

BANKING OFFICE OF

GEO. MITCHELL,
FLESHERTON.

A general banking business transacted
Drafts issued and cheques cashed at usual rates
Money always available for legitimate business
enterprise.
Office two doors north of Richardson & Co's.

Vicinity Chips.

Characteristics of the Past Week
Carefully Culled for the
Curious.

Business notices among locals will be
charged at the rate of 10c per line for
each insertion. A reduction will be
made on contracts for 100 lines or over.

County Council is in session at Owen
Sound this week.

A loose plank in the sidewalk has cost
Markdale about \$225.

Messrs. McDonald & Evans have made
a big cut in teas for one week. See their
change of ad.

Dress Goods. The goods are beauti-
ful and marked at prices irresistible. M.
Richardson & Co.

WANTED—A responsible practical saw-
yer to take half interest in saw, shingle
and lath mills. Apply at Furniture fac-
tory, Flesherton Station. J. E. Moore,
proprietor.

A handsome leaflet, printed in colors,
containing two poems by Rev. T. Watson,
has just been printed at this office. We
will mail it to any address for 5 cents a
copy or ten copies for 25 cents.

Axes, Axes, Axes. A big stock, ten
different makes to select from at M.
Richardson & Co's.

The Orangeville Advertiser has started
its annual daily for the holiday and
election season. The first number ar-
rived on Tuesday. The "Tiser" is a plucky
and enterprising sheet and its proprietors
deserve the success which is attending
their efforts.

"I use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral freely in
my practice, and recommend it in cases
of Whooping Cough among children,
having found it more certain to cure that
troublesome disease than any other medi-
cine I know of."—So says Dr. Bartlett,
of Concord, Mass.

Wanted—5 tons }
Roll and tub but- } M. Richardson & Co.
ter. Fresh Eggs. }

LB. Lucas, barrister, Markdale,
has \$10,000 private funds to lend on farm
mortgages within the next few months
at lowest current rates. No commis-
sions, no delays, expenses low. Apply at
office in Markdale during the week or at
Dundalk office on Saturdays.

"At last I can eat a good square meal
without its distressing me!" was the
grateful exclamation of one whose app-
etite had been restored by the use of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla, after years of dys-
peptic misery. A teaspoonful of this ex-
tract before each meal sharpens the ap-
petite.

Flesherton E. L. of C. E. society held
a public concert in the basement of the
Methodist church on Monday evening
last, as a commencement of their regular
monthly concerts. The society in this
place has a very flourishing membership,
and is continually adding to its number.
The concert therefore did not lack for
members to take part, and the result was
a successful evening. A number of good
readings were given, along with solos,
duets, etc. M. Richardson, Esq., acted as
chairman for the occasion.

X-Cut Saws—The largest and most
varied stock, from the best manufactures.
M. Richardson & Co.

Wanted.
Any quantity good soft elm stove bolts
wanted at my factory, for which a good
price will be paid. Crooked, knotty or
rotten timber will not be bought. Par-
ties contemplating getting out bolts will
please get instructions from me before
splitting their timber. S. DAMUDE.

Notice.
We have appointed Mr. John Brown,
merchant, of Priceville, as our agent, with
whom residents of that vicinity can trans-
act business just as well as by call-
ing at this office. Mr. Brown is author-
ized to take subscriptions, orders for all
kinds of job work, etc. He can show
you samples, and quote prices as low as
you can get anywhere. Leave your sale
bills with him for prompt attention.
This has been done with a view of con-
serving our customers in that section.

Fresh fruits for Christmas trade. Sugars
at lowest current quotations. Our 35 cent
tea takes the lead, pleases everybody and
challenges all competition. M. Richardson
& Co.

Cheese.
The last shipment of cheese, consist-
ing of 437 boxes, was shipped from
Flesherton factory on Tuesday. This
sale brought 9 1/2 cents a pound, and was
worth the tidy sum of \$2,737.51. The
annual meeting will be held in the course
of a week or two, when we will have
some interesting figures to give with re-
gard to the season's make.

Personals.
Dr. Reid, of Horning's Mills, spent
Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Annie Richardson visited at
home a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong spent
Sunday with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. John Brown, merchant, of Price-
ville, and ex-councillor McArthur, were
welcome callers at The Advance on
Thursday last.

Mr. Geo. Higginbotham, of Brandon,
has been visiting friends and relatives in
this section during the past week. As
to any further object of his visit, that is
disclosed elsewhere in these columns.

