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DURHAM, THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1899.

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Local and District News.

Lucas, Wright and Batson.—At Durham office Mondays and Court Days.

Division Court meets here on Thursday 25th inst.

50 cents will take THE REVIEW to any address on this continent up till Jan. 1, 1900. Send it to your friend.

ONLY 10 CTS.—Any trespassers your way? Get a set of cards Prohibiting Fishing and hunting. In stock at the REVIEW Office. Only 10 cents.

FRESH FISH.—Always on hand at the residence of Miles Wilson, Lower town. Guaranteed good, because kept in a refrigerator. Salmon 7 cts a lb.

By advertisement in this issue The Durham Furniture Co. Limited, it will be seen, calls their first meeting on Monday evening next. Let there be a full attendance.

Arbor Day in Palmerston was kept free from business, the stores being closed, and tree planting indulged in. This town was so wrapped up in its By-law that scant attention was paid to the day here. Our public school staff observed it.

Mr. James Dillon one of the pioneers of Glenelg died on Saturday last and was buried on Monday in the R. C. Cemetery, Orchardville. He was in his 78th year and was greatly respected.

FIRE CRACKERS.—Chief Torry of the Fire Brigade informs us that already these nuisances are appearing in the hands of the boys in the streets to the danger of property, runaways etc. The Chief expect Council and Citizens to back him up in an attempt to compel the boys to go to a field or back yard for this fun if they must have it.

War on the Caterpillars has been going on for two weeks back. Whether the frost will assist in their destruction we do not know, but hope so. Though the fruit crop is likely to be slim no pains should be spared to keep down the pest by spraying or otherwise.

THE TENT CATERPILLAR.—The ravages of this pest are widely in evidence this year again, and there seems to be no remedy except spraying. Mr. John Dalglissh, Bentinck, informs us that trees he sprayed last year are free or almost free from the pests, and this should be encouragement to go into it extensively.

PRAYING OR (S) PRAYING.—Last week's papers tell of a means adopted in Quebec province to fight the caterpillar pest. A Roman Catholic clergyman and 150 of his followers marched through the infected districts praying for deliverance. If each one had (s) prayed as they prayed it would have been a fine example of faith and works, and wouldn't have detracted from the efficacy of the prayers.

GRATIFYING IMPROVEMENT.—"My face was covered with pimples and blackheads when I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, but after the use of this medicine a short time I was entirely cured. I cannot recommend it too highly since it has done so much for me." May Ryan, North St. Oungah, Ontario.

HOOD'S PILLS are prompt and efficient—easy to take, easy to operate.

TO GUELPH AND MODEL FARM.—Arrangements have been made to form a monster excursion to Guelph and the Model Farm on June 21. The fare from Durham, Varney, Hanover and Neustadt is 95c, from Holstein, Mt. Forest, Ayton and Absfeld 90c. Children at all points 50c. Tickets good to return on 22nd. Lunch is provided on the farm. Excursionists go by regular morning trains. The energetic Sec'y Mr. Geo. Binnie and Pres. Mr. Wm. Young have the matter in hand, and they will make every arrangement for a successful and profitable days outing.

Rev. Mr. Crozier, Grand Valley and South Luther resigned his charges lately. Last week's Orangeville Presbyterian accepted very reluctantly Mr. Crozier's resignation, as delegations from both congregations were present expressing their high appreciation of the faithful services of their pastor over a period of fifteen years, and regretting the severance of the tie. The untiring devotion of Mrs. Crozier in the several departments of church work was also acknowledged. Notwithstanding these warm expressions of attachment, Mr. Crozier pressed his resignation, which was accepted by the Presbytery, to take effect on the third day of July—the completion of a fifteen years' pastorate. Mr. Crozier has still many friends in Egremont where for 10 years he did pioneer work.

Tara girls are forming a base-ball team for the summer.

The words of praise bestowed upon Hood's Sarsaparilla by those who have taken it prove the merit of the medicine.

In Paisley the council was petitioned to repeal their cow by-law, but a counter petition was stronger and it has to be retained.

AT CHATSWORTH.—The Lime Juice Stock Co. held forth in Chatsworth on Friday night last. The audience was not large but they were well pleased with the entertainment.

BIG TROUT—LITTLE BOY.—Master Arthur Allan is the son of his father. He caught a trout on Saturday 15 inches long and weighing 1 lb. 2 oz. and with one eye too! The wounded one is recovering nicely.

VOLUNTEERS ATTENTION.—The 31st Battalion is ordered into camp at Niagara on June 6. No. 4 Company is requested to assemble at the Drill Shed for practice on Saturday evening, May 20th. By order, A. GALBRAITH, Captain.

ATTEMPTED INCENDIARISM.—Last week fire was placed inside the window of Trimble's millinery room, Flesherton, with the plain purpose of destruction. Curtains, and a few other small articles were all that suffered before discovered. We have not at date of writing heard whether the miscreant has been discovered.

