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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

EVERY one renewing subscription for next year will get a copy of our illustrated Christmas number. We need money and every dollar will be appreciated.

SALESMEN WANTED to look after our interest in Grey and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Company, Cleveland, Ohio.—2.

It costs a great deal of labor to set up the minutes of the County Council, and we recommend every reader in the County to spend time for there persual. They contain several points of interest.

WE regret to learn that Mr. Henry Willis, of Bentinck, is suffering great inconvenience from the almost total loss of his eyesight which is constantly getting worse. He intends shortly to have an operation performed by Dr. Brown, of Neustadt.

WE omitted to mention last week that Dr. Arthur Gun had gone to Chicago to take a post-graduate course in Medicine and Surgery. During his absence the business here will be attended to by Dr. Cochrane, whom we hear well spoken of.

THE Quarterly Social Evening of the Epworth League will be held on Thursday evening November 26th. Special preparation is being made for entertainment downstairs in the schoolroom and a programme of varied interest will be rendered up stairs in the church. Doors open at 8 o'clock p.m.

THE weather has been exceedingly fine for this time of year, and up to this week outdoor labor could be carried on without much discomfort Wednesday morning however was a cold one, and the mill dam was completely frozen. We have had a few light sprinkles of snow, but nothing of much account and no sleighing.

THE electric lights were turned on Saturday night and their reappearance has been much appreciated. Full repairs at the power house are not yet completed, and later on we may have to go in the dark for a night or two while the new wheel is being put in. The Street lights will not be put in general use until after the new wheel is put in at the power house. The Arc light at the corner is a beauty and when all the Arcs and incandescents on the streets are on our town will have a much improved appearance.

ON Thursday evening of last week the news went round town that Mr. Thomas Noble was in a very low condition and not expected to recover an attack of Pneumonia which had laid him off work just a day or two before. He was around town the early part of the week suffering from a severe cold, but not feeling the result particularly. The best attention and best medical skill proved ineffectual in restoring him to health and strength for on Thursday night about nine o'clock his spirit took its everlasting flight. Interment took place Sunday afternoon to the Durham Cemetery whither the remains were followed by the members of the Canadian Order of Foresters and the members of the Orange Order, in both of which he was a member. A widow three sons and two daughters, remain to mourn the loss of the departed husband and father. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. Wray Smith of the Methodist church here. The mourning relatives have the sympathy of the whole community.

DURING the past few years the town has made very rapid material progress. Often have we referred to the Furniture Factory as the first thing to give the place a start and wake it up from a spirit of lethargy. In an interview with Dr. Jamieson who is president of the company we were pleased to learn that the institution is doing well. The last month's output he tells us was the largest in the history of the concern. and from a financial point of view the Directors have every reason to feel gratified at the results. The prosperity the Dr. tells us is largely due to the careful business management and oversight of Mr. A. A. Catton, who is ably filling the positions usually assigned to two men. Personally the CHRONICLE rejoices to learn of the factory's progress and since learning the above we called on manager Catton and had corroborative evidence from reference to the Company's books. Every shareholder has a right to ask information and in our particular case we found a very courteous reception at the office where all questions were answered in the most straightforward manner.

Box Social at School house, S. S. No. 9, Glenelg, (Ritchies'), in aid of the Sunday school, on Friday evening, Nov. 27th. Good programme in preparation. Admission 10c, ladies bringing pies or boxes free. All are invited.

THE Brickwork on the Hunter Bros new store is going on fast, and were it not for delay in getting material here the whole brickwork would have been completed before this. The walls are up above the first story, and a few fine days would be very acceptable to the Ritchies, who are hustling the job along.

THE addition to the Knapp House is now up about half way on the third story, but remains there on account of the cold snap. A few more days will finish the job, which, will be a very attractive piece of workmanship, and a credit to the builder, Mr. Hugh McDonald.

MR. R. B. HOPKINS, of Allan Park, had a very successful sale on the 10th inst. and called on us this week to say that the auctioneer, Mr. Brigham, is an expert wielder of the hammer and needs very little experience to be one of the first men in the business.

