

SHOES.  
A few pairs of Men's  
and Stub Proof Rub-  
ber also some men's  
for \$1.25 worth \$1.75 -  
saves for you if you  
buy them.  
C. L. GRANT.

# DURHAM CHRONICLE.

No. 1767.

Durham, Ont., Thursday, January 24th, 1901.

CLOTHING.  
We have still a few men's and  
boy's overcoats in stock which we  
will sell at a big reduction, also  
eight men's and boy's fur cape  
that we want to clear out at a  
price.  
C. L. GRANT.

\$1.00 Per Year

## Victoria

IN MOURNING.  
Reign in the Annals of  
by Death on Jan. 22.



our beloved Queen  
at Osborne House  
has caused sad-  
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she has swayed the  
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## SEE Peel's ad.

HAVE you paid your sub?  
SOME remnants of wall paper 3c. a  
roll at Macfarlane's Drug Store.

MACFARLANE & Co. are agents for  
the Berliner Gramophone advertised  
elsewhere. It's a good one for the  
money.

THE Binder Twine factory, at  
Walkerton, has commenced opera-  
tions though the plant is not all in  
position yet.

REV. J. G. BROWN, Foreign Mission  
Sec'y, Toronto, will preach in the  
Baptist church, Durham, on Sunday  
evening next.

THOSE who got Christmas' numbers  
are pleased with them. Renew your  
subscription and get one. There are  
still a few left.

BARRISTER McCaul will be at the  
Commercial Hotel, Priceville, on the  
second and last Tuesdays of each  
month from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. tf.

WANTED—At once, a young man  
about 18 years of age, to learn black-  
smithing. Must be strong, healthy  
and not afraid of work. Apply to J.  
D. Watson, Markdale, Ont.

ABOUT thirty of the youth, beauty  
and talent of the town drove out to  
Zion on Sunday to listen to and take  
part in a missionary rally held by  
the young people of the Methodist  
Church there. They report a good  
and profitable time.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—All parties in  
arrears for taxes for the year 1900  
are requested to call on me at  
Limin's Butcher Shop from 9 a. m.  
to 4 p. m. on Saturday Feb. 2, and  
save further costs.—Hugh MacKay,  
Collector.

The annual meeting of the British  
and Foreign Bible Society will be  
held in the Presbyterian church on  
Friday evening next, to-morrow, at  
eight o'clock. Resident ministers  
will deliver addresses. Collection  
at close in aid of the society.

We are indebted to Mr. George  
Binaie for the excellent report of the  
afternoon session, which we were  
unable to attend ourselves. The  
ideas are nicely expressed, however,  
and more to the point perhaps than  
if we had written it. The report of  
the evening meeting is our own.

THE Methodist church at Crawford  
has bills out announcing a tea meet-  
ing for Wednesday evening, January  
30th, after which a program of  
addresses, recitations, vocal and  
instrumental selections will be pre-  
sented. Good accommodation has  
been provided for man and beast.  
Admission 25 and 15c.

MR. GEORGE LAWRENCE opens up  
this week his new Flour, Feed and  
Grocery Store, a few doors south of  
this office, and wishes to announce to  
the public that he will carry a full  
line of the best goods. Prompt del-  
ivery to any part of the town.  
Lowest prices for cash or its equivalent.  
Look out for his ad. next  
week.

We received last week, a neatly  
printed original story entitled "Es-  
culapius," by Mr. John Copeland,  
Editor and proprietor of the Harris-  
ton Tribune. It is certainly quite a  
yarn and everything fits in well, but  
we have difficulty in believing it all  
to be true. The whole plot is sup-  
posed to have been carried out in  
Toronto, and the Esculapius doctrine  
so well sustained, that old Esculapius  
himself cannot fail to be satisfied  
with the results.

THE Annual Congregational Meet-  
ing of the Presbyterian church was  
held on Monday afternoon last. In  
the evening a social gathering as-  
sembled in the basement, where a  
sumptuous tea was served, followed  
by short addresses and a suitable  
program. The resident clergyman  
and Inspector Campbell were the  
speakers. Miss Frankie Black ren-  
dered a pleasing solo. We weren't  
present, but we understand a pleas-  
ant evening was spent.

A LAW-ABIDING citizen called on us  
a few evenings ago, and recited a few  
incidents in connection with a little  
rowdyism that took place in town a  
few evenings previous. If the facts  
are as stated, and a mob be allowed  
to go scot free after pounding a single  
citizen, our laws are sadly in need of  
improvement, but we believe the  
law makes ample provision for deal-  
ing with all such cases, and we fur-  
ther believe that the chief magis-  
trate of our town will permit of no  
undue leniency in case an informa-  
tion is laid. The safety of the citi-  
zens should not be endangered by  
winking at such lawlessness, nor  
should the press be exonerated for  
concealing such crimes.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Archie McKezic is spending  
a few days in town.  
Dr. Jamieson spent a day or two  
in Toronto this week.  
Mr. Fred Anderson is visiting at  
the parental home here.

