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OBITUARY

MRS MARY PETTIGREW

One of South Grey's pioneer settlers, Mrs. Mary Pettigrew, who has spent the last 31 years in Western Canada, passed peacefully away on February 23rd, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Irving of Stony Beach, Sask., where she has lived since the death of her husband, Quintin Pettigrew, who passed away in the year 1907. She was in her ninety-seventh year, and in frail health. About a week previous to her death, she suffered a fall, fracturing her hip, which hastened the end.

The late Mrs. Pettigrew was born August 20th, 1842 in Kilmarnock, Scotland, coming to Canada when 13 years old, settling near Varney.

She and Mr. Pettigrew were born six sons and five daughters, ten of whom are still living. Quintin passed away 4 years ago. The eldest son Robert, lives in Victoria, B. C.; John and William in Ladsmaden, Sask.; Jas. in Saskatoon; Adam in Biggar, Sask. The daughters are: Mrs. M. Little, Regina Beach; Mrs. John Campbell, Regina; Mrs. J. Drysdale, Keddlstone; Mrs. C. Kreller, Vermillion, Alberta; and Mrs. Jas Irving, Stony Beach, Sask. There are 59 grandchildren, 102 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was very largely attended. There were 32 beautiful sprays and wreaths of flowers.

MRS. MARY McDONALD

Last Thursday morning, at her home at Aberdeen, 3rd con. of Bentinck, Mrs. John McDonald passed away, at the age of 77 years. Since before Christmas she has been a sufferer from cancer and other ailments, and the last few days it was seen that the end was near.

Deceased was Mary Jane Smith, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, who was born and raised near Crawford. After her marriage to John McDonald, they have ever since resided on the farm north of Aberdeen. Her husband predeceased her fourteen years ago. A daughter, May, and two sons, John and William, all at home, survive; also one brother and two sisters at the old home near Crawford.

The late Mrs. McDonald was the soul of hospitality, a cheery industrious woman, who was a good neighbor and friend to all. She was a member of Burns' Church Rocky Saugeen, and the funeral service was conducted at her home on Saturday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. S. W. Hirtle. The funeral was largely attended. During the service, deceased's cousin, Miss Nancy Boyd sang the solo "There will be no disappointments in Heaven." Interment was made in Durham cemetery, the pallbearers being Gordon and Hugh McDonald, George Miller, Alvie Caswell, John Lynn, Fred McIntosh.

MRS MARY ANN HOPKINS

The death of Mrs. Mary A. Hopkins, (formerly Mrs. Hazen, widow of the late Wm. Hazen), took place in Walkerton Hospital, on Monday morning, March 6th, after an illness there of two years, in her 74th year. Celebral hemorrhage was the cause of death. Before being a patient in Walkerton hospital, she lived with her only surviving son, William Hazen, in Warton. The Hazen family formerly lived on Durham Road in Durham, but left here over twenty years ago. The funeral took place from Kress' Undertaking Parlors on Wednesday afternoon to Durham cemetery.

I.O.D.E. MET TUES. EVENING AT MRS. A. W. H. LAUDER'S

Canadian Greys' Chapter, I. O. D. E. held their regular meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder. Regent Miss Marion Calder occupied the chair. Sec'y and Treasurer's reports were read. Arrangements were made to hold an Easter Dance, Monday, April 10th. The members decided on entertaining in their homes, either at bridge, euchre, or tea, each member to make \$2.00 before the end of May. Mrs. Chas. Moffat gave a splendid paper on "Religion in India."

Grey & Bruce Co. in Excellent Standing

The 62nd annual meeting of the Grey & Bruce Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held at the head office of the Company at Hanover, attended by a fair number of officers and policy-holders, and it showed a very successful year with an increase in number of policies of 209, and with the company never in as strong a financial position as at the present time.

