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NEWS AROUND TOWN

Flags and war pennants from 1c. to 25c. At the Variety Store.

Eggs are \$2.50 a dozen in Hamburg, and steak is out of sight.

Live hogs are \$9.15, a drop from \$9.40 a week ago. Butter is 21c. and eggs 23c.

Auctioneer Brigham returned from a trip to the west some time ago and is again ready to make arrangements for sales.

Three infants were baptised at the public baptismal service held in St. Paul's, Egremont, on Sunday last.

Mr. John Milligan of the South Line, Bentinck, handed in \$7.17 as contribution from neighbors to the Red Cross fund.

Don't forget the fall millinery openings at the Paris Millinery Parlors, Thursday and Friday, September 17 and 18, 1914. Mrs. T. H. McClocklin.

Miss Malcolm of the Public school staff is off duty for a week or so on account of illness, and Mr. W. A. Campbell is filling her place in the interval.

A patriotic concert will be held in the Methodist church Varney on Friday evening September 19. The proceeds will be given in aid of the Red Cross Society.

Rev. Mr. Eschen, a native of Persia and a graduate of Knox College, Toronto, will address the congregation in the Presbyterian church this evening, commencing at eight o'clock.

Mr. Robert Currie, a resident of Bentinck, near Mulock, died on Tuesday night. He was about 75 years of age, and has been ill for more than a year. He leaves a widow, and a grown-up family of five sons and four daughters.

A meeting of the Merchants' Association will be held in the Library building to-morrow, Friday, evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. All members or representatives are requested to be present, as there is important business to transact.

The Agricultural Society is arranging for a splendid program on the second day of the show, including horse races, baseball match, etc. Remember the day—Friday, September 25. Come one and all. Meet your friends and have a day's enjoyment.

The ladies of Durham and vicinity who have been working in the Armory for the past couple of weeks shipped to the Red Cross Society a box containing the following articles: 72 flannel shirts, 70 pairs socks, 177 pairs wristlets, 69 scarfs, 12 cholera belts, 12 Balaclava caps, 12 sleeping caps, 13 flannelette sheets, 2 pillows, 1 quilt and 386 handkerchiefs.

Anniversary services will be held in the Baptist church here on Sunday and Monday, the 27th and 28th. Rev. Mr. Dingman of Mt. Forest will preach, and Mrs. Dingman will sing at both of the Sunday services. Tea will be served, followed by an entertainment on Monday evening. Dr. Jamieson has kindly consented to occupy the chair.

Every farmer in Canada and the United States should endeavor to the utmost of his ability to provide for the pressing demand for foodstuffs we are sure to have next year. Never before have the farmers on this side of the Atlantic had so bright a prospect as they have now. Prices will be high, and the demand will be greater than ever before. This is our prediction and we are confident it will become true.

A patriotic concert will be held in the Orange Hall, Varney, on Friday night, September 18. Addresses will be delivered by Revs. Prudham, Wylie and others, Vocal and instrumental selections will be furnished by local talent, assisted by Misses Brown and Hunter, and Mr. T. H. Marsh, of Holstein. Admission 15 cents, or as much more as you feel disposed to give. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross Society. Chair taken at 8 o'clock. All come and help in the good cause.

For sale.—A quantity of dry slab wood. At the Foundry 7 23

Fall Fair Day, special bargains at the Variety Store. Nothing over 25c.

The South Grey teachers will hold their annual convention on the 15th and 16th of October.

The trout fishing season closed on Tuesday last and the tackle may now be laid aside till the first of next May.

In South Grey Prize List, Class XXIII. Shorthorns, should have included No. 6 one-year-old heifer \$2.50. \$1.50. \$1.00.

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

The members of the Durham branch of the Women's Institute have sent 70 pillows and pillow cases to the Red Cross Society in Toronto.

Miss Catharine Long, the 15-year-old daughter of a Sydenham farmer, died in Toronto from a dose of carbolic acid taken in mistake for cough medicine.

