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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.

Any quantity of fresh burned lime for sale. R. Best, Flesherton.

Excelsior Life Insurance Co., president and managing director, ex-mayor Clark, Toronto.

Mr. Geo. Latimer of Eugenia shot a large bear the other day. The animal was very fat.

Both Shelburne barber shops were closed for a week owing to an outbreak of what is known as barber's itch.

The Excelsior Life is the popular company in Grey county. It is not excelled by any other company doing business in Canada.

Mr. B. McDonald has opened his new store, Wright's old stand, for business, and will be pleased to entertain all visitors at the fair, and the public in general.

Robert Gardner of Keppel is charged in Owen Sound with circulating counterfeit coins. Seventeen spurious coins were found on his person when arrested.

The old Traynor grist mill at Dundalk was burned lately, supposed to have been incendiary. A large pile of telegraph poles and a freight car were also consumed.

Mr. Geo. Stewart has had this year the finest field of corn we have seen, comprising about nine acres. It has been cut before reaching the glazed state for use as fodder during the winter.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a secret preparation. Any physician may have the formula on application. The secret of its success as a medicine lies in its extraordinary power to cleanse the blood of impurities and cure the most deep-seated cases of blood disease.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter of the district of Artemesia will open in the Orange Hall, Markdale, on Monday, Oct. 14th at 8 p. m. Candidates for exaltation please attend. Joseph Gibson, E. C. in C., J. A. Dodds, scribe.

"For years," says Capt. C. Mueller, "I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else in the medicine chest, to regulate my bowels, and those of the ship's crew. These pills are not severe in their action, but do their work thoroughly."

The editor "and bike" have received from the genial secretary of Glenelg agricultural society a complimentary ticket for the fair at Markdale on Oct. 1 and 2. Thanks, on behalf of both. We will try to get there, wind (in the tire) and weather permitting.

Remember the harvest home festival in connection with the Presbyterian congregation at Eugenia, to be held in the Orange Hall on the evening of Thursday, the 3rd October, 1895. Tea will be served from 6 to eight o'clock, to be followed by addresses from various speakers, music, vocal and instrumental; readings, recitations, club swinging, etc. The public may rely upon this being, as in former years, a first class entertainment. All are cordially invited. Admission—adults 25c, each, children 15c, each.

A change has taken place this week in the Railroad hotel at Flesherton Station. Mr. Beitz goes to Durham where he takes charge of the Central hotel, which Mr. Cairns has vacated. We believe both men to be among the best caterers to the public to be found in this county, and trust their changes in business will mutually add to their prosperity. Mr. Cairns kept the Crown hotel in Priceville a few years ago and was known to the public as a genial, careful host who made the welfare of his guests his sole aim in life, and we feel sure he has not changed for the worse in this respect.

Mrs. Jas. Stafford, 4th line, met with a severe accident on Saturday evening by being upset in a buggy on the horseshoe hill just east of this village. Mrs. Stafford was driving and the horse became unmanageable. Miss Hannah Stafford and a little son of Mr. Jos. Ottewill were with her at the time, but while Mrs. Stafford was severely stunned the others came off unscathed, although the top and back of the buggy were torn off. Mrs. Stafford was driven home and all day Sunday and Monday she remained in an unconscious condition, but Dr. Carter, who is attending her, thinks she will come around all right in a few days.

**Tenders for Shingling.**

Tenders wanted for the work of shingling the Flesherton Methodist church. Tenders to be in not later than Oct. 1, 1895. For particulars apply to WM. CLAYTON.

**Hot Dinner.**

The ladies of the Methodist church are making ample provision to accommodate a large crowd in the Town Hall on the last day of the fair. A good hot dinner will be given for 25 cents and supper for 15 cents.

**Cash for Old Stamps.**

Will pay from one cent to one hundred dollars each for old cancelled Canadian stamps issued previous to 1870. Some U. S. Stamps also have high values. Look over your old letters and bring or send them (with envelopes if possible) to this office and get cash for them. They must be in good condition. Eight and six cent stamps of the present issue also purchased by the 100.

**Church Notes.**

Rev. Mr. Balfour of Eugenia occupied the Methodist pulpit on Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Mahan taking his Eugenia appointment.

Rev. Mr. Balfour will preach in the Methodist church on Sunday morning next and Rev. Mr. Humphries of the New England circuit in the evening.

**Big Fruit.**

Mr. W. C. Parker brought in on Friday two tomatoes weighing two pounds and one and a half pounds respectively. At the same time he brought along four potatoes of the White Elephant variety, the combined weight of which was six pounds fourteen ounces. Mr. Parker said these potatoes were not picked, but fair samples of his yield. They are enormous tubers and would make an Irishman's eyes twinkle. If there is anything better in the country let us hear of it.

**A Painful Accident.**

Mr. Jas. H. Lever of the east back line met with a painful accident on Saturday while threshing at Mr. Thomas Whitter's. Mr. Lever's machine is a steamer, and in the wind of Saturday much difficulty was experienced in keeping the large belt on the pulleys. On one occasion when it came off Mr. Lever was struck on the side and stomach with the belt, and the iron which applies the belt tore his arm, cut open his side and broke one rib. Dr. Carter was called and thought at first that the liver was touched, but this proved, happily, not to be the case. The patient was removed to his own home on Monday, where, under Dr. Carter's care, it is expected that he will soon be around again.