Mr. A. H. Burnett, of Hopeville,  
was a caller on Monday.  
Mr. Frank Lenahan spent Sunday  
with friends in Mildmay.

Miss Tink, of Barrie, is the guest  
of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whelan.  
Dr. Mahan is assisting Dr. Jamie-  
son in the practice of his profession.

Miss Mary McCormack returned  
home from Rochester for a few weeks.  
Mr. Wm. Wright, of Flesherton,  
was in town Monday and gave us a  
short call.

Mrs. J. T. Collyer, of Guelph, is  
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Philip Eva.  
Mayor Calder was in Toronto last  
week on business in connection with  
the new cement industry.

Miss McCaslin, of Louise, is visit-  
ing her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs.  
Chas. Falkingham, in town here.  
County Commissioner McKinnon is  
in Owen Sound this week, attending  
the session of the County Council.

Mr. David Allan, of Holstein, was  
in attendance at the meeting of the  
Farmers' Institute on Saturday last.  
Miss Whitmore and Mr. McCracken  
of Durham, were the guests Sunday  
of Miss Marcella Allen.—Mt. Forest  
Rep.

Mr. L. Kennedy, traveller for the  
Consolidated Pulp and Paper Co., of  
Toronto, was in town Monday on  
business.

Mr. Samuel Beattie, of Brussels,  
late proprietor of the Middaugh  
House, was in town a day or two  
this week.

Mr. O. Heffernan, of Marden, is  
spending considerable time in the  
vicinity buying up live stock for  
shipping purposes.

Mr. Lavelle is again conductor on  
the Durham-Palmerston branch of  
the G. T. R., and has returned with  
his family to Durham.

Mrs. R. F. Miller, of Brantford,  
arrived in town last week to visit  
her mother, Mr. Chas. Falkingham,  
who had her arm broken a couple of  
weeks ago.

Rev. Mr. Dunlop, of Stayner, for-  
mer pastor of the Baptist congrega-  
tion here, spent Tuesday night with  
his friends, Mr. and Mrs. Angus  
Cameron.

Mrs. Henry Crowther, of Chats-  
worth, spent a few days with her  
parents here, returning home Sun-  
day with her husband who was also  
down for a short time.

Mr. John Stewart, the pipef, of  
Bunessan, gave us a call Monday.  
His pipes are now in first class order,  
and we hope ere long to hear him in  
some of his favorite selections.

Miss Agusta Stewart, daughter of  
Rev. Alex. Stewart, who has been  
engaged in Mission work in Chicago,  
arrived in Durham on Monday night,  
and will remain with her aged father.

Mr. D. McCormack, of Bentinck,  
left Monday morning to attend the  
Normal School, also Miss Katie Mc-  
Cormack, of Gleuroaden, the former  
to Toronto and the latter to London.

Mr. J. W. Shorney, of Toronto,  
Vice President of the Toronto Lead  
and Color Co., was in town Tuesday  
singing his little song to the Furni-  
ture Co. and other dealers. In com-  
pany with Mr. Catton he gave us a  
brief call.

Mr. R. Junkin, Toronto, Superin-  
tendent of the Imperial Life Assur-  
ance Co., of Canada, gave us a brief  
call Tuesday, in company with the  
district Agent, Mr. W. D. Mills.  
We are almost staggered over a list  
of large policies, running from \$2000  
to \$250,000. We are pleased to learn  
that Mr. Mills is regarded as a good  
man by the Company.

FOR COBS TO CON.  
'Tis news the public want my friends,  
Not silly brainless chatter;  
Not news to lift the world along,  
Straight forward business matter;  
In backward talk no more indulge  
Just like a horse keeps stalling  
All day within a gin-mill round  
Just walking, only walking.  
So brush the cob-webs from your brain,  
Consider how you are writing;  
Of what, and why, and who will read  
The thoughts you are inditing.  
The farmer and the factory-man,  
The pupil and the teacher;  
The unthinking and the thoughtful folk,  
The atheist and the preacher.  
The world of Labor, Science, Art,  
State clearly the progression  
Within these circles; next you may  
Write of the "fads" of Fashion.  
The chit-chat of Society  
You must not dare neglect it;  
You'll be cold-shouldered if you do  
Just when you least expect it.  
Across the lake of politics  
If wise, you'll not be steering.  
The public mind is not inclined  
To give a patient hearing  
To subjects grave of Law reform,  
And how to end the quarrel  
Between the questions Wrong and Right  
That Right may wear Truth's laurel.  
Enthusiasts may try to rouse  
The world with their suggestions;  
Men are "hustled" so—they can't  
Be bothered with hard questions,  
So keep within a "small-talk" range.  
Be brief, don't be dependent,  
Avoid all gossip and you'll be  
A valued correspondent.  
Jan. 17, 1901.

