to W. W. Ransberry, Tobermory; Mr. and Mrs. thorities.

Bartman, Tobermory; Mr. and Mrs. men interested and the city au-thorities.

Bartman, Tobermory; Mr. and Mrs. men interested and the city au-a text on "Joy." and Mrs. G. S. Hopkins and Miss Hopkins, Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hopkins, Tobermory. The four sons who reside in the West and Mr. James A. Browne of the Dur- H. Lauder gave a splendid report quite cool, with a keen north wind. A. C. Clements, proprietor of the were unable to be with the family ham Road, Glenelg, has purchased of the provincial W. M. S. meeting With the exception of Thursday

amount of farm produce for cash | twice. Maybe he doesn't dare to. | Head, Sask.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HAD SUMMER MEETING

Influence of Modern Magazines and Moving Pictures".

The presentation of Gilbert & Sullivan's musical opera, "The Mikado", in the Town Hall last Friday evening was everything that could be desired, and the Hanover company of artists fully deserved the many kind words received that night and since for their excellent interpretation of this old favorite opera which seems to lose none of its interest as the years go by.

There was a good attendance at the summer meeting of the Durham branch of the South Grey Women's Institute, held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. J. Mc-Lachlan in town. The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. Glass, and first dealt with the the usual routine business problems, which were fully discussed and plans laid for the activities of the local branch for the coming the local branch for the coming

the best show of its kind ever seen claimed that many of the smaller in Durham and the full house pre-sent thoroughly enjoyed every part been traced to the bad influence of COUPE WAS WRECKED sent thoroughly enjoyed every part | been traced to the bad influence of the motion pictures. She voiced a The company was exceptionally protest against the showing of well balanced, the choruses espec- many of the modern motion picially being away above the average, tures, especially those in which and while special mention might be murder was depicted, as these most made of the men's chorus, which certainly had a bad influence on Thirty-five years ago Mr. Scarf Torrential Downpour Commenced was very fine, this should in no the undevloped minds of the young. Shortly After One o'Clock and | manner detract from the excellence | The showing of pictures in which of the singing of the lady members our police force is held up to ridicule was also condemned as it It was a wonderful production, created a disrespect for the law.

make-up, and well-timed action, zines, Mrs. Hayes deplored the ties, will lay it up for a time until Mitchell seconded the proposal. The one might with little imagination reading of many of the present- repairs are made. think himself in old Japan. The day "slush" magazines that appear The driver of the car was Howard senting voice and without further stage, too, was Japanese, and the under the guise of literature, saymagnificence of its layout forced ing that it was altogether too bad
Owen Sound, and when the car delegated delegated that the industry had not personned. the audience to transport itself for that the industry had not remained took to the ditch he was trapped in delegates for their support and the couple of hours the perform- true to the high ideals of a few the machine and rendered uncon- promised to throw all his energies ance was on to the land of the years ago. Good magazines, like scious when the coupe turned over into the fight to win back South good pictures, were to be desired, a couple of times. Watt received Bruce for the Conservative party. While the whole cast was good, but the reading of those of a deinjuries to his head and was somefirst to congretulate him and asand comparisons may appear en- grading or debasing nature, whose what badly bruised about the body. first to congratulate him and astirely out of place, particular men- pages were filled with sex filth, A passing motorist noticed the ure him of their whole-hearted and

with great success. The character loose and immoral magazines and eral hospital at Stratford on Sunday. of Katisha, taken by Mrs. E. Graff, movies by sending in resolutions of Watt, who is employed in the ofwas also a hard one but her port- condemnation to the authorities, fice of the C.N.R. shops at Stratits damage, too, as the retaining rayal of her part was superb and left and to also look well to it that none ford, is a former Owen Sound resnothing to be desired, while the of the immodest or unchaste liter- ident and was on his way home to other characters of Nanki Poo, the attre was allowed to enter their visit his parents when the accid-Mikado's son (C. Graff), Pooh Bah homes. She advocated the keeping ent, said to have been caused by (G. Clarke) and Pish Tush (C. Kobe) of the younger children away from a front time blowing out, happened. the movie houses altogether, and Though in a quite serious condition told her hearers that in the case of when brought to Durham, Watt exthe older children they should be pects to be able to return to his

Mrs. Hayes is a pleasing and at Owen Sound. forceful speaker, and while she was uncompromising in her attack on the unclean pictures and magazines he is apparently not averse to the LAST YEAR'S OFFICERS she is apparently not averse to the showing of properly censored pictures or the reading of the better class of magazine.

