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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.

Fresh fish and oysters at Barnhouse's.

Mr. D. McLeod had a horse kicked to  
death last week by its mate.

Mr. Will Armstrong is in Lucknow this  
week looking after business there.

Mr. Jacob Loughhead, of Singhampton,  
was a caller on Tuesday.

Shelburne is excited over sneak thieves  
who steal things from vehicles left at the  
church sheds.

Minutes of Nov. session of County  
Council have been received from the  
County Clerk.

Mrs. McDonald, of Durham, spent a  
few days this week visiting her sister,  
Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Bunting, of Pickering, and Mr.  
Brady, of Euphrasia, called upon The  
Advance last Friday.

Mr. Wes. Breen has purchased the 50  
acres known as the Campbell farm, 1 1/2  
miles east of the village.

Sara Lord Bailey is booked for the  
Town Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 20, under  
the auspices of the I. O. O. F.

Licenses Inspector Campbell was in  
town last week. He considers his in-  
spectorate fairly free from transgressors.

The Oddfellows held an oyster supper  
in their hall on Monday evening in honor  
of Mr. D. Clayton, who was about de-  
parting for Riverside, California.

Mr. J. Smith is bound to sell out his  
stock of winter goods in boots and shoes  
regardless of cost. See his advertise-  
ment on page one for full particulars.

A few of our young men about the vil-  
lage tried to enjoy a skate on Flesher's  
pond on Sunday, but no doubt the pricks  
of conscience took away a large portion  
of the real enjoyment.

Rev. S. D. Gaudin, missionary to the  
Cree Indians at Nelson House, Hudson  
Bay district, is a guest of his brother-in-  
law, W. H. Thurston, with whom he will  
remain for some weeks.

Rev. Mr. Wells' horse cut an artery  
while travelling last week and bled pro-  
fusely. The animal is laid off work and  
the rev. gentleman had to engage a livery  
horse for his duties on Sunday.

Mr. A. Munshaw left on Monday for  
Southern California. Mr. D. Clayton  
left on Tuesday morning to accompany  
him. Dave says he may come back, but  
will see the blooming country, anyway.

An auction sale of farm stock, sleighs,  
waggon, etc., will be held at the pre-  
mises of Mr. Geo. McFarlane, Flesherton  
Station, on Friday, Jan. 26, to-morrow.  
D. McCormick, auctioneer. See bills for  
particulars.

Read Ayer's Almanac, which your  
druggist will gladly give you, and note the  
wonderful cures of rheumatism, catarrh,  
scrofula, dyspepsia, eczema, debility,  
humors, and sores, by the use of Ayer's  
Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla admit-  
ted at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is certainly a re-  
markable preparation and nothing like it  
has ever been produced. No matter how  
wiry and unmanageable the hair may be,  
under the influence of this incomparable  
dressing, it becomes soft, silky, and plia-  
ble to the comb and brush.

A missionary service was held in the  
Methodist church on Sunday evening last,  
when Rev. S. D. Gaudin, of Nelson  
House, spoke at some length upon his  
duties in the far north, and Rev. Mr.  
Edwards, of Markdale, gave a short, but  
eloquent appeal for funds to assist in the  
great work.

At a meeting of Osprey Agricultural  
society, held in Singhampton on Friday

12th inst., the following officers were  
elected: President, Dr. Ottewill; vice-  
president, Jonathan Hickling; Treas.,  
Josiah Ganey; Sec., D. Grant; Direct-  
ors, R. Fenwick, John Taylor, Jas. Buck-  
ingham, Geo. Miller, R. Y. Burk, John  
Douglas, R. T. McGirr; Auditors, J.  
Kernaghan and R. T. McGirr.

Ferguson v. Lever was an assault case  
tried before J. P.'s Armstrong and Rich-  
ardson on Saturday last, in which Mr.  
Malcolm Ferguson charged Mr. Thos.  
Lever with pommeling him. Decision  
was reserved for a week.

County Council opened in Owen Sound  
on Tuesday. Wm. Lemon, reeve of  
Sydenham, was elected Warden. There  
were two candidates, Victor Lang and  
Mr. Lemon, and the vote stood 44 to 8 in  
Mr. Lemon's favor.

