Flesherton Advance.

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

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Feversham Items

Well, March came in on Sunday last with a good big growl as though there was an old maneating lion around somewhere. After a few days of mild, pleasant winter weather, and we all hope the month will go out like a nice little pet lamb.

Mr. Wm. Sloan of Kimberley was a caller in a business way in our burg last week.

Sorry to report that Miss Jennie Hale of this place who has been teaching school at Maple valley since the school commenced this year, is seriously ill at her boarding house at that place with heart trouble and nervous breakdown. We hope to hear of her complete recovery.

Mr. Geo. Julian had a close call in his sawmill here on Saturday last. While attending to some part of the machinery a set screw of a pulley on a shaft caught him, tearing off his coat and vest and giving him a severe shaking up. Mr. Julian's strength and presence of mind alone saved him from sudden death, by being wound around the fast revolving shaft.

Miss Maud Davidson visited with her sister. Mrs. John Stoutenburg, Collingwood, last week.

Mr. Alex. Keith, who lives three miles north of here, lost a valuable horse from anzaturia last week, a big loss for Alex. at this time, or in fact any time of the year.

Not near so many of our farmers talk of selling out and going west this spring as last, though a good number of auction sales are being held now, and our popular auctioneer, Mr. Will Kaitting, is being in demand from far and near. Will had an extensive sale in Sunnidale township on Friday last, four or five miles south east of Stayner—more power to your elbow Will.

A number of our farmers attended the auction sale of Mr. Thos. Bristow of Sunnidale, on Friday last.

Electric railroad talk is the order of the day. We have one strong talking point in this village. The Osprey Farmers' Four Mill which turns over from $12,000 to $15,000 worth of business every year, with the handicap of fourteen miles to the nearest railroad to get their supply of Western hard wheat, and team their flour for sale on other markets. We want the railroad, and as the Hon. Adam Beck told us at the banquet at Guelph in December last, what we want is to go after it and stay at it till we get it.

The Farmers' Flour Mill has been running day and night for the past three weeks, putting up a car of flour which our miller, Mr. E. Hammel, shipped to Toronto on Saturday last.

Heathcote

Hauling logs is the order of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gardner visited with friends in Duncan recently.

We are sorry to report that Mr. John Julian lost one of his valuable horses last Friday, while crossing the river with a load of logs, the ice giving way and the lead and horses going through. They managed to get one horse out safe, but the other died shortly afterwards.

Mr. Wm. Devins was a caller in our burg one day last week.

Mr. Orr and daughter, of Flesherton, visited with friends in Heathcote last week.

Mr. J. H. Gardner took a business trip to Collingwood last week.

We understand that the Rocklyn W.I. have invited the Heathcote young people (those taking part in the play given in the hall here some weeks ago) to give the same play at a concert in Rocklyn very shortly.

Gordon Kemp spent Sunday with his parents here.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Kerwood Kerr on the sick list, and her Heathcote friends hope for her speedy recovery.

A number of our young people attended a carnival in Thornbury last week.

We are sorry to report that Mr. J. H. Gardner lost one of his valuable horses last week. When taking them out for exercise her mate kicked her, breaking her leg.

Mrs. Bath of Banks visited with Mrs. James Gardner last week.

The Housekeeper and Parcel Post

As a nation, we have taken kindly to the parcel post; most of us use it more or less, and some of us occasionally abuse it as the woman who recently sent her twenty-pound baby on a journey of sixty miles in charge of the parcel-post man. Some of us, however, have not begun to appreciate how widely it can serve our convenience. Many a housekeeper, living a mile or so from town, and prevented from going to market by bad weather, fails to realize that fresh vegetables that may be spoiling at the market for lack of customers, can be sent to her by parcel post if she will only take the trouble to telephone. Shoe stores, dry-good stores, drug stores, and hardware stores will all send goods in that way, and are usually glad to do it, if thereby they can save themselves or their customers a long drive.

A woman who was lamenting that she could not get fresh eggs in the city had never thought of getting them by parcel post from the country. She did not even know that there are special egg boxes made for that very purpose. There are other women who have not learned that when they are travelling they can send ahead a suit or a hat, or any other article of clothing that they cannot get into a hand bag, and find it waiting at the end of a journey.

Some laundries are now doing all their business through the post. They return the fresh clothes in a large pasteboard box that can be used for sending the soiled clothes the next week.

