

The Durham Review.

WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE HOLSTEIN LEADER

VOL. LXII, NO. 26

DURHAM, ONT., THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1940

Published Weekly at \$2.00 a year in advance. To United States, \$2.50 a year in advance. Peter Ramage, Publisher

New Battalion Now at Full Strength

Fourteen new members of the Grey and Simcoe Foresters regiment were sworn into membership Monday afternoon, and with their investiture the company attained its full strength of 350 men. Uniforms have been issued to almost everyone in the company now although there are a few sizes that cannot be supplied.

A few men were still applying for enlistment on Tuesday, but the number of these was falling off as it became learned that the regiment was at full strength. Names and addresses of these are being taken and they will be called up for medical tests as soon as the regiment receives instructions to mobilize for reserve.

While no confirmation was forthcoming from Battalion headquarters, and Col. T. J. Rutherford would neither confirm nor deny the report, it is understood that the Grey-Simcoe Foresters will go into camp at Camp Borden within a few very days, possibly before the end of this week.

Because of this speedy work in mobilization, it is expected that the regiment will move into camp in advance of many of the other units which have been called up in the Third and Fourth Divisions, C.A.S.F. This being the case, it is anticipated that the Grey-Simcoe Foresters will be able to secure choice locations in the big military concentration in Simcoe County.

Ceylon Mill Burned: Cause Unknown

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the fine sawmill of Roy MacNabb, Ceylon, early Saturday morning. The blaze was noticed at about 4:30 a.m. but by that time it had gained such headway that nothing could be done to stop it. Very little insurance was carried on the frame structure, and the place is almost a total loss.

The Flesherston fire engine was called to the scene, but it was impossible to do anything to save the mill and their efforts were confined to preventing the blaze from spreading to other buildings in the vicinity. Fortunately there was no wind to carry the sparks, and the danger was small.

Mr. MacNabb, who makes his home in Flesherston, had spent considerable money on improvements to the mill this spring and the loss, striking at a time when business was good, is a severe one.

Rev. H. Kaye, Dromore Goes to Brighton

Rev. Horace Kaye of Amos, Dromore and Knox Normanby churches, has accepted a call to Brighton, and was inducted there Tuesday. The congregations regret his leaving, after only eighteen months of a settled charge there. Rev. J. Waldie of Arthur is the interim moderator.

FUNERAL OF LATE JOHN REAY

The funeral service of the late John Reay of Bentinck was held last Thursday from the home of his son Mr and Mrs George Reay on Highway No. 4 and conducted by Rev. W. H. Smith. The hymn sung by the large number present was a favourite of Mr. Reay's "Abide with Me." Mrs. M. E. Wilson sang "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer." There were many tributes of flowers and these were carried by grandchildren, Grace Reay, Ada and Jean Reay, Dot Baker, Bernice Wise, Myrtle and Edith Hudson, Albert Reay Eric Wire and Frank Baker. The honorary pall bearers were John Park and George Minton. Pallbearers—Gertie Wise, John Hudson, Elmer Baker, Harry Reay, St. Andrew Park Joseph Reay. The remains were laid to rest in Durham Cemetery.

The friends from a distance were Mr and Mrs J. Sumpton and Albert Fort Elgin, Mr and Mrs. Eric Wise and Mr Bennett, Clarkson Mr and Mrs. J. Ellison, Mrs L. Torry, Mr and Mrs John Torry of Markdale.

OBITUARY

ROBERT HENDERSON

Some of the older people of Durham and vicinity will regret to learn that the Silent Messenger called Robert Henderson of Cleveland, Ohio, to his Eternal rest on Sunday, June 16th, after some weeks of illness.

The deceased gentleman was born seventy-four years ago on the 15th concession of Egremont Township near Dromore. He was a son of the late Mr and Mrs Alexander Henderson. In August 1894 he was wedded to Isabelle Ferguson of Proton township and went to live in Cleveland where he was employed. He is survived by his wife, one sister, Mrs Haas of Holstien and one brother James of Mt. Forest.

