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GEO. MITCHELL**

FLESHERTON

A general banking business transacted. Drafts issued and cheques cashed at usual rates. Money always available for legitimate business enterprise. Office two doors north of Richardson & Co's.

**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.

Flour only \$4 per barrel at R. Pedler's.

One car load of salt just to hand, at T. Hill's.

East Grey prize list is now ready for distribution. Anyone desiring a copy can get one by applying to the secretary, Mr. R. J. Sproule.

Markdale civic holiday on Tuesday. Some of the citizens went to Owen Sound, some to Eugenia, and the band drove through to Shelburne for an evening concert.

Get your Flour where you can get it the cheapest. I am selling first-class flour at \$4 per barrel. Come and get your supply. Erin and Markdale flour always on hand at R. Pedler's.

Rev. Mr. McGregor of Durham, preached two very acceptable sermons in the Baptist church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Gardiner, the pastor, took Mr. McGregor's work in Durham.

A dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral taken in time has prevented many a fit of sickness and saved numerous lives. This proves the necessity of keeping this incomparable medicine where it can be readily reached at all hours of the day and night.

A barn belonging to Mr. Wm. Caswell, Durham corners, was burned to the ground on Thursday night last. The fire was discovered about 8.30. There were about 22 tons of hay in the building. The fire was doubtless of incendiary origin. Building and contents were insured in the Sydenham Mutual for \$800.

No appetite? Then do not try to force food down; but use the most scientific means for restoring tone to the stomach. How? Why, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in a surprisingly short time, your appetite will come again, and come to stay.

Now that the game season is approaching it may be well to draw the attention of sportsmen to the laws in regard thereto, so far as they apply to this section of country. Chief Warden Tinsley of Toronto has issued a pamphlet containing the game laws as they at present stand, from which we glean the following: Partridge may be hunted from Sept. 15 to Dec. 15; duck, Sept. 1 to Dec. 15; deer, Nov. 1 to Nov. 15; black and grey squirrels, Sept. 15 to Dec. 15.

**Garden Party.**

The Methodist people and their friends of Wesley church, Meaford Road, will hold a garden party on the school grounds Tuesday evening the 3rd of September, 1895. An excellent program will be prepared consisting of singing, recitations, plays, and Speeches by the Revs. Edwards, Balfour, Humphrey and Dr. Sproule, M.P. Refreshments served at 6 o'clock. Admission 15 cts. Come all.

**Killed by a Fall.**

MR. JOHN HAZARD MEETS WITH DEATH BY FALLING FROM A HAY LOFT.

Mr. John Hazard, collector of township rates for this township for the past seventeen years, met with an accident on Saturday which resulted in his death on Monday. Mr. Hazard, it appears, went into his hay mow on Saturday to read, and fell asleep. When he awakened, being somewhat dazed, it is supposed, he fell through a hole in the loft to the stable below, a distance of eight feet, striking and cutting his head on some obstruction and bruising the body badly. He managed to make his way out of the stable but fell on a grass plot, where he was found shortly after, conscious and able to tell what had happened. Within an hour after being taken to the house he became unconscious and remained so until 2 o'clock Monday morning, when he expired. Drs. Hutton and Christie attended the dying man but could do nothing for him. Mr. Hazard was a man

of intelligence and after coming to this country from England many years ago he taught school for some time. He has been a trustworthy and honest servant of the township for seventeen years past as tax collector. The funeral took place to Flesherton cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. A large family is left behind to mourn his loss. Deceased was 66 years of age.

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.

**Band Concert.**

The band concert on Wednesday evening of last week was not the success it should have been owing to the dilatoriness of the Dundalk and Markdale bands in arriving. It was 8.30 when Markdale arrived and 8.45 when Dundalk appeared on the scene. This was a poor return for the promptitude with which the Flesherton boys served their brethren of the other towns. Many citizens were detained at home on this account who would have added their mites to the funds, but owing to the lateness of the hour of starting thought it more prudent to go to bed. The evening was somewhat cool, but the turnout was nevertheless fairly good considering all things, the slot machine registering about \$34 gross. Refreshments were served to the musicians by the townspeople in the agricultural hall. As to the musical part of the program, that was very nice indeed. The Dundalk band is an honor to the place of its birth and to its genial bandmaster, Mr. Joe Parks, who has placed it on an enviable footing. While Markdale and Flesherton bands are slightly behind Dundalk in musical power they are still institutions of which both towns have reason to be proud. Markdale has especially been laboring under disadvantages owing to the removal of several of its members, and adoption of new material. These reunions are very pleasant features for the summer months, and in our opinion the bands interested should give our people more of them. But they should make it a point in each instance to be on the ground at 7.30 at the least.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Fitchell of Detroit is visiting with her brother-in-law, Mr. W. Irwin, principal of the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Vanzant visited friends in Thornbury this week.

Miss Gordon and Miss Greenland returned to their homes in Brooklyn last week.

Mr. Guy Pickell, of the Markdale Standard staff, gave the Advance a welcome fraternal call on Tuesday.

Mrs. T. Aikenhead and children returned to their home in the city on Saturday. Miss Louie Armstrong accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Miss Bella Henderson, Master Emerson Henderson and Miss Hannah Bellamy returned on Monday to their home in Toronto after spending their holidays in town. Mr. Henderson will resume his duties with the North of Scotland Canadian Mortgage Company. His sojourn here has benefited his health quite perceptibly.

