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DURHAM, ONTARIO

Seotch Town.

It is with much regret that we this week chronicle the death of Miss Mary McMillen who departed this life at two o'clock a. m. on Wednesday April 26th, aged 55 years. Miss McMillen had been ailing more or less for the past number of years, but was in her usual health, able to do about 24 hours previous to her death, when she took suddenly ill with inflammation of the lungs. Dr. Jamieson was called on but all was of no avail. The deceased was a kind and loving sister and was highly respected by the whole community. Her remains were laid to rest in the Roman Catholic cemetery, east Glenora on Thursday April 27th 1899. The Rev. father Hauck conducted the service at church and grave. A very large number turned out to pay the last tribute of respect. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Henrick and Mr. R. McMillen all from Toronto attended the funeral of their sister Miss McMillen last week. Messrs. McMillen and Henrick returned to the city on Friday. Mrs. Henrick and little boy Murt will remain with her brother Mr. A. McMillen for a few weeks.

Seotch is in full bloom and the weather is delightful. Little Jessie and Mary Peters from 6th spent a few days with their cousins here last week. Mr. R. J. Black spent Sunday with friends in Pomona.

Mr. R. Martin was a caller in this burg on Sunday evening.

Mr. Heck McKinnon spent a few days in the penitentiary here last week and enjoyed the fun immensely.

Miss Flora Beaton returned to the Queen City after spending a year with her brother Mr. M. K. on the old homestead.

The three bridges at Bachelor's Corners and other waterworks are all more or less damaged with the recent floods. Councillor John A. will visit quite a few extra 'V's in his ward before all are repaired. The roads in that burg are at present impassible.

Mr. W. H. Arrowsmith's little boy Willie John is quite ill at present. Hope he may soon recover.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Michigan, tells how such a slave was made free. He says: My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work. This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by our druggists.

Henry's Corner.

Seeding is now in full swing, and with dry weather good progress is being made.

Fred Foote's foot has so far recovered from the cut he gave it as to allow him to be around again.

While Andrew Henry was hustling his peas in last week he stepped on a rusty nail which pierced his foot and he is now moving around with some difficulty.

Improvements: Wm. Hunter has got a fine driving shed up; S. Patterson, to meet the growing demand for hogs has erected a new pig pen; R. Matthews is building an addition to his house while R. Henry is at it hammer and tongs at his new barn, both masons and carpenters being at work at once.

Geo. Henry has treated himself to a new buggy bought through Jno. Moore, agent for C. McKinnon.

John Johnston has purchased a set of new disc harrows. John is bound to be up with the times.

W. Ferguson is trying his strength at ploughing this spring, but is far from his old robust self as yet.

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Smoky Hollow.

Mr. P. Robertson is employed near Stayner for the summer months.

While unloading a set of harrows, C. Watson had the misfortune to have his fingers badly smashed. He says it was the worst trap he ever put his hand in.

W. Watterson is engaged masoning with Mr. Ed. Bray of Bentinck.

W. Langhlan is engaged with Sandy Ellison for a few days.

Miss T. Wilson who has been visiting at J. McKechnie's for the past few weeks returned to her home in Lauriston on Tuesday. Some one will have a little further to walk now.

Mr. John Elison Jr. has purchased what was formerly known as the McDougall farm. We are expecting a white shirt and a half holiday any time now.

Mrs. McDougall lost a fine cow last week.

Mr. Ruth Johnston of Durham is visiting friends around the Hollow.

Beware of that life insurance agent, it's a wife he is looking for and the girl that holds the highest insurance policy is the one he will try to win.

Mr. Hector McKechnie bought a fine driver for the sum of \$65. Wonder how Hector liked riding him when he lit on a

pile of stones in the fence corner and the horse returned home, to find the stable door open and to get an extra gallon or two of oats.

T. Langhlan is engaged with Mr. M. Cameron for the summer months, while Mr. G. Furness has secured the help of N. Barclay for the seeding.

Hopeville.

We have fine growing weather now. Mr. M. Kells has had a visit from his father and mother lately.

Carpenter Allan has returned from Edge Hill where he has been doing some extra work.

John McArthur is still sick. Dr. Jamieson of Durham was out to see him on Sunday.

