

Next Tuesday is Fair

For a slick running, the Massey Harris Big Slug Shot and other farlane's Drug Store.

No other preparation many people so much Sarsaparilla, America's cine.

SCHOOL PICTURE—On Allan Park School, D.M. and No. 1 Normanby, J. er, will hold summer of appropriate preparation

ICE CREAM SOCIAL, Egremont, Miss S. See ice cream social in the 7 p. m. on Tuesday 2nd programme in preparation

ROAD GRADING.—An the road grading machine be given on Durham street and Friday of the fall to see it. The work is highly commended.

Fine rains have gladdened the agriculturists, and crop anyway secure from danger. Even grain crop well on their way and turnips should be an excellent

RATEABLE PROPERTY, roll shows that Durham property an assessable value Personal property, \$83 income, \$5600, a total of is however reduced by \$900.732.

We are informed the Harris Co. of Toronto, seasons out put of Binde disposed of very soon, purpose investing in one ar machines should agent at once.

HONOR ROLL.—By the name of Archie Davied from the Durham News weeks Review. He is class Junior A, being out hind the leader, and we mistake which little folks

ONE MILLION DOLLAR, an eminent Methodist scheme to celebrate the tury opening by raising apply to the various fund of the Methodist Church. Conference last week ad plans will be laid to comp

SONS OF THE GAEL.—H of Scotland intend next a field day. Scotch game strength. High class H and dancing and prizes H tempt to progress, are all Everybody who is any miles of Priceville will be 21st.

DOUBLE MARRIAGE.—M Arrowsmith, are invited to of two daughters of M Lellan, formerly of the Detroit, Mich. on the 22 daughters are Kathleen ar iston and the bridegroom tively Mr. Manly and J. We extend felicitations in

RECRUITS WANTED, young men are wanted health to complete No. strength. Next Monday parade with volunteers in is to take place and our spare a few minutes to spare and give them some precision already secured, ed at last Saturday evening creditable to Lieut. Gall boys.

A STREET BRAWL.—L ight a fracas took place corner in Lower Town w in the arrest of two H and a young man named breaking the peace. The in correction castle till Mo when at 9 a. m. they before the Mayor along McDougall. After evide the two strangers were f or 60 and 50 days res costs. McDougall and mulcted \$3 and \$1 res costs, both receiving su magisterial advice. The out the necessity of the with the constables to s observance of the law. that for similar outbreak heavier fine was in store.

GRANT'S AD.

We want to call your attention this week to our New Stock of Laces, Embroideries, Roman Stripped Organdie Muslins, Stripped Damity and other Material suitable for Ladies' Blouses.

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8 Day Clocks with Gong in Cabinet, Mantle, Hall and School.

