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TRUTH BEFORE FAVOR—PRINCIPLES, NOT MEN

A NETWORK OF WIRES

Mr. Thos. McLaughlin, secretary of the Georgian Bay Power Co., was up at Eugenia on Friday last and in conversation with The Advance stated that the company have now disposed of the power plant at the Falls to the Hydro-Electric Commission. He says the deal is completed, all but signing the papers.

From Mr. McLaughlin's tone we would judge him to be a great admirer of Hon. Adam Beck. He avers that that gentlemen is a bull-dog for tenacity and that the hydro-electric is becoming a great success. In Toronto it has lowered the rate for electricity one half during the last two years. The Commission will eventually control the complete electrical development of Old Ontario, and farmers and manufacturers will reap the benefit. The western part will be a network of wires delivering the power at all points. The uses for electricity on the farm are only beginning to be developed, but bid fair to become revolutionary in their action. Recent demonstrations prove this.

WE BECK-ON IT

What is the matter with old king coal, anyway? One gentleman informs us that it is the transportation problem that causes its scarcity—contracts not having been made with the carrying concerns until they had contracted for other shipments to the limit of their carrying capacity. Another says it is caused by the coal strike last spring, which resulted in a short supply. Again, it is the increased demand for consumption at home. As a matter of fact, nobody knows just where the cause lies. We know that the effect is here, and we know that Ontario is slowly but surely finding a substitute for the dusky diamonds in our own "white coal," through the good offices of Hon. Adam Beck. The time is not far distant when there will be no quarreling between man and wife as to who will get up and light the fire. The old man will simply roll over in bed, turn on the switch and in five minutes get up without shivering. When that time comes the coal question will be solved. May that day of jubilee soon arrive. We Beckon it, as it were. But in the meantime what about our extensive peat fields? An early development of these would help to provide against contingencies until the halcyon day arrives when electrical heat and energy will have spread itself over the cold winter areas of Ontario.

STANDARD PAROXYSMS

The Markdale Standard had two complaints to make last week, the most serious of which was to the effect that The Advance had used an original article clipped from the Standard and credited it to another paper. This was unwittingly done by us. We clipped the article in question from the Collingwood Bulletin, which had it credited to the Orangeville Banner. The Advance always gives credit to original brain work when it knows whose brain to give it to, and that has not always been Standard ethics, by a long shot. Only the week before the Standard blubbered, it clipped a whole column and a half historical article from The Advance and headed it "To the Editor of the Standard," notwithstanding that the lady who wrote the article did not give him permission to head it that way, neither did she give him a copy of the article. "Ye gods and little fishes," as Shakespeare or somebody else used to say, what sublime cheek! And then to squeal because somebody made use of one of his self-alleged semi-occasional editorial efforts without letting everybody know where it emanated!

In another paragraph the Standard advises The Advance to take something (meaning whiskey) to clear its befuddled brain. Really, we didn't know before that it worked that way—rather thought it befuddled a clear brain and made one fancy grievances, you know—but we will take the Standard's word for it while failing to take its advice. It may be an authority. But it pains us very much to think that the Standard would tender such nefarious advice. We fear our contemporary is on the downward grade, and recommend him to the Markdale W.C.T.U. as a fit and proper person for their benevolent attention.

Postmasters will be frequently asked concerning the annual cost of a rural mail box, therefore it might be well to understand that there is no annual fee to pay for a rural mail box. The first cost is three dollars. That is the only charge, and boxes are served free of cost for all time, or at least as long as the present regulations are in force. The courier is paid by the government, one dollar a year for each year for each box he serves, in addition to the amount of his mail contract.—From The Postal Current.

A Voice From Port McNicoll

To the Editor of The Advance:

Dear Sir,—I noticed your editorial in The Advance re ice breaker for Port McNicoll. You have reason to object. This place is getting everything worth while, including a whole lot of valuable advertising in local papers, which is of course intended to knock. Those "back fifties" of Artemesia should have some sort of government aerial navigation. This big C. P. R. corporation has truly moved its route of traffic with impunity, but the government has not been asked to deepen the channel. Nature long ago danced all the devil's tombs out of the way, and contrary to reports the C.P.R. are not building their elevators here because steel and concrete is convenient, and intend to move them to Lady Bank on a scow. They are far too heavy, but they are still building more; and further, it is not true that the Lord is going to move the thirty thousand islands down to Guelph!

There is one deplorable fact in connection with this place, and only one—that is the real estate swindlers operating in other towns stealing hard-earned money from honest people by their dastardly misrepresentations of worthless properties. I think government money could not be better spent than in providing these vipers with a meal ticket for life in Kingston penitentiary. However, the people in Grey county should be reasonable with the C.P.R. Here is a natural harbor already the best on the lakes the captains tell us, and a natural, even road bed to the St. Lawrence. Why should they continue to run up hill and use the coal you are trying to get at $9 per ton? I'll warrant you are not trying to run The Advance against the tide of public opinion, or you would not enjoy the success you do. You wouldn't appreciate the advice of any one who would suggest that you should have continued using the old hand press because it was good business for the fellow who sold you food stuffs.

I know men here with practically no education, without investment or "pull," who never need to take off their coat to get over $100 per month from the C.P.R. Could they do that in Artemesia?

They talk about this being only a summer town. Why, it was only woods a year or so ago. There is good indications of several manufacturers coming, but grant that it is only a summer town it is mighty strong on that point. We have a sash and door factory, concrete and brick-making plant, two banks, about twenty stores, theatre, pool room, customs house, laundry, steamship offices, boarding houses to accommodate about 700 men, elevators, round house, electric lights and sewers, at least a hundred miles of streets in all stages of perfection, and several lots for sale.

