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**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.

**Boy Wanted**

To learn the printing business at this office. Apply at once.

The Markdale Standard drops an issue this week.

The Fall Assizes began in Owen Sound on Monday. The docket is a light one.

The close season for speckled trout begins to-day, and the open season for partridge and rabbits.

The Thornbury bridge arbitration was again adjourned on Saturday last, to meet in Collingwood on Thursday, 22nd inst.

Very few from this section have visited the Toronto exhibition this season. The fake is losing its hold upon Flesher-ton folk.

Mr. H. Glendinning, principal of the Markdale school, has purchased the Dundalk Herald, but will not take possession until January next.

Dr. Ghent, one time resident physician at Priceville, but late of Toronto, died in Montana last week. The body was brought to Toronto for interment.

The partridge hunting season opens to-day, but sportsmen should remember that they cannot offer these birds for sale for a period of two years, the penalty for which is from \$5 to \$25.

The Grey Review says: "The Warton Echo is resolved to prove that the Flesher-ton Advance is guilty of telling a deliberate falsehood." Now Bro. McArthur! What does this mean? It is the first we have heard of such a charge.

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

Mr. Eschoo, a native of Persia, gave a very interesting lecture in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening last, to a very large audience. Mr. Eschoo is studying at Knox College, and intends returning to his native country as a missionary.

Sufferers from dyspepsia have only themselves to blame if they fail to test the wonderful curative qualities of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In purifying the blood, this medicine strengthens every organ of the body, and even the most abused stomach is soon restored to healthy action.

The aim in the manufacture of Messrs. Tuckett & Son "Myrtle Navy" tobacco is to develop and retain the natural aroma of the tobacco. This requires great skill and a knowledge of very interesting chemical laws, but the results attained are vastly superior to all forms of flavoring extracts.

No person should travel without a box of Ayer's Pills. As a safe and speedy remedy for constipation and all irregularities of the stomach and bowels, they have no equal, and, being skillfully sugar-coated, are pleasant to take, and long retain their virtues.

We thank the Creemore Star, Stayner Sun, Grey Review, Chatsworth News, etc., for their generous praises of our supplement containing the view of Eugenia Falls. It is our intention to publish during the coming fall a picture of the Queens, or Cuckoo Valley, which has long been admired by tourists as one of the prettiest bits of landscape scenery in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stewart met with a severe accident on Sunday last. While driving in from the station their horses took fright at some pigs and bolted, upsetting the rig. Mr. Stewart was badly bruised and it is thought some of his ribs may be broken. Mrs. Stewart sustained a severe cut on the arm, Dr. Carter, who was called, having to put in seven stitches. She was also seriously bruised. The rig was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Elder have the deepest sympathy of this community in the sad blow which has fallen upon them by the loss of their little daughter Muriel, who died at 8.30 Tuesday evening after a most painful illness of some week's duration, aged ten years. Muriel was a bright, pretty little child, and an only daughter, which makes the bereavement doubly hard. Everything which human skill could do was done to save the little life, but all in vain.

This fair flower blooms on Jordan's further shore  
Where storms blast not and pains are felt no more,

Death's sickle keen sweeps over dell and dingle;  
Both flowers and fruit must at his feet commingle.

Matters are becoming serious with the farming community owing to the long-continued and frequent rains. It has been impossible for the past two weeks to harvest much grain in good condition, and during this last week the rain has come down in torrents, soaking cut grain through and through, and making the ground so soft in some parts that even with dry weather farmers could not get upon the land to cut standing grain. Added to this the potato rot is once more working havoc. These things are calculated to make us all feel blue, but "it is a long lane that has no turn." Let us cheerfully hope that the angle is nearly reached.

There are, says an exchange, nine classes of people who do a town no good and retard improvement and progress. These nine classes are:—(1) Those who go out of the town to do their trading; (2) those who oppose improvement; (3) those who prefer a quiet town to one of push and business; (4) those who imagine they run the town; (5) those who think business can be done slyly without advertising; (6) those who deride public spirited men; (7) those who oppose every improvement that does not originate with themselves; (8) those who oppose every public enterprise which does not appear to benefit them; and (9) those who seek to injure the credit of an individual. Examine the above list and see if you are to be found in any of the classes enumerated. If you are, you may come to the conclusion that you do the town no good and retard progress and improvement.

