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\$1.00 PER YEAR.

For Paris Green and Bug Killer, go to Darling's Drug Store.

NEWS AROUND TOWN

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

FLOUR that's still as good as ever—Listowel Lionel.—Mrs. Beggs & Sons.

HOUSEHOLD goods for sale. See ad. on page 2.

DURHAM Lacrosse Boys play the Elora team to-day, Wednesday, in Fergus.

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

PROPERTY for sale near Durham. Brick house and five acres of land. See ad. on page 2.—John Wilson.

MR. JOSEPH REID, son of W. K. Reid was successful at the last Examination in passing for part of his third class teachers' certificate. Congratulations.

THE rain on Friday last prevented the pupils of the Methodist Sunday School having the picnic the little folks were looking anxiously forward to. It had to be postponed till Tuesday afternoon last when a very enjoyable afternoon was spent at the Park.

THE School Board have accepted the resignation of Miss M. S. Moland and secured in her place Miss Donald McKeencher, B. A., of Dutton, a sister of Miss McKerracher, who was formerly here. Miss McLeod's place is filled by Miss Jessie Logan, B. A., of Niagara Falls. The staff now engaged is the strongest the school had from an educational point of view and we may confidently expect good results from now on, even better than we have had in the past.

THE Messrs. Smith, of C. Smith & Sons started threshing on Monday afternoon last their first work being at Mr. John C. Dunsmore's. Their outfit this year consists of a brand new separator made by themselves and a new twenty-horse power engine built by White & Sons of London. The engine is the same style as the ill fated engine that fell through the Saugeen bridge some months ago and on which an arbitration is to be held this week between the owners and the township council Bentinck.

WE had a call Monday morning from a lady whose husband paid his subscription for 1907 without getting a receipt. The list had not been changed since and she thought we might have forgotten it, but we hadn't. She says people "are chiselin' and chiselin'" so much these times that you got to watch everybody." We gave the lady a receipt and she went happy with the thought of having us tied down so tight that we couldn't chisel her very well. She was quite right in looking after her business, and it didn't annoy us in the least.

IT beats the mischief how reports get into circulation and how they grow when they once get going. Last week Arthur Smith the lively rascal and "Scotty" Munro, a son of John A. Munro, of this town, went out fishing to Bell's Lake, so some of the stories stated. In the evening a citizen made a thoughtful remark that Art Smith was drowned and in a few minutes the yarn was all over the place. Some believed it but others gave it very little more thought than to make an enquiry with the guess that they would turn up all right in due time. Next morning Mr. Smith was going about his business and the mourners ceased to go about the streets. Such sensational remarks, should not be indulged in as great injury might result from a thoughtless and foolish yarn. Next day another report went the rounds that a sad accident had occurred at a barn raising near Flesherston, and that forty were killed by the falling of a bent. Next morning the number killed was reported at twenty with twenty or more seriously injured. There was nothing to confirm either report, so we telephoned to Flesherston for information and ascertained that nothing was known there more than that an accident had been reported some time previously from the neighborhood of Collingwood. We decided not to enquire of Collingwood for fear of being sent to Penetang or Peterboro. The liars are not all dead yet and the newspapers have no monopoly of the art of lying.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS on page 4.

HOUSE TO RENT—See condensed advertisement on page 2.

FURNISHED rooms to let—See classified ads on page 2.

NEWS has been heard recently from Rev. and Mrs. Holmes in Japan and they are well and doing well.

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

FOR SALE—Three or four houses in good condition, and other property in the town of Durham. Easy terms,—apply to Wm. Laidlaw.

WE hear that Mrs. Glass was one of the prize-winners in furnishing a name for the latest McClary kitchen range. She gets a silver tea set.

REV. W. S. JAMIESON will deliver an address in the lecture room of the Methodist Church, on Monday evening next, August 26th. The subject will be "Our Responsibility to the Missionary."

MR. JOHN ALDRED who left here a year or so ago is making a name for himself in the West,—a name which is likely to continue long after he is dead and gone. His post office was "Yellow Grass," and was situated, if we remember rightly some 25 or 30 miles from his home. Things are handier now as he tells us a new post office called "Aldred" has lately been opened in his home.

MR. W. EVERITT, engineer on the way freight, had a severe attack of appendicitis, on Monday last, but was able to be removed to his home in Palmerston on the following day. On his way from Mrs. Bentons to the station, Monday morning, he was taken very suddenly with violent pains and fell prostrate on the pavement where he lay for some time till Mr. Walpole got a conveyance ready and took him back to the house where he secured medical assistance and had the trouble checked.

WE congratulate Miss Julia Weir, of Alliston, who recently wrote on one part of the examination for a first class certificate and succeeding in getting through all right. When it is known that Miss Weir did not decide on writing until last Easter she must be possessed of more than ordinary ability to get up the work and to attend to her school duties at the same time. Moreover, her work is with high school entrance candidates, and as her whole class of twenty-two passed the recent examination twelve taking honors, she certainly did not neglect her duties in the school. Now that she has started and met with such success she is sure to go on to the completion of the work for a first class teachers' certificate, and perhaps later for a university degree. Miss Weir must be a plodder and the ability to do good honest plodding together with the happy faculty of getting on the outside of books is a characteristic by which she will some day make her mark in the world.

Junior Leaving Examination.

The Junior Leaving results appeared in the Toronto papers last week, but too late for insertion in the columns of this paper. Of seventeen who passed the test examination these were thirteen who succeeded in getting through the Departmental as follows:—L. M. Aldcorn, Thos. Allan (honors), E. J. Binnie (honors), M. E. Edge (honors), W. S. Farquharson (honors), S. P. Fletcher, Ethel Greenwood, M. E. Halpeny, R. E. Laidlaw, M. I. Latimer (honors), F. C. Moran, G. Petty, N. Vasey.

