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CHANGE IN G. T. R. TIME.—After Sunday next, 4th of May, the afternoon train will leave Durham for Toronto and points between at 3:55 p. m. instead of 3:40 as formerly.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church will hold a sale of home made baking in Calders block, next to Central Drug Store on Saturday, May 3rd. A cafeteria lunch will be served also.

A Hard Time Soshul at the Orange Hall Varney on Friday, 2nd of May will be of interest. The admission is 14 cents an inch, neck measure, and any 8 gns of opulence, such as collars, cuffs, jewelry, rings, silks, etc., will have to pay fine. How b g is your neck?

The management of Durham Presbyterian church has decided to redecorate the interior of their edifice which was defaced last summer unavoidably by rain while roof-repairing was in progress. The job has been let to Mr. Van-der-fee, of Toronto, who did the work 19 years ago. It is a work of some magnitude and will necessitate the closing of the church for four or five Sundays.

PURCHASED A DELIVERY CAR.—Messrs (am. McLaughlin and D. C. Town went to Toronto last week, and motored home on Friday in a new Ford delivery car which the former bought. It was a cold windy day for the home trip, and the boys were chilled thru before reaching Durham after a nine hour ride. Mr. Town was since confined to bed for 4 or 5 days with an attack of appendicitis but is now much better.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. A. S. Morton was pleasantly surprised when about forty of her friends from the Epworth League of the Methodist church raided her home and presented her with a bottle shower. During the earlier part of the evening a most hilarious time was spent by the merry crowd while indulging in games. Later on an impromptu program was given. The splendid duets rendered by the Misses Smith and the Misses Lawrence were certainly appreciated. The Misses Cole sang several clever little duets and the violin solos by Mr. Earl McDonald were greatly enjoyed. Miss Rita Irwin captivated all by her charming instrumental; the reading by Mrs. Cole caused gales of laughter. Sumptuous refreshments were served by the young people, dainty and pleasing to the palate. After spending a delightful half hour singing such famous songs as "John Brown," "Way down upon the Swanee River" and "Old Black Joe." They extended their sincere congratulations to the happy couple and wished their way home ward singing "For they are Jolly Good Fellows."

25 cents buys a Thrift Stamp.

Don't forget the homemade baking sale May 3rd.

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The slaughter sale of Spirella still continues at reduced prices at the parlors of the corsetiere.

Mrs. J. C. Nichol

The Canadian national debt in 1914 totalled \$49 a head. It is now over \$270. Increased trade only, says the C. T. C., can help us to carry the new burden.

The monthly business meeting of the I. O. O. E. will be held in the Public Library basement on Tuesday, May 6th at 8 p. m. All members are requested to attend.

Humorous, pretty and captivating is the Japanese operetta, "Yokohama Maid" by Durham Pres. Choir in the Town Hall, Thursday, May 1st. Plan at Central Drug Store

There are two hundred and fifty thousand words in the English language, and most of them were used last Sunday by a lady who discovered after coming out of church, that her new hat was adorned with a tag on which was written, "reduced to \$2.75."

A Provincial Liberal Convention will be held in Toronto on June 25th and 26th for the purpose of deciding upon a permanent leader and adopting a definite policy. Further announcement of the details will be made in the near future.

A prominent citizen—prominent especially about the waist line, or where the waist-line should be—consulted a physician. The doctor, after taking a prolonged look at the "bay window," pronounced his decision, "You'll have to diet."

"What?" exclaimed the patient. "What do you think you're treating—an Easter egg?"

Alliance Services

Rev. Mr. Kettlewell, of the Dominion Alliance preached Sunday last, morning and evening in the Baptist church. In the morning he dealt with the temperance situation as it was likely to be affected by the coming referendum. He explained the four fold ballot and the importance of all lovers of the best interests of our country voting "No" to all four propositions.

In the evening he dealt with the now famous Rev. Ben Spence case who was charged with circulating a book banned by chief censor. The examination of this well known temperance advocate has revealed nothing irregular in his character or conduct unbecoming a good citizen, but it has revealed a biased animus against him in certain circles that would lead to the liquor interests are behind the persecuting procedures, (for they are nothing else) trying to find a flaw that would help them in the coming campaign. The carrying of the case from court to court, the long delays in the case and especially the refusal of his claim for a trial by jury, has roused public opinion against the un-British methods he has suffered from.

