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DURHAM HAS 38 ON THE OLD AGE PENSION LIST

Since the Pension Board came into effect in 1929, the several Boards have dealt with 681 pensions. The following is the number from each municipality in Grey Co. and how dealt with:

- Artemesia, 44 received, 41 passed, 3 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Bentnick: 38 received, 38 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 1 death.
Collingwood: 26 received, 25 passed, 1 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Dedby: 18 received, 18 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 1 death.
Egremont: 18 received, 17 passed, 1 refused, 0 cancelled, 1 death.
Euphrasia: 26 received, 24 passed, 2 refused, 0 cancelled, 1 death.
Glencol: 25 received, 25 passed, 0 refused, 1 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Holland: 39 received, 30 passed, 0 refused, 1 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Keppel: 24 received, 24 passed, 0 refused, 2 cancelled, 2 deaths.
Normanby: 24 received, 24 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Osprey: 41 received, 41 passed, 0 refused, 1 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Preston: 33 received, 32 passed, 1 refused, 1 cancelled, 3 deaths.
St Vincent: 17 received, 17 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Sarakaw: 5 received, 5 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Sullivan: 26 received, 24 passed, 2 refused, 1 cancelled, 2 deaths.
Sydenham: 31 received, 31 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 2 deaths.
Durham: 39 received, 38 passed, 1 refused, 1 cancelled, 5 deaths.
Hanover: 37 received, 37 passed, 0 refused, 2 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Meaford: 69 received, 66 passed, 3 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Thursbury: 25 received, 25 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 3 deaths.
Chesworth: 10 received, 10 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Dundalk: 21 received, 21 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 2 deaths.

Flesherton: 14 received, 13 passed, 1 refused, 0 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Markdale: 17 received, 14 passed, 3 refused, 1 cancelled, 1 death.
Neustadt: 7 received, 7 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 0 deaths.
Shallow Lake: 5 received, 5 passed, 0 refused, 0 cancelled, 1 death.

OBITUARY

FREDERICK WHITMORE

There died in Hamilton on Wednesday night last, Thomas Frederick Whitmore, son of the late Jas Whitmore of Glenora Tp. and Mrs Whitmore of Upper Town, Durham. He was 47 years old. About 25 years ago he struck West, settling in Vancouver, but some years ago came east and settled in Hamilton. He is remembered by his schoolmates as the possessor of a bright and sunny disposition and a favorite with all. He is mourned by his aged mother, and five sisters and two brothers, viz: Mrs W. J. Firth, Mrs Allister Saunders, Durham; Mrs McGrath, and Miss Laura, Toronto; Mrs Chas. McDonald, Boothville; Herbert, Calgary; Robert, of California. The remains were brought to the home of his mother in town, from where interment was made Friday to the English Church cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Through the medium of the Review, we desire to express our sincere appreciation of kindness and sympathy from friends and neighbors, shown in our recent bereavement by the death of our beloved mother, Mrs Jas. Park.

—Husband and Family

Meaford Mirror: The Ontario Conservative party mixes history. Not long ago it had its Waterloo and now it has lost its Wellington.

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DURHAM REVIEW

Christmas is not five weeks away

The Durham Review

HANOVER LOSES A GOOD SON
Thursday morning of last week after scarcely a day's illness, the death took place of F. S. Mearns, the cause being heart disease.

Deceased was Solicitor for the Town of Hanover for over 30 years, and had financial interests in Toronto, also and was an expert in Corporation work. He was one of the leading arbitration lawyers in Toronto, and was highly appreciated.

He was a member of the Sons of Scotland Society and for over 30 years was its Grand Financial Secretary. In this position the writer, once a month at least, became thoroughly acquainted with him and can bear witness to the value to the Order of the deceased Grand Secretary.

Hanover Mayor and Council had a special meeting to take note of the death and in addition to sending a wreath, appointed the Mayor and Mr Brigham to attend the funeral. Mayor and Council all spoke highly of the deceased and voiced the loss to the corporation by his death.

