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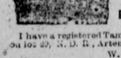

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Peas	61	to	61
Barley	30	to	35
Butter	13	to	13
Eggs fresh	10	to	10
Pork	7 00	to	7 50
Hay	10 00	to	12 00
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Wheat, red	65	to	0 65
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Whom Will Ye Serve.

There are in China a considerable number who have found congenial occupation since the out-break, berating missionaries, and deprecating their work. I have before me a little book in which these charges are collected and answered, by a gentleman who lives in Shanghai. According to their critics, these missionaries are selfish, living in luxury, without tact, and are vindictive. They over estimate the number of their converts, who, they say, profess conversion simply for the loaves and fishes. They lean on the gun-boat for protection, and in an objectionable manner, thrust an objectionable religion down the throats of the Chinese. Now these charges and many more can be answered fully, without ascribing infallibility to missionaries any more than to other men.

But whilst their enemies are so occupied, what are the missionaries doing? Well 183 of them have laid down their lives, and, now wearing the martyrs crown, are doing whatever the redeemed are doing before the throne. Of the remainder who escaped, some came to the home land, but the majority are at the coast, standing at the door ready to enter and resume work as soon as permission is given. And in the meantime what? The women have held a conference in Shanghai, presided over by Lady Blake, the wife of the governor of Hong Kong, in which they prayed for the women of China, discussing their needs, and how best to relieve them. The male missionaries also held conference for prayer and Bible study—that they (the missionaries) might be themselves spiritually quickened, and thereby China blessed. As opportunity offers, they send letters and messages of sympathy and encouragement to the scattered and persecuted converts who remain. Is that selfish or vindictive?

Others are employed gathering up, lovingly, the story of the massacres, the heroic courage and loyalty to Jesus Christ, of missionaries and converts alike, and the many interventions of God's hand, delivering from death those whose time had not come. It is sad, heart-rending, but glorious. For example, eighteen colporteurs about to go on a journey, were warned of the risk, but said, we go on a colporteur tour, God's will be done. Only four of the eighteen returned. Their homes were looted and burned and their families exterminated. They who escaped, did so after passing through terrible privations. The whole story will never be told, but enough to make us rejoice in the power of redeeming grace.

Was ever any country more afflicted and more in need of sympathy than poor China to-day? The terrible scourge of war is now succeeded by one of the worst famines on record. In the two northern provinces of Shensi and Shansi, crops have failed for the third time, and the situation is so desperate that it is said cannibalism prevails amongst them. In the past, missionaries have been their friends in time of distress, but now the missionaries have been driven away by their own act.

Let us not for this, turn away from them in anger, but rather say in compassion, as the Master did, "forgive them for they know not what they do". This is the hour of darkness, but the light will dawn. China will be conquered for Christ, and satan will be shorn of his Kingdom and power. Where are our sympathies? Whom shall we serve.

R. P. McKAY.

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The average country editor does not tell all he knows or report all he sees. He keeps a great deal more out of his paper than he puts in it. A great many readers should be under obligation to him for what he has put in his paper, as well as be thankful to him for what he has kept out of it.

A new invention is out, and the preachers will go crazy over it It's a church contribution box that is passed around instead of the plate. The coins fall through the slots of different sizes and all the halves, quarters and dimes alight on velvet and make no noise; but coppers and five cent pieces drop on a Chinese gong which sounds to beat the band.

The Barrie Gazette says:—"Lacrosse has been dead in Collingwood for some years, since the year that Bobby Watson, of Orillia, played with Collingwood under an assumed name. Bobby was an expert stick handler, who roamed away from home to play. He went because his heart was in the game. Nature had adorned him bountiously with a magnificent head of vermillion hair, which was always a mark of identification, and consequently a barrier at times. The Collingwood fellows got over the difficulty on this occasion by giving Bobby's hair a dip in a vat of dye. The scheme worked nicely until a shower of rain came on, and during the progress of the game Bobby's head resumed its natural color and the fake was exposed." The Orillia News-Letter understands that this is the first case on record where hair dye is dangerous

A young man named Wickens was arrested in Collingwood on Monday evening by Chief Maiden on the strength of information received from Beeton, where he is charged with using forged cheques. On one he raised seven dollars and a half, but was not so successful on the second. He was taken back to Beeton by a constable on Tuesday afternoon where he will probably receive his preliminary hearing this week. The prisoner is about twenty-four years of age.

