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LOCAL AND GENERAL

W. Laidlaw has the greatest bargains ever offered in Mantles.

Good second hand bicycle for sale. Cheap. Apply at the Lower Town Hardware Store. W.M. BLACK.

THE PEOPLE'S MILLS.—One car of No. 1 Manitoba Hungarian Flour on hand. Will sell cheap or exchange for Wheat. R. McGowan.

To January 1st, 1900, for \$1.00 we will send the REVIEW, weekly, postage prepaid, to above date. To January 1st, 1899, for 25 cents. Any where on this continent.

Laidlaw's Millinery opening the event of the season will take place Friday and Saturday next, Sept. 30th and Oct. 1st. The ladies are promised a rare treat. Don't miss it.

A TORONTO DEPARTMENTAL.—The Mail and Empire says: A true bill was returned at the Sessions yesterday in the charge against the T. Eaton Co., of applying false trade descriptions to goods.

In reporting a fashionable Guelph wedding the advocate says—"After the young couple were pronounced man and wife by the Rev. Mr. Bell, the choir sang the anthem "God Be Merciful" with beautiful effect."

CHEAP TRAVEL.—On Sept. 29th, 30th and Oct. 1st, round trip tickets at the lowest rates ever made to the west. Tickets good to arrive back on or before Oct. 18th. For all information apply to J. S. R. Gun, ticket agent.

FLESHERTON.—The Directors of the East Grey Show have decided to hold another Show day on Oct. 11, last Friday was so unfavorable. About \$50 was taken in at the gates. We hope the second day may reward their enterprise.

NOTICE.—Target Practice of No. 4 Company will take place at the butts next Saturday. Armory will be open at 8 a. m., Captain Galbraith will be in attendance and Lt. Col. Telford of Owen Sound. Men are expected to appear in uniform.

A little bird, which is usually well informed on such matters, has whispered to us that Mr. Park will not be a candidate in West Wellington; that he will support the candidature of Mr. Gibson, and at the end of the present Parliament when Mr. James McMullen is elevated to the Senate, Mr. James Park will succeed to the Liberal candidature in North Wellington for the Dominion House.—Harriston Review.

A Literary Society has been organized in connection with the Model School. The first meeting was held Wednesday Sept. 21st, and the following officers were elected:—Hon. Pres., Mr. Allan; Pres., Mr. Thompson; Vice Pres., Miss L. Anderson; Sec. Miss M. McGaw; Tres., Mr. Beattie; Editor of Paper, Miss Laidlaw; Sub. Editor, Miss M. McLean; Executive Committee, Miss N. Ewing, Mr. J. Young, Miss L. Wolfe, Mr. C. McKechnie.

PLEBISCITE LECTURE.—Last Sunday afternoon the Town Hall was packed to the door with an audience almost unanimously we believe in sympathy with the prohibition movement, at least if they came opposed they would scarcely leave in the same mood after the ringing address delivered by Rev. Mr. Little. The Rev. gentleman is always a favorite here, and his address on Sunday last added another rose to his chaplet. The voting will be on before this reaches our readers hence we have no extended report of several convincing arguments.

ASIA IS GAELIC.—Rev. Dr. Mackay, the well-known Gaelic scholar, writes The Globe:—In yesterday's daily Globe I noticed the following item: "The word Asia is derived from the Sanscrit, Ushas, meaning the land of the dawn". This is incorrect. Asia is a compound of two Gaelic words, As, denoting back, and ia, country, i.e., the back country. Highlanders in leaving their first home in Asia for other parts of the world were in the habit of calling it the back country or the home they left behind them, just as the Scots regard Scotland as the mother country, and the Germans, who left their native Germany, call it Faderland. The second syllable in Asia has been for a long time an obsolete word in the venerable language to which it originally belonged. The same is true of Africa, made up of three monosyllabic words in Gaelic, denoting the country of the flowing river, i.e., the Nile. Many other ancient names, non-Semitic, are traceable from Gaelic roots, a very striking proof of the antiquity of this language.

FALL WHEAT.—Long amber Bald Fall Wheat at Parker's Drug Store.

Mrs. Scott from near Chesley is visiting Mr. Thos. Young, Hampden.

