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OWNERS' TOPICS

Mr. A. W. H. Lauder has sold his Ford car to Mr. Crawford Harrison, North Egremont.

The Simcoe Poultry Co. pay highest cash prices for live poultry at Durham station next week. Read their ad. on this page.

Bumper crops at Biggar, Sask., writes Mr. R. Pettigrew. He had over 2000 bush. of wheat and as much oats and barley. Other South Grey men near by are also blessed.

On Tuesday, Miss Kate Kennedy of Bunesan passed away after an illness of some duration. She was 70 years of age and has made her home at her nephew's, Mr. C. H. Kennedy. The funeral takes place Thursday at Saugueney cemetery.

Glensel Council at a session on Saturday last, passed a \$100 grant to the Trafalgar Day fund for Red Cross work. Holland gave a \$300 grant, while Artemesia passed \$100 and collectors will canvass the township Thursday as well.

The fine weather of last week lasted till Monday morning, when rain again damped things literally and figuratively. Good progress was made in potato lifting, though owing to the rot, even that was a heartless job, in spite of fine weather.

Knox Church, Normanby, will hold their 8th anniversary on Tuesday evening, Oct. 26th inst. A good tea is on the program, music, vocal and instrumental is in preparation and Rev. Dr. Marsh of Holston and other able speakers will be present. A good time is assured. Popular prices.

INSURED HIS HAND.—While operating his machine in the furniture factory on Monday, Mr. Ed. Buschen had the misfortune to have his thumb of right hand caught on a saw, cutting a small piece out of the end of it, and two fingers slightly bruised. He will be off work two or three weeks, but feels thankful it was not more serious.

ANOTHER GIRL WANTED AT ONCE.—A lady in Mount Forest wishes a Business College student to act as companion in return for board. First-class home, close to college. 3 students in similar positions are satisfied. Write at once to G. M. Henry, Principal Mt. Forest Business College, or confer with C. Elvidge, Librarian, Durham.

Anniversary services of Durham Presbyterian Church will be held on Sunday and Monday, October 31 and November 1. Rev. Dr. Farquharson, former pastor, will conduct the Sabbath services. He will also take part on the Monday evening, when a splendid tea will be served and a fine musical program rendered. Admission Monday evening 25 cts. to tea and program, proceeds to go to help our boys at the front.

ANOTHER JOINS THE COLOURS.—Durham's youngest representative among our recruits enlisted last Friday night in Walkerton.—Gordon Gun, elder son of Dr. A. Gun. He is barely 18, but being anxious to serve his country, was allowed to join the 1st regiment, along with the other Durham boys, A. C. Dewar, J. L. Stedman, Luce McEgarr and Johnston Allen, who enlisted last week. All are leaving on Thursday evening train for Walkerton and on Friday morning they go to London to commence training. No definite information is yet to hand where winter quarters will be spent, probably in Stratford or Walkerton.

Anniversary services will be held in Mulock Baptist Ch. on Sunday, Oct. 24. Rev. J. B. Brown of Keedy will preach at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. On Monday evening, Oct. 25th, there will be a supper and patriotic entertainment in the Church, proceeds to go to the Red Cross Society. A splendid program is being prepared. Rev. J. H. Fairfull of Clinton will give a lecture entitled "Fighting machines and how to use them." From a large and varied experience of over 17 years in the Armament works, Elswick, Eng. Mr. Fairfull will describe the construction and use of Howitzers, Naval, Field and Machine Guns, Torpedoes, Submarines, etc. Mr. Fairfull is a clear, convincing and most interesting speaker and knows his subject thoroughly. Come and hear him and also help the Red Cross Society. Supper 6 to 8 p.m. Program of solos, duets and quartettes. Local and other talent. Admission 25c.

\$500 to Red Cross Fund

Durham Town Council on Monday night honored itself and the town by granting \$500 to the Red Cross Fund in response to the appeal of Lord Lansdowne.

This is by no means Durham's only or last effort in that direction. A new campaign will be launched before long and we trust liberal things will be devised. All and more will be needed. The man who can't go give; every wound on a Canadian is a pleading month for sacrifice on the part of those at home. Service at the front is good, service by sacrifice is up to the stay at home. "I can give \$5 and not feel it," said a boaster. "Then said a listener: 'Give \$50 and feel it.'"

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church have this year so far raised \$100 for patriotic purposes and spent many hours of loving labor on comforts for the soldiers. Other churches may have done equally well. It is coming home to us that Canada is at war. Let us pay as well as pray and preach.

The Teachers' Convention

Successful in Fine Weather and Large Attendance

Successful also in a marked degree in the character of the papers read and work done, and more than usually successful in the cultivation of the social spirit among its members. The new departure on Thursday evening of dispensing with a lecture and replacing it by a social gathering of teachers and friends was enjoyed. The Town Hall upstairs was seated with chairs and groupings of all kinds took place. For almost an hour there was a perfect absence of formality and much admiration expressed at the artistic decorations which made the old hall into a bower of patriotic beauty. This had been done by the lady teachers of Durham, and they deserved the many compliments they received.

