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The Tie-up ON THE RAILWAY

Is causing a good deal of delay in the delivery of some lines of Groceries and Spring Goods we would like to place before you, but our shelves are crowded with Goods suitable for the weather—

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| Dress Goods | Wool Blankets |
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JAMES IRELAND

GOOD ROADS

Are all that is necessary to show people from far and near, what our policy is, in reducing goods early in the season.

We mention a few specials for this week:

- 11 Nice Ladies' \$3.00 Muffs.....50c, 75c, and \$1.00
- 3 only Ladies' 2.50 Collars.....75c

Ladies' Silk Collars worth from 50c to \$1.00.....now only 39c

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Hundreds of other articles marked away down to clear. Everything exactly as advertised.

H. H. MOCKLER.

TOWN TOPICS

Marched in like a lion. Wish'd would stop thawin'. Always gets worse after it. Spring has its work cut out for it this time all right, says the philosopher.

Money to Loan at 4½ per cent. MACKAY & DUNN, Durham. Found, in Town Hall, after concert, a watch-chain pendant. This office. We have lines of exceptional value and respectfully ask an inspection—McIntyre, The Grocer.

Mr. R. Burnet has moved into his new quarters next to Nichol's new tailors shop and both are preparing for new business.

BOUGHT HAYWARD'S FALLS.—Mr. Orr Minnis, Markdale, has bought the Falls, and intends to develop power. He was in Durham, Thursday, and his enterprise may extend this way.

CLOSED DOWN.—The factory has closed for a week or two owing to want of storage room and the impossibility of shipping out. This is the wild winter is hurting all industries and all classes.

C. O. F.—We beg to acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Annual Banquet of the Local Court, here on Friday of this week in the Knapp House. The brethren have always something good.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the Presbyterian Church, Rocky Mudgeon, on 1st Sabbath in March, Preparatory Services on Friday, 2.30 p. m., and Saturday 11 a. m. Sunday service at 11 a. m.

Mr. Calder, who lately purchased the bakery from the Hinds' bros., has sold out this week to Mr. Watson, at one time of Priceville and who comes with 20 year's experience and intends to stay. He makes his bow to our readers in this issue.

45-YR. OLD'S LETTER.—The Toronto "News" has a "Girls and Boys" department and among the letters from juvenile contributors is a fac simile of one from Geneva Patterson, age 5 yrs, daughter of Samuel Patterson, S. S. No. 12, Egremont.

Good mixed Candies, only 7c per lb, at McIntyre's, The Grocer.

PROPERTY SOLD.—Mayor Hunter has bought the residue of the Stewart property extending east to Aljos's blacksmith shop, and has thus possession of some fine building lots. Evidently he has faith in the future of our town and in the success of our industries.

GUILD SOCIAL.—One of the four social evenings of the Guild during the year will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening of this week. This is to be a "National Evening" and a pleasant time is assured and instructive as well for careful preparation is being made.

THE CONCERT TALENT.—Miss Mae Dickenson, Mr. Fax, Mr. Beaton and Master Gardiner, are guests of the Grand Trunk Railway at the Middaugh House this week, while the blockade lasts. They are deeply appreciative of the courtesy of the company in providing entertainment and are taking the situation very philosophically, and enjoying themselves.

THE LATE NOAH WENGER.—To-day, Wednesday, the remains of the above gentleman are being interred in Aytoun. He with his brother Aaron, are well and widely known as a business firm. The deceased was a most capable business man, and Aytoun and the township will feel his loss. The sympathy of a wide circle will be extended to wife and family. We have not learned the cause of death.

POSTPONED TILL MARCH 10.—The Geographical Social which was to have been held in the School Room of the Methodist Church by the members of the Young People's League on Monday evening was postponed on account of the severe storm. It will be held on the evening of Thursday, March 10th. A cordial invitation is extended by the committee to the young people of the town. A good programme has been provided consisting of instrumental music by the Orchestra; Vocal music by local talent consisting of Quartettes, Duets, Solos, &c., and several other unique, amusing and interesting features. Silver collection at the door.

DIED IN REVELSTOKE, B. C. The Revelstoke Herald of Feb. 18th has the following notice of the late Mrs. Smith, formerly of Nornaby: "After a severe illness of some weeks duration Mrs. Wm. Smith passed away on Friday morning last at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. John Lawson. The late Mrs. Smith was born on June 11th, 1834, in Invernesshire, Scotland, and came to Canada with her parents in 1842, settling near Ballinacraig in the county of Halton, Ont., where she resided until after her marriage when she moved to near Durham in the county of Grey, Ont., where she lived until a few years ago when she came to British Columbia to join her children. The deceased lady leaves three daughters and two sons to mourn her loss, Miss Maggie Smith, Mrs. John Lawson, Miss Annie Smith and Messrs. William Smith, of Brandon, Man., and Alexander of Kelowna. The deceased was highly esteemed and greatly beloved by all who knew her for her christian and loving spirit. The sympathy of the many friends here as well as in other parts of the Dominion will be for the late Mrs. Smith was known and esteemed in their hour of affliction. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist Church and thence to the cemetery."

