

DURHAM CHRONICLE

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PAYING TOWN COUNCILS

Hanover Council is making a move for the payment of its members, and we really think it right that public officers acting for the public good in any capacity should be paid for their services.

On different occasions we have had trouble here in getting enough members to fill the seats at the Council; even this year we had to start the year with a shortage of two to be added subsequently by a species of begging to get men to fill the offices.

In the event of salaries being attached there may be a danger of too many municipal aspirants, but under payment for services there will be chance for a free criticism of their actions.

ABOLISH CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

The London, England, Quakers are taking a hand in the renewal agitation for the abolition of capital punishment occasioned by the recent hangings of condemned murderers.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Exit "the man with the Ford"; enter the man with the snow-shovel.

Dominion Parliament meets January 31. Get out "the old grey bonnet with the blue ribbons on it." And don't forget the old serge dress.

The man in the moon is like the rest of us. When he gets full on moonshine his head gets lobsided shortly after.

"President Harding has severe cold," says a news dispatch. So have we, and so have a lot of other prominent people in Durham and vicinity.

A man in Missouri has had his picture (head and shoulders) in the paper because he wore a pair of pants for 25 years. But why this head and shoulder stuff. They might have included the pants.

Several Meaford Mirror subscribers stopped their paper because they didn't like some of the editorial opinions. Possibly they belong to the same class as the man who swore that the whole world was rotten because someone had smeared his face with limburger cheese while he slept.

Daily papers during the last two weeks have had interesting items in child births. One report stated that a baby one day old had had two teeth removed. The latest comes from New York and tells of a baby being born with a full set of teeth.

"The Traitor Collie" is the title of an able cartoon in a recent issue of the Farmers' Sun, and shows Old Man Muskoka U.F.O. out with his gun after the U.F.O. member who jumped over to the Liberals a couple of weeks ago.

Sinnott is a very suggestive name

and full of good, but what's in a name? may be asked after reading an item from Calgary dated January 10, which says: "Seven years in Prince Albert penitentiary was the sentence pronounced by Magistrate Sanderson on S. E. Sinnott, local barrister, and former Mayor of Calgary, when he pleaded guilty in police court to two charges of misappropriating clients' funds totaling \$2,500.00 given to him in trust for investment."

DEATH OF MRS. THOS. McANULTY Mrs. Thomas McAnulty died here on Saturday under sad circumstances. On Thursday evening she became seriously ill and was taken to the hospital, where an operation was performed, showing the appendix to be in such a diseased condition that little or no hope was held for her recovery, and she died on Saturday at one o'clock.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Sarah Ellen Braithwaite, was born in Yorkshire, England, sixty-two years ago and at the age of fifteen she came to this country with her parents and settled near Varney, where she was married forty-two years ago to Thomas McAnulty, who survives, together with five children, as follows: Lorne, at Brock, Saskatchewan; Edward, also of Brock, but here since last November; Margaret, at home with her parents; Mrs. William Prew, at D'Arcy, Sask., and Mrs. Frank Bunce in town.

The late Robert Braithwaite was a brother, and two brothers survive in the West, also one sister, Mrs. Annie Tucker of Saskatoon.

Mrs. McAnulty was of a kindly disposition and generous to a fault in expending her energies for the comfort of those in need of her assistance. She was an Anglican in religion and a willing worker in all the church schemes.

The funeral was held on Monday morning from Trinity Church, where Rev. Mr. Hardy conducted the service and delivered an appropriate sermon. After the service, which was largely attended, the remains were taken to Maplewood cemetery for interment.

Beautiful floral sprays were placed on the casket by Trinity Church Guild, the Women's Institute and the Saunders family.

MRS. JOHN PARK DEAD

After an illness of several months' duration, Mrs. John Park died on Friday at her home in Bentinck, near Allan Park. She was in her 68th year, a daughter of the late Henry Willis and had been a life-long resident of the Township, where she was well and favorably known and respected.

In July last she was stricken with paralysis, from which she never recovered fully, and a final stroke on Monday preceding her death hastened the end.

Besides her sorrowing husband, and one son, Andrew, both on the homestead, she leaves four brothers: Mark and William Willis, in Bentinck; Wellington Willis in Winnipeg and Nelson Willis in Tacoma, Washington. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Clendenning, in Winnipeg.

Interment took place Monday afternoon in Hanover cemetery, Rev. F. G. Harding of the Anglican Church here officiating at the obsequies in the absence of her own minister, ill at his home in Hanover.

NEW ALIBI FOUND FOR MOUNT FOREST BANK ROBBERS

According to a Toronto dispatch a Deputy Sheriff of Texas has come to the defense of Lloyd Austin and Floyd Nolan who were expected to appear before the extradition commissioner in New York Saturday on a charge of robbing the Royal Bank of Canada at Mount Forest on the night of December 15. According to the Deputy Sheriff, a copy of whose deposition has been received at the Attorney-General's Department at Toronto, he had the two men under surveillance or in custody at the time of the bank robbery at Mount Forest. His original deposition has since been altered twice as to date.

