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## TOWN TOPICS

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### Will Have Official Opening.

Durham Council are now making arrangements for an official public opening of the new post office. Particulars as to date, etc., will be announced later.

### The Ladies' Guild of Trinity Church

will hold their monthly sale of home made baking in the A.Y.P.A. rooms, Saturday May 5th, at 2:00 p. m. After-noon tea will be served. Sale of aprons.

### Meatford business men will close their stores for the summer half-holiday on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Forest has chosen Friday for same purpose. Walkerton and Teeswater have selected Thursday.

### Change of Date

Next Division Court, here will be held on Thursday, May 8th instead of 15th by order of the Judge. Court opens at 10 a. m. All parties concerned please take note of the new date: Tuesday, May 8th.

### LOST: In Durham, on Thursday, April 19th, a small sack used as a purse, containing one \$10 bill and smaller ones and some change.

Finder will be rewarded on leaving same at, or notifying Review Office.

### At McFadden's Monday.

The Branch Office of W. H. Taylor Optical Co., Owen Sound, will be open at McFadden's Drug Store, Durham, Monday, April 30th. W. B. Phillips, R. O., Eyesight Specialist. Please phone for appointment.

### Illustrated Lecture

The Baptist Young People are giving an illustrated lecture on "John Bunyan and the Pilgrim's Progress," on Monday, May 7th. The lecture will be given by Rev. Wm. Spencer, who has a personal knowledge of Bedford, Bunyan's home and its surroundings. The three hundredth anniversary of his birth occurs this year and the story as told by Mr. Spencer will be intensely interesting. A silver offering will be taken.

### Mr and Mrs Geddes Remembered

A few of the former neighbors and friends of Mr and Mrs Gordon Geddes from Glenelg and town, met at their new home in Bentinck one evening recently and presented them with some stainless steel cutlery and a fern stand as a slight token of the esteem in which they are held. The evening was pleasantly spent in games, music and social chat. Some of those present voiced the sentiment of all the gathering in praise of the inestimable qualities of Mr and Mrs Geddes as neighbors and friends. Lunch was served about midnight, when the company dispersed, wishing Mr and Mrs Geddes many years of happiness in their new home.

### Invited for Second Year

Rev. W. A. Matthews, pastor stationed at Colpoys' Bay, Kemble and Shallow Lake and Lion's Head, but last year sent by Conference to Ponsoby, has received a unanimous invitation to remain for the second year. Where Rev. Mr. Matthews has been stationed the church has always prospered. His personality and attachment for the young people, makes him popular among them. He organized first ladies' softball team there and by his co-operation it carried off the Cunningham trophy successfully for 3 years. Mrs. Matthews is a devoted worker in all branches of church activities and beloved by all her fellow workers. The Durham friends of Rev. and Mrs. Matthews are pleased to note their welfare in their chosen line of work.

### Windstorm damaged Hanover Home

The violent windstorm of last Thursday morning when the wind at times attained a velocity of 50 to 60 miles an hour, did little damage to Durham, though a number of trees in this neighborhood were uprooted. In Hanover the High School being built on an eminence in the west-end, received the full force of the westerly gale. The tin on one corner of the roof was torn loose and a couple of big windows were blown in. But the most damage was done to the home of one of Hanover's dentists, Dr. Staples. The tall brick chimney on his house was blown down and it crashed through the roof down into the bedroom beneath. The hot ashes and cinders caused much smoke, so the firemen were given a hurry-up call, but they did not have to use either water or chemicals. The firemen helped to untangle the bricks, plaster, shingles, etc., from the bedroom furniture.

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### Will Coat the House of Refuge

The contract for the coal supply for the Grey Co. House of Refuge at Markdale, has been awarded to Mr. Melvin Greig-Calder of town, who is quickly adapting himself to his new business.

### Presbyterian W. M. S.

The April meeting of the W. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church was held on Friday, the 20th at the home of Mrs. J. H. McFadyen, with a good attendance. Mrs. Derby, the President presiding. The meeting opened with singing and prayer. Mrs. Derby read the Bible lesson from Psalm 95. The members responded to the roll call with a verse on "worship." The visitors' report and various items of business and correspondence were attended to. Several ladies engaged in prayer. Mrs. N. McCannel had the topic from the study book which dealt with many phases of the work of our church at home and overseas. After singing a hymn the meeting closed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

## Durham's Population 1703 Assessment the Same

"Every little bit added makes just a little bit more." This trite saying applies to Durham's population, which each year shows a gradual gain. In 1924, it was 1562; in 1925 1627; in 1926, 1658; in 1927, 1694; and in 1928, 1703. There were 25 births and 23 deaths the past year, so the stock gained little on the Grim Reaper.

