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Wash Lee.—The... Durham's population... "Elmwood Kingdom,"... "blue wash" in...

County Council meet... week. Since the... we really would like... held in Durham, a... central than either...

S. S. ASSOCIATION... Sunday School... in the Presbyterian... 28th June. A large... expected and a good... prepared.

STABBING CASE.—... man of 80 got into a... son named Lawrence... drew a knife and... abdomen. The local... and the young man's...

STREET GRADING... pany of Hamilton... on Friday, June 10th... road graders and will... of its capabilities. P... ally for miles around... that day and see the... work.

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PROMOTION EXAM... or Campbell inform... request of many of... examinations have... from 16th and 17th... inst. This will give... they a week's more... inclined to "bolt" as...

BROTHERLY.—Den... entities are always... Montreal conference... McVicar was present... representative of Pres... Methodism is to be... week at the Gener... Chancellor Burwash... more to follow.

NATIONAL SONGS... Witness is ever forc... a healthy patriotis... rially of some kind... with valuable pro... Song Competition... services of Lord Duff... judge. Now for... some of our spring... power to the Witne... move. See last page.

DIRECTORS MEET... Pres. Edge and Sec... them the board of... Grey Agricultural... and prizes arranged... show. The success... years when some... crumbling should give... encouragement. C... sion took place as... made with Mr. Crav... stand.

PETITIONS.—Our... called to an overlo... proffering where... stand a statement... improvements of the... sisted of "putting... Now really the blun... pardonable were it... connection with a tow... very much in evide... must have been weigh... Besides we don't bel... any hotel to have a... put up for it, either... ployee, or both at... though, since we do... we don't believe i... Should we ever aga... partition we hope... will put up a petition

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### THE MOST HON. THE MARQUESS OF DUFFERIN AND AVA.

Not only those who are competing in the 'Witness' Canadian Song Competition, but every one who remembers



the 'Witness' Canadian Song Competition, Lord Dufferin as Governor-General of Canada, and who has followed his brilliant career since then as Viceroy of India and Ambassador to the great capitals of Europe in most critical times, as well as the host of autograph collectors, will be interested in the following autograph letter. Any of our subscribers can enter the competition referred to, and both gold and glory await the successful competitors. Full particulars of the handsome money prizes offered by the 'Witness' for the best Canadian National Song, can, no doubt, be had by addressing Messrs. John Dougall & Son, Montreal. The competition closes on Aug. 1, instead of May 1, as previously announced, and we understand it is open to all without entrance fee. The judges of this patriotic contest are Dr. S. E. Dawson, Queen's Printer; Professor Murray, McGill University, Montreal, and Prof. Clark, of Trinity University, Toronto, who are to select the best ten songs, from which Lord Dufferin will pronounce on the three best.

Candeborg, Ireland April 9. '98

Gentlemen, I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March the 25th, and in reply to say that I shall be very happy to undertake the task with which you propose to entrust me, of acting as judge in the Canadian National Song competition. I trust that the pieces sent in will be worthy of the Dominion. I have the honour to be, Gentlemen, your obedient servant, Dufferin and Ava. John Dougall & Son, Montreal. The 'Witness' office, Montreal.

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### Almost a MIRACLE

OTTAWA, Sept. 9th, 1896. To the Phrenoline Medicine Co., Ltd. Ottawa.

GENTLEMEN.—I hardly know how best to express my appreciation of your valuable rhumatism remedy, Phrenoline. My son Gordon, who is 9 years old, has been a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism for the past two years; was so bad at times that he had to be carried about on a mattress; was attended by two city doctors, apparently without the slightest benefit; spent 10 days at Caledonia Springs, came home with no marked improvement; took three bottles of a Homeopathic remedy now being extensively advertised, which did not relieve him in the least. I was beginning to give up all hope of his recovery, when by chance I mentioned the case to a friend who strongly advised me to give Phrenoline a trial. I did so, with the result that when my boy had taken only half a bottle he was able to get on his bicycle and ride like any other boy around the block. I certainly feel that I cannot say too much in praise of your medicine, and shall do all I can to make known its value to others. Yours very sincerely, (Signed) REUBEN CLARK.