Mr. John McKelvie, Orangeville, a cousin of our townsman is visiting here. Miss B. McKinnon, Chesley, visited her sister Mrs. J. A. Black Show Day.

Tuesday was Court Day and a number of cases were disposed of by Judge Morrison.

A large shipment of Ready Made Clothing just to hand at Laidlaw's. Lined rubber coats, seams sewed for \$3.50.

The victory rests with America's Greatest Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla when it enters the battle against impure blood.

FOR SALE.—On easy terms. A good second hand Waterloo Champion Separator and Horse Power. Apply to W.M. SHARP. Upper Town.

Dr. Somerville presented a hearty and unanimous call from Chatsworth congregation to Mr. John Little, of Latona. The call was sustained, put into Mr. Little's hands and the congregations cited to appear at a meeting in Owen Sound on the 11th October.—O. S. Sun [Presbytery Rep.]

SMART.—At O. Sound fair last week a man stationed himself at the outside gate and collected as gatekeeper some money from visitors and disappeared. While the main building was crowded at night some one turned off the gas and in the darkness a first prize cheese disappeared. Rewards are offered.

BAND CONCERT.—A Town Hall packed greeted the Band last night and the receipts must have been quite satisfactory. The prizes for the Comfort Soap race were presented to the winners by Mr. J. A. Hunter. Miss Jean Renwick, Dromore, sang with her usual ability, and instrumental solos, laughable forces and song made a jolly evening.

VARNEY.—The anniversary and harvest home services of the Varney Methodist Church will be held next Sunday, Oct. 2nd. Rev. E. L. Flagg, former pastor, will preach morning and evening. A supper will be given in the Orange Hall on Monday evening, after which the Rev. Dr. Williamson will deliver his popular lecture on Fox Hunting. A good time is expected. Admission 15c and 25c.

FOR MINE CENTRE.—This week Mr. A. D. McKenzie, "Tailor McKenzie" as he has been long known, leaves with his daughter for Mine Centre where his two sons are located. John L. has been busy this week making the necessary arrangements. The town sincerely regrets to part with a worthy citizen and will wish him much happiness in his new home. Mr. Allan McFarlane also accompanies them.

NEUSTADT SHOW.—Last Friday despite adverse climatic conditions had a good attendance, and the exhibition itself was creditable and some thought above the average, inside and out. Dr. Mearns we believe got 1st for a buggy horse. Dickson, Carrick, showed fine cattle and took several prizes. Mr. Thos. Geddes Hampden got a prize for his bull. The miserable afternoon packed the show-room for most of the time.

THE FAIRS.—Owen Sound fair last week, the advertiser declares a success as an Agricultural Exhibition though the receipts 3 years ago were larger. The Walkerton Herald blames Sir Oliver for not being a good drawing card, and that show seems to have been practically a failure. Flesherton and Neustadt got it in the neck on Friday last with a regular downpour of rain the most of the afternoon. Hanover (Beattie's Show) was we believe successful.

THE END OF THE CENTURY.—We notice a number of our exchanges offering their paper to the "end of the century" for \$1.00, meaning to the end of 1899. The end of the century is Dec. 31, 1900, and to that date we offer the Review for \$2 to new subscribers: two years and a quarter. We have at least one name paid to this date, and several very near it. \$1.00 to Dec. 31, 1899. Subscribe now, and get the benefit of the Review's cheap club rates with Toronto papers. Only \$1.50 for Review and W. Globe for 15 mos. \$1.40 for Review and Weekly Mail.

Plebiscite meetings were held in many places last week and this and the interest decidedly increased as the days wore on. Volunteer speakers both lay and clerical, offered themselves, and thanks to Mr. Allan, Rev. Mr. Kitching, Mr. Grant, Mr. Calder, Rev. Mr. Ferguson and others, horse flesh was available to "tote" them round. In a few instances champions were found for the traffic, and the plebiscite speakers, we believe welcomed this feature. Discussion always injures the liquor traffic even with such a champion as E. King Dodd's.

BUGGIES FOR SALE CHEAP.—Several open and top buggies, all in good order. Apply at once. F. NESTER.