A religious census of Durham's 1703 inhabitants classifies them as follows: United Church 882; Anglican 286; Presbyterian 209; Baptist 158; Roman Catholic 77; Lutheran 5; Jewish 4; Chinese 3; Salvation Army 2; Unclassified 71.

The total taxable assessment \$630,188, as completed by Assessor McElraith is a drop of about \$1060 from last year. Property assessment is \$579,865, business \$42,850 and income \$7473.

35 dogs and 1 bitch are enrolled.

## Former Aberdeen Resident Died Suddenly in Michigan

There having been no previous intimation of his being ill, it was therefore with startling suddenness that word was received by his relatives and friends that James Thomas Smith had passed away at his home at Royal Oak, Mich., after only a week's illness from pneumonia, at the age of forty-five years. He had never been a very strong man and despite all that loving care and skill could do, he passed away as above stated at 2 a. m., Good Friday, April 6th.

He was the eldest son of the late Mr and Mrs John W. Smith, Aberdeen, and left here about twenty years ago, living mostly since that time at Sarnia and vicinity. In 1912 he married Emma Belle Shaw, eldest daughter of Mr Robert Shaw of Sarnia, who survives him with one son, Robert J., aged 15, and two daughters, Katherine, aged 13, and Barble, aged 6, who will miss a loving father's care also one brother John of Niagara Falls, N. Y., and seven sisters: Katherine, Toronto; Miss Beattie, Bellevue Hospital, New York; Margaret, Harper Hospital, Detroit; Jessie, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Stanton Ludwick, (Mabel) La Salle, N. Y.; all of whom were present at the funeral, and Barbara and Anna at home.

Some years ago he removed to Detroit, where he was for some time in the employ of the Ford Motor Co. but latterly has held a lucrative position with the Fisher Body Co., being assistant Superintendent of the Royal Oak branch.

Deceased was a home-loving man, kindly and affectionate in disposition and a devoted husband and father. The funeral service was held at his home Monday, April 9th, after which the remains were conveyed to Sarnia for interment.

## Famous Opera to be Presented in Durham

The Ladies' Aid Society of Knox United Church have been fortunate in taking steps to have Gilbert and Sullivan's famous opera, "The Mikado" to be presented here Friday, May 18. Miss Hahn, the well known musical authority of Hanover, is responsible for the performance, and last year in Hanover and elsewhere, achieved great success in other equally well known operas by same composers, viz "H. M. S. Pinafore" and "Pirates of Penzance." It will be the musical event of the season so keep date open for same.

## Stores Open Next Wednesday Night

The first Wednesday open night of the season for Durham stores will be next Wednesday, May 2nd and thereafter for five months. Thursday afternoon, May 3rd, will be the first of the weekly Thursday half-holidays until Sept. 30th next. This is no change from recent years. All shoppers of town and country kindly bear dates in mind.

## Durham Town Hall Officially Re-opened

### Treble Clef Chorus from Owen Sound Achieve Great Success

Like Julius Caesar, the above chorus, comprising 46 of Owen Sound's best lady singers, came and saw and conquered. The memories that linger are those of a well balanced chorus and the program of a sufficient variety to suit all musical tastes. Mrs. Jas. T. Moore is the director who wields the baton and her interpretation of the various numbers as the choir sang them for her, was happily given and good judgment was shown at all times. She has a splendid troupe of vocalists, six of them appearing Tuesday night as soloists. These were Mrs. Edgar Armstrong, Mrs. Clifford Waugh, Mrs. Geo. Cutbush, Mrs. Louis Inglis, Mrs. W. J. Taylor, Mrs. C. C. Middlebro. All the selections were suited to the range of the respective singer and were well rendered. Mrs. Middlebro. as a former Durham resident, received an extra round of applause.

But it was in the part singing that the work of a chorus as a chorus doth shine. Personally we have heard nothing finer for a long time and numbers grave or gay, all appeared to enter into their spirit. A beautiful thing and one hundred per cent Canadian was "An Indian Lullaby" written as a four part ladies' chorus by the late Dr. Vogt on the request of his late wife, who saw beauties in the poem if set to music. The words come from the late Duncan McKeel, a one-time poet of Canada and it has such merit that the late Peter McArthur, Ontario's famous literary son, stated he would travel a long way simply to hear these words as expressed in song by Dr. Vogt and sung by the Mendelssohn Choir.

The closing number "Greeting to Spring" arranged from the Blue Danube waltz, gave the audience a thrill and the beautiful lilting melody lost nothing as it came from the lips of the chorus. We could go on enumerating but it would simply be a repetition of adjectives.