Mrs. Dezell, the lady member of the M. L. Society had a interesting and instructive lecture Sunday, and Mr. David Allan had to take the pulpit and finish the sermon. He did it well.

We hear a church man was fishing in Glenora last week out of fishing season, and now the constable is after him for breaking the law.

SOON LEFT HER.—I was with a swelling in my feet and limbs. I was not able to walk for four months. I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and procured a bottle. Before I had taken it all the swelling left me. I took three bottles of Hood's and have not been troubled with swelling since." Rebecca Seever, Chatham, Ont.

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NORMANBY COUNCIL.

The Normanby Township Council met on Monday, April 17th. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting were read and passed. Resolution having reference to the \$25 granted to the South Grey Spring Show was read, said grant to be paid out from the general fund. Commissioner O'Reilly to meet commissioner of Bentinck to investigate complaint of James Hillis re straightening road at lot 8, concession 18 and report to this council. Commissioner Heppel to inspect watercourse at lot 26, concession 7, and notify tenant of lot 25 to open ditch to a proper fall. Charles Koenig allowed to perform this year's statutory labor on road between lots 19 and 20, concession 11. The following path-keepers, fence viewers and poundkeepers were appointed:

Path-keepers—D. McCre, Thos. Petty, R. Pettigrew, Q. Pettigrew, J. Dennis, W. Dickson, T. Rogers, W. Cameron, W. McFarlan, F. Campbell, G. Hunt, L. Welser, W. Garliver, P. Hasset, D. Mouton, H. Petty, E. Fee, W. Marshall, A. Marshall, A. Melville, J. Peter, W. Stewart, J. Cornish, E. Bogle, M. O'Donoghue, W. Moore, J. Taylor, A. McPhee, J. Robertson, R. Owens, T. Robertson, H. Miller, M. Lewis, J. Schoen, W. Long, M. Keana, N. Carthage, W. Amosman, J. F. Black, J. Arthurs, J. Herzog, A. E. Owen, C. Myers, J. Edd, W. Ellis, J. Reist, H. King, J. Dreier, G. Herbst, J. Kreuzer, J. Anderson, D. McKinnon, F. Oehm, G. Leibolt, H. Roesching, J. Schreiber, J. Mori, M. Doyle, G. Fisher, C. Kraft Jr., A. Rahm, J. Luetke, F. Grein, N. Wenger, J. Schnell, G. Mohan, O. G. Fisher, W. Kenna, J. Edwards, C. Kraft Sr., V. Grein, J. Lenna, A. Weppler, G. Lanz, P. Hollinger, W. Widmeyer, P. Lynch, V. Kraft, G. Faehner, W. Meyer, E. Widmeyer, G. Wagner, S. Weppler, J. Weid, W. Kenna, G. H. Baetz, L. Wettlaufer, C. Hafner, H. Harkopf, G. Hartmel, D. Robinson, W. Edd, C. Birr, J. Grub, D. Lippert, H. Rahm, J. Hillis, J. Lobsinger, R. Whiteford, J. Watt, R. Nichol, J. Kerr, L. McNaughton.

Fenceviewers—G. Johnston, E. Ryan, P. Esch, T. Duignan, J. Robertson, J. Schoen, H. S. Miller, M. Doyle, J. Edwards, D. Widmeyer, J. Widmeyer.

Poundkeepers—H. Brennan, F. Oehm, W. Neville, C. Corley, R. Owens, J. Haney, W. Crawford, J. Haliday, C. Rahm, H. Ringel, J. Bismarck, G. Wagner, J. Flynn, W. Rehkopf, H. Byers.

The following orders issued on the treasurer: Fisher & Schaefer new double door town hall and lock repaired \$6.70; Q. Pettigrew 28 yards gravel \$1.40; G. Ringel 9 weeks keep of widow Weibel \$9.55; Municipal World assessment roll, statute labor list, etc \$11.60; M. B. Flynn on printing contract \$20, assessors and diphtheria notices extras \$5; Treasurer South Grey Spring Show grant \$25; D. Lippert repairing Herzog's bridge \$1; John and William Hoff removing obstructions from bridge between lots 6 and 8, concession 7, 50c; P. Skelly repair township waterworks 30; Commissioners Drey, O'Reilly and Heppel respectively \$1, \$2 and \$3 for inspecting outcrops and bridges; Councilors for services at meeting of date \$12.40.

