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## TOWN TOPICS

**BARGAINS IN BOOKS**—At McFarlane's. For Rent—House of five rooms in Upper Town. Apply to Review Office.

**EXCELLENT CONDITION POWDER** will put your horse in condition. 25c at MacFarlane's.

**NOVEMBER HORSE FAIR** in Durham on Thursday, Nov. 18. Have your spare horses ready and bring them in.

**BRING ALL KINDS OF HIDES**—furs and sheepskins—to J. Levine's, Durham. He pays highest cash prices.

**DORNOCH FORESTERS** will give vent to a store of patriotic fervor by a grand concert in Dr. Smith's Hall on Dec. 7.

**PHOTOGRAPHS FOR XMAS**—Come now and make your appointment. Fifteen photos with every dozen. You could not give a better Xmas gift.

**F. W. KELSEY** Bert Booth, Orangeville's crack lacrosse goal-keeper, has enlisted for overseas service. He went to Toronto on the 8th inst. to take a six weeks' training course, when he expects to receive a commission as lieutenant in the York Rangers.

**HOT SUPPER**—Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church, a sale of baking, lunch and supper will be held in the store adjoining MacFarlane's Drug Store, on Saturday, 20th November. Lunch from 3 to 5 p. m. Hot supper from 5 to 7 p. m. Popular prices.

**LAST CHANCE TO VOTE**—Sunday next will be the last opportunity for recording votes in the Presbyterian Church for or against union. Pastor and Session desire a full expression of the mind of the congregation on the matter, and all ballots should be handed in at once.

**XMAS PHOTOGRAPHS**—The best way to please your friends this Xmas is to give them a photo of yourself. We have a complete new line of mounts and folders. Call and see them.

**F. W. KELSEY** **TO BOOK HOLDERS**—The Librarian of the Public Library is most desirous of having all books returned that were out before the recent re-cataloguing began. At least 50 books are thus out and parties should not need to be urged to return at once. The non-return of these books is holding up the completion of the catalogue.

**STIFF FINES**—Over in Ripley a hotel man who became daring in violating the law went too far and convictions were secured against him on several counts. Fines amounting to \$1400 with \$100 more of costs had to be paid. Rather a costly lesson.

**BOOKER T. WASHINGTON**, by far the most distinguished man of the Negro race died last week. His life effort was to uplift his people along religious, moral and industrial lines and as a means to this end he founded an Institute at Tuskegee which has had remarkable success. He was born in slavery as was that other great negro, a generation before him, Robert Douglass.

**EUGENIA OPENS NOY 18**—Hon. I. B. Lucas, vice-chairman of the Ontario Hydro Electric Commission, has announced that the Eugenia Falls system is to be officially opened on Nov. 18th. The development work is all completed and the system will be ready for operation on that date. Sir Adam Beck, Hon. I. B. Lucas and other notables will attend the official opening of the Eugenia system.

**RETURNED FROM FRANCE**—Lieut. Patton of the Canadian Army Service Corps was in Owen Sound on Wednesday. He went to France with the first contingent and was injured in an accident when his horse fell on him. His injuries compelled him to return to Canada and he is now recuperating. He anticipates returning to the front soon. Lieut. Patton was at one time a resident of Proton township and has been connected with the militia for a number of years.—Owen Sound Sun.

**FARMER'S DOG JOINS THE COLORS**—When the local soldier boys were out for their route march on Wednesday in Sarawak, a farmer's dog, attracted by the good looks and military bearing of the boys, fell into line and marched in the ranks with them, apparently ready and willing to "do his bit." He was such a friendly pup that he instantly became a favorite among the boys. When the dog's master, however, found that Towser had forsaken the ways of peace and joined the soldiers, he came after the dog and took him back with him. This didn't please the soldier lads one little bit though, and the farmer was asked to name the price he would take for the dog. Ten dollars was the amount he asked and a collection was at once taken up, the required amount subscribed and Towser became the property of Grey County's warriors. He seems quite satisfied with military life and will be the mascot of the Grey County unit. A blanket is being made for him, suitably inscribed on both sides with recruiting mottoes.

**New Devon China**, dainty pieces at reasonable prices at McFarlane's.

**For Sale**—A number of Pure bred Black Minorca cockerels, \$1 each. W. Sackett, P. M. S.

**For Immediate Sale**—7 roomed cottages with three eighths acre of land. Apply to J. P. Telford, Durham.

**XMAS PHOTOGRAPHS**—Please fifteen of your friends at Xmas with a photograph of yourself or family. Three extra photos with every dozen. Make your appointment now.