Mr Mearns was born in Normanby and his family were well-known there at that time. The funeral on Saturday was a marked tribute to his worth. To his family we join a wide circle in extending condolence over his loss.

THIRD TIME ACCLAIMED WHEAT KING OF CANADA

Once more Herman Trelle of Wembley, Alberta, produced at the International Live Stock Show and Grain Exposition, at Chicago, the sample of wheat, that proclaims him king of wheat-growers.

This is a triumph for Canada, as well as for Trelle. The Peace River Country has proven itself tested and tried, for no one can say that in three years successively to win this coveted honor, luck has any place.

Trelle operate 1000 acres, 450 miles north of the international boundary. Only 550 acres are in crop—the rest virgin soil. The long summer days, giving the grain many hours of sunlight, are mainly responsible for his successes.

The rays of Old Sol are beneficial to a seed of grain as well as to the human body. Moral: Keep on the sunny side of life.

Funeral of late Mrs. Park Largely Attended

All that was mortal of the late Mrs James P. Park, South line, Bentnick, was tenderly laid to rest Friday afternoon last in Hampton's burial plot. Rev. B. D. Armstrong of Durham Presbyterian Church, conducted the service at house and graveside.

He chose as the basis of his remarks Mark 8:14, "She hath done what she could," it referred to the reply our Saviour gave to the critics who stated that the precious ointment might have been devoted to better use. The tribute to Mary was a beautiful one, and the same tribute could be given to the death they mourned in their midst.

Beautiful floral emblems reposed on and about the casket, among them being a "Gates Ajar" from the family; sprays from Mr and Mrs W. E. Taylor, Toronto; Women's Institute, Allan Park; Ball family, of Hanover; Mr and Mrs Jas Charlton; Rena, Marjory, Myrtle, Wesley and Willie Charlton; Misses McCannel, Toronto; Mr F. Coombs, Toronto; W. Smith, Toronto; wreaths—Mr and Mrs G. A. Turnbull; staff of Banking and Cash Dept. of Robt. Simpson Co. Ltd.

The pall bearers were Messrs John and Wilfrid Park, sons; Wm Derby, Sr., M. W. Byers, James and John Park, Sr.

Those attending the funeral on Friday from a distance were: Mr and Mrs John Laidlaw, Pittsburg, Pa.; Mr and Mrs W. E. Taylor, Mrs J. Bradley and Mrs J. McCannel, Toronto; Mrs J. Park and son, and Mrs G. Richard, Detroit; Mr J. King and son, Mrs A. Cunningham, Owen Sound; Mrs H. Watt, Walkerton; Mr and Mrs Wm Mather, Mrs J. Mather and daughter, Mr and Mrs Thos. Nichol and daughters, Mr and Mrs David Nichol and son and Mr. and Mrs John Nichol, all of Priceville.

Mrs Geo. Noble, Durham, has received word of the death of her brother, Thos Atkins, at Callander, Ont. He was 75 years of age.

Election in Artemesia Monday

ARTEMESIA NOMINATIONS
For Reeve—J. A. Davis and Alex. Cameron.
For Deputy Reeve—Garnet Magee and I. B. Whittaker.
For Council—J. E. Worling, Wm. Burnett, C. D. Meldrum (accl.)

FLESHERTON

Reeve—H. A. McCauley (accl.)
Council—C. N. Richardson, G. B. Welton, J. O. Dargavel, F. J. Mathewson (accl.)

HAMPDEN

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr James Park and family of S. Bentnick, who were bereft of a much esteemed and respected wife and mother last Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, who passed away after an hour's illness of heart trouble.

The late Mrs Park, whose maiden name was Mary Jane Geddes, eldest daughter of the late Walter and Mrs Geddes of this locality, was much missed in her home and community, being a valued active worker of Arlan Park Institute and a staunch Presbyterian. She was an early member of Hampden church, but in late years of Durham, of which Rev. Mr Armstrong, who conducted the service, was pastor.

She leaves behind her husband and four children: Ella, of Toronto; Isabella, John and Wilfrid at home. One brother Ebenezer and two sisters, Margaret on the old homestead, and Mrs John Laidlaw of Pittsburg, survive.