Clerk authorized to notify the council of Carriek to deepen ditch from culvert (jointly built by the two townships at Bismarck corner) west to a proper bill, as a collar is flooded with water on the Normanby side caused by the present state of the ditch. Commissioners O'Reilly and Heppel to inspect and report re straightening road between lots 15 and 16, concession 17. C. Seim the owner of south part lot 15 threatens to put fence on proper line.

Council will meet again on Saturday, 27th May, in the town hall as a Court of Revision and for general business.

Geo. Hoff, clerk.

(From Avton Advance.)

Town of Durham

NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS.

The Assessment Roll is now in the hands of the Clerk, and according to statute all complaints against the Assessment must be in the hands of the undersigned before May 14. All parties will govern themselves accordingly.

GEORGE RUSSELL

Durham, May 1, 1899. CLERK.

COLIN ALEXANDER McVEAN.

Mr. Alexander McCormick, Rocky Saugeen, has handed us a copy of the "Celtic Monthly" published in Glasgow, Scotland, from which we make the following extracts. The subject of the notice was a friend of Mr. McCormick's and is not unknown to quite a number in South Grey.

Colin Alexander McVean, eldest son of the late Rev. Donald McVean, minister of Iona and Ross, and his wife, nee Susan McLean, of the family of the McLeans of Ross, passed his childhood at his father's manse in Iona. He was educated in Edinburgh, and choosing the profession of a Civil Engineer, received in 1861 an appointment under the Hydrographic Office, and served some years on the Admiralty Survey of the Hebrides under the orders of the late Admiral Outer, C. B., latterly having charge of a detached portion of the Survey.

On the completion of this work he proceeded to Turkey, having received an appointment on the engineering staff of the Varna and Rostchuck Railway in Bulgaria, and was also engaged for a short time on Government railway surveys in Wallachia, and was present in Bucharest during the revolution in 1861, when the Hapsburgs, Prince Couza, was removed from the throne, and the present ruler—now King Charles I—invited to occupy it. Serious disturbances occurred in the capital at this time, and sketches of street scenes were supplied to the London Times by Mr. McVean.

On his return from Turkey Mr. McVean was appointed in 1868 by the Board of Trade, acting on behalf of the Government of Japan, one of the three engineers (Messrs. Brunton, McVean and Blundell) to go out to that interesting country to superintend the erection of lighthouses, and generally to instruct the Japanese in engineering and surveying operations. In 1870 he was appointed Surveyor-in-Chief of Japan, and was engaged during the rest of his stay in the country in organizing the Government Survey Department, and carrying out detail surveys of Kiota and Tokio, the ancient and modern capitals.

A revolution being in progress travelling and residence was very unsafe for foreigners and during his stay a permanent guard was furnished his house and walking and riding two mounted guardsmen accompanied him. He also had charge for a time of the Public Works department and established a complete meteorological office containing many fine instruments. On leaving Japan he received the thanks of the Government for his services.

Mr. McVean has thrice visited the United States and Canada, where he has many relations, and travelled extensively in these countries, visiting among other places the district in Ontario where the majority of emigrants from his father's parish had settled, and meeting there many old friends; he was greatly pleased to find nearly all of these people in a flourishing and prosperous condition. He also visited the great Sioux Indian reservation in Dakota and spent some weeks with the Indians, afterwards furnishing sketches and an account of the tribe to the London Graphic at the time of the Indian rising which occurred on this reservation shortly after his visit, when some severe fighting took place between these Indians and the United States troops.

After his wanderings Mr. McVean returned to his native country and settled down at Kilfinichen, Isle of Mull, which he rents from the Duke of Argyll. He has represented his native parish in the County Council of Argyll since 1889, and is a J. P. for the county, and last year received the Diamond Jubilee Medal from Her Majesty for service in the Royal Body Guard for Scotland.

Mr. McVean's oldest son Donald is now an officer in the Indian army and received a medal and bar for distinguished services in the late war. His eldest daughter is married to the Secretary of the British Legation in Tokio, Alexander is in the Hudson Bay Company's service in Labrador and his youngest son is still a student.

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