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BORN

YOUNG—At Hampden, on 29 January 1906, to Mr and Mrs Thos. Young, a son.

MARRIED

CURRIE—PROBERT—At the manse, Mt Forest, by the Rev W. G. Hanna, H. A. on Feb. 1st. Miss Bella V. Probert, of Mt Forest, to Mr Angus Currie, of Dakota formerly of Farewell.

DIED

MOORE—In Glenelg, on Friday 9th February, 1906. Jas. Moore, aged 72 years.
LAIDLAW—In Normansby, on 4 Feb., Mrs Thos. Laidlaw, (mother of Mrs Wm. Sharp) aged 79 years.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs McIlraith is quite ill at present, under the doctor's care.

Mrs Schultz, Cypress River, Man., is visiting at Mrs Ben Male's.

Miss Maggie Gadd left Monday to take a situation in Toronto.

Mr Mortimer, of Guelph, spent over Sunday at J. W. Crawford's.

Dr Jamieson went to Toronto this week on Parliamentary duties.

Miss Krauder, of Louise, visited town and Hutton Hill friends this week.

Miss Bice, near Ailsa Craig, is visiting her brother, Rev Mr Bice, at the rectory.

Mr and Mrs J. Swallow and children visited her parents near Crawford, last Thursday.

Mr Martin, assistant of Mr McIlraith, attended his sister's wedding in Arthur, last Wednesday.

Miss Grier, of Paisley, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs Meikle, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Orchard, of Holstein, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs Arthur McCleekin.

Miss Lizzie Brown, of Mt. Forest, was a guest of Miss S. R. J. McKinnon for a few days last week and this.

Miss Mathews, upper town, visited with her old neighbors, Messrs Andrew and Wm. Derby, Bentinck, over the week-end.

Mrs Carson, in Fergus hospital, has not been so well the past few days. Her daughter, Mrs Hopkin, visited with her the past week.

Mrs Edwin Hunt, Traverston, is a guest at Mr Jno. Hunt's at present. She has been quite unwell for some time owing to blood poisoning.

Mrs Malcolm Garceon, of N. Dak., who is visiting friends and relations in the vicinity was the guest of her friend, Miss Joo Cameron, lately.

Miss May Harris left Monday to attend the wholesale Millinery Opening in Toronto and will thence go on to Edmonton, where she has secured a position.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Turnbull, over 40 years resident in S. Bentinck, moved into town on Tuesday, last into the house they purchased recently in the old Aljoe block. We welcome them as citizens and trust they may spend many happy years amongst us.

Rev Mr Colling B. A. left for London Monday, to attend the 25th anniversary of Askin St Methodist church. Mr Colling was pastor of that charge and it was during his term that they built the beautiful edifice. The congregation intend honoring him by letting him burn the mortgage.

Ben Nevis Concert.

The eighth Annual Concert of the Sons of Scotland Camp here was a success. Every seat on the plan was sold, and a few chairs were placed in the aisles when the committee instructed Mr McFarlane to stop the sale. All the performers were on hand in time and concert went like clockwork. The committee had Mrs Newton engaged for accompanist, but to their regret the illness of a sister compelled her to give up the position. The committee found an able substitute in Miss Mae Dickenson, who in addition to her own unaccompanied the others and did it brilliantly.

Miss Dickenson was the bright star of the evening. Though she has sung in Durham three or four times no one thinks of her getting stale. By common consent it was conceded she eclipsed her with the old fashioned spinning wheel (secured at Mt Dan MacArthur's) was a delightful variation, but the old "Lullaby Song" which she sang by request was the best of the evening, for the tender strains, whispered yet distinct, held the hushed audience as if by a charm: a tribute to her magnetism, perfect articulation and skill in interpretation.

Mr J. Rhynd Jamieson was a new attraction here and has been singing with great acceptance in several places. He has a good voice, finely modulated, but it does not seem to have got the measure of the hall, and some good selections and was excused several times. His habit of glancing into a book while singing is a mannerism that detracts from an otherwise good stage presence.

Will McLeod confirmed his previous popularity as a refined humorist. His pieces were all new, except the one sung by request "Has anybody seen my brother Charlie," which is a mine of fun as is "Naming the Baby," a veritable storehouse of names of places and people now in the Boer War and applied by a fond mother as a name to her baby much to the perplexity of the clergyman who christened it. He was recalled every time and gave as one of his encores the "Sailor's Hornpipe" in a manner never equalled in Durham.

Piper McDonald and his clever dancing daughter, Mabel, gave a thoroughly Scotch flavor to the evening. Mabel in the Highland fling and Shewan Trews is hard to beat.

Miss Dickenson in her double capacity as singer and accompanist, appeared 23 times. No light feat.

The society has over \$20 on hand after paying expenses.

Chief Wm. Black made a good chairman and made an appropriate opening speech.

H. H. Miller, M. P. and his daughter were present from Hanover, and Dromore, Priceville and other places was represented.

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A Rousing Meeting.

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bough's hill. He attacked them for the promotion money they had received. He asserted they had given ample services as value in return, McLaughlin went further and said he would not do the same again for twice the recompense and gave instances where he had saved the Company thousands of dollars by action in Parliament and out of it.

Mr Cobbledeek's turn came. He complained of excessive wage account but had been dubbed a kicker. Didn't know what it cost to run the office but favored dismissing one chemist and draughtsman.