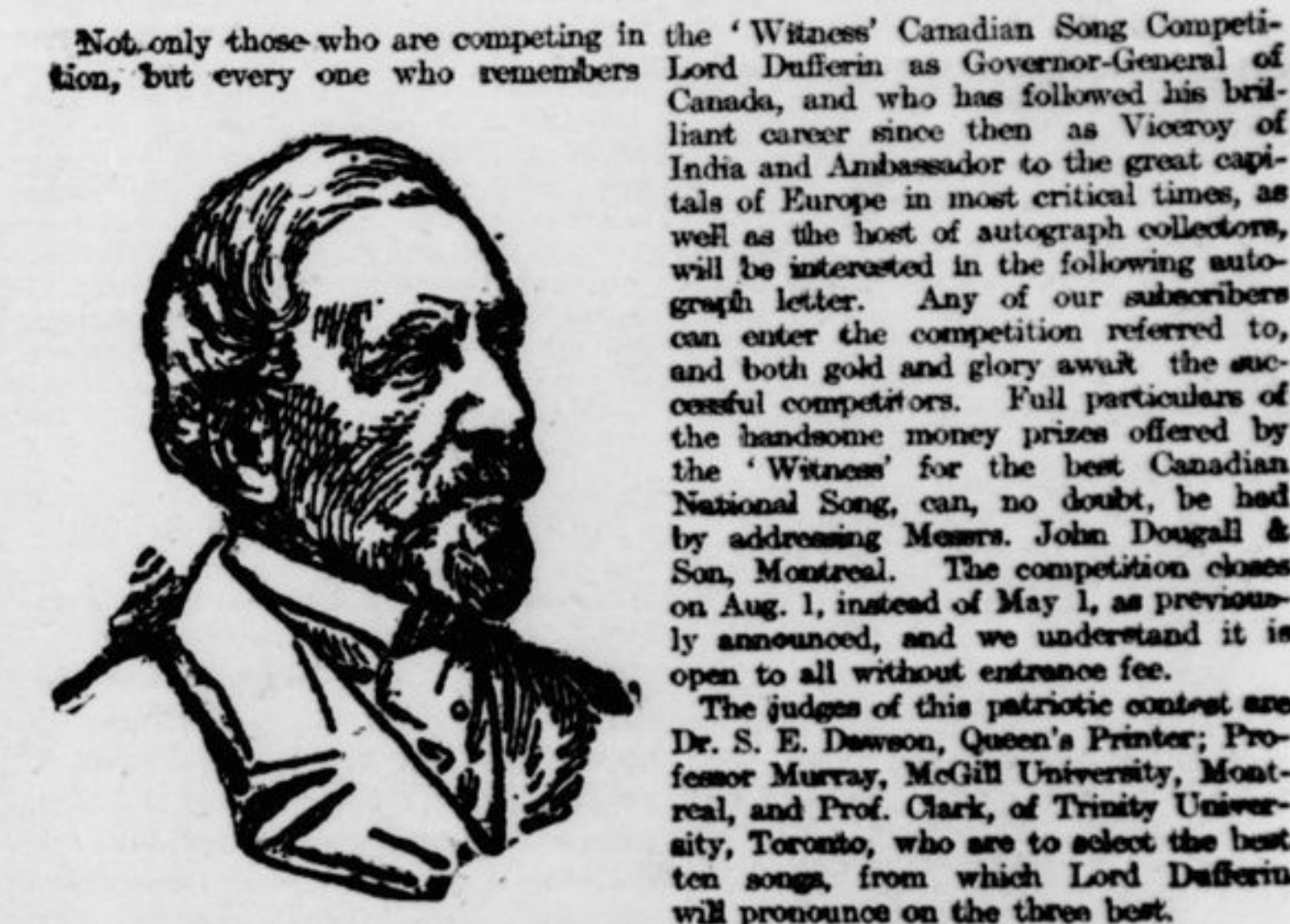
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Clandeboye Ireland April 9, '98

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 honor to be your obedient servant Wm. G. G. G.

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Miss Emily Groat of Mr. Forest spent Sabbath with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Groat.

Mrs. Adam Brown of Alpena, Mich., formerly of this place is at present visiting her mother near Yeovil, grandma Morrison aged 98 years.

The late lamented Dr. Brown's father his brother Frank of Port Colborne, and sister Clara (Mrs. Dr. Sage) of Detroit, are at present in our midst settling affairs and visiting their many friends.

Dr. A. J. Brown, of Beechville, cousin of the late Dr. Brown, has come and taken up his residence in the late Dr. office, we hear and hope he is going to stay in our midst as he has a good recommendation both as a Dr. and a christian man.

The pie social was a success, which it could not help but be, under the two auctioneers, Mr. Wm. Petrie, of our village and Mr. Thos. Caldwell of Orchard. All went off as merry as a marriage bell, and perhaps in near future will set the marriage bells ringing, for some seemed well pleased with the girl whose pie he bought. Proceeds \$17.

EGREMONT COUNCIL.

Council met May 30th., minutes of previous meeting sustained.

McInnis—McQueen—That the following resolution of condolence to the widow and family of the late Thos. Ferguson, esq., be suitably framed and forwarded to the bereaved family, and that the same be signed by the members and officers of the Township and engrossed in the minute book.—Carried.

