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DURHAM, THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1899.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Rev Mr. Jansen assisted at an ordination in Cedarville and Esplin on Monday last.

Mr. Edgar Elyidge and wife, of Galt spent a few days with the former's parents in town.

FOR SALE.—Several good, new, home-made cutters. Will be sold cheap. Apply to R. MacFarlane, Sr.

Mr. Jno. Cameron, lower town, left for Dundalk last week, where he intends to go into the implement business.

We are pleased to hear Mrs. E. Milligan is recovering from a short but severe illness the past week.

Mrs. Hewitt of the Avenue returned from Omaha, Nebraska last week where she had been visiting relatives.

Miss Lizzie Johnston who has been about 2 years in Huntsville returned on Monday for a month or two's holiday.

Mr. Thos. Storey, of the Chatsworth News office and Miss Blythe, a daughter of the proprietor, spent a week in town, and were welcome callers at the Review office.

DISAPPOINTED.—Many were disappointed at the concert last Friday night at not hearing Miss Jean Renwick and Miss Wilson. Severe sore throat made their absence unavoidable.

Some subscribers seem not to be aware of the new Postal note system. A one dollar note costs only 2 cts and is a safe and cheap way of remitting. Subscribers in arrears should note this information.

Anyone who has taken advantage of our club rates and not receiving his papers, should notify us at the second omission, and we will ascertain the reason. Among many renewals a slip may be made.

A PRAIRIE NOTE.—A recent letter from Mr. J. Cameron, Bottineau, states that they are having an exceedingly mild winter which explains our tough wheat. His wheat crop amounted to 500 bushels, but this he reckons not very successful. S. Grey would have another name for it.

Mrs. Sarah Alexander, wife of Mr. Benjamin Alexander died November 7th, 1898. Deceased leaves two daughters in Omaha, Nebraska, Mrs. Sarah Hurliz, oldest, and Mrs. V. Chizek, also a sister in London, Mrs. Eliza Haselgrove and a younger sister Mrs. Margory Hewitt of the Avenue, Edge Hill, to mourn her loss.

KNOX CHURCH NORMANBY.—The Annual Soiree is to be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25th, and Rev. J. W. Magwood of Holstein, is to speak on "The Sublimity of Manhood." Pastor Campbell and others will also speak. Miss Jean Renwick, Dromore's sweet singer is to be here. See bills. Admission 25 and 15 cents. Tea 5.30 to 7.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Blythe, of Chatsworth, celebrated their silver wedding on Dec. 29th last. A number of the friends of the worthy couple gave them a complimentary address and a costly silver service. About 50 guests were present. The Review extends good wishes to the proprietor of the News and his wife.

Trinity Church Sunday School will hold their annual evening in the Town Hall on Friday evening, January 27th, when prizes will be awarded to the successful pupils in the various classes. The program will consist of an interesting lecture by the Rev. J. Hill, B. A. entitled "Chalk Talk," supplemented by vocal and instrumental music.

CEYLON.—Not the Spicy Isle, reader, but the little cluster of houses and industries on the gravel road between Priceville and Flesherston, through which the C. P. R. runs. There now, we haven't used the old name, and our readers and writers must address all communications in future to Ceylon and not to El—n S!—n. The Advance rises to remark that the two lines of Watt's famous hymn do not apply to this Ceylon:

"Where every prospect pleases,
And only man is vile."
We believe it is in contemplation to make Ceylon the distributing office instead of Flesherston. We wish the Ceylonese all prosperity.

UP IN THORNLOE.—A letter received from Mr. Arthur Parker, with a fine remittance for REVIEW gives some interesting glimpses of the new country. He states we are having winter now in dead earnest. 45 degrees below zero on New Year's morning, snow about 1 1/2 ft. deep, but the atmosphere is so dry and exhilarating that we do not feel it more than we did 15 degrees in Durham. The Presbyterian Church was opened on Dec. 26, and the Unopark (name of our settlement) choir went down and helped them. Busy taking out timber at present. 3 lumber concerns buying which makes things lively. There is sale for spruce and tamarac dimension timber. We have plenty of pulp wood but no sale for that as yet.

