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Kimberley

Mr. N. C. Abercrombie has returned from Owen Sound business college.

Mr. G. Proctor has the stonework all done of T. J. Reid's shop.

Haying is about over and some have their wheat in the barn.

Miss Annie and Esther Magee of Toronto are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. John Abercrombie has returned from Sundridge.

Born—A daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reid, on Thursday, 23rd inst.

Mr. S. S. Burritt is painting the school house.

Mr. John Smart is very ill at present.

Maxwell

Mr. Glassford saw two bears in his swamp, south of Maxwell last week, but unfortunately his rifle was unloaded.

A good programme is expected at the parsonage garden paaty on Thursday evening.

Rev. Mr. Flemming and Mr. Buckingham exchanged pulpits on Sunday last.

Mr. Robt. Clark, now about 83 years of age, is quite ill.

We are pleased to see that Dr. Softly has returned from his trip out west.

Mr. Ed. Flemming Sundayed at home this week.

Mr. Percy Buckingham of Chicago, is holidaying at home.

The harvest has begun and barley and oats are ripening fast, "No one may rest till the harvest home"

Osprey is hard to beat as a wheat country. Mr. Jas. Buckingham is cutting a field where the shocks are only about four paces from each other, and the rows are only about twice that distance.

Mr. George Pallister has another fine field wheat.

Farmers generally turn from the comet to the dry moon with a broad smile

Eugenia

Berry picking is in full swing at present. Berries are very plentiful this season.

Mrs. Mosier of Flesherton, Mrs Hooper of Kansas and Mrs. White of Collingwood were visitors at the Eugenia House the past week.

Mr. Duckett had a big fire the past week. Lots of good fresh lime from the effects of the fire.

Miss Maud Smith of Toronto was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Munshaw of the Eugenia House.

Miss Edna Purvis of Toronto is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. H. M. Bowerman.

Master Oscar Bowerman of Cleveland is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Thompson.

Mrs. Sykes of Lady Bank was the guest of Miss Beecroft of Edenvale the past week.

Mr. W. Blair of the North Shore and his bride while on their wedding tour were the guests of Mrs. Ben Madill and other friends at Eugenia.

Mr. Laurie Munshaw of Markdale spent the past week visiting his parents here. He also took in the Niagara excursion.

Mr. Latimer, sr., has gone to visit his daughter in the city.

Eugenia football team recently went to Kimberley to play the Kimberley team. The match resulted in a tie and neither side could claim a victory.

Our farmers are rejoicing over the prospect of good crops this season.

McK. Cameron of Meaford, who is interested in the electric railway, was in town last week.

Miss Clark of Toronto is a guest at the Eugenia House.

Mrs. T. J. Sheppard and family are camping out at Eugenia. They think it delightful as a pleasure resort.

Railroad matters are again being discussed.

Vandeleur

Haying is pretty well advanced and fall wheat and barley is the order of business.

The trustees are having the school house repainted. Mr. Geo Kockersoll is the artist.

Mr. Colclough of Riverview is holidaying with his aunt, Mrs L. Douglass.

Mr. Geo. Hutchinson, jr., has been laid up for the past week with tonsilitis.

Mr. Lighthouse Smith is a frequent visitor at our burg.

Miss Jane Warling and Miss Young of Toronto visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Warling.

Miss Sarah Johnston gave a party on Thursday evening last in honor of her friends, Misses Mary and Edith Mitchell, who have been visiting with her for some time and who returned on Saturday to their home at Hoath Head.

Mr. David Allen and Mr. Troop of Hopeville visited at Mr. Geo. Warling's a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Carson spent Sunday week at Mr. S. Gilbert's.

Mrs. Richardson of Chatsworth visited friends here for a few days.

How Grey is Divided

The final report of the committee on redistribution was placed before parliament on Friday last.

The county of Grey into three ridings, to be called respectively the East, the North and the South Ridings of Grey.

The East Riding will consist of the Townships of Artemesia, Collingwood, Euphrasia, Holland, Osprey and Proton, the town of Thornbury and the villages of Dundalk and Markdale.

The North Riding shall consist of the townships of Derby, Keppel, Sarawak, St. Vincent and Sydenham, and the towns of Meaford and Owen Sound.

The South Riding shall consist of the townships of Bentinck, Egremont, Glenelg, Normanby and Sullivan, the town of Durham and the village of Hanover.

The Central Prison officials seem to be easy to work. Within the past three weeks two escapes have taken place from that institute and both criminals are still at large.

