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TOWN TOPICS

Notice!
All accounts owing to, or by, the late Dr. Hutton, must be paid, or presented for payment before February 29th, 1924. Address: P. O. Box 6, Durham, Ont.

It Found the Dog
Reeve Weir of Glenelg advertised his dog lost in last week's Review, and Saturday night he received word that it was at John Eckhardt's, south line, Glenelg, some 7 or 8 miles distant. He now has it home. The little Review ad. did the trick.

Entertained the Ladies' Aid
Mrs. Zenna Clark entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church on February 15th. It was at her home the Ladies' Aid was organized twelve years ago this month. A goodly number were present. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Clark served lunch.

Entertained the Auxiliary
About twenty five girls of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church, were entertained Monday evening at the home of Mrs. M. M. Marshall, and had a lovely time. A delightful lunch was served by the hostess late in the evening.

Remembered by former Associates
Mr. C. C. Middlebro, successor to Mr. A. B. Curry, was recently honored by a presentation of a silver mounted clock as a memento of days spent with Boy Scouts and Trail Rangers there. Mr. Middlebro is continuing active interest in this elevating work in Durham and we hope will meet encouragement on all sides.

With the Prospective Champions
With Durham Hockey team out of the race, Irving Elvidge is finishing up the season as sub. player with O. Sound Junior O. H. A. team, prospective champions. Monday night they beat Milverton in that village, 9 to 2. Tuesday they witnessed the Stratford-Preston game, and on Wednesday in Toronto, they trimmed Varsity Juniors 7 to 3. The return game in Owen Sound Friday night. North Bay is the only formidable team. O. Sound has yet to meet, and if our neighbors can take their measure, they are almost certain to be the new Junior champions.

Skating and Snow-Shoe Parties
Though the storm tied up business and train service Wednesday, it proved the old proverb, "It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," for the packing snow which fell made conditions favorable for an enjoyable snow-shoe tramp that night, held by the Presbyterian Young Women's Auxiliary. About 30 young people of both sexes made up a merry party, who encircled the town on its outskirts and wound up at the Presbyterian church schoolroom where games were played and lunch served. The same evening the Methodist choir and friends had engaged the Durham rink for their annual skating party, and among themselves, had a happy social night.

Negative Won Edge Hill Debate
A good attendance was present at Edge Hill Literary Society meeting held in the schoolhouse Thursday night last. Mrs. Ernest Greenwood, Vice President, was in the chair. After community singing in the opening number "O Canada," an interesting debate was held "Resolved that competition has done more for the prosperity of the farmer than co-operation." Messrs. Archie McDonald and Herb. Edge had the affirmative side, while Mr. John G. Firth and Miss Arnetta McKechnie upheld the negative. The Judges, Mr. Chas. Weppler, Mrs. H. Williams, Miss Elizabeth Allan gave the decision to the negative by 24 per cent. An amusing contest followed, answering 16 questions by names of parts of the body.

St. Valentine Remembered
Appropos of St. Valentine Day, Feb. 14th, the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church, arranged a social function in his honor. But the day proved to be of so stormy a nature, that it was deemed wise to postpone it to Monday of this week. Evidence of the admired Saint and what he has come to stand for in present day history, were used in the decoration scheme, and the tea table was equally attractive with the same heart favors and cut flowers and hyacinths. The afternoon was quite enjoyable in this atmosphere and a few program numbers gave spice to the conversational end of the afternoon. The numbers were: Piano duets, Misses Margaret Hunter and Alice Ramage, Marjorie Pickering and Jean Harding; Solos, Mrs. Moore McFadden, Miss Jessie Bell; violin solo, Mrs. C. Howell. A couple of oral contests managed by Mrs. S. McBeth and Mrs. C. Robbins were taken part in by all and proved to be nothing if not amusing. A dainty lunch was served and this also was well patronized. \$17.00 were the receipts from this tea.

THE STORM

Some of our budgets and other matters are delayed this week occasioned by blocked roads and railroads. The storm from the East on Tuesday began the blockade and last night and this Thursday morning a similar storm blows from the West and North west. At least a foot of snow must have been added to the previous ample supply. Wednesday C. N. R. evening train got through about 1 a.m. this morning and went out again on regular time, but Agent Croft can't guarantee when it will return. The storms are general over the Province and the blame is laid on some atmospheric contortions in the Gulf of Mexico! Our C. P. R. branch is tied up at present, a snow plow being stuck someplace.

This three or four day storm will soon have spent itself and we'll look for normal conditions again soon.