Mr. H. Cargill, M. P. for East Bruce, has subscribed $2000 for the erection of an Anglican church at Cargill, and if this is not sufficient with the other contributions to complete the new sanctuary, he is prepared to do still better. Mr. Cargill is a Presbyterian, but we understand he has soured on that religious body because the great majority of Scotch Presbyterians of Brant and Greenock supported Mr. Cowanne, an ex-hotelkeeper, in preference to one of their own denomination on Nov. 7th. Mr. Cargill has been the financial backbone of the Presbyterian church in West Brant for several years and his defection will be a serious blow to the Presbyterian cause at Cargill, if the report be true that henceforth he will be found worshiping in and supporting the English church.—Chesley Enterprise.

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You have probably wondered why we have not been making a big display weeks ago, but there is method in our slowness. We were determined to not only have the best values, but the latest styles and newest designs for our patrons, and are now prepared to show you all the latest ideas in Bishop Sleeves, New Collars, Bias Pleating, Bias Strapping, Sailor Collars, etc., and all at a saving of from 10 to 20 per cent. on regular values. Many different styles at various prices. We mention two numbers below:

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10 pieces Dress Duck, full 30 inches wide, in navy ground with white spots, strips and fancy small designs. Had we bought this cloth early in the season the price would have been 15c a yard. You can take your choice now at.... 10

Money refunded if goods are unsatisfactory. All goods marked in plain figures.
The intention is that you may send by any messenger—even a child—for what you need with assurance that no advantage will be taken and that you run no risk.
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Maxwell

From Our Own Correspondent

A week ago Sunday we were the recipients of quite a snow and hail storm followed by rain of which we seem to be getting plenty.

Rev. Currie and wife visited the latter's parents for a few days. Mr. Currie took the service a week ago Sunday and gave an excellent address, his text being found in Phil. 1. 21.

Master Chester Long, who has been ill with pleurisy for some time, is recovering.

Mr. Will Clarke, blacksmith, is also ill with inflammation. We hope to hear of his recovery soon.

Mr. McDuff, agent for the Berlin organ Co., of Dundalk, left two instruments in our village this month.

Quarterly Official Board met at the Methodist church on May 6th and was well attended from other appointments. After the service they all took tea with their pastor at the parsonage.

On May the 10th the Armenian, Z. E. Boyajian, and his cousin, gave a very interesting lecture and concert in the Methodist church and showed different costumes of the Armenian people and their different forms of worship.

Rev. Mr. Mills of Ceylon addressed the people of the Episcopal church on Sunday last at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Henry, who has been visiting her aunt here for sometime, has returned to her home in Markdale.

Mr. Harry Monaghan was a caller in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Burk of Maple Grove visited friends here a week ago last Sunday.

Miss Annie Strachan has returned home after an extended visit of 7 months with her sister, Rev. Mr. Ferrier of Pittsburg.

Mr. Robert Heron is home on a visit from Winnipeg, and his many friends are glad to see him return.

Captain Bemrose left last Tuesday to take charge of his boat and his many friends wish him a successful season and safe return.

Miss Minnie Robinson of the 8th line spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in the village.

The latest fad in our town is buying jersey cows, but they say it takes two to buy—one asks the man if he has a cow to sell and the other acts as judge. Judge not according to size because they are naturally small animal.

Mr. Thurston, editor of The Advance, was a welcome caller in our village last Thursday.

Misses Flossie and Margaret McIntyre called on friends last Tuesday.

There will be a lawn social on Victoria Day at Mr. Ed. McCallum's, 4th line, given in connection of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church.

