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DELAYED PAPER.

Our readers will have met with disappointment this week in the failure of the REVIEW to reach them as usual. The trouble lies with the Railway Co., who have somehow with congested traffic and bad roads failed to bring our usual weekly supply; need we say how provoking this is to us, and in Christmas week too? We shall try to prevent this in future.

TOWN TOPICS

Money to Loan at 4 1/2 per cent.
MACKAY & DUNN Durham.
The Treasurer's Statements of the town finances are in the hands of Clerk Vollet.

Highest Cash Price paid for Mink, Fox, Skunk, Coon and all kinds of raw furs at Peel, the Shoeman's store.

ALL PASSENGERS.—Insp. Campbell returned from Owen Sound, Wednesday. All the Durham Modelities have been successful.

REMOVED.—Dr. Hutton has removed his office and residence to corner of Garafaxa and George Sts., at foot of hill, known as the old Moody property.

FOR SALE.—Two Durham Bulls, Pedigreed. One Roan, 9 mos. old. One Red, 17 mos. old. Will be sold cheap. Apply to T. G. Morrison, Rocky Saugene, P. O.

A number of wedding and other rings, a few watches, some silverware and jewellery still left of the late W. A. Carlson's Stock. At the Drug Store.

We have now sent out the REVIEW Holiday Numbers to those entitled to them by paying their subscription one year in advance. Renew now and secure one as the supply is limited.

Dr. Geo. S. Burt, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be at the Midland House, on Saturday, January 2, Glasses accurately fitted at regular official prices. Hours, 10 to 6 p. m.

The Public Library Concert in Pricerville on Monday night was a great success and the management have decided to repeat it Friday evening of this week, with new programme and attractions.

Much sympathy is felt for the Cudrt family, South Glenelg, over a second bereavement in the family in a brief period. A son and daughter died on the way home under distressing circumstances and is to-day, Wednesday, being buried.

The Aberdeen Concert Co., who de-lighted every one last fall with fine music and views will again give a similar entertainment in the Town Hall, Jan. 28th next, in aid of the Public Library. Look out for further announcement.

FRATERNAL VENISON.—The brethren of Ben Nevis Camp at their meeting on Friday were agreeably surprised to find their toothsome repast of venison, &c., awaited them at the close of the meeting. It was furnished by Bro. Shirley McIntyre as a reminder of his recent hunting trip, and was very much appreciated by his brethren.

THE REFORM CONVENTION.

The Cloak of Dr. Landerkin falls on H. H. Miller.

Thursday last was the seventh day of an unusual snow storm, and in the morning it was feared that the roads would hinder so many that a postponement of the Convention might be necessary. However by noon it was seen that it must go on for no fewer than 117 delegates were on hand out of a possible 121. The Town Hall (upstairs) was filled by an enthusiastic crowd of Reformers, and the spirit evinced was most gratifying. On every hand it was felt that the enthusiasm that could bring so many out under such conditions, was the kind that meant victory in a contest.

The address of the retiring President, Mr. H. H. Miller was a model of his kind. He glanced backward over the history of the Liberal party and recounted some of their achievements in legislation; efforts in the relation of the colonies to the Empire; referred to the influence we now felt as to reciprocity with our neighbors, owing to the growing spirit of nationhood, and believed the destiny of Canada was to be found in closer aggressive work with it to do; the bringing in of Newfoundland, the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific, &c. He made eloquent reference to Premier Laurier and his colleagues in their work of empire building.

Turning his view locally he believed South Grey could be won and appealed for unity and harmony and the besting of our strength to meet our opponents. By no means defending corruption, he denounced the making of it a campaign cry as the Conservative leaders were doing, on fallacious grounds.

He made in closing a touching reference to the death of Senator Landerkin and at his suggestion a committee was appointed to draft an appropriate resolution, which closed by resigning his position as President.

The election of officers resulted as follows: J. P. Telford, President; D. McKinnon, 1st Vice Pres.; Dugald MacKinnon, Sullivan, 2nd Vice Pres.; C. Ramage, Secy-Treas.

The thanks of the Association were pledged to Mr. Miller and he acknowledged appropriately.