**Harvest Home at Eugenia.**

The Methodist harvest home festival held at Eugenia on Monday evening was a most unqualified success in every way. Tea was served in the Orange Hall and the program given in the church. There was a large audience, the church being filled. Eatables were plentiful and of fine quality, including chicken and roast turkey. The speakers of the evening were Rev. Mr. Watts, who was the highly esteemed pastor at Eugenia a few years ago; Revs. Mr. Mahan and Balfour. Mr. M. Richardson, of Flesherton, presided over the meeting in his usual graceful manner, and Flesherton band added largely to the pleasure of the evening by rendering several pieces in excellent style. The proceeds amounted to the handsome sum of \$30.

**A Big Entertainment.**

There will be amusement galore at the East Grey fall fair to be held here to-day and to-morrow, Thursday and Friday, 26th and 27th. Among the brilliant attractions secured for the afternoon of Friday are the Graham Bros., celebrated high wire performers; and Miss Maria Walton, a noted variety dancer. There will also be an interesting bicycle race for which there are a number of entries. For the concert in the evening very high class talent has been engaged, viz., Mr. Grenville P. Kleiser, reader and impersonator, and J. M. Dixon, comic singer. This, it is fully expected, will make up one of the very best days of sport and pleasure ever held in Flesherton. The securing of this talent entails enormous expense, but the directorate are bound to give the people full value for their money, and the public may rely on having no disappointments. The weather has every appearance of continuing fine, and should this be the case a very large and happy crowd may be expected in town, for which there is ample accommodation. Come early and see it all.

Mice started a fire in the Dunalk station a week ago Sunday while everybody was at church. The Herald says churches were never emptied more quickly. The fire was extinguished without much damage having been done.

Lift your hat reverently when you meet the teacher of the primary schools, says an exchange. She is the good angel of the Colony. She takes the little bantling, fresh from the home nest, and full of his pouts and passions—an ungovernable little wretch, whose own mother admits she sends him to school to get rid of him. This young lady takes a whole carload of these anarchists, half of whom single-handed and alone are more than a match for both their parents, and at once puts them in the way of becoming useful and upright citizens. At what expense of patience, toil and soul weariness? Hers is the most responsible position in the whole school, and if her salary were doubled she would yet receive less than she earns.

**PERSONALS.**

Dr. Sproule, M. P., was in town on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Long of Collingwood and Toronto is a director of the Excelsior Life.

Mr. A. J. Chisholm, district agent of the Excelsior Life, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong returned on Saturday evening from visiting friends in London and Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. Reid of Horning's Mills visited relatives in Flesherton on Sunday.

Mr. W. Irwin, principal of our public school, and Miss Fitchell of Detroit spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents at Heathcote.

Mrs. Snodden and daughter, who have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. P. Holman, have returned to their home in Mara.

Mrs. D. Taylor of Owen Sound is visiting her mother, Mrs. George McKenzie, who has been very ill.

Miss White of Manilla is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Heard.

Miss Little of Teeswater was the guest of Mrs. R. Pedlar last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blackburn, Creemore, visited the former's brother, Mr. Jos. Blackburn, here, and other relatives in this vicinity this week.

Miss Welwood of Meaford is the guest of Mr. Thorp Wright.

Miss Polly of Horning's Mills is a guest at the Methodist parsonage.

**Fall Fairs.**

East Grey, Flesherton ..... Sept. 26-27  
Proton, Dundalk ..... Oct. 10-11  
Artemesia, Priceville ..... Oct. 8-9  
Glenelg, Markdale ..... Oct. 1-2  
North Simcoe, at Stayner... Oct. 3 and 4  
Osprey, Feversham ..... Oct. 3

Arthur Shannon of Collingwood marketed this year 1300 baskets of plums at 80c. per basket.

**KEEP**

Your horses free from flies by getting them a net of leather.



**By so doing**

You will save money. Your horses are not so apt to run away when they are not irritated by the flies.

**COMBS AND BRUSHES**

Of the best kinds, that will assist you greatly in keeping your horses looking sleek.

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Carriage Oil, Wagon Grease, Hoof Ointment, Harness Oil, Harness Soap, Polish, and everything that will preserve your harness.

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Long Binder Whips, and Whips of every description and prices the same. All kinds of light and heavy harness.

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Ayer's Pills for liver and bowels.

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**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**

**T. Hill**

**Wishes to Announce**

That he has now in stock for the fall trade a large stock of **Plain and Fancy Dress Goods** Suitable for all classes of people. A nice assortment of Mantles, German make, beautiful fitting garments. Don't fail to get one.

**TWEEDS**

For Gentlemen's suitings, superior in quality and pattern. Also fine Worsted Coating and Trouserings.

**OVERCOATS:** Men's, Youths' and Boys' at close prices.

**CAPS:** We can give you caps for 10 cents and upwards.

One car load of Salt on hand. One case of Bacon sweet and nice.

Call and see us. Your custom solicited.

**T. Hill - Flesherton**

**Have you seen**

OUR

**"Eclipse" Cart?**

If not, see one. We guarantee you will be pleased with it. Wagons, Democarts, Buggies, etc., turned out in best style and finish.

**D. Blair = = = Flesherton.**

**Mantles**

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Now that the fall season is again here we wish to call your attentions to many lines that one and all must buy to have health and comfort. We have imported a large number of lines in Ladies' Mantle. These goods consist of the latest designs on the market. Having bought them right we are prepared to sell them right. The prices are far below the prices of last year. We cannot be undersold in these goods. Do not buy until you have proven which is the cheaper place, Flesherton or Dundalk.

**Patron Store Calhoun's**

**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.**