Vicinity Chips

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

Business notices among locals will be charged at the rate of ten cents per line for each insertion. A reduction will be made on contracts for 100 lines or over.

The township council will meet on Saturday.

100 skips of bees for sale. Apply to John Plewes, Kimberley.

The county council of Dufferin purchased eight road machines for the use of that county.

W. J. McFarland & Son, Markdale, made a shipment to Boston of upwards of 15,000 lbs. wool this week.

The annual C. P. R. picnic this year will be held in Guelph. The date is July 24.

If you want good flour at lowest prices call at Henderson's, opposite the Presbyterian church. Also some good tomato plants. WM. HENDERSON.

Barney Callaghan of Melancthon, who obstructed Constables Skelding and Brundage while attempting to arrest David McCoy, is out on $500 bail.

People are driving 20 miles to do their trading at McFarland & Son's, Markdale, who have the largest stock at closest prices.

The anniversary services of the Presbyterian church, Flesherton, will be held on Sunday, July 4, when Rev. John Little of Dornock will preach both morn- and evening. On Monday evening following a strawberry festival and garden party will be held. See bills for full particulars.

The public school leaving and entrance examinations were held here on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday under the guardianship of Principal Rowe of Markdale. Fifty pupils wrote, 13 for leaving and 37 for entrance, a larger number than ever before. Mr. H. E. Glendinning of Dundalk presided in Markdale, and W. J. Blakeston of Priceville in Dundalk.

Mr. Barnhouse is handling strawberries this year from one of the Owen Sound fruit farms and they will be laid down here fresh from the picking. These berries are much better than those brought from a distance. Leave your orders with Mr. Barnhouse, who will supply you with any quantities at low prices.

Mr. Archie Gibson, with M. Richardson & Co., has had a busy time during the past week answering queries as to the cause of his wearing a very black optic. For the information of all we might state that it was caused by a poke in the eye with a lacrosse stick at Shelburne. Archie was knocked senseless for a few minutes but recovered and pluckily finished the game.

Speaking of the lacrosse match in Shelburne on the 22nd inst. the Free Press has this to say: "This was the maiden effort of the Flesherton team, and, for greenhorns, they put up as pretty a game as could be looked at. The players were nearly all good sized, strong fellows and easily out footed our own players, but the Shelburne boys had the advantage of having all been playing lacrosse from the time they were weaned. The score stood five straights for Shelburne in 10, 3, 6, 19, and 10 minutes." The Economist also lets our boys down easy with the following: "The best of good feeling prevailed throughout the game. The visitors were outclassed, and it is but fair to state that this is practically their first season, as a team, at the game and this is the first season some of their players have handled the stick. Though half of the members of the home team are juniors who on Tuesday made their first appearance in a senior match, none of them are greenies, and this gave them a decided advantage over the visitors. The return match (the last match of the season) will be played at Flesherton on August 20, and by that time the Flesherton boys may be able to make our dauntless twelve hustle."

Wanted—at this office, the address of W. B. Galloway, late of Feversham.

Remember the garden party this, Thursday, evening.

On and after July 1 stores in town will close at 7 p.m.—9 p.m. Saturdays.

The I. O. F. of Owen Sound will run an excursion to Niagara Fall on July 22 and 23. See advertisement elsewhere for full particulars.

An all days' rain on Tuesday caused farmers to smile. It was badly needed and will do an incalculable amount of good.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid are giving a garden party this, Thursday, evening, on the grounds of Mrs. J. W. Armstrong. Admission 15 and 10 cents.

Just in, two cases of nobby sailor hats, also a large lot of flowers and fancy straws in the new shades at Mrs. Trimble's.

Mr. Philip Barnhouse leaves this week for Badjeros, where he will open a boot and shoe shop. We hope the good people of southern Osprey will give Phil. a kindly reception.

Jubilee week made a clear sweep of all trimmed hats at Mrs. Trimble's millinery rooms, but push and perseverance finds us this week with another beautiful assortment all complete.

W. J. McFarland & Son, Markdale, are selling good prunes, 5c lb.; clothes pins, 1c dozen; ribbed cotton hose, black cashmere finished, 10c pair; 175 yds. blouse silks, 25c worth 50c, 18c worth 30c; all-wool Canadian tweeds, 25c, regular price 37½c.

The new road machine has been doing excellent work in the township during the past week. Councillor Best, Thompson and Kells have all had a turn at it during the past week, and the general opinion is that it is an investement that will pay for itself many times over.

Mr. H. E. Glendinning of the Dundalk Herald, who has also been principal of the Dundalk public school for the past three and a half years, has now severed his connection therewith, and on Friday evening was presented with a very handsome goldheaded cane by his late pupils as a token of their esteem. Mr. Glendinning will in future devote his whole attention to his newspaper.

Mr. Rogers of Toronto, a Presbyterian evangelist who has held a series of meetings at Eugenia and is still engaged there occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here on Sunday. The evening discourse was an earnest appeal along Gospel lines to those unsaved. Mr. Rogers has a pleasant voice, but above every other feature his earnestness impresses itself upon his hearers. He is endeavoring, with much success, to do good in the cause of christianity.

A Eugenia correspondent to the Clarksburg paper speaks as follows: "Our road comrs. are the members of the council, and just the other day I was told for a fact that when a road com. was asked why he did not let a job on a certain part of road much needing repairs, he unblushingly answered, 'these people don't support me. I let road jobs in the places where I know the voters support me.' This we did not expect to hear, but it was so well authenticated that I feel at liberty to speak of it and I unhesitatingly characterize the action as unmanly and unfair." Name, please.

