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DURHAM, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1901.

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Local and District News.

Town Council meets on Monday night.
British Horse and Cattle Splice, a powder of first class merit made from concentrated flesh forming foods and ingredients. 6 lb. package 25c. Only at Parker's Drug Store.
Mr. Thos. Sullivan, Irish Lake, offers a pedigree Shorthorn bull for sale in this issue.
Mr. Wm. Mathews, lately from the west has been secured by the trustees of S. S. No. 9, Glenelg, to teach till holidays at least.
Messrs. Jeff Whitmore and Jos. Williams, left Tuesday, for Portage La Prairie, Man.
Mr. Chas. Stewart, cousin of Miss S. Jack, left Tuesday for Carberry, Manitoba.
The Greatest Thing on Earth Darling's Winter Jelly, Chaps or Roughness of the Skin cannot stay where it is used Only 10c. Per Pot.
ANOTHER CARNIVAL.—Thursday night of this week another of the excellent carnivals will be held in the rink, when liberal prizes will be offered. The success of the last makes this one assured. Engagements were all carried out and the same efforts are being made to bring success this time.
For La Grippe Dr. Budd's La Grippe Capsules, a rapid restorer to health. Parker's Drug Store.
FIRST OF THE CENTURY.—Priceville Presbyterians have bills out for a Grand Soiree, "First of the Century" on Friday evening of this week. Rev. Dr. McRobbie, Kenble, an old friend of the congregation is to be present and so is Rev. J. Farquharson, Durham, and Varley Priceville. In addition Miss Jean Renwick, ever popular, will contribute of her gift of song and Durham Presbyterian choir is to furnish excellent music. Tea served from 6 to 8 p. m. Admission 25c.

Tonic Hypophosphites to build and tone up the system after La Grippe. Parker's Drug Store.
Knock it out in a day. La Grippe Tablets. For sale only by Jno. A. Darling Druggist, Durham, Ont.
To-night, the Independent Foresters have their annual supper, and members are privileged to take their ladies.
PUBLIC LIBRARY.—A meeting of the Public Library Board will be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 28, at 7.30. A full attendance requested.
FUNERAL AT 10 A. M.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hugh MacKay will take place to-morrow, Friday, at 10 a. m.
NOTICE.—All parties indebted at the Hardware Store previous to the 1st of January will confer a favor by settling their accounts at once, as money is required in order to give you bargains.
W. BLAIR.

QUEEN ESTHER GANTARA.

Rivalling even the Cement agitation, last week was a Queen Esther week. The rehearsal of so many voices and parts from so many families in town kept the matter constantly in view and the performance—if that is the right name—was more than worthy of the anticipations. The weather was not favorable and the receipts for the two evenings fell short of \$100, a sum which would have been secured in one night, were the public really seized of the excellence of the affair.
It is almost entirely musical and Miss B. McKenzie, the accompanist, was sentenced to two nights with hard labor. Her part was exceedingly well done, considering the variety of jubilation and lamentation to be portrayed.
Queen Esther was represented by Miss E. MacFarlane who interpreted appropriately the trying position and noble aims of the Eastern Queen. It was no easy part to take but Miss M. acted and looked the queen to perfection. The banquet she prepared for the black bearded King was a slim affair, but if he was pleased, as he seemed to be, it was nobody's business. Zeresh, Haman's wife, was taken by Miss Frankie Black, and her devotion to her pseudo husband's interest was worthy of all praise. The parting scene and singing between her and her husband was one of the best things of the evening, being almost realistic enough to be harrowing, and the clinging touch of the little clinging child added an intense pathos to the scene. The audience could have hugged that child—little 5 yr. old Vivian Crawford—for the natural way she acted.
Mr. J. P. Telford, for the nonce, acted the part of King, and looked, with black beard and royal robes as regal as King Edward. Jas. A. Hunter made fine Haman, and succeeded admirably in letting the play of his features represent the passions of his mind. A. W. H. Lauder interpreted the part of Mordecai, and looked becomingly modest, when, in the course of events, his sackcloth robes were exchanged for the royal purple. Miss F. Meredith was Mordecai's sister and sung beautifully at him. Mrs. Buchanan, the black prophetess, made a startling inroad on Persian royalty, in the 1st Act, and in the 4th Act the same gay crowd, while jubilating over Haman's invitation to the banquet, were humiliated by the stern old Jew's refusal to bow.
Mr. Wm. Ramage was High Priest, G. Binnie was Hazai, A. Jackson was Persia, and M. J. G. was Haman. W. L. Davidson made a splendid "beez gar" and gave some hard nuts for Zeresh and Haman to crack. Miss M. Gun was arrayed as first maid of honor. Misses M. Davidson and N. Meredith were Zeresh and Mordecai's daughters respectively, while little Katie Belle Black and Margery McKenzie made sweet little flower girls, backing out of the royal presence in great style as did Lilly Harris and Hazel Caldwell as they carried the banners to the banquet. It was all good, one would think. Misses L. Laidlaw and B. Crawford had lifted a Queen's train all their lives, while Miss Wallace and Miss S. Burnet were brilliant maids of honor.
The stage settings must be seen to be appreciated. The pretty spangled dark dresses of the Jewish maidens had a fine effect in contrast to the gayer Persian attire. The wailing dirge of Mordecai and the sad-eyed maidens in the 2nd act was excellent and their song prayers leading up to the triumphant ride of the Refugees of his People seemed a veritable triumph of faith.
Another fine song in Act 3 was "Ever dutiful more than the beautiful, find in thee a friend" and was in marked contrast to the bloodthirsty maidens in act 4, urging Haman to haste to the banquet.
"Thus shall it be done" in Act 5 was another fine refrain, pretty calling for Haman's recall, but the black-bearded King had to be obeyed. By-the-by his surprise as he discovered Haman's duplicity was a fine piece of acting.
Prof. Tanney and his son are both proficient in getting up such affairs. The latter's fine voice was much in evidence during the evening.
But our pen must stop. We hear an intention of giving a sequel to request that we hang up our hands for the hearing to gratify the public who have only heard about it.

