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Men's Winter Tweed Suits, well made and trimmed, perfect fitting, some surprising values at $4.65 and 4 85

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Our stock of Boys' Suits makes possible some surprising values, our best is an extra heavy D. B. English Serge Suit in sizes up to 35. This line considering the superior quality of goods and trimmings is really worth $8.50, but we're satisfied with a small profit and make it ... 6 50

In addition to these we have scores of other lines better values than any other merchant will possibly give you—Our knowledge of the market and command of ready money combined with the advantages of large purchases places us in this unique and enviable position.

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Ladies' Buff Laced Shoes, solid leather, nailed soles, sizes 3 to 7, regular value $1.10, special per pair 93c

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Flesherton Station, August 4, 1898.

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For sale, lots 75 and 76, 1st con, S.D.R., 60 acres cleared and under cultivation; barn, two stables, frame house; well watered. Will sell on easy terms. Apply to

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Wareham P. O., June 2nd 189

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For sale on easy terms, one lot in the village of Maxwell onsisting of ½ acre, on which is a comfortable brick veneered house and a good frame stable. For further particulars apply to Rev. J. W. Jones, Trustee, Tara, Co. Bruce, or J. HICKLING, Maxwell.

Lines

RECALLED ON LOOKING ON THE REMAINS OF MRS. WARD THE MORNING AFTER HER DEATH AT FLESHERTON.

He who hath bent him o'er the dead
Ere the first day of death is fled,
The first dark day of nothingness,
The last of danger and distress,
(Before decay's effacing fingers
Have swept the lines where beauty lingers,)
And marked the mild angelic air,
The rapture of repose that's there,
The fix'd, yet tender traits that streak
The languor of the placid cheek,
And—but for that sad shrouded eye,
That fires not, wins not, weeps not, now,
And but for that chill, changeless brow,
Where cold Obstruction's apathy
Appals the gazing mourner's heart,
As if to him it could impart
The doom he dreads, yet dwells upon;
Yes, but for these and these alone,
Some moments, ay, one treacherous hour,
He still might doubt the tyrant's power;
So fair, so calm, so softly seal'd,
The first, last look by death reveal'd.

Port Law

From our own Correspondent

Mr. John McNevin of this place met with what might have been a serious accident one day last week while engaged putting the roof on Mr. James Johnston's stable. He was standing on the edge of the roof hauling up some shingles when, the bracket which he had his foot braced against not being properly nailed it gave way and he slipped and fell a distance of over twenty feet, coming down the roof at lightning speed and shooting clean over the scaffold, striking the ground with great force. While no bones were broken Mr. McNevin seems to be badly shaken up and is suffering from the shock, but we hope to soon see him able to be around again.

Mr. David Jamieson of this place has built a new stone cellar and had his house moved onto it. Mr. Sloan of Flesherton did the moving and we believe him to be a very competent hand

Mr. Jas. Maxwell is having a new windmill erected on his well. He intends putting in a large water tank and piping sufficient to take the water a distance of over forty rods to his barn for the purpose of watering his stock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons spent Sunday near Markdale.

Mr. Albert Thompson is having a new well sunk. Mr. Chas. Napier is doing the work.

Mrs. Tucker and family, of Egremont, are at present visiting with Mrs. L. Badgerow.

Mr. Geo. Beecroft has rented Mr. Geo. Thompson's farm and is at present ploughing on it.

Mr. Adair, photographer of Dundalk, was up one day last week and took the photo of our school children, there being over ninety children present, that is counting big, great and small. Hope it may be a success.

A young gentleman attending service at Mount Zion last Sunday evening, who was the possessor of rather a fine hat, not knowing where to put it, saw rather a plain dressed young gentleman in the same pew, and handed him his hat to take care of. This young gentleman being rather bewildered to know what to do with it, as he did not consider himself a hat peg, placed the hat in the pew and sat down on it. We understand when church was over the hat was rather badly crimped and we believe there was a piece of spelling done by the proud possessor of it, while the other quietly slipped away exclaiming, "Wonder what he took me for."

Mr. Fred Ryder of Proton has just finished the contract of veneering with brick Mr. Robert T. White's house, which we consider is a credit to him, as it is one of the finest looking houses now in this section. We wish R. T. and wife long life to enjoy it.

Spain's Greatest Need

Mr. R. Olivia of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If week, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by all druggists.

Lady Bank

From Our Own Correspondent.

Our corner is made happy again. Mr. W. Linley, who left some time ago for Gore Bay, returned home on Monday with his bride. We wish the young couple long life and happiness.

Mrs. Poole and Miss Craford moved last week and will occupy part of her son's new house.

We hear that Mr. Hanna of Eugenia has been engaged as teacher for the fifth sideroad school for the ensuing year.

The hunters have again commenced to roam the woods.

We had a taste of coming winter last week and it made us feel like wearing our mits again.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. John Linley is very ill at present. We hope to soon hear of his recovery.

Feversham.

