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TOWN TOPICS

Mr Sydney Glazier, a well known Insurance Agent of Owen Sound, and an old Durham boy, was in town Wednesday.

Just Received—A load of B.C.Shingles

A special price for this fall—$4.35 per square for 3X and $4.75 for 5X.
J. N. MURDOCK

Never

Mrs Nancy Ketchum O'Brien of Osseo, Wis., at the age of 104, declares she will never marry again Aren't young girls impulsive ?

Don't forget Holstein "World's Fair" on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Then there remains Priceville on Oct. 4th and 5th.

The placing of any sign or board advertisement within half a mile of a provincial highway is now a criminal offence and the police are supposed to lay charges against the persons responsible for placing such signs.

Landed County Contract

The contract for installing a new hot water heating system in the North Grey Registry Office, Owen Sound, has been let to J. H. Harding, our well known local plumber and hardware merchant. He will commence work on the job shortly. This is the first occasion we recall that a local firm has secured a contract in the County Town, against county competition, and the county officials may be assured of a satisfactory job.

Successful in Elora.

The Elora Express of Sept. 13, 1923 says: "'A night in Fairyland,' which was held in the Armoury hall last night proved to be quite up to the high expectation of the many who anxiously awaited its presentation. The interesting program was just a nice length and was carried through with splendid promptness." In Town Hall, Durham, on October 5th and 6th

Died at Hanover Hospital

Mr Daniel Lippert, ex-reeve of Neustadt, passed away at the Hanover Memorial Hospital Friday last as a result of pleuro-pneumonia. Mr Lippert took an active part in the community affairs of Neustadt and represented the village as reeve at the County Council fo a number of years and at the time of his death was a member of the village council. He was also President of the Neustadt Agricultural Society. He leaves beside his widow one son and four daughters to mourn his death.

Women's Missionary Society Meet

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church, met on Friday in the vestry of the church. In the absence of the President, Mrs A. Derby, the chair was taken by Mrs J. Bell. The meeting opened with hymn and prayer and Miss E. Calder gave the Bible reading. Miss Ethel Derby read a good story bearing on China, telling of the christianizing of the Chinese and of the great numbers wanting to adopt European customs. Miss Margaret McGirr took the paper which was on "Oriental Immigration" and she drew attention to the manner of which we speak of the "foreigner" as if he were not human, and allowing him to live in this country but not to have the franchise. Miss McIlraith gave a very interesting talk of the work of a deaconess in the outlying districts of Toronto. Miss McIlraith sees the humorous side of which she often comes in contact with in the Social Service Dept. Miss McIlraith is to be commended for choosing this career and we feel that to her it is a labor of love. The Lord's Prayer closed an interesting meeting.

House for Sale

Good two story frame dwelling on Lambton Street : hard and soft water, bath, furnace electric light, etc. Apply on premises to Mrs Geo. Young, Durham.

Rob Roy Grain Prices—We are paying 40 to 45c for Oats, 60c for Barley, 65c to 68c for Buckwheat, $1.20 to $1.25 for Peas and 90c to 95c for Wheat at our elevator this week.
Rob Roy Mills Limited

Bear Ran in Front of Car

While motoring into Proton Station from the west side one evening last week, Messrs Fred Martin and Ed. Badgerow were surprised to see a half grown black bear cross the road, a short distance ahead of the car. There is considerable bush in the neighborhood and the bear soon disappeared into its comforting depths away from mere man. To see a bear in this part is rare indeed, although they are numerous on the Bruce Peninsula.

Varney Anniversary

Varney Anniversary services will be held on Sunday and Monday, Sept. 30th and Oct. 1st. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 will be conducted by J. J. Maloney. Monday evening supper will be served in the Hall from 6 to 8 p. m., after which a good program, including an address by Mr Maloney, will be given in the Church. Admission Monday evening 35c & 15c

"A Night in Fairyland."

The event of the season will be produced in the Town Hall, Durham, on October 5th and 6th. This is "A Night in Fairyland", the all-juvenile musical success. Over 80 local children are taking part and they have already started rehearsals in a way which will assure splendid results. The whole production is being produced by Miss E. M. Drake, under the auspices of Canadian Greys' Chapter I. O. D. E. Some of the interesting items are a very difficult sailor girls' dance a beautiful costumed fairy play, and Japanese, Chinese and Gypsy numbers in pretty costumes.

Durham 20, Harriston 8.

Durham's good Junior Ball team got away to a good semi-final start, winning in Harriston Tuesday by 20 runs to 8 in the first home and home game. Only five innings were played before darkness fell. It was no day for baseball, as the afternoon was dull and misty, with rain at intervals. With a wet field and wet ball overthrows and errors were numerous, which accounted for the big score run up. Harriston has a good team and but little line could be obtained on the merits of either nine under the conditions.