SHEWELL & LENAHAN

Wish All A Happy New Year
The public of Durham and S. Grey are informed that the business heretofore carried on by J. A. Shewell will now be carried on in the new premises in the McIntyre block next the Bank under the firm name of Shewell & Lenahan.
Old customers are cordially invited to call and see us in our new store where we hope to make the acquaintance of many new friends.
Special attractions for the Christmas and New Year's trade.
A Call Respectfully Solicited.
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Reform Convention.

The Executive of South Grey Reform Association has called a Convention of Liberals of the Riding to meet in the TOWN HALL, DURHAM, On WEDNESDAY, March 6, 1901.
at 1.30 p. m., for the purpose (if deemed by the Convention opportune,) of nominating a Candidate to contest the Riding in the Reform interest, at the next General Election for the Legislature, Election of officers, and other business. Officials are reminded of their duty in regard to the election of delegates for this Convention. Local Secretaries will send or bring to the General Secy. on or before 1 p. m. of March 6, lists of duly accredited delegates.
A Cordial invitation is extended to all Liberals. It is expected that a speaker of Provincial reputation will be present.
GOD SAVE THE KING.
H. H. MILLER, Hanover, Pres.
C. RAMAGE, Durham, Gen. Secy.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. (Rev.) Wray Smith, is recovering from a severe illness.
Mr. R. McCracken was called to O. Sound this week on jury duty.
Mr. J. L. Browne is a delegate this week at Sarma, from the local court of Canadian Foresters to the High Court meeting.
Miss Marion Gun broke her arm at the skating rink last Saturday.
Mr. Joseph Corbet left this week on a visit to Galt friends.
Miss Maggie Hay, who has been for about a month at her home in Dromore, leaves this week again for Toronto.
Mrs. Wm. Renton, is visiting friends and relatives in Egremont this week.
Councillor Arch. Hunter has had a severe attack of la grippe, but is recovering.
Messrs. Arthur Jackson, and Jas. A. Hunter took a trip to Cement city, Michigan, this week.
A private social under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. is being held, this Thursday evening, in honor of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mulock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Calder.
Mrs. Wm. Brown and her sister Miss Agnes Henry, left by train Saturday morning last for Quappell, N. W. T. summoned there by an urgent message to see their sister Mrs. Walker (Mary) who is supposed to be dying.

SUDDEN DEATHS.

Maggie Scott, Wm. Gorsline, Mrs. Jas. Hastie.
"The Angel of Death has been amongst us, we can almost hear the hurling of his wings." This remark made by the famous John Bright on an occasion of sudden deaths seems to apply to Durham and neighborhood with a painful fitness at the present time. Many and sharp have been the deaths of the living have received, bearing out the old saying that in the midst of life we are in death, and reminding all to set their house in order.
MISS MAGGIE SCOTT.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Scott, Glenelg, has been plunged into gloom by the death of their loving and beloved daughter, Maggie, after an illness of only a few days. It is difficult to write of her as dead; so lately in contact with life and beauty, now no more. Only at the New Year she assumed the duties of teacher at her home school, No. 9, Glenelg, and up to about 10 days before her death was at her post as usual. She felt indisposed and stayed in town with her relatives here, where she soon showed alarming symptoms, as of paralysis of the throat, being unable to swallow anything for several days, and on Saturday the end came. To the sorrowing parents, brother and sisters wide sympathy is felt and in this the REVIEW claims a share, but Maggie Scott belonged to more than this home and a few words about her career is necessary.
She first engaged as a teacher in No. 14, Normanby, where she taught 3 years most successfully. She then attended O. Sound Coll. Institute, and took a 2nd Class in 6 months winning honors. She then taught for about 3 yrs. in Porton, attended the Ottawa Normal school, and distinguished herself there by winning the gold medal. While there she was chosen to read the address and present a banquet to the Governor-General and his lady on one of their visits, her fine presence and ability as well as her good taste commending her no doubt for this duty. In 1899 and 1900 she taught in No. 12, Egremont, and as has been said, only in January last succeeded Miss Large in her home school.
Miss Scott was a talented member of her profession, as we are sure Insp. Campbell and those best able to judge will testify; she was a public spirited young woman as hundreds, perhaps thousands in S. Grey well know, having listened with delight to her platform contributions to many gatherings of all kinds; she was a well loved member of her home, and a devoted member of the Methodist church, and thus it is that the sudden death of this bright and winning personality has called forth such wide-spread expressions of sorrow and regret.
On Monday, a large gathering followed her remains from her father's home to the Methodist church, where her pastor, Rev. Wray Smith, preached the funeral sermon to a densely crowded church. Rev. Mr. Farquharson assisted in the service. The text was from Solomon's Song 8: 2 and the leading thought of an appropriate discourse was that she had been "gathered" as one of the brightest of the "lilies" in the "garden". It was a touching tribute to her character to find in that congregation many friends from Newmarket, Porton and Egremont, who felt her loss almost as personal one. She has her monument in the hearts of many.
WM. GORSLINE.