No Power Wednesday Morning
An accident to a transformer in Upper Town, cut off our power for half a day yesterday. Hydro has been very good so we must overlook one delay.

Bentinck Lady the Superintendent
Royal Alexandra Hospital, Fergus, has just closed another successful year, a strong financial statement being presented. Miss Marion B. Petty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Petty, Bentinck, is Lady Superintendent for 1924. Dr. A. Groves is the Medical Superintendent.

Mr and Mrs J. R. Gun Honored
Mr and Mrs Jas. R. Gun of Hamilton, were recently made the recipients of two very handsome gifts in their city recently, the Masonic Lodge of which Mr Gun is a member being the donors. The gift to Mr. Gun took the form of a Pastmaster's Jewel and to Mrs Gun a beautiful fur pin set with pearls. Mr Gun has been very active in Lodge work and this presentation is a tangible showing of appreciation to Mr and Mrs Gun. "J. R.", we are happy to say, has now completely recovered from his illness.

Presbyterian W. M. S. Meet
The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, met on Feb. 14th, St. Valentine's Day, at 2:30 p.m., with Mrs. And. Derby, President, in the chair. The Bible reading was "Salvation" and was given by Miss Calder. A very excellent paper on "Formosa" was contributed by Mrs. Nell McCannel, telling of the people, customs and religion. Mrs. A. H. Jackson gave the missionary prayer and Mrs. T. E. Brown the missionary story, telling how Dr. MacKay won the people by being able to extract teeth. Thus by relieving pain he gained the confidence of the people. The missionary visitors for the following month are Mrs. And. Derby and Mrs. T. Brown. The meeting closed with a hymn and prayer and the announcement that the inter-denominational prayer meeting will be held on March 7th.

Walkerton Curlers Win Here
Durham Curlers entertained three teams of Walkerton's "stane" enthusiasts on Monday afternoon and evening last, and we leave it to the line up given below to tell how Durham fared in the game. The ice was in good condition and the visit was enjoyable from a social standpoint as well. At the close of the evening's play, Can. Greys' L. O. D. E. served refreshments to the players and this was followed by a little impromptu speech from Mr. McNab of Walkerton, who in a few choice words, tendered the appreciation of the hospitality of Durham curlers and to the ladies who served the lunch. Miss Weir, Regent, responded for the Chapter and Rev. J. H. Whealan for the curlers. The return visit to Walkerton is expected, will be made shortly.

AFTERNOON GAME

Walkerton C. Moffat
Durham H. Cross
C. McLachlan
E. Lettner
McNab, skip 8
Kerr
Lambertus
Kreuger
Rourke, skip 21
G. Fenton, sk. 12
Rev. Wheatlan
McPhail
W. Smith
C. Smith sk 12
W. S. Hunter, sk. 10

EVENING GAME

G. Lettner
McPhail
W. Smith
C. Smith, sk. 4
Kerr
Lambertus
Kreuger
Rourke, sk. 13
Grabill
McCallum
E. Lettner
McNab, sk. 16
C. Middlebro
J. C. Adams
T. Henderson
W. Calder, sk. 17
J. McKechnie
H. Wilson
O. Hahn
G. Fenton, sk. 5
Arnold Noble
Ab. Noble
D. C. Towh
S. McBeth, sk. 9

Durham's First Loss Gave District to Listowel

About 200 local Supporters by Special train saw Listowel win 5-1.

The curtain was drawn over League hockey locally for 1924, when in Listowel last Friday night, the home team captured the deciding game from Durham by 5 goals to 1.

Durham had only two goals lead in the game here to carry to Listowel with them and as goals counted on the round, many were doubtful, though hopeful, as to the locals' ability to hold it. Heavy support was not lacking, for the local management engaged a special train to Listowel, supposed to leave at 6 p.m. and returning after the game, and the C. N. R. authorities desired to cancel it, but the local agent pressed the matter, to send what coaches were obtainable. Things were frozen up at the local tank here and it was 7 p.m. before the engine was ready to pull out with its three coaches, and 104 Durham Hockey fans who accompanied the train at Holstein, 1 at Varney, 35 at Mt. Forest and a number at Pampers-ton and Gowanstown, so nearly 200 were aboard. The Hockey Club not only met their railway guarantee but made a profit on their excursion.

Listowel was reached about 8:30, but it was 9:15 before the game was under way. Listowel has a splendid rink, erected three or four years ago, at a cost of \$22,000. The ice space is both longer and broader than Durham's rink and larger club rooms are also available.

