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Scotch Doubles **Tournament Thursday**

Twenty-nine Rinks Present to Compete for Prizes Offered.-Kitchener Rink Took First Place.

The Durham Bowling Club's Scotch Doubles Tournament was held last Thursday afternoon with twenty-nine rinks competing for the prizes offered. Owing to the threatening weather, this was not as large an attendance as was expected, but a good afternoon's sport was had by those who braved the elements. During the afternoon, the shower, which had been threatening all day, materialized, and became so heavy at one time that play had to be suspended. However, a little moisture could not dampen the enthusiasm of the players and the games continued.

The tournament was conducted on the plus and minus basis, four games being played with a possible plus of eight, and ten ends to a game.

The prize winning rinks were as follows, the name in each case being that of the skip:

1st-P. G. Hall, Kitchener, wool blankets; 2nd-W. Cross, Hanover, linen tablecloths; 3rd-W. S. Hunter, Dur-Dr. T. Albert Moore ham, linen tablecloth sets; 4th-R. G. Hall, Kitchener, auto rugs; 5th-A. Rogers, Kincardine auto rugs.

In addition to the local players, rinks were present from Goderich, Kincardine, Owen Sound, Walkerton, Hanover, Holstein, Mount Forest and Kitchener.

Four rinks from Durham attended the Mount Forest Scotch Doubles Tournament on Labor Day. Of the four the rink composed of Dr. Pickering and V. Hahn was the only one succesful in capturing any of the prizes. They went through the trophy event, losing the final to a Wingham rink, and getting the second prize, linen tablecloths.

Schools Re-Open; **Kids Are Glad**

Good Attendance on First Day, With Additional Students to Come Along This Week .- Four New Teachers on High and Public School Staffs.

vice to be augmented by numbers from Durham High and Public schools re-Mrs. W. G. Beatty and Mr. Austin opened on Tuesday, September 2, with a good attendance at each school, the Porter of Fergus. The anniversary ser-High school attendance on opening day vices next Sunday are expected to eclipse any previous services of this being 133 and the Public school 280, with more to come. The High school staff consists of three former teachers, Mr. J. A. M. Robb, Principal; Miss Weir and Miss Gerrie, the two new teachers being Miss M. Walker, Oro Station and Miss G. Phippen, Syden-

ham. The Public school staff consists of six also promises to be among the best former teachers, Mr. J. A. Graham, ever offered here. For this the talent Miss Ball and Miss most highly recommended. Mr. Smythe Miss Jean Harding and Miss Emily Hunt, both of Durham.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS TO BE HELD BY BAPTISTS

The Durham Baptist church will hold special Evangelistic meetings with the commencing on Monday, September 15. erage, and Durham lovers of good of which the animals feed. Preparitory services will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Stewart, Wednesday, Thursday and Stewart, Watson, Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Wil- Arthur Gunn by one who was closely bough, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stewart, Watson, Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Wil- Arthur Gunn by one who was closely complete programme is given in an order to the late Dr. have been secured, namely, Pastor John dicted when the time arrives. Galloway of Mulock, Rev. A. E. Silver of Keady, Rev. L. E. Mason of Paisley and Rev. S. J. Farmer of Owen Sound. To all of these meetings a cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

INTRACOSTAL CANAL

An intracoastal canal 600 miles long. extending from New Orleans to Corpus Christi, Texas, is now under construction, the estimated cost being 16 million dollars.



TO ATTEND GENERAL COUNCIL Bishop H. A. Boaz, recently transferred from Arkansas to Dallas, Texas, is to be the fraternal delegate of the Methodist Episcopal church South to United church's General Council, meeting in Sepin London, Ontario, Dr. Boas was formerly bishop in Japan and Korea.

Wen Many Prizes At Toronto "Ex"

Fancier, Made Splendid Showing in Buff Orpingtons and S.C. Minorcas

Visitors to the poultry exhibit at the Toronto Exhibition may not have seen the name of C. E. Herrington of Durham among the exhibitors, but he was there just the same and how! Mr. and Mrs. Herrington, both poultry fanciers, and experts in this line, oper- ing place. On Thursday afternoon the ate under the name of "Sunset Farm" and are always in the money when they neyed to Harrison Park, Owen Sound, care to show their fowl.

the Herrington Buff Orpingtons were Canada had, and though this is an exhibit pure and simple, with no prize selected to represent Canada at this world's biggest poultry show.