CHANGE OF CARD.—Attention is called to a change in legal card of Lucas, Wright & Batson. Mr. Batson has removed to Markdale but a member of the firm will be in attendance at the old office (Calder's block, entrance next to Holt's) on Mondays and Court Days. 4

CHANGE OF PROPRIETORS.—The Fairwell sawmill under P. & G. Watson has changed hands and the new Co. is C. & G. Watson. We bespeak for the new firm the same patronage and more of it, that it enjoyed under the old name as the Bros. are careful skillful workmen. See advertisement this week.

MILLINERY OPENING.—Miss Culbertson begs to announce to the ladies of Durham and neighborhood that her fall Millinery Opening will be held on Friday and Saturday next. She is prepared to show a large stock of the latest novelties purchased this fall, and as she does her own work, her customers get the benefit of this feature. Showrooms over S. Scott's store, lower town.

A STRONG NATION.—Consists of strong men and healthy women, and health and strength depend upon pure, rich blood which is given by Hood's Sarsaparilla. A nation which takes millions of bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla every year is laying the foundation for health, the wisdom of which will surely show itself in years to come.

Hood's Pills are prompt efficient, always reliable, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Some of the big Chicago firms had an illustration of the value of advertising recently. During the stereotypers' strike none of the papers were published and S. Cooper & Co., who employ 3,000 hands, say their business fell off two-thirds through not being able to advertise. Frank's boot department reports a 50 per cent. falling off in trade for the same reason. The newspaper advertisement is a power to boom business. Do you use it sufficiently?

MODEL SCHOOL INSPECTION.—Last Friday Mr. J. J. Tilley, Inspector of Model Schools for the Province, visited Prin. Allan's rooms and spent the day with him. He found everything in good working trim, and is particularly gratified with the work of Durham School, pointing out that not a few High Schools have no such record. In the afternoon, he recalled the whole teaching staff together, and gave an address which was inspiring and appropriate. He remained over Saturday and the Review was indebted for a call from a gentleman who influenced our pedagogical life at several points.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE.—At the English church last Thursday a very beautiful service was observed to return thanks for our harvests and other mercies. Rev. Mr. Herbert of Walkerton, Mr. Ryan and Mr. Farr were present. Mr. Herbert read the service and Mr. Robinson addressed the people from the text "Consider the Lilies how they grow" in which he bestowed encomiums on Mr. Ryan and congregation. The church was beautifully decorated with plants, flowers, fruits and evergreens. The choir rendered good service especially in the special anthem for the occasion. Mr. Ryan continued the thanksgiving service on Sunday. The offerings were liberal, \$26 Thursday evening towards renovating the church.

A RETURNED SOLDIER.—The Aytton Advance says:—Mr. Charles Urshadt who left here about eleven years ago for Michigan returned last week to see old friends and is staying with Mr. Louis Brusso of the 10th with whom he spent his boyhood days. Mr. Urshadt has just returned from Cuba where he had been for the past three months taking a hand in the war and was at the actual storming of Santiago. He is full of war experiences and hardships and thinks it is not an agreeable or pleasing game. He tells hard stories of the usage they received on the voyage home, surrounded by filth and starvation. During the voyage he says that eight soldiers were buried at sea and one crazed by hunger jumped overboard. From this it would appear that the United States, like Spain, is careless of her benefactors when her work is done.

TEACHER WANTED.

TEACHER Wanted for School Section No. 3, Bentinck and Gléhelg for the year 1899. Second or Third Class certificate. Male preferred. Applications to be sent to the undersigned before the 20th day of October.

J. L. SMITH, M. D., Secy.-Treas. S. S. No. 3, Dornoch, Ont.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Tom Storey, Chatsworth, was in town Sunday.

Mr. McGill, of Flesherton Sta., called on Mr. John A. Black Monday.

Miss Ruth Johnston visited Glenroad friends for a fortnight lately.

Mr. White, Markdale, was in town Tuesday, in the interests of his property.

Mr. R. Stong, Harriston, was the guest of Mr. Arthur Laidlaw, last week.

Mr. Sam Wright and Mrs. Bell of — are visiting his father the baker of town.

