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HAMPDEN

WATCHES

I keep the only complete stock of American Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Jewelry & Specks in this section of Grey. Can do better "cash or credit" for the public, than any Jeweller within 15 miles.

SPECIALTIES:—Wedding Rings. Difficult Watch Repairing.

W. A. BROWN,

A Reliable Jeweller,

MARKDALE, - - - ONT.

CARD OF THANKS!

In thanking my customers for their liberal patronage in the past, I have much pleasure in being still able to supply them with the following celebrated machines, viz.,

The Toronto Light Binder.
The Toronto Mower.
The Sharp Sulky Rake.
The Massey Harvester.
The Massey Mower.
The Tolten Pea Harvester.
The Fox Pea Harvester.
Hamilton's Combination Plow.
Tolten's Centre Draught Jointer Plow.
Hamilton's Scufflers.
Hamilton's Boss Gang Plow.
Wisner's Spring Tooth Cultivators.
The Chatham Fanning Mill.
A full stock of REPAIRS always on hand.

Parties requiring any of the above will do well to call and inepect Machines, which will be found in Sproule's warehouse.

A. S. VanDUSEN,
FLESHERTON.

Tit-Bits.

Consisting of Local and Other Interesting Items gathered by The Advance Reporters.

CARPET WEAVING DONE BY N. CAMPBELL, FLESHERTON.

BOOTS & SHOES SELLING OFF CHEAP AT W. CLAYTON'S.

Flour and feed of best qualities always in stock at Keefer's Flesherton.

Artemesia Council will meet for the despatch of business on Monday, Feb. 7th next at 10 a. m. sharp.

For great bargains in Ready-Made Clothing, go to J. G. Anderson's great clearing sale Markdale.

We regret to learn that the doctors have given up all hopes of saving the live of Mrs. John Sample.

Mr. Dixon's reply to "Prowler" and Mr. Brander, re Priceville school, will appear in our next week's issue.

Don't forget the great clearing sale now going on at J. G. Anderson's Markdale.

An immense stock of clocks arrived this week at Russell's noted jewelry store, Flesherton. 2 t

Miss McCausland, of Thornbury, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Clayton, of this town.

COAL OIL.—Canadian and fine American Head Light, Wholesale and Retail, bottom prices at M. Richardson & Co's.

The revival services continue with unabated interest in the Methodist church here. Several have professed [illegible]

If you want your watch repaired properly, take it to Russell, Flesherton, —the finest watchmaker in this country. 2 t

Read the "Auction sale of valuable property" in our advertising columns to-day. Robinson & O'Brien, vendors' Solicitors; James Thompson, auctioneer.

The annual meeting of East Grey Agricultural Society was held in Flesherton last week, when the old officers were re-elected. The meeting was a very interesting one.

Walks in his Sleep.

Editor Advance: I walk in my sleep; how can I prevent it? Yours &c.,
SUBSCRIBER.

[Don't sleep.—ED.]

It is a fact—and facts are stunners—that people come 20 miles to buy their watches, clocks, jewelry, &c., at Russell's noted jewelry store, Flesherton. Prices must be right. 2 t

Flesherton School House had a narrow escape from destruction yesterday.

Good 2 ft. wood dry or green taken in exchange for a few good Fur Robes at M. Richardson & Co's

Auction sale of farm stock, implements at lot 53, 1st con. N.D.R. Glenelg commencing at one o'clock p.m., Thursday, Feb. 3rd. For full particulars see bills- Alex. Stothard, proprietor; D. McCormick, auctioneer.

Discount sale of Fur Goods and Caps at M. Richardson & Co's. Secure some of the bargains.

"As the ADVANCE man has stolen our heading "Political Pointers," we have been obliged to invent a new one."—*Thornbury News.* The boot is on the other foot, my son; you stole the heading from us.

Mens Long Boots selling off very cheap at M. Richardson & Co's.

The new Conservative paper, *The Daily Standard*, has just reached our sanctum. It contains some able articles, but we will reserve a fuller expression of our views in reference to it until next week.

We understand that the annual meeting of South Grey Conservative Association was held in Durham week before last. We only ascertained this fact on Tuesday. It would be much better if such meetings were more widely advertised.

Why and how is it that Russell's noted jewelry store, Flesherton, does the best trade in this section? Because their goods are bought for cash and the goods are sold at lower prices than elsewhere, and the [illegible] know it now.

Dr. Barnardo, of London, England, is sending out, the first week in March, 200 Boys, (ages 10 to 16 and upwards) for farm and other employment. Those desirous of securing such help are recommended to apply early to Mr. Edward Duff, Dr. Barnardo's Home, Peterborough, who will furnish all necessary particulars.

Another car of Coal Oil at M. Richardson & Co's whole and retail.

The Priceville roller mill is now completed and in full working order. The roller process is thorough in every respect. Mr. Robt. McGowan, the enterprising proprietor, makes an announcement in connection therewith, in this week's ADVANCE, which will be read with interest by many. See his advertisement elsewhere in these columns.