At the close of the meeting reof Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bartman, freshments were served by the

# PACKING PLANT MAY

on Subject of Concessions, in the Event Hisey Meat Plant is Put Back Into Operation

A deputation of business men Paterson, Mills, Duncan and Mess-Their home was nicely decorated ner, waited on the committee of the for the occasion. The dining room City Council, Owen Sound, on particularly presented a beautiful Friday night with respect to their appearance. A four storey wed- plan to purchase the plant and ding cake had its place in the property of the Sound Packing centre of the table, which was Company, now defunct. Mr. Pateradorned with ferns, roses, tulips son was the spokesman of the depand daffodils. Miss Hopkins, a utation and he stated that a strong door while Mrs. W. W. Ransberry were thoroughly conversant with 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. T. Petty; is thought the funeral was held of Tobermory and Mrs. M. Warder the packing industry, were desir- 3rd Vice-President, Mrs. J. A. Gra- yesterday to the cemtery at Simpassisted in the dining room. A ous of going to Owen Sound and ham: Secretary, Mrs. M. Knechtel; son. We tender sympathy to brolarge number of friends called dur- putting this business on its feet. Treasure, Mrs. P. Gagnon. good addresses and a program were north of us got a drenching, too, gratulations and good wishes for however, permission to slaughter ed, up to and including October 23, Durham we must have secured many more years of healthful hap- animals on the premises, a fixed were arranged as follows, and those piness. Mr. and Mrs. Bartman were assessment for a certain term of interested in the work are request- Too much talk! not enough walk.

are both in their seventy-third slaughter houses within the muni- named: year and enjoying excellent health. cipality, and this was one of the Probably the most enjoyment of stumbling blocks which made the such an event for the elderly council hesitate before committing couple, was having with them itself, and there are also certain "On with the dance, let joy be again, eight of their eleven child- regulations regarding santtary and unconfined; no sleep till morn ren and a number of their grand- health matters which have to be looked into before a final decision

### PURCHASED RESIDENCE

the Bremen crashed after its takeoff and, being damaged, has been to purchase any that he never visits the same city daughters at Winnipeg and Indian was sung and the meeting closed by "change" area with pressure of the daughters at Winnipeg and Indian all repeating the Lord's prayer area with pressure of



Badly Injured Driver.

the ditch near Barber's Corners be made the unanimous choice of

# WERE ALL RETURNED

Durham Red Cross Society Held Annual Meeting Tuesday After-Condition and Prospering.

The annual meeting of the Durham Red Cross Society, held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. B. Jamieson was well attended and the various reports received showed that the society was in a good condition financially, had accomplished a great deal of work during the past year, and went into the next full of enthusiasm. The business throughout was of ably from the effects of this acmostly routine nature, the report of the Treasurer, Mrs. P. Gagnon, being received, the activities of results. the past year reviewed, and plans laid for the work to be done this

All of last year's officers were re-elected, as follows: President, Mrs. D. Jamieson; 1st

ed to clip these dates for future Too much sigh; not enough try. looking exceptionally green. With gifts from family and friends, and There are certain regulations reference. The meetings will be Too much blow; not enough go. messages of congratulation. They with regard to the location of held at the homes of the ladies

> June 12-Mrs. J. Kelly June 26—Mrs. J. F. Giles July 10-Mrs. G. Meyers July 24-Mrs. D. Jamieson Sr. Aug. 14-Mrs. Hugh Firth Aug. 28-Mrs. (Rev.) E. Hayes Sept. 11-Mrs. G. Gagnon Sept. 25-Mrs. Hopkins Oct. 9-Mrs. D. B. Jamieson Oct. 23-Mrs. (Dr.) Wolfe

### PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S.

The monthly meeting of the Presbyterian W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. D. McArthur on Friday, May 18th, with a good attendhave been held in the past week or Belrose, Port Arthur, Mrs. Thomas latter expect to close the deal for lance. Mrs. Derby, the president, so, it looks as if the fellows and Spiers, Tobermory; Mrs. Thomas the property within the next presided and conducted the devolasses with the terpsichorean toot- Robin, Millar Lake. The other re- month, and in the meantime there tional exercises. Miss A. Weir read v sies were in for a wonderful time. latives were, Mr. and Mrs. George will be negotiations between the the Scripture lesson from Psalm 67.

all repeating the Lord's prayer.

### MOFFAT, KINLOSS TWP. S. BRUCE CANDIDATE

Will Contest Riding for Conservative Party on June 27.-Opponent Is M. A. McCallum, on U.F.O. Ticket

Foster Moffatt, Kinloss Township, was chosen Conservative candidate to contest the riding of South Bruce in the provincial by-election on June 27 at a large and enthusiastic convention in the town hall at Kincardine Monday. His opponent will be M. A. McCallum, U.F.O. candidate, the by-election having been necessitated when Mr McCallum was unseated at the last prolum was unseated at the last pro-vincial election, when a three-

#### Four Proposed

Four names went before the convention: William Mitchell, Kin-ON SATURDAY NIGHT cardine; Dr. W. B. Halladay, Walkerton; David Willoughby. Brant Township, and Foster Moffatt. W. Ran Into Ditch at Barber's Corners | D. Cargill, ex-M.P., presided at the With Considerable Damage and convention. After the first vote was taken, resulting, Moffatt, 77; Mitchell, 31; Halladay, 28 and Wil-On Saturday night an hour or two loughby 28. Dr. Halladay rose to before dark a coupe car took to his feet and moved that Mr. Moffat

# IN SIMPSON, SASK.

Former Resident of Bentinck Township Passed Away Monday Morning After Long Illness.

Mr. Ben Coutts, of Bentinck received word Monday last of the death that morning at his home permitted to see only the proper work in a day or two, according to at Simpson, Sask., of his uncle, Mr. a telephone message to his parents D. J. Boyle. There were no particulars other than the announcement of his death

The late Mr. Boyle was 73 years of age, and was born in Hamilton. He lived for a time in Durham and later farmed in Bentinck until going West about 25 years ago, when he took up land at Simpson, Sask. The deceased never married, and lived with his brother, Mr. Thomas noon.—Society in Good Financial Boyle, at Simpson, at whose home he died. A sister, Miss Catherine Boyle, resides in Toronto, and for a time he visited with her until three years ago when he returned to the West.

Mr. Boyle was severely injured about ten years ago while packing ice and has been unable to engage in any strenuous work since that time. Though no particulars of his death have yet been received, it is known that he suffered considercident and it is presumed that complications finally set in with fatal

My Boyle, who was a visitor to Durham frequently when in the East, was a fine gentleman, much respected, and his death will be regretted by many in this vicinity who knew him during his residence Vice-President, Mrs. G. Jucksch; has been set for interment but it here. It is not known what date ther and sister in their sorrow.

### Why Some Fail

Too much blink; not enough think. Too much mope; not enough hope. Too much shirk; not enough work.

It will pay you to advertise in The Chronicle. TEMPERATURES OF PAST WEEK

Following are the temperatures of the past week, with the highest and lowest registered every day during

the preceeding 24 hours

Thumsda	8 am.	Max.	Min.	
Thursday	57	66	51	
riday	56	71	54	
Saturday	60	72	53	
Sunday	58	74	53	
Monday	60	75	47	
l'uesdav	51	68	49	
Wednesday	42	56	38	

### The Weather

The weather for the past week Several ladies engaged in pray- has been ideal for this time of the er. After the business part of the year, though Tuesday it commencmeeting was dealt with, Mrs. A. W. ed getting colder and yesterday was at present, while Mrs. Browne, who told of the great work done by Mr. 2.45 the rainfall was slightly over 29.2 most of the time.