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## Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

CLEARING prices on muslins and ginghams at H. H. Mockler's.

DON'T you read Theobald's ad., everyone else does.

WE want your butter and eggs and pay highest prices in cash or trade.—H. H. Mockler.

MR. DRYSDALE, the vocalist now visiting friends in town, will D. V. sing the solo, "Holy City," in the Methodist church Sunday evening.

HAVE you ever seen our stock of suitings? If you value money at all you won't delay in calling on us.—Theobald, the Clothier.

BOARDERS WANTED.—Two gentlemen can be accommodated with board and lodging at private home. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.—A camping tent, almost new; used only six weeks; may be seen at The Big Store; size 9 ft. by 10 ft., sides 4 ft. high; will sell cheap.

THE oil and gas men haven't struck oil yet, but on Monday last they struck a flowing spring which sends up, it is estimated, over a hundred thousand gallons a day.

INFORMATION wanted as to the whereabouts of Martin Dunn, at one time of the township of Glenelg. Write or see John Delaney, Postmaster, Traverston.—3.

MRS. WATERMAN, of Bentinck, near Vickers, desires to express her sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the kindness shown her during the illness of her late husband who died on the 5th inst.

FROM the Port Burwell Packet we learn that Miss Mary Hutton has met with excellent success in passing pupils at the late entrance examination. Her three candidates all passed one standing first and the others third and fourth.

IT was quite cold on Tuesday night and the Methodists didn't rake in as much coin at their garden party as they would if it had been as hot as it was last week. The basement of the church was made to do service on the occasion, and about \$50.00 were taken in.

AT the recent entrance examination Master A. Weir, one of Mr. Tyermann's pupils, headed the list of those who wrote in Durham. He took 832 marks, and as far as we notice by the published results only two stand ahead of him in the South and East Grey Inspectorates. These two wrote at Hanover and are likely pupils of the village school.

WE felt it quite an honor when the Rev. Mr. Stewart, who is now over 90 years of age, came in on the 9th inst. with a nice lot of new potatoes, the first and only ones we saw of this year's growth. From the indications, the potato crop will be good if nothing happens them from now. Mr. Stewart will accept our thanks, and we hope the old gentleman may continue to treat us the same way every year for the next twenty years.

OUR junior lacrosse club crossed sticks in Mount Forest on Friday with the juniors of that town. Both teams, we understand, played good lacrosse, and at the expiration of time each side had three goals to their credit. The following players composed the Durham bunch: Oscar Turner, Howard McDonald, Charlie Burt, Nat Swallow, Willie Laidlaw, Harry Lavelle, Bert McDonald, Will Lavelle, Howard Lawrence, Frank Becker, Allie Gun and M. Smith.

A VERY successful garden party was held Thursday evening of last week on the spacious and well kept lawn of Mrs. Jamse Gun's, up town, under the auspices of the Presbyterian church. In an out-door gathering of this kind the weather means much, in fact it's the "whole tip," and fortunately the weather on this occasion was all that could be desired of any reasonable Presbyterian, and the result was that a large and jovial crowd was present to do justice to the refreshments served at tables by obliging waiters, which consisted of the usual garden party bill-of-fare. The program, presided over by Rev. Mr. Farquharson, consisted of singing, recitations and selections by the band. Mr. Drysdale, who is over from Scotland on a visit here, sang three or four Scotch songs in good voice, which delighted all present. Misses McCreary, Munro and Wilson each took part in singing. The singing of the National Anthem brought the proceedings to a close. The proceeds amounted to a handsome sum.

## No Paper Next Week.

According to the usual custom of local Weeklies we intend to "give our readers a rest" next week, when THE CHRONICLE will not be issued. The office will be open for business as usual and the whole staff will be busy as nailers. No rest for us, not even in dog days. The next issue will be on the 30th inst.

THE PUBLISHER.

NEW stock of fancy hosiery for ladies at H. H. Mockler's.

WE have a few nice patterns in summer suits left, right in line.—Theobald, the Clothier.

DARLING is not the wealthiest man in town but he can sell Paris Green at 20c a pound.

THE Central Hotel has changed hands, Mr. Ryan having sold to Messrs. M. McGrath and —McAuliffe.

CALL and see our new stock of men's soft front shirts. They are new and up-to-date.—Theobald, the Clothier.

STRAY COLLIE PUP.—Came to Ben Male's Saturday. Owner may have him by proving property and paying costs.—1.

