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## TOWN TOPICS

Just Received—A load of H.C. Shingles  
A special price for this fall—\$4.35  
per square for 3X and \$4.75 for 5X.  
J. N. MURDOCK

**Hanover Show on Wednesday**  
Very largely attended, the various attractions as well as the fair proper drawing a large crowd. Mr. Jas. Ellison, Glenelg, came home with four red tickets won by his fancy team.

**Leased the Alexander Farm**  
Mr. Alex. McDonald, Dromore, has leased the Alexander farm near town. Alex. is well known in and around the town and has leased his own farm to Wm. Atchison of Dromore.

**Is Building a New House**  
Mr. Jas. Ledingham is building a new double story brick house on College Street and expects to occupy it in about a month's time. Mr. J. A. M. Robb, Principal of the High School, will occupy Mr. Ledingham's present home when he vacates.

**Monthly Institute Meeting**  
The monthly meeting of the Durham Branch Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Ritchie, on Thursday, Oct. 4th. "How can we interfere with digestion?" by Mrs. Wm. Ritchie, Bentinck; "The Monthly Institute Act" by Mrs. Thos. McGill; Current Events by Mrs. Philip Lawrence. Music.

**Operation at the Red Cross Hospital**  
Miss Irene Whittaker, daughter of Mr. Jack Whittaker of town, and for some time the "Hello" girl at the Bell Central here, was operated upon Wednesday morning in Durham Hospital for an abscess under her arm which has been giving her considerable trouble of late. We are pleased to state the patient is progressing favorably.

**Announcement**  
Prof. E. Katz, the noted eye sight specialist, of Listowel, well known around here for years for his good work in relieving eye sight troubles, eye strain, head ache, etc., will be at the Hahn House, Tuesday Oct. 2nd, when he will test eyes by the system that seldom fails. High class sample frames and lenses of the Canadian Optical Co., Toronto, for nearly half price. For that day you don't miss it. E. KATZ

**Were Successful in their Exams.**  
Misses Jessie Twamley, Crawford, and Mary Turnbull, Bentinck, were successful in passing their supplemental exam in English Composition, which they wrote on last week in Owen Sound and have now fully completed their Normal Entrance and Junior Matriculation standing. Miss Jessie will remain at home for a year while Miss Mary will attend North Bay Normal School.

**A Prominent Renfrew Citizen**  
Not Lord Renfrew, but Mr. Frank D. Vickers, an old Durham boy, who is now one of the foremost civic workers in the growing eastern town of Renfrew. We have just received a copy of the "old home week" edition of the Renfrew Mercury, 36 pages and profusely illustrated, which is a credit to the publishers. Among the illustrations are Mr. Vickers' residence, himself as Chairman of the Publicity Com. of Old Home Week and of the Rotary Club of which he is a member.

**Re Telephone Accounts**  
The Bell Telephone Co. is very urgent in pressing upon the local Manager, Mr. Thos. Saunders, the fact that all telephone accounts must be promptly paid, or service is to be cut off. The local office is very reluctant to discontinue service to any subscriber, and asks the co-operation of all telephone users in getting their accounts settled before the 21st of each month. In any case they must be paid before the end of the month of issue. Better to settle promptly after receipt of bill, than central is not obliged to ask for it and patron is assured continuous service.

**Is Building a New Verandah**  
Mr. Bert Stonehouse is erecting a cement pillar and block verandah to his home on Countess St. which adds greatly to the general appearance.

**Grand Concert in Town Hall**  
A grand concert will be given in the Town Hall during week of Oct. 15, by artists, graduates of Ont. School for the Blind, Miss Gretta Lammie, violinist, and Miss Gladys Slay, pianist and soprano; Miss Kathleen Sells elocutionist. They formerly were on Chautauqua circuits. Watch for date.

**No Early Winter**  
An Indian trapper in the Timmins District, Northern Ontario, last week gave it as his opinion that the North-Land will have a lot of pleasant mild weather yet this year and that the talk of a severe and early winter is all hokum. He based his prognostications upon the signs he noted in the bush and among the animals and also in regard to features connected with the season.

**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 p. m. 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 50 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. O. 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.

**Car Turned on Side**  
While motoring along the Garrafraxa in front of Mr. Murray Ritchie's on Monday night, Mr. H. R. Koch shut off the gas and released the wheel the wheel of his Chevrolet to place a robe over his little son. Then noticing the car almost in the ditch, he tried to turn it out, but with little juice on, in the loose gravel, it tilted over on its side, breaking the windshield and bending two fenders. Mr. Koch had an artery cut in his wrist by the windshield, and Miss Myrtle received a bump against the back of car, but neither injury was serious. Mr. Koch ascribes the accident simply to over-confidence on good highway; had it been a side road, he would have used more caution and brought the car to a stop.