From our own Correspondent

Mr. E. Blackstock, a well known hotel keeper of Singhampton, died on Thursday, Oct. 27. Deceased was much respected by travellers and all who knew him. He had suffered a long time from dropsy.

Mr. Thomrs Lindley, one of this country's pioneers, passed away at his home in the town of Collingwood on Saturday, 29th inst. He came to Artemesia as one of the first settlers and settled on lot 39, con. 12, where he lived until about 15 years ago, when he removed to Collingwood, where he remained until his death.

The Salvation Army has got a new set of officers.

I thought we were going to lose all our nice girls out of town the other night when we saw a load of them going out of town on trucks, but they say they just went for a drive.

Maxwell C. E. Society paid a visit to the Feversham society last Monday evening, Mr. McWhinney as leader.

Miss Annie Brownridge of Markdale is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Joe says he has eight or ten barns to thresh out yet and he says he can do it better and quicker than any other machine in the neighborhood, and Joe is no hand to blow.

Mr. Geo. Whiteoak is going into the timber business pretty heavily this winter.

We will no doubt have some pretty fishy yarns to communicate when the Feversham boys get back from the Muskoka deer hunt.

By appearances we judge the Feversham sawmill will be rushed next summer as quantities of logs are already coming in.

Business is rushing at the gristmill.

Priceville

From Our Own Corvespondent

If a stranger were approaching our burg last Monday evening he would likely have come to the conclusion that a large foundry was situated about the middle of the town, as about that time of the day immense volumes of grimy smoke could be seen rolling over the house tops in a south-easterly direction. However, it was only the kitchen chimney of the Commercial house engaged in one of its periodical eruptions.

A broad smile illumines the face of the agriculturalist at present. Oats 26 to 27, peas 61 to 62.

Mr. W. J. Blakeston has moved into the house lately occupied by Mr. James Watson.

A serious accident befell Mr. M. Scott last week. As he was decending a ladder one of the rungs near the top broke, causing him to fall to the floor. His left arm was broken near the wrist by coming in contact with a mower which was a short distance from the foot of the ladder. Mr. Scott's left arm is rather an unfortunate limb, as this is the second time it has been fractured.

The pupils of the Methodist Sunday school have begun preparations for their annual Xmas tree entertainment.

Master Herman and Miss Mamie Mc Lean entertained their friends very pleasantly on Hallowe'en.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. William McLeod, South Line, Glenelg, on Wednesday, Oct. 26, when his second daughter, Mary J., was united in marriage to Mr. David Hincks, only son of Mr. Alfred Hincks, of Glenelg. The Rev. J. Matheson was the officiating clergyman. The bridesmaid was Miss Maggie McCannel, and Mr. Robt. Scott supported the groom. Shortly after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hincks left for a visit to friends in Guelph and other places.

Keep this a Secret

We are occasionally enjoined by a buyer of an engagement or a wedding ring to "keep this a secret." We ALWAYS do so; we divulge nothing of the kind; our interest in such sales being guaged not by sentiment but by hard cash, our profit.

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Parties buying from us can do so privately if desired.

In Engagement Rings we are carrying a large stock and of greater variety than heretofore and at prices ranging from $1.50 to $15.00.

We have recently added a new line of Wedding Rings in 10k. gold, which are bound to be favorites.

WATCHES

I am just now making a specialty of Watches, and if you are desiring a timepiece—or even if you don't need one very bad—it will pay you to buy now while prices are at the bottom with McGinty.

I have some fresh, new goods in Japanese Stick Pins, Epworth League and Oddfellow Guards, Ladies' Skirt and Belt Holders, fancy Hat Pins, etc., the nicest, nobbiest things up to date. Just come in and look at them, anyway.

W. A. Armstrong

JEWELLER, FLESHERTON.

Maxwell

From Our Own Correspondent

All Hallowe'en has come and gone in the old-fashioned way, accompanied by a flurry of snow.

Mr. J. Fleming of Markdale paid a visit home last Sunday, returning to his work on Monday.

Mr. Joseph Ferguson left last week on a visit to his son in Sarnia.

Mrs. Love and also W. Guy, jr., have been laid off from active life, through illness, but we are pleased to state both are well on the way to recovery now.

Threshing is about all done and the machines are being laid away for rest.

Last Thursday Mr. Geo. Pallister raised his new barn. The evening was cold but the excellent moonlight made it possible to continue the work long after dark until every rafter and timber was in position. Several narrow escapes are reported but we are glad to say no one was seriously injured although the timber was very heavy and in some cases coated with thin ice.

The Church of England supper and entertainment of last week unfortunately came on an evening when the weather was anything but pleasant. Yet the turnout was very fair. The programme was largely furnished by Dundalk talent and was all that could be desired.

Mr. Alex McKecknie and family moved from here last week to Proton Station.

Mr. Robert Morrison returned home last week after some weeks' sojourn on the western prairie

The victim of the Lavender charivari shooting has recovered.

Mrs. W. E. Cornell of Shelburne fell from a box and broke her wrist.