WESTERN EDUCATOR

Principal Edmund H. Oliver, M.A.,

Ph.D., of St. Andrew's College, of

Saskatoon, who has been elected a

commissioner from Saskatchewan

to General Council of the United

church, which meets at London,

Here Next Sunday

Ontario, next month.

Given by Fergus Talent.

United church.

Canada in the person of Dr. T. Albert

Moore of Toronto, the general secre-

tary of the United church of Canada,

who is to be the special preacher at the

annual anniversary of the Queen Street

good special offerings of the choir, con-

sisting of anthems, selections by the

male quartette, and other features,

to be given, the evening musical ser-

Entertainment on Monday

Partial List of Local Dominies, Some of

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Miss Joy Priest to Edge Hill.

Miss Theodora Priest to Bunessan.

Miss Catherine McLean to No.

Miss Mary Bell to Varney school.

Miss Marion Boyd to Toronto.

Miss Ruby Blyth to Atherley.

was handicapped in that six of his birds for correting this error. During the afwere suffocated on the road down, and among them his best Buff Orpington cock. Some of the birds destroyed were among those which had just returned from the show in England, otherwise Mr. Herrington might have General Secretary of United Church of made an even better record. As it was Canada, and One of Outstanding he has nothing to feel ashamed of as Divines of Dominion, to Occupy the his birds showed their class at the big Pulpit at Queen Street Church Next show and captured all the prizes that Sunday Morning and Evening on the could have been expected. Following Occasion of the Annual Anniversary are the awards:

Services.-Programme Monday to Be In Buff Orpingtons, first and second for cock, first and second for hen, first for cockerel, first and second for pullet, Durham churchgoers will have the first for pen. Champion collection opportunity next Sunday of listening to medal, and five specials (ribbons). one of the outstanding ministers of

S.C. Black Minorcas, in which there were five entries, the prizes awarded were first for cock, second for hen, first for cockerel, pullet and pen, with the medal for champion collection.

In addition to Dr. Moore the usual BEAVER DAMS ARE **BECOMING NUMEROUS**

specially arranged for the services, are Industrious Animals Are Spreading Out Through Country and Farmers Are Complaining.—Have Dammed Camp Creek in At Least Three Places.

Ontario's wild life is interesting and should be protected, but up in this seckind held by the Queen Street church. tion there are some of the farmers who, Certainly no better arrangements were made in advance for a sccessful annithat are springing up in various parts The annual entertainment in the of the country. There was a big colony up around Elmwood that got quite a church auditorium on Monday evening write-up about a year ago, another one near Dornoch and last fall a Durham principal; Miss McCrae, Miss Kress, arranged for is from Fergus and comes man ran a beaver down on the roadway at Williamsford, said to have been the Schaefer, while the new teachers are of that town, with a choir of twenty largest beaver seen in these parts in voices, and in addition a reader and some years. There have been some colviolinist, will furnish the programme onies at Wilder's Lake, and now comes for the evening. Mr. Smythe is the word from Bentinck that at least three organist and choir leader of St. And- colonies have been at work there. So rew's church, Fergus, and a teacher of far, little damage has been done in vocal music as well. It is his class that this section beyond flooding some of is appearing here, and they are said the surrounding land, and the destructo be good-very much above the av- tion of a few poplar trees on the bark