Urban Schutz of last year's High School team, now of Toronto Normal, was brought up for the game and strengthened the local defence. Otherwise the Durham line up was unchanged. Listowel displayed a different goal tender, Johnson, and he was a hot notch, blocking all kinds of shots. McDonald, Durham's goalie, also turned in a brilliant game, showing improved form over the game here.

A very fast clip was maintained all the first period, and end to end rushes were numerous. Play was very even, each team had practically an even number of direct shots on goals. Near the end of the period, in a check Creighton of Listowel fell, and his skate accidentally cut a deep gash through Clarence McGill's right cheek, about an inch in length. It bled profusely and required four stitches later to close. He was subdued and in the second period got into action again, but in three minutes the wound was again open, and the management made him retire for the game. More than anything else, this mishap brought about Durham's defeat. Being regular center man, he was the pivot of the forwards' team play, and a tireless worker.

The first half of the second period was in Durham's favor, Vollett scoring. Listowel held play even towards the close and tallied their third goal. In both periods Listowel had been roughing it considerably with their lighter opponents and Referee Hiller, one of Kitchener's hockey stars, gave them frequent trips to the penalty box. At two-thirds time, with score 3-1 for Listowel, the round was still tied and Durham yet had hopes.

NOTES

No less than 15 penalties were handed out and Listowel men took 9 of them.
Irv. Elvidge was closely checked throughout and got little chance to break away. Marla Lauder played their best game of the season first two periods, but tired in the closing session, only one sub. being available most of the game, after McGill was laid out.
Mack Saunders and Schutz were a sturdy and steady defence, and Kemp learned to his sorrow he could not break through as once happened in the Durham game.

Banquetted the Hockey Boys

In recognition of the splendid showing made by Durham hockey team this season, Mayor Smith, Reeve Calder, Messrs. Harvey Wilson, Peter Gagnon, Jas. McLachlan, Ab. Noble, and S. D. Croft tendered the boys a sumptuous spread at 7 p.m. at the Hahn House Saturday evening.

The officers and all the boys who turned out with the team this season, whether or not they participated in the final game, were present, and they did ample justice to a well-prepared and served five-course repast.

After capacity had been reached on all hands, a program of addresses was given, Mayor Smith presiding. Most notable was that of Reeve Calder, who revealed himself as a true hockey fan by giving an accurate and detailed report of the game the previous night in Listowel, for the benefit of those who were not present. Mayor Smith stated the Listowel game here was the first hockey he had ever witnessed. He admired the speed and skill exhibited, and hoped to witness more. All the speakers made reference to the creditable record of our home-brew team, mainly Juniors, who in their first year in Senior ranks, had won their half of the district without a loss, and dropped but one game—to Listowel. The latter team was heavier and more experienced, and they had gained only a two goal lead, thanks to a combination of unfortunate circumstances.

The hosts of the night assured the boys they would do all possible to see that the team intact remain here, and start the team intact next season. Among the speakers was the young star member of the team, Martin Lauder, 16 years of age, who in a neat little address, remarked he and the boys were glad to be able to do what they could to uphold the honor and record of the town in its sports.

The evening was an enjoyable social affair for the boys, and a fitting close to the League hockey season. Some of the boys will yet play in High School games. The gathering dispersed about 9:30.

Operation for Eye Trouble

Mr. Ted Middleton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Middleton, underwent an operation in Durham Hospital this week, on the tear duct in one of his eyes. The operation was performed by Dr. D. B. Jamieson and at present the patient is making satisfactory progress.

New Mail Courier

Mr. Albert Livingstone is the new mail courier for Durham R. R. No. 1 succeeding the late Chas. Caldwell. The brand of weather and roads he is now encountering on his initial trips, is enough to discourage him, before he realizes what a pleasant job it is when he uses his car around the route.

Durham Presbyterian Choir Will Present Play in March

The above organization will on Friday, March 14th, with 30 performers, put on an Indian comic opera, "Pocahontas," in the Town Hall, Durham. Much preparation is being put on this work and the choir feel confident that their audience will, after hearing the play, acknowledge and appreciate this work.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. G. Hutton and family desire to express their appreciation to the many friends for their kindness during the illness and at the death of the late Dr. J. G. Hutton.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. W. A. McGowan is spending this week in Toronto.

Mr. Chas. Mighton is not as well as his friends would wish.

Mrs. Robt. Burnett spent over the week end with her son Royden in Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beggs of Inwood, visited at Mrs. Alex. Beggs' last week for a few days.

