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ANNOUNCEMENT

We expect to begin next week the publication of the history of Artemesia, written by Dr. W. S. Christoe and announced some time ago. This will run through four or five numbers and will prove interesting reading. Do not miss it. Extra copies of the paper should be ordered a week in advance.

England has another Indian rebellion on her hands, and one which bids fair to reach considerable proportions. It is among the border tribes this time, but as there are 30,000 fighting men among these hillmen they may make it interesting for a time to "John Bull and his island." But the Afridis will find it the most interesting in the long run.

Charles Reid, ex-city clerk of Windsor, embezzled $6,000 and was sentenced to four years' imprisonment. A petition is being circulated for his release after one year's confinement. In view of the many cases of this nature which are occuring the Attorney General can scarcely be expected to lessen penalties. There are plenty of people in this country who would be willing to undergo a year's imprisonment for $6,000.

We understand that J. P. Whitney, M. P. P., Col. Matheson, Messrs. Miscampbell and St. John are to speak at Maxwell on August 31st in the afternoon, and at Markdale in the evening, but have received no official request to announce these meetings and do not know the hour. Someone has blundered in not having the meetings properly announced through the press.

"Man proposes but God disposes," is an old and trite saying. A ferry and scow were rigged up in Toronto to take the urchins to the island baths in order to lessen the number of drownings which occur there every summer. On Sunday a number of children were playing on the scow when it capsized, precipitating all into the water and causing the death of four little ones, thirteen others being rescued. Thus the instrument of life saving became the trap of death.

The meeting of the British Scientific Association in Toronto has given us some good solid reading in our dailies for the past week. The ordinary man would require a Standard dictionary at his elbow while he reads. It is only occasionally in a life time that the common people run across such words as arboreal saurians, palæolithic gravels, pithecanthropus erectus, protaxis, branchipus stagnalis, and such like. Perhaps it is fortunate for our peace of mind that it is only occasionally we meet with them.

Is there danger in all canned goods? If there is we ought to know it. We frequently read of poisonings by the eating of this stuff, and the latest comes from Mount Forest, where two children died and a whole family was made ill by eating canned salmon. We are told that it was the best brand of salmon, and the family thought it good quality. There seems to be no real knowledge of the actual cause of poision, whether it was metallic or vegetable, but the fact remains that it was deadly, two of the children dying within a few hours after the attack, notwithstanding the efforts of two physicians. There should be an analysis of this poison so that the public may know its nature. Canned goods are extensively used, and in some cases they are a necessity, but if they are found to hide an insidious and deadly poison they will not long hold their place in gastronomies.

Notes on Faith Cure

To the Editor of The Advance.

DEAR SIR,—Yesterday, Sunday, a representative of this society addressed an audience on its principles. The writer listened to one of her addresses in the evening, when the lady discoursed on Naaman the leper. One thing impressed me was, that she believed the system, and that, withal, she was a godly woman, but not very profound in argument, and made herself very much the exemplification of her faith. The subject itself was interesting from an historical point, but if the principle ingredients of "Faith cure" be *faith* and *prayer*, it is self evident that no record is made of Naaman's praying at all! Neither was there anything but a tardy obedience to the commands of the prophet. The fact is it was as much a national affair as anything else, brought about by the Kings mentioned in close connection. It was a very far fetched argument to support the modern "faith cure" association. Liberty was given to ask questions, and one or two were asked. One was as to the relation of a sanctified person to the healing process—and as understood by the writer a person's body should be as sound as the soul. The answer, in the opinion of the writer, was so opposite to the true teaching of Gods word that one marvelled. Another question was put, in reference to Bella Cook. Now Bella Cook is, by the lady's admission, a saint upon earth. She has been afflicted and bedridden for thirty years and more in the city of New York, and is, though afflicted and confined and poor, rich in good works, patience and faith and prayer, occupies but one room, yet thousands visit her on account of spirituality, so that they may but catch a spark of her flame. This lady, by a history written by herself, often prayed for deliverance, and a celebrated faith curer from Boston came to her to give her the benefit of the system. Prayer was had and she was assured that in a short interval she would be made well. But Bella Cook didn't get well! The doctor was somewhat annoyed and attributed the fault to herself. She simply replied that she had not so learned of Christ. Bella still lives in her upper room in the city of New York. Now here was a woman wholly consecrated, soul and body—yes, body—though sick and pained, carrying out all that is contained in the sanctification of the body by pen and ink and management in carrying on a great and noble work among the poor and also among the rich. The speaker on Sunday, in referring to her said that the professor approached her in a wrong manner; he should have done so and so to have produced the legitimate results. She was ignorant of the modus operandi. I think it was an unfortunate admission. Here was a child of God, who had the Word of God nearly as a whole in her mind, who was severely afflicted. God knew Bella Cook, had visited her ten thousand times in her room, saw her helplessness, heard her ask Him to be healed, but because she did not ask in a certain way—some mysterious way—a way professed by faith curers, He refused to heal her! I think the devotees of such a monstrous conclusion are to be pitied. Yet, Sir, I am a strong believer in the efficiency of faith and prayer. The substance, or rather inference, is that there is a law outside of this consecration which is absolutely necessary to obtain the results required.

