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## Championship Lacrosse—Hanover vs Durham—Agricultural Park, Tuesday, July 30.

### NEWS AROUND TOWN

TEACHER wanted. See ad.

ALL dates off for Tuesday July 30th. Hanover vs. Durham, 4 p. m.

Do not forget the I. O. F. concert in McGirr's Grove on the first of August.

TEN APPRENTICES wanted to learn millinery, beginning September 5th. Apply at Miss Dick's.

TRINITY Church Garden Party tonight (Thursday) at the Rectory. All invited to a splendid program.

FOR quality and quantity ask your dealer for the new big plugs of "Bobs" "Stag" and "Currency" Chewing Tobaccos.

THE names of fourteen Walkerton boys have been handed in to the Humane Society for killing birds as a pastime.

ALL lovers of our National Game will see the most thrilling game of the season when Durham meets Hanover Tuesday July 30th.

MR. WM. LAWRENCE, of Egremont, sold his farm in Egremont recently, and last week he purchased the property of Mr. John Legate, of this town and will soon retire from active duties.

THE sale of Mr. Charles McKinnon's household goods and implements on Saturday last was fairly well attended and many of the articles brought good prices. Mr. McKinnon and family intend leaving this week for Port Arthur where they will take up their abode.

THE I. O. F. Picnic in McGirr's grove on Aug. 1st is free to all and everybody is invited. Amusements and dancing will be amply provided. The Battalion Band will be in attendance. Ladies expected to bring baskets. See large bills.

A VERY interesting letter from an old Durhamite is given in full on page 3. We thought it was too bad to be short of copy and leave out a letter that would interest many of his friends as well as Ye Editor himself. We have no authority for publishing it, but we are quite sure it will be received with interest, and hence we have taken French leave and it appears. Mr. Matthews is evidently a racy writer, and he might be induced to tell us something more of the early days of Durham. As Mr. M. is evidently not posted in regard to the comings and goings of old Durhamites, it would be a good thing for him to have his name on our subscription list.

THE Flesherton boys have taken quite an interest for some time in base ball. They conquered everything in sight and sighed for other worlds to conquer. They heard of base ball in Durham as the infant game of the town and came over here last Friday to trim us to the ground. We are not going to deny the boys right to claim that they play good base ball. Some of them do: the catcher is a good back stop and apparently a good man at the bat, but there isn't any one knows it better than he does, and it wasn't long till his self-conceit was recognized, and the fact of him being always caught out on the fly gave enjoyment to the onlookers. He is evidently a good player and knows the rules of the game well. George Mitchell, of the Standard Bank in Flesherton, was the umpire, and no man could be fairer in his decisions. No complaints were heard about his rulings; Mr. Mitchell is a man who hews right to the line and deals alike with both sides. It was decided to have seven innings each, but the darkness coming on too soon the game was declared off at the end of the fifth, when the score stood 12 to 0 in favor of the home team. At the Knapp House they all took supper, but coming as they did from a local option town it was not expected of them to participate in any liquid refreshments. Many of the visiting players suffered from thirst on the field, and the least the town boys should have done was to furnish a supply of water, which was not attended to until the game was well advanced. It is really too bad that the matter was overlooked, but we hope they'll get better treatment next time. Flesherton boys expect to win in the return game, which will be arranged for at a later date. Later advices from Flesherton go to show that the match was not without benefit to them, as shown by their improved knowledge of the game.

WANTED.—A first class tailor at once at J. L. Flarity's, Merchant Tailor.

OWING to a change in business, all accounts due me must be paid in by the first of August.—Miss Dick.

GIANT Triplets "Currency" "Bobs" and "Stag" Chewing Tobaccos, in big plugs. Quality always the same.

THE Baptists will hold their Garden Party on Thursday evening, the 8th of Aug. A good program is being provided.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE.—The property of George Caswell, of Aberdeen. For full particulars see his complete ad. on page 7 of this issue.

THE I. O. F. will attend Divine Service in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, the 4th day of Aug. All the brethren are requested to meet at the lodge room at 6 p. m. Band in attendance.

MR. WALTER DUNN, of Varney, sold his property a few weeks ago and, we understand, he has purchased the residence of Mrs. Thos. Fox with the intention of retiring to Durham to spend the remainder of his days.

THE Garden Party at Alex. Fletcher's, Rocky Saugeen, announced for this (Thursday) evening has been postponed until Tuesday next, the 30th inst. Good program. Admission 25 and 15c. This pays for supper. Other refreshments extra.

We announce in this issue the death of a son of Mr. John A. Johnston, of Toronto, former editor of this paper. He was known here, and for aught we know may have been born in this town. We have no particulars only what we give.