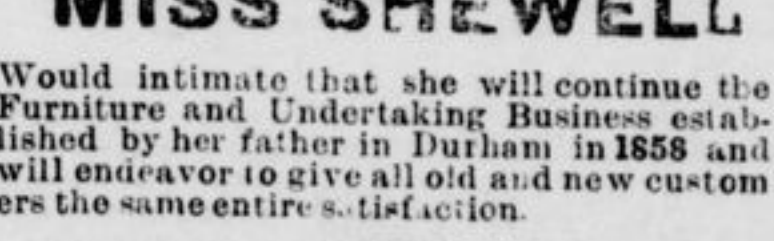
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### TO CONSUMPTIVES

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrhs, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung ailments. He hopes all sufferers will try this remedy which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, Brocklyn New York.

### ROBB.

(Intended for last week.)

Miss Kate Sinclair is home from the Queen city on her holidays.

W. A. Fraser visited friends here last week.

Thomas, Quinn and Alex. McIntyre have each made the purchase of a new bike and Alex. McEachern and Hugh McDonald each a new buggy.

One day last week as Mrs. Rev. McKellar and Mrs. W. H. Wallace were driving along the 8th con., ascending a long hill some part of the harness gave way and the buggy started down the hill at a break neck speed, turning over in the ditch. Fortunately a few scratches was the only injury, and after some help arrived, they got straightened out and went on their way rejoicing.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be dispensed here on the first sabbath in June.

Quite a number have been trying their luck along our spring creeks but we have not heard of anything very fishy yet as the best was from 1/4 a day to 1 day. The speckled beauties are hard to catch. One lady thought she would try her skill and after losing a few hooks was getting disgusted and had the last hook on the line, it also got fast, but this time it was fast in a trout over 12 inches long. Of course that stopped further fishing that day. It weighed 14 lbs.

C. W. Robb has purchased the Crawford mill property.

### BALSAM VALLEY.

Intended for last week.

Latest news—All done seeding and potato planting is the order of the day.

The fishing fever has struck the little boys of this part and they spent one day last week at the Saugeen, and caught a lot of fine suckers.

Mr. Joseph Campbell has moved from Klondike to Alaska. He has secured five nuggets of gold weighing about two lbs each.

Mr. Dugald McDonald, of Lanclash, paid a short visit at D. McIntyre's last week, his daughter Kate also is going to spend a few weeks with friends here.

Miss Mary McCormick left for the city of Toronto last Monday where she intends to remain for some time. She will be greatly missed as she was a general favorite among all. "Charlie is down in the month now."

Misses Janet, Sarah and Kate Ferguson returned home from the city last week looking hale and hearty.

Mrs. Neil McPhail of Duluth is spending a few weeks at Mr. John McPhail's.

Much sympathy is felt here over the loss of our worthy councillor, Mr. Thomas Ferguson. The township will in general miss him greatly, as he was the right man in the right place, and would have left a good mark had his precious life been saved. Mr. Ferguson was well liked all over the township as could be seen by the large number of votes he carried in every division in the township. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the widow and family in this their sad bereavement.

What we hear. The sound of the Boothville picolos coming through the bush about dark and going around the sideroad on the home stretch.

That Oscar goes to the Boothville Post office very regularly.

That the lantern went the wrong road the other night.

That there has been 20 lbs. of barb wire purchased to snare some one. Wear long boots and leather pants now boys.

That Dan was one to swell the crowd at the milk stand the other night.

### GLASCOTT.

Exceedingly fine growing weather the past two weeks, grain crop completed, and the root crop is now in full swing, the orchards have a fine appearance at present all out in full bloom, and if Jack Frost does not again appear there will be a fine crop of fruit.

Mr. John Ritchie's barn is being rapidly pushed forward by the several contractors viz. John Duncan has a big gang on building the stone work, Wm. Ritchie and engaged help is in attendance. Supplying stone, lime, sand etc., and we understand that Joseph Boyle will raise the frame work next week, and we presume that Mr. Ritchie who resides at Port Arthur will take a trip down the Lakes in July and inspect the work throughout.

No person has shown up this spring to take charge of what is known as the Robt Smith farm, hence it is now open to the public as a commons, and the money's worth of stock that now treads thereon would be considerable.

We feel grieved to mention the sad death of Mr. Andrew Goodfellow our popular mill man of Traverson mill. Seemingly his short duration of sickness called for a medical operation which proved fatal. His remains were taken near Teeswater for interment. He leaves a wife and some five or six small children, who have the sympathy of the locality in their sad bereavement.

Miss Eliza Duncan has been on the sick list for two weeks, but is on the mend of late.

