

SPRING.

The Queen stands at the gate,
The Queen of spring,
And seems to hesitate
To come and bring
Her birds and flowers and bees,

Hymeneal. Somerville-Hunter.

[We extract from the Minneapolis Times the subjoined notice of the marriage of Miss Blanche Hunter which took place there on April 30. We beg to extend loyal and joyous greetings to the happy young couple, on behalf of many Durham friends.—Ed.]

Impressive in its simplicity and so leniently was the marriage of Miss Blanche Hunter, daughter of Mrs. Jas. Hill Hunter of Durham, Can., to Lorne Macnider Somerville, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Somerville, Toronto, Can., which took place at 4 o'clock yesterday in St. Mark's church.

Only relatives were present at the service which was read by Rev. T. W. McLain. The surplice choir sang the bridal chorus from Lohengrin as the bride walked to the altar led by her eldest brother, Jas. A. Hunter of Durham. After the benediction and as the bridal couple left the church the full choir sang the bridal chants.

Miss Evelyn Somerville of Toronto, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor and wore a frock of white organdie fashioned with lace and a sash of white satin. A wreath of white roses was arranged in her hair and she carried a bouquet of white roses. Harry A. Hunter, brother of the bride, was best man.

Miss Hunter's wedding gown was beautifully fashioned of white chiffon made over Duchesse lace and trimmed with rose point lace. The full veil fell to the hem of the long train and was held to the coiffure by an orange blossom wreath, which had been worn by the bride's mother on her wedding day. Fragrant lilies of the valley were the bridal bouquet and her jewels were a large necklace of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

The church was handsomely decorated with white lilies, palms and spirea.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Berkeley hotel, the residence of Harry A. Hunter. The rooms were decked with masses of flowers and foliage. Mr. and Mrs. Somerville received, assisted by Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Somerville, James A. Hunter, Harry A. Hunter and Lieutenant Fraser F. Hunter of the First Bombay Lancers, Poona, India, who is home on a years furlough, and who was stationed with his regiment in China during the Chinese war.

Mrs. Hunter wore a modish costume of black silk net over white silk trimmed with black velvet and a yoke of crown Venetian lace. Bows of cerise velvet gave bright touches to the stylish gown. Mrs. Somerville was dressed in pale blue voile with broad girde of white satin and trimmings of satin on skirt and bodice. A bolero of Venetian Point was worn and the hat was of white with pink roses. She carried a bouquet of La France roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Somerville left in the evening for Chicago. They will receive at Athlery, Toronto, May 15 and 16. Mr. Somerville is a prominent young banker in Toronto and was lieutenant in the Forty-eight Highlanders.

Mrs. Hunter and her daughter have been spending the past two months with Mr. Hunter in Minneapolis.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kinnee, visited friends in Minto, for a couple of days.

Mr. Russell Brown and Will Younger, of Chesley, were the guests of friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Wilson, Flesher, ton, were guests lately of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McClocklin.

Mrs. McCarty, from Chicago, was visiting her brother and sister Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McClocklin.

Miss Kate McDougall, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Boone of London, returned home last week.

Messrs E. Kinnee and Arch McDougall, took a pleasant drive to Mr. Robert Webber's one evening last week.

Miss McKinnon, of Chesley, returned home on Wednesday after a few days visit with her sister Mrs. John Black.

Mrs. Lauder and daughter Lizzie after an extended visit with friends and relations in Peoria, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker, from Toronto, were visiting at E. T. McClocklin's the past week. Mrs. Walker was Miss Hcare who was married 2 weeks ago.

Mr. Jas. A. Hunter came home from Minneapolis Saturday afternoon, where he had been attending the marriage of his sister as we announced last week.

Mr. Peter Watson and family moved last week from their old home in N. Egremont into their new residence lately purchased from the Misses Anderson. We welcome them heartily to town.

Messrs Alex. and Allen Bell have made engagements with C. McKinnon and Barclay and Noble respectively. Being both young men of good character and energetic they will be to sure succeed.

treasurer to the municipality, and where such balance is deposited; if no bank act is kept, they should count the cash to see that it is correct.

10. If any source of revenue has ceased to exist, or if less payment has been made on any special assessment, the auditors should make a report to that effect.

11. It is very important that the auditors should make themselves familiar with the by-laws of the municipality and it is incumbent on them to make a special report of any payment made contrary to law.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. McEACHERN,
March 20, 02.

