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## OWN TOPICS

Mrs. Kaster Yandt, Normanby Tp., is receiving treatment at Durham Hospital.

Good Clean Seed Oats for Sale: 65c per bushel. Earl McLeod, Priceville.

The meeting of the Durham Club in Toronto announced for April 21st, has been postponed to April 28th.

Master Arch McDougall, the young son of Mr and Mrs Harry McDougall, had his tonsils removed at Durham Hospital this week.

The Little Helpers' Mission Band of Knox United Church, are holding a sacred Easter cantata, "Easter Morn" in the schoolroom on Friday night, April 25th. It is a very pretty affair. Admission 25c and 10c.

We acknowledge with pleasure an invitation to the piano recital in Detroit of Miss Onellee Watson, daughter of Mr Wm S. and Mrs Watson of that city. She is assisted by Miss Verna Pattison, soprano.

Bazaar on May 3rd  
Trinity Church bazaar in the rooms over Robt. Burnett's store, Saturday, May 3rd. An unusual assortment of ladies' and children's wear, rompers, fancy goods, rugs, quilts, etc. Home-made baking. Afternoon tea will be served.

Used Illegal Licenses  
Charged with transferring licenses from one car to another, two local young men, H. McDougall and Frank Miles pleaded guilty before Magistrate Laidlaw Tuesday and a fine of \$10 each was imposed.

Off on Suspended Sentence  
Charged with removing a small quantity of wood in bags from Mrs. Braun's, a neighbor, Mr M. Smith of Dornoch was found guilty by Magistrate Laidlaw on Wednesday, at a court case in Town Hall, but was let off on suspended sentence.

A Successful Dance  
The Red Cross Dance on Monday night in the Furniture Factory Show Rooms was a great success, both from a financial and social point of view. Durham Blue-bell orchestra supplied the music and pronounced the equal of many orchestras that have been imported for the dances. The net receipts to go to the Society will be in the neighborhood of \$100.

Annual Meeting Women's Institute  
The annual meeting of Durham Women's Institute will be held in the home of Mrs Thos. C. Ritchie, Upper Town, on Thursday, 1st May next. Election of officers will take place. The roll call will be answered by payment of fees and the reports of President and Secretary will be part of the business. A full attendance is requested.

Ill in Toronto General Hospital  
The many friends of Mrs Helen Whaley of Tavistock, but who is a patient at Toronto General Hospital, will be interested in hearing of her condition. She has been seriously sick for some weeks past but now the treatment she has been receiving has been completed and efforts are now being made to build up her strength, to allow her return to Zoria. Her mother who became ill on Tuesday, is renewing her youth and yet doing light housework.

### VARNEY WIDE-AWAKE CLUB

The Varney Wide-Awake Community held their monthly meeting at the home of Mr and Mrs Matt Barber on the evening of April 16th, with a good attendance present. Community singing opened the meeting with Miss Winnie Blyth as organist. The Vice Pres., Mr Art Petty was chairman in absence of President, Miss Florence Carmount who for several weeks has been under the Dr's care. The Sec'y, Miss Catherine Smith, read the minutes of last meeting, also a letter from Miss Florence Carmount, thanking the Community Circle for the flowers received during her illness. Miss Gussie McAlister entertained the Club with a number of humorous and interesting readings. A splendid Gazette was prepared and read by Miss Margaret Petty. Contests were conducted by Miss Ellen Marshall and Margaret Petty, after which lunch was served. The meeting for next month will be held at Mr and Mrs Chas. McAllister's.

### BORN

BERRY—On Wednesday, April 16th, at Smithville, to Mr and Mrs Graydon Berry (nee Jeanette Campbell) a son. Both doing well.

WILSON—On 16th con. Egremont, on April 16th, to Mr and Mrs Archie Wilson (nee Gertha McDonald) a daughter. (Marjorie Irene.)

