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LOCAL NEWS.

The finest American footwear at Peel's.

The Division Court is being held just as we go to press.

The American shoes are the whole tip.—Peel, the Shoe Man.

We want your butter and eggs. We pay cash and the highest price. C. McArthur.

MANY of our readers will be pleased to learn that Mrs. (Rev.) Herbert, (nee Frankie Hughes), of Port Dover, is recovering from her recent illness.

AUCTION SALE.—Mrs. Frank Darby advertises her household effects for sale on Saturday next, at two o'clock. See bills for particulars. JAS. CARSON, Auctioneer.

A BIG SURPRISE.—Any one wanting a suit made to order for cheapness, fit, style and workmanship, should go to Mr. Glass, Merchant Tailor, (Hunter's old Store), next to Mr. Caldwell's Livery.

We again give notice to town delinquents that their subscription accounts will be placed in other hands for collection if not settled before the first of June. The time is drawing near and we mean business. Direct settlement will be much more satisfactory, and our advice is to do so at once.

A VERY narrow escape from drowning occurred on Wednesday evening of last week, when Russell, a little four or five year old son of Conductor Lavelle, fell into the river through a hole on the unused sidewalk of Lambton street bridge. The water at this point is quite deep, and had it not been for timely assistance the lad would have been drowned. A number of boys were with him when the accident occurred, and Lloyd Bean, a gritty little chap, waded in to save him, but being unable to swim and unable to reach him when in nearly up to his neck, he was forced to abandon the task. Just then a Mr. Wick came along and rescued the little fellow in the nick of time, as a minute or so more might place him beyond recovery. Mr. Lavelle is grateful for the assistance.

SOME people have the happy faculty of making the best of everything, but few can look so philosophically on misfortune as the man we have in mind. He was never considered very bright, and no doubt his lack of brilliancy had something to do with making him resigned to a misfortune by which he lost the use of one of his eyes. After an absence of nine or ten years we met the poor fellow one day and learned his loss, for which we naturally expressed our sympathy. But imagine our surprise when he made the cool reply, "It's handy for shootin'." This interview took place twelve or thirteen years ago, and though we never met the man since, we feel confident he's happy still. The incident contains quite a lesson.

THE Cement question is unfolding itself nicely, and developments are going on satisfactorily. At a meeting of the Board of Directors held in Toronto Monday, the Barnett property was selected as the site, and the selection, we believe, is giving universal satisfaction. We are not in a position to say just how long it will be before the work begins, but assure our readers that the company is anxious to begin as soon as possible. It's a huge undertaking involving the expenditure of six or seven hundred thousand dollars, and cannot be jumped at without mature consideration. Though we say very little this week, we have still a great deal that might be added to what we have already mentioned. Our confidence is growing every day and we hope this first year of the twentieth century is the beginning of a wide-spread prosperity in the old town of Durham.

SORROWS are always in our midst, and this week it becomes our painful duty to announce the death of Miss Maude Whelan, who departed this life on Saturday night last, at the early age of nineteen years. The deceased was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whelan, and a young woman of amiable disposition, a general favorite with old and young, and mourned in death as attested by the large number of sorrowing friends who attended her burial on Monday afternoon last. Death did not come unawares, the deceased having been confined to her bed for several weeks. To the end she retained that loving disposition and cheerful smile which characterized her whole life, and intensified the affections of her many friends. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Mr. Sharpe, in the absence of her regular pastor, Rev. Mr. Smith. We sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Whelan and family in their sad affliction, but rejoice that they do not mourn as those having no hope.

CASH for eggs, wool and tub butter at A. S. Hunter's.

Misses strap slippers for 75 cts., good quality, at Peel's.

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.

BOY WANTED.—Between sixteen and twenty years of age, to learn bar-bering. Apply to Thos. Swallow. If.

I KNOW you will be pleased.—16 years for 35c. in four different sittings. These prices are good until June 18th.—In Browne's Old Studio.

Mr. T. A. CURRIE, of Allan Park, will conduct the services in the Methodist church, Durham, on Sunday, June 2nd, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., and at Zion Methodist church on Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

It is illegal for any boy under 16 years of age to have an air gun, and it is illegal for any dealer to sell an air gun to any boy under sixteen. This law will, in future, be strictly enforced, and dealers making sales to boys over sixteen years will be compelled to register the names and addresses of the purchasers.