The book in question "The Parasite" is a strong indictment of the liquor traffic as an evil always but especially calculated to hinder war effort in a time of stress. Instead of being branded a disloyal book, its whole aim and purpose was to promote truest patriotism.

Reeve and Councillor Wanted

Mr. A. A. Catton, though recovering slowly from the illness that has kept him from the Council for three months, has decided to throw the seat and handed his resignation in last week. The whole town regrets the necessity of this action but will wish the ex-Reeve complete early recovery to normal health.

The removal to Toronto of Councillor F. Lenahan made another gap at the council table, and both gaps are to be filled next Tuesday evening, as will be seen by official notices calling for nominations for the two positions. At 7.30 p. m.

That Memorial Meeting

The meeting in Town Hall on Monday night to organize for a memorial to fallen soldiers, was very poorly attended. Ainsworth or McKechnie was made chairman and explained the situation giving reasons for the delay in taking the matter up as a town, chief among these being the regrettable loss of Reeve Catton.

He invited full and free discussion and most of those present, about twenty, took part in the proceedings.

The idea of a Hospital as first mentioned is not received with favor, the cost of maintenance looms up as a difficult proposition, let alone the heavy first cost of a suitable building. Another proposition meeting with more favor, is a new Memorial Town Hall in the vestibule of which could be placed memorial tablets to the fallen. The proposal meeting with most favor, however, is a memorial monument, pillar or shaft of some kind, placed in a park capable of adornment, and an accessible and conspicuous part of the town.

In favor of the Hospital it should be said that Mr. Calder has been offered from the I. O. O. E., the chapter here, to undertake the cost of maintenance, a proposition showing some courage. Against the Town Hall proposal must be set down the fact that it would not appeal as do the other schemes, to the district around Durham.

To bring the matter to some definiteness, a committee has been formed to receive suggestions and bring in some concrete proposal at a meeting to be held in Town Hall next Wednesday evening. Meanwhile relatives of the fallen soldiers are to meet by themselves on Saturday next to give direction to the movement and report to the general committee which is as follows, Mayor McKechnie, chairman.

Mayor McKechnie, James Lloyd, W. L. Falkingham, Alan Bell, A. C. Wolfe, J. S. McIlraith, A. H. Jackson, Dan McAuliffe.

Besides these on the committee is deputy mayor, from the I. O. O. E., the Veterans' Association, and the Women's Institute.

May the interest taken in the meeting of next Wednesday, show that the town is worth fighting for. Ladies, ever forward when war work was to be done, are urged to take part in the present campaign in this Peace work, but for any sake don't let the town stand by and look on while relatives of the dead plan to honor their dear ones who have fallen.

Local Play was Excellent

Equal to any of his previous productions and surpassing all in the opinion of some, was E. D. McClocklin's comedy-drama "Long Point Light," presented here by the Anglican young people on Friday evening, when Mr. McClocklin, the play's own their fame three or four years ago when several were given and their high standard at that time assured a good house last week, even though weather conditions were most unfavorable.

"Long Point Light" undoubtedly shows more versatility in scenes and characters portrayed than any other production. The stage setting of the old lighthouse made an admirable picture, and the costumes of the occupants added to its realism. Another fine scene was the faked up accident on a lonely country road at night, where the only light emanating from the principals concerned was the lightning flashing upon them. The rumbling thunder and vivid lightning was later vividly portrayed in a storm at sea.

The twelve characters in the drama each fulfilled the roles assigned to them faultlessly, and the impersonations and development of the plot were equally well smoothed as if on a professional stage. The smoothness of the performance throughout is a tribute to the training of the author-manager, E. D. McClocklin, who apparently inspires all with his talent.

The scene is laid at Long Point lighthouse where Captain Ben (Eric Kelly) is the keeper. It opens with his sister Aunt Hannah (Miss Alma Hughes) and her maid Tilly (Mrs. F. Irwin) getting out the Monday washing. Seth Rankin (C. Co. constable and licensed detective E. D. McClocklin) appears, scenting crime, and ever on the look out for evidence. Mrs. Weston, an impoverished aristocrat (Miss McWilliams) and son Richard, an idle rogue (J. L. Stedman) are long in the means to bolster their finances, and decide that Richard must woo and marry Bess (Miss Minnie Limin) a wealthy adopted child of Captain Ben's. The latter is seen bidding farewell to her sailor lover (Harry Kress) and Hiram, an old fisherman (Frank Irwin) and Dr. Pillsbury, village doctor, (J. L. Stedman) appear as rivals for Aunt Hannah's hand, and an incipient fracas is prevented by Seth's arrival and intercession.

