

WATCH YOUR LABEL!  
 -Corrected to November 11th  
 -A warm "thank you" to those who have remitted.  
 -To those who have not, and are in arrears, we say to them "thank you" in advance.  
 -Remit to-day to  
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## TOWN TOPICS

The annual Christmas concert in Varney Church will be held this year on Christmas eve, Dec. 24th, instead of on Christmas night as usual. The play "Miss Molly" will be repeated by the young people and other numbers given. Don't miss it.

Can. Greys' will hold sale  
 Can. Greys', I. O. D. E. will hold a sale of home made baking and candy on Saturday, Dec. 19, commencing at 3 p.m. Also there will be an "opportunity table" at which many articles may be procured for 25c. Afternoon tea will also be served.

Sunday School Concert, Dec. 22nd  
 The Sunday School concert of Knox United Church, will be held in the school room of the church on the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 22nd, when, as well as dialogues, singing, etc., by the children of the school, there will be a cantata, "Santa Claus and the Magic Carpet." Admission 15 and 25c.

Bought Upper Town Store  
 The grocery store in Upper Town, conducted by Mrs. Mills (now Mrs. S. D. Croft) and her mother, Mrs. D. Campbell, has been sold by them to Mr. Cliff Howell, who has bought the property as well as the stock and daughter Lulu, returned on Monday, and will leave again Saturday for their new home in Goderich.

Eye Specialist Coming Again  
 The well known optician, Prof. Katz, graduate of the Canadian Institute, Montreal, will relieve eye sight trouble, at the Hahn House, Monday, Dec. 21st. Head ache, pain in the temples, twisting eye lids, dizziness, inflamed eyes and defective vision relieved through properly fitted glasses. By our great skill and long experience we can help you, even when others fail. Glasses at a reduced price for Christmas.

Rev. W. H. Smith Addresses Auxiliary  
 Monday evening in Knox United Church, Rev. W. H. Smith, B. A., addressed the Young Ladies' Auxiliary on Ralph Waldo Emerson, the American essayist. Emerson, he said, had the good fortune, to be descended for two hundred years back, from a ministerial family, and thus had the necessary background for scholarly development, which he utilized to the highest degree. Cramped space conditions prevented further mention of a fine talk. He also read extracts from his essays and found time and occasion in his talk to stress the value of the Library for the very fine assortment of good reading found there, complimenting the person or committee of 20 years ago, in their wise selection of books.

## Mrs. Hind Passes Away After Long Illness

There passed away Saturday morning last, after several months of illness, Mrs. Aden Hind, nee Margaret Vollett, in the 71st year of her age. Deceased lady has been a sufferer from inward gout for some time back, and while alert and around until last summer, the disease was lurking within and had fatal results as above stated. For five or six weeks last summer, she was a patient in Durham Hospital, where despite the best of care, she was unable to return to her own home on Bruce St. For the past three months she has had the comfort of having her elder sister with her, Mrs. McAllister, of London, and she did much to alleviate her last days.

The late Mrs. Hind was born at Beverly, Ont., the second daughter of a large family of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vollett. Shortly after they moved to Bentinck Tp. where her girlhood and early womanhood was spent. Forty four years ago she was married to Aden Hind, mason, and after a few happy years spent together, the husband and father passed away, leaving four young boys and his wife as chief mourners. These sons who were devoted to their mother, lacking nothing in filial duty, are Forbes, Ira and Flint, all of Detroit. Another son, Homer, of Waterloo, died about five years ago. The former two sons, with their wives, were in attendance at the funeral Monday, while Flint was home to see his mother a couple of weeks ago. Three sisters and two brothers will also mourn one of their own kith and kin, viz: Mrs. McAllister, London; Mrs. Ed. Hoy and Mrs. Jos. Bilton, Holstein; Messrs John and Wm. Vollett of town.

The funeral took place Monday to Durham cemetery, Rev. Jas. Taylor, of the Baptist Church, conducting services, assisted by Rev. J. E. Peters. The pall bearers were Messrs Hugh McCrae, Dr. Crant, Jack Kinney, Thos. McNiece, Wm. Marshall, (Normanby) Wm. Moffatt, W. Moore, Anthony Holmes.

Beautiful floral sprays covered the casket and the donors were: pillow from the family; sprays, W. Benson, Mrs. Jno. Vollett, Mrs. (Dr.) Grant, Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Hind, Mrs. D. B. Jamieson, Durham Lodge A. F. & A. M.; Pillow, Baptist church.

The sympathy of many friends go out to her sons and other relatives in the passing of this much loved mother.

## Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greenwood Honored

On the Occasion of their Silver Wedding Anniversary are they Remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greenwood, Zion, were pleasantly surprised Monday evening last with friends, around 70 in number, gathering at their home to do honor to them, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of their marriage. The date proper was the 12th inst. but as Saturday night is a poor night for extended festivities, the occasion was put forward to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood and family however, were fully equal to the serendipitous party, which came to their home and welcomed all with their well-known hospitality. Mr. Wm. Jack was master of ceremonies of the gathering and called on Miss Reta Glen-croft to read the honored couple an address, breathing sentiments of good wishes on the occasion. Messrs Archie Greenwood and Cameron Robertson then stepped forward and presented them with a cut glass water set and silver tray, the latter also being mounted with cut glass.

Mr. Greenwood replied, thanking them for this kindly act. Short speeches were given by Messrs Jno. and Will Firth and Mike Kenny. Others were called upon, but while their wishes for the 25-year bride and groom were warm, they couldn't be expressed.

A splendid lunch was served all around at which the bride passed a round her bridal cake. Games and dancing closed a pleasant evening, also "For they're jolly good fellows." Mr. Bryson Morlock, who was present from Durham, presented Mrs. Greenwood with one half dozen silver tea spoons.

The gathering hope to return for a similar occasion on the 50th anniversary.

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Edie carried with her that bright vitality and cheerful nature that won for her many friends and since her illness—extending from April last, has been the fond topic of conversation, carrying with it the desire that for the sake of husband, children and aunt, as well as for herself, that she might rally.

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## Sunday, Dec. 20th, in Durham Churches

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 11 a. m.  
 Subject: "The visit of Wise Men"  
 Anthem: "Zion Awake" Giffen  
 7 p. m.  
 Subject: "Adoration of Shepherds"  
 Anthem: "Hark, Herald Angels sing"  
 Gabriel  
 Quartette: "O little Town of Bethlehem"  
 Redner  
 Trio: "Silent Night" Griebner

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 11 a. m.  
 Sermon Topic: "The Lamb of God"  
 John 1: 29.  
 Anthem: "Haste, Haste from Afar"  
 Solo: Selected Robertson  
 Mr. Grant McComb  
 Anthem: "Christ the Lord of Earth and Skies"  
 Hall  
 7 p. m.  
 Sermon Topic: "The Nativity"  
 Luke 2: 11.  
 Affirm: "Jesu, Word of God incarnate"  
 Gounod  
 Solo: "No Room in the Inn"  
 Mr. E. Buschlen  
 Anthem: "The King of Kings"  
 Griebler  
 Solo: "Come Unto Him" (From "The Messiah"  
 Handel  
 Mrs. T. M. McFadden

**KNOX UNITED CHURCH**  
 11 a. m.  
 Sermon Topic: "Blessed are the Meek"  
 Continuation of series on the "Be-attitudes."  
 Anthem: "See Amid the Winter's Snow"  
 West  
 Anthem: "While Shepherds Watched their flocks by Night"  
 Smart  
 7 p. m.  
 Sermon Topic: "Good News for Wise Men and Shepherds"  
 Following address there will be a Cantata rendered by the choir, "The World's Redeemer" by Fred Holton.  
 1. Opening chorus: "He shall Reign Forever"  
 2. Soprano and Alto duet and choir: "Nearer the Starry Heavens"  
 3. Choir: "Arise and Shine"  
 4. Men's Chorus and Choir: "From Lands Afar"  
 5. Bass solo and choir: "The Gates of Heaven Unbar"  
 6. Contralto solo and two part Women's chorus: "I bring you good Tidings"  
 7. Tenor solo and choir: "Glory to God in the Highest"  
 8. Soprano solo and choir: "The Song and the Star"  
 9. Choir, soprano and alto duet, tenor and bass duet: "Christmas Memories"  
 10. Soprano and alto duet, tenor and bass duet, choir: "He came to Redeem the World"  
 11. Choir: "Come let us Adore Him"

**QUEEN ST. UNITED CHURCH**  
 The Christmas services of this church will be withheld till the following Sunday, Dec. 27th, when the addresses of Rev. Mr. Peters and the music by the choir will be suitable to the season. On Sunday evening, Dec. 20th, there will be a service entitled "White Gifts for the King," carried on by children of the Sunday School, whereby they present gifts, in place of receiving. The gifts presented will go the Children's Shelter, Owen Sound.

**TRINITY CHURCH**  
 As is customary, this church will hold their service on Christmas Day, and of which more will be said next week.

**A Radio for Christmas**  
 A gift for the whole family. Prices ranging from \$45.00 to \$250.00. Smith Bros. Ford Sales and Service.