The Advance listened to some fascinating reminiscences of the late American war on Saturday last. Two old veterans met in our sanctum who had never met before, but then that made no difference. The talk flowed at a voluminous rate. The gentlemen referred to were Mr. Boyd Thompson of this town, and Mr. D. Thurston, of Newark, N.Y., who was visiting his nephew, The Advance man. Mr. Thurston went through the war without losing a limb, but was severely wounded in the shoulder. He was in at the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, and saw the flag of truce brought in which ended one of the most sanguinary wars the world has ever seen. When the two old veterans got together perhaps there was not a "feast of reason and a flow of soul!" Mr. Thurston returned to his home in New York state on Saturday.

**Millinery Announcement.**  
Mrs. Trimble is in the city this week purchasing her stock for fall and winter. Miss McKee has been in the wholesale house for the past week trimming for Mrs. Trimble's opening, so the ladies can look out for something new and nobby.

**Committed Suicide.**  
A telegraphic despatch from New Westminster, B.C., dated Sept. 12, says: Finlay McRae, late of Durham, Ont., for several terms warden of the county of Grey and reeve of Glenelg, in that county, committed suicide in the river opposite this city on Saturday night. He left a letter with a friend, saying he was going out for a row and would try to swim ashore from the middle of the river. If he did not manage it his personal effects were to be distributed as the letter indicated. When in the middle of the stream he jumped overboard, and for a few minutes shouted loudly. Strange to say he did not sink, but when assistance arrived he was dead. The body was buried this afternoon. Mr. McRae some years ago was one of the most prominent men, socially, politically and financially, in the county of Grey. He lost his entire fortune in Manitoba speculations and drifted west to this city, where he was bookkeeper at the Queen's hotel for two years. Despondency is set down as the cause of the suicide.

**District Meeting.**  
Flesher-ton was taken possession of on Tuesday by the Methodist clerical gentlemen of this district and the freedom

of the place was granted them. The delegation was not so large as it would have been had the clouds not wept so copiously all day. The forenoon meeting was essentially a business meeting. At the afternoon meeting several addresses were delivered and conferences held. Rev. J. Waddell gave an exceedingly instructive and interesting address upon the "Relation of children to the church of Christ." This was listened to with profound interest and the comments thereupon were highly complimentary to the speaker. Rev. J. W. Churchill, of Chatsworth, and Mr. W. G. Pickell, of Markdale, dealt with the "Sources of power for Sunday school work." Mr. Pickell's address was full of wisdom and pointedly put. As a worker in the school he knew whereof he spoke. A couple of items on the program were dispensed with, owing to the poor attendance of lay delegates. At the Epworth League meeting in the evening the Revs. Wm. H. Hincks, of Owen Sound, and G. H. Cobblestick, of Dundalk, delivered addresses of the most interesting and instructive kind. Both these gentlemen are earnest Epworth League workers, and were therefore highly competent to handle the subjects assigned them. Appropriate music was rendered by a portion of the choir during the course of the afternoon and evening.

**Personals.**  
Miss Mary Strain is visiting friends in New York.

Miss May Damude is visiting friends in Walkerton.

Mrs. Pike, of Toronto, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Clark.

Miss Aggie Leitch has returned from visiting friends in Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Strain left for their home in Minot, Dak., last week.

Mrs. F. Walmsley, of Toronto, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J.H. Heard.

Mr. W. J. Bellamy was called last week to the funeral of his uncle near Brighton.

Mrs. Veitch and her daughter, Mrs. Allan, of Caledon, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Reeve Richardson returned home on Tuesday from his lengthy European trip. Mr. J. W. McFarland, of Markdale, arrived home at the same time.

Mr. J. Sullivan left for Collingwood on Monday morning to see his son Will, who is lying ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. J. H. Heard, a nephew of Mr. J. H. Heard, of this place, was killed in Toronto last week by an electric car.