REFORM CONVENTION.

As announced by press and poster, the Reformers of S. Grey are called in Convention on Wednesday next to elect officers and bring out a candidate who will represent the Riding in the Reform interest at the next election.
We haven't an idea who may be chosen, but have no doubt the wisdom of the Convention will, amongst the material available, make a selection that will do credit to themselves and the constituency. Never in the history of the Province had we a government more active and alive to provincial interests than is the Ross government, and we hope that South Grey may recognize this by selecting, supporting and electing a representative who will be in hearty accord with them.
The legislature has been in session only 3 weeks, but the estimates and the budget have been presented and declarations of policy have been made on several lines, notably, land grants in New Ontario for S. African and Fenian raid volunteers, Assessment reform, best root sugar bounties, aid to dressed meat industry, &c., and a ringing suggestion has been made that Ontario should build and own a railway to the new northern districts thus cementing the newer and older settled portions.
The Ross government is a business government, a lively government, and deserves hearty support from S. Grey.
Every Liberal in the Riding should attend the Convention on Wednesday next, March 6th.

RECOVERED AT 104

Under the above heading the Toronto World of recent date has the following item the subject of which is an uncle of Mr. Thos. McGirr, near Durham. Mr. White, last year dug and picked his own potatoes and in many ways shows an astonishing vitality for a man who was born in the far gone year of 1797. He comes of a long-lived race however, his mother having died in her 105th year, while his sister, Mr. McGirr's mother died at 98. The following is the item:
"Mr. White of Kienburg, the oldest inhabitant of Vaughan and probably the oldest resident in York Co. has recovered from a stroke of paralysis he was afflicted with shortly before Christmas. Mr. White is now able to be out again at the advanced age of 104 years."
E. W. Howe
This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

SALE REGISTER.

Auctioneer Dugald McPhail will sell for Colin Lament Lot 27, Con. 22, Egremont, on Friday, March 8, a valuable lot of Farm Stock, Implements and Household Furniture. Terms 12 mos. credit, 7 per cent discount.
Auctioneer Hugh MacKay will sell for Hugh McLellan, Lot 27, Con. 2, N. D. R. Glenelg, on Friday, March 1, some valuable horses and other farm stock and implements. Terms 11 mo. per cent discount.
Wednesday, March 13.—Farm Stock, Implements and Household Furniture at Lot 18, Con. 1, W. G. R. Bentinck. Sale at one o'clock, 10 mos. credit, 7 per cent discount for cash. Mrs. Leslie, Prop. Hugh MacKay, Auctioneer.

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MERCHANT TAILORS COMING.
Lewis Bros. of Mt. Forest, are preparing to open a Merchant tailoring business in Durham on March 1st.
Mr. A. E. Lewis, who will be manager has had an excellent experience in high class tailoring in Toronto and other centres of fashion and will be prepared to give the good dressers of the town and vicinity work that will please their most refined taste and requirement.
The stock will be complete in style, quality, and quantity. Please give us your kind and favorable consideration.
LEWIS BROS.
New Grocery Store.
The undersigned has opened out in his new building in Lower Town, (next door to C. McKinnon) full lines of FLOUR, FEED, GROCERIES, &c.
Nothing Stale. Everything New and up-to-date and he cordially invites a trial.
Cash or Farmers' Produce.
GEO. LAWRENCE.
When a man admits that he was wrong, he still reserves the right to claim that he wasn't to blame.
Mr. W. L. Dixon, left on Tuesday for and will be present at Guelph during most of the week attending the meetings and exhibits of the Dominion Breeders and Fat Stock Association. He shipped one thoroughbred beast on Monday evening to be entered in a list for sale at this first Annual Provincial Auction Sale. We trust his enterprise may be rewarded.

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