The Montreal Witness on an article referring to exploded Boer changes of inhumanity against the British says: "History will pronounce this the most humane war ever fought. The fact that Gen. Delarey's complaints are even considered would seem to imply that men are getting too civilized not only to kill but even to be unkind to one another. When your enemy criticizes the quality of the pea soup with which you are regaling his wife and family, and all Europe listens and sympathizes, war has come so near to comic opera that it ought to expire in ridicule. It gives us hope that in the next war bullets will be 'barred,' the lance and bayonet abolished on account of the painful wounds they make with thrusting and slashing. A nation that acquits a Kritzingger and shoots some of its own officers for cruelty, feeds its enemies' families, and is willing to lend them money to restock their farms as soon as they consent to stop fighting, can maintain its equanimity when accused of inhumanity."

A Fine Issue.

The May number of The Delineator is the third of the great Spring issues in both fashion and literary features and is the most notable of the season. With the many artistic designs for garments for late Spring wear come advance Summer fashions from the hands of eminent designers, and in attractiveness these styles have probably never been surpassed. An article of especial interest at this season is on graduation dresses. The chief literary contribution is The Educational Value of Some Recent Plays, written by Norman Hapgood, the celebrated critic, and splendidly illustrated. Dr. Elliott's recollections of the child Patti, at the time of her first benefit, make one of the most delightful papers in the series of Notable Women; and in a different vein Clara E. Laughlin tells the story of the gifted Shelley's unfortunate marriage and its results. Two very pictorial as well as practical subjects are Animal Photography, in which some most interesting records of animal life are presented directly from nature and Basket Ball, in the series of Athletics for Women, the fine pictures being made from photographs from pictures taken during the play. For the children Lina Beard introduces some new and interesting Pastimes. The fiction, The Hand of Providence, by Luellen Teters, and The Journey of Hunting Hill, by Harriet Riddle Davis, both of which are beautifully illustrated.

IMPORTANT TO MUNICIPAL AUDITORS.

The following recommendation form part of the report of the Provincial Auditor, re "Glencelg Accounts. They are applicable to all municipalities, and should be made study of. Councils, if these rules are to be followed, will have to make a larger appropriation for Auditors' fees: "The following important duties should be performed by your auditors, and your Council should see that they are carried out.

1. Compare Asst. Rolls with Collectors' Rolls to see that the assessed values on which rates are levied are correctly entered.

2. Compare School Section entries with School Section map, and check valuations on which school rates have been levied.

3. Check all entries and additions on the rolls.

4. Verify the correctness of all rates and taxes levied by by-laws, proceedings of council, Engineers' drainage awards and certificates, Statute Labor lists, fence viewer's awards, County Treasurer's Accts., School Trustees' Requisitions or other authority.

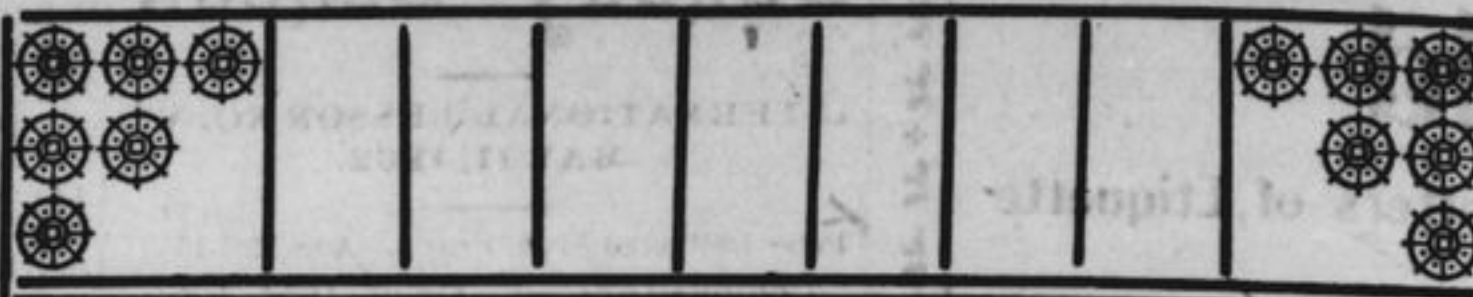
5. The collector's account with the Treasurer should be examined, and also settlement of roll, which should be verified under oath and in accordance with Sections 147 and 148 of the Assessment Act.

6. Every stub of the Treasurer's receipt book, and every voucher, document or roll audited should be properly stamped as required by the act of 1898.

7. The treasurer's vouchers should be carefully examined to see that each payment was authorized by proper authority, and that a proper receipt is attached.

8. The auditors should refer to the condition of the Treasurer's security and also to the insurance on Corporation property.

