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VICINITY CHIPS

R. J. Sproule was in Toronto last week on business.

The Owen Sound district meeting of the Methodist church is being held here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

An Owen Sound young man passed a counterfeit ten dollar bill as a joke. It got him into a heap of trouble and he is now wondering just where the joke comes in.

The members of the 31st regiment will be provided with straw hats this year while at Camp Niagara. It will not add to the dignity of the battalion but comfort is probably more important.

The citizens of Flesherton will divide their attention between Feversham and Markdale on the 24th. Feversham has a good list of sports—Markdale has horse racing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pedlar of Loup City, Nebraska, are visiting relatives here for a few weeks. Mr. Pedlar gave The Advance a pleasant call on Tuesday. It is sixteen years since he visited the folks here and thirty since he left the parental home near Eugenia to seek his fortune in the State of Nebraska. Incidentally we might remark that he found it.

Dan McLeod this spring purchased one of the finest heavy horses seen in this section for some time. King's Abbot is a very handsome black and if pedigree goes for anything he should prove something good for the country. His route appeared in last week's issue.

An official visit was paid on Wednesday evening last to Prince Arthur Lodge, A. F. & A. M., by D. D. G. M. A. Sneath of Elmvale. Fitting reference was made in his address to the late King, who was a past Grand Master of the order in England. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Chas. Moore, Victoria Corners, reports having a thoroughbred Holstein heifer calf purchased last winter. It was born Oct. 25, was fed until the last two months principally on separated milk and hay. For the last two months its drink has been warm water with only a little milk. On March 25 the calf weighed 432 lbs.

The excavation for the Artemesia Continuation School has been completed and work commenced on the concrete foundation. Mr. McMaster continues punching the hole in the earth in hope of finding water. He drove one hole down some 35 feet, but was compelled to pull up and try it in another spot.

Mr. A. S. Thurston is representing The Advance at the Canadian Press Association meeting which is being held in Toronto on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The meeting this year includes a trip to Cochrane and out for a distance on the Grand Trunk Pacific given to the members of the Association by the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O.

Go along the streets of our towns, says an exchange, and you can point out the boys who in the next decade will be the grumblers and growlers. You will see them sitting idle on a dry goods box, swinging their feet and squirting tobacco juice. In ten or twelve years from now they will be doing the same thing and declaring the world has been made all wrong.

The Toronto dailies last week said: Word was received by the police of the death in Cleveland, Ohio, of Richard Ludlow, a dentist, aged 58 years. It was thought that his people lived in Toronto but an inquiry prosecuted by the police revealed that a brother of the deceased, William Ludlow, a retired farmer, is living in Dundalk. Several people in Toronto were found who knew Ludlow formerly when he was teaching school near Toronto. He was also a brother of Mr. George Ludlow, late of Flesherton.

The steamboat express will begin running on Saturday of this week. Since the opening of navigation a mixed train has been attending to the steamboat passenger traffic and Sunday last a large number of passengers were accommodated by this train. The up trains will run this year on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday; the down trains on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, leaving Owen Sound at 8.30 a.m. The season opens about a week earlier than last year.

Twenty-three charges of illegal liquor selling were heard in Owen Sound last week. The Central hotel got a triple dose amounting to $375 and costs. There were also a number of convictions against other hotels.

Rev. J. V. Laughland, who has been pastor of the Baptist congregation here since the removal of Mr. Kipp, has severed his connection with the Baptist body and will enter the ministry of the Methodist church. For some weeks he will supply for Rev. Mr. Fish in the West street church in Owen Sound. At the District meeting here this week Mr. Laughland was examined and enrolled into the church. He is a clever young man, a deep thinker and controls a ready flow of language which ought to advance him in his calling. Mr. and Mrs. Laughland will remove to Owen Sound this week, and our well wishes go with them.