Fax in the Town Hall to-night (Thur.) Ten of Bruce County Council are new men.

Division Court Day in Durham on Wednesday next.

Mr. Alex. McKinnon, Kincardine, visited at Mr. Meikle's on Tuesday.

Mrs. Rob Vollett of Stratford, is visiting friends and relatives here for a time.

Miss E. Blackburn left yesterday to spend a holiday with Cleveland friends.

Mrs. McTayish of Cedarville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Male last week.

Rev. Chiniquy, the famous converted priest and well known lecturer is dead at the age of 90.

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Schutz on uniting their fortunes. See marriage notices.

Messrs. J. W. Crawford and Thos. Lauder, Sr., are in the hands of La Grippe this week.

Miss K. Cameron left Tuesday to spend another term in the Ladies' College, Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. Gadd and family moved into town last week, and occupy Mr. Webber's house on Lambton St.

Rev. J. W. Magwood, Holstein, will speak on "Sublimity of Manhood," at Knox Church, Normanby Soiree, on the 25th inst.

J. D. Brown, Merchant, Priceville and Dundalk has bought out Nixon, Dean & Co., of Dundalk, one of the established houses in the place.

Misses Alice and Ruth Johnston left Monday morning, Alice to spend the winter in Toronto, Ruth to Guelph and Galt for a few month's visit.

Last Thursday the new House of Refuge in Bruce Co., received its inmates from most of the municipalities in the County.

South Grey Ag. Society's Annual Meeting was held yesterday. Mr. A. Davidson was appointed Secy, in place of Mr. McKenzie who resigned. Report next week.

Mrs. Rev. Morrison, Cedarville, Pres., of the Saugeen Presbytery, W. F. M. S., visited the Durham Auxiliary on Thursday last and gave an inspiring address on "Personal Responsibility." The members gave a social tea to all visitors at the close of the session.

J. A. Hunter's Big Store Windows are always attractively dressed, but this seen, where and of furs, three fine stuffed deer are placed for observation. Mr. C. Firth did the work and it was a happy thought of Mr. Hunter, himself an ardent lover of the gun.

Our congratulations to Messrs. John McArthur and Alex. Muir, Arsenica, on their success in the recent election. Mr. Muir headed the list, and he will make a good business acquisition to the new council. Mr. D. McMillan, a faithful township servant in the past, was defeated by 1 vote, and as he voted for his opponent his vote kept him out.

BATTALION BAND.—By a recent resolution of the officers of the 31st Battalion Band, so long in Durham is to be moved to Owen Sound. The possession of it by Durham has long been envied by our county towns, and the superior voting power of the officers in the North, has stolen it away at last. We regret this, as without the regimental grant it will be difficult for our band to pull through.

SUCCEEDS GEO. INGLIS.—After being vacant nearly a year, W. A. Bishop, an O. Sound lawyer, has been appointed Clerk of the County Court, Local Registrar of the High Court, Registrar of the Surrogate Court, and Clerk of the admiralty Court, all made vacant by the death of the late Geo. Inglis. Mr. Bishop must have a strong pull as his appointment was a surprise to several parties, he being the "dark horse" of the occasion. His fees are worth \$3000 a year.

POLITICAL MEETING.—The Conservative Executive of S. Grey have called a meeting of the party for Tuesday Jan. 31, at which, Dr. Jamieson and I. B. Lucas, M. P. P.'s, Mr. Richardson and other lights will speak. The bills announce this as "The regular Annual Meeting," and the two members will assume their duties in Toronto the day following fresh from the touch of their friends.