9. The auditors should show what cash balance, if any, is due from



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This week we offer you a few very Special Bargains. Some of these Goods are good value at double the price we ask, but they are short lines or what we call left overs and they must go the way all such Goods go at this Store viz: out the door and out of the way of Newer Goods.

HATS

A Large Assortment Men's Fedora Hats, Reg. \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00 Hats. Your choice... 50c ea. Men's \$2.50 Fedoras at... \$1.00 ea. Men's 50c Peak Caps... 25c ea. Boys' 30c Peak Caps... 15c ea.



DISHES

10 piece Bed Room Set, Nice Pattern Reg. \$2.25 for... \$1.95 Handsome Real China Tea Sets... \$10.00 BERRY BOWLS, GLASS SETS, SALAD BOWLS, &c.

THE SLATER SHOE SOLD ONLY HERE IS FOR MEN \$3.50 & \$5.00 pr.

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Extra Special Clean up Sale of Men's Suits. Just take one look in and see our Bargain Lot of Suits from \$3.00 a suit up.

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CLIMAX, No. 78 Canadian Blood Horse Stud Book. SEASON—1902. Will be for service at his home, Lot 25, Con. 17, Egremont, (near Sackett's Corners) at the following rock bottom prices:

To insure a mare with foal, \$4.00, payable in February. Single service \$2.00 cash. Insured mares must be returned regularly, or they will be charged for whether with foal or not. Any person disposing of their mares before foaling time must pay full insurance whether with foal or not. All accidents to mare at owners' risk.

Parties wishing to leave their mares can have pasture, water and attend- at the rate of \$1.00 per month.

GEORGE L. HAW, Prop. & Manager.

LORD ROBERTS

(1209) (3187) VOL 12. C. S. B.

The above fine Clyde Horse will be for service season 1902, at places and dates named below.

MONDAY, May 5th, will leave his own stable and proceed to John Eckhardt's for noon and to James Main's for night.

TUESDAY, to Reis Hotel, Durham, or noon and to William Ritchie's, near Edge Hill, for night.

WEDNESDAY, by Glenroaden to John McKechnie's 10th con., Glencelg, for noon, to Joseph Boyle's for night.

THURSDAY, by Traverston to John McNally's, 6th con., Glencelg for noon, to D. Harrow's, Armesia, for night.

FRIDAY, to James Hills, Orange Valley, for noon and Munshaw's Hotel, Flesherston, for night.

SATURDAY, will proceed to his own stable where he will stay until the following Monday.

JAS. PATON, Prop.

Swinton Park.

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It's just what he wants and just what we have for him, a watch that will keep time, a watch of which he'll be proud, a watch that won't bankrupt you in the buying. Watches, too, for older boys, their wives, their daughters, their employees, their friends. Watches put in order and kept in repair.

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Live Stock Market

The receipts at the Toronto Cattle Market were very large this morning, and there was another drop in the prices, this time involving both the export cattle and the butchers' cattle. There was an easier feeling in sheep and lambs, which resulted in a decline of 50c per cwt in lambs.

Export Cattle—Were easier and sold at a decline of 10c per cwt. Choice cattle were fairly strong, but sold no higher than from \$5.50 to \$6.25 per cwt; medium ones were selling at \$4 to \$5.20 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle—Were easier, selling at \$5.40 to \$5.65 per cwt for picked lots and \$4.50 to \$5.40 per cwt for choice ones; common to fair ones brought \$4 to \$5 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers—Were steady, selling at \$4 to \$5 per cwt for short-keep feeders and \$4 to \$4.25 per cwt for heavy stockers.

Sheep—Were steady, but were difficult to sell, as there was a great many offered and the demand was not very strong. They sold at \$4 to \$4.50 for export ewes.

Lambs—Were easier, selling at \$5 to \$6 per cwt for yearlings and \$2 to \$5 each for spring lambs. There were a number of sheep and lambs left over.

Calves—Were steady, selling at \$2 to \$3 each.

Hogs—Were steady, selling at \$6.75 per cwt for choice ones and \$6.50 per cwt for lights and fats.

Massey-Harris Show Room West of the Middaugh House.

Buggies and Carriages of all kinds from Canada Carriage Co., Brockville.

Bicycles and Bicycle Sundries, also Repairing done promptly.

Harness both Single and Double complete with Collars.

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C. MCKINNON.

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Butter and Eggs wanted, for which the highest prices will be paid.

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DURHAM MARKETS.

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SHORTHORN BULLS FOR SALE. Four young bulls from 12 to 20 months old, two reds and two roans—choice breeding. H. PARKER, Durham.