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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.

Miss Hind's for ice cream.

Wednesday of next week being a public holiday, all places of business in town will be closed.

Court of Revision for the township of Oprey will be held in the Orange Hall, Maxwell, on Monday, 29th inst.

The Chesley Enterprise has changed to the popular 8-page form, and with new type presents a remarkably improved appearance.

Note—Eugenia post-office will be open on the Queen's Birthday from 8 to 10 a. m. and from 2 to 4 p. m. H. MELDRUM, p. m.

A Reform convention will be held in the Town Hall on the 31st inst., to embrace East and Centre Grey. See advertisement.

Lost—A case of goods, somewhere between Ravensburg and Flesherton station, via Faversham. Finder will oblige by communicating with T. Chislett, Flesherton station.

Wednesday of next week being a public holiday, The Advance will not be published until Thursday afternoon, and will therefore be received a day late by many of our subscribers.

A lady writes to The Advance detailing the joys and advantages of her married life, but as the subject can scarcely be of interest to our readers we are compelled to decline publishing it.

At an adjourned meeting of East Grey license commissioners, held at Rocklyn on Wednesday of last week, the petition of Mr. Egan for a license at Flesherton Station was refused, and the license of A. Hannah granted.

The Eugenia football boys wish us to contradict the statement made last week that they will play Markdale club at Vandeleur on the 24th, as they have made arrangements to meet the Flesherton club at Eugenia.

There was a slight change in the C. P. R. time table, commencing on Monday. The morning mail from Toronto is due at 11.42, the down trains 6.55 a. m. and 4.45 p. m. The night train up is due at 9.22.

**I. B. 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.

If ever a man feels like "a poor worm of the dust," it is when he suffers from that tired feeling. Ayer's Sarsaparilla removes this discouraging physical condition and imparts the thrill of new life and energy to every nerve, tissue, muscle and fibre of the whole body.

Owing to bad weather the regular labor day was not observed in our public school this year. Monday afternoon, of this week, was taken, however, and a few trees planted. Principal Irwin will take another half day some of these fine days and complete the fixing up of things.

"The flowers that bloom in the spring" are not more vigorous than are those persons who purify their blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The fabled Elixir Vitæ could scarcely impart greater vivacity to the countenance than this wonderful medicine.

Rev. Mr. Tonge is giving an interesting series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer. His discourse on Sabbath evening was from the text, "Give us this day our daily bread." During the course of his sermon he took occasion to deliver some strong sentiments with regard to the liquor traffic, making the statement among others, that it was the province of

all legislatures to make crime as hard as possible, and virtue easy. He was proud to know that in the old country and in Canada the people were becoming thoroughly alive to the enormity of the drink question. The sermon was a vigorous one.

Thornbury's new paper has made its appearance. It is called the Herald, 8 pages, same size as The Advance, and presents a very respectable appearance. It is "Independent" in politics and intends to create a revolution in journalism by refusing to "pander to the vulgar appetite." Our sympathy is with it in these efforts. The town of Thornbury is certainly well supplied with local papers, there being three of them on one mile of street, and all "independent." How long they will all remain independent—financially, politically and physically—remains to be seen, but we wish them all unbounded success.

The following sad refrain is seasonable.—"Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma has some carpet to beat; she's got all the furniture out in the yard from the front door clear down to the street. The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleaned of dead grass, for its time to clean house and the— to pay—and the front windows—need some new glass. Father, dear father, come home with me now, and bring some bologna and cheese; it's past twelve o'clock and there's nothing to eat—I'm so hungry I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we'll have will be cold snaps and such, and we'll have to eat standing up too, for the tables and chairs are out in the yard—oh, I wish spring house cleaning was through! Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma is as mad as a Turk. She says you're a lazy old thing and that she proposes to put you to work. There's painting to do and paper to hang, and windows and casings to scrub, for it's house cleaning time and you've got to come home and revel in suds and cold grub.

**Millinery.**  
More new hats at Mrs. Trimble's this week. New designs in lace and straw hats. Next door to R. Trimble's store.

**Died in Gaol.**  
John Brown, aged 75, a vagrant committed from Pricoville, died in gaol on Tuesday of last week from the effect of a cancer on his lip. Brown should have been sent to the hospital of incurables. An inquest was held by Dr. Allan Cameron, coroner, and a verdict rendered in accordance with the above as the cause of death.—O. S. Times.

**Personals.**  
Mr. Glasford, of Caledon East, was a caller on Monday.

Miss Harnden, of Brighton, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. N. Henderson.

Mr. Jas. Keefer, of Niche, N. D., is paying his parents a visit here after an absence of nearly five years.

Mr. John McGruther left on Monday for New York, where he expects to remain for the summer.

**A Late Opening.**

One of the C. P. R. Steamers was to have started from Owen Sound for Port Arthur on Monday, but a telegram was received from the latter place stating that there were forty miles of ice still in the bay at that point. Attempts had been made to blow it up with dynamite, but the contract proved to be too extensive. The ice is still three feet thick in Thunder Bay. It is probable that the steamers will not start for two weeks yet. Freight is being shipped by rail from Owen Sound.

**A Big Trout.**

A little son of Hugh Wilson, living about three miles from Pricoville, caught an enormous brook trout in the Saugeen the other day, which measured 24 1/2 inches in length and weighed a fraction over four pounds. The little fellow accidently hooked the fish by the back of the neck, and could not land it until his father came to his assistance. Such big fellows never take the bait, and the manner in which the boy caught him was a marvel. This is no fisherman's yarn, but the solemn truth. The fish made a meal for seven persons.