Mr. and Mrs. And. McIvride and family, Proton Station, took in the show this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meyer, Euphrasia, visited friends in town last week and at Mr. Jno. Collier's, of the Avenue Glenelg.

Miss Marion Elvidge, who has been in a London wholesale millinery house for the last couple of months, returned to home here last week.

Mr. Jas. Elliott, manufacturer of the Elliott Soaps, Galt, was visiting last week his cousin Mr. Wm. Johnston of town, and relatives in Normanby.

Miss Sarah Vollet came home last week after a long visit with friends in Toronto and Kinairdine, bringing her friend Miss Minnie Fitzgerald with her for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McIntyre, Balsam Valley, accompanied by the former's mother and Miss Sarah Isaac paid a visit to Collingwood friends last week, and took in the great Northern Exhibition.

Judicial Sale.—The Gadd farm in Normanby was sold on Wednesday by Judge Morrison to Wm. Marshall, Sr., who owns the farm across the road. We wish our old neighbor much success in his venture.

Late News Boiled Down.—Mr. M. C. Cameron, Lieut. Gov. N. W. Territories is dead. A tornado has worked fearful damage in St. Catherines and Merriton, 5 lives lost, many injured. Li Hung Chang has been reinstated which has placed Russia and Britain again in warlike pose. The Court of Appeal has decided the Constable case entirely in favor of Hardy.

FIRE TEST.—Tuesday morning last the fire bell rang out ominously about 9 a. m., and after a hurried search it was discovered that at last the brigade was to be under official inspection. The gentleman who thus sprung the alarm on the town, is Mr. Howe, of Toronto, Inspector of the Fire Underwriters' Association. A rush was made for the Fire Hall, and with great alacrity the boys had "her" up the hill to the furthest tank with steam up in 8 1/2 minutes. It went to 60 in 10 minutes and to 100 in one minute more. Mr. Howe expressed himself as well pleased with the brigade and complimented their efficiency, and will, with some improvements on the tower give the town an E. rating. Class D. is what citizens would like, but the requirement of a fire patrol and two men sleeping in the Fire Hall, stands in the way.

TORONTO STAR.—Can anything equal the courtesy of the Court of Appeal? Here are five judges who are asked three questions. In ordinary legal usage this would seem to imply at least three prolix and highly technical reasons for the three queries. Though each of these judges bristles with legal erudition, he answers with laconic abruptness. Are poll constables disqualified from voting? Asks Mr. Hardy. No, says the Court of Appeal. Are persons who perform services or supply necessaries to the returning officers? No. Are the owners of nomination halls and polling booths disqualified? No, again. In the name of Coke and Blackstone, what sort of answer is this? Here is the brilliant editorial staff of the Mail and Empire waiting for reasons to demolish, and no reasons are forthcoming. The Court of Appeal un-animously—unanimously, mark you—says no, and closes its collective mouth like an oyster. No precedents are quoted for the Mail to attack, no reasons given on which to base sophistical arguments. Are poll constables and the two other necessary evils of an election disqualified? No, says the Court of Appeal. No, we tell you, and if you don't like it, shut up. Pull that "no" to pieces, ye merry scribes, and watch us smile at your blind efforts. And the Opposition too—what meat is there in that "no" for them? Here are five judges chanting "no" with triple iteration. Why, Mr. Hardy had no need of that constable session at all! The highest legal opinion in the province was with him all the time. Well, why did he call it? Perhaps, Mr. Whitney—and this is a secret—perhaps it was to give his small but effective majority a trial heat. Meanwhile the constable vote question is decided, and Mr. Hardy can watch Ontario's interests at the Quebec Conference with an undivided mind.

THE BEST YET.

We have the authority of the Globe to say that notwithstanding the imposition of newspaper postage, all subscribers to the Review may get it the same as last year, viz: the two papers one year for \$1.50 cash.

TAX NOTICE.

All ratepayers and others who have not paid their first instalment of taxes should remember that 3 per cent will be added for collection. Pay up at once and save the costs of collection. BY ORDER.

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Durham, Aug. 9th, '96.

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Supply our Customers with Machinery of all kinds. Make all sorts of Castings and do all sorts of Machinery repairing on short notice and at moderate prices.

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