## HYMENEAL

HARTLEY — VOLLET

Widespread interest was evidenced in the nuptials of Rev. William H. Hartley of Windsor and Sarah A. Vollet, in Trinity Church, Wednesday at 11 a. m. The church was well filled with friends and well wishers of the bride and groom and the bells also pealed forth the joyous greetings.

The bride was led to the altar by her brother Robert of Hamilton, who gave her away, Mrs (Rev.) E. Hayes supplying the wedding music on the organ the bride has long and efficiently played each Sunday. Rev. E. Hayes, rector, gave the beautiful Church of England marriage service and the couple were pronounced man and wife. For the occasion the bride was attractively attired in an ensemble suit of Venetian blue, with ermine veil of Venice lace, and with which went matching hat, shoes, gloves, nose and bag. Also a milk neckpiece was worn. There were no attendants.

Following the ceremony the bridal party were conveyed to the bride's home on Lambton St. where a dainty wedding luncheon was served, the attendants being Mrs D. B. Jamieson, Mrs Harding, Misses Alma Hughes and Mary McKechnie. The table decorations were pink tulips and carnations and at the close of luncheon, Rev Mr Hayes proposed a toast to the bride to which the groom responded.

The groom's gift to the bride was an alligator travelling bag and to the witness, Mrs R. Vollet, an amethyst and pearl brooch. Many other beautiful gifts were received from friends and organizations, among them being a beautiful silver meat platter from the Red Cross Society, to which the bride gave much useful work.

Mrs Munro Sutherland, Toronto, was the only outside guest present. It will be hard for a time to realize the bride not in our midst, but all the citizens are one in expressing to her and her esteemed husband the best that life can give.

## Priest Family Provided Entertaining Program

Seldom can a family be found so talented as to furnish a complete evening's program within themselves, but such a musical treat was heard in the Baptist Church Tuesday evening, when a good-sized gathering attended the entertainment supplied by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Priest, and his daughters, Misses Theodora and Joy, and sons Theodore and Jack. Mrs. Priest is also an artist, both along musical and elocutionary lines, but the sad death of her mother in Owen Sound last week, prevented her taking part in the program.

This versatile family were right at home on various musical instruments, in song and story, and the interest of the audience never flagged throughout. In opening, Rev. Priest, Theodore and Joy rendered a pleasing negro spiritual in perfect time, harmony and enunciation. Miss Theodora accompanied at piano for this and throughout the program when necessary. Theodora is a master of the violin and his Persian number, with encore, "Sweet Mystery of Life" were among his best selections. He also recited school teaching experiences, accompanied by realistic violin sketches, "The Town Pump" and "The Bagpipes", which greatly amused the gathering. His biggest elocutionary hit was the sermon on "Old Mother Hubbard" which was delivered with inimitable fervor. Again as a vocalist his versatility appeared when his rendering of "Old Man River" could not be excelled.

Miss Theodora is also a vocalist of old merit and she was heard to splendid advantage in "Roses of Picardy" and "Where my caravan has rested", each with violin obligato. Jack, with his own banjo accompaniment, sang several humorous skits. Perhaps however, the most popular numbers of any were the Hawaiian quartettes by Misses Joy and Theodora. Theodore and Jack, on banjo-ukelele, ukelele, solo guitar and accompanist guitar. The rhythmic harmony and tones produced never failed to please. Their numbers were "An Hawaiian Sunset", "On the Beach at Waikiki", "Carolina Moon", "Honolulu Hula Girl" and "Ukulele Lady."

These versatile young people also gave several selections as a four-piece orchestra, Miss Priest at piano: J. Theodora, violin; Jack, tenor banjo; Miss Joy, banjo ukelele, their numbers being "Painting the clouds with Sunshine", "The Desert Song" and "Tip toe through the Tulips." The concert was arranged when the various members of the family were home from schools and colleges and proceeds, about \$40, will be used by the pastor for needed repairs and renovations in and around the church.

## Home from his Trip to the Antipodes

Mr John H. Hunter Delighted with New Zealand and its People.