Reeve Bell opened the concert with a few words of welcome and at close Messrs F. Irwin and C. Ramage were mover and seconder in a vote of thanks to the choir, leader and pianist Mrs. Horton, for their fine concert. Mrs. Moore responded with thanks.

A pleasing function took place at the close when Shirley McIntyre, on behalf of the young dancers, presented their directress, Miss Julia Weir, B. A. with a large bouquet of roses as a mark of appreciation of her work, which she acknowledged in a few words. The dancers were Mary Pickering, Elsie Hunter, Louise Jamieson, Shirley McIntyre, Elizabeth Harding, N. McIntyre and Ned Burnett. Their Highland Fling, Foursome reel and Three men's reel and sword dance in costume were a delight to watch.

### NOTES

At the close of concert the I. O. D. E. under whose auspices the concert was held, gave a reception in the lower hall to the visiting ladies. Here (Continued on page 8)

## Art Exhibit Next Week at High School

The local High School Board and staff have arranged with an American Co., the Elson Art Co. to hold an Art Exhibit of 200 of the world's best pictures in the High School here, on Friday, May 4th. The Company gives the display free, the school paying expenses only, on condition that any pictures purchased are bought from them.

On the afternoon of Thursday, May 3rd, Public School pupils are admitted free. On Friday May 4th, the exhibit will be thrown open to the public from 3.30 to 6 p. m. and afternoon tea will be served by the I. O. D. E. at the High School. It will also be open to the public in evening at 8 p. m. A program will be given. Admission either afternoon or evening is 25c for adults and 10c for children.

After meeting expenses the proceeds of the exhibit will be utilized to purchase pictures to adorn the walls of the new class rooms. The Company are giving one picture free to the class selling the most tickets.

## Sudden Death of Glenelg Young Man

### WILFRID G. QUILLINAN

The death of Wilfrid Gordon Quillinan, son of Mr and Mrs Michael Quillinan of the 6th con, Glenelg, on Monday last, was a sore bereavement not only to the immediate family circle but to the whole neighborhood. Wilfrid was just entering manhood, being only 18 years of age and was an industrious boy and popular throughout the community.

Six or seven years ago he suffered from pneumonia which weakened his vitality. He regained his strength to a large measure but last Saturday fell a victim to acute Bright's Disease and survived only two days after. Besides the grief stricken parents, three sisters and two brothers will mourn his early demise—Katherine of Toronto and Joseph of Detroit, who are older than deceased, and William, Margaret and Cecelia, younger.

The funeral takes place at 9.30 a. m. Thursday at St John's cemetery, Glenelg, Rev. Father McGoey conducting the last sad rites.

The sympathy of the community is tendered the bereaved family in their deep affliction.

### JUST ARRIVED: A shipment of a varied assortment of afternoon and evening dresses. Call and see them. Mrs. J. C. Nichol.

### A Grand Mix-up.

The Owen Sound Sun-Times printed a story about the delayed opening of Durham's new post office in Tuesday's issue which was correct, except where incorrect, and the latter almost entirely. Miss MacPhail did not suggest Hon. Mr. Elliott's coming, word was not received that Hon. Mr. Elliott could not make it convenient to come he did not suggest that the building be opened without ceremony of any kind, and Miss MacPhail was not "determined to have an official opening and have Mr. Elliott come." That is the Government's method and Mr. Elliott's desire. Otherwise the story was correct.

### Queen St. Mission Band

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of Queen St. Church were entertained by Mrs. H. S. Fiddes at the Parsonage for their monthly meeting on April 19th. Mrs. Kinnee, president, presided. The opening hymn was "Take my life and let it be" which was followed by prayer. The devotional reading, "Enthusiastic workers for Christ" was read by Miss Eunice Moon. Miss M. Storey read the 24th Psalm. All joined in singing "There's a wilderness in God's Mercy" The Watchtower was read by Heralds Ada Metcalfe and Irene Elliott. The next chapter of the study book "Christian Missions in Modern Industry" was taken by Mrs. Padfield. This dealt chiefly with the youthful American workers in such modern industries as beet pulling, cotton and tobacco picking as well as mining and lumbering. These young workers receive very poor pay and when the long day is over they have neither time nor energy for educational or religious pursuits.

Mrs. Padfield very skillfully drew several comparisons between the conditions of American workers and those existing in Oriental countries. She outlined one method in which we may help them, viz. through the owner of the industry who is usually unaware of the actual conditions existing and is often glad to give his support and co-operation in behalf of his workers. After the Mizpah benediction, Mrs. Fiddes served light refreshments and a social half hour was spent.

Mr. Huch McCrae has purchased a building lot on South Bruce St. and already preparations are under way for building.