It is semi-officially reported that the Canadian National Exhibition will have a surplus of nearly \$25,000. The total attendance was approximately three quarters of a million.

Rev. Canon Henderson, 79 years of age, and for 40 years rector of St. Mary's Anglican church at Orangeville, died Monday at the Bowmanville hospital. He graduated at Trinity University in 1860.

Persons or parties desiring to hire an automobile can be accommodated at C. Smith & Sons' Garage. Careful and competent driver furnished. Rates on application. 57tf

You will be sorry if you don't take in the Egremont Fall Fair at Holstein. The directors and villagers are sparing no pains to provide for everyone in all needs and comforts. September 29 and 30. High-class concert the last night.

Walkerton has been favored with fine weather for the fair. It was held on Tuesday and Wednesday, yesterday being the big day. A number went over from here to see the balloon ascension and the parachute drop.

For sale at a bargain, one rubber-tired, bicycle-wheeled buggy nearly new, one good second-hand buggy, one cutter, nearly new and one set of harness. Sold horse and have no further need for articles advertised. Will be home Saturdays. W. Laidlaw.

The Agricultural Society has arranged for a first-class concert in the town hall the last night of the show, Friday, September 25. First-class talent secured. Plan at Central Drug Store on and after Monday next. Secure your seats in time.

The total election expenses of Colin Cameron in North Grey are reported at \$1,302.75. His opponent, Rev. T. A. Rodger, paid \$1,490.32. The former paid \$206.09 for printing, postage and stationery, and the latter \$305.34. What a difference in South Grey, where Dr. Jamieson's expenses were only \$171.04 and Mr. Ramage's \$215.22.

In a letter from George Stinson of Hartney Manitoba, he reports prosperity in his locality. He says: "Everything is going fine: crops averaging about 15 bushels to the acre (wheat we presume) and threshing about half done." He says his brother Bill, who used to drive the bake wagon for him in Durham is gone to the war with the Calgary rifle contingent.

The Bishop of Huron has appointed the Rev. John Morris to be the new rector of Trinity church here. Rev. Mr. Morris is a young man, and eloquent. He has just resigned the parish of St. Alban's, Winnipeg, and it is expected he will take charge of the parish here on the second Sunday in October. The first Sunday in October will terminate the pastorate of Rev. W. H. Hartley.

Mt Forest Fall Fair, September 17 and 18. Concert both nights in new exhibition building.

Alvin Caswell of Bentinck had his arm badly broken by having it caught in a threshing belt.

Harvest Thanksgiving services will be conducted next Sunday in Trinity church, Durham, and St. Paul's, Egremont.

Peter Black of Egremont had the misfortune Tuesday morning to trip on a piece of wire, and in the fall had one of his legs broken.

Mrs. Wm. Kingston advertises her stock and implements for sale by public auction. See the full list of articles on page 2.

Eric Elvidge, a boy about 15 years of age, had the misfortune Tuesday to have his collar bone broken, while playing football on the school grounds.

The White is one of the oldest sewing machine firms, but they embody all the newest ideas in their machines. See the rotary shuttle at W. J. McFadden's.

Mrs. James Currie announces the engagement of her daughter, Marion Rose, to Mr. Leonard A. Rogers of Owen Sound. The marriage will take place quietly at the end of September.

Holstein Fall Fair, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 29 and 30. Bigger and better than ever; good accommodation, lots of seats for the ladies. Band and bag pipes in attendance all day Wednesday. 2

A box social will be held in Crawford school-house on Monday evening, September 21. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross fund. A good program will be rendered. Admission 10c., ladies with boxes free.

The South Grey Exhibition will be held here on Thursday and Friday next, and we again make our annual appeal to all to be present and see the best products of their own labors. It will be a Fair worth attending, and as many of the small fairs are being called off on account of the war, those staying in the race should receive a better patronage. The concert at night promises to be a good one. Attend it too.

