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NEWS AROUND TOWN

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A dance was given in the hall on Monday evening by the young people of the town.

The largest stock, the lowest prices, the best service. At the Central Drug Store.

All straw hats and summer caps going at cost at Rife's midsummer sale. Watch the windows for bargains.

Mr. Dan. McLean left Monday for Collingwood, where he will put the weather-stripping in the new Government post office, now nearing completion. After finishing there, we understand he will go to Barrie on a similar contract.

Mr. George Baldwin of Toronto will be present at the Horticultural Show this afternoon, and will deliver an address this evening at the town hall. Do not fail to hear him. Mr. Baldwin is an expert florist and will be able to give a great deal of valuable information.

A garden party in connection with Ebenezer church, Vickers, will be held on Mr. Thos. Lawrence's lawn on Friday evening, the 28th of August. Tea will be served from 6.30 to 8, after which a good program will be given by a special artist from Toronto. All invited. Tea and entertainment 25c., children 15c.

The total amount collected in Durham for the Hospital Ship Fund is \$144. This was duly forwarded by the young ladies on Tuesday, and they sincerely hope it may serve a useful purpose. They wish us to extend their thanks to all who rendered assistance in any way. All contributions, both large and small, were duly appreciated, and the kindly way in which all responded to the appeal will be gratefully remembered.

The Durham Horticultural Society are holding their first annual Flower Show to-day and to-morrow, and the management has gone to considerable trouble to make it a success. There is quite a display for the start, but much room for expansion, and no doubt as years roll on, the aesthetic tastes of the citizens will be more and more developed along the line of floriculture and the general beautification of the house surroundings.

A garden party in the interest of the Red Cross Society will be held on Dr. Jamieson's lawn on Friday evening of this week. The party will commence at 4 o'clock, p.m., and continue on into the evening. The object is the raising of funds for the purchase of bandages, sheets, blankets, and other articles required by the Red Cross in their work at the front. This is an entirely separate contribution from the one solicited last week for the equipping of a hospital ship, and is an appeal that should reach every patriotic Britisher. The admission is 10c., or as much as you feel disposed to give, and you may rest assured that in addition to the pleasure of giving to a good cause, you will derive additional pleasure from the excellent program that will be rendered. In addition to music by the Band, an active committee has arranged a full program of patriotic addresses, songs, duets and choruses. It is expected that all will avail themselves of this opportunity for contributing their mite to a most worthy cause.

For sale.—A quantity of dry slab wood. At the Foundry 723

Central Drug Store. Ready for school opening.

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Your children will have a better chance if they become familiar with their new readers now. Buy them at Macfarlane's.

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Automobile Service.—Persons wishing automobile service will be accommodated by applying personally or by phone to the Central Hotel. Careful handling, and reasonable prices.—M. McAuliffe, Durham. 8164

In the severe electrical storm, which passed over here on Monday morning, a barn belonging to Jos. Noble, at Aberdeen, was destroyed. We understand there was practically no crop stored in the structure, and outside of the loss of the building, the loss will be light.

Dornoch baseball team defeated the Durham nine on the diamond here on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The score was 16-11, and the winning team took the gate receipts. From the Dornoch line-up, we would surmise that that place has had several new families move to town very recently. The game is reported a good one.

Dr. E. K. Richardson of Toronto, son of Mr. M. K. Richardson, the Registrar, was married on Saturday last, made a flying visit to see his parents in Flesherton over Sunday, returned Monday morning, went to the camp Tuesday and will sail shortly under sealed orders to do service for his country in the present war in Europe. The Dr. has been for years interested in military affairs and is, we understand, a captain in a Toronto regiment.

Wm. Douglass of Markdale died on Wednesday, August 5, at the age of 79 years. He was born in the county of Wexford, Ireland, came to Canada at 16, lived for a time in Kemptville, and in 1857 moved to Markdale, then Cornabus, where he remained a year, returning in 1858 to the county of Leeds, where he remained and engaged in farming. In 1874 he again moved to Markdale, where he remained up to the time of his death. He was Anglican in religion, and a charter member of the A.O.U.W. He leaves a widow, four sons and three daughters.

The Emergency Session of the Dominion Parliament was opened at Ottawa on Monday afternoon by H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught. There was none of the pomp, ceremony and dress gayety usually seen on such occasions, and its very simplicity made it all the more dignified and impressive. There was no levity, but a solemn seriousness pervaded the whole surroundings. The session will be a short time, and unless there be prolonged discussion, which is not expected, the business may be all disposed of during the present week. There are only four bills to introduce, and these are likely to go through without much debate. The chief measure is the appropriation bill, by which it is believed that Hon. W. T. White will ask for \$50,000,000 to be placed in the war estimates. There will also be a bill to legalize the measures which have been taken by the Government to protect the financial situation. There will likely be a bill to amend the Criminal Code and a general bill to give the Cabinet power to deal with emergencies, such as the food situation, and with authority to put into force a moratorium.

-CANADA IS WILLING

Surrounding towns are sending their quota to the European battlefields. Hanover has six who have passed their medical examination and volunteered their services under Captain Musgrove. They are: Col.-Sergeant Danks, an Englishman of three years' service in the Imperial army, 27 years of age, unmarried; Chas. Fontnam, an Englishman, who has seen active service in Africa and India and won three medals, 37 years of age, and unmarried; Sergt. Butler, who has had ten years' service in the Canadian militia; Stewart Wilson, a member of the Queen's Own Regiment of Toronto, and his brother, J. Selkirk Wilson—the two last-named are sons of J. S. Wilson, reeve of Hanover.