Friday of next week, Sept. 9, 10, 11, and other column and a full house is pre-Priday of next week, Sept. 9, 10, 11, and other column and a full house is pre
12, at 8 o'clock p.m. Special speakers dieted when the time arrives but have at last apparently abandoned and Margaret Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Kate Ritchie and Mrs. Ralph Catton ed men in the City of Toronto, and elseit, as the cuttings from the trees do not Arthur Lee, Orville, Robert, Dorothy, had a busy time receiving the regis- where, as well as the patients in appear to have been removed at all re- Freddie and Clifford Lee, Mr. and Mrs. trations. The reception committee, Christie Street, have suffered a great cently. Farther down this same stream John Teeter, Eileen and Jean Teeter, Miss Jane Ritchie and Messrs. John loss, Dr. Arthur Gunn having been on the farms of W. Derby Jr. and Nor- Alma and Aura McGuire (Holstein), and William Ritchie, were also a busy called across the Great Divide. WHERE THEY TEACH man McRonald are two more dams. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ritchie, Mrs. trio. As will be seen from the list given Dr. Gunn, during his sojourn at the These are quite pretentious affairs and Arthur Atkinson, Irene Atkinson, Mrs. above families were present from a Ctristie Street Hospital, had endeared hold back consideramle water. Recent- Cliff Howell and Boyce Howell, Mrs. great number of places, the two eld- himself to all ex-service men by his ly someone from Durham vicinity tele- Samuel Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. William est members being Mr. S. Putherbough pleasantness and personality, always Whom Return to Former Schools and phoned the game warden, Mr. A. J. Jacques, Louise, Clara and Jean Jac- of Bentinck in his 83rd year, and Mrs. full of that Christian virtue, sympathy Rolston of Owen Sound, and it was ques, Mr. and Mrs. William Bogle, Dor- George Firth, formerly Miss Elizabeth for others, which he pursued to the with this official we made an inspection othy, Wilma, Irma and Jean Bogle, Ritchie of Edge Hill, who is in her last, always having a kindly word of Miss Mary Beaton to Rocky Saugeen. of the dams yesterday morning. Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Catton and Mary 81st year. Despite a threatening after- encouragement to all who came to him Rolston could not catch the name of Madeleine Catton, Mr. and Mrs. Murthe party who telephoned, but we final- ray Ritchie and Layman Ritchie, Bert ly located the dams referred to above. Ritchie, Clarence and Ewen Ritchie,

Miss Hazel Beaton to Old Durham Miss Dorothy Ritchie to No. 14, Nor-Miss Florence McDonald to Dromore Miss Islay McKechnie to Springhill Miss Marjory Ritchie to Swinton Frank Dingwall, Holstein, to Allan's

NOW TOURING CANADA

ville boy, says: Doing part of Canada and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and treatment of York, near Toronto. The elder Ritage and Toronto and York and Yor kins-Conkey Foursome, Incorpulated, Newell, Olive, Arthur and Irene New-land Newell, Mr. and Mrs. George Newell, M Miss Ethel Greenwood to Haliburton. Miss Florence McIlvride to West Hill. indeed glad to hear from Dr. Conkey and Mrs. William R. Weir, John and Miss Marjorie Caldwell to Limehouse. Grey by a regular perusal of the Chronnot appear in this is but we give those polition" that Durham intends having Lorne Taylor, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Friday informed or of some time. We trust that the Hopkins- Edward Majury, Mae, Edna and Jean Saturday Conkey Poursome, Incorpulated, has a Majury, Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. Sunday good time in Canada and that nothing Robert Alexander, Eden Grove; Mr. and Monday They turns up to "regust" them either here Mrs. W. Brocklebank and Lorna Tuesday you're out. or in the Eastern States

Family Re-Unions Held Last Week

Herrington, Local Poultry Ritchie Families Gathered at Harrison Park, Owen Sound, on Thursday, While Snell Families Also Spent the Afternoon Together at Dromore.-Both Events Drew Large Crowds and Pleasant Afternoons Were Spent by All Present.

Last week was "re-union" week in Durham, no less than two big ones tak-Ritchie families of the vicinity jourwhere a pleasant few hours were spent At the big Empire and International in games and social intercourse. With show in England this summer, some of the Ritchies assembled, the editor of the Chronicle and wife were also preon exhibit as representing the best that sent upon invitation, and the gathering together of the many members of the one family, some of whom had not seen money, Mr. Herrington had to de- each other for many, many years, made monstrate before Canadian judges that one think that more of these things he had the best before his birds were should be arranged. We dare say that like ourselves, every family in the land has many relatives with whom they Insurance Company In his recent showing at the Toronto are not even slightly acquainted, and Exhibition, the local poultry fancier this is the best way we can think of especially among the older people, while the younger ones had the time of their lives on the swings and playing softball and other games.

