

## Orangemen Held Their Annual Church Parade

Marched to Presbyterian Church Sunday.—Address Was Delivered by Rev. B. D. Armstrong.—Sixty Members in Procession.

Headed by the Durham Band, about sixty members of the Durham District Loyal Orange Lodge attended worship in the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. This was the annual church parade of the District L.O.L. and preceded the celebration on Tuesday. The sermon delivered by Rev. B. D. Armstrong was in keeping with the ideals of the Order and was taken from I Corinthians xvi:13, "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong."

"This passage as you will notice is at the end of the Epistle and is more or less a summing up and is given as plain advice."

The speaker stressed the importance of wakefulness and compared the Christian to an armed sentry. Should the sentry fall asleep the whole camp would be endangered. If we would strengthen and uphold Protestantism we must be up and doing. Watchfulness means more than just lying awake; it springs from a conviction of danger and is sustained by a sense of responsibility to duty.

Many a man contented with avoidance of evil let motives occupy his mind without examining them.

Men sometimes use profanity without realizing it. We should be careful how we use the name of God. Our bodies are God's property.

A general in India once told his men they should keep fit for service by leading clean, temperate lives, otherwise they would defraud the service in which they had enlisted. We must be on guard for God's truth in these days of unbelief. Atheism is prevalent but it is not smart or new.

Be Godly. "Stand fast in the faith." Don't be half hearted. Be ready to say whose you are and whom you serve. Paul said: "Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the Gospel wherein ye stand." It requires courage and faith to stand fast. We need this admonition to be manly. "Quit you like men." We do not need to draw apart from the world in solitude to be a man. Manliness is a many-sided word; it leads us to think of great possibilities of character. "Quit you like men." Build character, be broad minded, shun that which is narrow and low. Don't have anything in your life of which you are ashamed. Have not only physical courage in danger, but the higher virtue and moral courage of our convictions. Divine strength comes from the spirit of God within us. "My grace is sufficient for thee, for my strength is made perfect in weakness."

We are more than conquerors through Him that loved us. Be tender. Let all you do be done in love. We must not let our strength rob us of tenderness. The strongest men are often the most kind. "Watch you. Stand fast in the faith. Quit you like men. Be strong."

During the service Mr. Stewart Jackson, visiting here from Russell, Manitoba, sang a much appreciated solo. Mr. Jackson has a pleasing baritone voice and his contribution to the service was exceptionally fine.

## Flesherton Picnic On Civic Holiday

Durham Box Lacrosse Team Plays the Runnymede Team from Toronto at Annual Picnic of Old Boys' and Girls' Association.—Canadian Field Artillery Band, Water Sports, and Fireworks at Night.

It takes Flesherton to do things, and many other places of three or four times the population might take a few lessons from the village on the Boyne. In 1929 the village had a most successful Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion, and since then an annual picnic. This year the picnic is set for Civic Holiday, the 1st of August, with an open air service on Sunday night for those who are spending the week-end there.

Among the attractions are the Canadian Field Artillery Band of Toronto, a full programme of land and water sports, a box lacrosse game Monday afternoon between the Toronto Runnymede and Durham teams a pyrotechnic display at night, the whole affair to wind up with a big street dance at night. At the Sunday evening service it is hoped to have the Owen Sound Salvation Army Band. An attendance of 3,000 old Flesherton boys and girls is expected.

## CAR WENT IN DITCH; OCCUPANTS VANISHED

Reported in Ditch Two Miles North of Mount Forest Early Sunday Morning and Removed in Evening on Orders from Traffic Officer Hood.—Owner a Toronto Man.

A rather peculiar accident occurred about 6 o'clock last Sunday morning on No. 6 Highway 13 miles south of Durham when a light car went into the ditch. All day long the accident was a mystery as immediately after the accident the occupants disappeared and apparently no attempt was being made to place it in operation. The car was not badly damaged considering the ditch in went into, although the repair bill would run into something like eighty or ninety dollars.