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, President.
GEO. BINNIE, Secretary.

HITS AND MISSES.

Pay your sub, and then enjoy the circus.

Some people like "Hits" if they hit the other fellow.

Good promises are all right, but most people prefer the cold cash.

Dr. Landerkin's jokes ought to be fifty per cent. better since the indemnity was increased.

It's really wonderful to see how quick some goody good people can run to a fight.

When a fellow aches hard for a fight, it cools him off a bit to run up against the real thing.

Jim wasn't used to it, and smoked a cigar to clear his throat. It cleared his stomach all right, so he says.

We had a man in town this week feeling bumps, and another fellow in the Middaugh stable making bumps.

Some people go to the Circus to see the animals, but if this child can crawl under the tent he'll see the whole show.

It's no trick to fool an editor. The man who gives a wrong name is as bad as the fellow who gives no name at all.

Rev. Mr. Farr, of Atwood, gave us an exhibition of muscular Christianity last week by assisting to run off our paper. We can recommend him.

Some people want to know why Bob McCracken was in Mt. Forest on the 24th. Bob may want to know why Burrows was there a week or so ago.

Even fellows who never pay their sub, tell us we ought to get an engine of some kind to run our press. Great Scott! how thankful we should be for free advice.

The Owen Sound Times says "The Durham papers are so sticky with cement that their readers dream about it." That's right. Good journalism always makes people think.

Mayor Calder objects to our comparison of his personal appearance to our magnificent beauty. Don't worry about it, Mr. Mayor, we're just as much ashamed as you are.

Terror of Terrors! The blinker on the Boyne Bridge, Flesherston, has been torn down, and a six foot sidewalk extended across the stream. The optical illusion being removed, some other means must be devised to test catsitroubled with astigmatism.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Lowly Moran visited a week in Palmerston.

Mr. Russell Brown, Fergus, spent the 24th in town.

Rev. Mr. Sharpe is attending Conference at Brantford.

Mr. Alex McCalmon, of Flesherston, gave us a call Tuesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Thos. Jackson, of Clinton, are visiting in town.

Miss Arrowsmith, of Saginaw is visiting at the parental home.

Miss Ada Horn, of London, visited her sister, Mrs. J. A. Darling.

Mrs. Ballantyne, of Stratford, visited a few days with Miss Park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gun, of Bright, visited Dr. and Mrs. Gun on the 24th.

Mr. J. D. Roberts, of Holstein, visited at Principal Allan's on the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Deny, of Holstein, visited at Principal Allan's last week.

Miss Louisa Mess, of Ayton, was visiting at the Knapp House on Sunday.

Miss King, of Mount Forest, was the guest of Miss Carson on Victoria Day.

Mr. Jones, of Exeter, was in town Tuesday investigating our cement claims.

Miss Hazel McGregor is home after visiting Glenelg friends a couple of weeks.

Mr. Joe Parrot left Wednesday for St. Catharines where he will remain a couple of months.

Mrs. Walter Blackwell is spending a few weeks with friends in Thornbury and vicinity.

Mr. Geo. A. MacKay, of Port Elgin, visited his son-in-law, Mr. Kepkey, a few days last week.

Mrs. Glass and family arrived in town Monday, and are now settled as residents of the place.

Mr. John Hunt returned Monday from visiting his daughter, Mrs. Folkard of Nassagaweya.

Miss Madge Collier is home on a visit after spending two years in the vicinity of Brandon, Man.

Messrs. Joe Burnet, Con Knapp, Will Lander and Arthur Jackson were in Toronto on the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart, of Beeton, attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Miss Maude Whelan.

Mr. James Hopkins, of Muloch, leaves this week for the Sault where he expects to remain some time.

Mr. Fred Idle, of Thornbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother-in-law, Mr. Walter Blackwell.

Mr. Gilbert McKechnie was in Toronto Monday attending a meeting of the Directors of the Cement Co.

Mr. Fred Tyler and Mr. Dickson, of Mount Forest, spent the 24th fishing in the Rocky, and report a good catch.

Mr. Archie Boyd and family, of Flesherston, moved to town a couple of weeks ago and will remain for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whelan, of Hepworth, attended the funeral of the former's sister, Miss Maud Whelan.

