Flesherton Advance.

"TRUTH BEFORE FAVOR." — "PRINCIPLES NOT MEN."

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Priceville

Last week ended with the coldest weather of the season.

Our mails have been carried by the C. P. R. since the first of the month, and it is a very unsatisfactory service, and if our good people would wake up and demand a proper service, they would likely get it.

Mr. Hector McKinnon has been threatened with an attack of appendicitis, and therefore unable to resume his normal school studies, but we hope the ailment may pass away without any serious consequences.

Died –Mrs. W. Konold, who has resided some three miles west of the village for a number of years, passed away on Sunday, Jan. 10. Some of her children had to come from the Pacific coast to attend the funeral, which took place on Friday, January 15, when she was laid beside her mother, in Ebenezer cemetery. Rev. J. A. Matheson officiated at the interment.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Institute was held in Watson's hall, on the 12th. The Womans' Institute has not held any meetings for some months, hence there was no arrangement made for Mrs. Colin Campbell of Windsor to address the women, but several ladies of the village and vicinity turned out and met Mrs. C. at her hotel, and then came in a body to the former meeting in the hall. Mrs. C. then addressed all present on "Poultry." At the close of her very interesting address, a request was made, that the Woman' Institute be re-organized and after a few arrangements were made, all the ladies adjourned with Mrs. Campbell, to Mr. C. C. James' residence, and a new Institute has arisen. We cannot report the proceedings, but understand that Mrs. D. Stewart, north line, was elected President, who will be ably supported by Mrs. Geo. Patterson, 5th line. Miss Maggie McLeod was elected secretary. From our acquaintance with the present officers and members, we feel sure that the meettings in the future will be conducted in a businesslike manner, orderly discussions will be encouraged, but all gossip, or other unwise conversation will be strictly tabooed. After the ladies ajourned, President W. H. Guy introduced Mr. Geo. Carlow of Warkworth, who gave a very instructive address on "The eradication of weeds." Many questions were asked and a profitable time was spent.

The evening meeting was better attended, but other meetings in the village the same evening kept many people away. After some pleasing music on the bagpipes by Mr. H. McDonald, the chairman called on Mr. Carlow, who gave an excellent address on "The cultivation of the soil." Many questions were asked and satisfactorily answered. Just before the chairman called on Mrs. Campbell the pipes struck up "The Campbells are coming," which caused a pleasing sensation. Mrs. Campbell appreciated the introduction and gave a very interesting address on "The housekeeper and her importance to the state."

Lame Shoulder.

This is a common form of muscular rheumatism. No internal treatment is needed. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely twice a day and a quick cure is certain. This liniment has proven especially valuable for muscular and chronic rheumatism, and is sure to give quick relief. Chamberlain's Liniment is also most excellent for sprains and bruises. Price, 25cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by W. E. Richardson.

Thirty manufacturers and dealers in candy at Montreal have been summoned to answer a charge of selling brandy chocolates, which is selling liquor without a license.

Solomon Boyd died at Kingston, aged a little over one hundred years.

SHADOWS versus SUNSHINE
Or the Tribulation and Pleasures of a Family Man

The above is a picture of Master R. N. Cornfield of Flesherton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cornfield, and his family of fox terrier puppies. The picture was aken by our own staff artist.

Scalded to Death

Matthew Ferguson of Kimberley the Victim

Matthew Ferguson, a farmer living at Kimberley, met with a shocking accident on Tuesday of last week, which resulted in his death 48 hours afterwards. He had arranged to kill pigs and had prepared an inclined scaffold on a level with the boiling cauldron of water used for scalding. There were some boards overhead that required removing. Mr. Ferguson asked Mr. H. V. Gaudin, his neighbor, who was assisting him, to go to the house and sharpen the knives while he arranged the boards. This he did and a few moments afterward heard a scream. Running out he found Mr. Ferguson lying in the snow in extreme agony. He was taken to the house and two doctors hastily summoned. Mr. Ferguson was frightfully scalded all over the body, excepting the head and breast. He was unable to give a coherent account of what occurred, but it is supposed that while standing on the inclined platform fixing the overhead boards his feet slipped and he was precipitated into the boiling water. He suffered extreme agony for 48 hours, when death kindly put an end to it. The deceased was buried at Thornbury on Sunday last. He leaves a wife and six children, the eldest of whom, a girl, is 17 years of age. He was a kind father and a man who was very highly respected in the neighborhood. The sad event has cast a deep gloom over the entire vicinity. Deceased was 47 years of age

The Pure Food Law.

ecretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine, and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the [illegible] it has been in general use. For sale by W. E. Richardson.

East Mountain

Born— in Wiarton to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cross, twins.

Mr. Tom Allen of Barrie, is renewing acquaintances here.

Mr. Thompson Allen is confined to the house for some time with a severe cold.

Miss Mary Braniff has been engaged to teach in Rockvale P. S. until midsummer.