Mr. Wesley Magwood of Bentinck was elected as chairman of the meeting, and presided very capably over the session. In the election of officers Mr. Dougald McKinnon of Chesley was re-elected president, with ex-Warden Angus McArthur vice-president, and Mr. William Ruttle of Hanover again named as Secretary Manager and Henry Beaton of Priceville and Wm. J. Ford Hanover were again named as auditors.

Owing to the death of the late Neil McLeod of Proton Station, Mr. Noble Wilson of Proton was named as one of the Directors of the Company, the others being A. A. McArthur, James E. Metcalfe of Hanover, Spence Nesbitt of R. R. 1, Walkerton, and John Cooper of Hanover. Their terms expire at the end of 1940.

Directors whose term expired at the end of 1938 were Herbert Brigham of Hanover, A. Russell of Dundalk, Wesley Hill of Mildmay, Wm. J. Aldcorn of Mount Forest and Dougald McKinnon of Chesley, and they were re-elected. The other five directors are Robert Parslow of Priceville, Harry Tanner of the South Line, Brant, William Glauser of Hanover, Wesley Bradley of Holland Centre, and D. J. MacDonald of R. R. 3, Elmwood, Reeve of Bentinck Township and an Ex-Warden of Grey County.

Messrs. Spence Nesbitt, Robert Parslow and Herb Brigham were named as members of the Executive Committee.

Home after Enjoyable Motor Trip to Florida

Mr and Mrs Victor Blythe arrived home Sunday after a fine winter's holiday of one month in sunny Florida. In company with Mr. Mrs. Lorne Smith, and Mr and Mrs Howard Skales of Mt. Forest, they left on the last day of January, all in Lorne's car. The first night they spent in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, the second in Durham-not in Ontario, but in North Carolina. The third night found them in Jacksonville, Florida, where even with windows wide open, it was rather warm for sleeping. In this old southern city they spent a day viewing the sights, then on another 250 miles past the famed Daytona Beach, to Miami, now a large city near the tip of the Florida peninsula, and a great winter resort. Ten days were quickly passed in and around this beautiful city, in bathing, at the renowned Hiawah race track, and in sight-seeing, in balmy temperatures, sometimes as high as 90 in the shade.

Leaving Miami, they journeyed over 200 miles north west to St. Petersburg, on the west coast of Florida, another wonderful winter metropolis, with some 30,000 population, and a favorite headquarters for Canadians, who seek balmy winter climates.

The party spent eight days in the environs of this city. Tourists here are older people on the whole, than those at Miami, but they have an abundance of recreations. For short stays, weekly rent rates are high, but for the season, rates are moderate, while living expenses are very reasonable.

Returning home by a more westerly route, it rained mostly all through Georgia, then they came up through Tennessee, Kentucky and Ohio, to Detroit. No snow until about 100 miles south of Detroit, and very little of it until near Stratford. From Stratford to Durham there was snow plenty; even more around town, Vic. says, than when he left five weeks before.

More Books Issued from Durham Library

The Durham Library annual report was encouraging. The circulation of books increased 14 per cent over the previous year, the total number of books going out being 15,556. Probably the most encouraging part in this increase in reading, is in the juvenile section, where there was an increase of 33 per cent. The 89 juvenile readers increased to 150. Combined interest of teachers, librarian and Canadian Greys Chapter of the I.O.D.E. in fostering a contest for juvenile readers, had a most beneficial effect in deepening a desire for good reading. Another avenue through which there is a deepening interest in use of the library, is through Principal Noble and his class of students spending an hour studying the encyclopedia each week.

The number of books on the shelves is 6,545. Of this number 5,267 are for adults and 1,278 for juvenile readers.

Balance on hand from 1937 was \$198.85; the town grant was \$800, pleasant occasion beside Mr and Mrs Patterson, George Street was the scene of a happy family gathering, when a joint birthday party was held in their honor. It was also Mr. and Mrs. Alb. G. Keller's 19th wedding anniversary. Others present on this pleasant occasion beside Mr and Mrs W. B. Patterson and family and Mr and Mrs Stanley Mead. Their son Joseph and family of Chesley were unable to be present owing to illness. Another son Roy and family of Edmonton, Alberta, were also absent.