CARDS are out announcing the marriage of Mr. J. A. Hunter, of Winnipeg to Miss Christene Methven White of the same City, the event to be solemnized Monday next at Knox church. We take much pleasure in tendering our congratulations to our former townsman who is so well and favorably known here.

THE sportsmen returned bringing with them the full complement of deer allowed by law, two each, Shirley McIntyre got home Saturday with two fine ones, the others arriving on Tuesday night. We have to thank our friend Mr. Calder for a generous roast of one of his share.

THERE'S no need now of being without a daily paper when you can get either the Toronto News or Toronto Star for one dollar. Pay-in-advance subscribers to this paper can get either daily at clubbing rates \$1.85 and \$1.80 respectively. We club with all the best city papers, and now is a good time to order, as the clubbing arrangements may not last long at present prices. Only cash-in advance subscribers to our paper can get others at clubbing rates.

IT was no small surprise to the town Wednesday morning to learn that on the previous night about 11 o'clock, Wm. Jolley, an itinerant painter, was found dead by the hostler in the Middaugh House stable. Deceased we understand is from Owen Sound, where he has relatives, and was boarding at the Central Hotel. He had been drinking somewhat freely it appears since he got off work a fortnight ago, and on Tuesday evening lay down in the stable where he was not disturbed until found dead about ten or eleven o'clock. He was a man about fifty-five years of age, and an affectionate letter from a married daughter in Toronto, expressing fear that he was drinking again, was found on his person. The name of the writer, or the street address, was not given, and consequently she could not be communicated with. Relatives at Owen Sound were advised, but at time of going to press we have no definite information as to what will be done. A post-mortem is likely to be made, but as there are no suspicions of any kind an inquest will hardly be necessary.

WE boast of having the best cement mill in Canada and the most up-to-date for the size of it, in the whole world. This may seem like big talk, but there's no trouble now in getting people to fall in with these very opinions. Our cement has been on the market now for a full year, and there's nothing better to be found in the line of Portland Cement. With regard to the uses to which it may be put the public in now well informed. As a foundation for bridges or buildings, or even whole buildings there is nothing more substantial. The hollow building blocks are gaining popularity as a material for building, and now that we have the cement right here and the very best quality of sand for block making, is there not an opening for a few good enterprising men who are willing to work to make blocks during the winter months for spring delivery? It seems to us that thousands of blocks might be made when times are slack. True, a good building would be needed to do the moulding in, but in a few days the manufactured blocks could be removed to make room for the fresh output. In case of a farmer thinking of building next summer a great deal might be done during the winter months by way of preparation.

People We Know

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

Miss Martha Williams is back to town after a six months' stay in Winnipeg looking as if she enjoyed Western life.

Mrs. Lorne Somerville left Monday morning for Winnipeg, to attend the marriage of her brother, Mr. J. A. Hunter.

Mr. A. G. Elmes, of Hensall, Co. Huron, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Siegner, over Sunday.

Mr. Oliver, of Ottawa, spent a few days in town this week on business.

Rev. H. Caldwell came up from Burford, Monday, to spend a few days with friends and relatives in this vicinity. We are pleased to see him looking so well.

Mrs. Grier, of Priceville, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carson.

Miss Barbara Watt visited friends in Walkerton Saturday.

If there is one industry that's a real necessity in this town now it is a good brick yard, and there seems no reason why some good enterprising brickmaker should not start a business, and keep the trade at home. Hundreds of thousands of brick have been brought in here during the past two years, at prices any way the cost of transportation higher than they would be if we had facilities at home. From present indications there will be a large amount of building done next summer in town and surrounding country, and in advocating a brick yard we do so advisedly. We understand there is plenty of clay in close proximity to the town, and the getting of suitable fuel will be no more difficult here than in most places. Let us have a brick yard.

