

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Leone McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McDonald, 201 13th St. A. W. Owen Sound, formerly of Pricerville, has been successful in her recent examination for registered nurse. Miss McDonald graduated in June from the General and Marine Hospital but owing to illness at the time was not able to write her examinations in the spring with the rest of the class. Miss Mamie Crutchley left some days ago for Toronto, where she intends to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Marston have returned to their home here after spending the Christmas season in Toronto with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dunn. Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Wolfe of Toronto visited over Sunday at his parental home here. Mrs. Stempel and daughter Ruth, and Miss Marie Huter of Hanover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Darling here over the New Year. Mrs. A. Catton and daughter Miss Effie visited for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Catton here. Miss Mary McQuarrie of Bentinck has returned from Toronto, where she spent the holiday season. Mr. William Keller is in Toronto this week attending the Pontiac convention being held in the King Edward Hotel. Mr. Nelson Ruhl of Hanover returned home Saturday after visiting with his aunt, Mrs. Oscar Hahn. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kearney are in Toronto this week. Miss Ellen Marshall of Stratford is visiting at her home here. Mr. George Hahn returned to Toronto Monday where he is attending Shaw's Business College. Mr. Val Hahn accompanied him to Toronto. Miss Florence McDonald and Miss Dorothy Ritchie returned to Stratford Normal school Monday and Misses Blanche Murdoch and Caroline Mitchell to Orangeville Business College. We congratulate Miss Mary Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Brown, on receiving her cap on December 31st at the General Hospital at Hamilton. Mrs. James Livingston of Hamilton is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Willet Snell. Misses Marjorie Pickering, Bessie Smith and Myrtle Mortley and Messrs. Donald Young, Stewart McIlraith, Harry Timianov and George Hay have returned to Toronto to resume their studies. Miss Margaret McKenzie, May McCocklin and Clara Aljoe, teachers, returned to Toronto Saturday. Mr. R. B. Burns, Kingston, returned home Saturday after visiting friends in town. Mrs. H. S. Fiddes and Miss Isobel have returned after spending the holiday week in Fergus and in Toronto. Miss Mary Levi and Mr. J. E. Armitage of Kitchener have returned to their respective homes after spending ten days with Mr. and Mrs. George Levi. Owing to the illness of Rev. W. H. Smith, the prayer service in the Baptist church on Friday evening will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Priest, who will give a brief address on "The Extension of the Kingdom" and on Sunday morning next, January 12, will preach in his own pulpit. A most cordial invitation is extended to all.

Darkies' Corners

(Our Own Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. George Noble spent New Years at the home of their daughter. Mrs. Wm. Hargrave and family and the Leith family of Dromore were New Year guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Atchison and family visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Farr Lawrence, Egremont. Master Lawrence returned with them after a visit with his cousin, Ray Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Will Patterson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson on New Years Day. New Year guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton included Mr. Hugh Firth and Miss Kathleen, Mr. and Mrs. Farr Lawrence and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ritchie and Layman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Firth and Mr. E. Cook of Palmerton. Master Carman Noble spent the holidays with his cousin, Alle McGirr. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kellar and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson, Mrs. Hepburn and daughter, Mrs. Petty visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Patterson on Saturday. Miss Marjorie Firth, R. N., visited a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hamilton. Miss Clara Jacques visited over the week-end with her friend, Miss Susie Jacques. Gloom spread over this community when it was learned that Mr. Ben Whitmore had passed away. Ben was always a popular resident and a good neighbor. Deepest sympathy is tendered the sorrowing relatives.