The question of this week is, where are you going Victoria Day? Let's all go to Owen Sound, boys; that's a cheap trip and the girls in chorus say, "we would like to go."

Ceylon.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Rae of Toronto spent a few days with Mr. Marshall.

Miss Sproate of Flesherton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lawrence.

Mrs. H. Riddle spent Sunday with friends at Eugenia.

Dr. A. Little of Owen Sound visited our village on Thursday.

A gang of men are employed this week cutting down the grade at the north end of the yard.

Miss Mary Cook entertained the Sabbath school class at her home on Tuesday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. J. Cairns spent a few days in the city last week.

Mr. J. D. Morgan of Dundalk, was in our village last week.

Master Kilburn Hempill left for Toronto on Friday.

Miss Ada Taylor of Rochester is visiting her father, Mr. W. Taylor.

Port Law

From our own Correspondent

A good many have finished seeding, others have considerable yet to do, but by the time another Advance reaches its readers the great majority will have the work completed for the season.

Inspector Campbell visited our public school lately and reported favorably on the work being done by teacher Hutchinson.

Mr. S. Sheardown is having the barn on the homestead raised by Mr. John Whitten of Flesherton, with the intention of building a stone basement of which Mr. M. Gillespie is contractor.

Mr. Hubert Ward, Miss Ward and Miss McMaster of Flesherton visited on Saturday with Mr. R. McMaster.

Mr. Eudell has commenced operations on his new house on the lot recently purchased from Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Richard Hodgins of Proton Station occasionally visits this part with his fresh beef. Although Mr. H. is a very modest man his modesty does not prevent him from sometimes blowing his own "horn."

Two extremely tough looking specimens of humanity—a man and woman—passed though this neighborhood lately, drawing a novel looking cart which attracted much attention, and looked like one that had seen service with the the Boxers. In fact the parties themselves seemed to possess some of the features of that sect. No one seems to know what their business was further than that they appeared to have an unlimited supply of insolence for free distribution. One gentleman, who thought he was getting more than his honest share, gently insinuated as much, and that the air might be more healthful elsewhere. This gentle hint and advice the strangers showed no disposition to act upon until emphasized in view of the business end of a shotgun.

Kimberley

From Our Own Correspondent

Building operations are in full progress at present. There were three different forces of masons within easy distance of the village last week. Mr. R. D. Carruthers has the foundation of his new house completed. Mr. T. Reid has the wall finished under his house and Mr. W. T. Ellis is building a foundation to which he will move his house.

Mr. D. Wallace has completed the bricking of his house and now it adds much to the attractiveness of the west side of the valley.

Mr. Geo. Proctor's new verandah is nearing completion. It adds much to the beauty of his premises.

Carpenters are at work building an addition to Mr. Jas. Knott's barn.

Squire Stuart has had his new house very tastefully painted by Mr. S. S. Burritt.

Mr. W. C. Harris has been working at his father's new barn, getting it ready for raising.

Mrs. J. Hall is spending some time at her parental home, having come to see her father.

The Ladies Aid will hold a picnic in the grove, on the twenty-fourth next. For further information see posters.

Miss Mary Knott, and her brother Sandford, paid a visit to their grand parents at Woodford.

Our butcher has been giving us a good supply of fresh lake trout lately and judging from the quick and ready sales they must meet with favor at present.

Mr. J. R. Fawcett will be floating timber down the river this week. He has built a boat to accompany the drive.

Mr. G. W. Graham wheeled home from his school at Boothville on Friday evening.

Thos. Smith of Kimberley, got into an altercation with Mr. John Ferguson of this town on Monday last, when Smith assaulted Ferguson. Complaint was laid before magistrate Webb, but before the hour for the trial had arrived the case was settled between them, Smith paying the costs.—Thornbury Herald.

The Webs Appearing.

Examine your fruit trees and every little grove and cluster of trees on the farm, and if possible remove caterpillar webs which are now appearing and shine like silk in the morning sun.

