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Our Christmas Goods were never so fine, our Prices never so low

We wish all our Customers and Friends a very Merry Christmas

The House of Quality **H. H. Mockler**

TOWN TOPICS

Keeler's Pumpkin contest is the talk of the town and country.

6c will buy \$1 worth of dolls and toys at MacFarlane's Drug Store.

A. H. Jackson is an Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Durham, Ont.

Special discount to Sunday Schools on books &c., for prizes at MacFarlane's.

Guess how many seeds in the pumpkin and win a handsome prize at Keeler's.

65c is worth \$1.00 at MacFarlane's Drug Store when buying Albums, dolls and toys.

NOTICE.—All accounts due me must be settled on or before December 24, 1908. Miss Dick.

\$1.55 brings you the Review and Weekly Globe from now to Jan. 1st, 1910. Let's have your name and order at once.

The editors and staff very cordially reciprocate the wishes of our correspondents for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

I. O. O. F.—A special meeting of Grey Lodge No. 100, I. O. F. will be held Tuesday evening, Dec 29th. Business of importance before the lodge. All members requested to be present.

Hanover's commodious new rink was opened on Monday evening by a high class Carnival. A number of sports from Durham were in attendance. We congratulate Mr Geo. McMurray who won second place in the open race.

WELL-KNOWN EDITOR DEAD.—We regret to hear the death of Mr Robert Munro, for 22 years editor and proprietor of the Port Elgin Times. He was one of the well-known men of Bruce Co., being public-spirited in both municipal and national life, and respected as a man of integrity of character, and of generous disposition. A widow and family of four sons and two daughters survive. Deceased was a cousin of Mr. J. A. Munro of town.

The Sun as a farm journal is written for the practical every day farmer. It is not filled with long essays or doubtful theories, but gives in plain, every day language, a host of helpful suggestions to tillers of the soil. In this particular the Sun is without an equal. You ought to read it regularly. When renewing for the REVIEW, order the Weekly Sun, the Farmer's business paper, both papers one year, only \$1.75.

NEW INDUSTRY.—Mayor Calder and Manger Cotton of the Furniture Factory were in Woodstock last week investigating the possibility of securing for Durham a new industry for the making of table casters, and numerous other small articles of iron. They have come home convinced that the proposition is a good one; the Woodstock people are neither loan nor bonus, but expect reasonable treatment as to taxes for a term of years. It is also expected that Durham will subscribe privately for a certain amount of stock, about \$1200, the sellers showing their faith in the enterprise by putting in \$10000. The old cream separator building could be utilized after a slight expenditure. It is expected from 25 to 40 hands would be employed and we hope it may be secured.

MODELLITES SUCCESSFUL.—Last week the result of the examination imposed on the Modellites was announced and all have been successful, from Durham at least. Judging by the long list of names in the dailies we think all of the five or six Model schools must have been equally successful. We congratulate teacher and pupils here. For almost two generations in Old Ontario may engage a successful Modelite till they have advertised twice in Toronto papers offering a certain salary for a second class teacher. The intention of the advisers of the Whitney government is evidently to make the graduates of the Model Schools a reserve force to be called upon in extremity, or an attempt to force all that are teacher-student inclined to go through the New Normal Schools. Truly the poor Modelite has fallen on evil times.

See Keeler's window for the great Pumpkin contest.

\$1 photos albums for 65c at MacFarlane's. See their stock.

A Song Service will be held in the Baptist Church next Sunday evening.

A. H. Jackson has a number of houses and vacant lots in Durham for sale.

NOTICE.—The 31st Regimental Band will serenade the citizens of Durham on New Year's Day.

TIES & POLES WANTED.—Hemlock, Cedar, Cherry, Elm. Apply to Jno. N. MURDOCK, Middaugh Block.

MacFarlane's have decided to clear out their stock of guaranteed Jewellery at half price. Every article is marked in plain figures.

Durham's first hockey match will be against their old lacrosse rivals, Hanover, in the new rink here New Year's night. With over a dozen good local players to select from, a strong team will be placed on the ice.

THE BUSY B'S.—Bean, of the Big 4, and his assistants are busy sending out Big Bouncing Bundles of Christmas Goods Bought at low prices. Buying is Bright Business at Bean's, The Big 4. Call and try.

C. O. F. OFFICERS.—At the Annual Meeting for the election of officers of Court Durham, No 446, Lodge C. O. F., held on the 18th inst., the following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: Chief Ranger—Jas. Lloyd, Vice Chief Ranger—Bert Willis, Rec. Sec.—Jas. Hepburn, Fin. Sec.—W. H. Bean, Treas.—W. Calder, Chaplain—Robert Stenhouse, Sr. Woodward—Rott McLean, Jr. Woodward—Ed Langdon, Sr Beadle—Jas. McAuley, Jr Beadle—Frank Lenahan, Auditor—J. H. Hunter.

BAPTIST CHRISTMAS TREE.—Under the auspices of the Baptist Sunday School, the Annual Christmas Tree will be held in the Church next Wednesday evening, December 30. A feature of the program will be a debate "Should Women Vote," which, it is hoped will not lead to a local agitation for women suffrage, by the same means as in the mother country. A good program of music and recitations is also being provided, including a cornet duet, by Messrs Geo. and Ernest Wright. Admission 10 cts. All welcome.