Mr. John Brown, merchant of Priceville, was in town on Friday on his Comet pneumatic bicycle. He and The Advance man took a stroll out to Eugenia falls to view the wonders there.

Mr. Fred Leitch has been visiting with his parents during the past week. Mr. Leitch leaves to-day to attend the Montreal theological college. During the past four years he has taken an average of 67 1/2 per cent. on every subject in the preparatory course, last year taking first class marks for Greek, homiletics, homiletic exercises and history of Methodism, and second in all the other subjects excepting Pope's Theology. He purposes taking up the S. T. L. course.

Back-ache is caused by sick kidneys. Dodd's Kidney Pills will remove it. By their peculiar action on the kidneys, they impart activity and benefit the system by purifying the blood. You cannot have pure blood with disordered kidneys; health's existence depends upon their natural condition; they are the governors of the system, continual disorder results in kidney consumption, which is Bright's disease.

Hamilton, April 30, 1882.  
I was doctoring for years with physicians for a scaly and scurfy affliction of the scalp, they told me it was eczema, but gave me no permanent relief. I was also troubled with excessive dandruff, which would drop from my head like snow flakes. Hearing of Anti-Dandruff I used it, and from the third application felt more relieved than for years; when half the bottle was used the eczema and scaly eruptions disappeared and have not returned since; dandruff was thoroughly removed, the itching of the scalp stopped and for an elegant, clean and useful hair-dressing Anti-Dandruff has no equal.  
J. S. GRAHAM,  
Mgr. Hamilton Branch Kemp, Jones & Peck, Manufacturers of Elder, Toronto.

**Estray.**

Two calves came into the premises of Mr. Latimer, lot 33, con. 12, Artemesia, on or about the 15th of July. Owner is requested to prove property, pay costs and take them away.  
LEONARD LATIMER.

**Fall Fairs.**

Industrial.....	Toronto.....	Sept. 5-17
Western.....	London.....	" 15-24
Montreal.....	Montreal.....	" 15-23
South Grey.....	Durham.....	" 27-28
East Grey.....	Flesher-ton.....	" 29-30
Central.....	Markdale.....	" 29-31
Great Northern.....	Walters Falls.....	" 27-28
North Bruce.....	Collingwood.....	" 27-30
St. Vincent.....	Port Elgin.....	" 29-31
Artemesia.....	Meaford.....	" 29-31
Essex.....	Priceville.....	Oct. 11-12
Essex.....	Rocklyne.....	" 4
Collingwood.....	Clarksburg.....	" 4-5
Proton.....	Dundalk.....	" 6-7

**Notice  
to the  
Public!**

**I Have Something to Tell You:**

Having opened a general store in Mr. R. J. Sproule's block, Flesher-ton, consisting of Dry Goods, Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Gent's Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Crockery, Hardware, Wall Papers. Also a fine stock of Teas and Family Groceries. My aim will be to offer you good Goods at reasonable prices. Come in and see me. I want to make your acquaintance, the result of which will be our mutual benefit.

Remember the place:  
**SPROULE'S OLD STAND.**

**BUTTER, EGGS & CASH WANTED**

**T. HILL.**

Flesher-ton, Sept. 12, '92.

**BOOTS & SHOES  
FOR THE FALL**

To the people who want good Boots and Shoes and everything in that line, try

**CLAYTON'S**

Because his goods are cheap and good, and has received a large lot for fall wear of Boots, Shoes, Slippers and Rubbers. Also a lot of first class Men's Homemade Long Boots on hand. Custom work and repairing promptly attended to. **FLESHERTON.**

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WE ADVERTISE IS THAT WE WISH TO LET THE PEOPLE

know where they can get the best value for their money. Our stock is carefully and well selected, for we

**BUY**  
only what gives the best wear. A large stock of Rubbers and long **BOOTS** will be on hand for fall and winter use. We have a well assorted stock to pick **FROM.**

Repairs and custom work attended to as promptly as ever. If you want anything in the foot line call on

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**Carriage Making**



Buggies, Carts, Sleighs, Cutters, etc., all made in the highest style of the art, and at reasonable prices. Get estimates from me if you wish anything in these lines. Painting and Trimming, also attended to.

**R. T. WHITTEN,**  
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