Canadian Greys Chapter, IOOE will meet on Tuesday evening May 1, in their club room, when important business relating to the Chapter will be taken up.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Groves is visiting in Fergus for a few days this week.

Mrs. Robert Renwick of Bromore, visited for a few days last week-end with her son Robert, and family in town.

Messrs. Doug. McKinnon, James Cruickshank, Roy Buckley, and Miss Kate McKinnon, all of Chesley environs, were in town Monday.

Mr. Eddie McQueen was a visitor the first of the week at his home here.

Dr. H. Robinson, Walkerton, spent the first of the week with Dr and Mrs A. M. Bell.

Mrs. (Dr.) Bell and little Miss June are visiting Mrs. B's father and brothers at Snyner this week.

Miss Christene McKay, Detroit, was a visitor over the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. D. McAuliffe in town and with Mrs. Arrowsmith at Glenelg Centre.

Mr. Herb. Kelsey, Chesley, was a visitor over the week-end with his brother, F. W. Kelsey, here.

Mr and Mrs. Joe Patterson and family of Chesley spent the first of the week at the parental home in Glenelg.

Mr. Roy M. Grant, son of Wm. Grant of Mt. Forest, but formerly of Varney has resigned from the Royal Bank at Mt. Forest and taken a position in the law office of his brother, Mr. Campbell Grant of Walkerton, preparatory to entering Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in the fall.

Mr and Mrs. Melbourne McKay and daughter Marjorie, Inwood, returned to their home after spending the Easter vacation with her parents Mr and Mrs. Richard Barber, Durham.

Mrs. Flora McPherson and Mrs. Joe Burgess are spending a few days in the city this week.

Mr and Mrs. James Mather entertained the choir of Knox Church at their home Friday evening last, when a pleasant time was spent by one and all. Rehearsal occupied the early section of the evening and this was followed by parlor games and concerts.

On behalf of choir, Mr. Peter Ramage extended thanks to Mr and Mrs. Mather for the hospitality shown.

Dr. D. B. Jamieson was in Elmwood Monday removing tonsils on some of Dr. Stevens' patients.

Dr. and Mrs. Park and daughter Helen of Hamilton spent over the week-end with his mother and sister here.

Mrs. Thos. C. Morton and daughter Norma of Cedoux, Sask., are spending a few weeks with the former's parents Mr and Mrs. Richard Barber.

Mrs. And. Derby and Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder are in Guelph this week attending the sessions of the Provincial W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church.

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## HYMENEAL

### COLEMAN — WHELAN

Of wide interest was the wedding of Norma Olive Mary, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J. P. Whelan of Hamilton and granddaughter of Mrs. Thos. Whelan, Durham, to Mr Edward Coleman, younger son of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman of Hamilton, which took place at 4 p. m. Saturday last, April 21, in Centenary Church, Hamilton, Rev. F. L. Dimmitt officiating, and W. H. Howlett at the organ.

The bride was given away by her father and her gown was of white georgette and chanelly lace. The long train was formed with broad silver ribbon edged with orange blossoms and falling from the waist. The French veil was of duchesse lace and point d'esprit with sprays of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of pink roses and lily of the valley. Mrs. Bruce Griffith attended the bride as matron of honor and the bride's cousin, Master Douglas Kilgour, was page. Mrs. Griffith wore a frock of shaded silk net with flounced skirt over georgette and picture hat. Mr. George Coleman, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and the ushers were Messrs. Frank Wilkinson, Toronto; Howard Keller, Rochester; Stewart Snyder, Kitchener; John Bews and

Charles Henderson, Hamilton. During the signing of the register, Mr. H. M. Main sang "Calm as the Night" and a reception was held following the church ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, 3 Turner Ave. Roses, pink snap dragon and blue lupin with palms and ferns were used in the decoration of the spacious rooms as well as at the church. Dr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman assisted Mr and Mrs. Whelan in receiving the guests.

The bride and bridegroom left by motor for Quebec city and the Eastern States. Mrs. Coleman travelled in an ensemble costume of beige kasha tweed, trimmed with fur. Mr and Mrs. Coleman will, on their return, live in Toronto.

There were over 200 guests at the wedding reception.

### BORN

LEVI—In Durham, April 24th, to Mr and Mrs Geo. Levi, a son.

MILNE—In Durham Hospital on Wednesday April 25, to Dr and Mrs. J. E. Milne, Priceville, a daughter.

PATTON—On Sunday, April 22, in Durham Hospital, to Mr and Mrs. Roy Patton, a daughter.

WALKER—At Durham hospital, April 25, to Mrs. Walker, Desboro, a daughter.

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