The funeral on Friday was one of the largest, when over one hundred autos were parked during the impressive service conducted by her pastor, taking as his subject "She hath done her best." Most appropriate hymns were sung, "Abide with Me" and "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Many friends and relatives were present from a distance to pay their last respects to the departed.

Mr and Mrs J. Laidlaw, Pittsburg, are spending a few days at the Geddes home this week.

Mr and Mrs Henry Schilling and Mr and Mrs Grein and son, Aytton, visited with Mrs Sharp recently. Mrs Thos Derby and Mrs Wm. Mearns left Saturday to attend their uncle's funeral, the late S. F. Mearns. Rev. A. D. Hamilton, Hanover, is having cottage prayer meeting this week at home of Mrs Sharp.

Mr and Mrs Elgin Wilton of Knox, visited with Mr and Mrs J. Sharp recently.

A few from this locality attended the Orange funeral of B. J. Switzer, of Hanover, on Monday.

Mr Steven Hickling, Carrick, is visiting his brother Arnold for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Jno. Sharp and son, visited with Priceville friends Saturday.

The young people are busy practicing for the Christmas concert. The beautiful coating of snow that came Saturday, has gradually left us as though loath to leave. It has made the roads very sloppy.

DORNOCH

Dornoch Women's Institute gave a concert in Williamsford Hall on Friday night, when a play was put on by a bunch from Markdale. "When a feller needs a friend." It was good, all taking their part well. The Hall was filled to the door, \$30.65 being taken and over \$5 for lunches.

Mrs E. McIntosh entertained a number of her friends Thursday night, it being spent in games and music. After all was over, the hostess served lunch, and all departed, much pleased with the night's entertainment. Mrs E. Dargavel and Nelson McIntosh carried off the prizes.

Mrs J. Helft entertained on Tuesday to a bridge party, which seemed to be all the rage around Dornoch.

Mrs H. J. Picard's sister of Toronto is spending a week with them. Miss Agnes Sullivan returned home from Flint, where she spent a few weeks with her sister, Mrs F. Hamilton.

Sorry to hear Mrs J. Robertson slipped on her doorstep and broke her wrist. We hope this will be her last accident as last year she fell and broke her left wrist—this time her right, which makes it very unhappy. She is fortunate to have one of her girls with her to help out, as her fowl are almost ready for market. J. Lowe and brother Bob, Niagara Falls, spent the week end with their sister, Mrs E. B. Dargavel.

Mr. Walsh, Markdale, has rented two rooms from Mr F. Shewell and has moved in.

ROCKY SAUGEEN

Mr and Mrs W. J. Middleton and son Joe, of Berkeley, were visitors this week with Mr and Mrs Joe Crutchley.

Mr and Mrs Doug. McDonald and children, Crawford, spent a day recently with the McLean families.

Mrs Wm Souter and small son, of Toronto, is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr and Mrs T. G. Lauder.

Mr and Mrs Malcolm McKechnie, and daughter Joan, were week visitors with Toronto friends. Miss Islay McKechnie, Flesherton, spent the week end at her home.

Misses Isabel and Mary McQuarrie were guests of Miss Esther McLean, on Saturday. Miss Beaton and pupils are busy preparing for the school concert to be held Friday evening, Dec 18. A good program of drills and recitations and dialogues is being prepared and we hope for a good attendance, to show our appreciation. Ladies of the section will provide lunch. Mr and Mrs J. White and son E. J. of La Pierre, Mich., and Mr Eugene Williams of Royal Oak, were visitors Saturday with Mr and Mrs Jas Crutchley. Mr Robt Lawson, Mrs Murray Ritchie, Mr and Mrs Joe Crutchley are delegates from the local Clubs to attend the convention in Toronto this week.

Present Bentnick Council Returned by Acclamation

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payers. In assets, almost \$6000 will be available to begin year: he didn't believe in trying to build a surplus this year.