WE have just received a lot of the newest ties that can be bought. No two the same.—Theobald, the Clothier.

A REPORT was circulated some time ago that Alex. Coultts, formerly of Bentinck, but now in the Klondyke, had been shot out in the gold region. Investigation, however, proves the report false, and on Monday we were requested to publish a contradiction. It seems that a German named Alex. Coates was shot and this is how the mix-up occurred.

20c. woollen socks 2 pair for 25c at H. H. Mockler's.

## AT HYMEN'S ALTAR.

Last Wednesday afternoon about one hundred and fifty invited guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Aldred to witness the marriage of their niece, Miss Ethel Maude Derby, to Mr. Harry H. Wilkinson, of Varney. At four o'clock in answer to the Wedding March which was beautifully played by Miss Sophia Burnett, of Durham, cousin of the bride, Mr. Wilkinson and his brother John took their places under an arch of evergreen, draped with white bunting and ferns, erected for the occasion under two large apple trees. Next came little Miss Winnie Blythe, scattering roses before the bride, who came leaning on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Aldred, closely followed by the bridesmaid, Miss Cora, sister of the bride. The bride looked very handsome in a trailing gown of white muslin, trimmed with lace and insertion, the bridal veil being the same length as the dress and fastened upon the head with pale pink and white Sweet Peas. The bridesmaid looked very pretty in a dress of white dotted muslin, carrying a bouquet of white carnations while the bride carried white lilies. The groom was looking his best which means a good deal, while the groomsmen looked like one who need not keep batch hall very long. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Newton, of Durham, assisted by the Rev. Miller, retiring minister of Varney. After congratulations were over a dainty lunch was served on the lawn by a band of very competent waiters who thoroughly understood their business, after which the bridal party served the bridesmaids. The bride's travelling suit was brown camelshair broadcloth trimmed with silk and cream waist trimmed with applique and cream ribbon.

A very sociable evening was spent by young and old in playing croquet and other games while music must have filled the air for a long distance as there were four different musical instruments being played at the same time. Mrs. Newton, Miss Burnett, Mr. Forrester and Mr. McCalmont were at their best and with such old time singers as Mr. J. Kerr, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. Grey Sr., and Miss Sirra, of Varney and the Misses Burnett, of Durham, and several others lending their voices, the effect can be imagined better than told.

A lovely day and moonlight evening did much toward making every one feel happy. The presents to the bride were costly and numerous. We noticed some glittering fives as well as green fives among them, showing the esteem the happy couple are held in by old and young. The young couple left for their home near Varney amidst showers of rice and good wishes.—COM.

## People We Know

THE GOING AND COMING OF VISITORS IN THE MONTH OF JULY.

Mrs. Rhone, of Toronto, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Wolfe.

Mr. Bunt, undertaker, and Mr. Fawcett, principal of the school, both of Flesherton, gave us a call one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stonehouse returned last week from their honeymoon trip to Parry Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Horn and family, of London, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. J. A. Darling.

Mr. Arch. McLellan, of Scotchtown, who has been away for a month or so at Kenilworth, returned this week.

Miss Edith Daniel, of Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Daniel.

Mr. James Russell, harness maker, son of John Russell, Glenelg, started this morning on a trip to Duluth to join his brother, Wm., then to Lake Nebagamon where he intends to stay for the winter making harness for the lumber company.

Mr. J. A. Hunter, of Winnipeg, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. John Kelly, of the Standard Bank, is spending a couple of weeks in the North-west.

Mrs. Wm. Saunders left last week for Kincardine where her mother is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Thos. Livingston and two children are visiting friends at Gravenhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. James McMeeken, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMeeken, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMeeken attended the funeral of their grandson and nephew, Milford Amos, of Mt. Forest, on Wednesday last.

Messrs. Jas. Munro and J. Matheson, of Kincardine, spent Dominion Day with friends in town.

Mrs. (Dr.) G. M. Leeson and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Wanatah, Ind., visited town friends last week.

Dr. Culbertson, of Meaford, was in town Sunday and Monday, returning home with his family on Tuesday.

Mrs. James D. Fraser, daughter of John Russell, has returned to Toronto after an extended visit at home. She has taken Miss Lizzie Russell with her to spend the holidays. Mr. Fraser was also on a visit, and he thinks from what he saw of Durham it will make a busy town some time.