Over four months away from Durham, Mr John H. Hunter returned last Wednesday night from the trip of his life, as a member of the Canadian Bowlers' party to New Zealand and Australia. With the exception of six or seven from Vancouver, B. C., the remainder of the party, about 28 others, were from various points in Ontario. John thinks the world is a good old place, for they were royally entertained in all countries visited. "The people of New Zealand are the finest I've ever met and this is the opinion of 100 per cent of the boys," he remarked.

The Canadian Bowlers had a special pin engraved to commemorate their visit, which they distributed among bowlers at meets in New Zealand and Australia and in return received souvenir pins from each Bowling Association visited. John has a collection of 45 buttons and pins displayed, a memento of the various places where friendly meets were staged. The New Zealanders are a sport-loving race and every little town has its bowling greens and tennis courts.

The party left Toronto on Dec. 6th last and sailed from Vancouver on S.S. "Aorangi". They reached Auckland, New Zealand, on Dec. 29th and proceeded next day by train to Whangarei, the furthest north city of the Dominion, where they played their first game on the last day of the old year. In all they spent five weeks in New Zealand and three in Australia and returned 29 games on their tour.

Returning to Auckland they spent five days, thence went to Hamilton and Rotorua. At Rotorua are the renowned hot springs and here and at other points they came in contact with the native race of New Zealand, the Maoris, who are a splendid type of citizens and everywhere on equal terms with the white race. The Maoris entertained with a fine concert, and cooked on hot stones a meal of roast pig, vegetables, etc, in the manner of 100 years ago. Another Maori exhibition for the visitors' benefit was that of two gum-pickers, who with spikes protruding from front of sloes, and in hands, ran up the trunks of large trees to a distance of 70 feet or more.

Another interesting place visited was Wanganui on west coast, a modern city with beautiful parks, lakes, etc. To Wellington, the capital city, thence across the channel to Nelson on the South Island the party proceeded and on to Blenheim, Christchurch, Timaru, Dunedin, Queenston and Invercargill, playing games, sight-seeing and enjoying the scenery and hospitality of the New Zealanders. A land abounding in mountains, lakes, rivers and beautiful foliage provides scenery unsurpassed in the world and the Review wishes it could present to its readers the many striking photos and illustrations Mr Hunter brought back with him and displayed to us.

At Dunedin, Mr Hunter called upon Mr James Edmond, a cousin of the editor, and spent a most pleasant evening with him, his wife and daughters.

On Feb. 8th, the party reluctantly left New Zealand and took steamer for Australia, landing at Melbourne, the capital of Victoria, a city of over a million inhabitants. Melbourne is a modern built city, well laid out with some streets 200 feet wide. Sydney, with its one and a quarter million people, is the largest city of the Commonwealth and a fine city it is, but of the two likes Melbourne better. Mr Hunter also visited Adelaide, the capital of South Australia. Australia is more urban than Canada, over half its population of six million, dwelling in the cities.

A three day visit to Tasmania, the beautiful island kingdom south of Australia, was featured by a visit with Rev. Robt. McNair of Launceston, a former pastor of Durham Presbyterian Church. He was waiting at the wharf to meet the steamer and Mr Hunter recognized him over 200 feet from shore. Both he and Mrs McNair were delighted to greet him. It is 45 years since he left Durham and he has been in Tasmania 32 years and had seen only two Canadians there before Mr Hunter. Mr McNair is now in the insurance business. Both he and Mrs McNair are in the best of health and send best wishes to their old Durham friends.

On the 6th March, the Bowlers sailed from Australia on the return trip to Vancouver. En route home they left British dominions for the first time to spend a day or so in a domain of Uncle Sam's, the lovely Hawaiian Islands, in mid-Pacific. Here they did some sight seeing and at Honolulu, the hotel put on a free concert in their honor, where they were enchanted with the grand music,

both instrumental and vocal, provided by Hawaiian players and singers.

Before returning home, Mr Hunter visited his nephew, Dr. Arch. in Vancouver and niece, Mrs Chas. McKinnon of Alberta. John has nothing but the fondest of recollections of his trip, where the citizens of our sister nations of the Antipodes, were such capital hosts, doing all possible for the entertainment of the Canadian party.