Messrs. Walter Hastie and Geo. Blinzie were appointed scrutineers for the counting of the vote. Eleven prominent Reformers were nominated for the position of candidate at the approach of elections but all retired gracefully except Dr. Landerkin, who was declared elected by the President on the report of the Scrutineers. The former at once and very tactfully and gracefully moved that the nomination be made unanimous, which was done amid loud applause.

The candidate elect acknowledged the honor in a brief speech, thanking them for placing on him the cloak of Dr. Landerkin for whom he had given his first vote and continuously supported by vote and influence ever since. He looked forward with confidence to a campaign with earnest workers supporting an able and progressive government, and promised to do all that one man could do to put South Grey again in the Liberal ranks.

A resolution of confidence in the Ross government, and protest at the unwarranted slanders spread about it was heartily passed, and the Convention adjourned, Pres. Telford leading in "God Save the King."

Notes.
Mr. Miller, of whom we shall have more to say later on, was warmly congratulated by the delegates and others, and even those who had supported his doughty opponent, Dr. McEwen, came forward and wished him success, freely promising cordial support. Since then we are informed he has been receiving assurances from many quarters of whole-souled support.

Regret was expressed that the storm had hindered over half of the Sullivan delegates, but the contingent of 7 was warmly welcomed.

APPRECIATED.—Friday afternoon last the High School pupils made an informal concert during the pleasantries of which an address and presentation was made to Mr. Sheppard, the Model assistant for the term, as a memento of the pleasant association of the last 4 months. The articles were a travelling case and a set of Browning's poems. Mr. Sheppard has endeared himself to his pupils both by his disposition and ability and has made many friends during his stay here. He has secured the Principalship of Midway Public School for 1904.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Before this reaches many of our readers the Christmas season will be over. All the same the good wishes of the time are not confined to a day and we wish all our readers, a joyous and happy season, a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE BY-LAW.

Our town readers will have noticed that on January 4th next they will be asked to vote on a by-law to meet the total cost of the new bridge. There can be no question about this by-law every ratepayer sees the value we have got, and though costing more than at first expected the only course open is to vote FOR on the by-law. It is well to remember that unless this by-law is carried by the lawful majority the council of 1904 has no option but to raise the whole amount in one year.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE OF BRAND NEW GOODS.

Saturday, December 26, 1903, the following Stock, Implements, Household Furniture and other articles, will be sold by public auction at the Knapp House, Durham:—2 Armsong Cutters, 2 Palmerston Cutters, 3 Sets single driving harness, 3 Wheelbarrows, 1 Rubber interlined robe, 4 Cutter and Buggy Rags, 1 Pulper, 1 Boss Washing machine, 1 Bonnie Washing machine, 1 Cook Stove, Parlor heating stove, 2 Post hole diggers, Set heavy Whiffletrees, Set farm trucks, Snowball maker, Mower, Maxwell make; Washing Machine, Parlor heating stove, nearly new; Mare, 7 years old, 2 Cutting Boxes, and other articles. Everything must be left from other sales. Sale to commence at two o'clock sharp on time for short cash. Terms—All sums of \$5 and under credit on approved joint notes, 6 per cent per annum off for cash in lieu of notes. The Mower will be sold on two payments.

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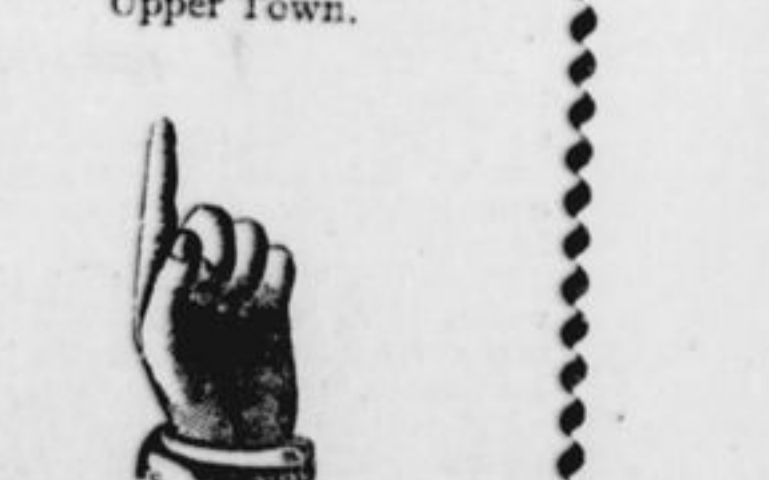
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