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TOWN TOPICS

New Spirella Goods now in at the Spirella Parlors. Mrs. J. C. Nichol

The play, "Cranberry Corners," which was so successfully given by the A. O. T. S. Class of Queen Street Church Friday night last, will be repeated in Varney Church, on Friday, March 22nd. Admission 35c and 25c

To-morrow, 21st March, is the first day of Spring. But don't be in a rush to go to the attic for that straw lid.

Some Egg!

Among the birthday presents the Editor received was an egg 8 1/2 by 6 1/2 inches from Mrs. Hugh McDonald's henmy. Eggs like that tend to long life—not for the egg!

FOR SALE: 1 Simons steel Bedstead, mattress and springs, 1 toilet set, 3 leather seated chairs, new and other articles. Apply to Mrs. H. Arrowsmith, Durham, Ont.

Come to the Sunday evening service in the Theatre March 24. Topic, "The Baptized Life." Regular meeting for Bible study and prayer in the room back of Bank of Commerce on Friday at 8 p.m.

Addressed B. Y. P. U.

Dr. A. M. Bell delivered an address on "First Aid" on Monday night to the Baptist young people at their weekly B. Y. P. U. meeting. About 30 listened attentively to the Dr. who gave remedies and how to act quickly in case of drownings, faints, burns, etc and where possible demonstrated same.

Another Promotion

Michigan Central Railroad officials announced the promotion of Robert E. Laidlaw, from Supt. of the Detroit division of the Road to General Agent of the operating Department, with offices at Third and West Jefferson Ave, Detroit., effective at once. Mr Laidlaw has been connected with the Michigan Central 35 years. He has been agent, Asst. Supt., as well as Superintendent.

Walkerton Now Out

Walkerton's semi final hockey career in the Northern League was short lived, Mitchell defeating them Monday night in a sudden death game in Stratford, their first semi-final by 8-5. Mitchell now meets Southampton in the finals. Had the Northern League given Durham the square deal (when the teams were tied in games, but Durham ahead in goals) and sent them against Mitchell we venture the opinion that the score would have been closer and smaller and possibly a different winner as well.

He'd Military Dummy Bridge

Canadian News Chapter, I.O.D.E. opened a new regime on Tuesday night in their club room, under the Regency of Mrs R. M. Sparling. A little business was disposed of and Mrs Sparling and Mrs (Dr) Grant appointed as delegates to the Prov'l Convention in Hamilton next month, with Mrs A. W. Lauder as alternate. After business five tables of military dummy bridge were enjoyed by the members, and at which Mrs J. H. Harding, Misses Sarah Vollett and Eleanor Kress counted most flags and accordingly received little favors of china. A bountiful lunch was served at the close.

Eye Badly Bruised

On Monday afternoon at Mr Thos. Young's, Upper Town, a wood-sawing bee was in progress at which Mr. Robert Lawson received a nasty dent in the eye. The buzz-machine was buzzing merrily when suddenly a lever sprung up, hitting Mr Lawson with such force over the eye as to render him unconscious for a few moments. Fortunately his hat came well over the eye, or the effects might have been worse. As it is the cheek is badly swollen in the eye area and it will be a few days before it assumes its normal usefulness.

Married Ladies' Night

That the married ladies of Edge Hill district arranged for and took the sole part in the program for the Edge Hill Community Young People's Club last Friday night in the Schoolhouse, does not indicate that they might be disqualified for being members of this club, for at Edge Hill the people are all young. These fortnightly meetings have been "get-together" factors throughout the winter among the young people and this Friday in question was the turn of the married ladies. Mrs Harry Williams was chairlady and acted as if to her, it were an every day occurrence. A duet was rendered by Mrs Thos. Glenzinger and Mrs Arthur Robinson; recitations were given by Mrs Arthur Edge, Mrs A. Anderson, Mrs Debb and Mrs Mrs W. G. Frith; Harmonica music by Mrs A. Edge. A humorous playlet, "Seeing Ma off" was staged by these ladies and with Mrs Anderson as the gable "Ma" it created quite a hit. Mrs John Frith read the "Edge Hill Gazette" and for the "hits and Misses" of the section's activities, had the local papers completely outclassed. An enjoyable lunch was served at close.