ON Monday night last at Allan Park Hotel, a strange death is reported. Mr. Nicholas Stitche, for the past twelve or fourteen years a resident of the place where he worked as a shoemaker, went into the hotel and had a few drinks, after which he sat down in a chair in the bar room. In a couple of hours later an attempt was made to wake him up when it was found that he was stone dead and had in all probability been dead for an hour or more. A post mortem is likely to follow, but at time of writing we are not in possession of positive information. He was a man of about seventy-five years of age, and having had for some time a premonition that he would drop off suddenly made provision for his burial, and as he had no relatives here communicated to one of his neighbors that the money would be found on his person which proved to be correct.

A Generous Gift.

The Board of Managers of the Children's Aid Society of the county of Grey, desire to return thanks to their many friends in Durham for the very generous donation of \$52.15 to the funds of the society and also to express their gratitude to those ladies through whose efforts so large a sum was collected.

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Priceville.

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The saddest of the year
Thawing winds and naked woods
And meadows brown and sere.

Farmers are busy now making preparations for winter such as purchasing cow chains cattle ties etc. With the good yield of grain and heavy crop of turnips and roots of various kinds the outlook for fat cattle is apparently good. In consequence of such, business will be good as there will be lots of money "afloat."

The proposed scheme of remodelling the Agricultural Hall spoken of a couple of weeks ago in our budget has been submitted to different societies for consideration as to the advisability of the movement. The Sons of Scotland sanctioned the proposition to a man subscribed a very nice donation towards the scheme. The A. O. U. W., was then waited on by a deputation from the S. of S. They would not entertain such a proposition whatever but would rather go "snooks and build a new Town Hall. What we imagine is almost an impossibility, however if they the A. O. U. W. will not put their shoulder to the wheel it cannot be helped. Then a deputation waited on the I. O. F. and although a comparatively small Court in the village they are advancing a nice sum towards the Court. Also the Agricultural Society here contributed most gratefully, so we expect in a short time to have a neat and commodious hall. In conclusion one gentleman said: It was workmen we wanted but the A. O. U. W. aint the right kind of working men.

We would like to know where Dr. A. spent Sunday? He has been seen in fair good company on that day. The Dr is a genial kind of a fellow and ranks high in the estimation of the fair sex, as well as in his profession.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. Bolger Town Hotel, on Tuesday Nov. 10th, a son.

Mr. T. J. Paton and son, of Toronto made a business trip to our village recently.

Mr. Walter Nichol B. A. of Knox College Toronto, son of Mr. John Nichol of Priceville, gave an interesting lecture in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning on The work and proceeding of the Knox College Students Missionary Society, and at night preached an inspiring Sermon.

John McMillen Jr. of South Line goes to Toronto to-day to undergo an operation in the Hospital. His sister Miss Annie and Dr. Dixon will accompany him. A great deal of anxiety is felt for John and we trust to hear of a successful operation and a speedy recovery.

Mr. A. McCabe held an auction sale of quite a number of cattle last week. We understand everything went off very successfully. Mr. D. McCormack officiated as auctioneer.

Mr. John McArthur, of town, sold his brick property at Ceylon, to Mr. John McDonald, brother of Hector McDonald, of this village. More news anon.

Mr. W. Quinn, of the firm of C. C. James, tanner, we are sorry to say is about to remove to Owen Sound where he has secured a good situation. We are sorry to lose "Wat" and no doubt others are also sorry.

Mr. Donald McMillan, south line, took a business trip to Palmerston lately.

Mr. Hugh McLaughlan and his sister, Belle, Mrs T. Bruce, of Calgary, who have been home attending the funeral of their mother, left for their home in the far famed "Wheat field of the West" on Tuesday the 10th inst.

We understand the blacksmiths of our burg have formed a union. Probably it is due to the fact that Professor Stewart gave them a reprimand on horse-shoeing.

Miss Mamie McLean returned to Toronto this Monday, to resume her work.

Miss Kate McIntyre, of Toronto, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr. M. L. and Mrs. McIntyre.

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New Stock of Shawls.

Umbrella Shawls, in white, at \$1.00; Wool Shawls, in assorted shades, at 75; Honey Comb Shawls, in black, white, pink, red, blue and gray, from \$1.10 to \$1.50. They are beauties.

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