That little Harvey Shunk, the 9-year old son of Mr. Shunk, is not laid up with a broken leg or worse is owing to the strength and presence of mind of Mr. W. L. Wright. On Monday afternoon the township grader was being hauled down the street in front of the town hall by Mr. Fred Radley's traction engine, loosely hitched to the water tank. Coming down the hill the grader ran ahead on the tank and frightened two boys, George Paton and Harvey Shunk, who were riding in front of the grader. George managed to jump clear, but Harvey was caught and tumbled to the road directly in front of the grader wheels. Mr. W. L. Wright, who was a spectator, rushed out and grabbed a wheel, stopping the grader long enough for the boy to be pulled from his dangerous position. The escape was so narrow that the boy's leg was slightly bruised by the wheel. Harvey had a severe fright, but it might easily have proved a tragedy but for the alertness and strength of Mr. Wright. Next time Master Shunk rides in a motor car it will doubtless have double acting expanding brakes strong enough to hold a team of horses.

To Plot Holders.

Plot holders of the Flesherton cemetery are requested to clean all stone and rubbish off their plots before the 24th of May. —THE TRUSTEES

Doctors Condemn Oily Liniments

The Public are Warned to Be Careful of These Strong-Smelling Oily Liniments Containing Harmful Acids, Ammonia, Etc.

Many people have clung to the old-fashioned idea that a thick, greasy liniment is the best kind. Doctors say not—and they know.

Recently a number of these white, oily liniments were analyzed, and they were found to contain an enormously high percentage of harmful acids, and such irritating chemicals as ammonia, etc. For the moment they may cause a warm sensation when first applied, but their continued use never cures rheumatism, and only deteriorates the skin, sets up inflammation and causes endless trouble.

When a doctor warns you to quit using a white, oily liniment—do so. He knows that a thick liniment can't penetrate, can't sink through the pores and reach the seat of the pain.

When asked his opinion a few days ago, Dr. Roberts stated that he considered a strong, penetrating, pain-subduing liniment such as "Nerviline," to be superior to any of the white, ammonia liniments. In his twenty-five years of practice he had witnessed cases of rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago that simply would not respond to ordinary treatment—but Nerviline cured them. The same physician also spoke of the great advantages of keeping a preparation like Nerviline in the house always, because of cramps, diarrhoea, stomach disorders, earache, toothache, headache, and such minor ailments. Nerviline is a first-class cure. There is scarcely an ache or a pain, internal or external, that Nerviline won't cure. In thousands of homes no other pain-relieving medicine is used. Fifty years' continued success and the endorsement of the profession are proof that Nerviline is the liniment for the home.

CORNS CURED IN 24 HOURS

You can painlessly remove any corn, either hard, soft, or bleeding, by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. It never burns, leaves no scar, contains no acids; is harmless, because composed only of healing gums and balms. Fifty years in use. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists, 25c bottles. Refuse substitutes.

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Stops Falling Hair — An Elegant Dressing
Destroys Dandruff — Makes Hair Grow

Ingredients: Sulphur. Glycerin. Quinin. Sodium Chlorid. Capsicum. Sage. Alcohol. Water. Perfume.

A hair preparation made from this formula is harmless, yet possesses positive merit. A hair food, a hair tonic, a hair dressing. Consult your doctor about these hair problems.

J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. John Clinton Dead

As we go to press we learn that Mrs. John Clinton passed away at her residence in town at 1 a.m. The funeral will take place on Friday to Flesherton cemetery. Service at the house at 2 p. m. More particulars next issue.

A Black Hand man who tried to extort $15,000 from Caruso at New York was sentenced to a term exceeding three years in Sing Sing prison.

Eavesdropping was always a bad business, and the fact was brought home with signal force to a young lady of Carp, in Carleton county, a member of a prominent family there recently, when she was summoned before a magistrate and fined $20 and costs for listening on the rural telephone line which passes through the village.

Col. Roosevelt reached London on Monday and was received by the King.

Thirty-five negro convicts lost their lives in a fire which one of them started in an effort to escape from an Alabama stockade.

Park House Changes Hands

Owing to illness on the part of the latter, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd have found it necessary to withdraw from the management of the Park House. Mr. Jacob Thompson is the new lessee and takes possession on June first.