**Skating This Week.**  
 The rink management have the new siding around the ice sheet well under way, and ice has now been made by manager Schutz. First hockey practice is being held to-night, and it is expected Saturday night will open the skating season.

**Death of Clifford Editor**  
 There passed away in Clifford on Saturday last, Jas. R. Aitchison, Editor of the Clifford Express, in his 72nd year. For some time back, Mr. Aitchison has been an invalid, and his papers has been chiefly carried on by his daughters. The funeral took place Tuesday to Lovat cemetery, Bruce Co. The sympathy of the Review is extended to the family of this pioneer newspaperman.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray of Portage la Prairie, Man., are expected Thursday on a visit to his sister's, Mrs. John McGowan.  
 Mr. Wm. Loess of Drayton and son Lorne, were guests of Mr and Mrs. C. P. Kinnee over the week end.

Mrs. E. W. Limin returned Monday after a three weeks' visit with her daughters in Woodstock, London, Stratford and Wallaceburg.  
 Mr. Allie McIntyre returned home this week after a few months in the West. In Regina, he reports seeing Mr. Jos. Burnett who is looking well and doing well as a telephone contractor and wishes to be remembered to old Durham friends.

Mr. Fred and Misses Harriet and Leslie Anderson, of Hamilton, leave this week for California, where they purpose remaining for the remainder of the winter.  
 Misses McEachern and Macdonald spent the week end in Waterloo.  
 Mr. J. W. Blyth, Varney, is in Dundas this week, attending the funeral of a brother-in-law, the late Mr. Grightmire.  
 Mrs. J. W. Blyth is in Hanover this week visiting her son Cecil, who on Tuesday night, slipped on the icy sidewalk there, causing a bad fracture of the collar bone.  
 Mrs. Jas. McDonald has returned to her home in Disley, Sask. after coming east on the occasion of the final sickness of her brother, the late David Smith.

## Hampden Church Exceeds Allocation

In their contributions to the Maintenance and Extension Fund, Hampden United Church went almost 25 per cent over their allocation. \$309 was the objective and \$362 was raised. The Hampden Women's Missionary Society also exceeded the allocation of \$77, by \$8.90. This is very creditable for a small congregation, and is in keeping with the excellent showing made by other United Churches in this district. Hanover with an allocation of \$2500, and Elmwood churches, have both surpassed their objective.

## Final Session of Council

The final meeting of Durham Council for 1925 on Tuesday was "short and sweet", and no important subjects were under discussion.  
 Rebates of \$5.40 were allowed to R. Ewen for excess taxes paid, and \$3 to Wm. Burnett Jr. on poll tax, he being a business partner. John McGowan was granted \$100 rebate, in taxes, owing to his fire loss.  
 The Treasurer's report showed \$3,573 of 1925 taxes still unpaid on a roll of \$24,300. 5 per cent is now due on this arrears, and a collector will be appointed early in the new year. The Public Library was voted \$600, balance of yearly grant.  
 Reeve Calder sponsored a motion of thanks to Mayor Murdoch for his courteous and tactful handling of matters under discussion during his first majority term, which was heartily carried. The Mayor expressed his thanks, and moved a resolution of appreciation of the Reeve's timely and valued services at the Board, and referred to the harmonious relations which had existed during the year. This was also strongly approved by the Council.

If you want to be satisfied with the service you receive and the price you pay for your glasses, go to Dr. Meikle, Mount Forest. Eyes examined free.



## No Trouble About your Christmas Purchases

It is easy and simple this year. We are ready to help you out with our splendid

## HOLIDAY STOCK

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| Perfumes | Toilet Sets | Latest Books      | Candy  |
| Compacts | Flashlights | Pipes             | Cigars |
|          |             | Phonographs, Etc. |        |

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 Licenses, valid to 31st March, 1926, may be obtained from: Staff Post Offices, Radio Dealers, Radio Inspectors, or from Radio Branch, Dep't. of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.  
 The proceeds from license fees are used to control broadcasting and to improve broadcast reception conditions.  
**A. JOHNSTON, Dep. Minister of Marine and Fisheries**

**A Gift that Increases in Value**

WHAT DID YOU GIVE LAST CHRISTMAS?  
 Toys for the kiddies—most of them broken by now. "Something useful" for the grown-ups—now worn out or forgotten. Cash to your employees—appreciated but soon spent. Other presents—hurriedly bought and perhaps ill-chosen. Are they remembered now?

Suppose this year you give them each a Bank Book containing an initial deposit, and urge them to add to it regularly. Could anything be more suitable?

Add "Royal Bank Pass Books" to your list of Christmas Gifts.

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 Durham Branch J. A. Rowland, Manager