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Going North.

STATIONS.	Mail	Exp.	Mixed.
Toronto .....Leave	7 20am	4 45pm	Does not stop for Passengers.
Cardwell Junction.....	9 07 "	6 30 "	
Charleston	9 25 "	6 45 "	
Orange-ville. { Arrive	9 50 "	7 03 "	
Orange-ville. { Leave	10 05 "	7 29 "	
Orangeville Junction.....	10 17 "	7 34 "	
Shelburne	10 45 "	8 04 "	
Dundalk	11 10 "	8 20 "	
FLESHERTON	11 36 "	8 55 "	
Markdale	11 51 "	9 10 "	
Williamsford	12 12pm	9 32 "	
Chatsworth	12 28 "	9 49 "	
Owen Sound.....Arrive	1 00 "	10 20 "	

Going South.

STATIONS.	Exp.	Mail.	Mixed.
Owen Sound.....Leave	5 20am	2 35pm	Does not stop for Passengers.
Chatsworth	5 50 "	3 10 "	
Williamsford	6 05 "	3 30 "	
Markdale	6 27 "	3 52 "	
FLESHERTON	6 42 "	4 06 "	
Dundalk	7 06 "	4 31 "	
Shelburne	7 31 "	4 57 "	
Orangeville Junction.....	8 00 "	5 28 "	
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Consisting of Local and Other Interesting Items gathered by The Advance Reporters.

FOR SALE.—Butter Tubs and Churns. Joseph McCormick, Flesherton.

—Pure Sacramental Wines at the Medical Hall. No adulteration.

—Mr. Benner, editor and proprietor of the Mount Forest *Confederate*, has gone to Ireland on a tour.

—Mr. Edward Hanley, of Osprey Township, purposes visiting friends in Ireland this summer.

—You can get suits to suit your Boys at Richardson & Co's, very cheap.

—Several brick residences are already in course of erection in Flesherton. These together with the handsome new schoolhouse and Baptist church will be quite an improvement to this progressive place.

—Fresh Field and Garden Seeds at the Medical Hall.

—The solo sang by Miss Ayers in the Methodist church, last Sunday evening, "Nearer my God to Thee," was rendered in a most pleasing manner.

—Spring and Summer Suits for all sizes, at Richardson & Co's Clothing and Outfitting Warehouse.

—An interesting article by Deacon Snuke's, entitled "The Clodhopper," received and will appear in our next week's issue.

—The best Holland's Gin for invalids at Medical Hall.

—Mr. W. A. Brown's new advertisement will appear in our next issue. Mr. Brown's store in Markdale, will always be found full of a well assorted stock of Jewelry, &c.

—Richardson & Co's Dress Goods department this season is filled with new fabrics. Every lady can get suited here, and prices are right.

—"Young Lebon," the property of Mr. John J. Magee, Artemesia, is well known to many of our readers as a stallion descended from fine races of English and Scottish horses. He is likely to make a good season.

—Do not be deceived into getting anybody but Russell, the boss watchmaker, of Flesherton, repair your watch, as you know it pays to get a perfect job.

—We would mildly suggest that those taking part in the oratorio of Queen Esther make it a point to attend the practices sharp on time, instead of promenading the streets and compelling others to wait for half or three-quarters of an hour.

—Building and Roofing Paper and Felt, Pitch, Plaster, Putty, Nails, Glass, Hinges, &c., at Richardson's Hardware Store.

—"Young Climax," the property of Mr. James T. Wilson, Proton, comes from the famous "Valentine" and "Warambie" Blood stallions, so that it will at once be seen that he possesses all the essentials necessary for getting superior trotting stock.

—New goods, consisting of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Pipes, Purses, Berlin Wools, Fancy Goods, and Spectacles a specialty at Russell's Noted Jewelry Store, Flesherton.

THE LAST YEAR, 1886.—After the above year is ended there need be no person suffering from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Toothache, Headache, Lumbago, or any acute pain, if they only purchase a bottle of Fluid Lightning, as it cures instantly. Pain cannot stay where it is used. The name is Fluid Lightning. Sold by the Druggist.

—We have to thank Mrs F. T. Carr for a fine mess of "speckled beauties."