AUCTION SALES

An extensive auction sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture will be held on lot 7, con. 10, Osprey, on Friday (to-morrow), May 20, the property of Mr. Wm. Duncan, who is giving up farming. Everything must be sold. See large bills. Wm. Kaitting, auctioneer.

James Curran, lot 27, con. 10, Osprey, will hold an unreserved auction sale on Monday, May 23, when a large lot of farm stock and implements will be offered. Wm. Kaitting, auctioneer.

In both of above sales five per cent. straight will be allowed off for cash. Sales at 1 o'clock p.m.

CLASSIFIED ADS. === Odds and Ends

FOR SALE

Fresh fish on hand—try one—H. Radley, Flesherton.

Paper for sale—To go under carpets. Generous bundle, 5c.—Advance office.

FOR SALE—1 driving, rising 4 yrs. old; 1 mare rising 3 yrs. old; also choice milk cow. Will sell cheap for cash or on time. As I expect to leave Park House 1st June must be sold. A Boyd.

Now is the time to lay in a stock of bran, shorts, chop, and chicken feed before it gets scarce later. A full stock at lowest prices at Sproule, Higginbotham & Co's, Flesherton.

Must sell, leaving town—Brand new steel range, Royal, coal or wood, for sale, has been in use only since Christmas, cheap; also new Axminster Rug square, 3x3½—J. V. Laughland or at this office.

Arriving daily at Sproule, Higginbotham's, Flesherton, and selling like hot cakes, prime Government Inspected Timothy, Red, Mammoth, and Alsike Clover Seed—selling very cheap, considering the prime quality.

Mr. Duckett, the old reliable lime burner, respectfully announces to the public at large, also to his old customers, that he has just finished burning a fresh kiln of first class lime to be sold at once, J. H. Duckett, Eugenia.

Pure genuine Quebec maple syrup, the best ever made, only 25 cents per quart and $1.00 per gallon at Sproule, Higginbotham & Co's, Flesherton. Don't pay $1.25 and $1.40 per gallon, when you can buy better at $1.00.

Grain and Seeds—do you require seed oats, peas, barley, buckwheat, timothy, red, mammoth, alsike and alfalfa clover, pure fresh garden and mangle seeds, Dutch Setts, potato onions or any other kind of garden or field seeds of purest and best quality? Call on Sproule, Higginbotham & Co., Flesherton. A full stock on hand and at lowest prices, as they make a speciality of grain and seeds.

For sale very cheap, for cash or easy terms, the following articles to close some estate accounts—1 iron carpenter's bench Vice, 1 open Clothes Dresser, 1 good oak Rain Barrel, a number of empty Fish Kegs, make excellent soft soap or swill barrels, only 25c each; 5-shelf Kitchen Stand, 1 pair Steel Yards, weighs 260 lbs.; 1 good oak Dash Churn, churns about 4 gals.; almost good as new; 1 Toronto Fanning Mill, new, with bagger and sieves complete; 1 set Iron Harrows, and 1 Frost and Wood combined Seed Drill in good working condition. All of the above will be sold very cheap for cash or time, as the owner has no further use for them, and no place in which to keep them.—R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

For sale cheap and on easy terms, the following property in Flesherton:

3 splendid lots with good 2 story dwelling 24x48, stone cellar full size under, good wood shed and summer kitchen 12x44 new, never failing well at kitchen door, 2 good stables 24x30 in good condition and repair. Also 3 large lots, about 1 acre, between printing office and McTavish's blacksmith shop, with never-failing spring. All the aforesaid property, excepting park lot, is in the very centre of the village, and very desirable. Also 1 lot, 12 feet, fronting on Collingwood street, and on east side Sproule's large warehouse and adjoining same, about 120 feet in depth. The whole or any of aforesaid will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms of payment. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost—A buggy cushion between Flesherton and Kimberley on Thursday, May 5th. D. Weber, Kimberley.