The license number FF 368 designated it a Hanover car, and with this in view, when informed of the particulars, Traffic Officer Hood sent a Durham wrecking outfit down to tow it to Durham. Numerous and varied rumors were afloat regarding the accident, these running everywhere from the number of beer bottles spilled when it went into the ditch to the one that it was a stolen car, and two young men, alleged occupants, were seen that morning at Kenilworth, ten miles farther south, hoofing it along back home. The truth or otherwise of these rumors cannot be found out, although later it was divulged that the car was the property of a man named Seymour, now of Toronto, but formerly a resident of this locality.

The car was brought to Durham, received the necessary medical attention, and is again in possession of the owner.

## SIX MONTHS IN JAIL SENTENCE FOR THEFT

Two Toronto Itinerants Sentenced in Police Court Yesterday for Entering and Breaking Jail.

Remanded a week ago by Police Magistrate Laidlaw to allow the Crown Attorney to see if they had any previous police record, Ernest Hollywood, 17, and James McDonald, 18, both of Toronto, were brought from Owen Sound for sentence. It was found that Hollywood had done 10 days for theft of a bicycle had been given another 10 days for the theft of a motor car and was out on parole, and was the leader of the pilfering and jail-break here. He was sentenced to jail for six months. McDonald, who had never before been in trouble, was let off with one month. The boys were taken to Owen Sound yesterday afternoon to commence their sentence.

## NOTED APPLE TREE WEARS 107 GRAFTS

Thrives and Has Room for a Dozen More.—Has Received Press Recognition in Europe and America.

The famous apple tree on the farm of Major F. A. Good, near Frederickton, N.B., which has received press recognition in Europe and America, has now a total of 107 grafts. Of this number, planted by Major Good, only two or three are to be replaced through failure to grow, and there is still room for a dozen more grafts on the tree.

Major Good, one of the instructors in the Provincial Normal School, took up this branch of horticulture in an amateur way and continued in an attempt to find out how many grafts would thrive on an apple tree of an ordinary variety. His experiments in grafting include apple-scions growing on rowan and hawthorne trees, and pear grafts growing on apple trees.

An account of the grafting operations of Major Good brought letters from the matter from the United States and many of the Canadian provinces, as well as one letter from Germany.

## SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS

Mr. John McKenzie of Bentinck, two miles south-west of Durham, had six sheep killed and others worried by a police dog this week. The animal was seen entering the bush, and we understand information has been obtained as to the owner of the animal.

## SUCCESSFUL PUPILS

This Thursday morning's dailies contain Normal school examination results. All attending Normal from Durham were successful, we are told.

## Price Lauds Farmers For Refusal To Quit

Speaking to a Gathering at Orono, in Durham County, Ontario's Attorney-General Paid Glowing Tribute to Ontario Agriculturists and Suggests That Rural Methods Might Be Copied to Advantage.

In these days of fault-finding it is enlightening to find praise being restored upon any one class in the community for their efforts to make the best of present conditions and to carry on in the face of difficulty. As we stated last week in our editorial column Canada's farmers always have and always will do their part in building up the country. In good times or in bad, one may find them engaged in their work, and while any success they may have may not be what might be anticipated, they carry on in a manner that should receive the commendation of all. It might be fairly said the farmers are their own worst critics. They can never be accused of trying to be something they are not, and certainly are not of the "bragging" sort. This is what makes the statements of Hon. Mr. Price interesting in his speech at Orono, and we commend them to our readers.

The Attorney-General was accorded an enthusiastic welcome by the citizens of Orono which has achieved more than local fame with its proud boast that no depression exists within its boundaries. And Col. Price, while devoting most of his address to agriculture, complimented the citizens for setting an example to the rest of the province.

"Some time ago I read an article in the Mail and Empire which described Orono as a sunshine village without any unemployment," said Col. Price. "It clearly showed co-operation on the part of all the people to bring this about. More particularly was I interested in the simple ways of doing things, the ways that enabled accomplishments without a great expenditure of money."

Extending Too Far Afield  
"The people of Canada have been extending themselves too far afield without consolidating their advances. We might very well give consideration to the methods adopted in smaller communities. The growth is not so great but it is more consistent and leaves fewer scars behind."