Markdale is sending thirteen. Meaford about 30, a few from Clarksburg, and about a hundred from Owen Sound.

Bert. Ayott, a member of a regiment at Lindsay, left here last week to join his company and go to the front if need be.

Every town and hamlet in Canada has men who are ready to answer the call and assist in the battles of the Empire. Volunteers from all quarters are offering their services, and many more than the 20,000 asked for have signified their willingness to fight for the Mother-land.

The women are not behind in their efforts to assist. The Daughters of the Empire from one end of Canada to the other are engaged in raising \$100,000 to equip a hospital ship. The Durham women have joined in the spirit of patriotism and last week they raised considerably over \$100 to help in the laudable cause. In addition to the efforts of the young ladies, Mr. Willoughby volunteered the free use of his motion picture theatre for Friday evening last, and another snug sum was added. The entertainment on the occasion consisted of the usual picture films, together with patriotic songs and airs which inspired the audience with a new affection for the great Empire of which we form a part.

During the whole period of the double entertainment the seats were well filled and everybody seemed delighted in the doing of his duty. Amongst the principal lady workers in the movement were Miss Kelly, Miss Eager, Miss Irwin, and others, all of whom deserve credit for the way they undertook the task and the results they accomplished.

All indebted to The Chronicle will oblige by paying up. We need the money, as we have big payments to meet.

Persons or parties desiring to hire an automobile can be accommodated at C. Smith & Sons' Garage. Careful and competent driver furnished. Rates on application. 577f

Dr. R. B. Culbertson, of Dauphin, Man., has been in town during the past week visiting friends and renewing old acquaintances. He is looking well, and apparently not a day older than he was ten years ago. The crops, around Dauphin where they seldom fail to have bumper, will be below the average this year on account of a scarcity of rain in the early part of the season. The Dr. is off on a brief holiday, and expects to be back at work again about the first of September.

Early last spring, Mr. J. C. Nichol, proprietor of the Mid-daugh House here, was fined \$100 and costs for having over-proof beer in his possession, and which was purchased for sale over the bar. An analysis in Toronto showed that instead of the regulation 2 1/2 per cent. allowed in local option territory, the refreshment contained in the neighborhood of 3 per cent. alcohol, and consequently Mr. Nichol was fined. As he had purchased the beer as bona fide local option brew, he had his solicitor take the matter up with the brewery, with the result that that institution has accepted all the blame in the matter, and has refunded Mr. Nichol the full amount of his fine.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN HEWITT.

We deeply regret to chronicle the death of Marjory Kernahan beloved wife of John Hewitt, of Darkies' Corners, who passed peacefully away to the Great Beyond on Thursday, August 13, at 10.55 a.m. Deceased had been ill for the past three months with a complication of diseases, and during her illness, which she endured patiently, everything possible was done that earthly power, skilled medical attention and friends and neighbors could do to bring her back to health again, but to no avail, for the Divine Ruler had decreed otherwise, and took her to himself.

She was a kind and loving wife and mother, and the black cloud of gloom, which her death has caused to shadow the home, will not soon be lifted. Deceased was born in County Cavan, Ireland, on October 31, 1844, was married May 7, 1868. A family of eight children blessed the union, six boys and two girls. Three boys and one girl sleep in the cemetery far away across the Atlantic. In October, 1893, she, with her husband, three boys and one girl, immigrated to Canada and took up farming until 1904, during which year they moved to her late residence at Darkies' Corners, east of town. She was predeceased by her daughter Maggie, in August, 1904. The sorrowing survivors are, her husband, a sister, Mrs. E. Haselgrove, in London, Ont., and three sons, Wm. J. in Durham, Richard, in Omaha, Neb., and Robert G., who is home at present, but who has been in Montreal for the past three years. All were at her bedside when the angel of death came, with the exception of Richard, and Mrs. Haselgrove, who could not be present.

Deceased was a member of the Church of England. The funeral, which took place to Trinity church cemetery on Saturday afternoon, was largely attended, and the services were beautifully conducted by Rev. Mr. Hartley. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. Irwin, W. J. Young, J. Lloyd, G. Ryan, Sr., E. Williams and H. Hooper.

Those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. F. Hutchings of Montreal, nephew and niece of the deceased, who nobly and sympathetically stood by the family and soothed many a heartache in their hour of sorrow. The whole community sympathizes with the bereaved ones.

JOHN CORNISH.

The death of John Cornish of Lumsden, occurred on Saturday, August 8, at the ripe age of 76 years. At the age of three years he landed in Canada at Princeton, and shortly after arrival his parents both died, leaving the deceased very young to start out in life for himself. He went to work in a mill at Blenheim for a few years, after which he was married to Helen Irving of that place. After the marriage, they moved to Orchard, in Grey county, where they resided for 41 years. In 1904 they went to Saskatchewan, where Mr. Cornish rented a farm adjoining Lumsden. Afterwards he purchased a farm further south in the Cottonwood district. A few years ago he disposed of this farm and erected a dwelling house in Lumsden, where he lived until his death.

He is survived by his widow, three sons and four daughters, John, of Wascana, Piercie, of Orchard, Ont., Harry, at home, Mrs. T. A. Gibson, of Lumsden, Mrs. J. Brown, Regina, Mrs. McEachern, Hedley, B.C., and Mrs. Arthur Hastie, of Webb, Sask. In religion he was a staunch Methodist, and in politics a Conservative. A large concourse of friends and neighbors who attended his funeral to Lumsden cemetery show the esteem in which he was held.

Asleep in Jesus, peaceful rest.
Whose waking is supremely blest;
No fear, no woe shall dim the hour
That manifests the Saviour's power.

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