A MATRIMONIAL HARVEST.—The little archer, Dan Cupid has been exceedingly busy lately plying his shafts in and around town, and they have found lodging in the hearts of no fewer than nine young couples. These have decided to leave the ranks of single-blessedness. Of the town young people, Mr Thos. Cook and Miss Annie Colville, are to-morrow. Christmas eve, uniting heart and hand; Mr C. Ritchie and Miss C. Webber on Christmas Day, Mr W. Harding of Hamilton and Miss Ada Brown next Monday, Mr Thos. Cowan and Miss Dora Burnett on Tuesday, and Dr Howard Treeman and Miss Keeler at the opening of the new year. The Review extends heartiest congratulations to all; full write-ups of the happy events will appear in future issues.

RIVER JAM.—A serious thing is a river jam. For almost two generations a blockade of logs, brush, roots, &c has been forming on the Saugeen River near "the bend" just west of the town site and in the township of Bentinck. Complaints have been made from time to time that the obstruction was injuring property by flooding and naturally Bentinck township was appealed to. A moment's consideration however will show that the chief sinners must be Durham and Genelev from whose bounds must largely have come the detritus, so Bentinck while asking for tenders assumes no risk, but has them sent to the Provincial authorities who, we understand must assume the cost under some provision of the Rivers and Streams Acts. Quite a number of tenders have been sent in, no doubt varying considerably, for it is impossible to estimate the difficulties to be met with, nor the value of the timber which will be recovered. The result at writing date is unknown.

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In the Running for Municipal Honors

Monday next at noon, in the surrounding townships, Nominations for Reeves, Deputies and Councilors will take place at the usual points. In Durham the hour is 7.30 p. m. of the same day.

Mr Thos. McFadden in accordance with his statement last year is dropping out of the reeveship of Genelev, unless it should appear to be the wish of the electors to have an election by acclamation. This however is unlikely and the electors will probably be called upon to choose between two such good men as Archie McCuaig and Edwin W. Hunt for the Reeveship.

Nichol, Weir and McMillan, the old councillors will likely be in the field again with good chances of getting back. Mr John McNally is aiming to fill Hunt's place, and it is possible Mr Arrowsmith, an old servant of the township may be in the field for the reeveship.

Reeve Hastie of Egremont we have heard will have no opposition, and it is unlikely Dep. Reeve Ferguson will either, but it is rumored he is dropping out, which, if true will make an all-round race for the council.

In Notmanby we hear mentioned as likely to run Richard Barber, David Leith and Donald McElvride but there should be some agreement or all three may be defeated living so near to each other.

Bentinck is quiet, but there will be no acclamation. Mark Willis it is said will contest the reeveship with the present popular reeve and the old council will likely have opposition.

Interest has been added to the situation in Durham by the appearance of Mr Wm. Black as a candidate for the Mayoralty. Mr Black while lacking the experience of his opponent has good executive ability and his civic activity in connection with the establishment of the Horse Fair and other enterprises, has made him bulk large in the public eye. At least one member of the present council has expressed a desire to quit, and there seems to be no rush for these positions.

Dornoch Christmas Tree.

The Annual Christmas Tree entertainment of Latona Presbyterian Church was held on Tuesday evening and was, we may say as usual, a great success. The church was crowded and stable accommodation in sheds, hotel and private places proved almost inadequate.

Rev. Mr McDonald was in the chair and had a lengthy programme to present and the rendering of it reflected great credit on all concerned. There were songs, choruses and recitations by the school and others, and the home choir distinguished itself having well-organized and appropriate music. The mouth organ selections by Master Simpson and by Master Stewart McArthur were loudly applauded. Solos were given by Miss Alexander, Mr Bogle and others; Mr Duncan and Mr Cameron McIntosh gave addresses, and Mr Angus McIntosh had a capital humorous recitation "Ministerial Troubles."

The feature of the evening was the distribution of the prizes to the children from the tree; none were forgotten. The venerable Superintendent Mr Geo. Leddingham was owing to advancing years, unable to be present but neither was he forgotten, and no doubt he was present with them in spirit.

Address and Presentation.

Priceville, Ont., Dec. 18, 1908. Miss Alice Ross, Dear Teacher,—

As the time has come when the relations between us as teacher and pupils are about to be severed, we take this opportunity of expressing to you our sincere regret that those relations are so soon to terminate. During the five years you have been our teacher you have labored faithfully, and proved yourself to be a most pains taking instructor.

You have always by example and precept pointed out to us the right course to pursue. You have during those years invariably manifested to us the utmost kindness, patience and forbearance when we were often wayward.

If at times we did not make that progress which you ever desired us to make the fault was ours not yours.

With you the foundation of our Educational career has been laid and we have every reason to believe that that foundation is not built upon sand but upon solid principles and as the years roll by and we climb higher on the Educational ladder, we shall always have reason to look back with pleasure on the many happy days we spent with you, our first teacher; we cannot part from you without expressing to you in some tangible way our love and esteem.