**Enjoyed Her Trip to the Coast**  
We recently received a letter from a former Normanby girl, Maggie Grant, now Mrs. Thos. H. Reid, of Moosomin, Sask., and a sister to Mr. Wm. Grant of Varney. She tells us in her letter of going to Kamloops to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law Mrs. John Reid and from here with her husband, went on as far as Vancouver, where she says "my brother John met us and we don't seem to see much change in him. We had a lovely visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Harte (nee Maggie Smith) but our time was all too short for they had so many places to take us and exhibition week also. However they are both fine and I expect them to visit us ere long. I met Mrs. John Turnbull, a former Durham lady and her house was home to us when in New Westminster. When in Vancouver we called at the office of our Dr. Brown, formerly of Holstein. He made a date at once for us to dine with them and we had a delightful time. I had not met Mrs. Brown before, but found her a most charming woman and every one you meet over there speak so highly of Dr. Brown. We'll our harvest is over and the threshing well on. We commence to thresh tomorrow."

## Lucan Won First Final from Durham, 3 to 2

Playing off the first final for the North Wellington Baseball League Junior Championship on Wednesday, Lucan came from behind in the last three innings and nosed Durham out by one run, 3-2. It was undoubtedly the best ball game ever played here and our Juniors are deserving of great credit for the tip-top brand of ball they exhibited under handicap. This latter was owing to two of the regular team being off the line-up—A. Kress being now at Kincardine, H. S. and Erben Schutz, the catcher, who came up from Toronto Normal for the game, then broke his arm at athletic sports in the morning. Pitcher Harold Mountain donned the catcher's mask and mitt, and did remarkably well.

Goldsmith and Riddell, the hurlers, were almost entirely masters of the game and hits were a scarce article. Durham scored first in the fifth when Corbett got a walk and three successive batters were hit by pitcher, forcing Corbett home. Mountain lifted one to right field and Stanley made a magnificent catch, which saved the game for Lucan as two runs at least would have counted. Goldsmith banded a two-baser in next innings and scored on Moorhead's hit.

Lucan started in 7th when Filmore hit a 3-baser and came home on Mundy's single. Mara singled in 8th, stole second and reached home on a wild pitch. In the 9th Filmore got a walk, Riddell sacrificed, and the former scored the winning run which Mountain threw to 1st to retire the batter with but one out. It was a sad ending to a brilliant game. Snappy fielding was in evidence on both sides, and outside of the pitchers' battles, the features were brilliant catches by Vollet, Stanley and Moorhead. The latter also stole bases.

LUKAN	A. B.	R.	H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Chown, 2nd	4	0	0	4	2	0
Stanley, 1st	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mara, s. s.	4	1	1	0	1	0
Westman, 1st	4	2	1	8	2	5
Filmore, c.	3	0	1	10	1	0
Riddell, p.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Whiteford, l. f.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cranston, 3rd	4	0	0	1	0	0
Mundy, 1st	2	0	1	0	0	0

DURHAM	A. B.	R.	H.	P. O.	A.	E.
R. Burnett, 1st	5	0	1	7	0	2
H. Mountain, c.	4	1	1	11	1	1
Goldsmith, p.	4	1	1	1	3	0
Vollet, 3rd	3	0	0	1	0	0
Elvidge, s. s.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Moorhead, l. f.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Corbett, c. f.	3	1	1	1	0	0
McLeod, 2nd	3	0	1	2	0	0
Kress, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lauder, r. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0

**Umpires—McFarlane and Hastie, Hariston.**  
The second game will be played in Lucan next week, date yet unsettled. Durham lads are confident, that with even breaks, they can yet win out.

**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

**Broke His Wrist**  
A most unfortunate accident befell Erben Schutz Wednesday morning, when vaulting at the High School. His pole was not heavy enough and bending under his weight, he dropped back when he saw he couldn't clear the bar. He held out his right hand to break his fall and his weight snapped the bone unevenly at the wrist. He had left Monday for Toronto and had returned Tuesday night to catch for Durham in their final game Wednesday against Lucan. The accident made playing impossible, but H. Mountain ably filled his position. He returned to Toronto Thursday with arm in sling.

**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.

**Restaurant in New Hands**  
After retaining possession a little over a week, Mr. E. V. Runciman last week sold the restaurant and confectionary business he had bought from Jas. Gibbins, to Mr. Robt. Lindsay, former grocer here. Both Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay are natives of the town or near by, and should have a successful business.

**Durham Club Elect Officers**  
The Durham Club of Toronto have reorganized again for winter's work and held their annual meeting Monday night, Sept. 17th at the Queen Mary Tea Rooms, 32 King St. West. The following are the new slate of officers of the Club: President—Miss May McClocklin; Vice President—Mrs. Cunningham; Secretary—Miss Ida Davis; Treasurer—Miss Alice Grant; Convener of Supply Com.—Mrs. Wm. Dawson; Convener of Social Com.—Mrs. McGraw.