—The apparel oft proclaims the man especially the hat—never wear a bad hat when you can get a good one at such low prices, at Richardson & Co's.

We had not time to change Russell, the Noted Jewelry Man's advertisement this week, but if you go to his store in Flesherton you will find one of the prettiest, nobbiest, dandiest, and most complete stock of watches, clock, Jewelry, &c. you ever clapped eyes on in a country village.

—We have been so busy recently attending to the wants of our patrons, in the job printing line, that no doubt some news items may have escaped our notice. As yet the rush for work is pretty heavy but we are always ready to give prompt attention to all orders in this department of our business.

—Remember Russell, Flesherton, keeps the famous B. Laurance Spectacles—the best in the world. Do not buy any other if you would save your eyes.

—Mr. John O'Brien, Artemesia, has a superior General Purpose Stallion, "England's Glory," which will be for service this season. "England's Glory" is descended from world renowned ancestors of the same name, which is a sufficient recommendation to the progressive breeders in this section to ensure a very successful season.

—A deep cut is being made in the hill between this office and the Post Office, in order to bring the sidewalk at this point on a level with road bed, or nearly so. This is an excellent improvement in connection with our sidewalk system. But how will the public climb up into the Bakery when the job is finished? Everything has its drawbacks.

—Miss Maud Richardson's Millinery stock attracts the ladies from a wide circuit, merits general commendation & meets ready sale—large additions to Stock this week.

—The people of the peninsula ought to appreciate the enterprise and public spiritedness of the Wiarton *Echo* in connection with its reports of the Keppel tragedy. Last week the *Echo* contained excellent portraits of three prominent figureheads in that sad and tragic drama in real life, viz., John A. Bailey, Ellen McClary, and James King.

—Our Fighting Editor handed us the following item for publication in this week's paper:—"Beware! Beware!! the Porcupines in the swamp the other side of Noble Lawrence's." The average small boy, who doesn't want to be transfixed with porcupine quills, had better not go fooling around that swamp. Porcupines are no respector of persons.

—We understand that Mr. Geo Anderson, who has very efficiently discharged his duties during the term of years in which he has been engaged in Richardson & Co's store here, leaves Flesherton for Toronto this week or next. We do not yet know his final destination, but wherever he goes, George will carry with him the kindest and best wishes of the good people of Flesherton.

—Mr. A. S. Vandusen's promising young Trotting Stallion, "Billy V.," is another powerful claimant in the extensive and growing field of fast horses. He was sired by the renowned "Clear Grit, jr.," his dam was "Lady Kennet," by old "Kennet," grand dam a Royal George mare, g. dam a Messenger mare. "Billy V." is highly spoken of and his services have already been bespoken by a large number of gentlemen possessing good mares.

—Other dealers complain that Russell, the boss watchmaker & Jeweller, Flesherton, is spoiling their trade by selling his fine goods so much cheaper than they can sell them, but he is bound to give his customers the benefit. "Small profits and quick returns" his motto. A beautiful stock to select from.

—One day last week a Flesherton housewife brought forth from her cellar a jam jar containing yeast. She endeavored to unscrew the head off the jar but, failing in this, called her husband to her assistance. He manfully wrestled with the cantankerous jar for some time, when he turned it upside down and commenced the delicate operation of prying off the lid with a table knife. Suddenly there came a "burst of thunder wild" and the jar was blown into atoms. The contents gushed forth in torrents upon the head and wearing apparel of the husband, and did not forget to plentifully bespatter the wife and a lady friend who was present. The lamp, ceiling and walls—some fifteen feet distant—also received a dose. Next morning clothes cleaning formed the chief occupation in that house. *Moral.*—Don't put yeast in jem jars.

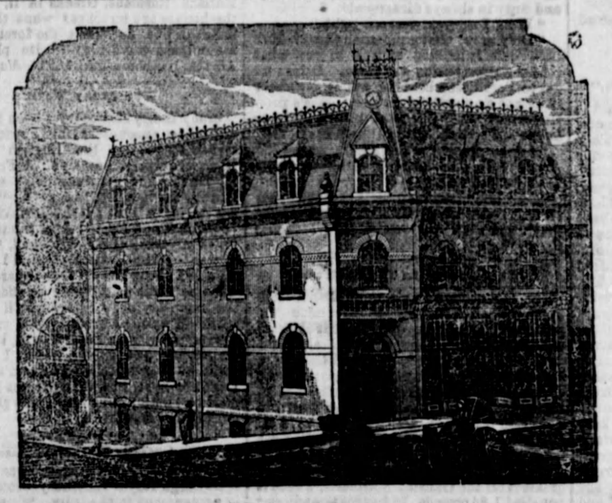
Correction.

