

20TH CENTURY UMBRELLA
 This umbrella is mounted with our rapid, self acting runner. It moves quickly. Try one and you will like it.
C. L. GRANT.

DURHAM CHRONICLE.

FINE GROCERIES,
 Pork and Beans with Tomato sauce. Sardines, Salmon, Kipperd Herring, Tomatoes, Corn & Peas. Sunlight soap.
C. L. GRANT.

Vol. 35--No. 1784. Durham, Ont., Thursday, May 23, 1901. \$1.00 Per Year.

LOCAL NEWS.
 See Darling's change of ad.
REAL ESTATE.—Real estate for sale apply to W. Laidlaw.
 A MONSTER circus is coming to town shortly. The 7th of June we understand.
 "PUT not your trust in trusts, but trust in us" Ride the Hyslop bicycle. For sale by W. Laidlaw.
 BOY WANTED.—Between sixteen and twenty years of age, to learn bar-boring. Apply to Thos. Swallow, 1f.
 NORTH and Centre Grey Farmers' Institutes will run an excursion to Guelph on the 11th of June.
 FIELD CORN. Hungarian and Millet swede and soft turnip seed at Macfarlane's Drug Store.
 "GOOD-to-day and good for years." Perfect and garden city bicycles are built to stand. Guaranteed by W. Laidlaw.
 MR. GLASS, the tailor, wishes to announce that he is now ready in his premises on Lambton Street to do all kinds of work in the tailoring line.
 THE nominations for a candidate to fill the vacancy recently caused by the death of Mr. Williscroft, of Holland Centre, will take place on the 31st inst.
 THE Population of Owen Sound according to the assessment roll is 9255. It is understood that according to the Census enumerators it is slightly under 9000.
 SIXTEEN fine photos for 35c. You can have four different sittings. This price will hold good only a short time, so don't miss it. Studio—Browne's Old Stand.
 PROF. McLeod, Scottish Herbalist, is spending a few days in town. He contributes a piece of Gaelic poetry by a relative of his, the celebrated Dr. McLeod, of Glasgow.
 "THE best wheel money can buy," is none too good for you." Ride the Cleveland and keep up in front,—the recognized standard in wheel perfection. For sale by W. Laidlaw.
 REPORTS from Washington state that fifty thousand Machinist are out on strike for nine hours work at ten hours pay. Nearly all the principal cities in the United States are affected.
 MR. CHARLES MOFFAT, of Edge Hill, sold five three-year-old Galloway steers last week the total weight of which was 6300 lbs. These are said to be the best ever brought in to Durham. They were bred from Thos. Greenwood's pure bred Galloway bull.
 THE foundation of the Knapp House stable is now completed and ready for the brick. The building is about 115 feet long by 55 feet wide and will be one of the best in the county when finished. The foundation is a fine piece of stonework, and was built by Hugh McDonald.
 THOUGH some of the trees planted out this spring do not appear the most thrifty we are pleased to see that most of them are giving signs of life which the moist weather we are having will materially assist. The act was a very commendable one of which we may have reason to rejoice in a few years.
 W. F. DOLL, who used to be in Fleherton some years ago, but now of New York, has for the past two years been doing a thriving business in for case watches purporting to have been made from the battle ship Maine, sunk in the Havana harbor, claiming that his firm has purchased the iron. It now transpires that the Maine is to be resurrected and brought to New York and made over. The question to be debated by those who bought the watches is: "Are we suckers or are we not?"—Advance
 SOME time ago we had occasion to refer to the abominable practice of sending anonymous letters. Since then we have heard nothing of such being done in town, but in outside places there are people mean enough and unprincipled enough to indulge in the practice even yet. They may not regard the thing as an enormous crime, but to our mind a person who writes a slanderous piece of anonymous literature is the meanest kind of coward. Let it not be inferred, however, that a newspaper article written under a nom de plume is to be regarded in the same light. We believe that most public opinions so discussed should appear under the proper signature, but if there is any difference of opinion, the person whose name is used should be directly different from the person whose name is used in the slanderous proceeding, and the person whose name is used in the slanderous proceeding should be directly different from the person whose name is used in the slanderous proceeding.