Mrs. Humberstone is on a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Cross of Wiarton.

Miss Nettie and Mrs. J. J. Martin visited last week with friends at Redwing and Heathcote.

Mr. Lee, the organizer for the C.O.O.F., was in this vicinity last week working for the interest of that order.

Mr. Peter Thompson of Owen Sound and Alexander Thompson of Battleford are the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. J. Martin of this place.

Last Wednesday the sad news reached here of the sudden and terribly fatal accident which befel Mr. Matthew Ferguson of Kimberley. He was preparing to kill a pig, when in some way, standing beside a caldron of boiling water, he lost his balance and fell in backwards scalding almost his entire body. Two doctors were called at once but could do nothing for the suffering man. He died about four o'clock on Thursday and the remains were interred in Thornbury cemetery, on Sunday. He leaves a widow and six children, the oldest eighteen, who have the sincere sympathy of the entire community. Mr. Ferguson was a hard working man, one who looked after the interests of his family, and esteemed by everyone who came in contact with him.

Proton Station

Mr. D. Doyle, Dundalk, Sundayed in town here.

Mr. Tom Ryder, Toronto, is visiting at the home of Mr. J. C. Wright.

A tie social is being held in the Orange hall on Wednesday evening, by the Church of England.

Rev. Mr. Watson, Knox church student, Toronto, delivered an excellent sermon here Sunday last.

Favorable weather, good roads, business active, quantities of logs, poles, wood, etc, are being deposited in saw mill and station yards.

In spite of the cold weather, the S. S. entertainment, which was held in the Orange hall last Friday evening, by the Flesherton S. School, was a great success and the concert was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Thos. Wauchob had a successful woodbee Wednesday last and also gave the young people a party in the evening, where dancing and games were enjoyed till the "wee sma'hours of the mornin'."

8th Line, Artemesia

Miss Ina McGee spent last week with friends in Kimberley.

Mr. D. Genoe spent a few days with Clarksburg friends recently.

We are sorry to report Miss May Parliament very sick at present.

Mr. Bert McGee of Flesherton Sundayed at his parental home here.

Miss Dora and Mr. Louis Pedlar of Rock Mills spent Sunday at Mr. J. McGee's.

Miss Annie Carson returned home after a week's visit with her sister in Owen Sound.

Miss Sarah Paul of the 10th, returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. R. Bentham of Flesherton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawkins gave a party on Tuesday evening last to a number of their young friends, all having a delightful time.

All the young folks in the neighborhood attended the party given by Mr. and Mrs Gorley of Eugenia a week ago, all reporting a most delightful time.

Womanly pains, head pains, in fact any pain anywhere can be completely stopped in 20 minutes with one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Ask your Doctor or Druggist about the formula. It is printed on the box—and it can't be bettered. Try one dose and be convinced. Box 25c. Sold by all dealers.

When Ship-keeper William Daggitt of Collingwood was going around his steamer at the Grand Trunk wharf one morning last week, he noticed a man's cap on the ice by the side of the steamer City of Midland. Upon investigating, tracks were found to lead to a hole in the ice. As there were no returning tracks a grappling hook was used, and after an hour or so, the body of John Smith, a farmer of Kirkville, was recovered. The unfortunate man during the night had evidently wandered down to the docks. He had been drinking heavily, and late in the evening had wandered, in an intoxicated condition, into the stables of C. W. Lane. A bank book was found with money in it belonging to Smith.

Hatherton

Miss Louisa Black returned to Toronto last week.

Miss Lizzie Sterling of Maxwell called on Mrs. G. Grummitt last Friday.

Dr. Ottewell, Flesherton, paid a professional visit in our burg one day last week.

Mr. John Winters of Alberta is visiting his mother and other friends here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fawcett of Rocklyn visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Down, last week.

Eva, the little daughter of Mr. James Arnott, had the misfortune to fall on an axe and give her foot a nasty cut.

Miss Myrtle Thurston, Flesherton, has been engaged to teach in the public school until a regular teacher can be obtained.

A number from here attended the Woman's Institute and enjoyed the splendid address given by the speaker, Mrs. Campbell, on poultry raising.

At the annual meeting of Hatherton Public school Mr. John Winters was appointed to take the place of the retiring trustee, Mr. R. Arnott. Mr. John Lougheed was appointed sec., treas.

At the annual meeting of Hatherton Sunday school held at the home of Mrs. E. Seeley, Tuesday evening, Jan. 12th, the following officers were elected: Mr. Down, Supt. and Bible class teacher; Mrs. James Arnott, Mrs. E. Seeley and Mrs. Down, teachers; Miss Bertha Winters, treasurer; Mr. J. J. Jamieson, secy.; Mr. John Seeley, assistant secy.; Miss Mabel Young, organist.

Ceylon

Miss Jean Collinson is visiting friends in Durham.

Miss Morrow of Dundalk is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Woods.

Mr. James Sproat and son, Andrew, have gone timbering in the neighborhood of North Bay.