Stop! Stop! Stop!—M. Richardson
& Co. wish to inform you that all their de-
partments are chock full with the newest
novelties, everything marked in plain
figures, and so low that customers leave
smiling.

A New Process.
The Advance has purchased the patent
right to use a new process in printing,
which, as the Scientific American re-
marked, will revolutionize the art of color
printing. This is nothing less than a
system whereby from two to twenty
colors can be printed at one impression,
producing a sample very much like a
lithograph, and at a small advance over
what a plain black job would cost. Our
right includes Markdale and Dundalk.
This process is suitable for anything, from
an envelope heading to a full sheet bill.
You might just as well have a nice job in
half a dozen colors as one of the old kind
in one color. We invite correspondence
and a test of the value of this new in-
vention, for the privilege of using which
we have paid handsomely.

Furs, Furs, Furs. Another con-
signment has arrived, and selling fast. New
styles and low prices do it. M. Richard-
son & Co.

A Comparison.
Mr. Alex. McRae, of the Station, called
in on Monday morning. Mr. McRae is
an old salt and fresh water sailor, having
braved the winds and waves for 25 years.
He has sailed all over the world, includ-
ing our own inland lakes, and knows
whereof he speaks when he says that for
beautiful scenery no spot on this earth
can exceed the island-dotted north shore
of Georgian Bay and Lake Huron. The
only spots which he could compare it to
were the Grecian archipelago and the
shores of the Black Sea. On the latter
he says the effect of the snow-clad
ranges of the Caucasus, the lower verdant
mountains and valleys and rugged shores
make a picture very pleasing to the eye.
Mr. McRae is a pleasant conversational-
ist, and The Advance would be glad to
have him call often.

Mantle Cloths. A big hole has been
made in our stock as the run for them has
been great. Ladies not yet supplied come
at once, you will be pleased with what we
have to offer you at cut prices. M. Rich-
ardson & Co.

Our Market.
The Thornbury paper of last week
says: "We pay from 2 to 5 cents more
per bushel for wheat than Collingwood.
Meaford, Flesherton and Markdale are
away behind us." Now "come off," young
man. You cannot bolster up a failing
market by telling a deliberate falsehood
of that nature. Flesherton, at least, has
a grain market second to none in this
county, and prices prove it. In some
instances last week our quotations were
ahead of those at Thornbury, and in no
case were they below. For instance,
wheat was the same price at both places;
barley was five cents higher in Flesh-
erton, eggs one cent higher, hay one dollar
per ton higher, and oats were the same
figure. It is, therefore, a fact that
Thornbury is "away behind" Flesherton
in its market quotations. The farmers
from Osprey and Collingwood townships
are recognizing this fact, as the large
amount of grain daily arriving attests.
While talking on this matter we might
just remark that for the past week the
loads of grain arriving here daily ranged

from 40 to 80, while at Dundalk not
more than ten loads arrived during the
whole week. This speaks more than
volumes and is a proof that the Thorn-
bury paper is, as usual, away off with
regard to the markets.

Grey Flannels. Our stock is large,
our goods new, our prices low. M. Rich-
ardson & Co.

Married.
A very interesting event occurred in
Markdale on Monday last, by which two
young people were made happy for life.
This was the wedding of Mr. George
Higginbotham, of Brandon, to Miss Ada
Sproule, of Flesherton. The happy event
occurred at the residence of the bride's
uncle, Dr. Sproule, M. P. The ceremony
was performed by Rev. Mr. Tonge at
2 o'clock p. m. The groomsmen were
Mr. Wes. Armstrong and Master Fred
Sproule, of Flesherton, and the brides-
maids Miss Annie Richardson, of Flesher-
ton, and little Miss Lilian Sproule,
cousin of the bride. After the ceremony
a bounteous repast was done justice to,
and the young couple departed for
Woodbridge and Toronto by the 5 p. m.
train, a large number of friends attend-
ing them to the station. At Flesherton
station several of Mrs. Higginbotham's
old friends congregated to bid farewell
to their lady friend, who was very popular
with the young people, and departed car-
rying with her the honest wishes of all
for her future happiness in the far west.
Mr. Higginbotham is book-keeper with
the Massey-Harris Co. at Brandon and
is an estimable young man. The Ad-
vance adds its congratulations.

A Neat Burn.
First class lime, newly burned, between
300 and 400 bushels for sale by Mr.
Duckett, of Eugenia.