FIVE members of the Lindsay counterfeiting band are under arrest and on trial. They all plead guilty to the charge, but express their intention to quit their meanness and be good. As the case is before the courts it is not prudent to express too decided an opinion. Several of the prisoners had been in the business more than three years, and a large number of counterfeit bills were issued.

THE Women's Institute will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. T. Allan, Varney, on Wednesday 17th of August. Subjects to be discussed are, "Why is Autumn So Beautiful in Nature? Compare it with the autumn of our lives. Friendship, Salads and Canning Fruits." All ladies are invited to attend and help to make our meetings interesting and beneficial.

ARTHUR ADLAM, the popular back tender, employed at the Cheboygan Paper Co. Plant, has been promoted to the position of machine tender, and assumed his new position Monday morning. Arthur is an example of what a young man can make of himself by being attentive and steady at an occupation, having steadily showed to his employers that he possessed the qualities of the higher art, and has been rewarded for his efforts and endurance.—Cheboygan Tribune.

It is reported that Mr. Kelly has sold his waterworks in town to Mr. J. W. Crawford and that Mr. Catton, Manager of the Furniture Co., has bought out a half interest. We would like to see these gentlemen extend their enterprise and give us a first class system, including a sewage system as well. [Since the above was in type we learn that Mr. Towner made a deal with Mr. Catton and bought out his share. This leaves the system now in the hands of Crawford and Towner.]

TEACHERS are in great demand if we may judge from the number of advertisements in the Toronto papers. Nearly four columns of last Saturday's Globe were devoted to the requirements of trustees, who are in want of teachers. There was a time when teachers were plentiful and the ads. appeared in some cases as a whip on the back of a teacher to make him take a lower salary. The spirit of parsimony was carried too far and the salaries became so low that many good teachers had to jump the job and go at something else. The fact of their remaining out when once they leave the profession is an evidence that the other employments are not less lucrative and in some cases they are certainly not less desirable.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. Hind is visiting friends in Stratford.

Mr. W. W. Trimble, of Flesherton, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Thomas Derby and sister Jessie, spent Sunday in town with friends.

Mr. Thomas Hill, of the Cement Works, left last week for the West.

Mr. John Anderson, returned to town Monday, from Conneaut, Ohio.

Mrs. John McKechnie, and two children are visiting friends in Warton.

Miss Inno Davidson, of Buffalo, is enjoying a visit with her friends in town.

Miss Moran left this week for a visit with her sister Mrs. Farrelly, of Winnipeg.

Mr. Murray Smith, of the Standard Bank, Deseronto, is holidaying at his home here.

Mr. Lawrence Long, of Stratford, was a guest at Mr. Moran's for a few days last week.

Mr. Grant McComb sang an excellent solo in the Baptist Church on Sunday last.

Mrs. (Rev.) Newton returns this week from a visit to Alpena and Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. D. J. McLeod, of Owen Sound, was in town last Friday on business, and called at our sanctum.

Messrs. W. J. Boyd and Mark Wilson, of Flesherton, were in town Friday to see the boys play base-ball.

Mr. M. Ryan is rushing his house rapidly towards completion and it will have a very good appearance when it is finished.

Mrs. S. Arrowsmith, of Hamilton, is visiting friends in town, and will be the guest of Mrs. Park for the next couple of weeks.

Miss Loretta Peel left Wednesday to spend a portion of her vacation with friends at Deseronto, Foresters Island and Gananoque.

Mrs. N. W. Campbell, and family left last Friday for Muskoka, driving to Orillia. Mr. Campbell left Monday afternoon to join them.

Messrs. W. Colman and T. McClocklin and Misses Armstrong and Lauder were in attendance at the Assembly in Markdale on Monday night last.

Mrs. Albert Eva, of Detroit, was in town last week for a few days and had a monument erected in the Cemetery in memory of her husband who died a few months ago.

Mr. F. E. Lee, who has been employed for the past year, as Assistant Chemist, at the Cement Mill, here, left last week for British Columbia, to take a position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johns left town Monday and have returned to Guelph. It is four or five years since Mr. Johns came here, and during that time he has been engaged as tinner and tinsmith in the Cream Separator Factory.

Miss Irwin is re-engaged in S. S. No. 12, Egremont, at a salary of \$500 a year. Miss Irwin is a very successful teacher and the trustees are acting in retaining her services. She is not only a good teacher but she has a good name.

Mr. T. A. Harris dropped into town Friday night and left on the 3 p. m. train on Saturday afternoon. For some time he has been in the west as far as British Columbia, and his last move was to Buffalo. He is in the employ of the Dominion Government as relieving Customs Officer.