Mrs. George Bond, wife of the Rev. G. Bond, editor of the Christian Guardian, died on Saturday at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. Mrs. Bond had been ill for some time, but was believed to be recovering. She was taken to the hospital for an operation to be performed, but it was too much for her enfeebled condition.

Mr. A. G. McKay, M. P. P. for North Grey, who has been ill at the Rossin House, Toronto, ever since the close of the session, returned to his home at Owen Sound on Saturday. He intends taking a trip to Banff for his health.

King Edward has taken action which will greaty please loyal teetotalers. A naval officer wrote to his Majesty asking him if he would issue an order that when his health was toasted it need not be in wine. The King replied through his secretary that the Lords of the Admiralty probably would not like his interfering by issuing orders, but he would be glad to have it circulated privately that he considered a toast as much honored by those drinking it in water as by those using wine.

Robert Bains, second son of Chas. K. Bains, Owen Sound, on Thursday last went to Toronto, to enter the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway as brakeman. Thursday night he left Toronto on his first trip for Owen Sound. At Cataract Junction, about 2 o'clock, while making a running shunt, he was thrown from the car, two wheels passing over his left leg, crushing it at the thigh He was taken to Owen Sound, and the leg amputated, but the shock was too great, and he died at 6 p. m. Sunday

One of the new promoters of the Huron Ontario Electric Railway was in town Friday. This was Mr. Sawyer of Montreal. He started in at Flesherton to drive over the route, with a view of acquainting himself with the business possibilities of the district, and the possibilities of being able to secure water power. He was accompanied from Flesherton to Hanover by Mr. Gilbert McKechnie of Durham and as Mr. McKechnie is an enthusiastic advocate of the railway, it may be assumed that everything favorable to the proposal was duly pointed out. Anyway by the time Mr. Sawyer reached Walkerton, he had about made up his mind that the railway would be a good thing, that there was buisness enough in sight to make it pay and plenty of water privileges along the route to run it. He expressed himself as being delighted with the appearance of the country. Indeed, he had come up here expecting to encounter a semi-wilderness and was consequently not prepared for the revelation which awaited him. From Walkerton, Mr. Sawyer left for home, but will be back in a few days to make further investigations. If they decide to go on with the work they must sign the contract not later than the first of September.—Telescope.

The fellow who is responsible for the following is certainly entitled to the championship. A farmer in Indiana had a novel experience. A few years ago he built a barn and in its construction used green willow posts at the corners and along the sides. For some time nothing unusual was noticed, but after a year he noticed that whereas he had laid the floor near the ground it was three feet above the soil. He discovered that the willow posts instead of being dead were alive, had taken root and were growing. In their upward movement they had carried the barn along. Last spring the barn was on stilts nine feet high, and he put in a new floor and surrounded the posts with siding, thereby making a two story affair. There is now a space of six inches between the floor and the ground, and the owner expects to have a three story barn in the course of time.

The story of John Mann of Garafraxa, who is suffering from cancer on his lip, is interesting as showing man's inhumanity to man. After wandering around homeless for months, he was at last sent to the Home of Incurables, Toronto, where he was maintained at the expense of the county of Dufferin. As his malady progressed the home officials could find no one who would care for him, and last week he was returned to Orangeville. Magistrate Pattullo refused to commit him to gaol, so he was sent to Grand Valley Warden Richardson then issued a warrant of commital, and when Mann arrived at the gaol, Turnkey Jas. Berry tendered his resignation. Drs. Lewis, Hunter, and Sweeny later performed an operation on the afflicted man and removed the greater part of his lower lip and chin. It is now said that Mann will recover. In the meantime Dufferin gaol is without a turnkey.

Came Astray.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 163, 3rd range W. T. & S. R., about July 15. Four yearling cattle—3 steers and one heifer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away. R WALLER
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RUSH SALE

In Every Department

Head for this store's RUSH SALE commencing Thursday morning when every department will have exceptional values awaiting you.

There are two important factors that help to make this "RUSH SALE" possible for this week:

1. We're using our ready money to good advantage, picking up worthy lines of merchandise at prices much below their regular market value.

2. We're weeding out our own stocks—of many lines being left overs and broken lots—that have not hardly had time to be placed in the shelves.

t's the enthusi asm of quick, brisk sales we're after and to your money-saving benefit if you come when we say.