Operations at Hospital

On Thursday last, Miss Gertie Damm, daughter of Mr and Mrs Henry Damm, Normanby, was operated upon for appendicitis at Durham Hospital. On Sunday of this week, Miss Linton of Flesheron, also had her appendix removed at the Hospital here.

Provincial Highway Now Open

The big Government snow plough passed through Durham last Friday noon ripped up the snow banks in front of McIntyre Block on west side of street and proceeded north to O. Sound, and No. 6 highway is now open to car traffic. The snow plough returned to Durham and then opened up the roads westerly to Kincardine. Returning Wednesday the plough proceeded again north to Chatsworth, thence down No. 10 highway through Markdale, Flesheron, and Dundalk, when all Provincial highways will be open for cars. The Owen Sound-Collingwood road was also cleaned up last week.

Special Council Meeting to Pass By-laws

Monday, March 18th, a special meeting of Durham Council was held, when the discussion and passing of by-laws occupied the entire evening. Coun. Noble was out of town and the only absentee.

By-law 578 was first given its several readings and passed. This was for the appointment of officers of the Fire Brigade. Arthur McDonald was appointed Chief at \$50 per year; G. A. Thompson, 1st engineer at \$35; Thos Whitmore, 2nd engineer at \$20; and Cameron Lauder, stoker, at \$20.

Much of the evening was devoted to reading and passing of preliminary by-laws, for the new pavement and sewers proposed to be laid this spring on Garafraxa Street.

A resolution by Hunter—Howell, that a railing be placed in front of raised seats in Town Hall, was carried. Reeve Bell objected, stating there was no necessity to incur this expense, and it would divide off part of the hall like a choir loft.

First town to get Co. Paving

The Reeve reported on Lambton St. paving, which the County is to undertake this summer. The Co. Council, in consideration of doing this work, wished to withhold grant of \$800, which Durham pays in, for 20 years, which would more than meet total cost. Durham is first town to get the County paving, and on this and other objections, time of withholding grant was reduced to 12 years; this was still too long and the County Council was persuaded to accept terms of withholding it until pavement is paid for, with 5 per cent interest. The Province pays half cost of 20 feet and the Dept. of Public Highways objected to this latter arrangement, refusing to sanction it, as it was still unfair to the town. He sent the communication on to Reeve Buchanan of Collingwood, the chairman of Good Roads Com. and he, with Warden Moody of Dundalk, and Reeve Bell of Durham, will be a deputation to Toronto to arrange terms with the Highways Dept. of the Government.

I.O.O.F. Attend Baptist Ch.

There was a splendid representation of the brethren of Grey Lodge, I.O.O.F. at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, about fifty five being in attendance. They came in a farewell visit with Rev. Bro. W. Spencer, who leaves in two weeks for his new charge in Mount Forest, and who is an energetic worker in the Order. In opening his discourse, Rev. Spencer spoke of the cordial welcome he had received from the brethren of Grey Lodge, as warm as at any place he had been stationed, and of the high principles of the order. The best things in Oddfellowship are found in the Bible. He had not heard a word in a lodge meeting that would make a lady blush. Then instead of taking a text and sermon, Rev. Spencer announced a new form of service, a fine set of lantern slides, depicting scenes in the lives of Samuel, Saul, David and Jonathan, which he graphically described. The brethren and congregation which filled the church, much appreciated the views and explanations as given by the pastor and will retain them in memory probably much longer than a sermon. An Oddfellows' Choir of 13 members led the singing and excellent solos were rendered by Bros. Allan Bell and Bert Saunders.