Dealing with agricultural problems the attorney-general declared that the thanks of all classes of people were due to the farmers of Ontario for presenting such a solid front and endeavoring to adapt themselves to new conditions. The forerunner of improvement in general business conditions would be the increase in what the farmer received for his products. Col. Price asserted in other words, people were getting back to basic principles.

"I do not know of any other class of people who could have stood the prodigious decline in prices," said the attorney-general. "The farmer has had to produce and sell his product for a price often less than one-third of what he used to get in average times. This condition has steadily confronted Governments. If it were something that could be cured by a province or even a Dominion of the Empire, standing alone and working out their own salvation, then the problem might be soluble. Notwithstanding all of these attempts to create a new era of prosperity, the conditions have not improved to any great extent. That is why Premier Bennett felt that it was beyond the power of any one country, yet it might be within the power of the nations within the British Empire to improve business conditions."

Trade Must Be Balanced  
"That is why the Imperial Conference is being held. Trade is at least Empire-wide, if not world-wide; there must be a balance of trade between countries. It is hoped that what no country within the world has been able to accomplish in itself, may be accomplished by the British Empire as a whole."

"In the meantime it is great encouragement to Canada that the farmers have stood like a rock; they have accepted disappointment; they have battled against adversity; they have commenced again to live within their income, sometimes drawing on reserves, they are enabling Canada to show again to the world that she has a solid citizenship which will not be swayed by agitators, will not be the pawn of those who want to tear down our political institutions; that whatever agitation there may be in other quarters the farmer has met the situation hoping that conditions will eventually improve, yet always improving the quality of (Continued on page 2.)

## Local Lodges Went To Meaford For 12th

Glenelg, Varney, Allan Park, Louise and Durham Members Took Part in Celebration in Lakeside Town on Tuesday.

Tuesday, the 12th, was a quiet day in town, when a good number of the members of the local Orange Lodge and their families went to Meaford to celebrate the 242nd anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne. Members from the Varney, Louise, Allan Park and Glenelg Lodges also celebrated at the Lakeside town, where in all 49 lodges were in the parade. John Craig of Thornbury, 96 years of age, was the oldest Orangeman in attendance, a member for 76 years.

Local members express great satisfaction with the treatment they were given by the citizens of the town, which was gaily decorated for the occasion, and from 10.30 in the morning, when the file and drum bands commenced, until late at night, the celebration continued.

Although the day broke clear, towards 8 o'clock the sky clouded and threatened rain, later clearing, and from then on the weather could not have been on better behaviour. During the day numerous sports contests were held, consisting of softball and football games.

In the file and drum band competition, Owen Sound and Vimy Ridge bands were tied, but in a second contest the first place was awarded the latter, who represented the Collingwood lodge.

## Catchy Weather Delays Haying

Over One and One-half Inches of Rain Fell During Past Week, and Much Hay Cannot Be Stored.

Local farmers are experiencing difficulty in storing their hay, owing to the rains of this week, the fall to date being 1.84 inches since last Thursday, according to the gauge in use by the Chronicle for this purpose. Of this, 1.12 inches fell on Sunday and .44 inches yesterday. We are told no particular damage has been done so far, other than the extra work involved and that if the weather clears up the hay will be stored in first class condition.

A summary of crop conditions throughout Ontario up to June 30 has just been issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, and crops are most promising. The weather in June was favorable for fall wheat and rye, but too dry for spring sown grains and especially late crops. Copious rainfall at the end of June and the first week in July has relieved the serious tension and greatly improved prospects.

In the territory comprised of Grey and nearby counties, says early sown corn is in good condition, but the late sown slow to germinate, patchy and generally backward. Roots and late potatoes were affected by lack of moisture but hay and early field crops were unaffected and are in excellent condition. Haying is some days earlier than last year. Fall wheat is heavy and appears to be filling well. Some farmers report a small percentage of loose smut and considerable damage from Hessian Fly.

Hessian Fly and insects are reported as more numerous in the Southern Ontario district, but crops are good. Central Ontario reports alfalfa and fall wheat in good condition, with pastures suffering from drought and in places very poor. Hay crops in Eastern Ontario were seriously affected by the cool spring and field crops are retarded. In Northern Ontario the hot dry spell of May and the first three weeks of June was a serious check to all crops. Recent showers improved conditions, but there will not be a heavy hay crop. Hay and pastures are poor and barley yellow and very poor. Severe frosts on June 21 did a lot of damage in the Kenora district, while potatoes suffered similarly on the 24th at Cochrane. The dry weather has been favorable for the development of insects, potato bugs and grasshoppers.