Harriston comes to Durham to-day, Thursday, for the return game, and with fine weather this should be a real game. Durham lads hope to continue their winning gait and should they be victors to-morrow, they will then meet Lucan in the Junior finals.

The score by innings :

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Durham	3	5	9	3	0	20
Harriston	2	3	1	2	0	8

DURHAM	HARRISTON
Goldsmith, p. & 1st b.	Becker, p.
Corbett 1st & 2nd b.	Robb, 1st b.
E. Schutz, c.	Snyder, c.
Mountain, p. & 2nd b.	Lemon 2nd b.
W Vollett, 3rd b.	Brackenbush 3rd b.
Irv. Elvidge, s s.	J. Davidson, s.s.
Moorhead, l. f.	Joe Davidson, l. f.
M. Lauder c. f.	Eccles, c. f.
Ab Kress r. f	Brandt, r. f.

Umpires—Weinert, Neustadt and Hillhouse, Clifford.

Welcome Cut in Durham Hydro Rates

It was good news to Durham light and power users to learn this last week that a 20 per cent reduction had been made. The town has been paying $50 per horse power for the monthly load supplied : this is now $40, and is retroactive to Jan. 1st, 1923, so the local Hydro Com. receives the benefit of the cheaper rate all year.

The domestic rate was 5c per kilowat hour for the first 30 hours per 1000 sq. feet and 2c per hour after. This is now 4c and no reduction for second rate—still 2c per hour.

Commercial rate is based upon the installed horse power load, and was 10c, 5c and 1c per kilowat hour. New rates are 8c, 4c and 8-10c per hour.

The power rates are cut from 4½c 3c and .15c per hour to 3.9c, 2.6c and .15c, while street lights remain same rate, $16 per year per light.

These lowered rates all take effect with the last monthly bill, recently delivered.

It is gratifying to the local Commission and to all Hydro users in town to know that the total amount of horse power used in the town has earned a lower rate, and produces a revenue more than sufficient to meet all debentures coming due, and all expenses of operation. The past two years have been prosperous hydro years locally, after several of deficits, which is attributable partially to increased lighting, but mainly to the power consumption being greatly increased when several local industries were connected up.

Second Ladies' Tournament

Durham Bowling Green was alive.—both literally and figuratively please—with femininity on Monday afternoon last, when the second ladies' bowling tournament of the season was staged. When the reader considers that eight rinks of lady bowlers (which in plain English spells 32 ladies) were playing at one time, it serves to show the hold Admiral Drake's favorite pastime has on Durham ladies. The green sward looked its best after the recent heavy rains and the day being warm, the wearing apparel was predominantly light, sweaters being much in vogue.

At three o'clock the rinks were well away and the play throughout the afternoon was keen and interesting. The Harding cup which was being contested for, was reposing one end of the sward, and for a time it appeared it might be anybody's trophy. As the afternoon passed on, it narrowed down to the rinks skipped by Mrs. C. A. Robins, Miss Margaret Hunter, Mrs S. McBeth and Miss Marion Calder.

In the second event these rinks were pitted against each other, with the result that Mrs Robbin's rink came first and Miss Hunter's rink second, the difference of the score between them being small.

Tea was served at six o'clock and a social time followed. At the close of the evening's play the cup was again presented to Mrs Robbins and to her assistants to keep till again challenged. Also to each lady of the winning rink went cups and saucers and to the ladies of the second high rink went correspondence cards. Consolation prizes of handkerchiefs went to Mrs McBeth's rink and fancy talcum powder to Miss Calder's rink. The ladies of Mrs Robbin's rink, the winning rink, were :

Mrs Allan McFarlane
Mrs W. McDonnell
Mrs. P. Gagnon
Mrs. C. A. Robbins, skip

Miss Hunter's or the second high rink, comprised the following ladies :

Mrs G. McKechnie
Mrs (Rev.) W H. Smith
Mrs Moore McFadden
Miss M. L. Hunter, skip

May Overtake Funerals

Thos. Hellmuth of Brantford, was one of eight autoists summoned to appear at Simcoe, charged with violating the Motor Vehicles Act with respect to a funeral procession. The other seven called on a magistrate and settled. Mr Helmuth asked the Motor League to take care of his case and A. A. Winter was retained for the defence. Mr Winter produced the statutes to show that in 1914 the section with respect to funerals, required autos to drivers not in procession to stop when they met or overtook a funeral. In 1917 "or overtake" was struck out and now the section reads "meet." He held, that as his client had overtaken and passed the funeral, he had committed no offence and the court so ruled. The case was dismissed. Some of the others who overtook and passed the funeral and who paid their fines without putting in a defence are naturally chagrined. It would appear that an autoist who overtakes a funeral is entitled to an easement to pass every vehicle in the procession.