At the lodge room after service, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Bro. Spencer, with appreciation of his work in the interests of the order during his comparatively short charge in Durham. He fittingly thanked the lodge and hoped to be frequently invited back when in his new charge in our neighboring town.

THE ROLL CALL

JOHN MacARTHUR

The sad message reached A. B. and Angus MacArthur of the Glen, Wednesday morning, March 20th, that their brother John had passed away that morning at his home in Timmins, in his 65th year. The cause of death has not yet been learned.

The remains are being brought to Priceville, in charge of his brother Alex, and will likely arrive Friday.

The deceased was a son of the late John and Mrs MacArthur of the Glen, and was born on the old homestead there. He spent the early years in Northern Ontario, eight of which were in Timmins, where he had a teaming business. In 1920 he was wedded to Miss Rachael Morgan who survives him. Three brothers also survive: Archie B. and Angus of the Glen; Alex of Halleybury. A brother died in 1895 and the only sister in 1915.

Later—the remains will arrive on the noon C.P.R. Friday, funeral to be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the home of A. B. MacArthur, to Priceville cemetery.

HARVEY MOYCE

Early on Saturday morning, March 16th, the spirit of Harvey Moyce passed out, leaving behind the bodily tenement and many sad hearts, after an illness extending over a couple of months from tuberculosis of the bowels. Some years ago a cataract developed on his eye and through which lost his total sight. This affliction he has borne with great fortitude and with his family around him, helped to supply by kind deeds and actions, the great loss he suffered.

The late Mr Moyce was born in Lower Canada, at a small place called La Colle, where his father, Edward Moyce was a wheelwright. In early youth the family came to the homestead in Bentinck, Lot 32, con. 10, from where he received his upbringing and schooling. About 25 years ago he married Miss Mary Hastie, daughter of Mr Archibald Hastie, a pioneer of Crawford vicinity, and to this couple were born five children—three sons and two daughters, viz: Revel, on the old homestead; Hector and David on the present farm, con 2, Bentinck; Maimie (Mrs Arch. Watson) Welbeck and Myrtle (Mrs Corlett), Sullivan Tp. These with his wife will mourn the passing of a loving father and husband.

There will also mourn three brothers and one sister, Herman of Minnesota; Arthur in the West; Walter, near Detroit, and Miss Lizzie, graduate nurse.

The late Mr Moyce was well known throughout the Township, where he has been employed by various farmers, who always found him to be a steady and conscientious workman. He was a member of Burns Church, Rocky Saugeen and his pastor, Rev. B. D. Armstrong conducted the funeral services at his home on Tuesday, interment being made at Latona cemetery.

The Review extends condolence to the bereaved family.

JAMES McRONALD

After many weeks of ill health, borne with Christian patience and resignation, the spirit of James McDonald passed to another sphere on Saturday morning last at his home on Upper Town, at the age of 70 years. Not quite a year ago, he left the home farm in South Bentinck, in the hope that a rest and less of farm care would benefit his health. But such was not to be, and the last two weeks he has been confined to his bed from heart weakness and the last call came peacefully as above.

During his illness, his wife has been a tender nurse and she, with a family of six children, mourn the passing of a loving and considerate father.

Deceased was a son of Thos. McDonald, born near Galt, but in infancy with his parents, came to lot 60 and 61, con 3, South Bentinck, and which has since been his continuous home until removing to Durham a bout a year ago. Thirty years ago he was wedded to Miss Jane Turnbull, daughter of the late George and Mrs Turnbull and to them were born six children, viz: Norman, on the home farm; Margaret (Mrs Gorman Johnston), Mulock; Albert, townline of Bent. and Norby; Willie, at the telephone exchange, Allan Park; Miss Janet and Mr James at home.

The late Mr McDonald was a member of the Presbyterian Church, from where the service was held on Monday of this week, Rev. B. D. Armstrong delivering a comforting message to family and mourners. Mr McDonald is the last surviving member of a one-time family of six brothers and two sisters, his brother Thomas passing away a year ago.