Bargains in boys Felt Boots—Stock to be cleared out at 25 per cent discount for cash at M. Richardson & Co's

Mr. Sample maintains that what he said about Washington Territory was substantially correct. Mr. Moore might not be losing money in a way, but assuredly he was not making any at present. Mr. Sample says he is prepared to prove all his other statements by persons who have been in that country, Mr. Duncan to the contrary notwithstanding.

The recent freshet, or "January thaw," as some call it, struck the town of Collingwood with great force, and for the time being the place might have been likened unto Venice, were it not for the absence of the orthodox "gondolas." In our mind's eye we fancy we see Messrs, Chislett, Brady and Ward paddling along the streets in wash-tubs, pails, &c. Collingwood ought to be moved over to Flesherton, where a chance would be afforded it to get the water out of its ears!

Accident.

While playing foot-ball one day last week, George Cruickshank—a lad about 15 years of age—had his leg broken by another boy. The accident occurred at the Heathcote school. One of young Cruickshank's comrades made a terrific kick at the ball which missed its aim and came with full force in contact with Cruickshank's leg, breaking the latter and dislocating the ancle as well.

"Queen of Elocutionists."

Miss Jennie McGarry, of Montreal, who is generally acknowledged to be the queen of Canadian elocutionists, will furnish the people of Flesherton and neighborhood with a grand "Literary Evening," under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of this place, in the Town Hall, Wednesday evening of next week, Feb. 2nd.

WHAT THE PRESS SAYS:

Miss McGarry, as an elocutionist, has no superior in Montreal.—*Daily Witness.*

The Dramatic Reading of Miss McGarry at the William Molson Hall, was touchingly and faithfully rendered.—*Montreal Herald.*

Miss McGarry read with spirit and effect, giving to her words an intense reality, which carries the minds of the vast assemblies over time and space to the actual scene.—*Montreal Gazette.*

She can bring tears or roars of laughter from her audience at will. No one ever pleased a St. Thomas audience better.—*St. Thomas Times.*

Miss McGarry, of Montreal, is an elocutionist of ability, and possesses a rich mellow voice, which enhances the charm of her naive manner. Her imitation of church bells in the "Creed of the Bells" was cleverly done. In the courtship scene of Shakespeare's "Henry V.," between the Plantagenet King and Queen Catherine of France, she displayed a thorough mastery of the French language.—*Toronto Globe.*

Speaking of Miss McGarry—whom he very warmly eulogizes—the distinguished pastor of the Metropolitan church, Toronto, Rev. E. A. Stafford, says:—"I have heard her favorably compared with Mrs. Scott-Siddons as an artiste, and there is nothing in her entertainments unsuitable to be employed by Church Societies."

Tickets of admission: adults, 20 cents; children, 10 cents; lady and gentleman, 30 cents. Tickets can be procured in Flesherton at Wright's store, Russell's jewelry store, the Post Office, Gordon's harness shop, the ADVANCE Office, or from members of the W.C.T.U.

Dress Goods original prices from 15 c. to 30 c. now selling at J. G. Anderson's for 10 cents.

Supper in Oddfellow's Hall.

The oyster supper given in their beautifully furnished hall last Monday evening, by the members of Dufferin Lodge, I. O.O.F., was assuredly a very grand affair. It was found necessary to use the Masonic hall, as well as their own, in order to accommodate the large gathering which had assembled to do honor to the Oddfellows spread. The oysters, coffee and other refreshments were served in the dining room connected with the Masonic hall, which gives an idea of the good feeling that exists between these societies. Among those of the brethren who were most courteous and attentive to guests, we might mention Messrs. Joseph Blackburne, John Whitten, A. S. VanDusen, C. J. Leitch, R. J. Hannah and James Sullivan. The I. O. O. F. occupies a front rank among the charitable institutions of this country. Long may it flourish.

For the greatest bargains in boots of any description, go to J. G. Anderson's great clearing sale, Markdale.

Kimberley.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Young, of Thornbury, is visiting friends here.

Miss Bell, of Meaford, is the guest of Mrs Wm. McConnell.

Miss Thurston, of Guelph, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Aldons.

Miss S. E. McQuilkin, of Kimberley, is visiting friends in Mono.

Rev. Torthing, of Durham, preached in the Orange Hall here on the 7th inst. He gave a very interesting discourse.

The Orange soiree came off on the 14th inst. and was a success. Addresses were given by Rev. J. S. Corcoran and Mr. F. T. Carr, of Eugenia. Instrumental music by Miss Aldons, which was good. The song, "An' sae wull we yet," by T. B. Gaudin and R. D. Carruthers, was encored by the audience. Song, "Wouldn't you like to know," by Miss Thurston, of Guelph, received with great applause.

Mr. Thos. Gilray, District Master, occupied the chair and gave a short but interesting address.