To the Editor of the Advance.

Sir,—In last issue of your paper appeared an article, "Facts and Figures," by "Fair Play," in which a small error appeared, viz., it says, to build school at Station would cost 1¼ mills on dollar yearly, where it should read, "To run school would cost," &c.

Hoping you will correct this in first issue of THE ADVANCE, as it is Fair Play's own mistake in writing and might mislead some of your readers, and oblige

FAIR PLAY.



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THE KEPPEL TRAGEDY!

Prisoners Found Guilty and Sent Down for Trial.

(From the Wiarton Echo.)

The postponed preliminary trial of the above, now noted case, took place at Owen Sound yesterday, 30th ult., before Police Magistrate Price, A. Frost acting for the Crown, and Jas. Masson counsel for the prisoners, being engaged by Mr. King, father of the prisoner. The court house where the trial took place was crowded with spectators. A considerable number of Keppel faces were noticed in among them. At 2.30 o'clock the prisoners, King and Wilson, were brought from the jail by constable Pearce. Both men presented a haggard and care worn appearance. King endeavored to appear cheerful but any one could see quite clear that both men felt the seriousness of the case.

Dr. Fisher was called to give evidence as to the result of the *post mortem* examination and commenced to give it from a written report, taken from the original notes, but was stopped by Mr. Masson and not allowed to proceed with his evidence in that way. The original notes had to be used or given from memory. The doctor was equal to the occasion and the whole examination from beginning to end on both bodies was given from memory, which we presume rather surprised the prisoners' counsel. This evidence when all summed up, was to the effect that the two men, John A. Bailey and his hired man were not suffocated but foully and brutally murdered.

This evidence took over two hours and a half. After its conclusion Mr. Frost stated that no further evidence was necessary, as all that was expected from this court was sufficient proof to convict, which he considered he had in the witness of Ellen McCleary and her brother Charles. Mr. Masson held that the evidence of Ellen McCleary was not responsible and that the case was a serious one, providing the prisoners were not guilty, as the Spring Assizes were now just over and if the prisoners were committed it would be quite a serious punishment to lie in prison for six months. He also stated that if they would allow their witnesses to be examined the prisoners could prove they were innocent of the crime, and further that Ellen McCleary had proven by her own evidence that she was an accomplice with the murderers. Mr. Frost and the presiding magistrate, however, thought different and the prisoners were committed to stand their trial at the first court which would be the Fall Assizes, without bail.

Ellen McCleary was then brought in. Her appearance was very little changed from when she gave evidence at the Coroner's inquest. The matter evidently has weighed on the girl's mind very little. They believed when brought out she would immediately be set at liberty but when told she would be required to furnish two bondsmen of $500 each before she could be liberated, Ellen looked upon her position as rather serious and exclaimed, "Why there is not a man there worth $500!"

She was then taken back to jail. She was waited on in the jail previous to the trial and had it explained to her the seriousness of the case if she should be found guilty of perjury, but the girl could not be lead to contradict her former statement, though she said she could not be so sure of Wilson, being acquainted with him only a short time previous to the murder, but the man had side whiskers. She was, however, not mistaken in King. The general belief is that Wilson is innocent and King guilty. Other arrests will be made.

Inistioge.

From our own Correspondent.

There will be an entertainment given here on the 24th inst. (Queen's Birthday) under the auspices of the Ladie's Aid Society of this place.

Mr. John Rutherford intends putting a stone foundation under his barn this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchinson, of Huntsville, have been visiting friends in this vicinity.

The recent rains have made this a very backward spring to the farmers.

Mr. J. Jackson intends erecting a large bank barn this summer.

Mr. T. McQuay has been repairing his saw mill. He has now got a shingle saw in running order.

A Sailor's Death.