EMPIRE DAY.—Next Tuesday is Empire Day. A day intended to stimulate Canadian patriotism, to rouse enthusiasm for and attachment to our world wide Empire. To point out the principles of justice and truth which have generally (though not always) guided British Empire builders. To call attention to these builders, their successes, their mistakes, their work. To make the boys and girls feel they are a part of this empire, have or will have a share in carrying it on; to hoist the school Union Jack—for of course every school and room has one—and if it can be greeted with three cheers, or Rule Britannia, or God Save the Queen, it will only be repeating what millions have done, and got inspiration by doing. We hope our teachers will spare a little time in the rush of preparation for examination to appropriately mark the passing of the day, first observed on the eve of the 80th birthday of the best queen that ever lived.

FROST.—This section was visited by sharp frosts on Sunday and Monday last. On Sunday the thermometer dropped to 29 degrees, 6 below freezing point, while on Monday morning it was 7 degrees below. Needless to say this is a serious check to vegetation and in many cases will cause a complete failure of fruit for which there was abundant promise. Tender garden stuff of course was cut down. RAIN! Since the above was written nature has redeemed herself and given a most copious rain with a promise of warm weather following which will mitigate the effects of the frost. In 24 hours there fell .78, or over 3/4 of an inch of rain. We are indebted to Dr. Gunn of the observatory here for the foregoing figures. Three-quarters of an inch may sound small, but that depth over an acre would fill a cistern 15 ft. square and 12 ft. deep.

THE McKECHNIE CREAMERY.—This institution, as many of our farmer readers will know, commenced operations last week. The season promises to be a good one, there being already nine drawers of cream on collecting from thirteen routes, covering the country around Durham very completely. Calling at the factory the other morning we made the acquaintance of the obliging butter-maker, Mr. D. L. McIntyre, whose home is at Crosswell, Mich., but whose experience has been chiefly gained in Ontario, he being a graduate of Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Mr. McIntyre kindly "showed us around," and the sample of his butter we tested was certainly of the best. Improvements, adding to the efficiency of the cold storage room, have this year been added, enabling the temperature in any weather to be kept down to or below 38 degrees. A record of temperature taken a. m. and p. m. has to be kept on government blanks and sent to Ottawa monthly, for the best or most uniform record a prize is given. Other improvements made, or in contemplation, are some new rats, and the placing of tanks instead of cans on the route wagons. The first day's make last Thursday was over 500 lbs., but as more routes are now added, and more cream will soon be available a very much larger make is assured. We congratulate the firm on the prospect of a successful season, and also congratulate the country on having such a useful industry in their midst.

W. S. Morsburgh, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Holstein, Ont.

The population of Owen Sound is \$305. The "city" is not far off.

THAT DOG.—Just as well if you attend to the matter of tags at once.

Parties indebted to the Estate of Jas. Burnet are invited to call and settle.

Mr. R. D. Legate, Ceylon, visited friends in Durham Friday and Saturday last.

WOOL.—The demand for Canadian wool is this year small, and prices are likely to range low.

THE REVIEW and Weekly Globe till January 1, 1900 for \$1.00. THE REVIEW and Weekly Mail to same date, 90c.

Mr. Jas. Carson, formerly with J. & J. Hunter, and latterly of Hamilton came home last Thursday on a visit.

Mr. Chas. Ryan came up from Mount Forest Saturday night, and spent Sunday at home here, returning Monday.

Miss E. McFarlane came home last Friday from a visit of several weeks to friends in Brantford and elsewhere.

Blacksmith Guthrie believes in light and lots of it, so has had Mr. John Byres put three skylights in the roof of his shop.

Clifford is preparing for a First of July celebration. Durham has not spent all its energies on the by-law we hope.

Rev. Mr. Garver, of Hanover, a very aged superannuated minister, preached in the Methodist church morning and evening last Sabbath.

Rev. Chas. and Mrs. Cameron came home from Toronto on Saturday. Miss Maggie Cameron is also home, we regret to say not in good health.

MOUNT FOREST COUNCIL and Chief of Police are going to stop the "scorcher." The using of bells on bicycles and at night, lanterns, will be insisted on.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon from near Chesley, visited their daughter Mrs. John A. Black and Glenelg friends over the week end. Miss K. McKinnon accompanied them and will remain a week or two.

NEXT WEEK having Wednesday the 24th in the centre of it, we intend to go to press earlier so that editor and staff may duly honor Her Majesty's 80th birthday. Correspondents and advertisers will oblige by having communications and copy in on Monday next.

DURHAM ON DOMINION DAY.—The Turf Club have decided to hold another of their summer celebrations on July 1. With the experience of last year, which was a success, with funds in the treasury, with enthusiastic and capable managers there will be no doubt a most successful day's sport. Particulars later.

