Vicinity Chips

Fresh lime always on hand. J. H. Duckett, Eugenia.

Jesse Isaacs, Thornbury, was relieved of a tapeworm measuring 34 feet in length.

Goose, duck and turkey feathers wanted at Sheppard's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Karstedt visited Elmwood friends on Sunday.

Mr. Jack Bunt of Hanover was in town over Sunday.

Choice farm--225 acres for sale cheap. Apply R. J. Sproule.

Four-year-old horse for sale, general purpose, sound. R.J. Stuart, Kimberley.

For Sale—One Bell organ, in good condition. Apply at The Advance office.

The Presbyterian Sabbath school is busily preparing for their Christmas anniversary.

Wanted—Grey broncho pony; must be good size and sound. R. P. Legate & Co. Ceylon, Ont.

Double-barrel shot gun for sale cheap —$45 will sell for $15. Apply at this office.

Mr. Lou Karstedt and wife of Moorfield visited friends here on Saturday while on their honeymoon trip.

Important Notice—All taxes must be in by Dec. 15, otherwise costs will be incurred. W. J. Moore, collector.

Stock for sale—Thoroughbred Durham bull and good span of work horses for sale. Wm. Davis, Flesherton.

For Sale—One good driving horse, cutter and harness, aiso one set light double driving harness. W. W. Trimble.

If you are in need of a nice stylish pair of boots or shoes just call at Claytons and it will improve your appearance wonderfully.

South Grey Liberals will hold a convention in Durham on Dec. 17th for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the House of Commons.

Frame house for sale, in Flesherton, eight rooms, together with three lots, good cellars, etc. For particulars apply to Miss Park, Flesherton, or R. Park, Eugenia.

Mr. S. Boggs, woodworker with D. McTavish, moved his family to town this week from Holland Centre, where they formerly resided.

Dog lost—Half spaniel, white ring around neck, slightly white on face. Finder will confer a favor by communicating with this office.

As will be noticed by our advertising columns, Mr. Geo. Thompson, Portlaw, is now definitely in the field for the reeveship of Artemesia.

Wanted—Telegraph poles, peeled all the way through; piles, R. R. ties, tanbark, wood of all kinds; also all kinds of sawlogs. Highest market price for any quanity of above in cash. R. P. Legate & Co., Ceylon.

Pratt's Astral is the most illuminating oil, perfectly free from smoke, no smoking chimneys, cheaper at the price than any other oil. Get your can filled at Sheppard's.

The acetyline gas machine as at present constructed will no doubt go out of business shortly. Scarcely a week passes but some fatal accident occurs as a result from using this gas.

Sawlogs Wanted—All kinds of timber, but especially soft elm, 10 or 15 ft. long Other timber in ordinary lengths. Good prices paid. Armstrong Bros., Markdale and Rockvale.

Mr. T. Bulmer, who has spent most of the summer with friends near Singhampton, returned home recently in good condition to transact business in the photo gallery for the winter.

Sheep came astray to the premises of F. Spofford, Osprey, lot 11, con. 8, on or about 5th Nov. Owner please come and prove property, pay expenses and take same away.

Better than ever—"The Weekly Sun," the farmers business paper, promises to be even more interesting to the farmers in 1904 than in the past. The Sun is one of the few papers that places the farmers' interests before all others. Subscriptions may be left at The Advance office.

Mr. W. McClung, 3rd line, Euphrasia, passed through town on Friday last with a pair of fine Leicester lambs, purchased from an Erin gentleman. The lambs are beautes and will no doubt be heard from later on at our fall fairs.

Evangelist Kennedy is attracting large audiences in the Methodist church this week. He is a forceful and original speaker. His subjects for Sunday next will be: Morning—"Misunderstood." Evening—"Jacob the Wrestler." 3 p m. —Mass meeting for children from 3 to 70.

A very sudden death occured at the 8th line, Saturday, the victim being Wm. Jamieson, aged seventeen years. The young man had been ailing out it was not thought seriously. Death came without warning while he was sitting in his chair. The funeral took place to Salem burial ground on Monday.

The following verse, credited to the Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford, of Buffalo, is going the rounds. It first appeared in one of the Baptist weeklies:

In the churche's field of battle
In the bivouac of life,
You can find the average christian
Represented by his wife.

Clayton have the pure snag proof gum rubbers for men and boys. Give them a trial.

The Feminine Side

The other day the announcement was made that a daily paper, devoted solely to the interests of women had made its appearance in London, Eng. This is a fair indication of the development which has been taking place in daily journalism the world over. The Toronto News is one of the papers which looks well to the interests of women. Each day a chapter of an absorbing serial story appears, as well as a column of interesting chat for the home. In the Saturday News generous space is allotted to the women's department, conducted by Jean Blewett, whose name is familiar in thousands of Canadian homes. In addition, a column of seasonable recipes is given, and a whole page is devoted to a description of the latest fashions—dainty creations which touch the feminine heart—with appropriate illustrations. Events in the musical and dramatic world are interestingly written about, and the latest books and magazines are reviewed. Every Saturday number of The News is of absorbing interest to every Canadian woman.