TOWN COUNCIL.—Our report of last meeting was incomplete, and we append some of the business not there referred to. The Committees in full are: Finance:—Spurling, Hunter, Moore. Bd of Works:—Kinnee, Moore, Spurling, Fire, Light and Property:—Hunter, Livingstone, Kinnee, C. out of Revision:—Caldar, Spurling, Hunter, Livingstone, Gorsline. Bd of Health by retiring terms:—Hugh Rose, 3yrs; G. McKechnie, 2 yrs; R. MacFarlane, 1 yr. E. Hartford, posts \$1.30, Treasurer's salary, \$85. T. Whelan, crossing \$5.75.

WOOD Wanted on Subscription at the

TO-NIGHT !!

Sons of Scotland Concert

In the TOWN HALL, Thursday, Jan. 19.

A rush to hear Fax is now on, and the success of the concert is assured.

Grant, McNichol, McDonald & Galbraith are all stars in their line. No such galaxy of Talent ever heard in Durham.

Secure your seat early. Plan of Hall at MacFarlane's Drug Store, get a program and be prepared for something good.

MURDOCH.

Councillor Sharp of South Bend accompanied by his sister Miss Minnie and his niece Pearl Sharp of Ashland were guests of Mrs. D. Sharp on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. and Miss Teresa Quinn, accompanied by a lady friend visited at their uncle's Mr. W. Sirrs on Sunday.

Messrs. John and William Buchanan of Galt after an absence of five years spent a few weeks around Murdoch and Durham renewing old acquaintances.

A sleigh load of young people intend driving out to Mr. D. Long's on Tuesday night.

Mr. Jas. Allan C. C., while driving home Saturday evening unfortunately got an upset and had several of his ribs broken. Dr. Jamieson is in attendance.

Chas. Hopkins who is in the employ of John Sharp received the sad intelligence that his mother was seriously ill with dropsy and heart failure. He started for home at once, but before arriving she had succumbed to a severe attack of heart failure. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. Alfred McLaughlan (nee Miss Melissa Darby) very favorably known around here before taking up her residence in Brandon, N W T, who has been suddenly bereft of a loving husband. Three small children also mourn the loss of a father's protecting care.

BROWNSVILLE.

Dan Robinson is busy every day in the swamp. He would do better if he had one to have his meals ready and the house warm when he came home. Come Dan look around and get one.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Geo. Hlaw is not improving.

Mr. George Acheson will have to undergo another operation before his toe will heal.

We hope to soon hear of Mrs. John McDonald getting better.

Hugh Acheson rented his farm to Robert Kennell. The old gentleman knows a good farmer.

The young people of Balsam Valley spent a merry night at John Ferguson's Proton lately.

BORN.

McKELVIE.—At Thornloe on January 1st, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKelvie a daughter.

HUMPHREYS.—In Priceville, on Tuesday Jan. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) J. S. Humphrey's a son.

MARRIED.

SCHUTZ—WHITMORE.—At the residence of Mr. D. Campbell, Durham, on the 17th January, by the Rev. W. MacGregor, Mr. John Schutz to Miss Ada Whitmore, both of Durham.

DIED.

JOHNSTON.—In Bentinck, on Thursday January 11, 99, John Johnston aged 65 years, a native of Ireland.

STRAYED.

From the premises of the undersigned, Lot 1, Con. 14, Egremont, a yearling brindle heifer, white spot on forehead and on each hip, white tip on tail and white underneath belly. Had bell on when she left home. Any information that will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN BROOKS, Holstein.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual meeting of the D. H. S. was held in the Public Reading Room on the evening of the 11th, Wednesday last. Reports were read, the Directors' by the Secretary, and the Auditors' by the Treasurer and on motion adopted. The election of officers then took place when President, Vice-President and most of the directors were re-elected. Afterwards the Directors met, when the treasurer and secretary were also re-elected and a resolution passed authorizing the whole Board to canvass and receive fees from all desiring to become members.

Directors' Annual Report for 1898, Ladies and Gentlemen.—We wish you the compliments of the season, and are pleased to report that our efforts during the past year for the attainment of the objects of our organization, the diffusion of horticultural knowledge and the distribution of nursery stock, plants, bulbs, etc., has been appreciated and attended with a fair measure of success. Many of our members purchased and had delivered to them, free of charge, those things at cost prices, which were so low as to be to them a revelation—a complete surprise.