By your permission I will mention a law which is general in your next issue.

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Notice to Creditoes

In the Matter of the Estate of Rebecca Lever, late of the Village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, Widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of chapter 110, section 36 of the revised statutes of Ontario, and amendments thereto, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the above named Rebecca Lever, deceased, who died on or about the 6th day of May, A D. 1897, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to the undersigned, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, on or before the 15th day of September, A.D. 1897, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of securities (if any) held by them.

Notice is hereby further given that after the said last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been received as above required; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

W. J. BELLAMY } Executors
J. H. LEVER }

Dated this 10th day of August, A. D. 1897

New Planing Mill

Having just placed in position a new planing machine I am now prepared to supply good flooring and siding at lowest market prices. A full stock of shingles, hemlock lumber, etc. constantly on hand.

W. S. BISHOP

Kimberley, Aug. 18, 1897.

LIGHTNING PAIN HUNTER

B. HEITMAN ESQ.

DEAR SIR,—One of my girls awoke me the other night saying, "Pa, I can't get my breath," I got up and put some Lightning Pain Hunter on sugar and gave it to her, and in fifteen minutes she was better and slept soundly the remainder of the night. I believe it to be the best medicine sold for croup, coughs, colds, sore throat, sprains, bruises, scalds, old sores, cuts, etc. Lightning pain Hunter cures so many diseases that almost every one in these parts uses it. I believe it to be the best medicine in the world, and I write this that others may know what it has done for me. I always keep a bottle in the house to be ready for an emergency. Yours truly

MRS. G. WHITEOAK, Feversham, Ont.

Above is one of the many hundred testimonials pouring in, telling of the curative powers of Lightning Pain Hunter.

For sale in Flesherton at Dr. Christoe's Medical Hall and at Flesherton Station by J. B. Egan, general store. ONLY 25 CENTS A BOTTLE

Voters' List

Municipality - of - Artemesia

1897

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 5 and 6 of the Ontario Voters List Act, 1889, the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made, pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at municipal Elections, and that said list was first posted up at my office at Flesherton on the 12th day of August, 1897, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

W. J. BELLAMY,
Clerk Municipality of Artemesia

Dated August 12th, 1897.

WE WANT AGENTS to handle established trade in this county. Canadian stock guaranteed to live. Permanent position, whole or part time. Liberal terms. You can make ten dollars a week or better with us, for every week you work. No experience necessary.

Brown Brothers Company,
Continental Nurseries, TORONTO, ONT
15 Mch.

Stock for Service

To all who are interested in good stock I would say that my stock bull, Lord Balco, is as sure as ever. I have also a heavy boned Yorkshire hog for service at 75 cents.

A. JOHNSTON

Vandeleur, June 18, '97. 1m

Cattle Strayed

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, one heifer 2 years old, some white on face, and five yearling heifer calves, one nearly all white, three red with some white and one red and white. Information as to their whereabouts will be thankfully received by

CHAS. STAFFORD,

Flesherton, July 21, 1897.

