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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.

Public school will reopen on Monday next, 19th inst.

A car load of fine salt expected next week. T. Hill.

Just received, a hundred packages of tea direct from Japan at M. Richardson & Co's.

Now is the time to buy your stoga boots for winter. A few cases to hand bought at old prices. T. Hill

Light spring democrat, second hand, newly painted and in good repair, for sale cheap, or will exchange for a buggy. J. E. Baskerville, Flesherton.

The garden party at Mr. Brown's on Friday evening last was fairly well attended, notwithstanding the threatening weather, and a pleasant time was spent.

Mr. Wm. Blair, west back line, recently sold a horse to the buyers at Markdale for the handsome sum of \$140. This was the highest price paid. The animal was a fine one.

Master W. Bentham brought in a magnificent specimen of Cooper's hawk which had been caught in a trap on Monday. It will be mounted and added to our collection of stuffed birds.

Soft wood sawdust is best for bedding purposes. Mr. F. T. Carr, Eugenia, has quantities of this on hand and wishes the farmers to come and take it away at once, "without money and without price."

The hair, when not properly cared for, loses its lustre, becomes crisp, harsh and dry, and falls out freely with every combing. To prevent this, the best dressing in the market is Ayer's Hair Vigor. It imparts that silky gloss so essential to perfect beauty.

People from the surrounding country should avail themselves largely of the opportunity of hearing the grand band concert of the Dundalk, Markdale and Flesherton bands on Wednesday evening of next week.

Mr. Nathaniel Mortenson, a well-known citizen of Ishpeming, Mich., and editor Superior Posten, who, for a long time, suffered from the most excruciating pains of rheumatism, was cured, eight years ago by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge of it since.

Old stamps wanted, Canadian or American. Must be old issues. Prices graded according to age and value. For instance, an old half penny stamp is worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50. If you have any old stamps in your possession, bring them in and we will pay you fair prices.

The horse thief who gave his name as Johnston and who stole a horse and buggy from Mr. McAulay at the station, was tried in Owen Sound last week on minor charges and will feed on jail porridge for the next three months, at the end of which time he will be called upon to answer for the theft of the horse.

Twenty-three excursionists took in the Northwest ten-dollar excursion from this station on Tuesday, and about as many went from Markdale, while Dundalk turned nineteen out of the country and Chatsworth fourteen. This will make harvest hands scarce in Ontario if the exodus was as generally great all over the province.

The following officers were elected at the regular meeting of Flesherton U. P. B. A. on Thursday evening last: W. J. McCormack, W. M.; R. Whitten, Dep. M.; J. Brown, Chap.; W. J. Davis, Fin. Sec.; T. Bahner, Rec. Sec.; T. Clayton, Treas.; T. Whitten, Lec.; F. Bunt, Con.; A. McCalmont, Sr. M. C.; R. McMullen, Jr. M. C.; W. J. Moore, In. Sen.

Messrs. W. Irwin and D. Oswald returned last week from a bicycle trip to Sutton, Woodville and Lindsay. Mr. Wright also wheeled out to Balsam lake and inspected the works now under pro-

gress on the Trent Valley canal. He speaks in glowing terms of the beautiful stretch of country between Holland Landing and Sutton, and thinks it one of the most fertile and prosperous sections of Ontario.

The annual musical carnival and promenade concert under the auspices of Flesherton band will be held on Wednesday, 21st inst., on the agricultural society's grounds, Flesherton. The following bands will be present: Markdale Citizens' Band, Dundalk Silver Band and Flesherton Band. A grand musical program will be rendered by the united bands. "Music hath charms"—come and be charmed. This will be the musical treat of the season and should not be missed. Admission to the grounds only 10 cents. Concert to begin at 7 p. m.

**A Warning to Smokers.**

For some time past certain dealers have been selling inferior brands of tobacco when "T & B" is asked for, thus not only trading on the reputation of the manufacturers but also injuring the sale of the article.