"We, the members of the Township Council of Egremont in council assembled have this day to mourn the loss by death of one of our members, in the person of Mr. Thos. Ferguson, who departed this life on the 18th inst., and we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved widow and her sorrowful family, of our deceased brother, and pray that the Giver of all good will comfort and sustain the bereaved in their sorrow and supply them with every needful blessing."

McInnis—McQueen—That W. Wilder be paid the sum of \$21 for 14 weeks board to W. Williams being amount due until May 26th 1898. Carried.

Messrs. Durrant, Orr and Weir as delegates addressed the Council respecting the condition of sideroad at lots 20-21, con 16, and a petition presented by Alfred Tucker, signed by W. L. Dixon and 27 others re-sideroad between lots 15-16, con. 20-21.

Hunter—McQueen—That Mr. McInnis have the sideroad at lots 20-21, con. 16, put in proper shape for travelling and that he also examine sideroad between lots 15-16, con. 20-21 and have it repaired if found necessary. Carried.

McQueen—Hunter—That we now form into a Court of Revision with the Reeve in the chair. Carried.

Members of Court subscribed to the required declaration after which the following appeals against too high assessments were examined and disposed of as follows: Alfred Tucker no change, D. McKelvie, reduced \$100, Robert Eden no change, D. Allan Jr. reduced \$50, F. Dome reduced \$100, G. Calder not exempt, Jas. Gordon reduced \$200, J. Findlay no change on manse, Thos. Gordon no change.

The following additions were added to the Roll—Jno. Drewery, tenant, E 1 16-15, Jas. Baird do. W 1 6, con. 3, W. Grady do. 24, con. 3, C. Kregor do. 24, con. 2, W. Nelson do. W. 14, 15, con. 2, W. Nelson, M. F. W. 14-15, con. 2, A. Calder M. F. 21, con 21, Jas. Ford M. F. N. 16 con. 22.

As there were no more changes to be made on Roll, moved by McQueen and McInnis, that the Court of Revision now rise, and the roll as finally revised be adopted. Carried.

Council resumed—The reeve and deputy of Arthur waited upon the Council in order to effect an adjustment of Statute labor on Townline, Egremont and Arthur. They asked to commute difference of labor at 40c per day.

In reply to the said deputation, it was resolved that we will not accept less than 50c in lieu of one day's statute labor.

McInnis—McQueen—That Mr. Brown be paid \$1 25 for rep. sidewalks. Carried.

McInnis—McQueen—That D. Hunter have a small bridge built over the creek at rear of lots 8-10 con. 8. Carried.

McInnis—Hunter—That a by-law be introduced to appoint a medical health officer in place of Dr. W. L. Brown deceased. Carried.

By-laws No. 100 to appoint road commissioners, 101 to appoint medical health officers and 102 to take the necessary steps to hold an election rec'd the first and second reading. The name of Dr. Sneath, Dromore was inserted in by-law No. 102 when by-laws 101 and 102 passed the third reading.

McQueen—McInnis—That J. A. Lambert be paid \$1.10 for post cards and printing notices to pathmasters. Carried.

McInnis—Hunter—That the assessor be paid \$50 as part payment on salary. Carried.

Hunter—McInnis—That Robert Brown be appointed commissioner for Holstein on the same terms as last year's com. Carried.

McQueen—Hunter—That Mr. McInnis inspect the road at lot 17, con. 12, and report at next meeting of council. Carried.

McInnis—Hunter—That Mr. McQueen be instructed to repair the approach at the bridge on Proton Townline near Cedarville. Carried.

McInnis—Hunter—That Mr. Edwin Sitzer be paid \$3 for putting in a culvert on baseline at con. 5. Carried.

Mr. Schram paid \$1 into council for timber received.

McInnis—McQueen—That we adjourn to meet on Monday 27th day of June for general business. Carried.

D. ALLAN, Clerk.

MURDOCH.

Much sympathy is extended by the section to our teacher Mr. W. L. Dixon on account of death and affliction which has entered his home.

Mr. R. Barbour had the misfortune on Thursday last in having one of his ankles broken while logging.