4 CANS canned apples for 25 cts. at Laidlaw's during clearing sale.
 Boots and shoes a specialty. We sell very cheap. C. McArthur.
 HATS in variety, quality, style and prices are up-to-date at C. McArthur's.
 CLEARING Sale now on at Laidlaw's. Don't let this chance go, as all goods must be sold.
 THE Rev. Farquharson, of Durham, will preach in the Zion Methodist church on Sunday at 2:30 p. m.
 THE Rev. J. Garner, of Hanover, will preach in the Methodist church, Durham, on Sunday, at 11 a. m. and at 7 o'clock p. m.
 CREDIT AUCTION SALE.—At Colin Blyth's Mill on Tuesday, May 28th. Farm Stock and Implements. No reserve as the proprietor, Mr. Blyth, is giving up farming. HUGH MAC KAY, Auctioneer. See Bills.—2.
 THE chief engineer of the Portland Cement Company visited Wilder's Lake Monday, and declares the marl deposits there to be the best he ever saw. The quality is unsurpassed, and the quantity is practically unlimited.
 MR. CONERY, of Guelph, was in town last week to examine the sidewalk put in last year, and will return in a short time to remedy any defects that may have developed after the winter's test. He expresses determination to make everything satisfactory.
 We are pleased to notice the name of Mr. Harry Meredith amongst the Honor graduates at the recent examination in the Ontario College of Pharmacy. Mr. Norman McKee, of Markdale, son of Mrs. McKee, of this town, was also successful. Both are full fledged pharmacists, and with their many friends we take pleasure in extending our congratulations.
 Miss Dick's summer millinery opening, held on Friday and Saturday of last week, was well attended by ladies interested in all the latest things in millinery. Contrary to our usual custom we shall not go into a description of the various things on exhibition. Our description at best is always vague and unsatisfactory, and we prefer to invite all within reach to examine the goods for themselves.
 The increased indemnity vote came up Monday in the House of Commons and was carried with little opposition. Sir Wilfred Laurier moved the resolution to increase the indemnity from \$1000 to \$1500, and justified the increase by the example of the Australian Commonwealth which granted \$2000 a session. The advisability of making such a change without submitting the question to the people, is a matter of grave doubt on both sides of politics, but the parliament is young yet, and before another appeal is made to the people the win may be forgotten.
 The interest in the Cement business has been deeply interested since our last issue owing to the presence of surveyors, engineers and Mr. Cowham, at actual work of preparation. Good progress has been made here and reports from outside points are highly gratifying. We prefer to give our readers a rest on the cement question and say very little more than to assure them that everything is all right and the citizens are more than delighted with the prospects. Never was Durham in a more happy condition, than it is to-day and it's all because of the cement mill. From the start we felt a deep interest in the industry, and now that the work is practically begun we feel that we have reached the climax of our ambition, and settle down in contentment to await developments.
 THEY are talking of errors—intentional or otherwise—in counting money or in making "change," as it is called, one night. One man said he had occasion once to borrow \$500 from a close fist money lender. The "stuff" was handed to him in one hundred dollar bills, and it so happened that two of the big bills adhered with the result that he really received \$600 where \$500 was intended. And it also chanced that he did not have occasion to use but \$400 of his loan for several weeks, probably a month, when he discovered the mistake. Then, being an honest man, he returned the extra hundred dollars, anyway: He went back to the money lender, explained the circumstances, at the same time tendering the hundred dollar bill. "And I'll be dragged," said the narrator in conclusion, "if the old sinner didn't insist that I should pay him the interest on that \$400. Thus it came to be true of which somebody says in one of Shakespeare's plays, that to be direct and honest is not safe."