Mr Cline wished to correct an apparent error abroad that they had moved to remove the mill. Any shareholder could prevent that. 10% paid to Cowham for engineering he believed could be recovered, and discussions took place as to the part played by Stanhope, McCurdy and others in early days, which might make their ears ring.

Mr Ehrhardt gave the information that not one cent of the company's money had been paid for selling promoters' stock. Mr Calder in answer to the charge that Durham had not carried out its agreement showed plainly that "not one 5 cent piece of shareholders' money was paid for selling the stock agreed to be taken by Durham." Mr Withun willed and will likely be kept for another year. It was interesting to learn that Mr Withun was the man who recommended the \$6.00 a day man and expenses to examine rock propositions.

Mr Scott claimed that deception was practised in the early stages by both American and Canadian promoters. He recalled early hairy tales but admitted we had a first class mill. Would give Woods a big salary as manager to prove his report true.

Laidlaw, of Toronto, and others spoke on the Bell's lake proposition and the certainty of an eastern railway going through, and was inclined to think we should elect the old Board, a proposition that was met with a chorus of "no's." The beginning had been all wrong, but things were going better now and he had been amused at the penitential attitude of some members of the old Board.

THE ELECTION.
The great hour had come, nominations were put in and 22 names appeared on the black board of men willing to serve the Company as Directors. The busting of the ballot began, some "plumped" for favorites. All the old board stood and four of them have been returned. Durham was particularly pleased to see Mr McKechnie, near the head. While fighting alone at a Stratford meeting one of his colleagues remarked "McKechnie dies hard." The figures below show he is a lively corpse yet, and could spare a thousand of his votes to his fallen comrades and still be elected. Amongst the defeated are some really good men such as McKinnon, warden of Wellington, Robertson of Bradford, Colville, McNab and others.

Following is the list in order, with the vote, of the first seven forming the Board. Mr Hoyle was the darling of the meeting, a tribute to his ability as chairman and incisive reasoning in his arguments:

W. H. Hoyle, M.P.P. Cannington	8189
Gilbert McKechnie, Durham	5108
R. H. McWilliams, Owen Sound	4007
A. F. McLaren, M. P., Stratford	4195
Val. Ratz, M. P., Parkhill	3480
F. S. McKay, Woodstock	3438
C. W. Dyer, St. Thomas	3427

The asterisk shows the new men.

J. Cobbledeek, Exeter	3088
Alex McKinnon, Hillsburg	2851
J. W. Scott, Listowel	2833
Dr Colville, Orono	2458
Duncan McNab, Claremont	2808
A. McPherson, Longford Mills	2233
J. A. Cline, Stratford	1900
R. W. Robertson, Bradford	1475
Morrison Wilson, Woodstock	783
S. Trees, Toronto	677
W. A. Tooke, Fergus	405
A. E. Hodgert, Exeter	405
E. L. Gooli, Brantford	258
T. H. Everson, Oshawa	180
John Kay, Paris	108

Mr McWilliams, who has been elected President of the New Board, is a man of abounding energy with a lot of technical and general knowledge of cement plants. He is the largest shareholder in the company and as such has always been convinced that the Durham proposition was a good one both in the present and for the future if under sympathetic management. Mr Woods plainly declared that Durham mill has never yet had a test, the new President seems to feel the same, and we believe the new Board are determined to spend their energies in developing Durham mill and will certainly indulge in no whimsical schemes to move the big plant.

There can be no doubt the persistent cry of no man, and no commercial man, had the effect of running stock down in value. But for the persistent agitation of the Durham papers matters would have been worse yet; we were told that the proposal to move the mill was an invention of the Durham papers, a tissue of lies, etc. This would not go down with the meeting, for, ever would arise the ghost of that expenditure at Port Colborne, unexplainable on any other supposition than moving, and the Durham papers were vindicated. Their constant advice to shareholders not to sacrifice stock, has resulted in an immense saving to hundreds.

With the memory of this meeting in mind no Board in future will rely entirely on officials, nor will they allow any full control to open or close the mill when they choose.

More we could say, but space forbids. The situation is extremely satisfactory, and we congratulate the shareholders on the outcome.

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Baptist Anniversary Services.

Sunday and Monday last the Baptist community here passed another milestone in their progress being rewarded with fine weather, large congregations, and we trust liberal collections. The speaker of the occasion was Rev Jonathan O'Neil, of Paisley, an old Bentinck boy and always popular here from his forceful character and pulpit ability. His ministrations on Sunday were much appreciated and large congregations, especially in the evening, when church and schoolroom were filled, did not go away empty.

Monday evening a lecture was billed on "Lights and Shades of Married Life." It had been described as humorous but he disclaimed taking humor out of such a subject. It was given in a forceful, sledge hammer manner. The sanctity, the beauty, and the influence of a pure home life were dwelt upon. The false ideals that sometimes obtain between young men and young women, and the danger springing therefrom were shown up, much good advice to married and unmarried was given on a subject usually esteemed delicate, but handled by him with a propriety, directness and clearness there was no mistaking. Blows were given to the injustice society deals out between man and woman and also between woman and woman. The lecturer's earnestness was infectious. Rev. Mr. Farquharson complimented the lecturer and the audience on the rough-Lewn wisdom and worth of the lecture, and rejoiced at the success his Baptist friends were meeting with.

Some fine special music was given by the choir, including a well rendered duet by Mrs Newton and Miss Ada Browne.

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