**W. KELSEY** The Ladies of the Red Cross Society intend having a sale of fancy articles and homemade baking Dec. 11th, to be held at the Library. Any donations to the sale will be thankfully received by the ladies.

The J. D. Abraham Co. had an informal concert at the store Saturday evening. Mrs. Chas. Saunders on the piano, given as first prize in the contest and Mr. Saunders on the violin, giving several fine duets, interspersed with several selections on the phonograph, the entertainment will be repeated next Saturday night.

**DEFEATED IN ST. ANDREWS**—Church Union is being voted on throughout the Presbyterian Church in Canada. The vote taken in Hanover showed a total adverse majority of 7. The vote in detail is: Elders—5, against 2, not voting 1; members—35, against 67, not voting 80; adherents—10, against 4, totals for 69, against 73. Hampden Church: Elders—5, against 0; members for 60, against 21, not voting 25; adherents—7, against 0. Totals for 71, against 21. Majority in favor 50.

With the advent of the Hydro the Baptist Church thought it well to have the church wired and an up-to-date system of lighting installed. The work being nearly completed, they hope to have the new system in operation on Sunday evening. The lights in the school room and vestibules are the ordinary ones, but those in the church are very special. It is termed the "indirect system" with nitrogen lamps, four lights of 150 watts each. The system is expected to give great satisfaction and enhance the beauty of this pretty little church. The Pastor will preach and sing at both services and others will render musical selections.

**HAS EXCLUSIVE WAR STORIES**—The remarkable increase in the circulation of The Daily News is the best evidence of the fact that if you give the people the sort of a paper they want they will take it in preference to any other. The average man and woman wants a high-class, truthful, enterprising, well edited, well printed, well illustrated newspaper. That is what The Daily News aims to be. With special correspondents in all the European centres, it is able to give the real news of the war first. The Review and The Toronto Daily News can be secured for one year for \$3.00. Send your subscription to this office.

**Light Sentence for Mighton** Thomas M. Mighton, the Durham wife-beater, who was brought to Owen Sound last week by High Constable Robert Cook, after having eluded the arm of the law for two years, was tried before Judge Sutherland at the Court House Monday on two charges, one the original charge of assaulting and beating his wife in August, 1913, and the other for escaping from custody while being brought from the West to stand his trial in November, 1913. On the first charge, he was given suspended sentence for two years and on the second, forty days in the common goal. It will be remembered that Mighton was first charged with assaulting his wife in August, 1913. He managed to elude the officers of the law and skipped to the West. He was later arrested there and was being brought from Winnipeg by Constable Cook, of Ceylon, to stand his trial, when he caught the officer napping, managed to unlock his handcuffs and jumped from the moving train somewhere in the wilds of the Rainy River District. No more was heard of him until recently when he got into a mix-up in Detroit and was arrested. As his name tallied with that of a man who was wanted by the Canadian police, Mighton admitted his identity. The Detroit authorities notified Constable Cook, who went after him. The latter preferred to take his chances on Canadian justice and came over voluntarily. At the trial yesterday, Mighton pleaded guilty on both charges. After a consultation with his wife as to the possible chance of a renewal of marital relations between the two, the Crown decided to accept the plea of guilty. The judge after hearing the circumstances, allowed Mighton to go on suspended sentence for two years on the assault charge and during that time, he is to keep away from his wife. The prisoner professed great penitence and promised to trouble his wife no more. On the charge of escaping from custody, he was given forty days in the common goal. No evidence was taken in either case. Crown Attorney Dyer represented the Crown and Mr. H. G. Tucker defended Mighton.—Owen Sound Sun.

## Recruiting Meeting

**Hon. McGarry, M. P. P. and Tommie, M. P. P. to give addresses.**

**Crowd the Town Hall**

On Friday evening the above gentlemen will address the citizens of Durham along patriotic lines with a double purpose: to stimulate recruiting and to initiate a movement for a more substantial contribution to patriotic funds than has yet been given from Durham. As we stated two weeks ago the contribution by the town of \$300 was entirely inadequate to represent this community. It was well enough in its way but instead of \$300 this time, \$500 will be aimed at, the whole community uniting in a big effort to render substantial aid where most needed. The stricken and wounded soldiers fighting our battles should appeal to every heart. Come out and hear these eminent men.