PRECAUTIONS.—The bank authorities here have Mr. W. B. Vollett employed in making such arrangements to the bank premises as will prevent the possibility of "holding up" the boys at night. Windows are to be strengthened and next week an efficient burglar alarm is to be placed on the premises.

CHANGED LABEL.—We have again corrected our mailing sheet up to date, and ask as a favor that all subscribers, noticing any error or omission will kindly let us know and it will be rectified. There are quite a number who have allowed the year to slip round without a remittance. These we now ask respectfully to remember that small duty at once and greatly oblige us.

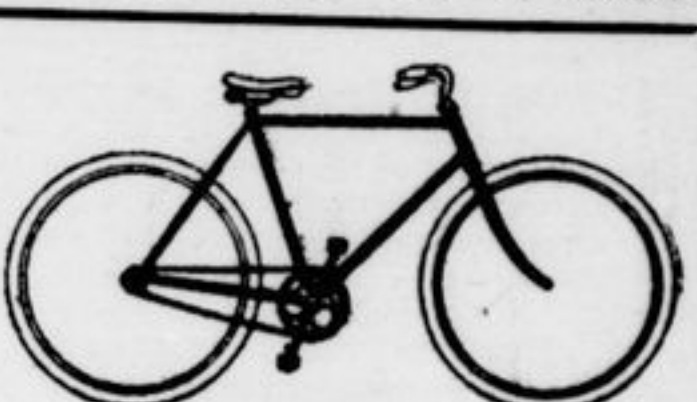
A SMILING COUNTRY.—Last Saturday we had the pleasure of a 10-mile drive through Glenelg, and have seldom seen the country looking better at a similar May date. We hope the frosts since have not greatly injured the prospect. We are indebted to Mr. John A. Black for the treat afforded by the drive behind his swift grey colt, which with proper training might reach his sire's record of 2:15.

[The following item was omitted inadvertently from last week's REVIEW.]

A SUCCESSFUL STUDENT.—Last Friday's Toronto papers had the results in full of the examinations at the School of Practical Science. We are pleased to notice that Mr. Arthur Laidlaw has done through most creditably, even though, as the report says, "some mourn a total plucking. There were 75 candidates in all and only 10 of the 27 who passed got through without a "supplementary." Arthur being one. In the subject of Electricity, which he will pursue further next year, he takes second place, and in nearly all the branches his name is well to the front. We congratulate our young townsman on his success, and predict for him a brilliant scientific career.

BURGLARY IN LOWER TOWN.—Between Tuesday night and Wednesday morning the stores of A. McLachlan and Wm. Black were forcibly entered and money and other articles removed. McLachlan's fine cash register was wrenched open, and all the cash—except the coppers—extracted. As it happens the cash in both stores was insignificant, not amounting to a dollar, but a sum of about \$5 left over night in McLachlan's by Mr. L. Elvidge, disappeared. Some goods were taken from both stores. Mr. Black missing especially a pistol. No clue so far is obtainable.

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What is a Good Tire? The "Dunlop" or "Graham."

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WM. LAIDLAW

Rev. Gordon-Smith will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Milligan has been passing through a severe affliction lately, but we are glad to say is now recovering. We hope soon to see him around.

REVIEW readers will confer a favor mentioning—when occasion offers—our offer of THE REVIEW from now till December 31, 1899 for only 50 cents.

SENSELESS.—It may become consolation to those who have been trying in vain to convince their erring neighbors that the 19th century will end Dec. 31st, 1900, not Dec. 31st, 1899, to know that their forefathers in other centuries have had the same difficulty. Scraps from the periodical literature of the year 1800 or thereabouts are occasionally brought to light which show that the wisecracks of that time discussed the question as warmly and about as wisely as those of the present day. One rhymist put the common-sense view rather neatly. Writing on the morning of January 1st, 1801 he says:

Precisely at twelve o'clock last night The eighteenth century took its flight. Full many an aching head Has racked its brain, its ink has shed To prove by metaphysics fine That one hundred means but ninety-nine. While others at such wisdom wondered, And took one more to make a hundred

DURHAM FURNITURE COY. LIMITED.

The first General Meeting of the shareholders of the Durham Furniture Company, Limited, for the purpose of organizing the Company, appointing Directors, adopting By-laws, etc., for the commencement of business, will be held at the Town Hall, Durham, on Monday, 22 of May next, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. By order. All invited.

DURHAM FURNITURE CO. Durham, May 17, 1899. (Limited.)

PURSE LOST

On Saturday may the 6th in the vicinity of Aberdeen or on the way to Crawford and Lamash a purse containing a small sum of money and a note. Any one finding this purse will confer a favor by leaving it at the REVIEW office. The purse bears the name of Hugh Firth on it.

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