An exhibition of house plants and cut flowers was held in the beginning of September. The great heat and long continued drought of summer gave these such a forlorn aspect generally, that a selection for show purposes were somewhat of a difficult and critical task. Members and others kindly permitted us to select such as we chose, and these when collected carefully and judiciously and artistically massed on a raised platform in the centre of the Town Hall most pleasantly surprised the many visitors.

From the province and county liberal grants were received during the year, which enabled us to deal generously with our members to each of whom we gave premiums costing \$3c. The O. F. G. Association supplemented this by a free distribution for experimental purposes of trees, plants, etc. giving one or more to each person.

Through the society during the year, members obtained, flowering shrubs—rose bushes and peonies; small fruit bushes—black currant, gooseberry and raspberry 75c; fruit trees—apple, pear, cherry, plum and peach 10c; strawberry plants 5c; house plants—palms and chrysanthemums 3c; bulbs and tubers—gladiol, calla, hyacinth, tulip, lily, marcessus, daffodil, tuberous rooted begonia, and canna 400c; papers of seeds—flower and vegetable 47c. Of these 6186 articles the O. F. G. Association supplied 113, the society gave 3213 as premiums, and members purchased, through the secretary, 2800.

CHRIS. FIRTH, Wm. GORSLINE, President, Secretary.
Durham, Jan. 11th, 1899.

HAMPDEN SOIREE.—On Wednesday, Jan. 25th, The Presbyterian congregation at the above place have arranged for their Annual Soiree. Good speaking and music and sumptuous tea. Usual rates.

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSOR.

Applications for the office of Assessor for the Township of Glenelg, for the year 1899, will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Monday the 6th of February next.
J. S. BLACK, Tp. Clerk.
Glenelg, January 9th, 1899.

McFarlane's The Wheels of Time Co Round

Dinner Spoiled—Husband Mad—Servant Girl Ugly. The ancient clock did its best—it is old enough to rest. Its going qualities have gone, you want a Good Clock & Temper Saver. We have them for \$5.50. You can save time and worry by buying one.

We Sell all kinds at all prices. Also a Full Line of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, and STERLING SILVER NOVELTIES. Call and see for yourself. Prices are right.
W. A. McFARLANE
Next to Bank.

The Cash System

ADOPTED BY

N. G. & J. McKechnie.

We beg to inform our Customers and the Public generally that we have adopted the Cash System, which means Cash or its equivalent, and that our Motto will be

"Large Sales & Small Profits."

We take this opportunity of thanking our customers for past patronage, and we are convinced that the new system will merit a continuance of the same.

N., G. & J. McKECHNIE.

Durham, Aug. 9th, '96.

Selling Out

We intend selling out our stock of Men's and Boys' Overcoats at the lowest prices ever heard of in Durham.

OVERCOATS

Boys' Frieze Overcoats, storm collar with tap, worth \$5.00, for \$3.50. Sizes 31 and 32.
In Boys' \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00
Men's, same as above, at \$4.00, worth \$6.00. sizes 33, 38, 39, 41, 42.
Very heavy Coat, slat pockets, worth \$8.00, for \$5.50. Sizes 33, 37, 42.

Don't lose this opportunity if you want a coat. Children's Suits a-away down to clear out.

C. L. GRANT

AT C. McKINNON'S. UPPER TOWN IMPLEMENT WAREHOUSES.

Stoves of all kinds, COOKING STOVES, HEATING STOVES, BOX STOVES
At prices that will surprise.

Cutters Cutters and Sleighs of the best quality and at prices away down.

Our Piano and Organ trade is firmly established. Best makes. Purest tones.

Do you want a Sewing Machine? Try the New Williams.— Highest price paid for Wood in exchange for goods.
C. McKINNON.