Depositions sent to New York by the Minister of Justice for Canada set forth that at least three witnesses have identified the photos of the prisoners as those of men seen in Mount Forest about the time of the robbery. A Mount Forest lawyer has also sworn that a number of Government bonds stolen from his safety deposit box in the bank corresponds with the number of the bonds found on the prisoners.

Granted that a mistake has been made and that the men under arrest are not Austin and Nolan, they will still have quite a time explaining their possession of bonds that were not legally in their possession.

We clipped this advertisement out of an American newspaper:

Wanted—A steady, respectable young man to look after a garden and milk a cow who has a good voice and accustomed to sing in the choir.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HELD INAUGURAL MEETING

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church held the first meeting of the year on January 11 at the home of Mrs. Thomas McGirr. Although the day was stormy and the roads heavy, there was a good meeting and a good attendance.

Mrs. Andrew Derby, President, was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer, followed by a hymn. Mrs. J. J. Smith read the Bible Lessons and Mrs. Derby gave the paper, which was out of the new study book, "Building the Nation," on exploring pioneer missionary work, going back to the time of Columbus who, after landing on the island, called it San Salvador, meaning Holy Saviour. This he did out of thankfulness for a safe journey.

Two letters were read by the Secretary, Mrs. McIlraith, one from Mrs. (Dr.) Farquharson, thanking the society for the "In Memoriam" the society gave in memory of James and William Farquharson. Mrs. Farquharson said both she and the Dr. have many fond recollections of the time spent in Durham when their sons were growing from boys to manhood. Mrs. Whaley was most appreciative of the "In Memoriam" given in Mr. Whaley's memory and said there was nothing the society could give which would please Mr. Whaley more.

Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder read an explanatory chapter of the study book, "Building a Nation."

A collection was taken and the meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. This prayer should be more appreciated and more thoroughly understood after the addresses given in the churches during the Week of Prayer.

Mrs. McGirr served the ladies with refreshments, which were very much enjoyed and after shaking hands with Mrs. McGirr and Miss Belle, who is unable to attend the meeting, but regularly contributes her paper, thus taking an interest in all the society is doing, the ladies took their departure after a most pleasant afternoon.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION TOOK PLACE MONDAY

On Monday night the officers of Grey Lodge No. 169, I. O. O. F., were installed for the ensuing term. Owing to the condition of the roads, the D.D.G.M. Mr. Hardman of Arthur was unable to be present and authorized the appointment of Past Grand John Ritchie to discharge the duty. To complete the installation team, Mr. Ritchie appointed Bros. David Nichol, W. J. Ritchie, Charles Ritchie, W. Irwin, W. Laidlaw and W. B. Vollet to fill the different chairs, and to say the work was well done under the circumstances is giving away no secret. The following are the officers installed:

- Bro. Calvin Kinne, N. G.,
Peter Ramage, V. G.,
Bert Stonehouse, R. S.,
Cameron Lauder, F. S.,
W. H. Smith, Treas.,
R. Giles, R. S. V. G.,
David Nichol, L. S. N. G.,
Robert McLean, R. S. V. G.,
Harper McGirr, L. S. V. G.,
W. McGirr, Warden,
Thomas Bell, Conductor,
Robert Whitmore, R. S. S.,
John McKenzie, L. S. S.,
W. McFadden, I. G.,
Thomas Whitmore, O. G.,
James A. Brown, Chaplain.

There were about thirty-five in attendance and at the close of the ceremony a light lunch was served.

The society is in good shape financially, has a membership of over seventy and is growing gradually.

A 500-foot temporary suspension bridge was thrown across the Willamette River at Oregon City, Oregon, recently in thirteen hours.

DURHAM MARKET

Table with market prices for various goods like Live hogs, Wheat, Oats, Barley, Buckwheat, Peas, Hay, Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Hides, Sheepskins, Chickens, Geese, Ducks, Turkeys.

Timber Wanted

Basswood Heading Bolts, Track Ties and Fence Posts.

For information write or call on J. N. MURDOCK

12-21-21

DURHAM ROYAL ARCH MASONS INSTALLED OFFICERS MONDAY

The installation and investment of officers in the local Chapter of Royal Arch Masons took place at the Masonic Hall here on Monday evening. The installation ceremony was conducted by V. Ex. Comp. W. E. Clark, assisted by Ex. Comp. S. D. Croft. After the installation and investment, a social time was spent, after which refreshments were served. The following are the officers installed and invested:

- Ex. Comp. D. B. Jamieson, I.P.Z.,
E. A. Hay, Z.,
E. D. McClocklin, H.,
W. S. Hunter, J.,
Comp. C. H. Darling, S. E.,
W. C. Pickering, S. N.,
J. A. Rowland, Treas.,
J. F. Grant, P. S.,
R. E. Richardson, S. S.,
T. M. McFadden, J. S.,
Ex. Comp. W. E. Clark, D. of C.,
Comp. T. Henderson, M. 4th V.,
F. F. McIlraith, M. 2nd V.,
D. C. Town, M. 2nd V.,
R. Moorhead, M. 1st V.,
James Burt, Jan.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Leslie Jones of Toronto is spending a week or so with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson of Bentinck, while her husband is in the West attending the funeral of his father, Mr. James Jones of Brandon, Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jamieson of Melfort, Sask., spent a week with her brother, Dr. Wolfe, and family. They left yesterday afternoon and before returning to their home in the West will visit friends and relatives in Markdale, Owen Sound and in the Township of Arran. Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson have been in the West for the past ten or eleven years.

