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1894.

PATRONS, PATRONS

Cash Versus Credit.

The farmers of this province have given no uncertain sound regarding it by forming themselves into societies called Patrons of Industry.

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My stock is very complete throughout.

I have a few snaps in overcoats, blankets and tweeds, also a few packages of salmon trout and herrings.

T. HILL.

Lady Bank.

From our own Correspondent.

We are pleased to hear that Miss Mary A. Roberts, who has been very ill, is recovering under the skilful treatment of Dr. Carter.

The Salvation Army have opened up a barracks in the Hill Church. We wish them success.

Sacrament Service will be held in Providence church on Sunday 11th.

Quite a number of the school children gathered at the home of Mr. George Wyers one evening lately, where a very pleasant time was spent.

Mount Zion.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Tillie Taylor has taken a change for the better and we hope soon to see her around again.

Mr. Sheardown has also been suffering from the effects of La Grippe.

Mr. Joseph Watson, Jr. has been suffering from an attack of Quinsy.

Miss Tillie White, of Markdale, has been spending a couple of weeks with friends here.

Mr. John Lyons has brought home his bride in the person of Miss Lockhart of Proton Station. We wish them every happiness.

Mrs. George Pedlar has been very unwell for some time but we hope soon to hear of her recovery.

Mrs. Frances Thompson is also much better and is hopeful of full recovery.

Epping.

From our own correspondent.

Jack Frost is paying us a nice visit now. Fine sleighing. Heaps of snow.

Mr. S. McKnight is preparing to build an addition to his barn next summer.

Miss Polly Gilray has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to come home last week.

Mrs. Yeoman is slightly indisposed just now.

Miss Enie Black has quite recovered from an attack of inflammation of the lungs.

Mrs. Dalley is at present visiting friends near the county town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White have comfortably settled in the house lately vacated by Mr. Shore.

Mr. C. G. Devitt has been again appointed assessor. He is preparing to build a frame barn next season.

Kimberley.

From our own correspondent.

J. E. Baskerville and W. W. Trimble, of Flesherton, called on us Friday evening.

Rev. Mr. Moyer, Methodist Minister of Walters Falls, visited in town Thursday.

Mr. Alf. Thurston is home now for a few days.

Mr. Jas. Thurston went to Toronto Monday to attend the temperance convention.

One of Mr. Henry Hurd's horses dropped dead in front of the grist mill on Friday.

The box social was a success here on Wednesday and there was lots of fun. The Squire got his partner picked out but she was not as tall as he, no, nor as old either, but she stuck to him just the same. After the contents of the boxes was disposed of, the crowd was called to order by the chairman, Mr. J. R. Fawcett.

The Flesherton Brass Band was present and played a lot of nice music, which was greatly appreciated by the audience. On the platform we noticed the following gentlemen, viz: — Squire Stuart, M. R. Hammond, Dr. Halstead, J. W. Whitby, Dr. Large, Rev. E. C. Jennings, Miss Ellis and Master T. Ellis. The evening passed off very sociably and all went home apparently satisfied.

Itch, Mange, and Scratches on human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Warranted by Wm. M. Richardson.

Wedehouse.

From our own Correspondent.

The Quarterly Communion service was held here in the M. church last Sunday.

Miss Lillie Long and Miss Strand, of Maxwell, were the quests of Miss S. Hicks over Sunday.

Married—On Wed. eve of last week, at 6 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Edith Cherry and Mr. Chas. Brooklebank, of Collingwood tp. were united in wedlock bands. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Josephine, while the groom was supported by his brother John. The bride received many beautiful presents. A pleasant evening was spent, some of the guests remaining over night to escort the happy couple on the morrow to their home. Our sincere wish is for their happiness.

Miss Mary Wood has returned from an extended visit to Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Brown of O. S., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Laughhead.

Miss Annie Lawson went last week to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Lourke, of Parkhead.

Miss Ella Wilcox is spending this week with Mrs. J. Hinkle.

Mr. R. J. McAfee has been quite indisposed but is on the mend.

Born—On Monday 5th, Mrs. Melvin Harris, of a daughter.

Mr. Wm. Walter and family, 10th line Collingwood, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carruthers, and by the way, he brought 1000 lbs of oat meal from Thornbury for his brother-in-law, W. H. Carruthers.

Priceville.