## Mt. Forest District Meeting

The financial district meeting of the Mount Forest District was held in the Methodist Church, Holstein, on Friday night, with Rev. John E. Peters in the chair. Sessions were held at 10.20 a. m.; 2.00 p. m. and 8.00 p. m. All the members of the District were present and many from Durham, Arthur and Mount Forest.

It was decided to accept the amounts apportioned to the District for the several funds of the Church, and to make an earnest effort to reach the objective in each case. Arrangements were made for a series of Sunday-School and Young People's Institutes throughout the District, and also for an aggressive missionary campaign, the former to be held in October, the latter in November. Rev. W. E. Albertson, of China, now home on furlough, gave an interesting address during the afternoon session on the work of our missionaries in China and Japan, giving special prominence to the type of Christian that is being developed amongst the natives of those interesting countries, and at night he entertained with a travelogue on China which was at once interesting and instructive. Rev. S. L. W. Harton, of Galt, delivered inspirational addresses on delivered inspirational addresses during the morning and afternoon sessions. The ladies of the church served a dainty lunch and supper to all the delegates and visitors. The November district meeting will be held in Grand Valley on Tuesday, November 6th, and the subjects to be discussed will be Missions and Christian Stewardship.

## Death of Mr Adam Cranston

Relatives here received word last week that Adam Cranston of Antler, North Dakota, had died on the 15th of September, at the advanced age of 87 years. He leaves as chief mourners, his wife, and nine children, all living near the home. A nephew, Mr. Alex. Cranston, lives near Dornoch; Mr. Geo. Binnie, Glenelg, is also a nephew, and nieces are Mrs. Thos. McGill, Mrs. John Bell, Mrs. John Weir and Mrs. W. L. Dixon.  
Mr. Cranston was born in Roxburghshire, Scotland, and came to Canada a young man. Some fifty or more years ago he was a well known personage in South Grey. At that time he lost his eyesight, but though blind he was blessed with a most optimistic nature and being strongly musical, he formed and conducted singing classes for a number of years, using the solfa system, aiding his pupils by means of a chart which he could use effectively in spite of the handicap. Quite a number of the older sort, which includes the writer, will yet cherish kindly memories of the singing schools conducted by Adam Cranston. He had a wonderful memory and his command of the Psalms as sung in Presbyterian churches, enabled him to act infrequently as presenter, and he knew a large number of hymns as well.  
Mr. Cranston was intelligent to a degree, kindly and genial, and in his cheerful presence as we remember him, one never thought of his affliction. The career of this man making his way in the world and keeping in touch with public affairs, though blind, is an example and inspiration to those not so afflicted. In his lone life he was happy, loved his family, and was loved and revered in turn. He had a beautiful old age. To all his loved ones we extend sympathy, though the occasion does not call for grief; he has been gathered as a sheaf of corn, fully ripe, and we lay our tribute fondly on his tomb.

**BORN**  
RIMMER—At the Red Cross Hospital, Durham, on Tuesday, Sept. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Rimmer, a son.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Geo. Mutrie of Grand Valley, was a visitor last week with her cousin, Mrs. E. Mills, Upper Town, and also with her nephew, S. D. Croft.

Mr. J. A. Black and daughter Katelybel of Chesley, with their guests, Mr. and Mrs. G. McMecken and daughter of Stratford, were callers on Durham friends Sunday, en route to Pricerville.

Mrs. E. McClocklin and daughter, Miss Minnie, left Thursday last for Toronto, after spending some time with the former's son, E. D. in town. Mrs. McClocklin has not had good health for a few weeks back, but at time of leaving felt considerably better.

Messrs. Malcolm and Dougal McKinnon, the former's sister and daughter Misses Kate and Iona, and Miss Lillian McGregor, of the county line, Sullivan and Bruce, visited the first of the week at Mr. C. Ramage's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Burgess, the latter's mother, Mrs. Allan McKinnon, Miss Esther McComb and Mr. Herb. Cross spent the first of the week with Owen Sound friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Musgrove of Meaford, were visitors over the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Juchsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fiddis and child, Chesley, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fiddis of Brant, were guests this week at their aunt's, Mrs. Thos. Young.

Mr. Harold Ramage who for the past year has been reporting on the North Bay "Nugget", entered Toronto University this week to commence an Arts course.

Mrs. Neil McKinnon and sister, Mrs. Walker of Toronto, accompanied their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown of Glasgow, Scotland, to Durham last week, and have visited their many friends and relatives in Pricerville, Durham, Glenelg and Bentinck.

Misses Ethel Young of Alma and Hazel of Irish Lake, teachers, were home over the week end.