**Born.**

**BARNHOUSE**—In Flesherton, on Saturday, May 15th, the wife of Wm. Barnhouse, of a daughter.

**SCOTT**—At Melville, on the 9th inst., the wife of Thos. Scott, township clerk, of a daughter.

**Married.**

**WILSON**—McLOCKLIN—At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. T. W. McClocklin, by Rev. A. E. Beck, on the 10th inst., Mary Wilson, of Flesherton, to Tittle McClocklin, of Guelph.

**Flesherton Station.**

By Our Reporter.

Our new storekeeper, Mr. Chislett, is busy opening out his stock.

Messrs. Pickell and Cook shipped gear loads of very fine cattle from the station on Monday.

Mr. Jno. Egan failed in his effort to procure a second hotel licence here.

Rev. Mr. Tonge will preach here at 10.30 a. m. Sunday.

Mrs. T. Grainger arrived home from Philadelphia a short time ago and is visiting with her friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. McInnes is visiting with Mr. A. Cullen.

Mr. Jas. Egan spent Sunday last with his brother of this place.

Mr. Fraser Wright, who has been spending a few weeks with his parents, left for Montana, a few days ago. He will be greatly missed by some of the young ladies.

Mrs. McRae was suddenly called to Kleinburg, to the bedside of her daughter, who is seriously ill.

Our school has been closed during the past week consequent on the illness of Miss Johnson. We are glad she is able to resume her duties again this week.



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Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists; Price \$1.50 per bottle, \$5.00 per six bottles. Cures others, will cure you

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"Backache means the kidneys are in trouble. Dodd's Kidney Pills give prompt relief."  
"75 per cent. of disease is first caused by disordered kidneys."  
"Might as well try to have a healthy city without sewerage, as good health when the kidneys are clogged, they are the scavengers of the system."  
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South American Nerve, the great cure for Nervousness, Nervous Prostration, Nervous Headache, Sick Headache, Nervous Paroxysms, Nervous Chills, Nervous Choking, Hot Flashes, Palpitation of the Heart, Sleeplessness, Nervousness of females of all ages, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Burning of the Stomach, Weight and Tenderness in the Stomach, Wind upon the Stomach, Catarrh of the Stomach, Frightful Dreams, Nightmare, Ringing in the ears, Vertigo and dizziness, Fainting, Impure and Impoverished blood, Scrofulous Swellings, Consumption of the lungs, Female Weakness, General Debility, Broken Constitution, Chronic Diarrhoea, and Debility of old age, all these and many other complaints cured by this wonderful Nerve Tonic.

Has your constitution been wrecked by an attack of La Grippe? The GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN NERVE TONIC will quickly restore your shattered nerves, strengthen and cure your digestive organs, regulate your Liver and purify your blood; and restore you to perfect soundness again. This great Tonic should be used after all sickness. Its powers to restore to health are simply wonderful.

Harriet E. Hall of Waynetown, Ind., says: "I owe my life to the Great South American Nerve. I had been in bed for five months from the effects of an exhaustive Stomach, Indigestion, Nervous Prostration and a general shattered condition of my whole system. Had given up all hopes of getting well. Had tried three doctors with no relief. The first bottle of the Nerve Tonic improved me so much that I was able to walk about, and a few bottles cured me entirely. I believe it the best medicine in the world. I cannot recommend it too highly."

*(Clipped from Advocate, Greenville, Ala., Feb. 2, 1893.)*

For 27 years the ADVOCATE has published advertisements of various patent medicines, many of which were exceptionally good remedies for the disease and ill for which they were recommended.

But we have not yet heard as good report of any as we have of the Great South American Nerve Tonic, a large advertisement of which we publish on our second page.

A lady subscriber in Louisville, Ky., wrote us some time ago asking to have Mr. Stewart, the druggist here, to send her a bottle for her husband. In a short time she wrote again ordering two more bottles and said it was doing her husband good. A few days since, meeting one of our principal merchants who had been in bad health many months, we asked him how he was getting on: He said he was getting better every day, that he had found a patent medicine that he had taken taken several bottles of it and was going to continue it, for he says he would not take a thousand dollars for the good it has already done him.

Inquiring what kind of medicine it was, he told me it was the South American Nerve Tonic.

Hearing so much about this great remedy we interviewed Mr. Stewart, and he tells us that he can scarcely keep a supply on hand as it sells as fast as he can get it, and all those who use it speak to the highest praise of it. He says he has sent it to Advocate subscribers in Florida, Kentucky, North Albany, and other places.

This is no paid notice, we publish it simply as a tribute to a deserving remedy, and if it is doing good we are glad that it is in the reach of our sick and suffering people.

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Holloway's Pills and Ointment**

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Purify the Blood, correct all Disorders of

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They invigorate and restore to health Debilitated Constitutions, and are invaluable in complaints incidental to Females of all Ages. For Children and the aged they are priceless.

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Glandular Swellings, and all Skin Diseases it has no rival; and for contracted and stiff Joints it acts like a charm.

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Purchasers should look to the Label on the Pots and Boxes. If the address is not 783, Oxford Street, London, they are spurious.

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Manufacturers of and dealers in Furniture of all kinds, Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Flooring, Siding, Scroll Work, etc.

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