100 YEARS OLD.  
Mrs. Lawrence, of this Town, Will be  
a Hundred Years Old on Lady's  
Day. She is Still Bright and  
in the Possession of Rare  
Intellectual Faculties.  
A LOT of us have lived in two  
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it than any one we know at present.  
Some report her to be 101 years  
and others 100 in March. Being  
curious to get at the exact truth, as  
well as anxious to meet and converse  
with a lady of her years, we made it  
our business on Friday last to call on  
the old lady at the home of her son  
George, and during the few minutes  
in her company we were surprised  
and delighted to find her still in pos-  
session of keen intellectual faculties,  
and able to refer with wonderful  
clearness to many incidents that oc-  
curred in long past years. She tells  
us that she will be 100 years of age  
if she lives till the 25th of March  
next, and denies that she has the  
honored distinction of living in three  
centuries. In the course of our little  
conversation she took us away back  
to Ireland the land of her birth, and  
told us something of the trials of  
pioneer life in the wilds of Glenelg.  
Fearing to weary the good old soul  
we left before she was half through  
her story, but being pressed to call  
again we must do so later on.  
A still further spirit of inquisitiv-  
ness led us to enquire about her de-  
scendants and, though not from her  
own lips we learn that she had 9  
children, 58 grand-children and 74  
great-grandchildren. What a mighty  
gathering this would make if they  
could all assemble on the 25th of  
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pletion of her hundredth year.  
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LAXATIVE grip tablets cure La  
Grippe.—25c. a box at Macfarlane's  
Drug Store.

SEED OATS—200 bushels of Ligowa  
Oats for sale at Parker's, Druggist  
and Seed-man, Durham.

THE Town Council is considering  
the question of submitting a By-law  
to give a site and certain tax exemp-  
tions to the Canada Portland Cement  
Co. We believe they are justified in  
doing so, and should such By-law be  
submitted, we can scarcely conceive  
a single individual who will oppose  
the scheme. All along we have used  
our little influence in favor of the  
establishment of such an industry.

Whether it be promoted by local men  
or outside capitalists it makes very  
little difference so long as the best  
results are obtained in the develop-  
ment of our natural resources. The  
difficulties in the way of raising  
stock up to the present leads us to  
believe that it would be better for  
the community at large to have the  
cement industry developed and oper-  
ated by foreign capitalists, but only  
on condition, we would say, that the  
works be within the corporation of  
the town of Durham. We expect  
shortly to hear of some definite  
plans, and our faith is not at all  
diminished on the financial benefits  
that a cement industry will produce.

We are anxious to keep the public  
informed on all local happenings, and  
will do so willingly as far as lies in  
our power, if we only get a chance.  
To this end we respectfully ask all  
citizens, whether subscribers or not,  
to give us the names of all comers  
and goers, as well as hints on occur-  
rences in and around the town. We  
are anxious to get and to give news,  
no matter from what source it comes,  
so long as it is genuine news. We  
make no distinctions, and old or  
young, rich or poor, are cordially in-  
vited to keep us informed, and we  
shall try, so far as we know how, to  
treat them courteously and give to  
publicity to anything they may wish  
to see in print, so long as it may be  
considered fit for legitimate journal-  
ism.

We are not running round to  
people's houses only when something  
transpires about which we want  
explicit details, but this need not  
prevent any one calling at our office,  
or sending notes through the post  
office, with name of writer attached.  
When your friends come to see you,  
let us know, and we'll tell about it.  
That's our business and we want to  
attend to it. We often feel annoyed  
because of something being missed  
through ignorance or neglect on our  
part. You, kind reader, can help us  
to make the paper better than it is,  
and we believe you will.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.  
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All  
druggists refund the money if it fails to cure,  
25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

## Furniture Warerooms.

The Furniture and Under-  
taking business formerly  
carried on by J. A. Shewell  
will henceforth be known by  
the firm name of Shewell &  
Lenahan, a partnership  
having been formed for the  
transaction of business.  
Old Customers and new ones  
are respectfully requested to  
call and visit us in our new  
Show Rooms in the McIn-  
tyre Block, next door to the  
Bank, where we will be  
found night and day to  
cater to the wants of all.

Special Drives  
in Furniture  
During the Holiday Season.

Shewell & Lenahan.

McINTYRE BLOCK - LOWER TOWN.