The afternoon was spent in social intercourse and a luncheon at which the two storey birthday cake centred the table. The pleasant day concluded by the singing of "God be with you till we meet again."

WILL HOLD SOCIAL NIGHT
Durham Business Men's Association, to realize funds for town improvement, are holding a social evening in Town Hall, Thursday eve., March 9th to which all are welcome. Various games, cards and dancing. Admission 25c. Plan to attend it.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Jean Harding spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs J. H. Harding.

Congratulations to two of Durham's oldest residents on birthday anniversaries this week. Mr. W. J. Young on Monday reached his 86th birthday and Tuesday was Mr. E. W. Limin's 79th. Both are enjoying fairly good health.

Mrs. Priest and daughter Jean were in Hamilton Friday night attending the play "H.M.S. Pinafore," given by McMaster University Operetta Society. One of the cast was Miss Thelma Peat.

Miss Elizabeth Ries, who has finished her course in training in Hamilton General Hospital is visiting at home.

Mr and Mrs E. J. Anderson, who have been visiting relatives and friends the past two months, left on Saturday for their home in Plenty, Sask. They were motored to Toronto by Mrs. Anderson's brother, Mr. C. B. Lawrence.

Miss Helen Young of St. Jerome is visiting Miss Rita Willis.

Miss Alice Grant, Toronto; Mrs. J. W. Lucas, Ottawa; Mr. Stewart Bolton, Toronto, were weekend guests with Dr. W. C. Pickering and Mrs. Pickering.

Mr. J. C. Nichol returned last week from a visit with her daughter in Toronto.

Miss Velma Blythe was a Toronto visitor over the weekend.

Mr. Thomas Collier visited his mother, who is a patient in a Toronto hospital.

Miss Ruth Myles was in Toronto last week, attending the hairdressers convention.

Mrs. W. Cutler left last week to visit son and daughter in Vancouver. Rev. John MacDonald, Sudbury, was a visitor for a day with his parents, Mr and Mrs A. C. MacDonald. His sister, Miss Ulva MacDonald, is at present home from Toronto Bible College.

Mrs. P. C. Lister left on Monday for her home at Vegreville, Sask.

Mrs. Johnston of Alberta visited her cousin, Mrs. McPherson.

(Mrs. G. Hay returned from Toronto to where she spent a week with relatives.

Mr and Mrs Allan Bell were recent visitors with their daughters in London.

BRIGADE HAD RUN MONDAY FOR CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at Calvin Kinnee's home during the windstorm Monday afternoon might have been much more serious, had the large frame house ever caught alight. Fortunately the Fire Brigade were promptly on hand after alarm was sounded, and extinguished the blaze in chimney with use of chemicals, and no water was used. A couple rooms redecorated and chimney repaired will put the house again in good shape.

MR SAMUEL PATTERSON CELEBRATES 87TH BIRTHDAY

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Council Again Discusses Tax Arrears

Since last Town Council session, some \$1,500 of tax arrears has been paid, but Durham Council is still on the warpath. On Monday night they checked up all individual arrears, and plan to take action against some delinquents. Procedure to collect taxes was left in hands of Finance Com.

General accounts totalling \$783.04 were passed, and relief accounts for February of \$282.15.

The Prov. Dept. of Health approved the appointment of Dr. R. R. Burnett as Medical Officer of Health. Coun. McKay reported a lot of snowploughing and shovelling snow the past month, but streets are now in fair shape.

Gordon Greenwood asked for use of hall March 31st for Presbyterian Y.P.A. This was granted on same terms as last year.