Bought Residence.

Mr. C. C. Douglas has purchased the cottage on Queen Street next Mr John Kelly's residence, from Mr Chas Clark. It was formerly the property of Mr. John A. Black.

Last Half Holiday

Next Thursday, September 27th, will be the last weekly half holiday for Durham stores, and Wednesday, Sept. 26th, will be the last open Wednesday night ofthe season, also last Wednesday of special bargains. Read them on page 4.

Will be a Musical Treat.

Prof. Weaver, the gifted organist and choirmaster of Knox Church of Walkerton, will give a grand pipe organ recital and choir concert, bringing his choir of 30 voices, in the Pres. Church, Monday night, Sept. 24th. Under Pres. Choir auspices. Don't miss this musical treat.

Moved into New Home

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bailey who have been occupying the Telford home in Upper Town for the past six months, have vacated this week and gone to Campbellford, where they will in future reside. Mr. Thos. Scarf and sisters, Misses Ruby and Marion, have moved in to their new home this week

Will Visit City Schools

The East Grey Teachers' Association have decided to vary conditions this year and instead of holding a convention within the inspectorate, will go to Toronto in a body and visit some of the city schools, with a view of getting some pointers from this source.—Standard.

Baptist District Meeting Here

The annual B. Y. P. U. Rally of the Owen Sound Association of Baptist Churches, is to be held in Durham Baptist Church, Thursday, Sept. 27th. Rev. Harvey Meritt, Preston and Rev. Andrew Imrie, Kitchener, are the leading speakers. Mr Harry Griff, of town, is District Sec'y Treasurer.

Good Bye to Rev. Mr. Jones

Teachers Meet in Durham

South Grey Teachers will hold their annual Convention in Durham High School, on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 11th and 12th. It is three or four years since the teachers last assembled here, and a hundred or more are expected on this occasion. The majority will be new faces since last here and on behalf of the town, we extend to them a civic welcome.

Will You Phone Us ?

If you see an accident or any unusual happening, phone us. If you have some one visiting you or know of some one being in town or going away, phone us. Routine or ordinary happenings are not wanted, but if you will keep your eyes and ears openen for the new and unusual, it will help us make a better paper for you and our readers. We can't know everything, and we can't be everywhere. Tips are appreciated. Phone us.

Death of Mrs Robt. Little

The death took place in Owen Sound on Wednesday night last of Mrs. Robert Little, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Sparling. Mrs. Little is well known in Durham and vcinity, her husband being a brother of Mrs Thos. and Mrs S. F. McComb and of Mr. Adam Little, fomerly of Varney. The funeral was held at Thornbury Saturday, service being held in the Methodist church there.

Home Saddened by Death

The home of Mr and Mrs W. D. Tedford, 1132—4th Ave., Owen Sound, was saddened Wednesday last by the death of their younger son Robert George, aged 3 months. The child was not very rugged since birth and a slight illness terminated in his death. The funeral was held from the parent's residence Friday, Rev Locke, pastor of First Methodist Church, O. Sound, officiating. The remains were laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery. The little lad is a grandson of Mr and Mrs Wm. Harrison, Shallow Lake.

Mrs (Rev.) E. Cameron's Musicale

The musicale given last Monday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs (Rev.) E. Cameron was an occasion long to be remembered and was enjoyed by all present. The double parlors were beautiful with ferns and flowers, easy chairs and rockers. Little Thelma and Audrey Bell proved to be dainty little door ladies and ushers. The lunch was served by Miss McIlraith, Mrs Virrs and Mrs Grainey. Mrs. H. J McFadyen was treasurer for the day. The program was continuous, consisting of baby grand Sonora selections, instrumental duetts were given by the Misses Fursman, A. T. C. M. and was much enjoyed by all. Mrs Speace gave three numbers : "The Prodigal Girl," "Pat's Mistake," and "Sammy Grier." All who heard Mrs Speace want to hear her again. Her rendition and articulation shows training of high order. Miriam and Eben Cameron gave several numbers in their usual manner, one number amusing the audience being "When Polly put pepper in her tea." Little Mary Moffat and Edna Grainey assisted in this number. The proceeds after expenses are deducted, will go to Durham Hospital.

PERSONAL MENTION

Rev. Wm. Martin of London, spent over the week end with his brother-in-law, Dr. D. Jamieson.