The Geo. E. Tuckett & Son Co., of Hamilton, have taken the matter in hand and intend prosecuting the offenders.

Smokers should be careful to see the "T & B" stamp on each plug as, to gain extra profit, unscrupulous dealers tear the tag off other brands and say it is "T & B" and "just as good."

**A New Dictionary.**

The publication of the new Standard dictionary is a noteworthy event in the English speaking world. This magnificent work in two volumes (or one if desired) is now on the market, after having been many years under compilation by an enormous staff of editors and specialists in the various departments. It is profusely illustrated throughout and is embellished with a number of beautiful colored plates. It is claimed that more than two hundred specialists and other scholars have been engaged in its production. It is truly, as the title page suggests, "a dictionary of the English language upon original plans, designed to give, in complete and accurate statement, in the light of the most recent advances in knowledge, and in the readiest form for popular use, the orthography, pronunciation, meaning, and etymology of all the words and the meaning of idiomatic phrases in the speech and literature of the English speaking peoples." An excellent feature of the work is the large number of synonyms and antonyms given, which are more numerous than in any other work of pretensions. For the editor on literary man of any kind it is a mine of gold that none should fail to secure. This grand work is published by the Funk & Wagnalls Co., New York, London and Toronto. A sample may be seen at this office.

**PERSONALS.**

If you are visiting away from home let us know it. If you have visitors from a distance at your place tell us of it. It is a mistake to be shy about doing this because friends are always anxious to know of such movements, and the personal corner is now one of the recognized departments of every well regulated newspaper.

Mrs. A. Mullen and Miss Blanche Mullen, of Toronto, are visiting at Mr. S. Colquet's.

Mr. C. J. Leitch is attending grand lodge I. O. O. F. at Hamilton this week.

Miss L. Lane, of Brighton, is the guest of friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Aikenhead and children and Miss A. Armstrong have returned from a visit to the Muskoka lakes, where they spent a very pleasant fortnight.

Miss Mary Tucker of Drumore is the guest of Miss Hattie Legard, east of the village.

Mr. John Bradley and his sister Louie of Orchard P. O., visited friends here for a couple of days last week. Little Sara Moorehouse returned with them.

Miss Rossena Robinson of Stone's settlement is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Chard.

Miss Greenland of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting with friends here in company with Miss Gordon.

Messrs. J. McLaughlin and J. W. Smith left for the Northwest on Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Gordon of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of the Misses Richardson.

Mr. R. Keefer of Preston spent Sunday at the parental home here and occupied the Methodist pulpit in the morning.

Rev. Mr. Brown of Owen Sound was in town on Tuesday. Mr. Brown is chairman of this district.

**Died.**

**Kerr**—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Bowerman, Eugenia, on Monday, 12th inst. Mary Kerr, aged 83 years. The body was taken to Toronto for interment.

**Rheumatism Cured in a Day**—South American Rheumatism Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by W. E. Richardson Druggist.

No man is too poor to take his local newspaper, says an exchange, and it is false economy to get along without it. Hardly a week passes that something does not appear in its columns that will be of financial benefit to the subscriber, and by the end of the year he has made or saved from one to twenty times its subscription price. The city papers do not take the place of your local paper, although some people seem to think they do. The city papers are all right in their way but they don't give you what you are most interested in—your local and country news. You cannot learn from them when public meetings will be held, who are dying or who are marrying, who are moving out, court proceedings, who wants to sell land—in fact, hundreds of items which might be of particular importance for you to know. Such matter city paper cannot furnish, but your local paper can and does.

**Maxwell.**

From our own Correspondent.

The Methodist quarterly sacramental service was to be held in Mrs. Long's grove a week ago last Sunday, but on account of the wet weather the morning service was held in the church. The afternoon meeting, which was conducted by Mr. Matthew Richardson of Flesherton, was in the grove. There was a large turnout. The services commenced at 10.30 and 3 o'clock.