## OBITUARY.

Sad and sudden was the news that spread over this part on Monday evening of the drowning of Milford Amos, of Mt. Forest, eldest son of Mrs. Maggie Amos, at the early age of 16 years, 1 month and 21 days. The funeral took place on Wednesday from the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Wm. Johnston, to Reid's cemetery, north of Holstein, and was largely attended. The funeral services were conducted both at the house and grave by the Rev. Mr. Hannah, of the Baptist church, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Kearuser, of the Methodist church, both speaking kindly of the deceased. Six young men of his Sunday School class of the Baptist church acted as pall bearers. He leaves to mourn, his grief stricken mother, three sisters and one brother, viz. Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Miss Pearly, Forbes and Reana at home. Milford was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James McMeekea, of Egrement, and was well known in that part. His father predeceased him just seven months the day of his funeral. The beautiful flowers upon the casket showed the high esteem in which the young man was held. A beautiful bouquet from his Sunday School teacher, also one from his brother workmen of the moulding factory, and one from his sisters and brother inscribed "Our Brother," and many others. Much sympathy is felt for the family in their hour of trouble.—COM.

## MARRIED.

WILSON—STAPLES—On Wednesday, July 8th, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Wm. Farquharson, John James Wilson to Ellen Staples, both of Glenelg.

MELOSH—KENNY—At Our Lady of Lorette's church, Toronto, on June 30th, by Rev. Father Cruise, Nicholas E. Melosh to Margaret P. Kenny.

## DIED.

AMOS—In Mt. Forest, on July 6th, 1903, Wm. Milford Amos, eldest son of Mrs. Maggie Amos, aged 16 years, 1 month, 21 days.

READ Mockler's ad. There are a few money savers listed there.

## HITS AND MISSES

A Glenelg moralist thinks there is no harm in gathering Ginseng root, but he draws the line on gathering it on Sunday and selling it.

"It helps to fill up" is an expression the editor hears about as often as the photographer hears about "breaking the machine." It is hard to say which expression has the least meaning in it. Our correspondents, as a rule, are not too long-winded and generally give the news in short form. We receive contributions sometimes, however, that contain very little information for the amount of space they occupy. We do wish that some contributors would get over the nasty habit of making senseless gibes at their sensitive neighbors. Such remarks are no use and only bring contempt on the writer.

Nearly every drunkard says he can take a drink or let it alone, but very few of them practice the "letting alone" part.

Civility in a boy doesn't cost a great deal, but it's sure to guild good results. Some don't seem to know that the words "please" or "thank you" are found in the English language.

## Fancy Goods

Miss Bessie Banks has opened a Fancy Goods Department in Miss Dick's Millinery Store where she keeps

Battenburg Braids and Patterns, Silkine, Embroidery Silks, Fancy Cushions, Crochet Cottons, and a full line of all Fancy Goods of all kinds.

Stamping Done to Order.

MISS BANKS will also give Painting lesson Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call and inspect goods as they are the newest.

## Miss Banks

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## June . . . Weddings



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Silverware! Nothing as nice as our SILVERWARE for Wedding Presents, and at Keeler's is to be found the largest stock of good Silverware in the county.

GRAB OUR SNAPS in Brooches, Necklets, Long Chains, Bracelets, Cuff Links, Pins and Wrist Bags. Big bargains all this month at Keeler's Big Jewelry Store.

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DURHAM, — ONTARIO.

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CASH AND ONE PRICE.

### Ladies' White Waists.

These are just the goods you want for Summer wear. We have a large range in the newest design from 75c to \$1.00.

### Ladies' Top Skirts,

Our Skirts are made up neat and stylish without lining, and are perfect fitting, from \$2.00 to \$5.00.

### 250 Yards of Print.

250 yards of Print, 1-yard wide, regular 12½c, to clear at 7c per yard.

### Good Flannelettes.

We have 500 yards of Flannelettes, regular 7c, while they lasts at 5c per yard.

### Millinery at Half Price.

We offer the balance of Trimmed and Untrimmed Millinery at half price.

## S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

## Ladies' Blouses



Having secured a large quantity at a price we are selling them at 25 per cent. less than regular price.

## Wool Wanted

10,000 pounds of Wool wanted. Highest price paid in cash or trade.

A full line of Yarns, Flannels and Blankets always kept in stock here.

## J. & J. HUNTER

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