As teachers and friends arrived they were welcomed by Insp. and Mrs. Campbell, Principal Allan and Mrs. Allan and President John A. Graham and Mrs. Graham. After the informal mix-up referred to Mr. Graham took the chair and called off a formal home-made program, composed of bright little speeches, sweet songs, quartettes &c., and delightful instrumental selections on piano and gramophone, the latter kindly furnished by Mr. H. J. Snell of the music emporium. In addition to the Chairman's speech, and he was at his best, there were 5 minute addresses by Insp. Campbell, Rev. Dr. Whaley and Moyer, C. Ramage, chairman, High School Board, J. P. Telford, chairman, Public School Board, Principal Allan, Wm. Irwin. A quartette from the Methodist church Messrs. McGraw, Moyer (Rev.), Glass and Saunders and one from Presbyterian church, Messrs. Black and Wilson and Messrs. Telford and Harding rendered fine selections and were encored, Miss Zeta Black was delightful in her Irish lullaby "Oh the sweet little girl" and a rousing encore brought her back. Miss Irwin gave a number of fine instrumental and Mr. Morrison Smith, of Dorach, will be welcomed again in that line.

The chairman thanked the audience for their attention, interest and good order and threw the meeting into the hands of a host of ladies who supplied an abundance of coffee, cake, ice cream and condiments.

Notes on the Programme

The feature of the Professional side of the Association was undoubtedly the presence of Miss Auto Powell, Art Teacher of Toronto Normal School. Her topics were: "Art, why, how and when to teach in the Public Schools" and "The Handling of Different Mediums." They were much more than didactic papers on Art, Miss Powell is much more than an Art teacher. She is a student of human nature, a philosopher in a way, and many remarks she lets drop shows her to have the milk of human kindness in dealing with the inexperienced and her eyes see in nature more than mere ever books depicted. She handles brush and paints with the skill of an artist, and the trees, or the landscape grows before your eyes accompanied by comment both interesting and instructive.

No fewer than three papers dealing with the Rural problem, is in line with a topic that is just now exercising the ablest minds. J. S. Elliott talked of "Relation of Agriculture to World's Work." Wesley Boyd aired the 'Rural Community and the Rural School,' and Miss A. Scott's contribution "The function of the Rural School in solving the Rural Problem" was the third in the symposium. The discussion was spoken of as being interesting and educative.

Miss Agnes McGarr gave some excellent pointers on how to use the school magazine "The Children's story of the War." Miss Marguerite Martin, of Ayrton, was just made for her topic "The Sunshine Teacher," which left a glow of kindly feeling in her auditors. Miss Agnes Connelly's paper on "Educational Efficiency, are we securing it" was an able effort. She pointed out what efficiency had meant to Germany, what it meant to Britain to have men like Kitchener and Lloyd-George, everywhere the most efficient engineers were in demand, and very succinctly she showed that the same end and principle should be looked for in Education.

"How to secure habits of Economy" was a timely paper by Mr. J. A. McGee, of Hanover, and full of suggestiveness. Principal Allan of Durham rehearsed the practical benefits of the Strathcona Physical Culture Course, which he took during summer holidays and passed its examinations successfully too.

Messrs D. T. Wright and Gilbert McEachern and Messrs Marg. McKen and H. McKee were down to introduce the question of whether History and Hygiene should be retained on



JOHN S. BLACK

Clerk of Glensel Township since 1884, who has furnished us with the Municipal Record of his Township, which appears on page 5.

the H. S. Entrance Examination. Insp. Campbell intimated that a free expression of opinion had been asked for. The discussion showed the decided opinion of the teachers that these subjects will be taught as well without a written examination.

Mr. T. H. Patterson, the new President, introduced the Superannuation Bill, a very important measure in the interests of the teachers, especially of those who made it their life work. Naturally the younger teachers are not so impressed with its necessity, but a spirit of loyalty to the profession will no doubt lead to a hearty and unanimous adherence to the scheme, which has advantages over the old system, the compulsory features of which were abolished in 1885.

The new Truancy Act, just lately put in operation, was brought before the teachers by Insp. Campbell. Its provisions provide for a monthly report to the Inspector by the teachers whether they have or have not delinquents to report. Its provisions should prove very efficient if carried out in a sympathetic manner, but it must entail an enormous amount of extra work on the Inspectors.

The Association took up the question of contributing to teachers to the Patriotic Fund and it was unanimously decided to give at least one day's pay to the Red Cross Fund, thus a salary of \$900 would yield \$1. A number expressed a willingness to make it two days, but it was made one day at last.

Chairman Graham must feel gratified that a full and fine program was successfully carried out and a good deal is due to his gravity of manner and professional insight and experience.