On Friday evening, 21st inst., a number of friends from Thornbury gave a grand concert in the Methodist church here, proceeds applied to the Union Sabbath School. Those friends have the hearty thanks of the school.

Underclothing 20% less than regular wholesale prices at J. G. Anderson's Markdale.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

Sudden Death of James Carnahan, Sr., James Hopps, and David Grier.

Scarcely had the excitement, caused by the startling announcement of the death of Archibald Elliott, subsided, when news reached us in rapid succession of the death of our life-long old friend, James Carnahan, Sr., of Thornbury, of our friend and townsman James Hopps, and of our young friend, David Grier, of Priceville. Swiftly has the angel of death passed over this section of our county—warning all of the near approach to the eternal world, ushering many "through the valley and the shadow of death," from whose bourne no traveller e'er returns."

JAMES CARNAHAN, SR.

The manly form and genial countenance of the subject of this sketch has been familiar to the Editor of THE ADVANCE since his earliest recollection. He was one of the grand and sturdy old pioneers of the county of Grey, who will be held in grateful remembrance by the first settlers of the Township of Euphrasia, and the memory of whom will ever be fondly cherished by their children. James Carnahan, sr., was an honest man, a good neighbor, a true friend, a loyal citizen and an unostentatious but zealous Christian gentleman. And, although the material body is no more, he leaves behind him in this world that which is more desirable than great riches—a good name. Sunday morning, the 16th inst. he appeared to be in his usual good health. He was out in his barnyard, giving some instructions to one of his sons, when he suddenly fell and almost instantly expired. Thus, at a good old age—seldom reached by the majority of the human family—James Carnahan passed suddenly into the kingdom of Heaven. He leaves behind him a wife and large family to mourn his loss.

JAMES HOPPS.

Deceased was a resident of our town, and although he labored under the most adverse circumstances, we believe he tried to live as a good Christian should. He overheated himself while doing some work for the Editor of this journal, and then walked some distance out into the country in the teeth of a piercingly cold wind. He became thoroughly chilled, went into the house of his brother-in-law, Mr. Holley, and after some time was obliged to go to bed. Inflammation of the lungs, accompained by a high fever, set in and notwithstanding all the efforts of his physician, Dr. Christoe, he only lingered a few days. On Thursday, 20th inst., shortly after dinner, he breathed his last. He was unconsicious for many hours before his death. On Sunday last his remains were followed to the Flesherton cemetery by a very large concourse of citizens and others. Deceased having been an Orangeman was buried by the brotherhood, a goodly number of whom were present in full regalia. The casket was borne on the shoulders of four members of the lodge of which deceased had been a member. Rev. W. Ayers officiated at the late residence of deceased and also during the preliminary ceremony at the grave Flesherton Band preceded the cortege, and played some very beautiful and solemn airs. In the evening the Methodist church here was crowded with people—the Orangemen occupying front seats in full regalia—when Rev. Mr. Ayers preached a practical and interesting funeral sermon from the words "Prepare to meet thy God."

Deceased leaves a wife and family who should receive the substantial sympathy of the community in this dark hour of their affliction.

DAVID GRIER.

The subject of this notice was very suddenly stricken down by an unusually severe attack of bilious fever. He lived only a few days after the first attack. Deceased was the eldest son of the late N. B. Grier, Esq., merchant of Priceville, and possessed many sterling qualities of mind and heart. He was one of the most popular young men in the community and will be much missed by a large number of friends and acquaintances. His remains were conveyed to Mount Forest on Sunday and laid to rest beside those of his father. Had it not been for the terrible condition of the roads, quite a number of members of the Sons of Temperance Division in this town would have attended in order to pay the last tribute of respect to their late worthy brother.

OTHER DEATHS.

We learn that there were two very sudden deaths in the neighborhood of Markdale, but have not been able to glean particulars.

Stack of Prints regular price, from 14 to 18 cents, now 7 cents at J. G. Anderson's, Markdale.

WATCHES,

Clocks, Jewelery, Silverware, Spex, &c.

The finest and best stock of Waltham, Elgin, Springfield, Hampden, Illinois, & Swiss Watches. New Haven & Seth Thomas Clocks, weight and spring. Jewelery, (Wedding Rings), Spectacles, &c. to be found in this section of country, is at RUSSELL'S NOTED JEWELERY STORE, FLESHERTON. None but Genuine Watches kept in stock which bear warrants from 2½ to 5 years. Just received a very large consignment of Clocks which were bought for cash, so you may expect bargains all of which bear warrants from 1 to 3 years. A very fine stock of Silverware, Ladies' Rings, Chains, Necklets, Brooches, Ear-Rings, Cuff-Buttons, Bracelets, Scarf Pins, &c., of the finest qnality, at lower prices than you can get them for elsewhere, and also remember the only place to get your Watches, Clocks & Jewelery repaired properly is at

Russell's Noted Jewelry Store,
Flesherton.