## Liquor Seizure

Constable Arowsmith in the discharge of his duty on Tuesday night last, saw a buggy entering the Hahn House stables under suspicious circumstances. He followed, but before reaching the stable the doors were shut in his face. He demanded admittance but was refused and could hear the clink of bottles inside. Applying his strength to the door he succeeded in pulling it ajar and found to squeeze his body in and found there the son of the proprietor and a young man named Bauer. The constable gathered in from the buggy and elsewhere a quantity of beer and no fewer than 36 bottles of Gooderham's whiskey. With the aid of Mr. Jas. Lloyd, who was passing on his way home from night work at the factory, the stuff was taken to the constable's residence and no doubt there will be a sequel to the daring and glaring violation of the law. The action of the constable under the circumstances was as courageous as it was judicious and adds once more to the testimony that the town did a wise thing in appointing him to the position. We have a Becket of our own.

## Newspaper Financing

(Goderich Star)

At a meeting of the Perth and Huron counties section of the Canadian Press Association held in Goderich recently, the main topic of discussion was the proposal to increase the subscription price of weekly papers in these counties. A peculiarity of the newspaper business is that it gives the public something for nothing, so much so, that publishers of daily papers, which during the war have issued numerous extras, have found that they are losing money, and the more extras they issued the more they lost, because the price for which the paper sells pays for only a fraction of the cost of producing it. The cost of material and labor has very largely increased in the last few years and the question of increasing the subscription price of weekly papers to \$1.50 is a live one. Many of our dailies have advanced their subscription terms on account of increased expenses and it looks as if the weeklies may have to follow suit. In Bruce county the \$1.50 rate is being brought into effect and certainly, taking the increased expenses of a good weekly paper into consideration, \$1.50 is none too much. There is no institution which does so much for a community as the press, and sometimes some people would like even to add to its functions, making it, in effect, detective, constable, magistrate and moral reformer, all free of reward, but should there be any loss of revenue from any stand a paper may take, these same people are quite willing that the paper should bear the burden. In all patriotic, philanthropic and progressive movements a newspaper is expected to, and does, give a large amount of publicity without charge. A careful computation by one publisher gives the cost of producing his paper as \$1.72 a year, and in the face of such a figure it does not look reasonable to sell the paper for \$1 a year. A meeting of the publishers in the counties of Huron and Perth is to be held shortly in Stratford to consider the question of the advisability of raising the subscription price of weeklies in these counties, and if the \$1.50 a year rate should be decided on it should have the approval and support of the public at large.

## The Minister's Bride

November 26, 1915

This play will be presented in the Town Hall, Durham, on Friday evening, Nov. 26, at 8 o'clock by the Adult Bible Class of the Presbyterian church, Hanover. Don't miss hearing the play. It is good. The cause is good. Entire proceeds for Red Cross work, under auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church, Durham. All seats reserved, — all seats one price, 25c. Plan of hall will be open at MacFarlane's Drug Store by 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Secure your seats early without extra charge.

Those who have contributed to the Dornoch Red Cross Quilt will be pleased to know that \$40.00 of the money realized has been donated to the Grey County Motor Ambulance fund. The Institute women and others have also knitted 11 pairs of socks for the Toronto Red Cross Society. They have decided to give pounds of any kind of provisions to the Children's Aid Society in Owen Sound. Anyone wishing to contribute may leave their donations at the Dornoch store.

**A YANKEE VIEW**—The Portland Maine Express tries to remark: "While we are asking the question, Where are the English submarines and to a great extent of the much-wanted navy, we might pause to consider that wherever they are at present they have succeeded in keeping the seas clear of German merchantmen. Hunt the oceans as we will we fail to find on them any vessels flying the flag of Germany."

## Obituary.

**ROBERT WATSON**

On Thursday last at the ripe age of 83 years, Robert Watson passed the bourne. For some years he had been a sufferer from rheumatic troubles and though during the last week or two there were kidney complications, it may be said he died of old age, conscious to the last moment and expressing gratitude to wife and other relatives for kindly ministrations.

He was born at Roswell, Scotland, and came to Canada with his young wife in 1854. They spent a few years in Galt and at other points before coming to Beninck where they shared in the pioneer work of the time. A skilled wood worker, he was frequently from home, for a time even working in the States, but since the late 50's of last century his home has been in Beninck.

Besides his wife, seven of their family survive: Mrs. Elias Edge, Mrs. Edward Middleton, David on the old home place, Robert in Sask., Wm. Jas and Mrs. Harris in Toronto, John in Manitoba. Three sisters survive him all in Scotland.

Mr. Watson was Presbyterian in religion, strongly Liberal in politics, and enthusiastic in all that pertained to Scotland, its history or people. The remains were interred in Durham cemetery on Saturday last, many friends being in attendance. Rev. Mr. Mills of Dornoch, conducted the services.

**MRS. ISAAC WILKINSON**

The last dread summons came suddenly to the above lady at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Petty, with whom she had been visiting for a time, Saturday forenoon, 13th Nov. 1915. She was stricken with paralysis, everything that love and medical skill could do was done for her, but on Sunday forenoon about the same hour she passed away being within one month of completing her 70th year.