## "ALADDIN AND HIS WONDERFUL LAMP" IN DURHAM, MAY 1st

Part Comment on above Comic Opera presented by Mt. Forest Choral Society in that Town, Feb 28th last, from "Mount Forest Confederate"

"The rising curtain disclosed an effective stage setting of the interior of an Eastern court, the walls covered with dark soft falling draperies, the mosque with its minarets to be seen over a screen at the centre back of stage."

"Miss Betty Chalmers as princess, did her work in a charming manner. Her solo work, as well as the passages with her brother as Aladdin, were delightful and her every action was filled with a dainty grace that well became the part."

"An enjoyable feature of the production was the clear enunciation of the principals and chorus and the fact that all appeared letter-perfect."

Under auspices Can. Greys, I.O.D.E. Proceeds in aid of Town Hall Improvement Fund. Admission 50c. All seats reserved. Plan at McFadden's Drug Store.

## Thursday Again Half Holiday Wednesday Open Night

Beginning next Thursday, May 1st, and continuing throughout May, June, July, August and September, Durham stores will be closed each Thursday afternoon for the usual summer half holiday. Stores will be open each Wednesday night also during these months, beginning next Wednesday, April 30th.

This is following the usual custom here for the past few years, and was decided upon at a meeting of the Merchants' Association to-day. Most of our surrounding towns, such as Hanover, Walkerton, Owen Sound are standardizing on Wednesday for their weekly half holiday, but Durham deemed it best to make no change—this year at any rate.

## Re-union Plans Receiving Good Support

Plans and preparations are being whipped into shape for the big section reunion at S.S. No. 9, Glenelg, on 30th June next. Each and every resident of the section are concentrating on making the event a success, and the feeling is strong to make a similar re-union every ten years. In this way community life and spirit are kept to the fore.

Despite the stormy nature of Tuesday evening, a number gathered at No 9 schoolhouse to further arrangements. It was felt at the meeting that one of the most important committees was that of "Grounds and Decorating." This com. was originally composed of the three trustees of the school section, Messrs Jno. Newell, Jas Brown and W. G. Lawrence, but on Tuesday night the three wives of these trustees were added to the Committee with the following: Geo. Collinson, Jno. McGirr, Thos Whitmore, Herb Atkinson, Wm Andrews, Wm A. McGirr, Robt. Lawrence, Lawrence McFadden.

The "Refreshment Com." comprise Mr and Mrs Wes. Arnett (Convener), Mr and Mrs Robt Whitmore, Mr and Mrs Wm Weir, Jr, Mrs Arthur Atkinson, Mrs Wm Hargrave, Mrs Prosper Porter, Mrs Jno McGirr, Mrs Wm Atchison, Mrs Geo Collinson, Mrs Jno Hamilton, Mrs And. Lindsay, Mrs W. Jacques, Mrs Herb Atkinson, Mrs W. Ball, Mrs Thos. Tucker.

"Sports Com." Mr and Mrs Wm. Patterson (convener), Wm J. McGirr, Freeman McFadden, Reg. McFadden, Geo. Bell, Miss Margaret Anderson, Mr and Mrs Russel McFarlane.

"Registration Com." Robt. McFadden, Mrs Geo. Newell, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Chapman, Mary S. Bell, Mrs Wm Wallace.

Gatekeepers — Alex Aljoe, George Whitmore, John Hamilton, and Lindsay.

The Secretaries have now over 400 names on list who are or were one time residents of the section and more are constantly being added. The day's program is to commence at 12.30 and it will be something to suit every inclination and taste.

Rah for No. 9.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr and Mrs C. M. Bowman, Kitchener, were Easter guests of Dr. and Mrs D. B. Jamieson.

Mrs W. H. Smith and Mrs W. R. Alder were in Flesherton last Thursday, addressing the W.M.S. of the United Church there at their Thanksgiving meeting.

Mr and Mrs John Cushnie, Toronto, spent an afternoon recently with Mr. and Mrs Murray Ritchie.