Wanted

Men and women who can work hard talking and writing six hours daily, for six days a week, and will be content with ten dollars weekly. Address, NEW IDEA CO., Medical Building, Toronto, Ont

TEACHERS

If you want to make $150.00 during July and August, in a good cause, write or wire me quickly.

T. H. LINSCOTT, Toronto, Ont

FARM TO RENT OR SELL

Lot 176, 2nd con. N. E. T. & S. R., 93 acres, good frame house; 50 acres cleared. Easy terms.

W. A. ARMSTRONG,
Flesherton.

AGENTS Second edition "Queen Victoria" exhausted. Jubilee Edition on press. Best history of the Queen and Victorian Era published. The only Canadian work accepted by Her Majesty. Sales unprecedented—knock the bottom out of all records. Canvassers scooping in money. Even boys and girls sell it fast. Big commission or straight weekly salary after trial trip. BRADLEY-GARRETSON, CO., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

WANTED I can pay ten dollars weekly to a lady of mature age, refinement and tact to spend her time in a good cause.

T. H. LINSCOTT,
Toronto, Ont.

M. Richardson & Co.

THIS WEEK

Special Drives in Shoes

Men's Dongola Oxfords, regular $1.50, selling at $1.25
Boys' Buff Oxfords, regular $1.25, selling at 95c
Women's Polished Buff Oxfords, pat. leather tipped, regular $1.00, selling at 75c
Women's Carpet Slippers, all sizes, 25c
Misses' and Children's Oxfords at less that cost to make room for new fall goods

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS
SILK REMNANTS
PRINT REMNANTS
TWEED REMNANTS

The close of the summer business sees a lot of odd lines and cut ends left on our shelves—some are a little short of regular dress lengths—others are a little over. We have cut prices on all these lines. Come and take them away. We want room for our fall importations now on the road and this is your opportunity—don't miss it!

Imported Dress Goods

Our first consignment ex R. M. S. "Umbria" is just to hand. Special values in Black Cashmeres, Black Soleils, Black and Colored Satin Cloths, Black Diagonals, Etc, Etc. This is our first importation under the new Canadian Customs tariff and we can offer special values.

Specials This Week

Ladies' Hem-stitched Cambric Handkerchiefs, 5c
Fringed Linen Towels, 42x22, 30c pair
Fringed Cotton Towels, 42x24, 25c pair
Heavy Factory Cotton, 34 inches, 6c yard
Heavy Grey Sheeting, 36 inches, 8c yard
Heavy Crash Towelling, extra wide, 5c yard
Extra Heavy Figured Table Damask, 52 inches, 20c
Extra Heavy Figured Table Damask, 58 inches, 30c

Preserving SUGARS

Extra Granulated, light and medium yellow. Demerara Raw. Get our quotations.

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

Ten Thousand Pounds of Binder Twine

Don't stay long with us. It's going like hot cakes, simply because we have the best value on the market. Our RED TAG MANILLA TWINE at 6½c knocks them all out. Come quick before it's all sold.

GRAIN CRADLES, either full or half mulley, CRADLE FINGERS and Barley Forks. See our young buck TANNED MITTS at 25c pair.

THRESHERS SUPPLIES

We are right in line for supplying everything to threshers at bottom prices. XXX Machine Oil, Lace Leather and Belting, Babbit and Copperine, Nutts and Oilers.

Another Lot

Of those nice GRANITE PRESERVING KETTLES, Sauce Pans, Pudding Dishes, Cups and Saucers and Tea Pots just to hand. Prices away down.

Catch Prices

Our prices on FRUIT JEMS seem to catch everyone right, as they are selling fas

1 quart Wine at 85c dozen, ½ gallon Wine, $1.20 dozen.
1 quart Imperial at $1.00 dozen, ½ gallon Imperial, $1.35c.

Cheapest place to buy Glassware, Crockery or Hardware in the county.