From our own Correspondent.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Methodist church of this circuit, will be held in Priceville next Sunday. The Rev. Thomas Legate, of Woodford, will occupy the pulpit. The Quarterly Board will meet next Saturday afternoon at the usual hour.

The smaller boys of the village generously turned out en-masse and split a considerable quantity of Mr. Jas. Johnston's wood. Mr. Johnston is still in a very low condition of health.

A curling match will take place on Tuesday of this week between Priceville and Durham. Particulars next week.

The S. O. L. are about securing the Disciple's church, in which to hold their meetings. The society is booming at present.

In reporting the proceedings of the Patron concert, the name of one of the most prominent speakers was accidentally omitted, viz: Mr. John McArthur, whose remarks were well received by the Patrons.

Miss S. M. Ector spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in Proton.

Mrs. W. J. Blakeston is spending a few days at her parental home near Swinton Park.

Proton Station.

From our own Correspondent.

The Patrons of Industry are beginning to boom in and around the Station. If a man is no member of some church he is nobody, so by the Patrons, if you are not in with them your hope of celestial joys derived from the order is small.

A man born of a woman hath but a few days, was fully exemplified by the death of Mr. George Williamson's little baby on the 4th inst, aged one month and seven days.

Mr. Robt. Lockhart, of California, is at present enjoying a holiday with friends around Proton. He gives Uncle Sam's domains a recommend second to none.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Graham and Wesley Downy, of Alliston, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lockhart, last week.

Miss Maggie Nelson, of Scarboro, East Toronto, is home visiting her parents.

Miss Mary Sherson, who has been ailing for the past week, is again able to be around as usual.

Wedding Bells! We can hear them in

Midwinter Snaps.

Fine black worsted suit for \$14, regular price \$16.50, to clear out balance of that line.

No charge for cutting goods.

C. J. LEITCH,

Merchant Tailor,

the distance, but we will keep you well informed on future developments, Mr-Editor.

Some time ago Mr. John Lyons met with an accident while chopping wood in the bush, which nearly caused the loss of one of his eyes.

The event of the season was the necktie social at the commodious residence of Mr. P. Quigg, on Feb. 2nd. The evening was spent in the amusements of various games, plays, etc. Receipts of the entertainment to go toward seating basement of Presbyterian church, Flesherton.

Wonder if one of our lady-admiring young men can tell how far it is to Markdale? Perhaps the gray horse can.

As the ink freezes on our pen we will conclude for this week.

Flesherton Station.

From our own Correspondent.

Our enterprising mill-man, R. P. Legate, is getting in quite a number of logs.

A number of our young folks took in the social last Friday evening at Mr. Quigg's and report having a good time.

Mrs. McKenzie, of Feversham, is spending a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. S. Hemphill.

Mrs. Morgan, of Dundalk, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Egan. Also Mrs. Black and family of Owen Sound.

Our merchant, Mr. Chislett, is attending the funeral of his father near Durham.

A few days ago two of our citizens undertook to beautify the appearance of our landlord's house by singeing the hair off it. It appears the hostler had been in the habit of rubbing the animal with coal oil and when the hair was ignited it went off like a flash of gunpowder, but the flames were extinguished by throwing a horse-blanket and water over it. We understand the horse is likely to recover under the careful treatment of Dr. Ottowell. One of the culprits has cleared to the swamps or someplace else where he has not been heard of since.

Our hay business seems almost at a stand-still, owing to the raise of freight, which has taken place. The railroad company have added \$1.40 per ton, to the already high rate on hay to New York, for shipment to the Old Country, which is another imposition imposed on the farmers by those great railroad companies.

The Railroad Kings saw in greatest alarm. The growing richness of the average farm. They held a council, and made out a plan. To squeeze the juice out of the rich farmer-men.

The farm must support us, for we must they work. Who else can pay dividends on well watered stock.

We've worked for this water, with our heads and our pen, Who else can pay dividends on the rich farmer-men.

Should these farmer-men waxing rich in their night, Who knows what they'd do if they got onto my story.

We must keep them down, they must not grow wealthy, We must keep 'em poor, so they've no time to be healthy.

Should a third party rise and stand in their night, They can sweep every railroad right out of sight Should the third party rise and stand until counted, It would be three to one with monopoly routed.

Let us add to the tariff an increase in the rate, And keep farmers busy a paying freight, We can hear them now singing in the street and at Hall, When the Government shall own every foot of the rail.