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Wanted—Drug apprentice, R. L. Stephen, Markdale.

Two colts for sale—1 and 2 years old past. R. Richardson, Flesherton.

Lost—A leather halter in town last week. Finder please leave at this office.

The Toronto exhibition is now on and the city is full of people who are visiting their late "summer visitors".

For Sale--A pair of three year old colts, bred from Merry Masson. Lot 29, O. D. R., Ceylon, P. O. Ont. W. J. Meads. 24se

Dufferin County fall fair will be held September 24 and 25. The secretary, Jos. Kelly, Esq., has our thanks for a badge.

The Police Trustees have declared Monday, September 7, as Flesherton's Civic holiday. Business places will be closed.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sparrow desire to thank their friends and neighbors for their kind assistance in their recent bereavement.

Mr. M. K. Richardson, now in Great Britain, delighted the heart of Mr. Alex. Stewart this week by several sprigs of heather from his native heath.

Horses for Sale—One mare 6 years old with colt at foot, one two-year-old gelding, also one yearling gelding. Must be sold. Geo. A. Watson, Flesherton.

Property for Sale at Priceville—A brick house, eight rooms, barn and five lots. Also lot 10, con. 1, N.D.R., Artemesia, 50 acres. Apply to Catherine Scott, Priceville P.O.

We understand that Mr. J. R. Hogg has sold his property in the west and will return this fall to reside at Eugenia. Mr. Hogg's many warm friends here will be pleased to learn this.

A cement walk has been laid across the road in front of Mr. John Runstadtler's residence. This, with the improvements to the fence and house, greatly enhance the beauty of the place.

The band was at Durham last Thursday assisting at the Band Concert there. While on the way over they serenaded the Priceville citizens. A number of the "Unclaimed Jewels"—and others went along too.

One day recently, while drawing in grain over a rough piece of ground, Mr. Will Richardson, of the suburbs, was thrown to the ground, falling on his back. He was unconscious for some time, and several sprung ribs and other injuries prevent immediate recovery.

The Advance received a letter last week from a reader in Weyburn, Sask., in which he says that the place is flooded with men from Fernie and the other burned places. He thinks the west has seen its best days. According to his way of seeing things the west is already crowded with workers and Ontario is the proper place for him.

On Monday evening Port Law and Flesherton baseball teams met on the diamond here. The meeting was satisfactory to the home team, they having the big end of the score—22-6. The Port Law men were out for a good time and unlike other teams Flesherton has played against did not "chew" at all. George Strain of Victoria Corners umpired in an impartial manner.

On Saturday night last Mr. Wm. White O. D. R., met with a serious loss, when his barn was burned to the ground The barn was a good frame one and contained all his seasons crop and implements. The insurance was $600 on the barn and $500 on the contents, but his loss will be heavy. The origin of the fire is not known.

An item elsewhere refers to the demise of the Durham Walkerton stage line since the advent of the new railway. At this end of the line the consequences are not so serious. Mr Tucker still makes his daily trip to Durham in the double rig In fact we understand his business has increased since the railway was opened up, particularly between this station and Priceville. Travellers prefer taking the stage to Priceville or vice versa, rather than wait four hours studying grasshopper life in the fields down at Saugeen Junction.

PERSONALS

Dr. Ottewell is in the city this week.

Miss Etta Legard is visiting in Toronto.

Mr. Henry Holman has returned to the hospital in Toronto.

Miss Stella Bolger of Dundalk is visiting Mrs. J. Runstadler.

Mrs. D. Heathers of Markdale is visiting Mrs. Jas. McClocklin.

Mr. F. G. Karstedt and daughter, Ella, were in Toronto this week.

Rev. L. F. Kipp returned from holidays in Toronto this week.

Mr. Charlie Rutledge of Walkerton is visiting his mother in town.

Mrs. F. Fisher of Toronto is visiting her friend, Miss F. Thurston.

Mrs. Hansford and children left last week for their home in Winnipeg.

Mr Bert Jamieson, from near Sudbury, is holidaying with his mother here.

Mr. Harold Scully of Owen Sound visited at Mr. J. Runstadler's last week.

Mrs. J. Sparrow of Williscroft is visiting her son, Mr. O. J. Sparrow in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith returned this week after visiting friends in Buffalo.

Mrs. Boles and daughter, Bertha, of New York, are visiting Mrs. W. A. Armstrong.

Miss Gertrude Perdue of Toronto is spending a fortnight with Mrs. Geo. Swanton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Mansell and family of Sault Ste Marie visited friends here last week.

Mr. Tom Bulmer, who has been at Singhampton for some time, returned home this week.