A curious death occurred at Chicago, on Sunday, while the schooner Thomas Quayle was being made ready for sea. One of the crew was ordered to assist in bending the jib topsail. Crawling out to the end of the jibboom, he sat straddle of the boom with his arms around the stay and his feet in the foot ropes. A man aloft shouted an order to him which was not executed, and noticing that the man remained motionless, the mate repeated the order without getting a response. A volley of shouts from the entire crew failed to attract the attention of the seaman, who sat bolt upright and never made a move. Finally one of the crew was sent out to see what was the matter with him. He reported that the man was apparently sound asleep, but after administering a vigorous shaking failed to arouse him. Then a halyard was bent around the man's body and he was hauled inboard. The instant he reached the deck the mate discovered why the man had failed to obey orders. He was dead. The body was taken away and the coroner notified. The dead man was a middle-aged Norwegian, and was known to the crew by the name of John.—*Marquette Mining Journal.*

Euphrasia Agricultural Society.

The spring show of the above society was held on the show grounds, Rocklyn, on Friday last, the 30th April, and was fairly successful. The animals exhibited were not so numerous as in former years, excepting in the blood class, said class being well represented. In imported draught there was but one entry, while in Percherons there were no entries. This latter fact caused much comment among those who attended the show. Cattle were also conspicuous by their absence, there being but one animal on the grounds. Following is a list of the prize winners.

HORSES.

Imported draught—Ed Shaw's Lincoln.

Canadian draught—4 entries—1st Geo. Watson's Netherby; 2nd, W. Shepherdson's Scotland.

General Purpose—3 entries—1st, Tuck & McWhirter's British Ensign; 2nd, W. Warner's Farmer's Fancy.

Roadster, carriage or blood—4 entries—1st, D. Gibbons' Bancroft; 2nd, F. Henman's St. James.

BULLS.

Aged, with pedigree—N. Clark.

IMPLEMENTS.

Plows—1st, C. Barber, highly recommended; 2nd, in the opinion of the judges there was considerable room for improvements.—COM.

Markdale Items.

From our own Correspondent,

The most wonderful event of last week was the capture of a live porcupine by Mr. F. Porter. His story of the capture is as full of exciting interest as any grizzly bear story of the Rocky Mountains.

Master Alf. Moffatt, whose eye was injured by the explosion of a gun on Good Friday, has had to undergo the painful operation of having the eye taken out by some Toronto opticians. They thought the operation necessary for the preservation of the sight of the other eye.

We are to have a celebration of the Queen's Birthday in Markdale this year. The Managing Committee is composed of live men, so that a grand day's sport is anticipated.

Quite a number of new buildings are to be erected in our village this season. Mr. T. Matthews purposes erecting a large harness shop on the site of the old one, which was destroyed by fire some time ago. Mr. G. S. Bowes is having the old church moved into one of his lots, where he intends making a couple of dwelling houses of it.

W. J. McFarland has added greatly to the appearance of his store by having the wood work of the front painted by R. O. Whitby.

Hill Bros. contemplate fitting the front of their store up with plate glass.

Miss Richardson of Flesherton has been visiting her cousin Mrs. Haskett.

On the boards for this week are a concert on Tuesday evening by the L. A. S. of Christ's Church, and a lecture on Wednesday evening by Rev. W. Cassin, on "The British Empire."

SCRIBO.

Meaford Road.

From our own Correspondent,

Mr. W. J. Cooey, has rented Mr. O. Lackies farm for a term of years.

Mr. E. Brodie has rented and is working the farm lately owned by Mr. Cooey.

Mr. A. Johnston has the job of delivering the milk of the Meaford Road route at Flesherton Cheese Factory.

Messrs. G. Warling and J. Brodie are busy framing Mr. J. I. Graham's barn.

Mr. J. Magee, jr., is out on route with his celebrated stallion Young Lebon.

Mr. W. Gilbert is at work again he says that he can just see light with the eye that he got hurt.

Part of the flume of Mr. Davis saw mill fell down last week, this is a serious loss to Messers. Davis & Anderson as the supply of water is greatest at this season of the year.

In consequence of the unusually fine weather, spring seeding is getting pretty well advanced. Vegetation is making rapid progress. The fall wheat looks well and prospects are good for a liberal supply of fruit.