About fifty years ago the late Mr Henderson was a member of the Presbyterian Church. On Tuesday afternoon a funeral service was conducted by his pastor at his late residence. His wife, though in poor health then, accompanied his remains to his brother's residence in Mt. Forest, where on Thursday afternoon a largely attended funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Mr Ferguson, Presbyterian minister of that place. In turnment took place in Amos Cemetery.

Friends were present from Oshawa, Galt, Cookstown, Durham, Dromore, Flesherston and Dundalk. Much sympathy is felt for his wife and other relatives. The pallbearers and flower bearers were nephews of the deceased.

GLENELG GIRL ANSWERS CALL TO SERVICE

Miss Mary Bell, R.N., was at her former home, east of Durham, for a military farewell leave, ere she leaves Canadian shores, for as yet, some unknown destination, in the service of King and Country, as a Nursing Sister. Relatives of the Bell and Binnie families, to the number of about forty, hurriedly arranged a farewell gathering for Sunday afternoon at Thos. Bell's farm home, when good wishes and good byes were fervently intermingled. A brief address was read to Miss Mary by Mrs W. J. Ritchie and a presentation made of several toilet ware articles to which a neat response was made. Mayor Allan Bell was chairman of ceremonies and brief addresses were given by Reeve John McGirr, John Weir and a few others.

New Masonic Officers Installed Monday

Durham Lodge A.F. & A.M. held its annual installation of officers on Monday evening, Rt. Wor. Bro. Dr. J. F. Grant capably acting as installing officer. These are: I.P.M.—D. W. McClure; W.M.—C. M. Steinacher; S.W.—W. J. Ritchie; J.W.—M. A. Roberts; Chaplain—J. F. Grant; Treasurer—J. Morrison; Secretary—C. H. Moffat; S.D.—J. R. Steeds; J.D.—Lorne Aitchison; E.G.—Gordon Greenwood; Tyler—H. D. Scott; S.S.—Clen Rowe; J.S.—A. J. MacDonald; D. of C.—J. F. Irwin; Auditors—C. Rowe, L. Aitchison.

Following the installation was a strawberry feast, with the new W.M., C. M. Steinacher, acting as toastmaster. Bro. C. Rowe proposed the toast to the King, responded to by the National Anthem; the toast to Grand Lodge was proposed by Bro. L. Aitchison and replied to by Rt. Wor. Bro. W. H. Krebs. W. Bro. R. E. Richardson proposed toast to the visitors, responded to by Bro. Jackson. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Grant for his work as installing officer.

Misses Helen Gerrie and Mary Morton are on a motor trip to North Bay and to see the Quints of Quintland.

MARRIED
O'CONNOR—MORTLEY—Married in Toronto, Saturday June 22nd. Lavina A. Mortley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Charles Mortley, Durham, to Mr. Neil O'Connor of Orillia.

8.25 Mills is Grey's 1941 Tax Rate

Grey County's tax rate for 1941 will be 8 1/4 mills, this rate including a levy of half a mill for war purposes. A special levy of half a mill for war purposes will also be collected this year and a by-law covering this levy will be prepared and presented to the County Council.

That decision was reached by the Council on Friday morning, as it considered the report of its finance committee.

The rate of 8 1/4 mills for 1941 will be made up of 5 mills for current expenses, 2 1/2 mills for country and suburban roads, half a mill for public schools, fifth form classes and fifty per cent of the cost of vocational schools and half a mill for patriotic war service.

In the afternoon the Council gave three readings to the by-law formally setting this rate. This rate, on the county's equalized assessment of \$25,764,375 will raise \$212,556.12. The amounts which will be raised from the various municipalities in the county will be as follows:

Twp. of Bentinck	12,312.12
Twp. of Collingwood	14,246.72
Twp. of Derby	9,714.38
Twp. of Egremont	12,375.00
Twp. of Euphrasia	14,152.91
Twp. of Glenelg	7,466.25
Twp. of Holland	9,075.00
Twp. of Keppel	9,822.66
Twp. of Normanby	16,541.25
Twp. of Osprey	10,230.00
Twp. of Proton	10,395.00
Twp. of Sarawak	2,343.52
Twp. of St. Vincent	14,107.50
Twp. of Sullivan	13,860.00
Twp. of Sydenham	14,767.50
Town of Durham	4,021.88
Town of Hanover	8,755.31
Town of Meaford	7,363.13
Town of Thornbury	2,204.84
Village of Chatsworth	742.50
Village of Dundalk	2,111.48
Village of Flesherston	1,368.98
Village of Markdale	2,348.52
Village of Neustadt	1,283.91
Village of Shallow Lake	330.00
Total	\$212,556.12

On the advice of their solicitor, Grey County Council, in session last week in Hanover, decided to make no special County levy for war purposes this year, but made a grant of \$2000 to the Can. Red Cross Society.

