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WATCHES, WATCHES, WATCHES.

— IN: —
GOLD, SILVER AND SILVER ORE.

Some cuté lines. Ladie's sizes in gold and silver. Just opened another case of FINE WALNUT CLOCKS, don't miss seeing them. Our specialty, *WATCH, CLOCK AND JEWELRY REPAIRING*.

— SPEX OPTICALLY FITTED. —

ARMSTRONG BROS.

PAINTING, TRIMMING, HORSESHOEING, WOOD WORK.	FIRST PRIZE	LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, JOB WORK.
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Heard's Carriage Works, FLESHERTON, ONT.

DICK'S LAND ROLLERS MOWERS, BINDERS, PLOWS.	Our Buggies the Best. Our Sleighs the Best. Our Cutters the Best. Our Improved Harrows the Best. Our Patent Gate The Best. Stevens Improved Spring Tooth. Harrow the Best.	STRAW CUTTERS, SCUFFLERS, TURNIP DRILLS, GANG PLOWS
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BOOTS. BOOTS. BOOTS.

Quality amounts to little unless prices are fair.
Low prices are not bargains unless quality is there.

WE COMBINE THEM.

Never, in the history of Flesherton, has such Bargains in Boots been offered, taking the Quality into consideration. We have the right goods at right prices. See those Men's Whole Leather Plow Shoes, Men's Split, Men's Fine Lace Boots, Men's Oxford. Ladies, let your good judgement in the shoe line carry you up the Wright hill to the Cash Store. You can get anything you want from the heavy Stoga to the finest Kid. Misses' and Children's in all styles.

ALL KINDS OF GROCERIES.

Fresh Teas, Sugars, Currants, Raisins, Spices, Canned Goods, Etc. Another lot of those fine Prunes just in.

If you want Milk Pans, Milk Crocks, Butter Crocks, Fruit Jars, Flower Pots or Woodenware, call on the Cash Store.

1000 dozen of Eggs wanted in exchange for goods.

McDONALD & EVANS.

With Our Correspondents.

Feversham News.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. Fred Spoffard, of this place, lost two valuable horses recently. This is a serious loss at this time of the year, and Mr. Spoffard has our sympathy.

It appears that "Tom's" notes were not relished by all parties, especially what his last letter contained. It was received with but ill grace from the Brown family, and they determined to punish the supposed offending correspondent, in the person of our teacher, Mr. James A. Brett, but soon found out to their sorrow that they were trying to trample on the wrong man. They appeared before our J. P., Mr. Thos. Gamey, and a heavy fine was inflicted on the culprit. Not satisfied with this, both father and son made themselves hideous on their return to the little village, by using most foul language and going through the performance of the prize ring without, however, hurting anybody seriously. By this time they had left themselves open to the law on several serious charges which were filed out against them, but on coming to their senses the following morn, they decided to take a rational view of their conduct, and after concluding their retrospect, they began to realize their standing in a proper light. The old story "thata calm always follows a storm" was the natural result. They now very wisely decided that a settlement would suit best, and Mr. Brett was now entreated to withdraw the case, which he 'did upon the defendants signing an apology exonerating him from all blame and acknowledging their own guilt. This is not the first time that the Messrs. Brown have disturbed the peace, and it is to be hoped that it will be the last. Their proceedings from beginning to end were marked by disgrace, and their conduct on this occasion bears no redeeming feature. However, a very few lessons such as the one they have just received ought to be sufficient to induce any man of reason to reform and not make of himself a scapegrace to the surrounding community and a burden of shame to himself and family.

Mr. Robert Paul's new house which was being rapidly completed, was blown down last Thursday morning. Luckily nobody was fatally injured. Mr. Joseph Irwin, who was shingling, having a narrow escape with a few bruises.

Yours very truly,
PINE APPLE.
Feversham, May 19, 1890.

Singhampton.

From our own Correspondent.

My time having been fully occupied lately by attending to sugar making and seeding, I was unable to supply you with the current items of this hamlet, but now those duties being over I once more grasp my goose quill.

We are sorry to report a large exodus from here this spring. First Mr. McGonnell and family have rented their farm and removed to Toronto. Mr. Hugh Campbell, plasterer, has gone to Sault St. Marie. Slyly was his departure. Messrs. Cousins & Hughson have gone to Owen Sound to do battle with life, and "Robert" intends following as soon as his health permits, and Messrs. McBride, Smith & Mix leave this week for Regina. We wish them all success.

"Pins Davy" has gone out of the "bucket" business and is booming the scrap iron at present. He should keep obstructions off the street. "Look-a-here Joseph Henry, here's the idea," it is too mean for anything to pile your rubbish on the street opposite your house, just under the nose of the Presbyterian church. Shame! It looks as though the family owned the whole road allowance. Rubbish of all descriptions; wagons, pig troughs, coal oil barrels, etc., having entire possession, and Joe is path-master; well, well!