In Mrs. Weston's home Act II is laid, where Mrs. W. is a society woman (Miss S. Vollett) and Mrs. Deplomah, a College graduate, (Mrs. Knight) are seeking to enlist her aid on some trivial mission. The hostess engages a new butler, who is the detective Seth Rankin, disguised that he may seek further clues, and her maid Genevieve (Miss Otilie Limin) discovers

in him her affinity. Mrs. Weston and her son plan to compromise Jess by inducing her to take a lonely auto ride with Richard at night. Jess accepts and he plans a breakdown near their country house in a storm. She refuses to go to the house, and the detective and Genevieve who overheard the plot, follow in a other car and foil his scheme.

In Act 3, Hiram has worked up his case to the point of proposing to Aunt Hannah when Dr. Pillsbury breaks in and quashes it. The latter turns his affections on Tilly but she is impervious to his high-flown language. The detective Seth concealed under a table, overhears a dastardly plot Mrs. Weston's whereby Captain Ben, the keeper is drugged in a storm, the light is out, his daughter Jess and sister invited to Mrs. Weston's, Jess' sailor lover is in danger of shipwreck with no light from Long Point to guide them, but Jess saves her lover and the ship by breaking away from Mrs. Weston's when the detective reveals their villainy and she carries up the light to guide them to port, after finding Captain Ben lying helpless drugged. Jess and Harry are again united, and Genevieve, who has a penchant for detectives and heroes, rewards Seth with an expressive embrace.

With the finished work put on, the time spent and scenery prepared, it seems inadequate that one night's presentation should recover the cost. We believe another night would draw a full house.

Miss Rita Irwin supplied fine instrumental music between the acts. The proceeds were \$110.00.

The Returning Soldiers.

FLETCHER McLEAN
On Saturday evening this Aberdeen hero returned and was welcomed by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLean and a number of friends. Fletcher was a student at the O. C. Joseph, when he signed up with a detachment from Queen's University, Kingston, and after a short time in training "crossed the pond" and from here he was drafted into the 14th Highlanders' batt. and was soon over in France. He suffered gas attacks and in the early days of the drive last fall, was wounded in the arm and chest. He was a patient in hospitals of France and England for some time. He expects to return home for a season.

PTE. NASSAU WHITMORE

A returning lad who made greater sacrifices than most, is Pte. Nassau Whitmore of Geniel, who reached Durham Monday noon 1st and was welcomed by a number of No. 9 district old friends, as well as his relatives. He enlisted in the 14th early in 1916, went overseas in November, and on April 1917 went to the front with the 4th C. M. R. batt. in which many other Durham boys were enrolled. He was lightly wounded twice at Passchendaele, and last August 27th was seriously wounded in the leg, at Arras. He was removed to an English hospital, and the leg later had to be amputated about 5 ins. above the knee. He will receive an artificial limb later on. With the aid of crutches he moves around freely now and looks well, though still somewhat nervous.

PTE. FERG. WATSON

Last Saturday night Pte. Ferguson Watson reached his mother's home here after over three years army service. Ferguson was one of the old 14th batt. boys who went overseas in Nov. 1916, and next June he was sent to the front with the 8th batt. Joe Warrington of Durham and some Priceville boys were also in this battalion. In March 1918 he was wounded in the foot and spent four months in an English hospital. On release from hospital he was placed with the 2nd Division Employment Co. till Nov. 19th. He was sent back to England Nov. 30. Ferguson is looking well and is completely recovered.

Pte. John Davis, son of Mr. Wm. Davis 2nd Con., Egremont, returned as far as Toronto last Saturday and is now in Hospital here. He suffered from pneumonia the "flu" in England and at Christmas was seriously ill with pneumonia following it. He will yet be some weeks in the Hospital not having regained his strength. At Passchendaele on Oct. 20th, 1917, the latter brother Cecil made the great sacrifice, John was wounded in the left arm, but had fully recovered from this injury.