Church News.
A large congregation of the members
and adherents of the Presbyterian con-
gregation at Eugenia, assembled in their
place of worship on Sabbath afternoon
last, to witness the solemn and impres-
sive ceremony of ordination of elders.
After opening religious services, the
Flesherton church elders being present,
the session was duly constituted by the
Moderator. The newly elected elders,
Messrs. Adam Heslop, Robt. Hogg,
George Gordon and Henry Williams, were
called forward, and after answering sat-
isfactorily the questions put to them,
they were by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wells,
set apart and solemnly ordained into the
office of eldership, being the first elders
of this new church. Mr. Wells then de-
livered a very appropriate charge and ad-
dressed to the newly ordained elders, and
afterwards a very interesting address to
the people, taking up fully their respec-
tive duties. One member of the Flesher-
ton church session, through long ill-
ness was absent from the interesting
services; that was Mr. Jos. Blackburn,
who always took a deep interest in
church work, and even now amidst his
suffering his mind is active in that line
as can be seen from the following note
received by the pastor:

Rev. Mr. Wells:—
DEAR PASTOR—Will you kindly convey from
me to my brethren, the newly ordained elders,
the hand of fellowship, with my earnest prayer
to God for them that He may make them
"vessels honored and sanctified and meet for
the Master's use, and prepared unto every good
work," that they may be "living epistles,
read and known of all men," blessed and made
a blessing in the work wherunto He hath called
them. It would afford me great pleasure to be
with you in the precious services of this beau-
tiful Sabbath day, but our Heavenly Father's will
be done.
Sincerely yours,
J. BLACKBURN.

Service will be held at the station at 3
p. m. on Sunday next. Rev. Mr. Tonge
will preach.

**Tweeds, Scotch and Canadian
Worsts etc., etc.** The biggest stock,
the latest styles, the finest quality, the ut-
most variety, and prices as right at M.
Richardson & Co's.

From Markdale.
Last Friday evening the public school
at Markdale held their annual evening's
entertainment in the roller rink. The
entertainment in question was a particu-
larly interesting one, and somewhat out
of the ordinary style of such sociables.
Of course the usual number of recitations
and solos by members of the primary
class was placed on the program with
those of greater importance, but those
that were given were well received by
the audience. The special features, how-
ever, were many and varied, and were
given by some of Markdale's best junior
talent, a proficiency of which there
appeared to be no lack. We have refer-
ence to the tambourine drill, fan drill,
ghost dance, etc. The two former se-
lections were given by twelve clever
female artists, all school girls, and the
latter with eight of the same company.

Get The Best
For your Money!