The Foresters are increasing in

strength, but not being a member of the craft I cannot give you particulars.

We expect our new sidewalks will be completed this week.

Mr. Pearson is rebuilding his woollen mill of stone this time.

The Presbyterian church is undergoing repairs.

It is rumored that "Doc." has sold his pups.

The following lines are respectfully dedicated to our friends to the west:

Wolves of a pack should all agree
And tis a shameful sight
When for a buggy and a colt
They fall out and chide and fight.

Several of our villagers are making improvements. Wonder when our undertaker is going to put the other door on his shop.

The weather for past week has been very disagreeable. Quite a quantity of snow fell last Friday and Saturday.

Jas. Allen does not visit us now after ten. Wonder why is this?

Ask Charley how many fish John and George caught. He will tell you.

ZIP.

Balsam Valley Items.

From our own Correspondent.

The farmers in this locality are a little behind those of Artemesia and Glenelg in getting through seeding, but in a few days they will be laying by their plow and harrow and hitching on to their rollers in order to make rough places smooth and give the grain a good root. In some instances they seem to wear a look of despondency, especially when they see a very dark cloud rising in the west. They have a particular dread of snow storms this time of year, but we must take things as they come, and when we are blessed with an occasional fine day our hopes revive and we look upon it as indicative of the breaking up of this dull weather.

It almost brought a tear of gratitude to our eyes the other day when Mr. G. Ryan, of the Rob Roy hotel, took an excursion throughout our neighborhood and bought up all the lambs he could at \$3.50 each. It is no use grumbling, that is a good price.

Mr. Joe Campbell has been laid up for the last week with the measles. He has three men hired finishing up his spring work. We are happy to learn he is recovering.

Miss Minnie Doyle, of Mayfield, Chingacousy, has been visiting her sister who teaches in school section No. 14, for the past three weeks. She paid our little village a visit in company with miss McQuinn. They have a very favorable opinion of the Valley.

Our Sunday school has opened up again and the children are making rapid study in the spiritual education.

P. cor., most certainly it was the farm I called Hard Scrabble. I think your mental gearing must have slipped a cog. You had better go to the blacksmith's and get a new one put in before it smashes all up. I would not for anything lose such a fine intellect.

OBEN.

Kimberley.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. Allan has rented the brick yard from Wm. Stewart, Esq., and is preparing to make brick this summer.

Messrs. Stewart and Ellis kindly contributed a piece of a park for the village. The foot ball and base ball boys turned out en mass, and by digging and fencing made it a suitable ground for sports. They all feel like patting the contributors on the back. They also receive smiles of approbation from the ladies.

Mr. J. Baker, Misses M. Baker and T. McBride, of Stayner, were guests at the Travellers' Home, during Saturday and Sunday. They left one of their own company, viz., Miss M. Baker and took one of our village girls (Miss Myrtle Thurston) as an assurance of Miss Baker's safe return.

Mr. Jas. Fawcett, the wagon maker, received a very serious injury the other day. While crossing a log at the foot of

the rock, he become dizzy and fell about fourteen feet, striking his back on a stone. It was almost miraculous how he escaped death.

Mr. R. D. Carruthers returned from Schomberg.

INQUISITIVE.

Rome.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Dora Scanlan left on the 17th inst. to spend the summer with friends in Barrie. She takes with her the good wishes of our community.

The "Mountain Mowers" base ball team have failed to organize this spring. Cause unknown.

Mr. John Wilson has recovered from his late accident.

Mr. Levi Payne made about sixty gallons of maple syrup during the "running" season, and has now turned his attention to gardening.

A row between two of our citizens resulted in the one most anxious in provoking the fight getting decidedly the worst of it. We regret that there are those among us who seem to delight in creating enmity amongst the citizens of this place, and unless they kindly stop, it is obvious that some such action as that taken by our hale old friend will be essential to the future peace and welfare of our community.

THE MARKETS, FLESHERTON.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Flour	...	\$4 75 to 5 00
Fall Wheat	...	90 to 1 00
Spring Wheat	...	90 1 00
Barley	...	0 35 0 40
Oats	...	0 30 0 31
Peas	...	2 50 0 53
Butter	...	0 12 0 13
Eggs, fresh	...	0 11 0 11
Potatoes bush	...	0 25 0 25
Pork	...	5 50 5 70
Hay per ton	...	6 00 6 00
Hides	...	3 50 3 50
Sheepskins	...	0 50 1 00
Geese	...	0 08 0 18
Turkeys	...	0 12 0 12
Chickens per pair	...	0 40 0 49
Ducks per pr.	...	0 70 0 70
Wool	...	0 18 0 20

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