We have wasted a day for our paper supply but even express must bow to the storm. We forward the home pages.

WINTER'S WORST. All Tied Up Again.

The struggle of the railways with the forces of nature is altogether unprecedented, and were this year's experience common some new device of track, or for clearing the track, would be necessary, indeed is now necessary, so much of the comforts of life depend on the regularity of transportation facilities.

Last week no train got in before Saturday and three engines and a snow plough were derailed during the week. A sleighload of mail matter from Palmerston got in Saturday bringing a week's mail. Sunday was fine, but during the night it blew again and the train, which started out hopefully, got to Holstein and had to return. Monday afternoon there raged from the east the worst blizzard of the season and by Tuesday morning all roads were blocked, even the G. T. R. main line as far west as London.

Since then the slow process of digging out has been going on—for snow-ploughs went work in the deep cuts. Another thaw set in Wednesday, but suddenly changed this, Thursday, morning to another blizzard from the west, which threatens to undo all the work of the shovellers. No train can get here to-day and we will likely again be depending on horse and sleigh for our weekly mail. The snowplough has got through from Guelph to Palmerston.

THE WAR.

Latest advices showed Japan actively engaged in mysteriously making demonstrations in the neighborhood of both Port Arthur and Vladivostok. She is pushing the war on land also landing thousands of troops in Korea, whose friendship and sympathy she has, as well as that of Manchuria.

The Russians are feverishly aiming to stave off all encounters till more troops and spring arrive, but Japan is "carrying the war into Asia" with all her strength. She seems to be aiming to cut off both Port Arthur and Vladivostok and may succeed.

Put guntlet found. This office.

Good sound Potatoes for sale—at McIntyre's, The Grocer.

FOR STOCK BREEDERS.—The first Annual Meeting of the National Stock Breeder's Association is to be held in the City Hall, Ottawa, March 7th to 12th inclusive. For further information apply to F. W. HOBSON, Ottawa.

Honor Roll of Hutton Hill School for Feb., 1904. Class 5th—Alice Lawrence, Elsie Petty, Dollie Hopkins, Mary Morton, 4th—Fred Mountain, Maggie Petty, Della Vollett, John A. Lawrence, Will Morice, Selma Hopkins, 3rd—Chas B. Lawrence, Earle Vollett, Gertie Morice, John Petty, Sr 2nd—Willie Wells, Albert Webber, Rebecca Groen, Florence Mountain, Jr 2nd—Robert Guff, Arthur Morice, Jr 2nd (a)—Bessie Webber, Jr 2nd (b)—Leda May Vollett, Maggie Mountain, Jenn Pinken, Sr Pt 2nd—Leslie Morice, Jr Pt 2nd (a)—Willie Langrill, Herb Noble, Nina Noble, Jr Pt 2nd (b)—Edward J. Hutton.

JOHN A. GRAHAM, Teacher.

SALE REGISTER.

[A notice similar to the following is given free to parties having bills printed at this office.—Ed.]

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 16.—John Laughlin, Lot 16, Con 20, Egremont, (1½ miles north of Dromore,) offers for sale Farm Stock and Implements, and a quantity of Hay, 11 months' credit, 5 per cent per annum discount.

D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9.—Jno. Nelson, Lots 1 of 17 and 18, Con 3, W. G. R., Bentinck, offers for sale, Farm Stock, Implements and Household Furniture, 10 months' credit, 5 per cent per annum discount. Also 2 stacks of Hay and a quantity of turnips for cash.

ROBT. BRIGHAM, Auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25.—Alf. Hincks, Lot 18, Con 2, S. D. R., Glenelg, offers for sale, Farm Stock, Implements, &c., 12 months' credit, 5 per cent discount.

D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer. See posters for particulars.

NOTICE.

Estate Rev. A. Stewart, Deceased, Durham, Ont.

Any person having a claim against the above Estate, will render the account of the same without delay.

W. K. GRAFFETY, Executor. Address—279 Seignory, Montreal.

PURE BRED DURHAM'S FOR SALE.

Young Bulls, Heifers and Cows—easy Verschoyle (Imported) at head of Herd.

H. PARKER, Durham.

SONS OF SCOTI AND CONCERT. A Great Success.

This event, postponed from Jan. 28 and 29, to Thursday and Friday of last week, was at last held on Friday and Saturday. The committee had several anxious days owing to the breakdown and blockade of our own line, and on Thursday morning the prospect looked very uninviting. Miss Dickenson and Jimmie Gardiner met at the Station in Toronto and decided bravely to go forward, although the agent would not sell a ticket to Durham. At Parkdale they were joined by Major Beaton, and the trio got as far as Acton and the snow which stopped them. All this time and up to 4 p. m., the committee were in ignorance of their whereabouts. A telegram from Mr. Davidson showed that he was stuck at St. Mary's, and had to return. Shortly after 4, Major Beaton telephoned, and immediately after Mr. Fax from Guelph who was waiting on them there. Mr. Fax knew the Durham line was blocked, but was confident they would get through. The committee were then free and at once announced the concert a day later. The train reached Hanover about 2 a. m., Friday, drove to Durham in the forenoon, and to-day, Thursday, are here yet.