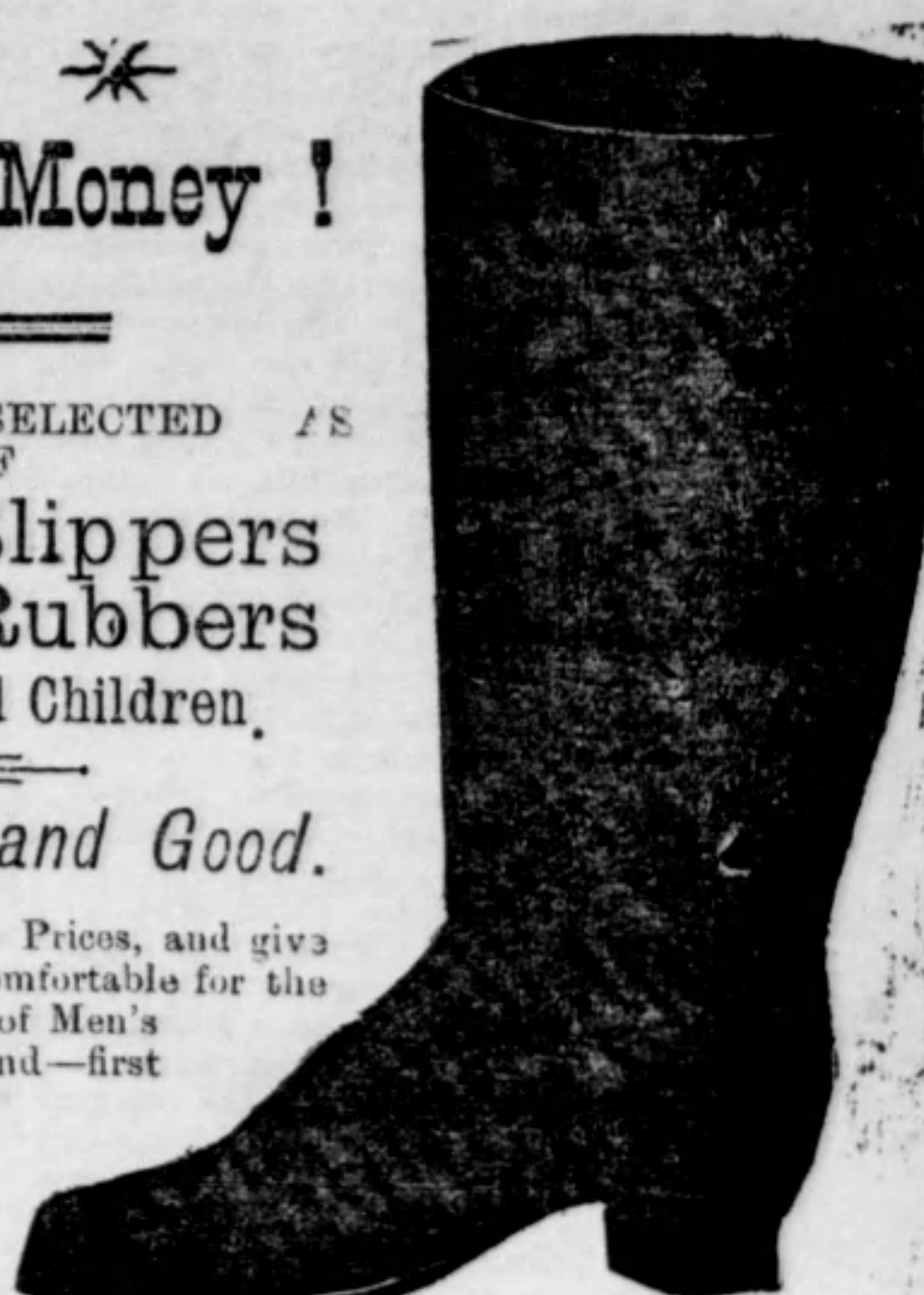
WE HAVE NOW A WELL-SELECTED
SORTMENT OF

Boots Shoes Slippers
Rubbers

For Ladies, Gents and Children.
New Goods, Cheap and Good.

Inspect the Goods, compare the Prices, and give
us a chance to make your feet comfortable for the
fall and winter. Also a lot of Men's
homemade long boots on hand—first
quality.

Custom Work and Re-
pairing to order at
Clayton's, FLESHERTON



These items called forth encores from the
audience, and caused chairman McFar-
land to ruminate upon the possibility of
Markdale producing "such twelve pretty
girls." Tom Sawyer was cleverly re-
presented by a young artist in the person
of Master C. Crow. The close of the en-
tertainment was the most interesting and
instructive of all, Burns' "Cutter's
Saturday Night" being most beautifully
illustrated by means of a number of
tableaux. These scenes were so exceed-
ingly pretty that the entire audience was
literally lifted from their seats by the
grandeur of the views. The organizers
of the entertainment were highly pleased
with their successful evening, financially
and otherwise.

Wanted.
Two good tailoresses and two female
apprentices Apply to F. A. Baker
Flesherton.

A Fact

WORTH knowing is that blood dis-
eases which all other remedies fail
to cure, yield to Ayer's Sarsaparilla.
Fresh confirma-
tion of this state-
ment comes to
hand daily. Even
such deep-seated
and stubborn com-
plaints as Rheu-
matism, Rheuma-
tic Gout, and the
like, are thorowly
eradicated by
the use of this won-
derful alterative.
Mrs. R. Irving
Dodge, 110 West
125th street, New
York, certifies:—
"About two years ago, after suffering
for nearly two years from rheumatic
gout, being able to walk only with great
discomfort, and having tried various
remedies, including mineral waters,
without relief, I saw by an advertise-
ment in a Chicago paper that a man had
been relieved of this distressing com-
plaint, after long suffering, by taking
Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I then decided to
make a trial of this medicine, and took
it regularly for eight months. I am
pleased to say that it effected a com-
plete cure, and that I have since had no
return of the disease."

Mrs. L. A. Stark, Nashua, N. H.,
writes: "One year ago I was taken ill
with rheumatism, being confined to my
house six months. I came out of the
sickness very much debilitated, with no
appetite, and my system disordered in
every way. I commenced to use Ayer's
Sarsaparilla and began to improve at
once, gaining in strength and soon re-
covering my usual health. I cannot say
too much in praise of this well-known
medicine."