While these little crawlers are growing and the whole company remain in the web is the time to destroy them. They grow very rapidly and if left undisturbed a week or ten days after they begin to be active, they start out on their work of eating leaves buds and blossoms cleaning out everything before them. Hundreds of trees have been killed and the growth of shrubs stunted by the ravages of this pest. A general move early in the season will prevent further destruction to a very large extent. Remove the webs with your hand, dump them into a pail containing a little coal oil, and the work of snuffing out life is rapid and sure.

Warts Are Unsightly

That is the reason no one is clamoring for a few more warts—make them fashionable and a remedy to grow warts would quickly be made a financial success. Yes, Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor removes them works quickly and without pain—any druggist will tell you more about this remedy.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Williscroft, which took place from his residence near Holland Centre, to Mount Zion cemetery, on Friday afternoon, was the largest that has ever taken place in that part of the country. Among the many beautiful floral offerings the most conspicuous was one presented by the County Council, of which Mr. Williscroft was a member at the time of his demise. It was a large sixteen spoke wheel, with one spoke broken out, representing the number of members of the council, the missing spoke representing the loss of the deceased member, and was composed chiefly of roses. The pall bearers were Warden Brown, ex-Wardens McDonald, Gordon and Pringle, Commissioner N. McColman and County Clerk Rutherford. O. S. Sun.

From Caledon comes the story of the largest trout capture of the year, or possibly of many years. James Knight, of Charleston, went fishing in Green Lake, a mile or more west of that village on May 1st, and managed to land a trout which measured 26 inches in length and tipped the beam at exactly 6 lbs.

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W. A. Armstrong,
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
FLESHERTON.

Markdale May 24

The Program

MORNING

10 a. m. Admission free.
1. Parade and Military display by cadets in training.
2. Broncho running race (open to Western ponies) 1st prize $5, 2nd $3, 3rd $2.
3. Football match, Holland Centre Chatsworth vs. Markdale.
4. Bicycle race, 1st prize $5, 2nd $3, 3rd $2.

AFTERNOON

1 o'clock. Admission, gents 25c., ladies 15c., children 10c.
1. Procession to park headed by Markdale Citizens Band.
2. Lacrosse match—Thistles of Dundalk vs. Aberdeens III. of Markdale.
3. Acrobatic performance, refined monologues tumbling and chair leaping by the celebrated Gourlay Bros., of Toronto.
4. Foot races, jumping, etc.—100 yds dash, running broad jump, running hop, step and jump, putting the shot, obstacle race, 100 yard run boys under 16, girls race under 13, catching greasy pig.
5. Gourlay Bros. in their famous Trick Cottage act.
6. Lacrosse Match—Dufferins of Orangeville vs. Aberdeens of Markdale.

EVENING

8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

At Marsh's hall will be presented the up-to-date comedy "What happened to Jones" by the Markdale Dramatic Club. This play is conceded to be one of the most refined and interesting pieces of its kind acted by the best companies. It is entirely devoid of roughness and is highly amusing throughout. The piece is reproduced in three acts by a cast of eleven characters and will run for two hours. Reserved seat plan at J. H. Stephenson's jewelry store, Markdale.

Everett oil wells are not yet producing oil. It will be remembered that some time ago a Collingwood syndicate secured an option on the farm of Mr. Andrew Gauley, situated on the western outskirts of the village and the natives of the village had visions of untold wealth. There were deposits on the farm that resembled coal tar and burned very brightly and it was believed that not far from the surface would be found vast quantities of oil. But the Collingwood syndicate has evidently thrown up the sponge and in connection therewith hangs considerable of a tale. Years ago, according to the story of an old inhabitant of the village, a previous owner of the property conceived the idea of putting down fence posts in tar. This scheme was carried into execution and a quantity of unused tar was buried on the farm. This tar is now believed to be the basis of Everett's oil wells.—Stayner Sun.

Spontaneous combustion in a manure heap burned a stable at Grand Valley.