WANTED

Girls Wanted—Experienced general, also first class dining room girl for private boarding house. Wages $20. Mrs. B. Field, Strathlorn, 80 Gerrard street East, Toronto.

Young Bull Wanted—About 14 mos. old, pure bred Durham, state weight and price.—J. Williamson, Ceylon.

MISCELLANEOUS

W. A. Armstrong issuer of marriage licenses.

Any person trespassing on lot 12, north street, Eugenia, will be prosecuted.

Pasture land to rent—Plenty of water, lot 31, con 12, Artemesia, A. Smith, Eugenia.

Good pasture to let on lots 171 and 172 in 2nd con., N. E. of T. & S. R. See or write to the undersigned. Joseph Watson, Portlaw, P. O.

The undersigned is prepared to do all kinds of stonework and plastering. Repairing promptly attended to. J. O. Patton, Flesherton. Box 241.

Now is the time to lay in a stock of pure Manitoba and blended family flour before it gets dearer which it is sure to do. A full stock of Cream of the West, Toronto Pride, McGowan's, Eclipse and all the best brands, at lowest prices, at Sproule, Higginbotham & Co's, Flesherton. A call for examination respectfully solicited.

Commencing on the 2nd of May and continuing through the summer our prices will be as follows: shirts 10 cents, collars 2 cents, cuffs 4 cents per pair, vests 10 cents, handkerchiefs 1 cent, summer underwear 5 cents, socks 5 cents per pair, spreads 10 cents, quilts 15 cents, feather ticks 20 cents and other articles so cheap that it doesn't pay you to bother with your washing. We have every facility for turning out the work in a proper manner and we are here to stay. Markdale Steam Laundry. Andy Wilson, Flesherton Agent.

ALFALFA—Now is the time to sow alfalfa. Many have the impression that it should be sown early like other clover. This is not correct. Alfalfa or (lucerine) clover requires warm weather to germinate. It can be sown as late as the end of May and still yield a good crop the same season. Good seed corn is not plentiful this year. A very large percentage of last season's crop has turned out unfit for seed purposes. Our corn has been tested by the government tester at Ottawa. We are receiving and will have in stock this week the following seed corn: Comptous Early, North Dakota, Imperial Leaming and Giant Ensilage. In ROOT SEED Jumbo sugar beet is a heavy yielder, easy to pull, and for a clean root crop and good keeping root you can't beat it. It sells at 25 cents per pound. Giant sugar mangle, the kind used by dairymen in large quantities. Our seed produces a big crop every time, and only 25 cents per pound. Giant yellow intermediate and yellow Leviathan mangles are as popular this season as ever. Our supply of this seed is limited as it is very scarce this season. First come, first served. Only 25 cents per pound. Derby Sweede turnip, no other Sweede turnip resists the attack of the louse in the summer like this. The veteran reliable seedsman, Wm. Rennie, Esq., of Toronto says: we have grown every known variety and Derby is in our estimation the best Sweede turnip for all purposes, and only 25 cents per pound. Don't hesitate buying it, good progressive farmers buy it. We also carry a well assorted stock of field, garden and root seeds, all purchased from the best and most reliable seedsmen. Now is the time for Japanese millet, grows 6 feet, yields 10 tons green fodder per acre. When cured makes an excellent quality hay and is much relished as green fodder. Cure as you would a heavy crop of clover. It may be sown from the middle of May to the first of July, broadcast, at rate of 15 lbs. per acre. Sproule, Higginbotham & Co., Flesherton.

SHREDDED WHEAT

Is Fuel for the Human Engine—
Furnishes the Power for Work or Play.

To serve—heat in oven, pour hot milk over it and salt to taste. Sold by all grocers, 13c. a carton; two for 25c.

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Don't Speculate.

Some people make a mistake in submitting a price list to a hardware merchant. Not giving a detailed itemized account of the hardware required for that house or barn that they are building. You are aware that the quality governs the price. If you want a cheap job, always mention it as we figure always on the best we have. Be very careful in not accepting a price list before you see that the quality of the goods compares with the price. Now, if you want a good job, one that you can depend upon, just leave it to us and we will see that you get the best on the market. F. G. Karstedt.

