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Vicinity Chips.
Characteristics of the Past Week
Carefully Culled for the
Curious.

Too much rain, thanks.
Get this year's honey at The Advance office.

A large number of cedar posts for sale. Apply to H. Fleisher.

A number of people attended the Maxwell garden party yesterday.

Paris Green at Richardson's Drug Store.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid hold a garden party to night on M. Richardson's grounds. Games, etc. Only 10 cents.

Paints, dry and in oil, for carriage or general use at Wm. Richardson's.

Come to the garden party to-night (Thursday) on M. Richardson's beautiful grounds. Ten cents admission. An elegant time guaranteed.

Mr. W. Galloway, of Osprey, has made a specialty of oats this year, and has 120 acres of them. He expects to reap a magnificent crop.

Flesherton Sons of Temperance joined forces with the Priceville S. O. T's in a picnic at that place on Thursday last. Two loads drove over and had a fairly good time.

All kinds of Varnishes and Paina Oils at Wm. Richardson's.

Mr. Boland was one of the delegates to County Council last week instead of Mr. Thompson, as erroneously announced last week.

Proton district Orangemen and the Dundalk lodge of Young Britons will celebrate at Flesherton in conjunction with the Artemesia district on July 12.

The first shipment of the season of 230 boxes of cheese from Flesherton cheese factory was made on Monday. The price realized was 8 1/2 cents.

Messrs. Fish & Nichol, of Berlin, spent a few days last week in this vicinity, and occupied them in fishing. As Mr. Hammond, of Kimberley, punningly remarked, it was a case of big Fish catch little fish not worth a Nichol.

Salt—One ear load just received at R. Trimble's.

I. B. Lucas, barrister, of the firm Bishop & Lucas, Owen Sound, is at the office of Wm. Lucas, & Co., in Markdale, every Friday, and in Dundalk every Saturday.

In addition to the two whom we noticed last week as having obtained 2nd class professional certificates at Ottawa the name of Mr. J. T. Wood, of Flesherton, should have appeared. It was overlooked.

Our thanks are tendered Flesherton's greenhouse people for a basket of the most luscious strawberries our teeth have ever dissected. There were just 25 berries, which heaped up an ordinary quart basket.

The Markdale Standard says: "A couple of young men driving a horse and buggy ran into a cow which was lying on the road near Inistioge last Sunday night." For the sake of accuracy we would just like to know the exact spot where those young men entered the cow? Of course it is understood that they came out the small end of the horn, but the point of entrance remains a mystery.

The Anniversary Services in connection with the Presbyterian church, Flesherton, will be held as follows: On Sabbath, 6th July, the Rev. A. Wilson, the former pastor, will preach at 10.30 a.m., and 6.30 p.m., after each service special collections. On Monday evening the 7th, a festival will be held on the church grounds.

Friend Caesar, the Markdale station agent, committed matrimony on Dominion Day and left for Toronto by Wednesday morning's train. We believe the young lady's name was Drunkwater. Our best wishes are with them. As their train passed Flesherton station they were treated to a torpedo serenade which it is to be hoped did not unstring their nerves.

At the regular meeting of Prince Arthur Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Flesherton, on the festive of St. John's night, 24th ult., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, viz: Wm. J. Bellamy, W. M.; A. S. Vandusen, S. W.; Dr. Thos. Carter, J. W.; Solomon Damude, Chaplain; R. J. Sproule, Sec. Treas.; James Sullivan, S. D.; Wm. Strain, J. D.; Wm. Richardson, D. C.; Wm. H. Fleisher, I. J.; John J. Field, Tyler. The above lodge meets Friday nights, on or before the full moon and is in a good financial and healthy condition and prospering.

Honey.
This year's honey for sale at The Advance office.

An Eggstensive Smash.
Fifteen hundred dozen eggs smashed and lying around the street is a sight not often seen, but such might have been viewed in Flesherton yesterday. Mr. Petch was driving a load of filled cases to the station to ship, and when passing the crossing at Richardson & Co's corner, which is undergoing repair, a lurch caused several cases to be thrown forward upon the horses, who ran away, upsetting the wagon in front of Heard's shop with costly consequences. There were about \$200 worth of eggs in the load, and comparatively few were saved.

On a Holiday.
All being well the editor of this paper will not be at home next week. It is our purpose to make a little excursion with the definite object of securing something interesting for Advance readers. If our calculations are fulfilled we will have something a little out of the ordinary to tell them about. We will not say more just now. If the paper is not up to the ordinary merit next week we are sure our readers will not complain, especially when we are combining their interests with our own pleasure. Any business may be transacted as usual with those whom we leave in authority.