Mrs. Wilkinson was Miss Sarah Jane Wakefield, born in the township of P. Lincoln, near Guelph, grew up to be married there over 60 years ago to the husband who predeceased her by over a dozen years. Shortly after marriage they came to Normanby near Barber's Corners and there she has spent a long and respected life. Six children will mourn the loss of the mother ever dear to them. They are: Henry on the old homestead, John in South Egremont; Annie, Mrs. Forrester, also in South Egremont; Lizzie, Mrs. Samuel Robertson, Shallow Lake; Maria, Mrs. Thos. Petty, Durham and Esther, a nurse, in New York State. One brother of deceased lives near Guelph and a sister, Mrs. Kirby at Arkell.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist church and was greatly respected as neighbor and friend. Her remains are being interred to-day, Wednesday in Maplewood cemetery, adjoining her old home. Her death recalls her somewhat famous brother Henry Wakefield who 80 years ago as a reeve and magistrate bulked largely in the life of Egremont and whose name yet is applied occasionally to his farm now owned by Mr. J. J. Wilton.

## Address and Presentation

At the closing meeting of No. 9, Glenelg, Sunday School, Superintendent W. Young was honored with the following warm address, expressive of appreciation for faithful services:

Nov. 2nd, 1915

Dear Mr. Young: The members of the Sunday School of S. S. No. 9, regret to hear of your intentions of giving up your work as Superintendent of the Sunday School. You have been amongst us now for twelve or thirteen years and through this long period you have worked faithfully and earnestly. You, as a Superintendent, have tried to lead the members of the Sunday School in the right path and your trying has proved successful, for there have been men and women go out from the Sunday School, who are going to make a mark in the world. Some have still remained in the community to carry on the duties at home, others have gone to carry out various works, but still remain in their homeland, while a few have gone to the battlefield. But most of all, they have all gone out from under your teachings as messengers for God.

As a slight token of remembrance from your Sunday School friends, we ask your acceptance of these small gifts together with our good wishes, and when another season comes around, we sincerely hope that you may again find your way clear to come back and resume your faithful work once more.

Signed on behalf of the Sunday School of S. S. No. 9, Glenelg.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. John Vessie received word on Tuesday that her only brother, Arthur Ritchie, was married in Saskatoon on 3rd November. No other particulars.

Mrs. Thos. Harris visited in Toronto last week and on Friday witnessed the graduation from the Sick Children's Hospital, of her daughter Lillie Ray and Miss Jessie Farquharson. Good wishes for the young ladies in their future work follow them.

Miss Kate McCormack and brother Chas. leave Wednesday to spend the winter with their brother Alex. at South St. Marie. Miss Pearl Wilson accompanies them that far on her way to St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wickham and two children, Walter's Falls, motored in their Dodge car Sunday to visit Mrs. W.'s aunt, Mrs. C. Ramage, and also at Mr. Wm. Ramage's in Egremont.

Mr. Peter and Miss Alice Ramage and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson motored to North Keppel the beginning of the week, the former visiting their sister, Miss Agnes Ramage teacher at Lake Charles and the latter at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Siegrist, of Oran. They found the roads in splendid condition for this season of the year and admired the beautiful lake shore drive in Sarawak township.

Rev. and Mrs. Prudham and son Mele, of Winton, motored to Durham on Saturday.

Mr. Harris Rife, of Walkerton, now in camp in the 71st battalion at Galt, along with several Durham boys, is home on a few days' leave of absence, and spent the beginning of the week with town friends.

Mr. Jas. Graham and family, Upper Town, moved to Stratford last week, the house he vacated being now occupied by Mr. Geo. Montgomery.

Mr. Jack Davidson of Standard Bank, Kingston, is at the parental home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown omitted to mention last week, are spending the winter months with their daughter, Mrs. Harding in Hamilton.

Mr. Wm. Johnston returned home Saturday, after three months in the West.

Mr. Wm. Darby is home from the West.

Mr. Joseph Cain, C. P. R. Station clerk, enlisted last week at Walkerton for active service.

Durham's hunting contingent, Messrs W. and Roy Calder, P. Patterson, J. McLachlan and N. McIntyre returned last week from Sudbury vicinity, each having secured a fine deer. Jim McLachlan brought down a bear as well.

Princess Chocolates are gaining in favor. Try a box. Only at MacFarlane's Drug Store.

To-day, Thursday, a brilliant function is taking place at the formal opening of the Eugenia Power System. We expect Hydro lights to be turned on in Durham to-night where installation is completed.

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