The Review joins in extending condolence to family and friends.

JAMES MCGILLIVRAY

The community were saddened on Tuesday last to learn that James McGillivray had passed away suddenly, for he was found dead in bed that morning. Though troubled for a couple of years back with a disease of a dropsical nature, a fatal result was not looked for at present. He was in his 79th year and died at his home on the 3rd con, N.D.R., Glen. Deceased was born in Vaughan Tp. but came here about the age of ten years, with his parents and has resided on the 3rd Con. ever since. He grew to manhood amid the trials and successes of the early settlers and married Miss Mary McGinnis, who predeceased him by 14 years. To them were born sons and daughters as follows: Dr. Charles of Durham; Robert of Glenelg; Norman, Wilkie, Sask.; (Amelia) Mrs David Davis, Egremont; (Maud) Mrs Ed Lee, East Linton; Miss Sadie, Toronto, who came home only Saturday last to see her father, never thinking it would be her last visit with him.

Funeral takes place Thursday to Saugeen cemetery, Rev. Mr Armstrong conducting services.

Mr McGillivray was Presbyterian in religion, an industrious man and respected in the community. He died perhaps, as he would have wished, without trouble to anyone, and his family and friends will ever respect and revere his memory. The Review extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

MRS. CHARLES SCHAFER

On Thursday morning of last week, March 14th, Mrs Charles Schaffer passed to her eternal rest, after a lingering illness of several months duration, two and a half of which she spent in bed being lovingly cared for by husband and family who did everything possible for her comfort. During her invalidism she accepted her lot with Christian patience and resignation never complaining, and those who visited her from time to time, always found her smiling and a cheery word for all. Deceased was in her 53rd year and word of her death caused profound sadness among her many relatives and friends to whom she was ever held in the highest respect and veneration and ready to give a helping hand or word of comfort whenever necessary.

The late Mrs Schaffer, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Goldberg, was a native of Saugeen Tp., Bruce Co., being the daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Goldberg. About 25 years ago she was wedded to Mr Schaffer, who to-day, with nine children mourn the loss of a devoted wife and mother. The family are Nelson, Annie, Charlie, Dorothy, Lena, Walter, Freda, Emma and Isabel. She also has six sisters to mourn her loss: Mrs. Schraoos (Louise) of Bruce, Mrs. Koch (Dorothy) of Sask., Mrs. Graves (Minnie) of Owen Sound, Mrs. Nixon (Emma) of Toronto, Mrs. Roberts (Martha) of Sask., and Mrs. Hastie (Fannie) of Sullivan. One brother predeceased her a number of years ago.

The funeral was held on Saturday from her late home in Glenelg township to Latona cemetery. Rev. Crickington, her pastor, had charge of the services at house and grave. The cortege which followed the remains to their last resting place was very large, testifying to the sorrow which the sad event occasioned.

The pall bearers were Jas Ellison, Herb Trafford, Jno. McKechnie, Dor McKechnie, Thomas Melosh, Nicholas Melosh, Duncan Morrison and D. O'Mara.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family and friends.

Mock Parliament Decides Against Titles

A Bill to restore titles in Canada, was brought in by the Gov't, led by Premier Harold McKechnie, at a Mock Parliament by Knox Men's Club in the church schoolroom Tuesday night. He was supported by Dr. Alex. M. Bell in speaking for the bill and by several other members, including the only lady member. The Opposition was led by J. A. Rowland and he and Peter Ramage spoke in determined opposition to the bill, contending that if passed, titles would be given to party stalwarts or strong financial backers and were entirely unnecessary in this democratic country. The Bill was given a stormy discussion and the speaker, Rev. W. H. Smith gave the ladies in the gallery the privilege of voting upon it, as well as the members. When the vote was counted by Miss M. Lennox, the Clerk of the House, the Opposition led by five majority, whereupon the Speaker called upon the Gov't to resign office.