Lunch, of the real old picnic kind, cream, was served at the supper time when he swerved from the roadway to this being followed with further games avoid a truck parked on the highway and conversation until the darkening without lights, his car going into the sky warned all and sundry it was time ditch and sustaining considerable damunion be held next year, and while no for personal liability and property damnext year. There were over 200 present on Saturday, and amongst those present we glean the following from the Rowe is to receive approximately \$400 register, which was supposed to be sign- in cash for injuries which he and Mrs. ed by all:

Mrs. Thomas Hunt, Mrs. Nellie Hale the medical attendance fees, and is to and Gladys.

Alfred, Irene and Margaret Mooney, H. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Watson, Chester Teeple, Andrew Watson and Mattie, Adeline, Mae, Alice, Frank and Robert | charged under the highways traffic Watson, Mrs. Rebeeca Blough, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. White, Isabel White, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Watson, Jack Watson and Clifford Majury, Mr. and Mrs. cooled down considerably when the Mrs. E. W. Limin here, three daugh-Leslie Majury, Fern, Bobby and Ross bracelets were affixed to his wrists and ters, Mrs. Clements (Fodie), Pasadena, Majury, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maxwell, he started on his trip to Durham. He Calif.; Mrs. (Dr.) Ritchie, (Anna), Mrs. make short shrift of the beaver colonies | Cecil, Joseph and Janet Maxwell, Mr. | at first refused to settle but later ag- | Gordon McDougall (Ada), and one son and Mrs. Eddie Maxwell, Victor Max- reed to pay over the money, the case Everet, all of Port Arthur. He is also well, H. Mooney, Alfred, Irene, and costing him in all in the neighborhood survived by two brothers, Dan., with the Margaret Mooney.

Keldon-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Firth, Emma and Elmer Firth.

George Firth.

leen, Dorothy and Norma Allan.

In the case of beaver dams or the Mrs. David Ritchie and Vida Ritchie, like it is not legal to destroy them with- Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Noble and Adille out the consent of the government, so | Noble, Mrs. William Ritchie, Mr. and when the complaint was made Mr. Mrs. W. J. Ritchie, Marjory, Dorothy Rolston was not slow to investigate. and Dan Ritchie, Misses Lily and Katie In the case of the farmers in question, Ritchie, Mrs. Edgar Ritchie and John it is likely departmental trappers will Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Ritbe sent up this fall or early winter to chie and Anna Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. capture the animals and take them to John Ritchie and Grace Ritchie, Mr. some place at which they are welcome. and Mrs. Cliff. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritchie, Norman, Clarence and Freda Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Blyth, Velma, Elgin and Lorne

icle, and who, by the way is "strong" for beth Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irwin. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watts, Toronto; Thursday

Brocklebank, Mount Forest; Mr. and Wednesd



HON. W. D. ROSS The Lieutenant Governor of Ontario from his most recent photograph.

A few weeks ago Mr. E. A. Rowe of retired. topped off with liberal allowances of ice town, had his motor car badly wrecked to disperse. Before doing so it was age, and the occupants being badly unanimously carried that another re- shaken up. As the truck was insured committees were appointed, the enthu- age, the company's adjuster came to siasm evinced leaves no doubt that town last week and made a satisfactory there will be another big gathering settlement with Mr. Rowe and the case is now dropped. As a result of the settlement Mr.

Rowe received, the company is to as Grand Valley-Mrs. George Firth, sume all expenses in connection with repair the car in a manner satisfactory Paisley-Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Mooney, to Mr. Rowe, who is to have two 'V :- ks' trial to try it out. Arrested Truck Driver

Last week we reported the non-appearance of the truck driver who was act, and the issuing of a warrant for his arrest. Chief Scott went to Hamilton the first of the week and secured his man, who at first was rather ugly, but Miss Banks of Glenelg, and sister of

Mrs. William A. Lindsay and Clifford Shelburne-Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsay, Mount Forest; Mr. and Mrs. Scott, John W. Firth, Berniece and James McGirr, Dale and Fay McGirr, Detroit; William McGirr, Detroit; Mr. Fergus-Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Henry, and Mrs. James Wilson and James R. Melville Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Riddell. Wilson, Detroit; Miss Olive Weir, Cleve-Pinkerton-Mr. and Mrs. William land, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ritchie known resident in South Grey and and Harold Ritchie, Holland Centre. was at one time the Conservative can-Teeswater-Mr. and Mrs. James H. Amongst those unable to be present didate for the House of Commons in the

