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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.

All kinds of vegetable plants at Barnhouse's.

Mr. John Bellamy has completed his contract of reshingling the Methodist church.

At the teachers' convention in Durham last week it was decided to hold the next meeting in Dundalk.

Very many fires are reported through our exchanges as the result of the heavy wind storm of Sunday week.

A large amount of correspondence is crowded out this issue owing to want of space and time to get it into type.

Fresh lime for sale—Kiln just burned 10c per bushel. Also good building sand free with lime. S. Roy, lot 30, 10th con., Artemesia.

The residence of Wm. Hartman, near Thornbury, was struck by lightning on Monday, and two daughters were badly stunned, but will recover.

Hon. A. S. Hardy, Minister of Crown Lands, will address a public meeting in Flesherton on Tuesday, June 9, on the political questions of the day. Look out for bills.

Dr. Campbell, L. D. S., D. D. S., has opened a dental office in Markdale and will visit Flesherton every second Thursday. He places his card in this issue, giving dates.

Flour for the accommodation of the people of Flesherton and vicinity. I have placed a stock of genuine straight grade Manitoba flour at T. Hill's. Your patronage solicited. P. Loucks.

A large crowd of Flesherton people visited Eugenia on Monday. A football match between Eugenia and Clarksburg resulted in a victory for the former. The Methodist church people gave a tea which was well patronized.

Artemesia L. O. District Lodge meets in the hall of 509, Orange Valley, on Tuesday June 2nd at 2 p. m. The importance of the meeting requires a full attendance. J. A. Dodds, District Rec. Sec.

In a magistrate's case reported in last week's paper a wrong figure accidentally crept in. The young men from Euphrasia were reported as being fined $2 and costs for assault, whereas it should have been $1 and costs, with the exception of Proctor, who was fined $5 and costs.

A Flesherton gentleman had an exciting experience out at Eugenia the other day. While fishing among the rocks below the falls a small tree on which he stood broke and precipitated him into the boiling stream below. He was carried down stream three or four rods before recovering his feet, and lost his hat and fishing rod in the excitement. These have not yet been recovered.

Mr. Martin Phillips, Collingwood gravel, had an experience with lightning on Monday evening that he and his family will not soon forget. His two sons had just arrived home from Eugenia and one of them had driven the horse and buggy under the barn for shelter, when a terrific crash of thunder came. At the time Mr. and Mrs. Phillips were sitting at the house door a few rods away. Mrs. Phillips threw up her hands, dropping a baby which she held in her lap, and fell to the floor unconscious. Looking out, Mr. Phillips saw flames issuing from the barn. The young lad who had driven under the barn was knocked down with the bolt as also was the horse, but both recovered almost immediately. A valuable pig which was near them was killed. The boys went to work with pails to save the the buildings, neighbors gathered and by dint of hard work the flames were extinguished. Mrs. Phillips, who had been prostrated, remained unconscious until the following morning, but is now recovering.

Mr. Edward Burns of Thornbury died from the effects of a kick from a colt.

The C. P. R. employes will picnic in Owen Sound again this year, the date being Friday, June 12.

Johnston, the horse thief, was tried before the Judge at Owen Sound on Monday and received a sentence of three months.

Artemesia Council will meet on Monday next as a Court of Revision. Osprey meets at Maxwell on the same day for a similar purpose.

All members of the U. P. B. A. are requested to meet in their lodge room on June 4th, by special request. W. J. McCormac, W. M.; R. T. Whitten, Sec.

Pulmonary consumption, in its early stages, may be checked by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It stops the distressing cough, soothes irritation of the throat and lungs, and induces much-needed repose. Hundreds have testified to the remarkable virtues of this preparation.

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The Rev. Mr. Dodds, a missionary lately returned from Mexico, will preach on Sabbath, 31st May, in the Presbyterian church, Flesherton, forenoon and evening, and at Eugenia at 2.30 P. M. He will also lecture on Mexico in the Presbyterian church, Flesherton, Monday evening, 1st June, and in the Orange Hall, Eugenia, on Tuesday evening 2nd June, commencing each evening at 8 o'clock. Admission free. Collection taken up at the close of lecture. The public are cordially invited both to the Sabbath services and the lectures.

The editor of a country paper is expected to remember every little incident happening for miles around and mention it in his paper, so some people tell us. So far as we are concerned, we make no intentional omission whether the affair be of denominational, social or any other character. If we forget to mention any legitimate event it is purely an unintentional oversight on our part. We fully realize that it is to our interest to record all the doings but we ask you to kindly give us a little help in this line, by sending particulars.

PERSONALS

Mrs. M. Richardson visited in the city last week.

Mrs. Mitchell spent the 24th with friends at Palgrave.

Mrs. Jos. Smith is spending a couple of weeks with friends at Kleinburg.

Mrs. Fuller, who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hill, returned to the city last week.