Wilson's dwelling house at Proton  
Station was burned on Tuesday afternoon,  
supposedly from a defective flue. The  
building belonged to the Dominion bank.  
Mr. Wilson saved all his furniture.

A prominent citizen of Markdale took  
a trip down to Flesheston station last  
week and neglected to pay his fare—in  
fact he took a box car where no fares are  
collected. Brakey discovered him and  
locked the door, keeping him a prisoner.  
Upon reaching this station the car was  
shunted, and after an hour or so an out-  
landish noise inside the car attracted the  
attention of a station employe and the  
unfortunate prisoner was released. The  
guys and jibes he has since undergone  
have rendered his life miserable.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle  
the death of Mrs. W. Irwin, who passed  
away at St. John's hospital, Toronto, on  
Friday last. The remains were brought  
home and interred in the cemetery here  
on Monday afternoon. The very greatest  
sympathy is expressed by all for the be-  
reaved husband and three little children.  
Mrs. Irwin's death is looked upon by all  
as a personal bereavement, inasmuch as she  
was ever ready to assist where she could  
in good works, and was a general favorite.  
The funeral was attended by the R. T. of  
T. and Sunday School of the Methodist  
church. The deceased lady was an es-  
teemed teacher in the latter.

During cold weather the crossing at  
Sproule's corner is always in a more or  
less dangerous condition, but the ice of  
Monday last made it doubly dangerous,  
and many a severe tumble was experi-  
enced. Mr. Wm. Strain had a severe fall,  
Mrs. H. Richardson fell, spraining her  
wrist, and others were more or less dam-  
aged, but it fell to the lot of Mr. B. His-  
lop, barber, to cap the climax by falling  
on his face and smashing his nose to a  
jelly, while attempting to assist another  
pedestrian in his dilemma. He also had  
three teeth loosened. It is a shame  
that this miserable man trap has been al-  
lowed to exist so long. A petition has  
been circulated asking the police trustees  
to have this crossing attended to, which  
will no doubt be done without delay.

At the annual meeting of the East  
Grey Agricultural Society held at Flesher-  
ton, Wednesday, 17th inst., notwith-  
standing the unfavorable weather and  
roads, there was a fair attendance. The  
treasurer's report showed the society to  
be in a healthy and flourishing condition,  
entirely out of debt and a healthy surplus  
on hand notwithstanding that there had  
been made during the past year, large  
and substantial improvements on the  
premises and grounds by way of fencing,  
repairing the hall and erecting an excel-  
lent, substantial and commodious stand  
for the accommodation of visitors to the  
fair and the band, with permanent re-  
freshment booths underneath, the whole  
having been done without impairing the  
funds of the society. There appears to  
be no good reason why the society should  
not go on prospering and to prosper.

The following officers were elected for  
the current year, namely: President,  
George Stewart; 1st Vice-President,  
Dr. Scott, Maxwell; 2nd Vice-President,  
John Abbott, Dundalk; Directors: R. J.  
Sproule, J. Hickling, J. I. Graham, J.  
Brodie, R. Ruthwin, Jas. Stewart, F.  
Taylor, Josiah Gamey and D. W. Clinton.  
Auditors, W. J. Bellamy and W. W.  
Trimble. At a subsequent meeting of  
the newly elected board, R. J. Sproule  
was elected Sec.-Treasurer, and it was  
decided to hold the Fall Fair on the 27th  
and 28th September next.

Hides Wanted.  
Highest price in cash paid for hides and  
sheepskins. W. P. Crossley, Flesherton