Mrs. John McLean has also been under the Dr.'s care for some time but is now improving.

Inspector Campbell visited our school this week, and reports favorable throughout, which is very creditable to Mr. Beatty our teacher.

Mr. James Brodie is said to have in over 125 acres of grain crop this spring two farms three teams and four men.

Rev. Mr. Little visited around this week and attended prayer meeting on Thursday evening at Townsend Lake church.

Mr. Chas. Boyle delivered a pair of three year old steers in Markdale last week which weighed 2745 lbs and netted him the handsome sum of \$111.66 they were good ones.

A June wedding is spoken of in our midst, if the occurance takes place, more particulars later on.

# Wool

Is up since last week, but we cannot tell how long it will continue at the price. We would advise you to sell in the early market. We have a buyer on the lower town corner all the time, and a man at the scales. Bring your wool right to the store. "The early bird gets the worm" is a true saying and it holds good in the wool market. Buy your winter supplies of Blankets, Yarns, Tweeds, Underclothing etc. from our heavy stock. Our own make of yarn is the best in Canada. The best merchants are all buying it from us in large quantities.

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## J. A. HUNTER...

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### HAMPDEN.

(Crowded out last week.)

Mr. H. Byers is at present visiting relatives in Ayr.

Harry Morey left last Tuesday for Toronto having secured a situation there.

Mrs. E. Shantz, Walkerton, was visiting friends here last week.

Mr. Frank and Miss J. Collinson visited friends here one day this week.

Mrs. E. W. Geddes of Hepworth is renewing old acquaintances here at present.

Miss Bessie Henderson returned home from Toronto last week.

Mr. J. Shaefer and Miss M. Felman of Hanover were the guests of the Misses Gilmore, Sunday.

On the sick list, Mrs. J. E. Kerr, Mr. Jas. Watt.

Argo.

### MURDOCH.

Intended for last week.

Mr. S. T. Orchard is spending a few days of this week in the Queen city on business.

Quite a number of the young people around here took in the picnic and the sights at Hayward's Falls on the 24th.

### Thin Blood

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County Councillor Allan returned home Wednesday evening after enjoying himself for a week on the Manitoulin Island.

Mr. A. Allan is engaged this summer again in gathering the cream for Durham Creamery. Mr. W. Surr Jr. gathers for Hclston Creamery.

Mr. Lockhart a student from Cedarville preached a splendid sermon to quite a large congregation in the school house, Sunday evening.

On Tuesday evening last a missionary lecture, illustrated by seropetion views was delivered by Rev. Mr. Westgate, in the school house. The illustrations embraced views of South America, Africa, Persia, China, Japan and the North West. The lecture and views appreciated by every one. The attendance was very large.

Sad indeed was the home coming of Mr. J. Ferguson jr. on Saturday night last, to find his father had succumbed to blood-poisoning caused by the fatal accident which befel him a couple of weeks ago; and also to find his young wife in such a low state of health as to be unable to recognize him, and on Sunday morning death also claimed her for his victim. The young couple had only been married a couple of months. Much sympathy is felt for the afflicted families in this their sad hour of bereavement.

### DROMORE.

The good wives of this place were a little depressed the other day when they learned there had been a serious drop in eggs, but their confidence was restored when they found that the drop had been caused by the laws of gravitation. Be exceedingly careful in future young man. You eggset a good egg sample from you.

Rev. Mr. Matheson, of Priceville is to address an entertainment in the church this Tuesday evening, gotten up by the Endeavorers as an anniversary.

Great sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dixon on the loss of their son Willie, at the early and interesting age of 9 years. The funeral was largely attended on Sunday last. The remains rest in the old Ebenezer graveyard where Mr. Dixon's parents are buried. Rev. Mr. Humphrey preached an able sermon in the church after the funeral.

Very startling was the news on Sunday forenoon that the grim reaper had taken another of our well known residents in the person of Mrs. Jas. Newwick, Yeovil. She was out as usual milking and being longer than usual, Mr. Newwick took a look and found her sitting on the stool, but evidently ill. She was removed to the house but died almost instantly. Her death has cast a gloom over this community where so many of her children reside, and great sympathy is felt for the aged husband in the loss of the partner of his life.

Mr. John McBeth, having made arrangements for the planting and care of his potato crop and the taking off of the hay, left on Monday for Scotland to visit relatives there. We wish him a pleasant voyage and happy experiences.