Of the concert itself there could be much said. The committee are no doubt gratified that the town and county cordially endorse their efforts to give a first-class concert, as was shown by the fact that the hall was filled both nights, and all seats reserved, and but for the unavoidable certainty and excruciating weather, both nights would not have been sufficient.

Mr. Fax, as is well known, is a host in himself; ever new and always innocent, his fine sense of humor never fails to commend him to his audience. He simply doesn't grow old nor stale, and the laughter and the life he puts into his work has a like effect upon his audience, who were exacting in their encores. He is popular all over Ontario and beyond it, and the storm this week cuts him off from three engagements.

Miss Dickenson, it is not too much to say, has captured Durham. It was known before she came that she was a Massey Hall favorite; now it is known why. Possessing a fine stage presence, a fine voice and beautiful articulation, it needs only her good taste to make an artist of the first rank. Her encores were hearty and spontaneous, and it would be difficult to say which was her best number. Her audience often, but notably in her soft "Cradle Song," were completely at her will, and there was at times an absolutely breathless silence in the crowded hall that was the highest compliment to her skill.

Pipe-Major Beaton is an old favorite in Durham, and in his hands the bagpipes "breath the true martial strain." There is a belief among certain—Non-highlanders—that the pipes should be out of doors, but we think there must be few who could not enjoy them to the full at the concert. The stately March, the lively reel, the wailing dirge all appeal directly to human sentiment. By request, Mr. Beaton played "Hector McDonald's lament," and it was much enjoyed.

Jimmie Gardiner's first appearance here has placed him high in popular estimation as one of the cleverest little dancers ever seen. His time is perfect, whether in "Fling" or "Hornpipe" or "Irish jig" and those who saw the "Sand Jig" on Saturday, say it alone was worth the admission fee. He will be warmly welcomed on his next visit.

Mr. J. S. Drysdale, our own local talented artist, sang some of the Standard Scottish gems, which never grow old. Both he and Mr. Fax kindly took an extra number each night to supply the loss by Mr. Davidson's absence. The committee, with the audience, greatly regret the absence, which was unavoidable, and hope at some future time to have with them the "sweet singer of Detroit."

Last, but not least, was Mrs. Newton, whose well known musical skill was never more evident. Seldom does a piano solo meet with such a companion as the rapturous encore she received both nights. Her accompanying too was noted by the artists as first class.

Dr. Jamieson and Rev. Mr. Farquharson were chairman and very happily conducted the meetings. But indeed this was not difficult for seldom if ever was seen better conducted audiences.

The committee felt grateful to the town council for being able to introduce the performers to the finely fitted platform, which gave great satisfaction. The proceeds amounted to over \$200 which met all expenses, even though these were very largely added to by the storms and postponements.

Mr. Fax's "Loch High Men," a parody on and to the tune of "Loch Lomond," was sung both nights and elicited great applause. The duets by Mr. Fax and Miss Dickenson made a pleasing variety, and the stories of the former were as usual quite pointed.

The piano, kindly supplied by Mr. McKinnon, was an excellent one.

The Seed Fair, and S-ed Exchange, under the auspices of the South Grey Farmers Institute will be held in Durham, Saturday, 5th March. Particulars on page 8. GEO. BINNIE, Secy.

KEELER'S BARGAIN WINDOW

Is the Talk of Town & Country.

This Saturday, March 5th, we are going to have the greatest Bargain window yet offered.

The Price for any article in the Window will be \$1.00.

And we guarantee every article in this window to be worth from \$1.75 to \$3.00.

Come early and get first choice as there will be a complete assortment of Solid Gold Rings, Jewelry, Silverware, Clocks and Fancy Goods.

Keeler's is the cheapest place in Grey County to buy your School Books and Supplies.

R. B. KEELER & SON
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Durham's NEW BAKER

The Public of Durham and neighborhood are respectfully informed that the undersigned has bought out the Wright Bakery, known as the "Durham Bakery," and intends by strict application to business, and good material, to warrant a share of the patronage.

The experience of 20 years leads me with confidence to solicit support. Satisfaction guaranteed.

A. W. Watson

ADVANCED

This extremely cold weather has been hard on fishing and prices have stiffened up considerably. Present Stock is exhausted, but we have some due here any day.

We quote you the following:

Lake Herring \$5.00
Lake Salmon 7.50

J. BURNETT,
Upper Town.

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Hotel and Farm Property on Durham Road, 7½ of Glenora 4 miles from Durham. Good Stock Farm containing 90½ acres. All well watered. Will be sold or rented between now and May 1st. Apply to GEO. RYAN, Durham, or at REVIEW OFFICE.