Trout fishing is in season, and the small and big boys may be met at all hours of the day, with hook and line, and well we will say nothing about fish.

[Above received too late for last week's issue.—Ed.]

Seneca in Luck.

From the Shelburne Economist.

We have it, upon what should be reliable authority, that our old friend Mr. Seneca G. Ketchum, formerly editor of the *Dufferin Post*, Orangeville, has, by the death of a relative in the States, fallen heir to a snug little $16,000 or thereabouts. The news is said to have struck Seneca like a gilt-edged cyclone in the early part of this week. With all our heart we congratulate S. G. K. on his good luck, and hope that he may long be spared to enjoy his newly aquired wealth. Sixteen thousand dollars is not to be sneezed at these hard times, even by such wealthy individuals as newspaper men are. Sixteen thousand dollars would set up a daily newspaper in Orangeville, Seneca, but take our advice—DON'T DO IT.

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Cattle Fair.

The cattle fair here on Monday was as usual a success—considering season of year and the unpropitious weather. A number of fat cattle changed hands at good prices. Mr. Sept. Good purchased a fat animal from a gentlemen and paid $1.00 to "bind the bargain." Another buyer stepped up, whispered a word or two in the ear of the seller, when the latter turned the animal over to buyer No 2, breaking his bargain with No 1. We are told such practices are common at cattle fairs. In that case, our Home Missionary societies will require to pay a little more attention to business than they have in the past.

Urgently Wanted.

Elevator at the Station.

A new sidewalk on Elizabeth street.

A continuation of the sidewalk on Collingwood street.

Wood piles removed from the public streets; also saw logs and other debris

Six foot sidewalks instead of four foot ones on the principal business streets.

A music hall, or the Town Hall enlarged and otherwise improved.

Gravel instead of *dirt* used in repairing the gravel roads.

The requirements of the Board of Health, through Sanitary Inspector Field, carried out thoroughly and without recourse to wrangling or cantankerous discussion.

A Narrow Escape.

A few days ago, (writes a Eugenia correspondent) while the storm of wind and thunder was raging, two young girls—daughters of Mr. Geo. Turner—went into woods after the cows. As they walked along, one of the girls being slightly in advance of the other, a large tree fell crashing to the ground between them. A few steps either way would have been attended by certain death to one or both of the girls. They arrived safely home, however, although very much terrified by their narrow escape from death.

David Sounds the Retreat!

From the Thornbury Standard.

Wm. Hoy's challenge should read that he was willing to shoot against any man in the Euphrasia team for $5 off hand at 200, 400 and 500 yards, number of shots immaterial. It seems Neily is willing to take him up, but Dave Miller backed right down.

Make Friends.

Make new friends, but keep the old,
Those are silver, these are gold:
New-made friendships, like new wine,
Age will mellow and refine.
Friendships that have stood the test—
Time and change—are surely best;
Brow may wrinkle, hair turn gray,
Friendship never knows decay.
For mid old friends, tried and true,
Once more we our youth renew,
But old friends, alas! may die,
New friends must their place supply.
Cherish friendship in your breast,
New is good, but old is best;
Make new friends, but keep the old,
Those are silver, these are gold.

Sports and Pastimes.

LACROSSE.

The *Pioneers*, of Flesherton, have been invited to play in Meaford on the 24th and will probably accept the invitation. At anyrate they are putting in some vigorous practice, and although a green team, will give a good a good account of themselves.

BASE BALL.

The *Victorias* have almost decided on going to Dundalk on the 24th—and the more especially as Her Majesty's Birthday is not likely to be observed in a special manner in Flesherton. We would advise the boys to go by all means.

ON DIT:

That Flesherton is to have a Juvenile Cricket team this season. Good for the boys.

EUGENIA FLOUR MILLS.

CHANGED HANDS—GRISTING AND CHOPPING.

I would respectfully advise the inhabitants of Eugenia & surrounding country, that I am prepared to do any amount of Gristing & Chopping, and *will* endeavor to give satisfaction both in quantity and quality, and hope by strict attention to business to receive a share of public patronage. Flour & Feed for sale.

E. W. FARR.