Handsome Presentation to Murray Hoy

The citizens of Varney and district displayed their large-heartedness on Tuesday evening, when they presented Pte. Murray Hoy, recently returned badly gassed from overseas, with a purse of \$105, which they had collected. The presentation was made the occasion of a social evening in his honor in Varney Orange Hall, which was crowded. Pastor Falkingham was in the chair, and a bright program of speech, music and song was rendered. The main event was of course the presentation to the ex-soldier hero, made by Mr. A. McCab, while Miss Florence Kerr read the address. Murray responded with a splendid reply. Those contributing to the program were Rev. Mr. McEwen an address, recitations by Misses E. Harbour and Anne Graham, duet by the Misses Kerr, violin number by Mr. and Mrs. Moore, mouth-organ number by Miss Lena Ritchie, solos by Miss L. Walker, Messrs Allan Bell and J. L. Stedman, the two latter with Pte. Sam Levine also contributing brief addresses. A most enjoyable evening was spent, lunch being served at the close, and it was nearly 1 p. m. before dispersion.

Bruce County Soldiers' Re-union

Arrangements are being made for a monster celebration and re-union of all Bruce soldiers at Chesley, June 3rd. Watch for bills announcing the program of sports and special attractions.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. Thos. McArthur of Ceylon, visited town friends over Sunday.

Mr. Alex and Miss Mary McQueen visited Boothville friends the beginning of the week.

Mr. Jno. A. Black, Chesley and daughters visited friends in Geniel while taking his daughters back to their respective schools.

Mr. A. D. Browning was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday morning with something of an epidemic nature. His son Wm. was for and at latest accounts he is improving and all will wish the family relief from the anxiety.

Mr. Chris. Firth for a week back has been very ill, and his life has been almost despaired of. We hope his cheery kindly countenance may soon greet us on the streets again.

Mr. Duncan McKenzie at latest accounts is more than holding his own. Duncan Jr. and wife, also John and his wife came last week but the two sons have returned to duty again.

About 60 neighbors and friends of Mr. Thos. Collier, Edge Hill, met at his home last Wednesday evening to welcome Mrs. Collier to her locality. The evening was spent in social intercourse, games and music.

Mrs. (Rev.) McEwen spent a week with her parents in Arthur, returning this week. Mrs. McEwen is one of ten children who honors these parents, all living and the youngest over 30. A wonderful record.

Pleased to learn that Mr. W. D. Mills, St. Catharines, is recovering after a severe illness with pneumonia.

Mr. John Ferguson, B. A., new High School Principal, has been on duty since Tuesday morning. He is favorably impressed with the school, the students and surround things and seems to be making a good impression himself.

Radiant news comes from Toronto that Mr. J. P. Telford is doing splendidly after the recent operation for the malignant growth on the throat. He can now eat well and sleep well and we feel as if the town bell should jubilate to tell the good news to his townsmen, who sincerely rejoice.

Miss Susie Kelsey left for Janson, Saskatchewan last week where she has taken a school for a year.

Mr. John Colville left Monday for the West to return to his duties as conductor on the C. N. R. lines. His many old friends were pleased to have him with them for almost two weeks.

Mrs. S. McComb and daughter, Mrs. Miller of Brantford are in Chesley attending the post-nuptial reception of the former's daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) Moore.

Mr. Will Howie, a former teacher of Edge Hill School, is renewing old acquaintances in that section and at Mr. Wm. Ritchie's in town. Mr. Howie has recently returned from overseas where he spent three years.

Miss Marguerite Kelsey left Monday to enter Ferguson Hospital as nurse-in-training.

Mr. Wes. Morton left last Friday to take a position in Central Butte, Sask., along with his brother Tom.

Mr. J. A. Graham attended the meetings of the Ontario Educational Association in Toronto last week. He was a delegate from South Grey Teachers' Institute and was there elected Chairman of the Rural Teachers' Section of the O. E. A. His paper on "The Ideal Secretary of a Teachers' Institute" read before the Institute section on Wednesday afternoon will have the honor of being included in full in the printed minutes of the O. E. A. About 1500 teachers attended from the Universities, Collegiate Institutes, High Schools and Public Schools of Ontario. The meetings lasted three days and were well-attended and inspiring throughout.