Mr. H. W. Hunt, Reeve of Bentinck, was in Toronto over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNally of London are visiting his mother, Mrs. S. L. McNally.

Mr. Peter Reid, Jr., has purchased the former Langdon property on College street from Mr. R. E. Richardson.

Mr. Melvin Greig of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Calder.

A LITTLE OF THIS AND THAT

It may be an inherent taste for martyrdom that causes a half dressed woman to smile in the face of a north wind.

It's just as well that women don't understand politics. No man enjoys the knowledge that his wife knows more than he.

If a man is on his toes, that means he is full of pep, but in the case of a woman it only means French heels.

The war period gave us many new expressions, but it robbed us of "Say when."

Wives are people who keep wondering if the lavenport wouldn't look better against the other wall.

Correct this sentence: "If you will marry me," he said, "I will

BATTERIES

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We Know How NOBLE'S GARAGE DURHAM

VETERAN STAR THEATRE

Open Friday and Saturday Evenings TWO SHOWS: 8 and 9 P.M.

THIS WEEK Playgoers Pictures presents "TRACKS" ALSO Bull Montana Comedy "A LADIES MAN"

never look at another woman as long as I live."

Some of the idiots are behind tall iron fences and some are behind steering wheels.

The bloom of youth is charming unless it blooms a little higher in one cheek than in the other.

If a woman has no children, how does she relieve her feelings when another woman snubs her?

Faith may remove mountains, but it won't remove the poison from bootleg hooch.

When the average man picks up the newspapers he has scattered he thinks he is a great help about the house.

The pile you make this year will be an ash pile first.

Patriots who kick about paying war tax should be thankful that they are not required to salute while doing it.

Correct this sentence: "John," said the wife after five years, "I don't mind a little kissing, but I don't like so much of it."

In England they hang a woman for merely killing her husband.—Buffalo Commercial.

Germany can't seem to understand how France can be so rough.—Buffalo Commercial.

In justice to the O.T.A., it should not be condemned till some parties in Toronto have tried it.—Toronto Telegram.

SAID HE COULD NEVER BE WELL

"Fruit-a-tives" Restored Him to Health

139 AVENUE PRINCE IX, MONTREAL "For three years, I was a terrible sufferer from Dyspepsia and my general health was very bad. I consulted a physician and took his medicine but I did not improve; and finally he told me that I could not be cured. At this time, a friend advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. After taking two boxes, I was greatly relieved; and this fruit medicine made me completely well. My digestion and general health are now splendid."

GASPARD DUBARD. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Miss Bloom—Jack says he admires me because I am the picture of health.

Miss Ryval—He always was crazy for anything hand-painted.

BORN

Noble.—In Bentinck, on January 16, to Mr. and Mrs. George A. Noble, a daughter.

Robertson.—In Chesley, on January 5, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson formerly of Durham, a son (John Gordon).

Wilson.—In Durham, on January 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson, a son.

Dinna Forget tae get a guid Sate for the Grand Scotch Concert in the TOON' HA, DURHAM on Robbie Burns' Birthday---Scotland's Bard THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, '23 (Under Auspices Durham Presbyterian Choir)

PROGRAMME:

PART ANE PART TWA Tae begin wi'—the Chairman will speel the platform about aucht o' clock, an' a' the lads and lassies will sing thegither "ANNIE LAWRIE" Scotland's National Anthem wull noo be gien by the Choir. Then' we'll hae a bit speechie frae THE MEENISTER Noo we'll hae a sang frae a brave chiel an' ithers wha wull honor the day by the sang "BURNS AND SCOTLAND YET" For a bit change we'll noo hae a talk on Robbie himsel'. A Jacobite sang is aye in order. It wull be a guid ane. Did ye ever see a fish wife? Weel, ye'll baith see an' hear ane singing as natral as life "CALLER HERRIN" You're gang tae hear a bricht Scotch sang frae four wee tots "WHEN YE GANG AWA' JAMIE" We'll noo see SOMETHIN' OREGINAL. We're nae telling. A bonnie lassie will noo be gien a SCOTCH READING Noo this Scotch choir will be singin' a group of auld timers that we all lo'e. Canna' hae owre muckle o' a guid thing. Two lassies will noo sing "WHEN THE BONNIE HEATHFR IS BLOOMING"

Admission 35c. All Seats Reserved. Plan at McFadden's Drug Store.

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