Turning to County affairs, the reeve stated Grey has 600 old age pensioners to support for whom Grey County's share is \$25,000 per year. 1 mill of rate is required for Old Age Pensions and Mothers' Allowances, and 2 1/2 mills for education. Prov' 1 roads in Grey Co. cost \$560,000 last year, of which Grey's share was \$112,000. No construction was done on County Roads this year except paving in Flesherton, Markdale and Meaford, the County spending more on maintenance. After equalization of County assessment in 1930, rate was reduced 1/2 mill. Bentnick's assessment was not raised as were others, as he deemed it high as it was.

The Com. appointed to investigate Co. Engineer McKnight's accounts couldn't do much with them and a Com. comprising the Warden, Dep. Reeve Brown of Collingwood and himself, to bring in a new system of accounting. The Co. Road Com. was authorized to spend nothing outside of what was levied last year for road purposes, thus there is no larger overdraft. After six years in the reeve's chair, he was again a candidate and claimed the electors could get no better council for economy than the present one.

W. G. McCulloch enquired why the Supt's salary was raised to 50c an hour. The Reeve explained the Dept. of Highways paid half of it, Mr Patterson was a good Supt. and better person with his experience. Mr Patterson had asked increase, the Gov't approved it, and he had saved the Council more than his salary last year. The township would have been behind with a new Supt, whereas the raise cost the township actually only about \$10 more.

R. Grierson stated all had worked to save township money and in best interests of ratepayers. He was again a candidate for deputy. The present Reeve had good prospects of securing Wardenship and he wished to see him returned on this account.

Robt McCaslin said he had now 4 years' experience and was standing. All had done their best last year.

Jas. Turnbull remarked it was the best statement he had issued for years. He would try another year and then contest reeve or deputy!

Chas Bailey stated he had heard no complaints regarding work done, and was in the running for another year.

H. W. Hunt, ex-reeve, regretted that few from south of township could be present, owing to funeral that day. He blamed the Reeve for increasing Supt's salary and fared second best in an argument with ex-Supt. Smith over his salary during his regime. He claimed Bentnick was only municipality in Ontario to increase Supt's salary. It was unreasonable to pay 50c an hour, but he didn't blame Mr Patterson for taking it. He thought when U.F.W.O. asked county council to reduce salaries, a 10 per cent decrease should have been made on everyone. If an election he would run for reeve.

Alex Hopkins thanked electors for hearty support last time. It was scarcely enough, but if election he would stand for deputy.

Mr Hunt announced Alex Grierson, who was absent, would stand for council if election. John Bailey resigned in favor of old council who had done well.

Henry Schultz thought council should have reduced their own pay 25c a day and let more patrolmen in. It was too one-sided. If an election, he might run. Ernest Roseborough was surprised to be nominated but might run.

Reeve McDonald in reply, hoped all criticism would be here, not after Nomination. He had brought in report for 10 per cent cut salary reduction in Co. Council, spoke in favor of it and it carried as a whole. Mr Schultz would cut council pay sheet. Well 3 years ago it was \$312, this year \$190—a good reduction. The reeve said he didn't favor cutting wages of shovellers and teams on roads. If cut 20 per cent, tw'p would save only two thirds of a mill taxes and he believed in paying a fair wage.

Road Supt. Patterson last had the floor and vigorously justified his pay. He received only 40c an hour until last of May and 50c since, and it was well worth it when car was in use as well.

ANNOUNCEMENT
Announcement has been made by the Canadian Pacific to the effect that reduced fare tickets will be available to the general public to enable them to visit relatives and friends during the approaching Christmas season. These return tickets will be sold at rate of single and a quarter fare, good for travel going Dec. 23, 24, 25, with return limit Dec. 28. Similarly for New Year's, going trip can be made Dec. 30, 31, Jan. 1, returning not later than January 4th.

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New Store Opening Friday, Dec. 4th

This week we are transferring our Stock to our new store (formerly Star Theatre) and will open for business there on Friday of this week.