Brown, Carfrey, Gladys, Isobel and in body, but who were there in spirit riding. Bobby Brown, Mrs. Robert Brown. | through messages sent the secretaries Corbetton-Mr. and Mrs. George S. were Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Allan, Willie, Margaret, Bremner, Kath- Salvador, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. C. Dowling, Ladner, B.C.; Dr. John B. Ritchie, of August 23, the following tribute was Durham and vicinity—S. Puther- Regina, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. paid to the memory of the late Dr.

noon, and a cessation of sports for a for examination or treatment. time owing to the rain, the weather cleared sufficiently to allow of everybody having a good time and an enjoyable outing.

The First Re-union This is the first re-union held by the family, and during the day no doubt the minds of the older ones went back to the earlier years of this country when the forerunners of this big gathering first came to this section. It is a long time since the first member of the family settled here. It was in the year 1845 when William and Jane Ritchie, natives of County Tyrone, Ire-A postcard from Quebec from Dr. J. Blyth, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGirr land, with their five children, Nancy, they related their troubles to him an Miss A. C. MacKenzie, Miss M. McKenzie, Misses A. and E. Grant, to
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OBITUARY THOMAS KING

\$2.00 a Year in Canada; \$2.50 in U.S.

A telegram received Tuesday by Miss Speers of town from Mr. Archie King, Toronto, announced the death that day of his father, Mr. Thomas King, a former well-known and highly respected resident of this town, who has been residing in Toronto for the past couple of years. There were no particulars as to the immediate cause of death, the telegram merely stating that the funeral would be held at 3.30 this Thursday afternoon from his late residence, 564 Palmerston avenue. The late Mr. King was a man, we

would judge of between 60 and 65 years

of age. He was born in Scotland and came to this country some years ago with Mrs. King, who with one son, Archie, survives. Mr. King came to Durham from Woodstock, accepting a position as miller with the Rob Roy Mills here, but after residing here for some years returned to Woodstock. From here he went to Fergus, and while in the latter place suffered his first serious illness. For a time it was not thought he would recover, and even now it is the opinion locally that this was the start of his troubles and that he never fully recovered from his severe illness at that time. Coming to Satisfactory Settlement Made With E. Durham from Fergus, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rowe For Damages Sustained in King and family resided here for two Motor Car Wreck Some Weeks Ago. or three years, and a couple of years ago removed to Toronto, where he lived

His many friends here regret to learn of his death and extend sympathy to Mrs. King and son Archie in their

CHARLES McKINNON

A telegram from Pasadena, Calif., to his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. W. Limin, here, announced the death on September 1 of Mr. Charles McKinnon, a former well-known and highly respected resident. He was a man of about 70 years of age and had been in ill health for some time, having suffered a stroke of paralysis some years ago from which he never recovered.

The late Mr. McKinnon was born in Durham and up to 20 years ago resided here, conducting an implement agency in town. Leaving here about that time he moved to Port Arthur, where he lived up to some five or six years ago when he removed to Pasadena for his health. There were no particulars given in the telegram of the immediate cause of death.

Surviving are his widow, formerly

Port Arthur. So far as is known at present, the funeral will be held at Port Arthur on Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Limin are leaving here on Friday to be present at

the service. The late Mr. McKinnon was a well-

THE LATE ARTHUR GUNN

In a letter to the Toronto Telegram

"Editor, Telegram: Sir,-The return-

He will be greatly missed by all exservice men, and his place will be hard to fill, if it ever can be filled as satisfactorily by any other. His kindly actions, his sacrificing spirit, and a sufferer himself, his earnestness to do all in his power to serve his fellow sufferers certainly earned for him the reputation of the ex-soldiers' best friend in the Christie St. Hospital. Genuine Christian men, like the late

Doctor, are the only proper type o Medical men needed to help the burnt out veteran. He understood the boy listened sympathetically to them

ire am, Ont.