McWilliams

(Our Own Correspondent) The heavy rain of Monday night has taken the snow down considerably, which will improve sleighing and make it more convenient for getting around. Mr. Dolphie Lawrence has been sawing up some big piles of wood in the neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. George Hopkins visited Markdale friends recently. Mr. Reuben Watson left on Tuesday for Detroit to resume his former position after a temporary lay off. Mr. Gordon Falkingham accompanied him. The community dancers held an old time floor pounding at Mr. T. Daly's on Friday night. They report an abundance of music and a rattling good time. Mr. Farr Lawrence shipped two car loads of live stock to Toronto on Tuesday. One load went from Durham and the other from Pricerville. This neighborhood mourns the passing of Mr. Ben Whitmore, who passed away at his home in Durham on Friday last. He was born and reared and spent all his life in this neighborhood until a little over a year ago when owing to ill health he gave up farming and moved to town thinking the change and rest would bring him back to health but the grim reaper had fastened his clutch. It was a gradual wearing down and a garnering in to join the absent ones who are going before. He was a good farmer and an obliging neighbor. It is hard parting with these old neighbors and friends but such has been life and such will be the rule. We join with the community in extending our sympathy to the sisters, brothers and aged mother and all who mourn.

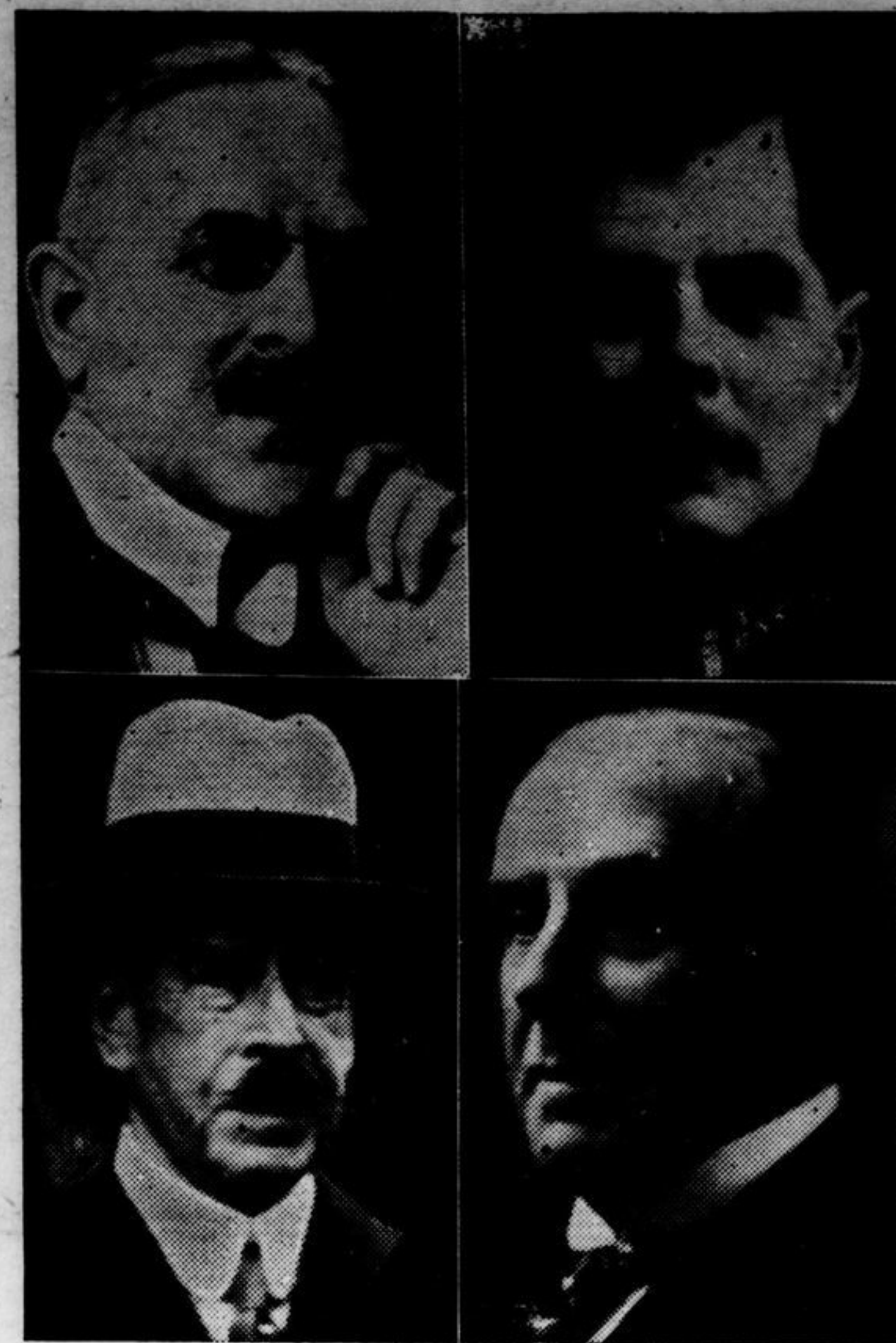
Pricerville

(Our Own Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. John McKinnon of Peace River are visitors at Mr. Wm. Aldcorn's. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McInnis and Alle, Mr. and Mrs. Allie McLean, spent New Years Day at Mr. Colin McLean's. Mr. Neil Aldcorn had the misfortune to break his arm while tying up a coil. Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCannel of Proton spent New Years at Mr. A. L. Hincks. Mrs. Buckham of Toronto, is a guest at Mr. Wm. Aldcorn's. Sorry to report that Miss Catherine Muir has taken another stroke. The United Church Christmas concert that was postponed on December 20 will be held Friday night, January 10. Keep the date in mind. Mr. and Mrs. Jos McKee ate New Year's dinner at the latter's sister's, Mrs. Wm. Aldcorn's. Messrs. John, Stewart and Dick Carson spent New Years at Art Richardson's, Swinton. Mr. Archie McLean lost a fine baby beef on Wednesday morning. When they went to the barn they found him dead and suppose he slipped on the cement causing the chain to tighten on his neck. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stewart and family, Ceylon, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stewart and Flora Campbell spent New Years at Mr. Alex. Stewart's. On Friday night the Onward Club had a dance at Mr. Elton Waiters when a big crowd was present and a very enjoyable time spent. Splendid music was supplied by Messrs. Allan McInnis, Innis McLean, William and Angus McMillan, Earl Best and brother, S. B. White and Misses Anna Mary McLean and Beatrice Waiters. They tripped the light fantastic until the wee sma' hours. The annual school meeting was held on Thursday, December 26. Mr. Herb McInnis was voted to the chair and Mr. W. Ramage acted as secretary. The usual reports and auditors were read and adopted and the knotty problem of different salaries and allotting of grants to same was explained by the school board secretary, F. P. Reiley, orally and visually on the blackboard. Mr. John Nichol was elected trustee in place of his brother David. William Burnett was elected delegate to the O.E.A. in Toronto at Easter and F. P. Reiley as alternate. William Ramage, delegate for the past two years expressed the belief that the honors should be passed around and gave a good report of the sessions held. He then was tendered a vote of thanks. The teachers have all gone back to their different schools to resume their duties after two weeks' holidays: Misses Esther McLean to Toronto; Misses Pat-Mary McLean to Toronto; Misses Dorothea to Goring; Ida McIntyre; Remore; Donalds Nichol to Barjores; Violet McBecca Nichol to Barjores; Marion Muir to Dougall to Simcoe; Marion Oliver to Bunnessan; Peterboro; Emma Cannell to the O.D.R. school; Jean MacCannell to the O.E.A. in Toronto; Alle and Mabel Parslow to Egremont; Messrs. Clifford Hincks to Egremont; Alex. McLean to Tottenham; Alle McInnis to Mono Road; Alfred Hincks to Holstein. Mrs. Harry Houston (nee Mac Muir) and son returned to Peterboro Saturday after spending the past six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Muir. We are glad to know that Mrs. Earl McLeod is improving and is still at her father's. She is being carried downstairs each afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nichol, Rebecca and Donalds, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichol and Gordon, spent New Years at Mr.



"THE BEST-DRESSED WOMAN" Lady Victor Warrender, who holds the title of the "Best-Dressed Woman in Europe", is also considered one of the most beautiful women in the British peerage. She is the wife of the Eighth Baronet of Lochend, Unionist Member of Parliament.