This evening, Thursday, Durham Mascine Lodges are hosts for their Annual 'Ladies' Night' in their lodge rooms.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs Richard Boyce returned Tuesday after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs Geo Torry in Hanover. Mrs Geo. Searle, Guelph, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Turnbull, South Bentinck.

Mr and Mrs Cresswell (nee Sophia Jack) and son, Toronto, were in town to attend the funeral of Mrs. C's uncle, the late James McDonald. Miss Carrie Mitchell leaves the end of March to take a business course at Orangeville Business College.

Mr Arthur Ramage, Thornbury, spent over the week end at the parental home.

Mrs Fred Miller, Hanover, was the guest of Mrs Arthur Ritchie on Tuesday of this week.

Mr Eddie McQueen, Toronto, is spending a few days at the parental home in town and attended the Masonic "Ladies' Night" in the Masonic lodge rooms this Thursday.

Congratulations to Mrs Hargrave Sr., who celebrated her 86th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs Will Henry, Upper Town, on St. Patrick's Day, March 17th. We know St. Patrick never could get through as much reading material as does Mrs Hargrave.

Mrs Robt. Mitchell (nee Miss Dora Davidson) left here Wednesday last for Galt to see her husband's mother ere returning to Keewatin, and on Friday, Mrs Mitchell, Sr. passed away.

Mr. and Mrs W. R. Alder returned Tuesday evening after almost a month's trip to the Pacific coast. They went C.P.R. to Vancouver, thence to Victoria and Seattle, returning C.N.R. through Jasper National Park, Edmonton, Saskatoon and Winnipeg, thence through the States, via Chicago and Detroit. They saw quite a number of old friends and thoroughly enjoyed the trip. Their homescoming was hastened through Mr Alder's duties awaiting him as Supt of the local Provincial Highways on the opening up of the roads.

Miss Margaret L. Hunter will this week end entertain her cousin Miss Lillian Lauder of Kamloops, B. C., who is down East attending a convention in Toronto. Miss Lauder is a daughter of the late Joseph Lauder, one of the well known family of that name, who played such an important part in early Durham.

Mrs Guy Kearney and Mrs. D. C. Town were in Owen Sound Tuesday, the former staying over for the "Treble Clef Chorus" concert, which takes place this Wednesday night.

Miss Eva Haskin of the Children's Aid Society, Owen Sound, has come to make her home for some future time with Mrs Jas. Kerr and son Walter, of Varney.

St. Patrick's Banquet at Queen St. Church

Queen St. Church Mission Circle held their yearly St. Patrick's banquet last Friday night, with a good attendance. The tables and schoolroom, where the banquet was served, were prettily adorned with shamrocks and other Irish emblems and a bevy of attentive waitresses saw to it that the wants of the inner man were abundantly satisfied. It was a grand spread and a tribute to the culinary abilities of the Queen St. young ladies.

The pastor, Rev. H. S. Fiddes, presided over the program following in the auditorium of the church. This comprised an anthem by the choir, piano solos by Misses Fursman, violin solos by Mr Geo. Ylira, readings by Mrs R. M. Sparling, solos by Mr Bert Saunders, Mrs H. Kress was accompanist. All were heartily enjoyed.

The feature was the address by the pastor of the Baptist congregation, Rev. W. Spencer, "Aim High, Fight Shy, Keep Nigh," which was especially pertinent and beneficial to the young people. We should keep pace with the intellectual movement in life,—a man's mind must move on and a lofty ideal should be before us. We should fight shy of recreations which unfit us for the best types of life, and of associations that leads away from the church: we should keep nigh to the Bible, to the lions of life.

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BURNS—At Durham Hospital, on Monday, March 18th, to Mr and Mrs David Burns (nee Ruby Heslett) a daughter.

JOHNSTON—In Bentinck, on March 19th, to Mr and Mrs Gorman Johnston, a daughter. (Nee Margaret McDonald.)

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