Mr and Mrs Jas Duffield spent the Easter holiday with Walkerville relatives and friends.

Miss C. Fettes, matron of Durham Hospital, spent Easter with her sister Mrs A. Henderson, at Dornore.

Mr and Mrs Tlos McNiece, Mrs J. Morice and Mrs Robt Trafford attended the funeral of Mr Henry Lumu at Williamsford Monday. Mrs Lumu was a cousin of Mrs Morice.

Mr John A. Graham is attending the O.E.A. in Toronto this week.

Mr Wm Burgess, Sarnia, motored to see his sister, Mrs Jno. A. Graham, last week end.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Banks and children, and Mrs B's mother, Mrs Haxton, Flesherton, spent Sunday with Mrs Thos. Banks.

Mr and Mrs Percy Bradley and little daughter and Mr B's father, were guests of Mr and Mrs Will McTavish, Upper Town. They also had as guests over Good Friday, Mr McTavish's mother and brother Peter of Arthur.

Mr and Mrs Will Buchan and son Ewing, Dunnville, motored to their relatives here for the holiday, Mrs B. remaining for a week.

Miss Marjorie Caldwell is home from Erin for the Easter holiday.

Mr and Mrs Harry Scott and son Jimmie spent over Easter Sunday with his mother at Hopeville.

Miss Ruby Blyth, Atherly, and Mr G. Constable, Barrie and Mr and Mrs Irving Blyth, Hamilton, were the guests for Easter holiday at the former's father, J. W. Blyth, Varney. Mr Kenneth Kerr, Kitchener, spent over Good Friday at his home at Varney.

Mr and Mrs Ross Phillips, Weston; Mr C. Black, Toronto; Miss Amelia Blair, Oakville, were all guests of Mr and Mrs Thos Blair over Easter. Mrs Blair and Miss Eola Littlejohn went to Toronto Good Friday and returned with them.

Miss Julia Weir is spending the Easter holiday with her sister, Mrs. Bert Smith of Guelph.

Mrs David Leith is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs Knox, Guelph and sister, Mrs John Rocks, Toronto, during the Easter recess.

Miss Margaret Gibson, Owen Sound was a guest over Easter with Mr and Mrs Stanley Mountain, Normanby.

We regret to report the critical illness of Mrs Annie McCormack, teacher at Cottam at her boarding place there. She was stricken suddenly last Thursday with head pains, and her brother, Wm G. Lawrence left Friday to be with her. It is hoped she may soon recuperate sufficiently to remove her to Durham hospital where she will be close to home relatives and friends.

Miss Elsie Pearson and her friend, Mr Arthur F Demone and Miss Clara McFadden, all of Hamilton, spent Easter with Mr and Mrs Arthur Ritchie and Mrs And. Ritchie. Miss Gladys M Ritchie returned with them where she will attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Elsie Pearson to Mr Arthur F. Demone, on Thursday of this week in Hamilton.

Rev. W. H. Smith was in Toronto this week attending the sessions of the Ontario Library Association.

Miss Martina Simpson returned last week from Kitchener, where she has been employed for the past month. She returns to-day Thursday, accompanied by her mother, who will visit relatives there for a few weeks.

Mrs Richard Boyce spent last week end with her daughter, Mrs George Torry in Hanover.

Miss Maud Cuff, Toronto, was an Easter visitor with Mrs Wm. Picken. Mrs W. Scarf, Toronto, was the guest of her sister, Mrs W. Ritchie.

## Last Opportunity to Enter Oratory Contest

The Oratorical Contest for High School students will be held in the auditorium of Flesherton High School, Saturday, May 3, at 2 p. m. Subject: "The League of Nations, its origin, objects and accomplishments." Time from 12 to 15 min. Prizes \$40, \$25, \$15, \$10, \$5. Three students allowed from each High School. Material on subject is in hands of High School Principals. The Department of English of O.A.C. is sending judge. Everybody welcome.

A. C. MacPHAIL M. P.

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