The first home lacrosse match of the season will be played on the agricultural grounds on the afternoon of Dominion Day, July 1, between Dundalk and Flesherton clubs. Ball to be faced at 3 o'clock. The ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will give a garden party in the evening. The charge for each will be 15 and 10 cents. Dundalk and Flesherton bands will supply music during the afternoon and evening. See large bills for full particulars. As Dundalk was defeated by Markdale, and Flesherton by Shelburne on the 22nd, no doubt this game will be of unusual interest and we believe a large number of spectators will greet the boys here.

Married.

LUSK—MOORE—At the residence of Mr. Moore, by Rev. T. Legate, Mr. John Robert Lusk of Feversham, to Miss Eliza Jane Moore of towuline of Osprey and Collingwood.

PERSONALS

Mr. Graham of Arthur was the guest of Rev. Thom last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fawcett returned last week after a month's visit with friends in the vicinity of Heathcote.

Mr. Chas. Munshaw returned home Tuesday from the Owen Sound business college for summer holidays.

Mr. Wm. Wright, west back line, will leave this week for Rossland to look after the affairs of his son, recently deceased.

Mr. A. R. Fawcett and little daughter Vera, of Toronto Junction, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fawcett.

Walter A. Tuck, saleman with McFarland & Co., Markdale, was married on Jubilee Day to Miss Elsie Mullin of Hillsburg.

Miss Lizzie Green of Heathcote is the guest of her aunt, Miss Ida LeGard.

Mr. Ernest Armstrong, who has been studying the electrical branch of mechanics in Toronto, has returned home for a time.

Mr. C. J. Leitch of Wabigoon returned last week for the purpose of removing his his family to their new home. They leave this week. Mr. Leitch thinks the prosperity of Wabigoon depends wholly upon mining possibilities. The country is picturesque and not adapted to farming.

Jubilee echoes are still floating in the air. From across the sea has come the news of a successful recital given by Miss Annie Richardson of this place on the 10th inst., in aid of a jubilee music hall and reading room to be erected in her father's native town in the north of England. We are pleased to learn that Miss R. succeeded so well in pleasing her audience that they are desirous of a repetition of her concert, and meanwhile have done her the honor of inviting her to lay the corner stone of the new building.

Promotion Examination

FLESHERTON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Form II. 275 pass marks.

From Sr. II to Jr. III—Harry Steeley 426, Ethel Whitten 404, Fred Lever 396, Chelta McCalmon 393, Nellie Hopps 365, Effie Thompson 322, Albert Legard 286.

From Jr. II to Sr. II—Ella Barnhouse, Millie Crossley, Tom Davis, Kate Taylor, Charlie Thompson.

From Pt. II Sr. to Jr. II—Harry Sloan, Stella McCalmon, Charlie McGruther, Lou Teeter.

From Pt. I to Pt. II—Ella Karsteadt, Mabel Boyd, Edna Pedlar, Stanley Thurston, Willa Wright, Eva Loucks, Emma Taylor.

Average attendance for June, 68.

F. I. IRWIN, Teacher.

The result of the examination in the senior department have not been handed in.—ED. ADVANCE.

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FIFTH ANNUAL

EXCURSION

TO TORONTO AND NIAGARA FALLS

Court Northern Light No. 127, Independent Order of Foresters

Of Owen Sound, and the various towns south to Shelburne, will give a grand excursion to Toronto and Niagara Falls, per C. P. R., the steamers Chicora, Chippewa and Corona and the Electric Railway to the falls, on

July 22 & 23, '97

Excursion Tickets pill be issued by regular trains Thursday afternoon, July 22nd, and all regular trains on Friday, 23, morning and afternoon.

	To Toronto	Good to return to	To Niagara Falls	Good to return to
Owen Sound...	$2 25	July 24	$2 75	July 27
Chatsworth.....	2 25	July 24	2 50	July 26
Holland Centre	2 25	July 24	2 50	July 26
Berkerley.....	2 25	July 24	2 50	July 26
Markdale.....	2 00	July 24	2 25	July 26
Flesherton.....	2 00	July 24	2 25	July 26
Proton.....	2 00	July 24	2 25	July 26
Dundalk.....	2 00	July 24	2 25	July 26
Corbetton.....	1 75	July 24	2 00	July 26
Melancthon.....	1 75	July 24	2 00	July 26
Shelburne.....	1 75	July 24	2 00	July 26

Children half price.

This excursion will afford an opportunity to visit friends in Buffalo, St. Catharines and other places in the vicinity of Niagara Falls. Tickets from Owen Sound being good up to Tuesday night, July 27th.

W. G. MORGAN, A. M. ANDERSON, A. J. LLOYD, WM. WILSON, Jno. H. MCQUEEN, R. MCMURCHY, Committee.

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We are pleased and our customers are pleased with our cash and trade system. We save our trade discounts by paying cash. Our customers save 5 to 10 per cent. by paying for goods when purchased. It is not our intention to call your attention to a few lines below cost as baits to catch your trade. The purchasing public will find our whole stock selling at exceedingly low prices.

Our Stock is Very Complete

We have added new lines in Dress Goods, Prints, Sateen Prints, Rustle Linings, Table Linens, Mosquito Netting, Muslins, Lawns, all over insertions, Embroideries, etc. In order to increase the sale of Dishes by the sett only we will give 10 per cent. off for 30 days. Don't miss this opportunity to procure a cheap sett of dishes.

Hides, Sheepskins, Butter and Eggs taken as cash.

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Queen's Jubilee

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Reduced special Jubilee Prices

Space forbids us giving anything like a fair introduction of the extensive range of goods we carry or of the prices we are selling at. Call in and be convinced. Special Jubilee Organs, Baby Carriages and Cradles. Very special is our line of Hammocks, worth $1.25 each selling this month at 90c.

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Scissors Sharpened and Razors Honed in first-class Style.

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