Nor is The News a paper for women alone. The husband and brother will find in its columns a terse but comprehensive record of the day's events, with well conducted sporting, commercial and financial departments.

The price of The News is interesting, too—$1.00 a year by mail—which is about the value of the Sunday edition. If you would like to see The News, drop a card to Toronto and ask for a sample copy and particulars of their generous clubbing offers.

A Remarkable Offer

We are making an offer, the like of which has never heretofore been made by any Canadian paper. As a result of negotiations with the Montreal Weekly Herald, and at considerable expense, an arrangement has been arrived at whereby it will be possible, for the coming year, to offer the two papers at the extraordinary low price of one dollar. When it is remembered that the regular subscription price of each paper is one dollar per year, it will be easy to appreciate the sacrifices which have had to made by each publisher in order to make a joint rate of one dollar. The price of the two papers will be simply cut in two. As a result, we expect to increase largely the circulation of The Advance, and it is this expectation which has led us to make this unprecedented offer. As will be readily understood the offer is open only to those paying in advance. We have made exclusive arrangements with the publishers of The Herald, and no similar offer can be made by any other journal in this district. The arrangement is to continue for at least two years.

Alton---Wilcox

A wedding of more than ordinary interest took place on Wednesday of last week, 25th inst., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilcox, back line west, when their second daughter, Miss Ella, was united in marriage to Mr. George Alton of Markdale. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J.S. Ivison Wilson, at five p. m., in the presence of about 75 guests. As the bridal party entered the parlor the wedding march was played by Miss E. Wilson of Swinton Park. Miss Annie Wilcox acted as the bride's assistant and Mr. Arthur Alton stood by the groom in his trying ordeal. The pretty little bride looked exceedingly handsome in a dress of white organdy, trimmed with applique and oriental lace, and carried a flower bouquet of white roses and maidenhair fern. The bridesmaid wore a dress of the same material with a touch of blue, and also carried a bouquet of pink carnations and ferns. After the ceremony the guests partook of a generous and elegant wedding dinner. The wedding presents were extraordinarily fine and numerous. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl sunburst and to the bridesmaid a handsome gold crescent. The happy couple left by the following morning's train for Toronto, and other points to spend the honeymoon. Upon return they will take up their abode in Markdale. The Advance tenders hearty congratulations.

The Los Angeles Times has the champion liar on its staff, and the following from its columns explains why he has been awarded the banner:—"Maxwell H. Graham Esq., son of the late Gen. Sir Gerald Graham of the British army, relates a remarkable instance of the extreme cold of the Georgian Bay district of Canada, where in the winter the thermometer frequently falls to 30 or 40 degrees below zero. Maxwell Graham, who owns the Lyndock Stock Farms, arose early one morning last January to investigate a noise he had heard in the kitchen. To his surprise he saw the family cat standing stock still in the very attitude of springing upon a mouse, which faced the cat with a horrified expression. Both animals were frozen as hard as stone. The cat's tail was extended and the mouse's mouth slightly opened, as though it had uttered a cry of terror.

Some Alliston gentlemen have been drilling for coal down in Mulmer recently. The success of their enterprise is not yet known but there are indications that they have found something. The Shelburne Economist, speaking of the matter, says:—"This much is known: The drill has been sunk several hundred feet; slately seams have been struck from very near the first; one kind of slate is a sure indication of coal; the Alliston fellows are hot on the track of options. Add to this the hint that appeared in a Toronto paper last week to the effect that silver had been found, and is it in any wonder that that corner of Mulmer is full of excitement and interrogation marks as big as a house? The slate found in coal districts is geologically known as slate clay, "an indurated clay, forming one of the alternating beds of the coal measures, consisting of an infusible compound of alumina and silica, and often used for making fire bricks."

Mr. John Stack was taken very suddenly ill with hemorrhage of the lungs on Sunday evening of last week at his home in Arthur township. Shortly after tea he started to go to the barn, when his wife heard him call her. She went out at once and found him unable to stand. She took hold of him and held him till he became exhausted from the hemmorrhage, when he fell down dead, never having spoken after the first call, and had given no sign of being unwell. A family of seven children and a widow survive him.

Owen Sound, Ont., Nov. 29.—Lorne McAllister, who was injured by a falling tree in a bush in Keppell township last Saturday, died at the General and Marine Hospital, Owen Sound, Saturday morning, after suffering terribly from his injuries. About a month ago McAllister was out shooting in Sarawak with Finlay McLeod. McAllister's gun was accidentally discharged, and McLeod received injuries from which he died a few days later Hard luck has followed young McAllister, who has been much depressed since the tragedy of a few weeks before.