The "Made-in-Canada" idea is likely to get more attention than formerly. Every dollar sent out of the country for foreign-made goods is a dollar lost to circulate amongst our own people. The German idea was to buy no goods only German goods, or goods produced in German colonies. Should we not, as a British people, adhere to the same principle, and buy no goods only British-made goods, or goods made by the British people? Narrowing this idea down, we should limit our purchases as far as possible to goods Made-in-Canada, and failing in this to patronize the British manufacturer. Let us go a step further and do our buying in our own home town. The principle may seem selfish, but it is nevertheless patriotic.

OBITUARY

WILLIAM JOHNSTON, SR.

The burial of the late William Johnston, Sr., whose death we announced in last issue, took place on Friday to Maplewood cemetery. After the arrival of the C. P. R. train the remains were taken to the Baptist church, where an appropriate sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Wylie, his remarks being based on the 58th verse of the 15th chapter of First Corinthians. "Therefore, my beloved brethren be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."

The deceased has been a resident of Durham for many years, and served a number of terms on the school board, where he took a very active interest. He was also an enthusiastic member of the Independent Order of Foresters, and was engaged for a time as local organizer. He leaves three daughters all married and away from home, two in the States and one in British Columbia. One son, William, who lives in Markdale, was present at the funeral.

THE WAR

The ambitions of the German Kaiser have received a rude jar, and whatever his future success or failure may be it seems hard to believe that kaiserism is yet ripe to overrun the whole world. From the start, the opposition was strong, and the kaiser's ambition has encountered a series of severe checks. The opposition of the Belgians, the neutrality of Turkey, the fidelity of Britain to uphold the independence and neutrality of Belgium, the speed of Russia in getting her armies in the field and the intense patriotism of all British possessions to the Mother Land, came in rapid succession as surprises to the War God of the German army. The delay at the outset on entering Belgium caused his undoing, and the delay gave a chance to the unprepared armies to get in readiness for action.

No doubt the kaiser's ambition was, first to overrun France, and then turn on Russia. Having once broken through the Belgian frontier, a rapid march was made on Paris and the German armies were soon within a short distance of the outer fortifications and the city was in danger of a siege. The tide soon turned, however, and for the past week the Germans have been retreating, with the allies following closely on their heels.

Latest reports show the enemy is shaping for another battle to the north of the Aisne river, and reports may soon be at hand of another bloody encounter, with what result remains to be told.

The Russians in the east have met with much success, and the Austrians are so reduced as to be a small factor in the future conflict. The Germans are reported as suffering severely from hunger and fatigue, and for the past week or more their efforts against the allied French and British armies have been futile and unavailing.

Kaiserism is evidently doomed, and no country will profit more by its destruction than Germany itself.

DORNOCH SAWMILL BURNED

The sawmill at Dornoch was destroyed by fire on Monday night, entailing a loss of two or three thousand dollars to the Durham Furniture Co., who owned and operated the mill for the past three or four years. It is not known how the fire originated, but there are suspicions of incendiarism. As the mill, we understand, was in operation the day previous, it is quite possible it may have started in some way by a spark from the furnace, but in the absence of better evidence, any opinion we may offer is based on mere conjecture. Fortunately, the wind was favorable, and the damage to lumber was comparatively light, not over a few thousand feet having been destroyed. Fire was first discovered about 11 o'clock and Manager Catton of the factory was at once notified by telephone, and soon made his way there by auto. There was no insurance on the mill, but the lumber was partly covered. Another day or two would have finished the season's cut, making the total output for the season of over half a million feet. The company have mills also at Rock Mills, Ceylon and Durham, and large timber areas in Artemesia, Euphrasia, Glenelg, Egremont and other townships.

We have been asked by Manager Catton to convey the company's thanks to all who assisted in saving the lumber from destruction, and in this connection we might add that no words of ours can fully express their deep feeling of appreciation for the services rendered. Had the lumber been destroyed as well as the mill, it would have been a wide-spread calamity.

The entries for the show and membership promise to be well up to the average again, but the Directors would welcome any new members and would ask that all entries from both old and new members should be sent in as soon as possible. Leave entries at John Snell's, or send to George Binnie, at Durham.

New Spring Clothing

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