Mrs. J. M. Fisher, of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Meredith, and her sister, Miss Meredith, and other friends in town. She has been here since about the first of the month and will remain, we understand, for some months yet. The arrival of friends and relatives from a distance is always news we would like to publish at the time, and readers will oblige by advising us of those who come and go.

Mr. Wm. Laidlaw returned Friday night from California where he was engaged for some time in connection with a cement mill to be operated there. The country to him is an ideal spot, and were it not for family ties and other interests he has here it is doubtful if he would return at all. This is his opinion of California, and if everybody regarded the place as he does it would soon be overpopulated. He has evidently seen more of the bright side than the dark, and his opinion as given above is not likely to depopulate Canada in a day or two.

### We Want the Money.

TO DELINQUENTS:

We have grown weary asking delinquents to pay up their subscriptions, and as no attention whatever has been paid to our requests in some cases, we have decided to give another chance and then try other means. We need the money just the same as others. The accounts due us are small individually but collectively they amount to a large sum. We do not wish to incur costs, but there seems no other way out of it at present. The labels show the month and year to which you have paid. It is not necessary to say more. We want our money and if you are in arrears we want you to pay what you owe us. After the 15th of August, we shall place accounts in other hands at \$1.50 a year. Before that time we will accept a dollar a year.

Remit to-day and save costs.

W. IRWIN,  
Publisher Chronicle,  
Durham, Ont.

THE stores will be closed on Tuesday July 30th, from 3:30 to 6 p. m.

LADIES!—The Fall Fair will soon be on, and it's high time you started to make a rug, patch a quilt, work a few nice buttonholes or darn a pair of socks. The girl who can darn socks without leaving lumps is a real jewel, and the art of darning should be classed as an accomplishment. It's an awful handy thing, too, for a girl to make a good loaf of bread, good light bread—not the heavy stuff that drops like a bullet into a person's digestive machinery. It isn't a sin for a girl to know how to play a piano, tune a Jewsharp or paint a nice landscape. That's all right, but there's nothing like the girl that can make good pancakes and sew on trouser buttons, and polish the glassware, and shine up the silverware, and prune the burdocks in the back yard. There's no discount on a girl of that kind.



### JULY WEDDINGS

#### SOLID GOLD

We have everything that is new in Solid Gold Wedding Rings, Pearl Brooches, Pearl Pins, Necklets, Lockets, Bracelets, Gold Watches & Chains, for the July Bride.

The largest Stock of choice Silverware that we have ever shown, consisting of Silver Tea Sets, Berry Dishes, Butter Dishes, Pickle Castors, Salad Bowls and Servers, Bake Dishes, Card Receivers, Bread Trays, Cake Baskets, Bon Bon Dishes, Napkin Rings, Carving Sets, Pie Sets, Meat Sets, Berry Spoons, Meat Forks, Pie Servers, Knives and Forks in Fancy Cases, Spoons, all sizes.

We have just opened up a large Stock of

#### Jap China

Which makes beautiful wedding presents. China Tea Sets, and Dinner Sets, everything

that is New in Toilet Sets, and the largest stock of odd pieces of china in Durham.

COME! COME! COME! COME! With the crowd to the Store that gives you the Best Possible Value for every dollar spent with us.

### R. B. Keeler & Sons

Two Mammoth Stores

DURHAM AND WELLAND

## Progress Brand Clothing FOR MEN AND BOYS.

## Summer Millinery At Half-Price

To clear the balance of our stock of summer millinery, and do it quickly, we have reduced all our stylish trimmed and untrimmed millinery to half-price.

## Men's Straw Hats

We are showing all the Newest Styles in Men's and Boys' Straw and Linen Hats, at very Special Prices.

## Hosiery

We have a very large stock of Hosiery including ladies' plain and fancy hose in Cashmere, Cotton, and Lisle Thread. Children's hose in all kinds and sizes.

## S. F. MORLOCK

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

## You Can't Get Away

From money saving if you come to this Store. In every line you will find money saving chances.

## Muslins, and Fancy Gingham

We are still reducing those goods. 30 pieces, Plain and Fancy, regular price 12½ to 20c—to clear at 10c yard.

## Ladies' Wash Collars and Belts

Another line that must be cleared out.—Regular 25c to 50c. Your choice for 15c each.

## Prints

We want our stock reduced as quickly as possible, and to do this we are going to clear a very large line at 8c a yard.

## Groceries

Our Stock is always complete and up-to-date.

## Highest Price Paid for Produce

## J. & J. HUNTER

THE BUSY STORE ON THE BUSY CORNER.