PURE bred Jersey heifer calf for sale, registered pedigree.—F. Peel, 1f.
 W. LAIDLAW offers his entire stock for sale,—now for bargains.
 We want your butter and eggs. We pay cash and the highest price. C. McArthur.
 CALL and see our ready-made clothing. We sell at lowest prices.—C. McArthur.
 A WARNING was given last week to subscribers in town to call and settle up before their subscription accounts were put into other hands for collection, which will be done after the first of June. It will be easier and cheaper to settle with us, and we advise all to do so at the earliest possible date. We do not wish to be hard on anyone who makes an effort, but we say positively we must have a settlement. Working for the good of our health only, has ceased to be a pleasure.
 THE Railroad Companies are giving special rates for the 24th of May. Some years ago these Companies made use of the newspapers for advertising their time tables and giving notice of special excursions. To give such information may be looked upon as news which the papers are supposed to give for the benefit of their readers, but on the other hand it is straight advertising, and the line must be drawn somewhere, and big corporations have no more right to expect it than small local men.
 ONE of the best suggestions ever made by the newspapers of this country is that every farmer should display his name at the front gate of his farm. It would be a matter of trifling expense and no particular trouble for every farmer in the country to have his name and number of his lot neatly painted on a small board to be nailed to the gate post nearest the concession line, and such boards would prove of incalculable value to the public and to the farmers themselves and lend interest to many a stranger passing through.
 A shocking accident occurred on Monday whereby the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown was burned so severely that she died the following day. The little girl was playing with some of the neighbor's children who had started a fire in a field near the house and in helping to feed the fire her clothes came in contact with the flames. She ran screaming towards the house, but the parents were out and a neighboring woman who heard her extinguished the fire. The child, however, was so badly burned that, after lingering till the next day, happily unconscious, she died on Monday evening. The unhappy parents are distracted with grief at the sad occurrence.—O. S. Sun.
 We have just learned of a serious runaway accident which happened to Mrs. Halliday, of Orchard, a few days ago while driving near Mount Forest. It seems that the horse took fright and shied towards the side of the road upsetting the vehicle. Mrs. Halliday having a baby in her arms tried to save the child and in so doing fell on her knee so as to remove the knee cap. We understand an action for damages is to be instituted against the Council, but we are not informed as to what municipality. It is thought that Mrs. Halliday will never again have the full use of her leg. A daughter, who was driving, had her face cut but the baby escaped uninjured.
 THE ordinary business man has about as hard a row to hoe as any body on earth, says an exchange, and he has got to look pleasant and hang on to the hoe handle no matter what happens. If a pastor's salary is a little short, the business man must fix it. If John Jones loses a horse he must help get another. If some body meets with an accident or is burned out, the business man must chip in. If a celebration is going on he must dig up some more. If a beggar comes along he is the first man tackled. If he responds to every call he goes broke. If he refuses, he is counted a hog. Still some will send away from home for goods occasionally.
Beatha Mhic An Duine.
 Ar beatha tha mar niall fhaoin
 Mar spailte fallais air an raoin
 Mar bhogsa grain ro' nevil air fair
 Mar ursgeul dhiomhain ghoidh ghearr
 Mar Bhadan ceo air bhair nan beann
 No mar chloich a ruith le gliann
 Mar shagheadh luath on tiffheadh reith
 On bhogha luaneach in laimh an train
 Mar bhogha frois ro' Bhrao-aibh thadh
 Mar neonan ur is ailidh bliath
 Mar Pheilair teine ruith ron spur
 Nan ath shealladh dhiel nach leurr
 Mar neid na hoiche theid nan luthas
 Naair dheirras grain an aigh a suas
 Mar ghathas gearraidh air bheag speis
 Mar leud boise no fad reis
 Mar shighe luagais air a chuan
 Mar chobhar abhain nach bi buan
 Ar beatha mar so tha ruith gu luath
 Gun stad gun fhois gu bas as uaigh.
 —By the late Dr. Norman McLeod

