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## Selling at Cost!

Our immense stock of Spectacles and Eyeglasses to go at **FIRST COST**. Look out for prices next week.

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**MAY, 1891**

The time has come when old rubbers, old shoes, without soles, and shoes terribly patched must be abandoned. During this month every one will be looking for something new in the foot gear, we have also been looking forward to this month and have purchased a first class stock for this department. Cooper and Smith, of Toronto, are our manufacturers, and any one who has worn their boots or shoes know they cannot be beat for durability. We have men's plow boots, men's fine boots, men's long boots, and men's fine shoes. Boys' coarse boots for rough wear, boys' fine boots for Sundays, women's fine buttoned and laced boots in kid, dongola, polish calf and dull kid and carpet slippers. Misses' and children's in large varieties.

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### Eugenia

From our own Correspondent.

Between picnics and fishermen Eugenia is just now enjoying a lively time. On Monday, 25th, there were a great many people here from all parts of the surrounding country. Every one seems to think there is no place to spend such a pleasant day as Eugenia. If we only had the benefit of a railroad this place would soon become as fine a pleasure resort as is to be found in Canada.

Mr. Fenwick of Aurora has moved here and is fitting up his grist mill to start business as soon as possible. We hope all who require anything in his line will give him a call.

Mr. William Wilson was made very happy last week, when a little boy arrived at his home. It will just be in time to help him at haying and harvest.

Mr. John W. Armstrong is going around with a pretty high head. He was made very happy by the arrival of a sweet little girl at his house.

Mr. John Beecroft has a ewe which gave birth to a lamb with only three legs. The curiosity died.

Evangelist McLeash is holding special meetings in the Orange Hall at this place. They are very well attended. The people seem to take a deep interest in them.

Death has entered into the household of Mr. Angus Kennedy and removed by death his dear little daughter, aged five years. The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

Mr. Geo. Meldrum started last Wednesday for Colorado. George is a good, honest young man. All who knew him were sorry when he left this part of the country. He has the warmest wishes of every one for his success in the new home.

There was a large picnic from Markdale here on the 25th, accompanied by the brass band. Quite a number also came from Flesherton, and enjoyed a pleasant time. Every one seemed highly pleased with the day's enjoyment. We hope they will often come and spend a day with us.

Mr. Jake Williams was home to spend the holiday with his friends here. There are some very pretty girls at Eugenia, but Flesherton seems to hold the magnet. Is not that so Jake?

Mr. Joseph Cooley, of Toronto, is visiting at Mr. John Williams'.

Miss Fida Bowerman was home spending the holiday with her father and uncle.

Eugenia boys belonging to the base ball club played a game with the boys of the Meaford Road. Eugenia boys won the game.

I wonder who the boy is that went off on Sunday to catch chubs, while his girl sat watching and waiting for him?

### McIntyre.

From our own Correspondent.

We are sorry to report the loss which Mr. John Ferguson had on Wednesday evening last. While working in the field about six o'clock on looking up he discovered his barn on fire and hastily ran to the scene but was too late to save much. The barn and stable, together with a number of farming implements, about \$500 bushels of grain, a calf, his summer pork and 3 or 4 tons of hay were totally destroyed. The wind at the time was blowing pretty strong from the south, which endangered other buildings in the neighborhood. Thos. Scott's barn yard and surroundings were on fire in many places. The burnt shingles were carried a distance of 2 1/2 miles. The origin of the fire is supposed to be from burning stumps 80 rods or more away. Building and contents were insured.

Mrs. E. Potts has been ill with an attack of inflammation of the lungs, but is fast improving.

Mr. John McFarlane has quite a curiosity in the shape of a colt with five feet. An extra foot projects at the foot lock of one of the legs. The extra foot is quite natural. The colt is quite smart and healthy.

Many of our farmers have disposed

of a number of their young cattle at a good price to Mr. G. Robinson, who seems to be the most popular buyer. The delivery took place on Monday.

Many of the horses around here have the distemper, but lately none of them have died with it. Mr. Jas. Moore has some very bad at present.

Mr. James Potts has a large gang of first class men engaged for the season, and intends erecting a large number of buildings this summer.

24th of May passed off quietly here. Nearly every one attended church, but on the 25th some took in the sports at Singhampton, some went fishing, and others, probably most of them, stayed quietly at home.

Say Nick, what takes another of our young men to Badjeros so often lately? Is it the Epworth League or is it—you can tell me privately.

### Inistioje.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. Garion, of Toronto, is visiting his grandfather here, Mr. Joseph Strain, sr.

La grippe has relaxed his grip on Miss Jennie Nicholls and she is again convalescent.

The fine and favorable seeding weather with which we have been favored this spring has enabled the farmers to complete their seeding operations much earlier than usual. The area sown far exceeds that of previous years. The outlook for a bountiful harvest will be much brightened if rain comes in a few days.

Miss A. Johnson is sick with rheumatism. We trust that she will be better within a few days.

The Victoria cheese factory commenced operations on Monday, 18th inst. It is being largely patronized.

The trustees of school section No. 4, Artemesia, sued Mr. Graham, of Proton, the adjoining township, for a rate bill of 45cts. per month on each child that Mr. Graham sent to school.

Mr. Graham, at the court, showed that he was paying \$530 of a tax in section No. 4. Yet judgement was given against him, as the school law says that "a nonresident should pay an average tax." The proceeding may be all right in Mr. Graham's case, but we think they are a little inhuman, and we take the liberty to ask why are not all treated alike? Other families, occupying the same position in the section we understand, have not ever been asked for a rate bill. The weight of justice is often laid on the back of innocence by the guilty, and public office is often abused to settle family quarrels. "There are lots of things legally right that are not morally right."

### Kimberley.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. F. Thurston, who has been away for some time, is home again for a few weeks visit. He looks well, and we are glad to have him with us again.

Mr. Alfred Thurston, of The Advance staff, was in our village on Saturday last.

We omitted to say in our last correspondence that a couple of young ladies from Collingwood were in the village selling millinery goods. They did not succeed very well however.

Miss Jenny Graham is in Meaford at present learning dressmaking.

We are glad to know that Miss Annie Stafford is able to be around again.

Mr. W. H. Stewart sold 34 head of cattle to the Hawk brothers last week, also a car load to Mr. S. Levex, of Toronto.

Mr. Melvin Gilbert intends going to Montana shortly.

A forest fire started in the north-west section of Haverhill, Mass. Sunday afternoon and has burned over ten square miles of territory. The fire is still burning.

Alex. Clarke, a young farmer residing near Drumbo, went into the woods on Saturday morning and shot himself in the side with a rifle. The doctors pronounced the wound a fatal one. The suicide was subject to despondency resulting from financial troubles.

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## Properties for Sale

—IN—

### ARTEMESIA.

Lots 165 and 166 3rd range N. E. T. & S. R., Artemesia, 100 acres, frame barn and dwelling on the premises; well fenced and watered. Will be sold cheap.

Lot 170, 1st S. W. T. & S. R., 50 acres. New frame dwelling thereon, and outbuildings. Will be sold cheap and on time.

Lot 176, 2nd N. E. T. & S. R., about 90 acres, 50 cleared, balance good hardwood bush. Terms of payment easy.

Lot 3 in the 13 Con., 100 acres. Also a number of village lots with houses thereon in Flesherton.

### Village Properties

Several very desirable village properties will be disposed of, one of which, known as the Brownlee property, is particularly valuable. This lot contains about 2 1/2 acres. A comfortable residence is erected thereon.

Any person desiring bargains in farm or village property should communicate with JOHN W. ARMS'RONG, Sr. Flesherton.



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