Get Into Line.

Just a word to say on our stock of picks, shovels, spades, rakes, hoes, forks, together with handles for any of these articles. It is just the time to buy wire pincers, trace chains, clevices, neck yoke rings, etc., to do your spring work. One can not do work without the proper tools. We have them, you want them. Now is the time, make no mistake. F. G. Karstedt.

Coil Spring Wire and Fencing.

A bargain, all No. 9 wire fence, forty two inches high with stays only twelve inches apart for 30 cents per rod. A real bargain. It is good goods. No discount on it. If bought in regular way, could not sell it for any less than 45 cents per rod, but on account of failure in contract we were only able to get a very limited quantity. If you need fencing you could not do better than buy it.

Coil spring wire is selling at 2.60 per cwt. with us this spring, the best price on the road for No. 9 wire. Give us a show on your wire, we will use you right. F. G. Karstedt.

Be a Man.

A man is judged by the clothes he wears. No matter how good the goods may be, they will look poorly if the style and fit is not there. In both of these we guarantee you perfect satisfaction in every way. Our style books are the newest, the quality of the goods are there, and the prices right. Once you see them, you will buy. F. G. Karstedt.

It's Up To You.

In our store there is to be found a complete and up-to-date range of carpets, rugs, linoleums, oilcloths, etc.

In velvet carpets the quality is of the finest shown in floral or block design, with the blending of the shades perfect. Likewise the tapestry and brussels. Our wools are the best on the market, heavy weight, fast colors and the pattern of the latest type. A look at these goods is sufficient, they will talk for themselves.

Then in rugs we excel in our choice of these. Everybody says so, so it must be right. They are made up in velvet, brussels, and tapestry of finest quality. Put up in all sizes fitting ordinary rooms. The nap on them is good, the quality is better, but the price beats them all.

Have you seen our linoleum and oil cloth? If not, you have missed the best display on the road. We have them in all widths—from eighteen inches and up to twelve feet. This includes stair oilcloth, floor oilcloth and table oilcloth of all weights, from inlaid down to the light weight goods according to the price.

In all these I think that I have given you a slight impression of the carpet department in our store. Our stock is complete, so, it's up to you. If you need them, you will do well to see them.

It's up to you. Put it up to us! F. G. Karstedt.

UP-TO-DATE SHOE STORE

After all has been said the final test of a boot is its wearing qualities. CLAYTON'S have them in summer shoes for men, women and children—black, tan and patents. We also have the W. B. H. make in staples of solid leather for solid wear.

We have also trunks and suit cases.

Custom work and repairing done.

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SEEDS STILL

This time it's mangold, sugar beet, turnip, corn, millet, buckwheat, rape seed and all kinds of garden seed.

For two weeks we are going to give you something worth while. Listen:

4 lbs. new raisins for	25 cents
3½ lbs. re-cleaned currants for	25 cents
3 large packages seeded raisins for	25 cents
3 cans tomatoes for	25 cents
3 cans peas for	25 cents
3 cans corn for	25 cents
2 lbs. best baking soda for	5 cents
1 pkg. Turkish dyes for	5 cents
3 bottle extracts for	25 cents
3 pkg. best cornstarch for	25 cents
Quaker rolled oats per 90 lb. sack	$2.50
Pure oilcake per hundred pounds	$2.25
2 pair good cotton hose	25 cents
Cement per barrel	$1.35

Jas. Pattison · *Ceylon*

The Markdale Music House

To Intended Buyers: If you want a first-class piano or organ call here. I sell such high grade pianos as the Heintzman, Newcombe, and Stanley, of Toronto; Willis pianos and player pianos, of Montreal; and the Wm. Knabe & Co., of Baltimore—and other makes.

Organs such as the Thomas, of Woodstock, and Sherlock-Manning organs and player organs of London—both for homes and churches. Any of these goods sold on terms to suit the buyer.

C. F. Wilson, · · **Markdale**