"The world would be a much happier place in which to live if we made less of a deity of our patriotism."—Peter B. Kyne.

| TEMPERATURES FOR PAST WEEK |        |      |           |
|----------------------------|--------|------|-----------|
|                            | 8 a.m. | Max. | Min. Rain |
| Thursday                   | 64     | 82   | 58 .28    |
| Friday                     | 55     | 67   | 54 —      |
| Saturday                   | 65     | 80   | 51 —      |
| Sunday                     | 62     | 77   | 58 1.12   |
| Monday                     | 60     | 69   | 54 —      |
| Tuesday                    | 60     | 81   | 52 —      |
| Wednesday                  | 72     | 80   | 60 .44    |

## OBITUARY

MRS. J. C. DUNLOP

Mrs. J. C. Dunlop, widow of the late Rev. J. C. Dunlop, and mother of W. J. Dunlop, director of the department of university extension, University of Toronto, died Sunday at her home in Aylmer. She was 77. Mrs. Dunlop was born in Stewarton, Scotland, and came to Canada when six years old. She lived for some time at Fitzroy Harbor, Ont., and married Rev. Mr. Dunlop in 1880, settling in Durham.

Deceased lived successively in Stayner, Clinton, Springfield and Aylmer, where her husband had held charges. There survive nine children.

The funeral was held from the late home at 2 p.m., Monday to Aylmer cemetery.

MRS. JOHN M. MacKENZIE

Mary Lavina Ruby, wife of ex-Mayor John M. MacKenzie, Milton, died at her home on Foster street in that town, on Sunday morning after an illness of two years. Deceased, who was in her 52nd year, was until she became ill an active member of the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian church, and John Milton Chapter, I.O.E.D. Surviving are her husband, one son, John D., and two daughters, Marjorie L. and Muriel E., all at home; also her father, A. Ruby, and brother, John Ruby, both of Pontiac, Mich., and one sister, Mrs. C. P. Britton of Rhodes, Mich.

Mr. MacKenzie is a former resident of Durham, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan MacKenzie, who for years has conducted a pharmacy at Milton.

THE LATE DAVID STONEHOUSE

David Stonehouse, a farmer in Manitoba since 1882 and a resident of Carman district since 1892, died Thursday morning, June 30, at his home four miles south-east of Carman, following illness of long duration, and was buried Saturday afternoon in Carman cemetery. The service held at St. Andrew's church at two o'clock was attended by a large number of friends, including many representatives of the Canadian Order of Foresters, of which he had been a member for many years. Pallbearers were brothers in the orders, being Thos. Cleave, O. T. Harrison, John Wilkie, Wm. Baxter, R. W. Parrott, F. W. Kirby, A. E. Shewell and E. M. Kyle. The service was conducted by Rev. A. M. J. Gray, minister of the church. A large number of floral tributes expressive of the sympathy of friends of the family and of the sorrow of the relatives surrounded the casket. Relatives and friends present for the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. George Grier of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smallpiece and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Matthews of Bagot, Man.; Richard Davis and George Collier of Austin, and Wm. Collier and son of MacGregor.

Mr. Stonehouse was born at Glenelg, Grey County, Ontario, January 12, 1861, thus being in his seventy second year. He came to Manitoba when he was twenty-one years of age and located on the Portage Plains, where he farmed for ten years. He moved then to the Carman district and bought the farm on which he had since resided, for forty years. In 1895 he married at Glenelg, Ont., Miss Bessie Waterston Shortreed of that place, who survives him. Also surviving are a son, William, who is at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Paul Grieder of this district and Mrs. George E. Lane of Elm Creek; one daughter, Sarah, having predeceased him.