Glad to learn that Mrs. Wm. Fackingham Sr. is improving after a serious illness at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Love and little daughter Margaret of Egremont, were visitors with her parents, Mr and Mrs. John McQueen Monday.

Mr. Frank McIlraith returned home Friday after a six weeks visit to Regina and other western points.

Mr. John H. Hunter has returned after spending a couple of weeks with his niece, Mrs. Gordon McDonald at Chatsworth.

Mrs. Dan McAuliffe went to Toronto this week to stay with her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Wasmuker, whose children are on the sick list.

BORN

ROWLAND—At Durham Red Cross Hospital, on Thursday, Feb. 21st, to Mr and Mrs J. A. Rowland, a son.
GRIFF—At Durham Hospital on Monday, Feb. 18th, to Mr and Mrs. Harry Griff, a daughter.
YOUNG—At Duff, Sask., on Friday, Feb. 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young, a son. (Mr Young is a son of Mr and Mrs T. Young, Durham)
KILGOUR—At Sparta, Ont., on Jan. 7th, to Dr. and Mrs. Jas. Kilgour, (nee Mae Urquhart), a son.
GOLDSMITH—In Bentinck on Thursday, Feb. 14th, to Mr and Mrs Eric Goldsmith, a daughter.

Men's Class

Last week was a good start in the study of lying. Next Sunday we will discuss the further question, "Is a lie ever justifiable?" Some people make distinction between white and black ones, white ones being the kind they tell—of course. But what about the so-called lies of necessity; lies to the enemy in war time; of a Dr to a patient; to an insane person; to save life? If these were right whom could we believe and when? This question is vital to the well being of the home, society and church. Come out and tell the fellows what you think about it.

Taxis Boys Exceeded Obligations
The Province-wide selling campaign of \$1 bonds by the Taxis boys which far exceeded their \$6000 objective, was also quite successful locally. A letter from Grey's member of Boys' parliament, Wilfrid Lockhart of Dundalk, to Dr. J. F. Grant, gives the figures. Grey's objective (exclusive of Owen Sound) was \$150, and \$174 was raised as follows: Dundalk \$107; Fiesherston \$10; Thornbury \$15; Durham Taxis \$37 and Durham Trail Rangers \$4. All boys who sold a book of 5 bonds get a bronze medal. Durham boys winning these are Cecil McLean, Irving Sharp, Oscar Moon, Nelson Hunt, Calder Noble. Dundalk boys won the shield given the Taxis or T. R. group selling most bonds in No. 7 district (Grey, Bruce and part of Dufferin). The funds received go mainly to extend Taxis work in districts not yet covered. Our local member Lockhart, purposes organizing a Boys' County Council in a few weeks.

Cheer up! There's only one more week of February.
Custom Chopping every day at McKechnie's Mills, Durham.

No Power Sunday

There will be no Hydro power on Sunday, Feb. 24th next from 8 a. m. to 10:30 a.m. and from 1 to 5 p.m. on account of reconstructing lines.

Rob Roy Grain Prices—We are paying 40c to 45c for oats, 60c to 65c for barley, 75 to 85c for buckwheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50 for Pens and elevator this week. Rob Roy Mills Ltd.

What's in a Name?

The Dundalk Herald is authority for the following:—"Ed. Bowes, the local barber, flirts, denies that he has any relatives making prophecies on the weather."

Incubator for Sale

Buckeye, new, first year, 210 egg capacity. Splendid condition, but too small for owner's needs.
Wm. Patterson,
R. R. 4, Durham

Trinity Ch. Guild will Hold Concert

A concert under the auspices of Trinity Church Guild will be held in the Town Hall, Durham, on February 27th. Mr. J. Rainford has charge of the program, which includes concert pieces of a rare treat. Admission 75c and 25c. Plan at McKechnie's Drug Store, opens on Feb. 19th.

Picturesque Streets

The great storm of Tuesday night, coming from the east, with high wind, has put our streets in an unwanted and unwanted picturesque condition. The heavy snowfall and immense drifts in many places made locomotion difficult and when the snow plow got through the thoroughfare has a ditchlike aspect while the mounds of the "beautiful" 4 to 6 feet deep, shovelled from the sidewalks or from residence fronts, might suggest to a lively imagination the snow huts of an Arctic village. Country travel is, of course, cancelled, and still as we write the snow is falling, though the wind is down. The railroads have done well up-to-date in getting through and we hope this interruption of service may be the last for the season. Postal couriers have been facing bravely their routes, but in some cases have been baffled. Never mind, old Sol is climbing higher every day and will have something to say before long.

SPIRELLA SALE

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