Season's Greetings To all we wish a good old-fashioned New Year's Day replete with joy and 364 happy days thereafter in 1930. Henderson's Bakery



PROMINENT STATESMEN, SOLDIERS, PHILANTHROPISTS AND OTHERS ON HONORS LIST Some of the most prominent among those members of the British Commonwealth of Nations to be mentioned in the King's New Year's Honors List are: Top, left, Sir George Badger, noted London surgeon, and native of Toronto, who has been created Commander of the Royal Victorian Order; top, right, Sir Hugh Trenchard, who has voluntarily retired from the position of Chief of the British Air Force, has been made a Peer. Sir Joseph Ward, bottom, Prime Minister of New Zealand, has been made a Knight of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George, whilst Sir Charles Wakefield, bottom, right, ex-Lord Mayor of London, and frequently referred to as the father of English aviation, has also been made a Peer of the Realm.

CHANGES MADE CONCERNING PRAYER SERVICES THIS WEEK

The ministers met on Monday, after the meeting in the Presbyterian church and asked Rev. J. T. Priest to speak on Friday night in place of Rev. Smith in the Baptist church on "Extending the Kingdom". Rev. Smith is ill and unable to take the service himself. Mr. Smith is unable to take the service on Sunday morning in the Baptist church as arranged, Rev. Priest will take his place. The Board of Queen Street United church met Tuesday evening and decided to unite with the Knox church should Rev. Mr. Smith be unable to preach on Sunday.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HELD MUSICAL PROGRAM

The regular monthly meeting of the Durham Women's Institute was held on January 2 in Knox church basement with a large attendance. After the opening exercises the Secretary read letters of appreciation from shut-ins to whom the Women's Institute had sent baskets of cheer. Mrs. Giles gave a splendid reading "Myself". A most interesting talk on "Music Composers" was given by Mrs. A. C. Kinnee. She spoke first on J. S. Bach. He was born in Germany in 1685. His ancestors were noted musicians. At one time 150 of his kinsmen met in council to discuss music. When but a young man Bach's fame was well known. He married twice and had a large family—eleven sons studying music from their father. This composed died when 67 years of age and was buried at Leipzig. Miss Elsie Kearney then played a selection from Bach which was much enjoyed by all. Kinnee continued by giving a brief outline of Frederick Chopin's life. He was born in Warsaw in 1809. When very young he showed exceptional musical ability, could play difficult compositions at 9 years of age. Chopin was never robust but craved sympathy for his music. Fear that the public would not appreciate his efforts caused Chopin to lead a retired life. At only 40 he died from tuberculosis. Miss Kearney concluded this delightful study by playing one of Chopin's compositions. A splendid paper written by Mrs. H. Huggill on "Some Great Hymns" was read by Mrs. Glass. Eight beautiful and well-known hymns were mentioned with a synopsis of their authors. The meeting closed with "God Save the King" after which a tasty lunch was served.

BRILLIANT TINTS USED ON EUROPEAN CARS

A trend toward the type of body design developed on this continent, cars tinted in a rainbow range of colors, and increasing use of the sliding or "sunshine" type of roof on closed models are among the European automotive developments reported by Oakland body engineers who have just returned from the Paris and London automobile shows. "Colors have run riot" they say "Contrasted with the more or less subdued tones of Canadian cars, the European builders seem to be using the entire arc of the rainbow. The British cars reveal the widest range of color including certain pale shades of blue that are particularly striking. A large number of the closed British models carry the 'sunshine' roof which rolls or slides toward the rear leaving open a large section of the top surface. When closed, it is claimed that these roofs are water tight, rattle proof and in general present the same appearance and had weather advantages of the fixed limousine top. It is doubtful whether this type ever will find favor in America." It will pay you to advertise in The Chronicle.