Mrs. James Sproat is spending a couple of months visiting her brother at West Toronto, and friends at Grand Valley.

Miss Olga W. Connell of Manitowaning is spending a few weeks with Donald McLeod and friends.

Rev. W. Daniels of Alberta preached a very interesting sermon to a very attentive audience in the hall here on Sunday.

Miss Maria Chislett, who has spent a week or so with her uncle, Mr. A. T. Down, and family, at Cleveland, has returned home.

We are pleased to hear that Miss Sibyl Collinson is getting better after an attack of tonsilitis; also Bon. Balfour, who was laid up with a severe cold, is around again.

Our enterprising school board have ordered a library for our school, which will no noubt be highly appreciated by the reading and more intelligent portion of the community.

Vandeleur.

Mr. Wm. Gaudin of Heathcote was a caller at Mr. Ed. Baker's on Saturday.

Mr. Sid Gilbert left last week for Griffiths Island to work for the winter.

Mrs. John Foster is visiting her nephew, Mr. Will Foster of this place.

Mr. Charlie Buchanan of St. Vincent is spending a week with his parents here.

Born—On Thursday, January 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boland, a daughter.

Mr. E. McMannus of Newmarket is the guest of his uncle, Mr. John Boland.

Mr. John Allen and bride, of Glenelg, are spending part of their honeymoon with their cousin, Mr. Geo. Warling. Miss Belle Allen, sister of the groom, is also visiting friends here.

Friday evening was the "big" night for the scholars of the Sabbath school here, being the occasion of the yearly entertainment. The women of the church provided the eatables, and in doing so almost made an error. So attractive were the viands that the popular tendency was to linger long at the tables. As a result the program commenced about 9.30. However everybody appeared to enjoy themselves, the only drawback being the late hour at which the goodbyes were said, for the program was not over before twelve. The program was varied and interesting throughout. Recitations were given by Gertie Smith, Leila Warling, Albert Buchanan, Harold Baker and Rita Davis. The solos and duets by the girls were excellent, and gave evidence as to the talent which is springing up in our midst. Those who gave solos were Rhena Davis and Maude Thompson. Duets were rendered by Sadie Warling and Rosie Dawson, and Julietta Davis and Albert Buchanan. Selections were given by the S. O. T. orchestra. Addresses by Revs. J. S. I. Wilson, Laidlaw and Caldwell. Two very pretty drills by girls were a fan and flag drills. A pretty sacred drill was given by a number of boys and girls. A dialogue with a pointed moral was given by two girls. The Secretary's report was encouraging. The average attendance for the year was 35. Proceeds of the entertainment amounted to $26.25.

McFARLAND & CO.
MARKDALE ONTARIO

This Sale Lasts Only Eight Days More.

Tremendous Crowds Attending McFarland & Co.'s 15 Days' Sale.

That the people of Markdale and vicinity have been taking advantage of McFarland & Co.'s 15 days' Sale has been manifest from the large crowds in attendance since the opening day. The people appreciate good merchandise at a Bargain Price, and they are showing their appreciation daily by carrying away immense purchases by the armful. This sale only lasts eight days more and positively closes Saturday night, January 23rd. To those who have not attended this sale we wish to say to you that you are missing a great opportunity of securing for yourself wearing apparel and home needs at greatly reduced prices. Extra salespeople have already been secured for the last eight days of sale in order to serve the crowds. Consider—and think what this sale means to you, as it is right in the height of winter season, when you need the goods and wearing apparel the most.

All Dry Goods in the house, which include Dress Goods, Skirts, Men's and Boys' Furnishings, Furs, Mantles, Underwear, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Staples, House Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Crockery and Glassware, etc., are being sold at sacrificing prices—Everything Goes.

From remarks heard on all sides this great rush sale now going on at McFarland & Co.'s store is proving a veritable feast to the public who are never slow to appreciate big bargains, the crowds attending being something wonderful.

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Reduction Sale

The Christmas rush is over and gone and we are settled down to regular business again. The cold weather requirements is the next thing to be thought of. Here are some good buying opportunities in these lines:—

Women's Cardigans were $1.50 for.....50c.
Boys' Pea Jea Jackets were $2.50 for.....$2.00
Boys' Overcoats storm hood were $4.25 for.....$3.50
Boys' Overcoats were $4.75 for.....$4.00
Men's Overcoats were $6.00 for.....$4.50
Men's Overcoats were $7.25 for.....$5.50
Women's Cloth Coats were $10 00 for.....$7.50
Women's Cloth Coats were $8.50 for.....$6.00
A few Men's Rain Coats were $3.00 for.....$1.75
In Dishes—High Preserve Dishes were 50c for.....25c
Tumblers in different designs at 25c per dozen
Glass—Six piece sets for 25c per set.
FLOUR—We have pure Manitoba Flour the Cream of the West, best in the land, for per bag.....$2.95

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We will pay highest market price, also for Butter and Eggs.
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