Farrier Sergeant Richard Spicer of the Royal Canadian Artillery, Quebec, who is on a month's furlough, spent a few days with his brother at Flesherton Station. Sergeant Spicer, whom it may be remembered, was on a visit to his brother a year ago, was, shortly after his return to his battery, promoted to the much envied position of Battery Farrier Sergeant, which is a signal proof of his former good conduct, as well as the esteem evinced toward him by his superior officers, as promotion from gunner to sergeant, at one leap, is a rare occurrence in the service, and only attainable by extra good and meritorious conduct. Sergeant Spicer seems to appreciate a soldier's life as he has re-engaged to serve his country for another term, and our advice to you, Dick, is, remain there as long as you are doing so well. The Sergeant is accompanied by his amiable wife, who has also taken kindly to a barrack room life, and is very much charmed by the soul-stirring bustle of the old city of Quebec, from whose towering and impregnable citadel she can scan the Leviathans of the deep, as they come steaming majestically up the noble St. Lawrence. Mrs. S. had the pleasure of going on board H. M. S. Blake, while anchored at Quebec, and was much struck with surprise and ad-

miration at the magnitude of the equipment of that noble vessel of war, with her hundred ton guns, her quick firing machine guns, her torpedo tubes, etc., and manned by six or seven hundred jolly tars and marines, whose clean and tidy appearance, together with the cleanliness and order of everything about the ship, the clock-work regularity by which everything is done, the alacrity with which every command is obeyed, is something to be wondered at and admired. As Mrs. S. said to herself, what would my friends in Melancthon say could they behold a sight so wonderful, yet such is life in the British navy. The sergeant and his wife have yet two weeks to spend with their friends, when they return to Quebec, he to duty under the "Vet," she to her domestic duties in the barrack room. The hope of their many friends is that they may continue to enjoy the pleasures so happily commenced, but no one feels more interested in their future welfare than  
OLD SOLDIER.

**Flesherton Hardware House!**

**Car Load  
of Stoves**

Arrived at F. Karstedt's.

Steel Ranges, Cast Ranges, Square and Extended Cook Stoves, Box and Parlor Stoves, which we are going to offer cheap for cash, or we are prepared to give one to two years' time if required. Come and get our prices before buying.

Head quarters for Building Hardware and Binder Twine.

F. G. Karstedt - Prop.

**THE OWEN SOUND . . .**

**Collegiate Institute . . .**

The Owen Sound Collegiate Institute will reopen on MONDAY, AUGUST 26th at 9 a.m. when classes will be formed for all grades of Teachers' Certificates; Matriculation Pass and Honor in Arts, Law, or Medicine; the Commercial Course and Entrance into dentistry or Pharmacy. A full staff of nine teachers, All departments in charge of experienced specialists.

**RECORD FOR 1895:**

Primary Examination . . . . . 37  
Junior Leaving Examination . . . . . 41  
Senior Leaving Examination . . . . . 14  
Class Matriculation . . . . . 17  
Honor Matriculation . . . . . 6

For list of boarding houses and all other information apply to  
W. H. JENKINS, Principal. D. R. DODIE, Sec. Tre.

**Came Astray.**

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 29, con. 6, Artemesia, on or about July first, one year old steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the say away.  
RICHARD PONTEGOU,  
Flesherton P.O.

**HORSE STRAYED.**

From near Cape Rich about 27th June, a bright bay horse four years old, four white feet, white spot on face, wearing a wooden poke. Any information leading to his recovery will be rewarded by applying to George Dyer, Cape Rich P.O., or at the Advance office.

**Came Astray,**

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 3, 2nd con. of Euphrasia, on or about the 15th of July, one year old heifer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the say away.  
Wm. HUMBERSTONE,  
Aug. 9 '95. Kimberley, Ont.

**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 13, 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.

**House and Lot For Sale.**

For sale cheap and on easy terms in Flesherton. Splendid large, solid brick dwelling, with good stone cellar, summer kitchen and wood-house, also good frame stable, brick lined. Premises contains two large lots and good young orchard, bearing. House and out-buildings are exceptionally well finished and very conveniently laid out. Apply to  
R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton.

**Sheep Came Astray.**

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 32, con. 10, Artemesia, on July 26 one sheep and a lamb. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the say away.  
DAVID SMITH.

Get

**... The Best ...**

**For Your Money**

We are now offering a well selected assortment of Ladies' and Gents' Fine Foot wear in Oxfords, Balmoral and Button Boots and Slippers, also the heavier grades which we are offering at bottom Prices notwithstanding the recent rise in price of boots and leather. Call and give us a trial. Custom Work and Repairing attended to promptly at

CLAYTON'S

**OUR SALE . . .**

**Still Continues**

One ton of Dry Goods just received, such as Dress Goods, Flannels, Cottonades, Blankets, Shirts and Drawers. In fact, to make it short, we have a full range of

**Fall & Winter Goods**

Our prices are always low—so low we don't make much money. Large sales are more satisfactory, and small profits are necessary these days. Boots and Shoes arriving. Teas coming in imported for our special trade. Please call and see us.

**Butter, Eggs, Skins, etc., Taken**

T. HILL,

**HELLO THERE!**

Do you want a first class carriage? Then go to D. Blair; he can supply you. Have you seen our

**"Eclipse" Cart?**

If you have not then see one before purchasing and you will buy no other. If you are at the fair, do not fail to call and see us; we will be pleased to meet you. Remember we manufacture everything in the carriage line and satisfaction guaranteed.

Shop in connection with McTavish's blacksmith shop.

D. BLAIR.

**Flesherton Furniture Warerooms**  
EVERY DAY

**... A Bargain Day ...**

Every day a busy one, and yet we are offering some very special inducements in Plush Parlor Suites, and an exceptionally fine assortment of parlor sitting room odd pieces in plush, rugg, silk, ramie and other coverings. Centre Tables at very low prices in solid oak as also in walnut and antique finish.

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.,

86 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.

The highest cash prices for all kinds of produce. Save your dollars by buying at

**CALHOUN'S**