Plans for a Bigger Fall Fair

The Board of Directors of South Grey Agricultural Society at a recent meeting finally fixed the dates of the Fall Fair on SEPT. 30th and OCTOBER 1st. They are making decided efforts to make the Show of 1919 the best ever. They have secured a large number of new members and expect many more. The Field Crop Competition in oats will be held this year. Competitors must be members of the Society and must also pay a fee of one dollar at time of entry. Failing to win a prize, this dollar will be refunded. Seventy-five dollars in seven prizes. Prize winners must show a sheaf at the Fall Fair, for which large prizes are offered. Send applications to Secy. Geo. Binnie, R. R. 2, Priceville, before May 20th. Speeding on the track will also be a feature at the Fall Fair.

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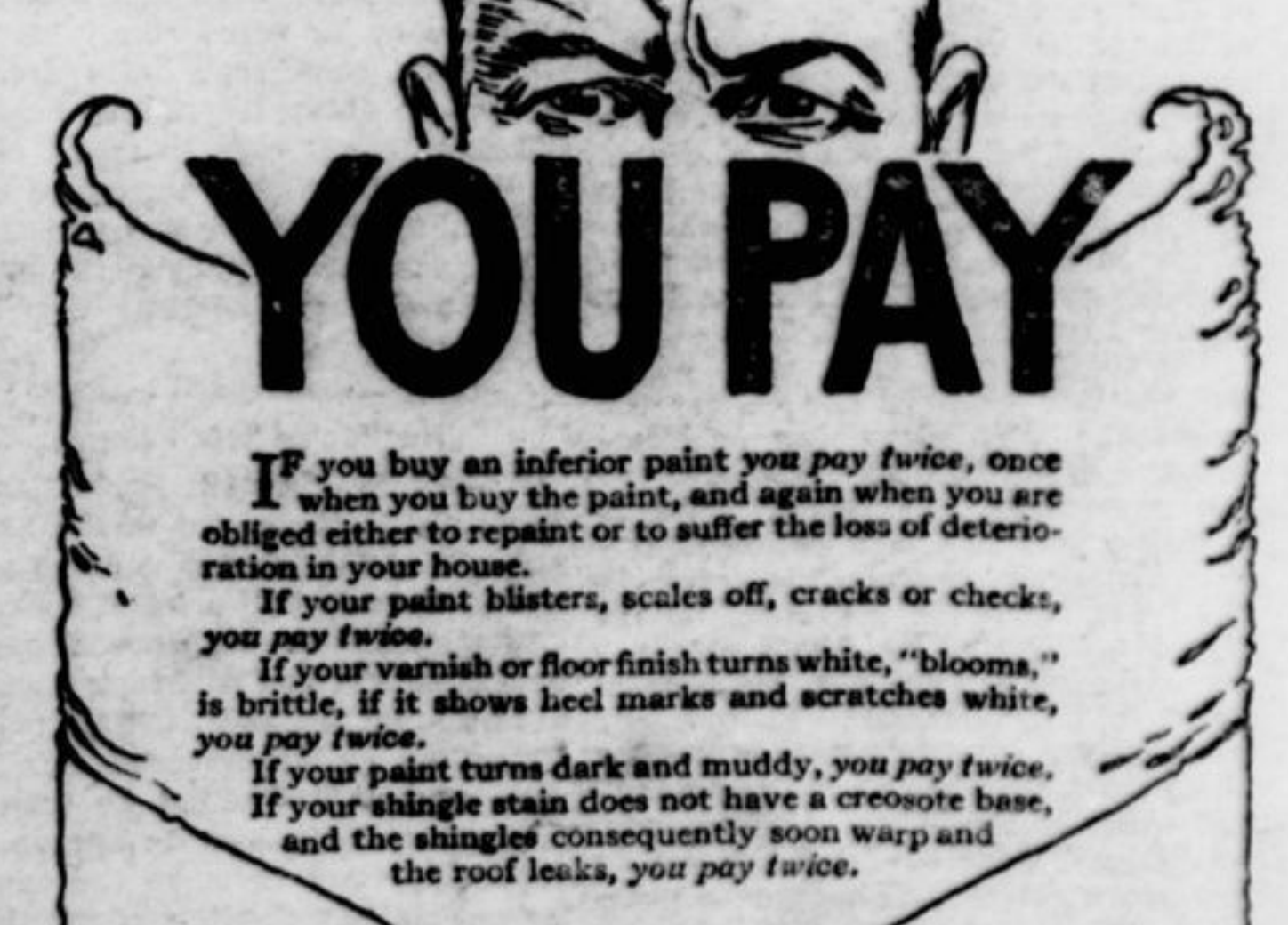
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