Three brothers and one sister also survive him. The brothers are William and Bertram of Durham, Ont., and James, Hawkesbury, Ont., and the sister is Mrs. James Hepburn of Durham. Another sister was the late Mrs. Walter Jenkins of Carman. Mr. Stonehouse was the eldest of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Stonehouse of Glenelg Ont. He served for a number of years as the secretary-treasurer and member of the trustee board of Boyne School district, and was a member of the board at the time of his death. He had been a member of St. Andrew's church for 37 years.—Carman (Manitoba) Leader.

WON BUSINESS MEN'S PRIZE

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Marshall, Normanby, won the prize of the Owen Sound business men, being the proud parents of the first baby in this section of Ontario to be born on the 1st of July.

OPENED UP BUSINESS

Messrs. Glen and Willard McDonald have opened a bakery business at Chatsworth, and commenced production last week.

## Town League Race Tightening Up

Only Four Games to Play.—Three Teams Tied for First Place.—Two Good Games This Week.

With the end of the schedule in sight—only four games to play, the last one on the 26th—the race in the Town League is tightening up. Right now the three leading teams are in a tie for first place and tomorrow (Friday) night's game will make quite a difference in the standing. The Students, while well down from the other teams still have a chance, although it is only the proverbial Chinaman's chance. If they can win their next two games and one of the other teams should lose two it will give them a chance to get into the playoffs—but they must win their next two games.

Besides a tightening up in the standing, a real improvement in the play is evident as the playoffs loom near. The two games played during the past week have been real battles, and both have turned on a single hit. Last Friday night the Bachelors and the Hockey Club battled it out for seven innings and the Bachelors went into the last half of the seventh one run down. With one man on the bag, Elmer Tucker proved to be the man of the moment by hitting one of the longest home runs of the season and the Bachelors won 7-6. On Tuesday night the Students and the Furniture Co. locked horns and required ten innings to come to a decision. The Students overcame a three goal lead acquired by the Factory early in the game and stepped into the lead in the sixth. Twice after that the Factory came from behind to tie the score, and then in the last of the tenth a home run again settled it, Goodchild getting the four-base blow after the man ahead of him had walked. The final score was 9-7. The final innings were played in the half dark, owing to a late start, and the Students can blame this as much as anything for their defeat.

Bachelors 7—Hockey Club 6

The game Friday night was one that kept the fans on their toes all through and the fighting finish of the Bachelors sent them home chattering like a blackbirds' convention. Starting away in their usual style the Hockey Club gathered in four runs in the first and two in the third, meanwhile holding the Bachelors to one in the first and two in the second. From then till the end of the fourth it looked like just a question of time till the Hockey Club broke through with another plurge and put the game in the bag. The Bachelors, however, had other ideas, and from the third on held the Puck Chasers scoreless. When the Bachelors came through with two runs in the fifth the excitement started to run high. Neither team scored in the sixth, and the Hockey Club failed again in the seventh although they got a runner to third. In their half of the seventh the Bachelors put the game away. Black, the first man up, got a nice double, and then McComb struck out. Tucker, who had been batting left-handed all night, and getting nowhere, changed his position, stepping to the other side of the plate, and promptly smacked the first ball pitched for a home-run, one of the longest of the season. It was a great game all through and such a grand stand finish sent the fans home well pleased.

Score by innings:

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|             | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | R. | H. | E. |
| Hockey Club | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6  | 7  | 3  |
| Bachelors   | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7  | 9  | 6  |

Furniture Co. 9—High School 7

Tuesday night's game was even more of a thriller than the preceding one. At all events the suspense was drawn out longer, the game going ten full innings before a decision was reached. With both teams playing fast ball, it was anybody's game up to the last strike and while numbers of the fans were disappointed when the Students lost, all admitted the Furniture boys earned their win. Owing to a late start which, by the way, was due to the Students' delinquency, the last two innings were played in the half-dark, and at the end it was difficult to see the ball unless it was in the air.

The Furniture Co. got away to a good start and at the end of the fourth were leading 4-1. Then the Students put on a rally and scoring two and three in the fifth and sixth, to one in the fifth for the Factory, made it 6-5. Neither team scoring in the sixth it looked like a Students' win, but the Woodworkers came through in the last of the seventh and tied the score. With neither team scoring in the eighth and bot getting one in the ninth the score was still tied and it was not till the (Continued on page 8.)