You will kindly accept of this China Tea Set, Silver Butter Dish and Knife as a slight token of affection. It is

Merry Christmas

How readily and gladly come the words to the tongue! The "Peace on Earth Good-will toward men," the joy that lies in the memory of the child Jesus, the songs of the angelic hosts, are all fresh as morning dew as the happy season comes around.

To all our readers, far and near, we extend the hearty greeting, and hope the Christmas of one and all may be both merry and joyous, leading to a New Year of happiness and prosperity.

THE PUBLISHERS

our earnest wish that wherever your lot may be cast that life's pathway will be pleasant that the sunshine of happiness and prosperity may ever attend you and when life's cares and trials are over may it be ours to meet in that better land, where parting is unknown.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we bid you an affectionate farewell.

Signed on behalf of the School:

Louisa McDonald
Clara McClary
Jessie Livingston
Margaret Tryon

Election Cards.

To the Ratepayers of the Township of Durham, Ladies and Gentlemen

At the request of many of the ratepayers of the town I have decided to stand for Reeve for the year 1909 and respectfully solicit your vote and influence for that position. Thanking you for your confidence in the past and wishing you the compliments of the season. Yours respectfully,
W. CALDER

To the Electors of the Township of Genelev, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I beg leave to again announce myself a candidate for the Reeveship for the year 1909. As I believe that my work as your representative both in the Township and at the County Council was generally approved by you, and as I have been an interested observer of passing events since then, I hope to be able to render you better and more intelligent service in the future should you favor me by electing me to the responsible office of Reeve of Genelev. Wishing you all the compliments of the season.

I remain, yours respectfully,
A. McCUAIG,
Topeliff, Dec. 21st 1908.

To the Ratepayers of the Township of Proton, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have decided to stand for Reeve for the year 1909 and respectfully solicit your vote and influence for the position.

If elected I shall use my best endeavor to keep the taxes as low as is consistent with efficiency. Thanking you for your confidence in the past and wishing you the compliments of the season.

I am, yours respectfully,
JOSEPH MCARDLE.

A BIG BUNDLE of old papers to lay under carpets for 5 cents at the Review Office.
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DURHAM BRANCH:

Manager

Town Council

15 Dec. 08. Regular meeting. Present Mayor, Reeve, Councilors McGowan, Kress, Sharp, Kinnee.

The following orders were ordered paid:

John McKechnie, wood... \$ 3 75
Jas Lloyd, Engineer's sal... 12 25
R. Torry, sal., chief of Brigade... 6 25
G.A. Thompson, 2nd Engineer... 8 75
Charter Smith, piping... 35 10
R McLean, sal. engine fireman... 5 00
R. Campbell, watering streets... 15 00
Bell Telephone Co... 20
A. B. McLellan, supplies... 1 20
Wm Wright, wire on bridge... 16 40
A. McLachlan, Globes... 75
Jas. Davidson, 3 mos. sal... 20 00
M. D. McGrath, repairs... 1 15
W. D. Connor account, tile... 2 25
Wm Black, piping, &c... 105 80
Wm Hazen, work... 1 00
Wm Black, hardware... 2 00
Jas Carson, 3 mos. sal, as constable, Health Inspector and meals to tramps... 38 50

Sharp-Kress-That a by-law to license bus and dray business be not entertained.—Carried.

Fire Brigade was granted the usual \$100.00.

Sharp-Kress-That C. P. R. be not charged frontage tax on lots 13, Elgin E. and Kincardine W. and that payment be accepted for 132 feet on lot 3 north of George, for taxes 1907.—Car.

Appointment of tax collector left for new council to deal with.
W. P. Patterson was paid \$7.00 for collecting.

McGowan-Kinnee-That Report of Treas. be accepted and that 100 financial statements be printed.—Carried.
McGowan-Kinnee-That the Mayor and Mr Catton be appointed a deputation to go to Woodstock to investigate the plan of L. B. Dent & Co.—Carried.

The School Concert held in No 7, Artemesia, commonly known as the old Durham Road school, Monday evening, was a grand success. This was the first of its kind ever held in that school and reflects great credit on the teacher, Miss Margaret Grant, who took the work of preparing it. The program consisted of solos, recitations, duets, and choruses by the children and others. All of which were well rendered. The proceeds amounted to \$20.

METHODIST S. ENTERTAINMENT.—The Annual Methodist Contata and concert held Tuesday evening was a success. The chief feature was the contata which lasted over half the programme, entitled "The Birth of Christ" and was well acted in its different parts. Besides the contata choruses by the Sunday School, dialogues, drills, solos, etc., which were very pleasing to the ear and eye were given by different members. At the close candies and nuts were distributed to the children.

Only One Week More

To enter guesses to win one of the many valuable prizes in Keeler's great pumpkin contest. Buy your Christmas and holiday gifts at once and enter the competition if you have not already done so. Seeds will be counted New Year's Day and the two nearest correct in each class win the valuable prizes in our south window.

A Very Merry Christmas

We wish all our customers and friends

R. B. Keeler & Son

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