Mr and Mrs Jno McLean, with two sisters of the latter from Shelburne, were vistors over Sunday last with Mrs McL's mother, Mrs T. McGirr.

Mr. and Mrs Alex McKinney, from Erin, were visitors over Sunday with the latter's cousins, Mrs Thos. McGirr and Mrs John Bell, Glenelg.

Mr and Mrs W. A. Loughran and daughter Mary of Moorefield, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Stricker of the same village, were visitors at Mr John Burgess' the first of the week.

Mrs. J. A. Rowland was called to Embro last week, owing to the illness of her father, who suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mr John Rocks of Toronto, was a visitor with his brother-in-law, Mr. David Leith over the week end.

Mrs Jolly of Brantford, is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs W. H. Smith at the Manse.

Mr Chas. Brigham, wife and family from near Paisley, were visiting at the home of Mrs Henry Cross the first of the week.

Mrs. C. A. Robbins is spending a few days with her people in Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Muir and little son of Ceylon, left Tuesday last for Toronto, where Mrs Muir will visit with friends, while Mr Muir goes as as North Bay and other points, to act as judge at Fairs. He expects to be away about two weeks.

Messrs John and Joe Firth were present from Riverview, taking in the Durham Fair and visiting their aunt, Mrs. Wm Ritchie.

Mr and Mrs Douglas Brigham, Chicago, are here on a short visit with Mr B's parents, Mr and Mrs Will Brigham.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Scarf, Toronto, are visiting their respective relatives in and about Durham.

Miss Jean Floyd of near Chesley, now teacher at Holstein school, spent over the week end with Mrs McCannel

Mr. and Mrs Wm Lewis and Mr. and Mrs Frank Johnston of Malton, were visiting their cousins, the Brigham, Cross and Burnet families last week end.

Mr John Turnbull of South Bentinck, is completing his matriculation subjects this year at Guelph Vocational Institute.

Mr and Mrs A. M. Gilchrist of Flesherton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel, to John A. Nichol of Priceville, the marriage to take place the latter part of September.

Mr and Mrs John Renton, Dromore, more, announce the engagement of their daughter, Eva Alice, to Alexander Milne, son of Mr. and the late Mrs A. Milne of Dromore, the marriage to take place on Sept. 19th.

Mr and Mrs Wilfrid Livingstone, of Dux Revere, New Ont., while returning from their wedding trip to New York, were visiting, his parents, Mr. and Mrs W. A. Livingstone, Vickers, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs John Rayner, and Mr and Mrs Hackey Rayner and son Victor from the 4th and 5th cons., Beverley, motored up Saturday and spent the week end with Mr and Mrs J. W. Blyth and family, Varney.

Mr and Mrs Jas. Isaac and daughter Beatrice, Corbetton, with Mr and Mrs H. Isaac, Dundalk, visited their cousin, Mr R. H. Isaac, the first of the week.

Mrs Donald Campbell, Upper Town, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs D. A. Campbell and two children of Welbeck, left Monday for Vancouver, B. C., where they will visit for a month or more with the former's son Oliver whom Mrs Campbell has not seen for 18 years. Oliver is married to a one-time Durham girl, Miss Etta Fox, and who is a niece of Mr Jos. Firth, Upper Town. Mrs D. A. Campbell will attend while there, the sessions of the Triennial Women's Press Club of Canada, which is on from Sept. 24—27, and doubtless her facile pen will be kept busy for some time in the future. We wish them both a pleasant trip.

MARRIED

ROBERTSON—HARTMAN

A pretty wedding took place at Priceville Methodist Church when Pearl A. only (adopted) daughter of Mr and Mrs Jos. Hartman, was united in marriage to Walton E., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs Jas. Robertson of Meaford. Rev. W. E. Curran officiated. Mr and Mrs Robertson will reside on the groom's farm at Blantyre.

BORN

McARTHUR—In Glenelg, on Wednesday, Sept. 19th, to Mr and Mrs Angus McArthur, (Glen) a son.

WEIR—In Egremont, on Saturday, Sept. 15th, 1923, to Mr and Mrs Jas. Weir, a son.

Choir and Organ Recital

Professor Weaver, Organist and Choirmaster of Knox Presbyterian Church, Walkerton, with his choir of about 30 voices, will give a high class concert in Durham Presbyterian Church,

Monday Evening, Sept. 24th

Prof. Weaver is a pipe organist of some repute and will render several pipe organ selections, as well as the choir, which will contribute several numbers.

This is a musical evening that cannot afford to be missed.

Concert at 8 p. m. **Admission 35c**

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