PERSONAL MENTION.
 Rev. Mr. Paterson, of Grand Valley, was in town Monday.
 Mr. N. Cress, Photographer, came to town last week and is now doing business in Browne's old stand.
 Mrs. (Rev.) Smith left Saturday morning to visit her friends in the vicinity of Simcoe.
 Mr. Arthur Laidlaw is in the employ of Mr. W. F. Cowham, of the National Portland Cement Co.
 Miss Sims, teacher at Vickers, was the guest of her friend, Miss Margaret McKenzie, the latter part of last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Baulden, of Elmwood, spent from Saturday till Monday with friends in town and in the vicinity of Varney.
 Mrs. John Cameron and her daughter Belle have returned to town for the summer. They have been in Toronto for some time.
 Messrs. Cowham and Beaugardis, President and Chief Engineer, respectively, of the Cement Co. were in town a couple of days this week.
 Pete Pringle, after an absence of several months in Dunville returned Monday and has now resumed work with Browne the photographer.
 Mr. John Purvis, of Allan Park, walked to Berkeley last week, spent a couple of days there and returned Wednesday when he helped to turn off part of our last run of last issue.
 School Inspector, N. W. Campbell put in a day and a half last week making a thorough inspection of our academy here. Contrary to old traditions the children in this shopaculate are always ready and anxious for a visit from the genial inspector, who does not exhibit in his person any of the bluebeard idiosyncrasies so feared in our early youth. Our inspector is an inspiration to good work and a spur to youthful ambition. Long may he flourish.—Advance.
HITS AND MISSES.
 Auctioneers never lie only when it's absolutely convenient.
 The Chronicle man never lies. He leaves that to the other fellow.
 Everybody wants the cement works in his own pig field.
 A man must have good hatching qualities when he can bring out a batch of photos in three days.
 People from a small town are often laughed at by those living in a larger town.
 Mayor Calder must be a good looking chap. We were mistaken for him several times.
 It's a new idea for a man to send his wife on a visit so that he can regale himself on green onions.
 We never look at our money without wishing we had a cash register big enough to hold it all.
 Instead of learning the manly art of boxing, our advice to most people is to learn to run. It would prevent many a black eye.
 The fellows who sit around all summer on tar barrels and packing boxes will be the biggest howlers about hard times when the weather gets cold.
 Some people want to get something for nothing. If this is a borrowed paper you are one of them. You can get one of your own for the balance of the year for half a dollar.
 We never yet met the photographer who could tell us how many said they were afraid they'd break the machine if they "set" to get their pictures "took."
 A citizen last week was asked for a match. After fumbling through all his pockets he told his inquisitor he hadn't any, but he could give him a piece of string if that would be any use to him.
 Because we print gaelic is no reason for charging us with a mean desire to catch the Highland vote. THE CHRONICLE is only a dollar a year. Scotchmen get it at the same price, hit or miss.
 Our attention has been called to the probable kinship between the man that was talking of "granulated" sidewalks, and the girl who said her father was going to have his house "manured" with brick. Of course she meant "venered."
 In offering a hundred dollar challenge in another column, Mr. McEachern includes the Editors. He knows Editors, as a rule, are not mean enough to get money in that way. Occasionally you may run across a snag Malcolm, but come out and subscribe for THE CHRONICLE and we'll not peach on you.
 The Archbishop of Canterbury would like to see all the Clergy of the church of England married. Right enough, but unfortunately clergymen of all denominations, like editors, are often too poor to keep a wife, and under such circumstances they're better single. This isn't a joke.