Mr. C. J. Sproule made a flying visit to town last week.

Mrs. Crawford and family have returned to their home in Paris a week ago last Tuesday.

Mr. Thomas Madden had a raising a week ago last Friday.

Mr. Stephen Preston left here on Tuesday for Manitoba.

Miss Preston of Nottawa is visiting her friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Field and Mrs. Wright spent a couple of days at Hornings Mills.

Miss Fisher was visiting friends in this town recently.

Mr. Fenwick Heron is busy painting the school house.

Miss Campbell spent a few days here last week.

Mr. Robert Heron came home last Monday after visiting friends in Buffalo.

Mr. Arthur Brownridge is home after visiting his friends in Shelburne.

Mr. Will Watson was spending a few days in this vicinity.

Mrs. Edward Linley has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Blakley of Dundalk.

Mrs. Ward gave us a call a week ago last Tuesday.

The Maxwell foot-ball team played with the Mayburne team last Saturday and it came out 1 to 0 in favor of Maxwell.

**THREE DOLLARS REWARD**

For the person that can give information about a black curly dog, part Spaniel and part Newfoundland, with a speckled gray and white breast and front feet, answering to the name of Fido. This dog either strayed or was stolen from the hotel sheds in Flesherton village on or about the 22nd of Jan., 1895. The above reward will be given by applying to

G. MILLER,  
Bognor, Ont.

**Sheep Strayed**

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, about July 12, three ewes and two lambs. All marked with scallop on under side of left ear. Any person knowing of their whereabouts will confer a favor by communicating with F. T. Carr, Eugenia P. O.

**CATTLE STRAYED.**

From the premises of the undersigned, lot 14, con. 10, township of Osprey, about the 15th of June, 2 two-year-old red steers and 2 two-year-old red heifers and one three-year-old red bull. Any person furnishing information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

WILLIAM L. HUDSON,  
Faversham, Ont.

**Sheep Came Astray.**

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 32, con. 10, township of Artemesia, on July 26, one sheep and 2 lambs. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the same away.

DAVID SMITH.

**Came Astray.**

Came to the premises of the undersigned about the 30th inst., four spring calves. The owner is required to prove property, pay expenses and take the same away.

W. CASWELL,  
Lot 173, Durham Corners.

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Our line of Dining Room Furniture was never more complete, showing a large variety of designs in Extension Tables, as well as Fall Leaf and Side Table. Our new pattern Dining chairs are at once cheap, comfortable and pleasing to the eye. A special line of pictures and picture frames at slaughter prices. Also some very pretty Window Shades and Curtain Poles to be cleared out at cost. Our undertaking department is as usual first class, and prices—well ask those we have served.  
**J. E. MOORE,** Furniture Dealer and Undertaker.

**Hear the Cry**  
Hard times, hard times:  
But no such word is heard from the  
**DUNDALK : PATRON : STORE.**  
And why not from them as well as from other places of business, because they are selling at prices that bring the custom for many miles around. The \$ and cts. are \$ and cts. with those that have buying to do this season. It would be quite easy for us to quote 6 pr. ladies' hose for 25 cts., 36 yds. G. cotton for \$1.00, 25 large size handkerchiefs \$1, etc., but our aim is not to give you a lot of cheap goods for \$1, but to give you good goods which you cannot buy in other stores for the same amount of money.  
Although Boots and Shoes have advanced wholesale 25% we still sell them at the old patron price. We are enabled to do this owing to a large stock being bought before the advance. You would do well to get your supply before the assortment is broken. Wonderful low prices for readymade and ordered clothing. Men's all wool suits for \$5.22, etc., etc.  
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Of the best kinds, that will assist you greatly in keeping your horses looking slick.  
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**Binder Whips**  
Long, Braided Whips, and Whips of every description and prices the same. All kinds of light and heavy harness.  
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