Last week we gave the names of the five candidates who succeeded in the Junior Matriculation, as follows:—J. Binnie, Mary E. Edge, R. E. Laidlaw, M. I. Latimer, and Fanny C. Moran. This gives our school a very good showing for the present year and we must congratulate the candidates on their success and again congratulate the teachers on the accomplishment of their year's work. In addition to this there were twenty-two who passed the High School Examination, for the training of whom great credit is due to their teacher, Miss M. McKenzie.

PERSONAL.

Mr. John Kelly was in Fergus on Monday.

Mr. H. H. Mockler was in Toronto on Monday last.

Mrs. Wm. Ryan is visiting in Owen Sound for a few days.

Miss Allan, of Elora, spent a day in town last week.

Miss Bea McCracken is spending a month with friends in Huntsville.

Mr. W. J. Rogers, of London, of the firm of H. T. Reason & Co., was in town last week on business.

Miss Esther Wilkinson, of Varney, leaves shortly to take a position in the Sanitarium in Hebron, Maine.

Miss Lawrence is engaged in a school at Damascus and began duty this week.

Mrs. Arthur Whitmore left Wednesday to spend a few weeks at Listowel and Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heslett visited Owen Sound friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Aggie Cameron left Monday morning for Toronto to attend the Millinery Openings.

Mrs. Samuel McAlister of Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. Willard Porter after spending a month in town returned to New York on Monday morning last.

We omitted last week to mention the visit of Dr. and Mrs. Culbertson and daughter of Meaford.

Miss Arnfield, of Greensboro, N. C., has been spending several weeks with her cousin, Miss Wilkinson, of Varney.

Mr. Hugh Rose and his sister Mrs. J. Kress and family are camping at the Rocky.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichol, of Priceville, were guests at Mr. Allan McKinnon's Sunday week.

Miss Lydia Thompson left Saturday morning for a prolonged visit to Detroit.

Rev. Mr. Herbert, of Preston, was in town for a day or two last week, a guest of the Hughes family.

Miss McGregor who has been visiting here for several weeks, returned last week to her home in Essex Centre.

Mr. R. N. Mulvin, bookkeeper for the Farmers' Manufacturing and Supply Co., left Monday for his home in Woodstock.

Miss Eva Anderson having spent her holidays with friends around town returned to her home in Owen Sound last week.

Mrs. J. B. Palmer, Miss Adele and Master Guy returned to Chicago Saturday after spending six weeks with Mrs. Arthur Whitmore.

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Farr, of Gorrie, visited friends in town and vicinity last week, and Mr. Farr was present at the Corner Stone laying in Egremont.

Mr. W. H. Bean has returned from Preston where he spent a couple of weeks at the Springs of treatment for rheumatism. He feels better now we are pleased to learn.

Mrs. S. McComb of Palmerston with son and daughter were visiting at the McKinnon and McComb families over Sunday, leaving Monday to visit McComb's at Williamsford.

Mrs. Turner and daughter Burnetia, of Detroit, and Mrs. Mitchell and three children of Toronto, are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Firth, of Glenelg.

Mr. J. A. V. Preston, D. D. G. M. of the Masonic Society visited in town last week and acted as chief builder in the laying of the Corner Stone of the new church in Egremont.

Misses Alvina and Irene Smith, of London, returned Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wiggins.

Rev. and Mrs. Connor and daughter, Miss Maud, of Brookholm, were present at the laying of the Corner Stone of the new church in Egremont, and remained over a few days to renew old acquaintances.

Dr. Smith of Dornoch and Dr. Hutson and Wm. Johnston of town are attending the meeting of the Grand Court of the Independent Order of Foresters meeting in Midland this week.

Mr. H. Allen moved Monday into one of Mr. Laidlaw's houses on College Avenue, commonly known as Mill Street, but re-christened as above by Ye Editor who thinks the name more appropriate as it leads straight up to the College buildings.

May yet Save Costs

To Delinquents

The date for receiving subscriptions from delinquent subscribers closed on the 15th. We thank those who responded to our request. There are still many in arrears, and we are now making out the lists for our collectors who will be authorized to charge \$1.50 a year. We do not wish to incur costs on anyone, and in order to give everybody a fair chance we will hold the lists until Saturday, 14th day of September. In the meantime we will accept a dollar a year. We are trying to be fair with all, but we want delinquents to pay up. W. IRWIN, Publisher, Durham, Ont.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY PETTY, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORMANBY IN THE COUNTY OF GREY, FARMER, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario" 1897 chapter 129 that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Henry Petty, who died on or about the 22nd day of June 1907 are required on or before the 21st day of September 1907 to send by post prepaid or deliver to me, Robert Petty, the Administrator to the estate of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Durham this 20th day of August, 1907.

ROBERT PETTY, Varney P. O. Ont., Administrator to the estate of Henry Petty, deceased.

LUCAS, WRIGHT & McARDLE, Solicitors for the Administrator.



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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.

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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.

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Progress Brand clothing is not only made with a snap and style that gives a boy a manly appearance, but are Made From Good Strong Tweed, and will stand the wear and tear that a lively boy will give his clothing.

WE have a large stock of Boys' and Children's Clothing including single and double-breasted in 2 piece and 3 piece suits.

Boys' 3 piece Suits Black and Blue Serge and Tweed Mixtures, from \$3 to \$6

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WE have these in nice fine Light and Dark Tweeds & Worsteds neatly trimmed with braid to sell from \$2.50 to \$5.00

Bring your boy here and we can please him.

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

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

Highest Price Paid for Produce

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