Rev. Mr. Garner, of Hanover, took charge of the work in the Methodist church here on Sunday last, morning and evening.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson was in town on Friday and visited a number of the members of his old congregation of the Methodist Church.

Mr. John McKenzie, of Flushing, Michigan, has been visiting friends here the past couple of weeks. Some how we omitted to mention this last week.

Miss Millie Ector, of Beaumont, N. W. T., was a generous donor to the common branch of the Cemetery Fund having forwarded to Rev. Mr. Farquharson twenty dollars recently.

Dr. P. C. Park, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Hamilton, came home by the Saturday night train to spend Sunday with his friends here.

Early Sunday morning, however, he was called out to perform an operation. The doctor is a great success in his special work and has an ever increasing practice in Hamilton and surrounding towns.

A Century From Now.

If you and I should wake from sleep
A century from now,
Back to the grave we'd want to creep
A century from now,
We'd witness such a startling change,
Find everything so wondrous strange,
We'd scurry back across the range
A century from now,
The people all will fly on wings
A century from now,
(Not heavenly, but patent things.)
A century from now,
They'll soar aloft, devoid of fear,
On pinions of a chainless gear,
And change their "Byers" every year
A century from now,
There'll be no restaurants at all
A century from now,
The home will have no dining hall
A century from now,
The chemists all our wants will fill
With food in tablets, and to still
Our thirst we'll simply take a pill,
A century from now.

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OBITUARY

WM. HAZLETT.

Death removed on Tuesday an old and highly respected pioneer in the person of William Hazlett, of Allan Park. He had reached the age of 67 years and 5 months. Mr. Hazlett settled in Bentinck about fifty years ago and grew up with the country. He was a quiet, unassuming gentleman, a good neighbor and a staunch friend. For a number of years he had not enjoyed good health and lived a retired life. Deceased was born in Ireland, emigrating to Canada when a boy of about 15 years of age. He spent a short time at Port Credit, Ont., and then removed to Bentinck where he lived until his death. He married after settling in Bentinck, and raised a family of four daughters and one son. The children inherited from their parents the fine traits of character and beauty of disposition, which have made them popular with those with whom they have come in contact in life. Mrs. Hazlett passed to her rest about 21 years ago. The daughters are: Sarah (now Mrs. Benjamin Sharp), Liza (now Mrs. Andrew Wilson), Margaret (now Mrs. Alfred Redford), Selina (now Mrs. William Adlam). William is the only son. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock and the remains will be interred in the Switzer cemetery. Service will be conducted at the old homestead before the funeral.—Post.

Interesting Presentation.

Last evening a pleasant instance of universal good-will towards a popular comrade bound for the front in South Africa, took place at Messrs. Harry Homs and Sons' business premises in Langbrook-street, Exeter. Mr. Alfred Ernest Hills, who has been upon the staff for several years, recently passed his examina-

tion for General Baden-Powell's Police Force and leaves Southampton to-day for South Africa. The occasion was taken by his fellow craftsmen to give him a little present, consisting of a leather case of silver mounted pipes with the following inscription upon a silver shield:—"Presented to Alfred C. E. Hills by the staff of the Lucky Horseshoe of Exeter, April 25, 1901." Accompanying the gift was a useful pouch, a number of tins of tobacco, some cases of cigarettes, and a pigskin purse containing a sum of gold. The presentation was made by Mr. Grenville C. Hems, who expressed the universal kindly feeling of everyone present towards Mr. Hills, and whilst regretting the occasion of his leaving, he trusted a bright future was before him in South Africa. Mr. Harry Hems also testified to the excellence of Hills' conduct during the time he had been in his employ, and deeply regretted his leaving. Trooper A. E. Hills, B. P. M. P., having suitably replied, light refreshments were passed around.—Exeter (England) Times.

(Mr. Hills spent seven years in the employ of Mr. Wm. Grant, of Varney, and is well known in that vicinity.—Ed.)

BORN.

HESLIP—On May 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heselip, a daughter.

DIED.

ALEXANDER—In Bentinck, May 23rd, John Alexander, aged 67 years.

HAZLETT—In Bentinck, on Tuesday, May 21, Wm. Hazlett, aged 67 years.

WHELAN—In Durham, on Saturday night May 25, Maude, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Whelan, aged 19 years.

SLOAN—At Eugenia, on Wednesday, May 22nd, Jacob B. Sloan, aged 74 years, 10 months.

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