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EDITOR J. R. MACINTYRE,
OF DUNDALK, PASSES

News of the sudden death of Mr. J. R. Macintyre, editor of the Dundalk Herald, on Tuesday, came as a shock to hundreds of friends throughout the county, and the Review feels in his demise, a distinct personal loss.

For many years we have known him as a tried and true friend, of a genial and sympathetic nature, and most approachable. He possessed a well-stored mind and a facile pen, and his kindly smile will now be no more. With the assistance of his son in recent years, he published an excellent country newspaper, and both in the moral and business life of Dundalk, he has been an exemplary citizen. Outside of the family circle, where his loss will most sorely be felt, he will be greatly missed in a civic capacity as treasurer of the village for over thirty years, and in the United Church, where he has long been a pillar and a member of the tenor section of the choir. To the bereaved widow and family, we extend our sincere sympathy.

MRS M. A. BOYCE DOING
MISSIONARY WORK IN SASK'N

"The Missionary Monthly" of the United Church of Canada has an interesting article in its March issue, from the pen of Mrs H. W. Kipp, a travelling secretary of the Women's Missionary Society of that church. She writes of her tour through the various mission station hospitals, of which one of them is stationed at Wakaw, Sask., and called the "Anna Turnbull Hospital." Here Mrs A. M. Boyce (Minnie Twamley) is in charge and doing good work. Mrs. Kipp speaks of this part of her visit in the following manner: "Lunch over, we wended our way to the hospital, where Mrs A. M. Boyce, the lady superintendent, and staff of six nurses, gave us a cordial reception. Everybody was busy, every bed in the new women's ward was occupied. In fact the hospital was giving us a practical demonstration of its need and value in that non-Anglo-Saxon district."

THE LITTLE COUNTRY HOSPITAL

(Edgar Guest, in the American Hospital Bulletin).

The little country hospital is hidden out of view. And people seldom notice it as pleasure they pursue. But let an accident befall, which is the fate of men—The proudest man is glad to see the small town doctor then; And in that little hospital which humble folk maintain, He'll find that hearts are merciful and quick to comfort pain.

It isn't like the city place with sections blocks apart, Where every patient's listed as numbers on the chart, And specialists for this and that, convene to thumb him o'er And ask a thousand questions of the ill he's had before.

For in the country hospital, which lacks all pomp and style, The surgeon on his morning round, has time to chat awhile.

And whether pain be in your groin, your stomach or your toe, The cause of it the doctor there assuredly will know.

He will not hurry you round the place for rays of that and this, He'll diagnose your case himself and very seldom miss. And whoso'er shall tread the hall, when you are free from pain, Will stop to speak a cheery word and wish you well again.

So little country hospital which humble folk support, Which struggles for existence, since funds are sometimes short; I pay this simple tribute now to all your tender care

In lessening the hurt and pain which mortals have to bear, And pray for God's rich blessing on the men and women brave Who gave their every ounce of strength—another's life to save.

QUEEN ST. Y. W. A.

On Thursday evening, March 9th, the Y.W.A. of Queen St. met at the Parsonage, Miss Margaret Storey presiding. The scripture lesson was taken from the 23rd Psalm and read by Miss Violet Snell. A very interesting devotional talk was given by Mrs N. L. Stauffer. Misses E. M. Firth and K. Milne gave papers on the study book "The Dominion of Canada." Mrs G. R. Padfield entertained with a piano solo. Miss Etta Twamley contributed a reading. "What is Prayer?" The meeting was closed with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer in unison. Lunch was served.

Big bundle of old papers, only 5c at Review Office. Just the thing for lighting fire, laying out carpets,

John Austin writes the Review from Imperial, Sask.

We were more than pleased last week to receive a letter from John Austin of Imperial, Sask. Now how many of our readers recall when Mr Austin lived in Durham and went west some 45 years ago? Perhaps some will remember him better by his wife, nee Miss Lizzie Johnston, daughter of the late Wm Johnston, also of Durham. He says he has taken the Review these 45 years and thinks he must be one of our pioneer subscribers. "It is still a welcome visitor though 50% of the names are new to me. I often wish I could get away in the summer and spend a week there again. But am always busy in the summer and now this depression has put it out of sight altogether from a financial viewpoint. However, I am still going on live in hopes."