Infants too young to take medicine may be  
cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by  
using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

Volunteers.  
All rifles, articles of clothing, etc.,  
belonging to No. 4 Company, 31st  
Reg't, must be turned in at once.  
O. M. SNIDER, Capt.,  
No. 4 Co'y, 31st Reg't.

A Durham Boy From Dawson.  
Mr. Bert E. Collyer, Proprietor of  
the Yukon Sun, Dawson City, the of-  
ficial organ of the Yukon Territory,  
arrived in town Saturday and on  
Monday we had an opportunity of  
interviewing him on matters in con-  
nection with the mining operations  
of the far north. Being a Durham  
boy, a grandson of Mr. Philip Eva,  
of this town, we naturally feel pleas-  
ed to tell of his prosperity, as a gold  
speculator and at the same time a  
journalist.

Many of those who heard him howl  
in infancy, chased chipmunks, dug  
out ground hogs, and went beehunt-  
ing on Saturdays in his boyhood  
days, didn't imagine for a moment  
but that they were making an even  
start in the journey of life, and so  
they were, but Bert had greater am-  
bitions, perhaps, or it may be only  
that he made better use of his oppor-  
tunities, and to-day he commands  
considerable wealth, and is rapidly  
rising to a position of affluence  
though a young man of twenty-three  
or four years of age.

Like lots of boys he had his day  
dreams and his night dreams, as to  
what he would be when he became a  
man, but his aspirations were not  
merely visionary. Action seemed to  
be his watch-word. About three  
years ago he started for the Northern  
Gold Fields as representative of a  
Guelph Syndicate. On the way he  
parted company with the others and  
for a short time entered journalism  
as a special correspondent of the San  
Francisco Examiner and New York  
Journal, and furnished many impor-  
tant and interesting letters of the  
difficulties encountered during the early  
trips to Dawson City.

For a time after reaching Dawson,  
he was circulation manager of the  
Dawson Sunday Gleaner, and had a  
controlling interest in the concern.  
About a year ago the Gleaner ceased  
publication and since then Mr. Col-  
lyer is proprietor of the Yukon Sun.  
In addition to this he has large min-  
ing claims and though he didn't tell  
us so himself we learn he is just  
coining money.

His business this trip, amongst the  
capitalists of the principal cities of  
Ontario as well as New York and  
Washington is as he told a reporter  
in Hamilton the other day is to  
"promote one of the largest tourist  
transportation propositions ever  
floated in the North." The "propo-  
sition" is to sell round trip tickets at  
all Eastern points, which will include  
in addition to railway fare to Puget  
Sound, a trip up through the inland  
Alaskan passage to Skagway, taking  
in Muir glacier and all other scenic  
grandeur of the far famed route from  
Skagway and on to Dawson.

"Dawson is a truly metropolitan  
city," says Mr. Collyer. You can  
buy anything you want but the  
prices are high for instance a spring  
chicken will cost you \$6.50 and three  
radishes go at a dollar. Law and  
morals are not of a very high order  
only so far as they can get enforced  
by the policeman's baton.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.  
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All  
druggists refund the money if it fails to cure,  
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## Removed

We beg to announce to  
the general public that  
we are now doing busi-  
ness in our new store, and  
in order

## To

Impress upon you the  
importance of dealing  
with us, we invite an in-  
spection of every line of  
goods we handle, feeling  
convinced that we can  
suit you in the

## The Corner Store!

Wishing all a happy New Year, we  
are your's for trade.

## J. & J. HUNTER.

The Busy Store  
On the Busy Corner.

## S. F. MORLOCK

### The Leader in Ready-Made Clothing!

Now is the time to select your suit or overcoat  
before sizes and assortments are broken. The  
conspicuous feature of our clothing is their  
very dressy, smart appearance. Then, too, the  
tailoring is of exceptional fineness. Our stock  
is larger than ever before. Get our price in  
Boys' Suits and Overcoats. They will interest  
you.

### Millinery.

All our Trimmed Hats at  
half price!

### Remnants of Dress-Goods

We have put on the counter all our short  
lengths of Dress Goods, suitable for Children's  
Wear, or for separate waists or skirts. You  
will find a bargain in them, as we have cut the  
price away down to clear.

Note a few of the bargains we offer in  
**Christmas Groceries.**

22 lbs. Light Brown Sugar	\$ 1.00
10 lbs. Standard Granulated Sugar	1.00
3 lbs. Roger's Select Raisins	25
2 lbs. Seedling Select Raisins	25
2 lbs. Smyrna Select Currants	25
7 lbs. good figs	25
1 lb. Sweet Lemon or Orange Peel	25
1 lb. Mix Candies	15

**Goods in Exchange for Produce.**

## S. F. MORLOCK

Great Cash & One Price Bargain House