A very sad fatal accident happened on the farm of Mr. Robert McClung, west of Williamford last week, when Miss McClung, who lived alone in a house on the farm, was accidentally burned so badly that she died from the effects. It would appear that she had been sitting beside the stove and fallen asleep, when her clothes caught fire from a spark and upon waking she had put out the fire and changed her clothes but given no alarm. When visited by Mrs. McClung she was found to be terribly burned and died shortly afterwards. Mr. McClung was sick in bed at the time.—Chatsworth News.

Election Card

To the Electors of the Tp. of Artemesia

Ladies and Gentleman—Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited for councillor at the Artemesia council board, for the ensuing year.

W. J. MEADS

Ceylon, Nov. 21, 1903.

Election Card

To the Electors of the Township Artemesia

Ladies and Gentlemen--As I have decided to offer myself for the reeveship for 1904, as I am the senior councillor of the township, I feel with my past experience as though I am in a position to render the township good service. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for future, I remain respectfully yours

GEO. THOMPSON

Portlaw, Nov. 39th.

Election Card

Ladies' And Gentlemen,—I cordially thank you for your support in the past, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence on my behalf for the reeveship for 1904.

Yours respectfully

ALEX. MUIR

Election Card

Ladies' and Gentlemen,—Having been requested by a large number of ratepayers to run for councillor for the township of Artemesia, I hereby offer myself as a candidate and request your vote and influence.

ALEX. McRAE, jr.

Ceylon, Nov. 23, 1903.

Teacher Wanted

Wanted for S. S. No. 1, Artemesia and Euphrasia, a female teacher holding second class certificate. Duties to commence Jan. 1, 1904. Apply, stating salary.

ALEX CARRUTHERS
Eugenia P.

Election Card

To the Electors of Artemesia

Ladies and Gentlemen,--Having been requested by a large number of ratepayers to enter the field as a candidate for councillor, I hereby offer my services and request your vote and influence.

R. D. Purvis

Eugenia, Nov. 30, 1903

Farm For Sale

Splendid farm for sale, only $2500; $500 to $800, balance easy terms; 65 acres fit for any machinery, 10 acres most timber off, balance well timbered; good frame barn and dwelling, well watered and close to school, churches, P. O., stores, etc. Apply to R. J. SPROULE,
Convevancer, Flesherton

FARM FOR SALE.

Lot 146, 2nd W. T. & S. R., Artemesia, containing fifty acres; frame house, small orchard, good frame barn with stone basement and large straw shed; well watered. Half mile from Flesherton Station. For terms, etc., apply to T. A. Lawrence, Nanton P. O., Alberta, or to
NOBLE LAWRENCE, Ceylon P. O

Farm for Sale

150 acres in the Township of Osprey—part of lot 8 and all of lot 9, in the 13th concession.

About 40 acres under cultivation. There is a large quantity of timber. A good frame barn 40x60 feet, frame stable and a comfortable dwelling, also good well. Apply on the premises or to W. J. BELLAMY, Flesherton.

Dec. 13m

T. J. SHEPPARD

Men's Clothing.

We keep everything a man wears, the newest, the most, the best, the cheapest clothing. New Fall Top Coats in large variety.

Rubbers & Felt Boots

We have th best that are made, it will cost you nothing to see them, it will cost you less to buy them from us than the best can be bought elsewhere.

Furs! Furs!

We are handling a full line of furs, in ladies' and gents'. You will find one of the best assortments of **Fur Jackets, Caps and Gent's Fur Coats** to be found any place and our prices can't be beat.

Winter Underwear.

Our Stock of Winter underwear never was so full. Our Special All-wool Shirts and Drawers. This line at **50c.** is a bargain.

Ladies Cloth Jackets.

We have a good stock of them yet, although we never sold sold so many before. The reason is that the style and prices are right. You can get value from us you can't get every place, as we imported them ourselves.

Millinery Dep't.

As in the past, is taking the lead. When you want a real nice nobby hat, come to us.

COAL OIL

We are handling Pratt's Astral, which is the highest grade American oil to be got. It brightens the home, makes peace in the home and don't cost any more than common oil.

We take all your goose, duck, hen, and turkey feathers at good prices. Now is a good time to bring them along

New Goods Coming In.

Last week we received 2000 weight of New Fresh Drugs. This week we are receiving our shipments of fancy goods and perfumes, over 600 weight to hand already

Look Out! There is More to Follow.....

W. E. Richardson - Flesherton, Ont.

New Stock of Drugs

We have an entirely new stock of Drugs and patent remedies on hand and are now capable of giving you any Patent Remedy in demand.

PERFUMES! PERFUMES!

We have a very select line of perfumes for Xmas gifts.

Recipes Filled According to Order

The pleasure is ours when you call and inspect our Stock.

W. J. DOUGLASS & CO.

Christoe's Block Flsherton, Ont.