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John A. Graham, principal
Sr III A—Hele Gagnon, Lorraine McArthur, Betty McIntyre, Margaret Sparling, Annie Timanov.
Sr III B—Florence Greenwood, Hilgard Schenk, Gertrude Holmes, Clyde McCallum, (Helen Lawrence and F. McLean) eq.

Emily Hunt, teacher
Jr III A—Catherine Rowland, Janet Robb, Margaret Armstrong, Bert Lawrence, Jean McDonald.
Jr III B—Margaret Moore, Alex. Wells, Jimmie Braithwaite, Esther Bourne, John Atkins.

Alex D. Sinclair, teacher
Sr II A—Phillip Sparling, Ross Cain
Fred Town, Will Noble, Florence McLean.
Sr II B—Rita Morris, Jamieson Watson, Mae Levi, James Sloan, Clara McDonald.

Florence Kress, teacher
Jr II A—Vera Lauder, Florence Martin, (John Collier and Margaret Derby) eq., Ruth Hillis, Jean Town.
Jr II B—Hammill McCaslin, June Elvidge, Anna McLean, Ralph Wilson Jim Garland.

Mary E. Morton, teacher
I A—Alex McDonnell, Stan. Greenwood, Eugene Lake, Jack Cain, Andrew Dewar.
I B—Jean Levi, John Wesley, John McGowan, Russell Loug, Marie Morton.

Jean Harding, teacher
Sr Pr A—Catherine Robb, Bertie McMeekin, Clarence Trafford, Douglas Debnay, Lorraine Pinkerton.
Sr Pr B—Ronald McQueen, George Thomson, Stanley Vickers, John Levi James Scott.

Nora H. Stewart, teacher
Jr Pr A—(Donald Dewar and Mrs G. Reay and daughter Grace, were the guests of Mr and Mrs Grace Wise and family, one day recently.
Mrs Hugh McDonald, Durham, visited Thursday afternoon last at her daughters, Mr and Mrs Harry Reay and family.

MISS CATHERINE McLEAN of Topeliff is spending a few days with Mrs. McCannel. Glad to hear that Mr Geo. Hopkins is improving. Mr and Mrs Joe Lennox spent Monday evening with Mr and Mrs. Robt. McPadden.

AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

LOT 26, CON 2, BENTINCK, W.G.R.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1931
at 1 o'clock, the following:
HORSES: 2 heavy draft geldings: 1 blood mare; 1 gen. purpose mare.
CATTLE: Cow six yr old; cow 3 yr old; heifer 5 yr old; heifer, 2 yr old, in calf; 3 spring calves.
1 brood sow, due in about 2 weeks.
32 ewes, 1 ram.
POULTRY: 65 hens, 80 turkeys, 1 pair guineas.
IMPLEMENTS: Mas. Har. binder, Mas. Harris mower, Mas. Har. Fer-Lizer drill (new), Mas. Har. hay rake, Bissell disc, Fred Tolton harrow, 15 ft.; Spring tooth harrow, Verity 2 furrow plow, Oliver walking plow, Tadhope-Anderson plow, Adams truck wagon, general purpose wagon, buggy, cutter, hay racks, wagon boxes, set double harness, set single harness, scuffer, De Laval cream separator, chains, forks, shovels, hoes, whiffletrees, and numerous other articles.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Quebec heater, cook stove, parlor suite, tables, lamps, pails, couches, etc.
Quantity of buckwheat and turnips 100 bags potatoes.

GENUINE FIRE SALE
TERMS: Grain, roots and all sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount 4 per cent off for cash, or 6 mos credit on furnishing approved joint notes bearing interest at 6 per cent.

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SWINTON

With just one thought of Christ considered new Christmas setting of pork and potatoes will be no lack. Strange that in have complained city of money, hungry. We truly.

We are sorry Ferguson, on the tor, was taken last Friday afternoon thought the only much sympathy. Old friend in his John has been of sharing the life, always giving work or at play that the means may be blessed trusts and that to his loved ones.

Many people attend the funeral. Eachers at Park them the Ferns McEachnie's, who cousins and other.

In Priceville, in the Presbyterian is to be held in minister. During we have had a Sunday and we

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