Important.
Our subscription list is continually and steadily on the upward move, and in order to place it on a strictly cash in advance basis we are and have been for some weeks chopping off those who are in arrears. If those who are owing for this paper one, two or three months, wish to continue receiving it, they will immediately remit the amount due. We are obliged to enforce the rule of payment in advance, and after this warning no one can complain that we have stopped their paper without giving them due notice. We want every subscriber to examine the label on his paper and govern himself according to it.

He was Dumped.
In connection with the visit of Messrs. Fish & Nichol to Flesherton a pretty good story is related. Mr. Runstadler, the firm's representative here, dearly loves his joke. While the party was fishing he persuaded Mr. Fish to walk a log across the river. When that gentleman had reached the middle of the log it turned and dropped him up to his neck in the water. Not to be balked he attempted it a second time on a bet for the cigars, and upon arriving at the point where the previous descent had been made he took a second header, and crawled out wetter than before. The kernel of the joke lies right here: Mr. Fish does not know to this minute that Mr. Runstadler stood at the root of that log while he walked it and turned it just at the right moment.

A Cow Did It.
Mr. W. T. Jackman, of the Markdale Standard, together with some friends, spent Sunday before last with relatives in Dundalk. Now W. T. has for some time been preparing a dovecot somewhere in Markdale, and upon the return brought with him from Dundalk a number of flower plants and a canary to place in the said dovecot. When the party arrived at Mr. J. Bannons', south of Flesherton, an accident happened. There were some cows lying on the road in the cool of the evening, as cows are wont to do, and W. T. drove his buggy on top of one of them. This the cow resented. She stiffened her back bone like a California mule, and shot that buggy over into the ditch while you would wink. There was a bad mixture of humanity, broken buggy, broken flour plants, scared canary and other bric-a-brac. Ropes were procured and the funeral procession moved on, arriving in Markdale some time the next morning.

Canada's Great Fair.—The receipt of a copy of the Prize List for this year's Toronto Industrial Exhibition, which is to be held from the 8th to the 20th of

September next, reminds us that the fair season is again fast approaching. The Prize List shows the addition of many new classes and a large increase in the amount offered as premiums. Toronto offers many attractions to visitors during the season, but the greatest of all is its annual Exhibition which this year promises to be greater and better than ever. A copy of the Prize List can be obtained by any of our readers, who may desire one, by dropping a post card to Mr. H. J. Hill, the Secretary, at Toronto.

Personals.
Miss Lillie Powell is visiting relatives in Toronto.
Miss Lou Armstrong returned from Collegiate Institute on Saturday.

Mr. J. G. Keefer, of the Stouffville Tribune, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents in Flesherton.

Mr. and Mrs. Deane (nee Davis) spent Sunday with relatives in Flesherton.

Mrs. E. Vanzant is visiting relatives in Toronto and Oshawa.

Miss Ada Sproule and Miss Strain returned from Collegiate Institute on Tuesday.

Rev. J. W. Shilton and family left for Clinton on Wednesday morning.

Promotion Examination.
The following promotions in Flesherton public school have been made, subject to the approval of the inspector, as required by regulations the names being given in the order of merit:

Class II junior to Senior,—Zilla Trimble, John Gibson, Ida Thompson, Millie Sinclair, Robert Barclay, Earnest Armstrong.

Class II to III,—Bert Field, Lydia Simons, Alfred Moore, Hattie Sullivan, Laura Wilson, Bella Gjerdrum, Ella Wickens, Harry Stewart, Zilla Trimble, (of the junior second class having taken a sufficient percentage will be advanced without further examination to class III as soon as second class course has been completed).

Class III junior to senior,—Christena Gjerdrum, Wesley Smith, Chas. Richardson, Lida Smith, Chas. Munshaw.

Class III to IV,—Nellie Smith, Sarah Strain, Ida Legard.

Dominion Day.
Twenty-four years old our fair Dominion was on Tuesday last, and Flesherton people did their share toward celebrating the anniversary of its birth, in their own peculiar ways, by visiting outside points where the celebration took a more decided form, by remaining quietly at home, and in various ways to suit their individual tastes. In the forenoon Flesherton junior baseball team visited Priceville, where a splendid friendly game took place, the score standing 20 to 21 in favor of Priceville. Some of our villagers visited Dundalk, some Durham and some Markdale. The only thing of interest transpiring at home was the garden party on Mr. Richardson's lawn under the auspices of the Flesherton Methodist Ladies' Aid. As usual, the ladies had a heavy thunder storm to contend with, but Mr. Richardson very kindly threw his residence open to the guests, who thoroughly appreciated the kindness. A large amount of provisions were left over, which will be dispensed at another party on the same grounds tonight (Thursday) from 5 to 8 o'clock, when a thoroughly good time may be expected. The Flesherton Baptist Sunday school held a successful and pleasant picnic at Eugenia, returning home in the evening in time to escape the heavy downpour of rain.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