"I have taken a great deal of medi-
cine, but nothing has done me so
much good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I
felt its beneficial effects before I had
quite finished one bottle, and I can
freely testify that it is the best blood-
medicine I know of."—L. W. Ward, Sr.,
Woodland, Texas.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Price \$1; six bottles, \$5. Worth \$5 a bottle.

Farm for Sale or Rent.

The undersigned has a good farm which he is
desirous of selling, and in the event of no sale
would rent to a good tenant. The lot is situated
one and a half miles from Owen Sound, being lot
2, 1st con., Sarawak; good frame barn, frame
stable and outbuildings, good orchard, log house.
The farm is at present all seeded down, and will
be a bargain for some one. Apply to
J. BREEN,
Flesherton P. O.

Hound Lost.

On or about the 19th of October, 1891, in the
Township of Proton or Artemesia, I lost a black
and tan hound dog. He was black on back with
tan legs, breast and face, and tan spots over eyes,
gray around mouth with a few white hairs on
breast. About 6 years old, and named "Major."
Anyone giving information that will lead to his
recovery will be suitably rewarded. Please
write or wire the owner. ALEX. J. CONRON,
100ct St. Faversham Ont.

Business Cards.

JOHN W. ARMSTRONG.
FLESHERTON, CO. GREY.
DIVISION COURT CLERK, COMMISSIONER
in B. R., Conveyancer, &c. Agent for purchase
and sale of lands. Appraiser for C. L. C. (Cm.)
and F. P. B. & S. Society. Money to Loan on the
most reasonable terms. ISSUER OF MARRIAGE
LICENSES. NOTARY PUBLIC.

MONEY TO LOAN.
The undersigned has a large amount of
money to loan at 6% on town or farm
property. S. DAMUDE, Flesherton.

W. J. BELLAMY.
Twp. Clerk, Artemesia. Conveyancer,
Insurance agent, etc. Deeds, mortgages,
leases, etc., prepared and properly executed.
Insurance effected in first class companies.
Money to lend at lowest rates.

Medical.

DR. HUTTON.
M. D. C. M., M. C. P. & S. Ont., Price-
ville. Residence and Office one door west
of the Methodist Church, Kinross St. Office
days, Tuesdays and Saturdays.

DR. CARTER.
M. C. P. & S., Ont. Physician, surgeon,
etc., Flesherton. Office—Strain's Block.
Residence—Munshaw's hotel.

DRS. SPROULE & EGO.
Markdale, Ont. Office—Manly's drug
store. T. S. Sproule, M. D., Etc. Angus
Ego, M. D., Etc., late of Tottenham, Ont.
Dr. Ego will be found at the Markdale House
at night.

J. P. OTTEWELL,
Veterinary Surgeon. Graduate of Ontario
Veterinary College. Residence—First door
south of Letch's tailor shop, Flesherton.

Dentistry.

J. P. MARSHALL,
L. D. S., M. D. S., Dentist. Visits Mark-
dale the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each
month. Flesherton—Each trip on the day
following.

Legal.

J. W. FROST,
Barrister, Solicitor, Conveyancer, Etc.
Flesherton office—Next the post office,
Sproule's building, on Thursdays. Owen
Sound office—Frost's building.

P. McCULLOUGH,
Barrister, Solicitor, Etc. Office over Mc-
Farland's store, Markdale. Money to Loan.

WRIGHT & LINDSAY,
Barristers, solicitors, etc. Owen Sound, Ont.
Flesherton office at Mitchell's bank, Wednesday
of each week.
W. H. WRIGHT, S. E. LINDSAY.

R. J. Sproule,
POSTMASTER, Flesherton, Commission-
er in B. R., Licensed Auctioneer, Con-
veyancer, Appraiser and Mono Lender.
Real Estate and Insurance Agent. Deeds,
Mortgages, Leases and Wills drawn up and
Valuations made on shortest notice. Auction
Sales attended to in any part of the
County. Money to loan at lowest rates of
interest. Collections attended to with
promptness and despatch. Charges low.
Agent for the Dominion Steamship Company.
Cheap tickets from Flesherton to Liverpool,
Glasgow, London or any of the British
ports. Parties intending to visit England,
Scotland or Ireland, will please ask rates be-
fore purchasing their tickets elsewhere.

Weaving. Weaving

The undersigned kindly solicits the patronage
of those requiring weaving in the line of carpets,
full cloth, flannels, blankets and tweeds. All
work guaranteed by JOHN BAKCLAY,
Practical Weaver.
Next house to R. Pedlar, Flesherton, Nov 9th.