L. B. 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.

**The Independent Foresters.**  
A PROSPEROUS FRATERNAL SOCIETY.

Among the many societies that are com-  
peting for public favor there is probably not  
one that enjoys the confidence of the public  
to a greater degree than the Independent Or-  
der of Foresters. From information that  
we have received from Mr. Jos. Ottewill,  
the Court Deputy for the local Court, we  
learn that the membership of the whole  
Order is 54,000, the net increase for the  
year that closed on the 31st December, was  
10,500, of this large membership 22,000 are  
in Ontario! The friends of the Order claim  
that it leads all other orders in our great  
Province. The number of Subordinate  
Courts, in Ontario, is 550. 61 of these were  
instituted during the year just closed. Dur-  
ing the 19 years of its operations it has  
paid to widows and orphans and to distress-  
ed brethren about two millions one hundred  
thousand dollars, and has, at present, a  
cash surplus, for the benefit of policy hold-  
ers, of \$868,857.88. A gain in the surplus  
for one year of \$279,000. The death rate  
has only reached the remarkably low average  
of 5.23 in the 1000. The Order has encoun-  
tered a good deal of adverse criticism, its  
rates have been pointed out as being too low  
but its friends have demonstrated again and  
again their ability to pay all claims and at  
the same time to accumulate a handsome  
reserve. They claim that the teaching of  
experience proves that their rates are ample  
and certainly the record the Order has  
made would seem to bear out this con-  
tention.

In the press, and on the platform, the ad-  
vantages of the Order have been set forth  
with marked ability and moderation by the  
Supreme Chief Ranger, Dr. Oronohyatekha,  
the High Chief Ranger of Ontario, the Rev.  
A. McGillivray, and by many other promi-  
nent officers and members of the Order.  
The Fraternal features of the Order are  
carefully cultivated, and many acknowledge  
gratefully the kindness received at the  
hands of their brethren.

We have pleasure in giving these facts,  
knowing that they will be read with interest  
not only by our readers, who are members  
of the Order, but by others who will be  
pleased to learn of the continued prosperity  
and growth of this Fraternal Society.

**AUCTION SALE!**  
OF  
**VALUABLE FARM PROPERTIES**

In the townships of Artemesia, Euphrasia and  
Osprey in the county of Grey.

There will be sold on Monday the 12th day of  
February, 1894, at one o'clock in the afternoon  
AT

**MUNSHAW'S HOTEL**  
IN THE  
**Town of Flesherton,**

by virtue of powers of sale contained in certain  
mortgages which will be produced at the sale  
the following properties:

**PARCEL 1.**  
Lot 173 in the 3rd Con. S.W. of the Toronto and  
Sydenham road, township of Artemesia, contain-  
ing 48 acres, more or less, except 14 acres occu-  
pied by Railway. The following improvements  
are said to be on the premises: about 15 acres  
cleared, having erected thereon a hewed log  
house.

**PARCEL 2**  
Lot 6, in the 4th concession of the said town-  
ship of Euphrasia, containing 300 acres, more or  
less. The following improvements are said to be  
on the premises: about 140 acres cleared hav-  
ing erected thereon frame barn on stone founda-  
tion, stabling underneath; stone milk and  
apple house, log dwelling.

**PARCEL 3.**  
Lots 21 and 22 in the 1st concession north of  
the Durham road, and lot 23 in the 1st and 2nd  
cons., south of the Durham road of the said  
township of Osprey, containing together 260  
acres more or less. The following improve-  
ments are said to be on the premises: about 90  
acres cleared, having erected thereon a log house,  
frame kitchen, frame barn, (stables underneath)  
log barn. There is an orchard on the property.

TERMS—20 per cent. of the purchase money  
to be paid down on the day of sale, for balance,  
terms will be made known at time of sale.

For further particulars apply to  
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Flesherton

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Flour.....	\$ 3 35 to \$ 3 85
Fall Wheat.....	65 to 68
Spring Wheat.....	65 to 68
Barley.....	30 to 30
Oats.....	30 to 31
Peas.....	51 to 51
Butter.....	19 to 18
Eggs, fresh.....	17 to 17
Potatoes bag.....	50 to 50
Pork.....	60 to 60
Bay per ton.....	6 00 to 6 25
Hides.....	8 00 to 8 00
Sheepskins.....	25 to 50
Goats.....	8 to 8
Turkeys.....	8 to 9
Chickens per pair.....	25 to 20
Ducks per pair.....	80 to 80
Wool.....	15 to 15

**Boars For Service.**

The undersigned has a well bred Berkshire  
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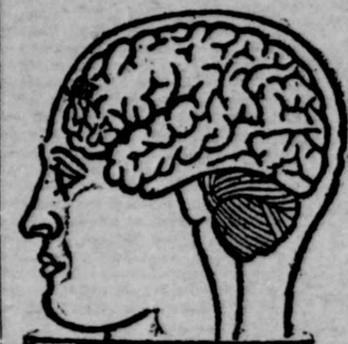
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