Our ages are all between 60 and 75 years so you see we are all growing old. Brother Alex and I are still engaged at farming, live in town during the winter and spend most of the winter in our locality; it has been bad enough south of us to the boundary line has been worse. Have four grandchildren—two boys and two girls and we see them every week and I think Lizzie and I make more fuss over them than we did over our own. Our youngest daughter Margaret has been in Moose Jaw over a year now. She is a stenographer and was with the Regina Leader several years, later at Winnipeg."

Western Paper's Tribute to William Ledingham

"The Banner", Russell, Manitoba) Another of our prominent business men has passed away, in the person of Mr Wm Ledingham, who has for the past 40 years, conducted the drug store he opened here at that time. From a small beginning it grew to be one of the best equipped business places of its kind in rural Manitoba and this growth was largely due to the service he gave, practically 24 hours a day and his willingness at all times to serve the public. Besides his interest in the store, he became interested in farming and for years has been a large land owner and has taken an active part in the working of some of this land, but the depression caught his land operations, the same as it did thousands of others and the worry no doubt, hastened his sickness, which was the cause of his death.

The late Mr Ledingham was born in Bentinck Tp., Grey County, Ont., 69 years ago, and after receiving his education at Durham High School he graduated from Toronto University, as a druggist. Shortly after this he came to the West, first at Portage la Prairie for 2 years, and over 40 years ago, he took over the small drug store, at that time in charge of M. Wright and later he built his present business block. Perhaps the most outstanding feature of his life was his diligence in business. Still he devoted part of his time to public affairs and was a member of the School Board for a time. He was a regular attendant at church services and for over 20 years a member of the Presbyterian church choir.

In 1896, he married Margaret King, of Chesley, Ont., who survives him, also one daughter and two sons, Geo. and Wm., at home; one sister, Mrs. A. C. McDonald, Mulock; two brothers, James, of Galahad, Alta. and Robert, of Durham.

The funeral was held from Knox United church on Saturday afternoon, and the building was filled to overflowing with sympathizing friends who had gathered to pay their last respects to their departed friend and citizen. The service was conducted by Rev H. B. Wallace, M. A., B.D., and some of the favorite hymns of deceased were sung by choir. The platform and coffin were banked by many beautiful wreaths and flowers, sent by members of the family, business associates and friends, and interment followed in the Russell cemetery.

HAMPDEN

In spite of the blizzard-like weather of last week, our faithful mailman was on the job every day, sometimes with covered rig and sometimes in the open and the roads in bad condition.

The proposed wood bee for the benefit of John Sharp which was planned for Thursday afternoon on his Bentinck property, didn't take place until Monday afternoon, when about a dozen young men turned out from this part. Some half dozen men were on the spot Friday and cut the trees down from Bentinck. Perhaps it didn't storm back there.

Mr and Mrs John Sharp opened their home Friday evening to the youth and beauty of the community. All had a merry time and refreshments were served at midnight. The Sharpe sisters, together with Thos. Fulton and sister Mae, supplied the music.

Owing to the stormy weather there was no school Thursday or Friday.

DORNOCH

The storm of the past week made it impossible to get around. We were pleased to see the snow plow opening the road so the mail and bus man could get through. We hope this is the last storm of the season, though we cannot grumble for we have had a wonderful winter. A little snow once in a while, just to remind us of the old-time winters, when there were no fences to be seen.

The W. I. was held at the home of Mrs E. B. Dargavel, when 16 were present. Everyone had a reading. As there are two sides, the side that has the least reading will be given an afternoon tea. There is a hard fight on as to who will win. The roll call was answered by a potato recipe. Prizes were sent to Mrs Gordon Riddell, she being a member of our Institute. We send our congratulations to Mr and Mrs. Riddell. Our next meeting will be home of Mrs C. Miller. Roll call word will be garden hints and exchange of seeds.

Miss Ruth Ledingham, Toronto spent the week end at her home here and returned Monday.

Mr and Mrs Albert Livingstone have adopted a baby girl which will be great company and quite a change.

W. H. Dargavel spent three weeks with his mother here and returned Sunday by bus.

Mr Irving Picard visited with his father one day last week.

Mr and Mrs J. Keopp entertained a number of their friends last week. Darning was the main attraction and all enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

Mrs John Lang spent a few days with Mrs J. Keopp.

ROCKY SAUGEEN

We had quite a storm recently which blocked the roads for a couple days, but the weather is settled and mild at present.

Mrs S. Hepburn of Chesley has been a visitor with her mother, Mrs Symon recently. Pleased to hear Mrs Symon is improving.

Mr Hawkins, who has been in the hospital the past month, is now convalescing at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robt. Mortley.