Mrs. W. J. Philip of Dromore, visited over the week end with her daughter, Miss Roberta at Durham Hospital.

Mr. Alex. Bell left Monday for Medical College for his final year, after spending the summer months as assistant to Dr. J. G. Hutten.

Dr. Fred Loesson of Beloit, Wisconsin, came over this week on a flying visit to see his mother, Mrs. S. Loesson at Mt. Forest and also visited for a brief time with his brother, G. M., at Varney. We were pleased to have our yearly call from our ex-pupil.

Miss Katie Keisley left Monday for North Bay where she will attend Normal School. Miss Vida Ritchie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Ritchie, has also left for that town to attend the same school.

Misses Sarah McCallum and Esther Petty have left to attend Stratford Normal School. Also Miss Florence Melville from S. S. No. 14 Normanby will also attend Normal there.

Interesting visitors from Scotland in town this week are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown of Glasgow, a nephew of the late well known Alex. Brown of Pricerville and the late Mrs. Hobkirk, Crawford, and cousin of Mrs. Neil McKinnon and Mrs. Walker of Toronto, and Mrs. Hugh McDonald, Upper Town and a host of other friends.

With the Toronto friends named they have look in Toronto Show and since have been visiting relatives in Pricerville and Durham neighborhoods. We were pleased to fraternize with the Old County visitors who can give more vivid impressions of conditions in the Old Land than one glean from the papers. They are pleased with the country and climate and will carry back with them many pleasing associations. Mr. Brown visited Rocky Saugeen cemetery one day last week and here he found the names on the tomb stones of many of his kindred.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gadd of Vancouver, are visiting the former's sisters, Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. Jas. Petty, Normanby, for a week or two. It is 14 years since Jim last saw his early home and in that time many momentous moments have come his way—some of them fortunate, (when he met his wife) and others not so fortunate, as when he lost his left arm and two fingers of his right hand in an accident at his brother Thomas' lumber mill four years ago. However he is far from incapacitated and his spirit and ardor are not dampened in the least. En route East they stopped at Biggar, Sask., and Brandon, to visit his sisters and brother, Lydia, Louise and Ernest, and will in a few days leave for Ottawa where they will visit Mrs. Gadd's friends and her early home. From here they go on to Montreal and New York and across the American continent to Chicago and Denver and will also explore the Grand Canyon of Colorado before returning to Vancouver in the early winter. We were pleased to entertain this old Normanby boy for a short time Monday.

## NEW GOVERNMENT BOND ISSUE

A NEW issue of Dominion of Canada 5% Bonds dated October 15th, in denominations of \$100, \$500, and \$1000, maturing in 1928 and 1943, is now being offered to the public.

Holders of Victory Bonds maturing November 1st, 1923, may convert their holdings into the new loan on advantageous terms. Bonds of the old issue will be accepted for conversion at par, the holders retaining their November coupons. The new five year Bonds are offered at 99 and interest and twenty-year Bonds at 98 1/4 and interest.

These Bonds are an attractive investment and subscriptions will be received and conversions may be made at any Branch of this Bank, where full particulars will be furnished upon request.

## THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

MISS E. M. DRAKE presents  
**"A NIGHT IN FAIRYLAND"**  
An all-Juvenile Musical Success with 60 local Children, in the  
Town Hall, Durham  
Friday and Saturday,  
October 5th and 6th  
at 8.15 o'clock. SPECIAL COSTUMES AND MUSIC  
Tickets Now on Sale  
Plans open Saturday, Sept. 29, at McBeth's Drug Store  
ADMISSION: Reserved Seats 50c.

## Cooler Weather brings Coughs, Colds & Sore Throat

Carr's Cough Cure gives quick relief. Guaranteed and only per bottle..... 50c

Taxative Cold Tablets with Aspirin, recommended for Cold in the head per box..... 25c

Rikers' Bromide Quinine Tablets, reduce fever and reduce fever and break a cold per box..... 25c

Nyal's Creophos, the great TONIC AND TISSUE BUILDER, protects the system against frequent colds. Large bottle for..... \$1.00

Wampole's Cod Liver Extract, a well-known Tonic and Builder per bottle..... 1.00

### McFADDEN'S DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store  
Successors to MacFarlane & Co.

## Dominion of Canada New Government Loan

Holders of 1923 Victory Bonds may exchange through any of our Branches their holdings maturing November 1st next for New Dominion Government 5 per cent bonds due 1928 or 1943.

Cash applications for New Loan received, or, if desired, maturing Bonds will be collected and credited to customer's account. No charge whatever for this service.

Our Managers will be pleased to give full particulars.

### THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

## Swat the Flies Now

Don't allow them to live over the winter. Use some of these fly destroyers:

Wilson's Fly Pads Tanglefoot  
Dragon Fly Powder Fly Swatters  
Insect Powder, Etc.

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