Dan L. MacArthur's

Mr. J. A. McCuaig and sister Mary visited Sunday at Mr. A. L. Hinck's. Rev. Mr. Stewart from Manitoba preached Sunday in the hall and will remain for a month. He is preaching for a call. Mr. and Mrs. Colin McLean visited Sunday at Mr. Allie McLean's, South Line. Mrs. Muir of New Ontario is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Archie McLean. Miss Catherine Muir died on Monday morning after taking a stroke a week ago. Mrs. George Campbell spent a few days visiting friends in Owen Sound last week. Sorry to hear that Mr. Dougall McPhail is very low. Dr. Carefoot of Markdale is in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. John Nichol and Gordon visited Sunday at Mr. Edgar Patterson's.

Glenroadin

(Our Own Correspondent) Mr. Allan Bell is visiting friends on this line this week. It is some time since Mr. Bell was here. Mrs. Mike Kowney was home to a few of her friends last week and they report a very pleasant time. Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd were visitors at Mr. Aelx. Symons recently. After spending a real enjoyable holiday at home Miss Marion Boyd has returned to Toronto to resume her duties as one of the teachers in Whitnyc school, Riverdale. Mr. Nelson Schafer is home on the sick list. Mr. Edward Melosh is home too. Mr. and Mrs. John McNally and the Vaughan family ate New Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughan. Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Melosh and family spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Casey in Sullivan. The holiday season is over for real work once more. Mr. Arthur McNally sowed a big pile of poles for C. Sheldroth and John Boyd saved for John McKechnie. After spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vaughan, Miss Olive Dunsmore has returned to town. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trafford and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd. Mr. and Mrs. John McKechnie had a real family gathering on New Year's Day. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Sheldroth, Present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark and family, Zion; Mr. and Mrs. Dugald Clark and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vessie and family and Mrs. Vessie of the Rocky.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank friends and neighbors and especially old neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the recent sickness and death of our son and brother and for floral tributes received. —Mrs. James Whitmore and Family.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE COACH HORSE 16 HANDS HIGH, free of blemishes. Apply M. Glaser, Durham.

DURHAM DISTRICT L. O. L. WILL hold their annual meeting on Tuesday, January 14 at 8 o'clock p.m. in the Odd-fellows' hall. All members are cordially invited as there is important business to be transacted. A social hour will be spent at the close. W. J. Ritchie, District Master. W. J. Ritchie, Secretary.

HOUSE FOR SALE FRAME HOUSE ON QUEEN STREET South; in best of condition; seven room and bath; electric lights; three-quarter acre of land. Apply at Durham Dairy. 1 13 6p

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NOTICE All accounts owing to the W. Calder Estate must be settled at once. As we are closing our books up to December 31, 1929. Your prompt attention will oblige. —M. G. CALDER.

CARD OF THANKS To the Electors of Durham: My co-workers and myself heartily thank you for your support in the election and assure you that I will give the ratepayers the best of service and encourage the town's growth. I have the pleasure to be Your obedient servant, O. S. Hunter.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank the ratepayers of Durham for the support given me in the election of Monday. I assure them I will do my best to serve the town, and merit the confidence placed in me. —James Smith.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to extend sincere thanks to the ratepayers of Durham for the support given me in Monday's election in which I was elected a member of the Town Council for 1930. I trust I shall be able to merit the confidence reposed in me and promise to do my best in furthering the interests of the town in general. M. Greig Calder.

BORN Ledingham.—In Durham Hospital, on January 3, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ledingham, Bentinck, a daughter. Towner.—At 17350 Edinborough Road, Detroit, on December 28, 1929, to Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Towner, a son, John Russell.

FEWER CARS SOLD ON TIME TODAY THAN IN 1925 The curious may find a wealth of information about the automotive industry in the little volume, "Facts and Figures" published by the National Automotive Chamber of Commerce. In 1929 edition contains the remarkable statement that the proportion of cars sold on the deferred payment plan is smaller today than it was in 1925. During that year 65.5 per cent of cars, new and used, were sold on time, while in 1928 the proportion was only 59.5 per cent. Sixty-four per cent of 1929's automobiles have seventy or more horsepower, says the handbook, while only twelve per cent have less than fifty horsepower. Announcements of 1930 cars indicate that the average power will be considerably greater than in 1929.

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