Mr Howard Reay visited recently with his sister, Mrs Clarence Thompson, in Bentinck.

Mr and Mrs John Molson were recent guests with Williamford friends.

Mr and Mrs Wm Bell were visitors with Orchard friends recently.

Mr Charlie Weppeler is having quite a serious time with his leg which he had crushed. It is giving him a good deal of pain at present.

U. F. W. O. Club

The monthly meeting of the U. F. W. O. Club met at the home of Mrs Lachie McLean. It being a nice day, there was a good attendance of members and a number of visitors present. The president, Mrs Lawson opened the meeting with community singing, after which the creed was repeated in unison. The roll call was answered by our favorite dessert. Correspondence from head office was read by Mrs T. Turnbull. The program consisted of a duet by Mrs M. Ritchie and Mrs L. McLean; current events by Mrs Young; a paper by Mrs N. Melosh on "The different uses of Wool"; Mrs N. McLean gave a paper on the "C. C. F." This brought an interesting meeting to a close.

Bentinck Council

Pursuant to adjournment council met on Monday, 6th day of March. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications were read by clerk; also a report of delegates to Good Roads convention, given by Deputy Reeve Magwood and Supt. Patterson. Warden MacDonald also attended the convention in interests of county.

W. G. Haslie reported receiving cheque, being two thirds of amount spent in relief by council.

Magwood-Balley; That clerk authorize Co. Treasurer to erase arrears of taxes on lot 30 on 14 lot 1 on 2, S.D.R., the taxes having been paid to date. Car.

Balley - Torry; That ratepayers have requested to have some trees on roadway sold. We hereby authorize supt to investigate. Car.

Wells - Torry; That all accounts, including Voucher No 2 be passed and cheques issued by Treas. Car.

Magwood-Wells; That by law be introduced to appoint sheep valuers, weed inspectors, pound keepers and fence viewers. By-law No 163. Carried.

Wells-Balley; That bylaw be introduced in order to levy estimates of road expenditure for the year. By-law No 164. A copy to be forwarded to Dep't of Public Highways. Car.

Torry Wells; That clerk write Dist. Engineer Poynton asking him to attend next meeting of council. Car.

Magwood-Torry; That work on the roads be given to each ratepayer in proportion to his assessments. Car.

Balley-Wells; That in order to have the foregoing resolution made effective, the clerk prepare a statement of each assessment to be given to the patrolman as a guide in the division of work. The clerk to receive 50c per hour in preparing list. Car.

The following expenses were paid; G. H. Magwood, expenses to convention \$10.00

G. H. Mitchell, printing 168.88
Relief work 38.40
Meeting of council 11.25
Chas. Petty, pay sheet 1.75
Hy. Patterson, expenses 10.20
Council adjourned to meet Monday, the 10th day of April.
J. H. CHITTICK, clerk

NORTH VICKERS

A young rector went to Phillips Brooks one day and said to him; "Bishop, I have come to you in a perplexity. In my present church I am getting \$900 a year, and I have just received a call from another church that offers \$4000. What would you do Sir, if you were in my place?"

"My boy," replied the Bishop, "did I understand you to refer to that offer from the church as a call?"

"Yes Sir," was the reply

"That isn't a call, my boy" answered the bishop, "I would call that a yell."

We have plenty of snow now, especially on the sidewalks. If we had more on the Gravel Road it would make it better for the farmers for to do their teaming. However, we can make the best of it.

Maand Mrs Thos Milligan and son Tom, visited with Mr and Mrs. G. Turnbull one day last week.

Mr and Mrs Geo Mighton were the guests of Mr and Mrs Jos Davison, at the Rocky, on Sunday last.

Miss Gladys Mighton is home from Toronto, after a couple of months there.

Mr and Mrs Elijah Armstrong, Huton Hill, were guests of Mr and Mrs Ben Coultz the first of week.

Mr Harry Reay called on Mr John McKechnie, north of Durham, one day recently, and we are pleased to say he is improving in health.



"That's great, Bill—we'll sure be there"

"I'd give an eye-tooth to go into the city and see that hockey game tomorrow night," Fred said, "but we'd never get seats."

"Why not get Bill on Long Distance?" Hilda suggested. "Perhaps he could get you a seat today."

"By George, I'll try it," Fred agreed. Two minutes later he had Bill on the line. Bill not only could but would and, what's more, he had a seat for Hilda too.

"I did enjoy that game," Hilda said afterwards. "I'm certainly obliged to Bill—and glad we have a telephone."

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