Mr. T. Pollock is at present engaged in building the stone work of Mr. J. H. Sharp's barn.

Mr. Alex. Bradley purchased a new top buggy from Wood & Sim of Mt. Forest.

Mrs. Dr. Sage (nee Miss Clara Brown) of Windsor, but formerly teacher in S. S. No. 2, called to see her old scholars on Thursday last.

Mr. Brown of Brownville, father of the late Dr. Brown, preached in the school house on Sunday evening.

HOLSTEIN.

Mr. Albert Rice, of Riverston spent Sunday in our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Laird of Gorrie visited at Mr. Thos Brown's a few days last week.

Mr. Jamieson, of Beverley is visiting his aunt, grandmother and other relatives.

George Cushman, of Dromore and his uncle from uncle Sam's domains were in our burg on Saturday.

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.

Butter, Eggs, Lard, Tallow, etc. all taken same as Cash.

J. A. HUNTER.

DEPARTMENTAL STORE, LOWER TOWN, DURHAM

Drink Kolona Ceylon Tea.....

ORCHARD.

Some time ago we gave a stump to whoever would get married that we would attempt to write them up, never thinking for a moment that any one would attempt the risk, for the sake of trying our ability, but such has been the case. Therefore we will either have to stick to our word or throw up the sponge. We have chosen the former, although we have racked our brains considerably in the attempt.

At the bride's parental residence On the rosy eighth of June, One of those happy events occurred Which always creates a boom.

It was the marriage of Albert Marshall To Miss Annie Petty, his love, Whom always with pride he called his best, But now he calls her his dove.

Reverend Kitching tied the knot, And did so very hearty, In the presence of relatives female and male Of each contracting party.

Miss Marshall stood by the side of the bride And both of them looked so gay, And never a faint, nor the least complaint When her father "gave her away."

The groom too he could sure be excused For feeling a little bit fretty, So wisely fortified himself With that stalwart boy, Geo. Petty.

The ceremony over at last, And abundance of good wishes, All made a shift to the dining room Where such an array of dishes

All loaded with various kinds of food, Better was never seen!

In fact, sufficiently good it was To set before the Queen.

The table round about was filled, Mr. Kitching at the head, With one accord they all did bow, While a blessing the pastor said.

The inner man being satisfied, The blessing again returned, The bride and groom and all the rest To another room adjourned

Where a number of games indulged in were For a very considerable while, Oh well, you know, you know, you know, The grand old "Methodist" style.

Perhaps they'll say, we previous are, And to that we must confess, But then the event will have occurred Before this goes to press.

And if herein mistakes should occur, Forgive us if any be found Seeing it was composed one Jay While preparing the turnip ground.

We are not aware if the bride so fair Spring blossoms or roses carried, But this we know, and we're sure it is so, That she's happily "all-right" married.

And now to conclude it would be quite rude To miss a first-class opportunity To give wishes the best with a hearty zest From the happy pairs' whole community.

And now Al. boy, we wish you much joy, Your fate is decided, that's true, May your lives be spent in peace and content, And now for the present adieu.

VICKERS.

Mr. John Milligan sold a fine young horse to Messrs. Lyman & McClocklin the other day for which he received a handsome sum.

Mr. Woodthorp Johnston who has been a resident of Mich. for the last 20 years paid a visit to his parents and other friends here recently. It is 16 years since his last visit home, consequently he finds many changes in his old neighborhood.

Mr. C. Smith has purchased a traction engine and will now be able to move their threshing outfit around with one team of horses.

Miss Wair will hold her annual picnic in Mrs. Beaton's grove on Friday afternoon the 10th inst.

Miss Nellie Kennedy of Ripley spent Sunday with her cousin Mrs. W. J. Darby.

Mr. Jas. Mather is again on the road with the cream wagon and is doing a rushing business, having secured many new patrons this season. He is quite a favorite with the ladies as measurement is always correct.

Mr. C. Smith has sold his shingle mill machinery to Messrs. Sparling and D. Kinnee. They will move it up to their woods and begin business at once.

Weak Lungs

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