Judging from letters from home we have milder weather than there, so we do not need ice-breakers for the summer months, and if we had one for winter it would be worth as much to the country as Pugsley's sawdust wharf.

We need a newspaper here to advertise to you people that the channel does not need dredging to 30 feet. Long before we began paying taxes nature had dredged it to 50 feet.

It is a sorry fact that Grey county is being depopulated of young people. The biggest cause of it all is that the older heads positively refuse to consider the ideas of the younger generation. There are opportunities in Grey county, but the old fogeys shake their heads at anything new or progressive in the minds of the young men, keep them out of public office, and do everything to chase their sons out of the road. Now, I know this to be a fact. Be decent to the young fry, you stick-in-the muds; your death rate is increasing, and you'll have nobody to cut down the old burdocks and Scotch thistles around you. There are boys down there, who, if they were given five acres off the old hundred to plant in vegetables and small fruits would make more real money than their father ever made, and none of it would go for the trash the millionaire sells his father for a binder.

Here's a dollar enclosed for some more of the best local weekly on the job—The Advance. Come up and see us.

—I. HARVEY PERIGOE.

Port McNicoll, Nov. 1, 1912.

Genoe--Sayres

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sayres, Fairview Farm, Osprey, when their eldest daughter, Lila, was united in marriage to Mr. Lewis Genoe, Eugenia, on Wednesday, Nov. 6, at 4 p.m., by Rev. Peter Campbell of Eugenia. The bride, who was given away by her brother, wore a cream satin dress trimmed with cream silk allover lace, and carried a bouquet of orange blossoms. She took her place under an arch of evergreens while the wedding march was beautifully played by Mrs. (Rev.) Campbell. After the ceremony about fifty guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding repast. The presents were numerous and costly. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch and chain. The young couple will reside at their home near Eugenia and have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Stallion Inspection UNDER Ontario Stallion Act

ROUTE OF STALLION INSPECTORS IN DISTRICT NO. 3.

Walkerton, 3 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 9
Teeswater, 2.30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 11
Ayton, 3 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 13
Holstein, 10 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 14
Durham, 2.30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 14
Hanover, 10 a.m., Friday, Nov. 15
Chatsworth, 2.30 p.m., Thurs., Nov. 21
Holland Centre, 9 a.m., Friday, Nov. 22
Markdale, 3 p.m., Friday, Nov. 22
Flesherton, 9 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 23
Proton Station, 2 30 p.m. Sat., Nov. 23
Swinton Park, 8 a.m., Monday, Nov. 25
Feversham, 9 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 26
Heathcote, 2.30 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 26
Goring, 9 a.m., Wednesday, Nov. 27
Bognor, 2.30 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 27
Meaford, 9.30 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 28

A. P. WESTERVELT,
Parliament Buildings, Toronto

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday the 27th December, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on proposed Contract for four years six round trips per week.

OVER EPPING RURAL MAIL ROUTE

rom the Postmaster General's pleasure

Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed Cantract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Epping, Meaford, Griersville, Heathcote, Fairmount, Thornbury, Clarksburg, Falkenburg and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Toronto.

Post Office Department, Mail Service Branc Ottawa, 8th November, 1912.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 29th November, 1912 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week

OVER GORING MAIL ROUTE

From the Postmaster General's pleasure,

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be sean and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Markdale, Harkaway, Goring, Vandeleur, Beaverdale, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector, at Toronto.

Postoffice Department, Mail Service Branch Ottawa 15th, October, 1912.

G. C. ANDERSON.
Superintendent.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 9th December, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week each way between

EBORDALE and MARKDALE
Rural Mail Delivery

From the 1st January next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Ebordale, Traverston, Markdale and at the office of the Post-Office Inspector at Toronto.

Postoffice Department, Mail Service Branch. Ottawa, 22nd October, 1912.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

Farm for Sale

100 acres—Lot 39, con. 6, Artemesia, 65 acres cleared, 50 acres under cultivation, balance hardwood and swamp, well fenced and watered, good house, new frame barn with stabling under, also pig pen, henhouse and sheep pen. Rural mail delivery. Apply to

ALBERT BLACKBURN,
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Buy Granby Rubbers for Your Winter Foot-Wear.

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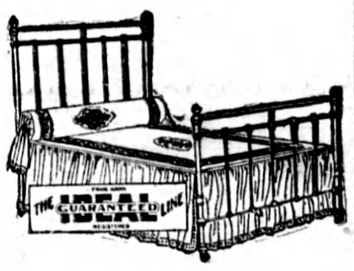
$1,800 will buy 150 acres on the gravel road between Flesherton and Markdale. The timber alone on this property is worth the price asked. Apply to

JOS. BEATY, Orange Valley,
Markdale, p. o.

Sept 20.



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Butter	25 to 25
Eggs, fresh	27 to 27
Potatoes per bag	50 to 50
Geese	11 to 12
Ducks	12 to 12
Fowl	8 to 12
Turkeys	15 to 17
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Our Fall and Winter Stock Is Now Complete!

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Ask to see our long rubber boots. High laced Boots in Genuine American elk. Also our oil Tans in black and tan, and in the over rubbers we have the high toe as well as all the other kinds.

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In Underwear, we carry three of the best makes—Stanfield's, Penman's and Puritan.

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Best Portland cement for $1.50 per barrel.

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