Mr. R. J. McKee, late of the 4th line, has removed to Owen Sound, where he has secured a situation.

Miss Mina Graham, Markdale, and Miss Minnie Graham, Vandeleur, were the guests of Mrs. W. Richardson.

Miss Annie Richardson, Toronto College of Music, spent a few days of the past week at the parental home here.

Mr. A. Munshaw attended the races in Toronto last week. He has only missed this event twice during the past twenty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Owen Sound, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston for a few days during the past week.

Mr. Harry Davy, who has been attending Hamilton business college for some months, and at one time of The Advance staff, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong and Miss Lou Armstrong left on Friday last to visit relatives in Toronto, London and Dearborn, Mich. They expect to be absent about one month.

Mr. Bowes, Patron candidate for East Grey, was a caller on Saturday. Mr. Bowes is cheerful over the prospect. He says that Melancthon is the strongest Patron township in his riding, and he was also surprised at the strength which he finds in Osprey.

The Mount Forest waterworks bylaw for $4,500 was voted down.

Mrs. Riddell of Desboro was stricken with paralysis. Her mind wanders, but on religious topics she is quite sane.

Born.

BLAKELEY—On Sunday 24 inst. to Mr. and Mrs Thos. Blakeley, twin daughters.

George Bennett, of Eden, assisting a neighbor in the operation of splitting large stumps with a jack-screw, and had one nearly split when he stepped into the opening, when suddenly the jack-screw sprung out and the stump closed like a shot, catching Mr. Bennett in its grip. A companion at once chopped away the stump and released the victim, but not before it was too late, as Bennett was dead. His left arm was broken and his whole frame about the chest and ribs crushed.

Mr. Jos. Feighen has gone into the bicycle business, and on the arrival of his wheel he lent it to an enterprising young bank clerk of our village who is noted for being able to break anything he touches—letter presses, etc. are specialties. The young man mounted the wheel, and after running into all the gravel pits, electric and telephone poles handy, made a dash at Mr. Dyre's new, $125 wheel, leaving it a complete wreck. On taking the wheel back to Mr. Fieghen, the young man said it was made of pretty good stuff.—Reflector.

The Chesley Enterprise says:—The army worm still continues its depredations. Last week Duncan Anderson 2nd con. Elderslie ploughed up a sod field that he had sown several weeks ago and which had been entirely destroyed by this pest. The entire field will be resown. Geo. Morley says the army worm like the burglar works only by night because its deeds are evil, and so as to be even with the depredators he hitched his team at three in the morning and rolled a sod field by day-light. When morning dawned he noticed his roller had been painted a very fine green, the result of the crushing of millions of army worms.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

To the Editor of The Advance.

DEAR SIR,—At the last session of the Ontario Legislature, the act re registration of births, marriages and deaths, as I have no doubt you are aware was repealed and a new act passed. Amongst the provisions of the new act I find the following, these being the provisions which affect the public more particularly: Sec. 15 provides for registration of births by parents or other person responsible therefor within 30 days of birth. Sec. 16 provides for registration of births forthwith by medical practitioners attending at such births, on forms supplied to them throuth Division Registrar. Sec. 17 provides that no birth can be registered, without consent of Registrar General after one year if neglect so to do. Sec. 20 provides that all marriages shall be registered within 30 days instead of 90 days as heretofore. The minister celebrating the marriage is responsible for the registration, and will be supplied with blanks on application to the Division Registrar. Sec. 21 provides for registration of every death by the person responsible therefor *before the interment of the body.* This should be borne in mind, as no minister or person can bury the body until a certificate is furnished of the registration thereof. Sec. 23 provides that no removal for burial or no interment can legally take place until the certificate has been signed by the Division Registrar (except in cases of deaths from contagious diseases in townships when the nearest Division Registrar may issue a burial certificate to be endorsed by the medical health officer of the municipality). This provision is to facilitate speedy burial to prevent exposure to contagious diseases. Sec. 24 provides that no person in charge of a cemetery shall permit burials therein until he has received the certificate of the Division Registrar. Such caretakers shall likewise supply the Division Registrar with lists of the burials and the names of all persons buried therein during the previous half year. Sec. 26 provides penalties for neglect on part of Division Registrars to make returns. Sec. 28 provides penalties for neglect to make returns to Division Registrars and for prosecutions therefor by Inspector for the province.

As the registration of births, marriages and deaths is considered a very important matter, and as it costs nothing to register, even postage being free on returns mailed, I trust the good people of Artemesia will take notice of the provisions of the new act and promptly make returns as provided by the said act.

W. J. BELLAMY,
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Court of Revision

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The Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll of the Township of Osprey for the year 1896, will be held in the Orange Maxwell on

Monday, June 1st, 1896

at 10 A. M. All parties interested will govern themselves accordingly.

THOMAS SCOTT,
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