Mrs. Emilay and Mrs. Snell, who have been visiting at Mr. O. J. Sparrow's, have returned to Wingham.

Miss Ray Bannon returned to Fort Scott, Kansas, after visiting friends in this vicinity for some time.

Mr George Strachan of Box Alder, New Ontario, spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Wm. Clayton, in town.

Mrs. Geo. Best returned to Toledo, Ohio, with her daughter, Mrs. A. Allan and will spend the winter there.

Mr and Mrs. W. F. Johnston of Thornbury spent one day last week with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Stuart.

Mr. Charlie McTavish returned on Monday to his duties in Toronto. His brother, George, accompanied him and will attend a business college.

Messrs. Rob. Wilcox and Roddie Bentham of Buffalo and Mr. Lyman Newton of Silver Creek, N. Y., are guests of friends here this week.

A Longueil farmer was shot by an apple-thief.

Death of Mrs. T. Bell

Mrs. Thomas Bell, sister of Deputy-Reeve T. R. McKenzie and Mr. Roderick McKenzie of this township, died last week at her home in West Toronto. Mrs. Bell was the wife of Baggagemaster Bell of the C. P. R. Death was due to typhoid-pneumonia. The deceased was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, the daughter of the late George McKenzie. She came to Canada with the family in 1856. Residing in Hamilton for a short time, the family moved to Artemesia. In 1880 she was married to Mr. Thomas Bell and resided in Owen Sound until about five years ago when Mr. Bell's duties took him to West Toronto. The surviving children are the daughters, Mrs. D. L. Davidson, Midland, and Miss Agnes, at home; and the sons, Messrs. John Bell, of Kincardine, and George, William H. and Roderick M. Bell at West Toronto. Deceased had a very large circle of friends in Owen Sound, while the family connection throughout Artemesia is amongst the most prominent citizens. The surviving sisters are Mrs. D. Taylor Owen Sound, and Mrs. George Littlejohn, Markdale; Misses Susan and Mary of Flesherton; and the brothers are Messrs. Thomas R. McKenzie, deputy Reeve of Artemesia, and Roderick McKenzie of the same township. The pall bearers were the three sons, the son-in-law and the two brothers of the deceased. The remains were interred in Owen Sound cemetery on Tuesday of last week.

Wm. Strain Dead.

Word was received here during the past week of the death of Mr. Wm. Strain at Great Falls, Montana, where he had lived for a few years past. The sad event occured on the 26th inst., the direct cause of death being hemorrhage of the bowels and stomach, but for many years Mr. Strain was somewhat of an invalid. Mr. strain came to Flesherton about forty years ago, previous to which time he lived on a farm near Inistioge. Full particulars of his life are not to hand. He was married to a Miss Bell, who survives him, together with a family of nine children. The daughters are, Mary Anne (Mrs. Skinner). Sarah Jane, and Clara of Goldfields. The sons are Joseph Henry, Herbert, Josias, Earl, Edward and Ferd, all professional or business men of Montana or California. During Mr. Strain's life in Flesherton he was one of our most highly respected citizens. He was a member of the Methodist church of long standing, of a deeply religious nature and sterling qualities. The deceased was 76 years of age. The remains were interred at Great Falls.

There was Music in the Air

Thursday evening of last week was a musical one for Durham. The occasion was that of the annual band promenade concert, only no one was noticed promenading. The crowd was not large and all those who stayed away missed a rare treat. The concert was held in the new rink which is about 80 by 200 feet. This splendid rink should give the Shorthorns a better opportunity to learn to play hockey. Proceeds amounted to the sum of $30.00 which will give one an idea of the musical taste of the Durhamites.

The Flesherton band had the stand first and played their selections well, winning a good name for themselves in Durham. Then came the Durham Band, which held down the stage for a time. Their music was gratifying to the audience as was the Flesherton Band's work but they both were completely snowed under when the Hanover band got busy. The latter played high class selections of a nature seldom heard outside of cities and it took immensely with the crowd. The Germans were there with the goods. We learn that they have been playing five years together without losing a man. Whatever the reason, they certainly put up high-class concert music. At the close a massed band of over fifty men played the National Anthem.

Fall Fair Dates

Flesherton—Sept. 24, 25.
Clarksburg—Sept. 29, 30.
Chatsworth—Sept. 17, 18.
Chesley—Sept. 22, 23.
Dundalk—Oct. 8, 9.
Durham--Sept. 22, 23.
Feversham—Oct. 6, 7.
Hanover—Sept. 29, 30.
Markdale—Oct. 1,2.
Meaford—Sept. 24,25
Mildmay—Sept. 28, 29.
Owen Sound—Sept. 16, 17
Paisley—Sept. 29, 30.
Priceville—Oct. 1, 2.
Rocklyn—Oct. 8, 9.
Tara—Oct. 1, 2.
Walters Falls—Sept. 29, 30.
Walkerton—Sept. 16, 17.