A Free Trip to Europe.
The publishers of The Canadian Queen will give a free trip to Europe to the person sending them the largest number of words constructed from letters in the name of their well known magazine, "The Canadian Queen." Additional prizes consisting of silver tea sets, gold watches, china dinner sets, portiere curtains, silk dresses, mantle clocks, and many other useful and valuable articles will also be awarded in order of merit. Webster's Unabridged Dictionary to be used as authority in deciding the contest. This is a popular plan of introducing a popular publication. Every one sending a list of not less than ten words will receive a present. Enclose thirteen 2c. stamps for illustrated catalogue of presents and three month's trial subscription to The Queen. Address—The Canadian Queen, Toronto, Ont.

Died.
OSBORNE.—At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. B. S. Noble, lot No. 2, Con. 2, O. S. Melancthan, on Monday, June 23rd 1890, Mary Ann Snowden Osborne, aged 83 years.
CHITTENDEN.—At Chilliwack, B. C., on the 24th May, 1890 Fannie Chadwick, wife of Mr. Geo. Chittenden, and youngest daughter of the late Mr. John Chadwick, of Artemesia, aged 36 years.

Married.
JACKMAN—ROOKE.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Toronto, on the 2nd of July, 1890, by the Rev. Manley Benson, Mr. Wm. T. Jackman, printer, of Markdale, to Miss Virginia, daughter of Mr. Joseph Rooke, builder and contractor.

CLARK—ENGLISH.—At Markdale, by Rev. Mr. Ems, on Tuesday, July 1, Mr. Wm. Clark to Miss Margaret English, all of Artemesia.

Eugenia
From our own Correspondent.
Mrs. J. Woodburn is very ill at present being afflicted with the heat disease.

The member of the council for this ward has caused considerable improvement to be made on the Beecroft gully.

The Union Sunday School held their annual picnic last Wednesday. The chief feature in the amusements was the game of base ball between the Flesherton junior base ball club and our junior club. The visitors anticipated an easy victory, but the table turned against them when on the close of the seventh innings the score stood 52 to 26 in favor of the home team.

Mr. G. L. Young made his exit from our midst very suddenly, and no further news of him has been heard since.

Mr. Cockburn, the blind preacher, occupied the Methodist pulpit here last Sunday and he proposes giving a lecture on the Jesuit question on Thursday evening.

Honor Rolls for June.

FLESHERTON STATION.
Sr. 4th,—Mary McPhatter 676, Archie McPhatter 502. Jr. 4th,—James Ash-don 833, Minnie Sinclair 705. Sr. 3rd,—Millie Cook 752, Jamie Hemphill 750. Jr. 3rd,—Mary A. Cook 656, Thomas Lawrence 358. Sr. 2nd,—Sadie McKnight 459, Janie Melia 365. Average attendance 31.

BOAR FOR SERVICE.

The undersigned has a thoroughbred Berkshire Boar for service on lot 3, con. 10, Osprey. Terms \$1, to be paid at time of service.
W. B. GALLOWAY.

PASTURAGE.

Good pasturage, well watered, plenty of shade, reasonable terms. W. B. GALLOWAY, Lot 3, con. 10, Osprey.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Warton Works," will be received at this office until Tuesday, the 8th day of July next, inclusively, for the construction of an extension to the Breakwater at Warton, Bruce County, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen on application to Mr. David Dinsmore, Postmaster, Warton, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signature of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non acceptance of tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, A. GOBRIL, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 23rd June, 1890.

ST. LAWRENCE CANALS.
RAPIDE PLAT DIVISION.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for the St. Lawrence Canals," will be received at this office, until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on Wednesday, the 3rd day of July next, for the construction of a lift lock, weirs, etc., at Morrisburg, and the deepening and enlargement of the Rapide Plat Canal. The work will be divided into three sections, each about a mile in length.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specifications of the representative works, can be seen on and after Wednesday, the 9th day of July next, at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's Office, Morrisburg, where printed forms of tenders can be obtained.

In the case of firms there must be attached to the tender, the actual signature of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same, and, further, an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in Canada for the sum of \$5,000 for each of the other sections. The respective accepted cheques must be endorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted. The cheques thus returned will be returned to the representative parties whose tenders are not accepted. This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, A. P. BRADLEY, Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 13th June, 1890.

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