Mill Street, Durham, east from drug stores corner, will be hard surfaced by the County. The rebates annually due Durham by the County will be withheld until the cost of the work is paid.

Edge Hill Jr. Farmers 2nd in Competition

The Junior Farmers' Judging Competition in Owen Sound last Friday was most successful. 45 boys participated.

The winners were: High Boys in Live Stock Judging—1st, Leslie Farquharson, Owen Sound; 2nd, David Edgington, Holstein; 3rd, Lloyd Krauter, Elmwood; 4th, Bruce McCutcheon, Proton Station; 5th, Dan Ritchie, Durham.

This year a Group Competition was staged. Three boys and a coach from a Junior Farmers Club was supposed to take the boys out to secure some practise.

The highest team was coached by Bob Heitson, Annan and consisted of Donald Lemon, Leslie Farquharson, and Lorne Lemon all of Balclava. Next came Edge Hill team coached by Allie McGirr and consisting of David Allen, Durham, David Aljoe, Durham, and Dan Ritchie, Durham.

BROTHERS WITNESS MASONIC INSTALLATION AT THORNBURY

On Monday evening in the Masonic Lodge room at Thornbury, Arthur A. Ramage was installed by members of the Masonic craft to the office of Worshipful Master of the Lodge. Witnessing the ceremony, were his three brothers: Peter Ramage, of "Review," Durham; Dr. C. C. Ramage Vineland and Harold Ramage, extend congratulations and welcome the winsome bride to our citizenship.

Silver Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brown

A very pleasant event took place last Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown on the South line of Glenelg when some 150 of their friends and relatives gathered in the evening in celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The family presented them with a cabinet of silver flat-ware, the relatives with a silver tray, silver cream and sugar set and casserole; and the community gift was a silver tea service. Mrs. A. Saunders read an address of good wishes. Margaret Leith and Islay Brown presented the gifts of the relatives; Dorothy Lawrence and Esther Moore presented the community gift. Mr and Mrs Brown both expressed their deep appreciation. W. R. Watson was chairman and he called on Reeve McGirr who extended the good wishes of their many friends in the township.

Dancing to music of No. 9 orchestra and violin selections of C. McDonald were much enjoyed. Mrs. Brown cut the three storey silver wedding cake and served the guests at close of luncheon period. Those present from a distance were Mr and Mrs Jas. Lyon, Mrs. Neil McPhail and daughter Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs G. Perry, all from Toronto. Mrs Brown was formerly Christina MacDonald and the marriage 25 years ago took place in the home of her mother, Mrs. Charles MacDonald on March 23, 1915, but the celebration of the event was postponed until June 21st.

Jane Weddings

WATSON—BROWN

A quiet, but pretty wedding was solemnized at high noon on Wednesday June 19th, at the home of Mr and Mrs Wm. T. Brown, Bunnassan, when their eldest daughter Elizabeth Mary, became the bride of Melville Robert, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Watson, Normanby.

The bride entered the living-room on the arm of her father and took her place beside the groom, under an arch of evergreens, snowballs and pines. She looked charming in a gown of Swiss embroidered net over white satin, and carried a bouquet of peony roses. The bride and groom were unattended.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Taylor of Brussels, Ontario, former pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Priceville. The wedding march was played by Miss Monica Lambert.

The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful cabinet of silverware. After the congratulations were over the bride led the way to the dining-room where a wedding dinner was served. A three-storey wedding cake, the work of the bride's mother, adorned the centre of the table.

The happy couple left by motor for a honeymoon trip to London, Detroit, and Pontiac. The bride travelled in a bolish coat and dress, with japonica accessories.

On their return they will reside on the groom's farm nearby.

The Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, at their Grand Lodge meeting last week, voted to purchase an ambulance as a contribution to Canada's war effort. The Assembly donated \$1000 towards it and individual Lodges will give the balance. Lady Grey Lodge, Durham, has made a \$10 donation from its treasury.

FIRTH—BROWN

At the rectory, Harriston, at 7.20 p. m. Friday, June 21st, the marriage was solemnized of Jane Edgington Brown, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Brown of Mount Forest, to William Whitmore Firth, elder son of Mrs. Maude and the late Wm. Firth of Durham. Rev. Mr. Gibson officiated and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Campbell of Mount Forest were the attendants. The bride was prettily attired in a dusky rose gown with white accessories. The happy couple took a motor trip to Hamilton, Toronto and other points, returning Monday morning. They are taking up residence in Mrs. Everett's house, a block west from the top of the Durham hill. We extend congratulations and welcome the winsome bride to our citizenship.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Margaret Hunter and Mrs Guy Kearney spent two days last week with Miss Eva Somerville at Goderich.

Mr and Mrs E. M. McFadden, Toronto, were recent visitors with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs W. J. McFadden.

Mrs Thos. Knox of Guelph spent over the weekend with her brother Mr Geo. Leith who is a patient in Durham Hospital and her sister-in-law, Mrs D. Leith.

Mr James Heughan, Mr and Mrs Charles Reay visited recently with the former's son in Wingham.

Mrs Thomas, Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs W. J. Lawson.

Mr and Mrs George Burnett visited their daughter on Sunday at Teeswater.

Miss Gladys Young, Owen Spent her holidays in the parental home.

Dr. and Mrs C. C. Ramage and son Jim, Vineland; Harold and Mrs Ramage, Petrolia and Mrs R. J. McKnight and son Charles Wainfleet, were guests at the "Review" Office.

Mr Oliver and Miss Margaret Hunter were guests of Mr and Mrs W. R. Alder in London over the weekend.

Mrs David Morrison (nee Adeline Graham) who has been nursing her mother for some time has signed up for overseas duty as a nurse, and expects a call shortly.

Mr and Mrs Charles McKinnon of Bassano, Alta are here on a visit to her father, Mr J. P. Hunter and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs Howard Middleton and family after fourteen months residence in Durham, where he has been agent for Allis-Chalmers tractors, are removing back Friday to the farm near Tara, he now having the agency for his home district.

Mr and Mrs Robert B. Witmer and daughter Jean of Grand Forks N. Dakota visited Mrs. W's aunt, Mrs D. Leith on Tuesday. Mrs Witmer is a daughter of the late Dr. John D. Leith. Miss Alma Knox and Mr. Arthur Knox of Guelph accompanied them.

Mrs Norman Kidd is recuperating in Durham Hospital after a successful appendectomy operation on Tuesday.

The engagement is announced of Clara Catherine, second daughter of Mrs Minnie Ford and the late James Ford, to Mr Alvin William Morrison, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Robert W. Morrison of Mount Forest. The wedding to take place the second week in July.

Miss Florence Stewart, accompanied by Misses June Rennie and Nellie and Ethel Clark, of Winnipeg, arrived by motor on Saturday last to spend a week with Miss Stewart's mother Mrs Wm. Burnett and Mr Burnett—Mt. Forest Confederate.

Prov. Constable Herbert Taylor, from St. Thomas, is now on duty at Owen Sound, replacing Sergeant Harry Noble, who was promoted and transferred to Kitchener.

Dr. R. L. Carefoot has purchased the Revere Hotel Property in Markdale for hospital use. Government regulations and the need of larger accommodations has made it imperative that a change be made. The hotel, which has not been occupied for about a year, will provide ample room for all the hospital requirements, including the office, operating room and nurses' quarters.

Hold Regular Work Meeting
The Volunteer Workers of this community held their regular work meeting in the basement of Queen Street Church, with an encouraging number of 32 willing workers present. Several new names have been added to the list for gifts of socks and sweaters. One Nursing Sister, Miss Mary Bell, who has volunteered as nurse for overseas duties was also added to the list for the gift of a sweater.