Last evening, just about dusk, the domestic, an English girl, in the employ of Wm. and Mort Porter, about a mile east of here, was struck on the head, as she was sitting in the doorway, with something, cutting a deep gash which bled profusely. A doctor was sent for and the wound dressed. Mort returned to Tottenham to bring some drugs for the wound and was returning about ten o'clock when driving down the lane he was struck with a stone, which almost left him unconscious. The doctor was sent for who attended him, but nothing serious resulted. The evening was dark and cloudy but he thought he could see someone standing under a tree in the passage way. A large stone was found in the buggy, but nothing could be discovered that had inflicted the wound to the girl, and it is thought that the culprit either used a club or picked up the missile after the girl had gone into the house. Both Wm. and Mort Porter were in Tottenham when the first blow was struck, no one being at home but Mrs. Porter with a little baby, and consequently the wretch got away easily. It is still a mystery who the cowardly villain was, and no reason can be given, as they have no known enemies and are on good terms with everyone around them. It is to be hoped, however, that the culprit will be brought to justice.—Sentinel.

One of our enterprising citizens had an exciting time a few days ago. While employed in one of his back fields he heard a kind of a humming sound and at first thought it was Cap. Gabriel's bear but on closer examination came to the conclusion that it was a swarm of bees hived in a cedar log about a foot thick and ten feet long. He did not like to put it on a wagon for fear the bees might sting the horses, so he shouldered the log and carried it home. To get the bees into a box was the next move. Not having a proper hive, he borrowed one from his neighbor and agreed to divide the profits next year. He then proceeded to cut the log open and swarm his hive but to his disgust it only contained a few bumble bees.—Shelburne Economist.

Belle, the eight-year old daughter of Ban Ewing, living near Chatham, died of lockjaw. Some days ago she injured her foot and died after two days' illness.

Carter Mitchell, colored, aged eighty years, a store-keeper in Chatham, was found dead It is supposed that heart disease was the cause of death.

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We are putting an extension to the store and in order to save moving so many goods we are going to sell them off cheap for the next few days. Now is the time to get your dishes for threshings and save money.

We got a load of plumbs in from the fruit country, as we expect they are about as cheap as they will be. We have also some Nice Pears, Peaches and lots of ripe Tomatoes.

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Two pedestrians, Wm. Coughlin and his sister Miss Betty, of San Francisco, California, who were visiting friends in Guelph thought they would like to call on Mr. and Mrs. James Bolger of Shelburne before returning to the west. Being taken up with the walking craze they decided to make the 48 miles on foot. They left Guelph at 9o'clock on Thursday morning and spent the night in Hillsburg arriving here on Friday evening in good shape Miss Coughlin is slightly tanned by being exposed to the sun.—Free Press.

A freight train crew, having been on duty more than the number of hours required by the rules, ran their train into a siding at Bolton station and slept until another crew came from Toronto and took the train in. It is said that the brakemen used this means of protesting against the action of the Company in bringing conductors from the "east end" to take the runs on the Sudbury Division. —Enterprise.

Streetsville recently installed a municipal electric lighting plant at a cost of $26,000, and is now supplying current at 6 cents per kilowatt. This is the lowest rate in Ontario.

The fire which destroyed about half of the Union Stock Yards at West Toronto last week was plainly visible at Bolton,

George Hauck, son of Harry Hauck, Weston, came pretty near being run over by the train the other day. He was standing about the centre of the bridge when the train came along, and thought that by walking well out to the end of the timbers that he would be alright, but as the train came closer he got afraid and to avoid being struck did the only thing left for him, jumped off the bridge into the river, He got a bad fright and a good ducking.

Monday morning when the men returned to work at the Listowell woollen mills they found Arthur Brook, son of the proprietor, aged about 24 years, lying on the floor very ill. It was learned later that he had taken sulphuric acid in mistake for medicine, from the effects of which he died about three hours and a half after being discovered.

In jumping from a ballasting train to the platform at Hanover, an Italian laborer fell back under the wheels crushing his legs so badly that he died shortly afterwards.

Lakefield Council has passed a by-law prohibiting spitting on the sidewalk. A fine of from $1 to $10 is permitted in case of violation of the by-law.

A heavy peach crop is reported from Essex county.