Beautiful Millinery.
 Millinery brings out the best artistic taste there is in woman kind. Not one out of five hundred milliners is a true artist. No better exemplification of true artistic merit can be seen than by a visit to the show rooms of Miss Dick any day in the week, and look at the neat conceptions now shown. Prices that will astonish you, trimmed hats from \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 \$4.00 and upwards. When you buy a good hat here you have a style "all your own."
Miss Dick.
WARTS ARE UNSIGHTLY
 That is the reason no one is clanking for a few more warts—make them fashionable and a remedy to grow warts would quickly be made a financial success. Yes, Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor removes them, works quickly and without pain—any druggist will tell you more about this remedy.
 DEATH came suddenly to Mr. Wm. Johnston, of Clarksburg, on Thursday evening of last week. While apparently in his usual health, Mr. Johnston came down to the village to get his mail, but when he reached the post office he complained of not feeling well and sat down on the steps. His brother, Mr. Hugh Johnston, took him into the drug store, and medical aid was rendered him, but all to no avail, for in about ten minutes he breathed his last. Death was due to heart trouble. He was 74 years of age.—Clarksburg Reflector.
FOUGHT FOR HIS LIFE.
 "My father and sister both died of Consumption," writes J. T. Weatherwax, of Wyandotte, Mich., "and I was saved from the same frightful fate only by Dr. King's New Discovery. An attack of Pneumonia left an obstinate cough and very severe lung trouble, which an excellent doctor could not help, but a few months use of this wonderful medicine made me as well as ever and I gained much in weight." Infallible for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung trouble. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00 at all druggists. 1m.
 An old man named Jenkins died in Walkerton on Thursday, May 2nd. He was poor and had no family connections, so a couple of members of a relief committee took charge of the remains and had them buried on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, in a rough box without notifying any of the authorities or having a clergyman to perform funeral rites. Considerable indignation was aroused by the manner in which the corpse had been disposed of, and Mayor McKay ordered the body to be exhumed which was done on Saturday. The remains of the poor old man was given a decent burial on Sunday.—Post.
Farmers' Institute.
 The annual meeting of the South Grey Farmers' Institute will be held in the Town Hall, Durham, on Tuesday, June 4th, 1901, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' and the Auditors' Reports, electing officers for the ensuing year and transacting any other business that may come before the meeting. After the usual business, Miss Laura Rose, of the O. A. College, Guelph, will give an address on "Difficulties in the Dairy and how to overcome them." This will be a very interesting meeting and every farmer should bring his wife and daughters or stay at home and let them come. Miss Rose is an able and entertaining speaker.
 ROBERT MORICE, GEO. BINNIE, President. Secretary.
NOTICE!
 Any persons fishing on the property of the Durham Fishing Club will be prosecuted. \$5 reward will be paid to any person furnishing information as will lead to a conviction. J. Kelly, Pres., T. A. Harris, Secretary.
VOLUNTEERS.
 No. 4 Company, 31st regiment, proceeds to Camp Niagara June 11th. Preliminary drills will be held May 25th, June 1st, 8th and 10th, at 6 o'clock sharp. A few good recruits will be accepted. All members are requested to be present.
 O. M. SMIDER, Captain. Hampden, Ont.
 If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Cresolene. All Druggists.

IN THE FRONT RANK
 FOR THEIR
WEARING QUALITIES
Priestley's
Fancy Black Dress Goods.
 Drape Gracefully in every Fold and Pleat.
 Wrapped on the Varnished Board.



Henriettas, Serges, Sateens, and all shades and qualities of Ladies' Dress Goods.
For Gentlemen!
 The finest selection of Tweeds, Worsteds in town. Suits to order from \$10.00 up.
 For a Nobby Hat we are Headquarters.

Cash for Butter and Eggs. Highest Price.
J. & J. HUNTER.
 The Busy Store On the Busy Corner.

S. F. MORLOCK
MILLINERY.
 Durham's Greatest Millinery House.
 Vastness! Variety! Value!
 Deservedly Popular. The great and increasing growth of our business is abundant proof of our popularity in the trade throughout the length and breadth of Durham. We are popular in every sense of the word. Through our courteous treatment and the liberality shown our patrons, and by our strictly business methods, we have earned the respect, confidence and goodwill of the trade in general. We are popular from the fact that our stock is by far the largest in Millinery and General Dry Goods. The correctness of our goods is undoubted, the value in every line in all departments is the strong argument that strengthens our popularity. It is ever in evidence, more so at this season of the year, when we are kept busy. Our millinery display is
Greater & Grander Than Ever.
 We will exert ourselves to make your visit both pleasant and profitable.
S. F. MORLOCK
 If it is asthma, bronchitis, croup, or any such trouble, use Vapo-Cresolene. All Druggists.