In all this, Trustees and the dear tax-paying public, well discolor nothing of a mercenary nature affecting them. We hope the pecuniary interest that used to tempt teachers met to discuss ways and means to boost salaries. We still think, as we thought and advocated years ago that educational progress would be greatly aided by annual meetings of the Trustee Association, at which every School Board would be represented.

And it didn't rain!! An experience enjoyed ever since the Department took to fixing the date! They must have a pull with the weather man. No longer the "umbrella brigade."

The gathering closed loyally by "God gave the King." Markdale will be next place of meeting. IF the C. P. B. improve railway facilities in that direction. If not Dundalk.

The officers for the coming year are T. H. Patterson, Neustadt, President; Thos. Allan, Durham, Secy-Treas.; John A. Graham, Delegate to O. E. A.

The Nautical Knot

Greatest Success Yet

Tuesday night the town hall was crowded past the doors and on the stairs with an audience sympathetic and enthusiastic towards the Choral Society and their now well-known performance. Quite a number were turned away, and we think the audience at the close went away much more satisfied than if it had been outside talent.

The inspiration that comes from a crowd, and past practice, resulted in, we think by far the best presentation they have yet made. Every performer seemed "on the job." The fun was the funniest, the grief the most realistic, the acting most natural, while the choruses, solos, &c. were in most cases admirable. New marine scenery added its attractions and altogether the comedy was the best of its kind.

The proceeds after paying expenses, go entirely to the Red Cross Funds, half to the Durham Red Cross Society, and half to the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church. The interest in the comedy seems to be deepening, and a repetition later on might be advisable. The Sailors hornpipe by the boy and

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. James Burt arrived in town on Saturday last from Manitoba and will spend the winter among Durham friends.

W. S. Dingman, Toronto, Vice-Pres. of the Provincial License Commission was in town Monday, visiting his brother of the Central Drug Store. He left for Walkerton on evening train the Commission having a sitting there on Tuesday.

Mr. Jas. Geddes, con 20, Egremont, arrived in Durham Monday evening from a two month's visit with his daughter, Mrs. Herb. Greenwood in N. Dakota. He visited also at some Canadian points and speaks of abounding crops. He spent the night with Review friends and called on his relatives Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Isaac.

Mr. Dan Cameron and family, upper town, after disposing of household effects by auction on Saturday, removed Monday to Toronto.

Miss Daisy Blackburn is holidaying with her mother Mrs. Geo. Blackburn from a few days.

Congratulations to Mr. Joe Patterson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson, Glensel and Miss Annie Atkinson, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Atkinson, who are being united in wedlock's bonds, to-day, Wednesday.

Cecil Towner has commenced duties as junior clerk in the Standard Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Heughan will probably in the near future leave Durham for Gargill, where he has a good situation in his trade of harness-making.

Mr. Archie McKinnon, his mother and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hunter motored to Priceville Sunday, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Aldern.

Mrs. Thos. Brown returned last week from a two month's visit with relatives and friends in Michigan.

Mr. Colin McArthur, of the 10th of Glensel, is helping with the brick laying of the new school.

Mr. Dr. Jamieson left last Saturday for Toronto to attend the festivities in connection with Lord and Lady Aberdeen's visit to Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Moyer, of the Methodist Church, will preach at the preparatory service in the Presbyterian Church on Friday evening, 22nd inst., at 8 p.m.

BORN

ATKINSON—In Durham on Saturday, 16th October, to Mr and Mrs Will Atkinson a daughter.

MARRIED

THURSTON—WRIGHT—At Sherbourne Methodist Church, Toronto, on 14th Oct., 1915, Miss Anna Matilda Wright of Durham, N.B., to Mr. A. Stanley Thurston of Toronto. (Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Thurston, the former a son of Editor Thurston of the Advance, Fisherton.)

girl dancers was the piece de resistance of the evening and roused the audience to a high pitch of fervor.

Mention must be made of the very arduous part taken by Miss R. A. Irwin, to accompany such varied numbers and so excellently, for two solid hours, is no sinecure.

Following the entertainment, the Society spent a social hour in the hall, a flashlight photo being taken by photographer Kelsey of the company in their final scene in full costume. Refreshments were partaken of and at the close Jno. L. Stedman, one of the most energetic members of the Society, was honored before his departure, having enlisted for active service. An address from the Society was read by P. Ramage and he was presented with a handsome pair of military brushes and a leather pocket folder, the presentation being made by Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder. Mr. Stedman made an appropriate reply, thanking his fellow members for the kindness shown him and stating he was separating from them only to answer the call of duty.

Don't forget the big cut-rate optical sale at Saunders Variety Store, Durham, on Friday and Saturday of this week, where \$3.00 to \$5.00 value spectacles and eye glasses will be sold for \$1.00 and your eyes properly tested.

Heckel Astray

Strayed from the premises, lot 63 con 3, Bentinck, a rising 2 yr. old black moody heifer. Last seen the morning of Oct. 16th going up Hutten Hill. Anyone giving information that will lead to recovery will be suitably rewarded.

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