BORN
GOLDSMITHS—In Durham Hospital on Saturday, June 22nd, to Mr and Mrs Gordon Goldsmith, Bentinck, a son.
JONES—In Durham Hospital, Monday June 24th, to Mr and Mrs Albert Jones, a son.
HAW—In Dundalk on June 17th, to Mr and Mrs Delbert Haw, a son.

Honored on 35th Anniversary

The home of Mr and Mrs R. R. Watson, 3rd Ccn. Normanby, was the scene of a merry gathering, Wednesday evening, when about forty relatives and close friends met with them on the occasion of their 35th wedding anniversary. Among those present were all of their own family with wedded partners and children; the Aitken, Allan and J. Marshall families, Mr James and Miss May Ferguson.

A bounteous supper was served, tables being set on the lawn, and the evening pleasantly spent in social intercourse, singsong, music and games. Featuring were several presentations. The daughter of the household, Mrs Hubert McDougall of Holstein supplied the wedding cake; to the honoured host and hostess was presented a fine Aladdin lamp; and the newly-wed son, Melville Watson and his bride were presented with a beautiful chimes clock.

SCHOOL CHOIR IN KNOX CHURCH SUNDAY MORNING

Under the supervision and training of Miss Norma Gagnon, musical instructor in Durham Public School, a choir of forty youthful girl voices rendered two sacred numbers, Miss Helen Renwick accompanying, and Miss Gagnon wielding the baton from the front. It was well received.

REFUGEE CHILDREN

Any one desiring to provide accommodation for refugee children may register with the Clerk of the Town of Durham stating number, age and sex desired.

The quicker you start using NUBLE SUNOCO the quicker you'll start. REMEMBER it sells at REGULAR gas price.

Sold by SMITH BROS.

COMING EVENTS

The regular monthly meeting of the Durham Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs John Sharp on Thursday, July 4th.

The Women's Association of Knox United Church are holding a Military Tea and Baking Sale in the Town Hall, June 26th at 3 o'clock. Proceeds to go for war work. Admission 25 cents.

Priceville Presbyterian Garden Party will be held on the school grounds, July 8th, 1940. Supper from 6 to 8 p.m. to be followed by sports and a good play by the Durham Young People's Society. Admission 40c and 20c. Everybody welcome.

The Presbyterian Garden Party, July 5th at Agricultural Grounds, Band in attendance, good programme and supper. Admission Adults 25c and children under 15 years, 15c.

170 MILE CRUISE OF THE GEORGIAN BAY to Christian Island and Midland. Tuesday, July 9th, on C. P. R. Steamship Kooewatin. Return fare \$2. children \$1. Leaves Owen Sound 8.30 a.m. Back at 10 p.m. Secure Tickets early from Daily Sun-Times. Owen Sound or McFadden's Drug Store, Durham.

SEPARATORS

Now is the time to exchange your old machine for a new COCKSHUTT, LISTER, or DELAVAL Ball Bearing CREAM SEPARATOR I also handle the Creamo and new Prima Cream Separators.

These two machines are good separators and sell at about mail order price. If you are having trouble with your old separator, phone me. We also repair Cream Separators.

We repair and sharpen Lawn Mowers
DURHAM MACHINE SHOP
F. W. MOON, Cockshutt Dealer
Phone 140 DURHAM, ONT.

PONTIAC GARAGE

1938 Chev. Truck, 1 1/2 ton stake
1937 Maple Leaf Truck, 2 1/2 ton stake
Both in first class condition.

3 Star Gas—Trucks, 25c cash
Cars, 26c cash

Dominion Delux Tires, all guaranteed
Hart Batteries, all guaranteed
GENUINE GENERAL MOTORS PARTS
Quaker State Motor Oil
Veedol Motor Oil

Service Guaranteed by Experienced Mechanics

Phone 34 or 56 WM. KELLER, Prop.

LAWRENCE'S

Friday & Saturday Specials

Large pkg. Super-Suds & bowl, 25c
Monarch Pastry Flour, 7 lb bag, 27c
Heinz Tomato Catsup, large bottle 16c
Classic Cleanser, 3 cans 13c
Large pkg. Chipso 19c
7 Star Flour..... 98 lbs. 2.50
Made from No 1 Hard Wheat

C. B. LAWRENCE

Groceries and Meats Phone 121, Durham