Cars Met Head on; No one Injured

Returning from Toronto Sunday evening, Robert Noble of Carroll store staff, while travelling his own side of road, met in a head on collision with a 1935 Dodge car driven by O. N. Scott of Toronto, at the swamp west of Orangeville on the Orangeville - Arthur highway. There was water on the road at the place and eastbound cars had been veering towards north side of road to avoid it, thus the Toronto car was partially off its half. With dangerous roads, both cars were proceeding slowly, and both were insured. Bob's '31 Ford had fender torn off and otherwise damaged while the Toronto car was severely crippled and taken to Toronto on a truck. Neither driver was hurt, and Jack Lloyd who was accompanying Noble, was the only casualty, he receiving a few minor cuts.

DURHAM GIRL, I.O.D.E. REGENT, IN WELLAND

Mrs. R. Boak Burns was acclaimed as Regent of Joan of Arc Chapter I.O.D.E., of Welland, at the annual meeting held recently. Congratulations. Mrs. Burns was formerly Florence Kress, daughter of Mrs. E. Kress, of Durham.

Horse Fair in Durham on Thursday Next

Mayor Allan Bell has arranged to hold a horse fair in Durham next Thursday, March 16th. Several buyers have promised to be here, so this should prove an excellent opportunity for farmers to dispose of surplus animals, or purchase any required for spring work. Bring them in early. The Fairs may be continued monthly this Spring, if they are taken advantage of.

The horse fairs were a popular institution in Durham under the late ex-Mayor Black's regime some twenty-five years ago, and Mayor Bell is to be commended upon again opening up a local market.

Another Community Sale

Durham's second Community Auction Sale will be at 2.00 p.m. Saturday, March 18th, at McArthur's barn. Farmers or townspeople having any stock, implements, furniture, or anything they wish to sell, should list the goods or animals with C. B. Lawrence, E. J. Bennett, or D. M. Saunders any time before sale. George Duncan is again the auctioneer.

FARM FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—75 acre farm, good land, all cleared, good buildings. Also suitable location for summer resort. Apply to— Review Office, Durham.

Ice Carnival, Tuesday, Mar. 14

In Durham Arena, featuring Collier Skating Club, Owen Sound—in barrel jumping, jumping thru flaming hoop, trick skating, skating on stilts, clowning on skates.

Races: Men's Broomball; Good prizes. Admission 25c and 15c cents. Band in attendance. Skating after.

LISTEN FOLKS!

Reserve, Friday, April 14th for the Presbyterian Young People's Society's play "Billy's goat."

SMALL ADS.

See the new wallpaper at McFadden's Drug Store. Large stock, on hand. No waiting. Lowest prices.

Due to illness, the annual St. Patrick's banquet to be held March 15th in the Queen St. United Church, has been cancelled.

The I.O.D.E. will hold their annual Easter Dance on Monday evening April 10th in the Town Hall. Ernie Brown's Orchestra will be in attendance.

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New and Used Machinery for Sale

1 Peatty Incubator, oil heated, 300 egg capacity, used only one season, cheap for cash sale.

7 used Melotte Cream Separators, repaired, repainted and guaranteed.

HORSES FOR SALE

1 Percheron, 2 Clydes, 2 Saddle horses, all rising three years old;

1 Percheron, 1 Clyde, rising two yrs;

2 Yearlings, 1 Percheron mare, rising 4 yrs; 1 Driver; 2 good work horses

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Choice quality Canned Peas or Tomatoes, 6 cans 49c

Fresh Sair Dates 3 lbs 17c	Blade Roasts Beef 3 lbs. 40c
Dalton's Orange Pekoe Tea 1/2 lb pkg..... 26c	Fresh Rolled Veal..... 18c lb
Sweet Mixed Pickles large jar..... 21c	Large Bologna..... 2 lbs 25c
Rose Baking Powder 1 lb. can..... 14c	Wing Roasts of Beef 3 lbs..... 50c
Best Peanut Butter 1 qt jars..... 31c	Choice Round Steak 2 lbs..... 35c
	Fresh Oysters..... 29c jar

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