$7.50 MEN'S SUITS FOR $5.00

14 only Men's Suits in double-breasted sack shape in navy blue serge, dark and medium fancy tweeds, all new patterns and best of trimmings. Their mates have been sold at $6 50 7.00 and 7.50. Thursday morning they go on sale at....$5.00

$4.25 BOYS' SUITS FOR $1.90

12 only Boys' Two-piece suits consisting of neat domestic tweeds and navy blue serge cloths. This is too good an offering to miss, if you have any boys from the age of 5 to 8. More than half of them are $4.25 in the regular way. See them on Thursday morning at $1.90

$3.00 TROUSERS FOR $1.98

Just a few pairs left of that black silk finished English Vanetian Worsted trousers made with best quality trimmings. It has been admitted by those who have seen them that they are good value at $3.00. We have sold a large quantity of this lot leaving only 11 pairs to sell. They go on sale Thursday morning at..... $1.98

$17.50 SUITS TO ORDER FOR $12.90

10 Suit lengths of the famous "Seven Towers" Serge, guaranteed pure Ballymena Irish Worsted, a Medium weight cloth in navy and black, it is of the no-wear-out quality, one fact you cannot get a suit made to order of any other kind of worsted equal to this at $17.50. We put in the best of trimmings and guarntee fit and workmanship every time or no sale. Do not miss this opportunity of having a $17 50 suit made to your order for 12.90. Even if you do not want it just now place your order for it thus giving the tailor more time to make it. Just stop and think, a $17.50 suit for.....$12.90

50c TIES FOR 12½c

15 doz. Gents Silk and Satin Ties in graduates, strings, bows, knotts, medium light and dark shades. This lot we secured from a wholesale firm that are going out of the tie business, so you can imagine how cheap they are, for many of them are worth 50c. Thursday morning they go on sale at 2 for.....25c

$4.00 WATERPROOF COAT FOR $1.98

Fortunately and unexpectedly we secured 40 more of those Men's Raglanette Rain Coats, same as we have been selling for the past three weeks (over 100 have been sold.) Thursday we put out this lot of 40 coats (color gray same as last) at....$1.98

$1 25 LADIES' WAISTS FOR 75c.

Ladies fine white Lawn Waists with 6 rows of insertion down front, also 6 rows of tucks, the back has nice fine tucking and insertion making a very handsome waist worth $1.25. Thursday morning they go on sale at.....75c

75c TOP SHIRTS FOR 49c

95 Men's fancy stitched double front cotton shirts in black ground with fancy stitching, sold in most stores at 75c. This week .....49c.

12½c GREY FLANNELETTES FOR 8½c

About 600 yds. Gray Domet Flannelette full 36 inches wide, extra heavy weight and of a soft and lofty finish. We bought it cheap and you can share in it. On sale Thursday at only.....8½

25c CHILD'S SOCKS FOR 10c

98 pair childs pure wool Cashmere Half-hose, seemless feet, in black, tan, red, and pink, bought at a big sacrifice and are worth 20c and 25c. Thursday morning price per pair.....10c

Many other lines that are reduced in price will await you this week, but as space will not allow mention of the same we are obliged to omit them.

As Monday, 13th July is the day set apart for the Orangemen's demonstration in Markdale our store will be open for your convenience in the way of leaving your wraps, etc. Come in whether you wish to buy goods or not.

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10 Tweed Suits, regular $8.50 and $9.00 for.....$6 00
5 Tweed Suits, regular $6.00 for... 4 50
Men's Fur Caps, Bell coney, only 6 left for 1 40
6 only Ladies' Caperines, regular price $4 for..... 2 75
Great reduction in Ladies' Cloth Coats. A large assortment of Men's Pea Jackets and Heavy Ulsters at rock bottom prices.....
Men's Heavy all-wool guernseys at per suit..... .....89cts
100 pairs Ladies' all-wool hose, very heavy at per pair.....25c

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5 lbs. Choice Black Tea..... 1 00
Good salmon per can..... 8c
3 lbs. sel. Raisins..... 25c
6 lbs. fresh Figs..... 25c
3 lbs. Coronation biscuits..... 25c
2 cans Cresent Baking powder..... 25
Flaked Peas, per packet.....
3 Bottles Extracts 25c
Good Granulated Sugar 24 lbs..... 1 00
Brown Sugar, 31 lbs..... 1 00
Trinidad Sugar, 28 lbs..... 1 00
3 plugs Prince of Wales Tobacco... 25c
3 plugs Brier Tobacco.... ..... 25c

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