Suppose you need something from a drug store that does not deliver to customers. The weather is bad, and you dislike to walk or drive to the village. It takes only a few moments to telephone. You will find the clerk quite willing to mail you the package, and the quick delivery is well worth the few extra cents. The postman must make the trip anyway, so there is no need to feel guilty for letting him save you trouble.

Postmaster-General Burleson says that ultimately the government will handle all the small packages in the country, and he believes that within fifteen or twenty years it will be handling packages up to one hundred pounds in weight.

An automobile was once sent from London to Paris by parcel post, and every day some fresh absurdity is reported. The system was not installed for purposes of amusement, but of convenience. It is worth while to learn how you can save time and money by using it in legitimate ways.—Youths' Companion.

Ceylon

Mr. Fred Chislett of Shelburne spent over Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. D. D. McLaughlan has been very ill. Miss Simons, trained nurse of Owen Sound, is in attendance.

Mr. Chas. Chislett left Monday for Durham, where he has secured a situation.

Misses Nessa and Sybil Collinson gave a card party on Thurday evening to a number of their friends.

Mrs. Alton and babe of Markdale are visiting her parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilcock.

Mr. Alex. McDonald spent a few days in Durham last week.

Miss Edna McLeod visited over Sunday with her friend, Miss Lily McPhail.

Mr. S. Hemphill spent a couple of days in Toronto last week.

A Race With the Stork

While moving on Thursday last from Hanover to the George Procknow farm on the 6th concession of Brant, which he recently purchased, Mr. Alex. Kieswetter discovered that he was about to become the father of a new child on the way over and not caring to have the infant born on the highway, he whipped up the horses and a sensational race with the stork took place down the concessions. People who took to the ditch as the frantic driver brushed by little guessed that the birthplace of a future citizen depended upon the success of that wild rural flight. Lashed into foam, the steeds finally wheeled into the Procknow farm and the race was won, for Mrs. Kieswetter had hardly landed in her new home when the world was enriched with another son.—Bruce Herald.

Kimberley Budget

Mrs. Henry Fawcett of Clarksburg, who has been visiting friends here, returned home on Monday.

Miss Maud Plewes, who has been attending Meaford high school, visited at her parental home recently.

We are sorry to report Mrs. E. Chadwick on the sick list at present.

Mr. James R. Fawcett is visiting friends in Collingwood.

Adam and Joseph Bradbury of Thornbury visited friends in this vicinity on Sunday.

A goodly number of our local sports attended the carnival at Rocklyn on Friday night and report a good time.

Dr. Ottewell of Flesherton was in town on business Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watters of Clarksburg were guests at the Traveller's Home on Saturday last.

Mr. Ezra Fawcett visited Clarksburg friends on Monday last.

Harvey Morwood of Markdale visited friends in this vicinity one day last week.

W. Leslie and Stanley Lawrence attended the carnival at Duncan Monday.

We are sorry to report Mr. M. R. Hammond on the sick list.

Roy Kirkpatrick and sister, Oro, of Wodehouse, visited at Mrs. T. Reids.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hammond of Priceville visited with the former's parents here on Friday.

Miss Ethel McCallum of Duncan visited with her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Fawcett.

Mrs. John Burns of Heathcote visited Mrs. Wm. Harris one day last week.

Mrs. P. Harris and daughter, Eva, of Wodehouse, are moving into our village this week.

Walkerton

A year ago last summer Mr. N. C. McKay put up fresh eggs in various preservatives in packages such as would be suitable for light housekeeping. The eggs went the rounds as exhibits at the 1912 fall fairs; spent the winter in the cellar, and samples taken proved to be in good condition. Last summer they were exposed to summer temperature on the office shelves and were used as Fair exhibits again last fall. Last week the Agricultural class emptied the jars and lunched lightly on one lot. The boys voted that the preservative had delivered the eggs edible and palatable even if they were tough tourists of two seasons' experience and the echoes of Biddy's proud cackle had died away 18 long months since.

The family troubles of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith which have been the subject of several police court cases were again aired before Magistrate Tolton on Thursday last. Mrs. S caused the arrest of her husband, but the case was not given a full hearing, the court, in view of the couple's many squabbles, and as both parties were willing, granted separation papers which were subsequently drawn up. Mrs. Smith requested that her husband be ordered to leave town, but as the charge did not warrant this, the magistrate took no action. The couple have now parted and for the time being at least, will probably lead a life of peace and quietude.—Telescope.

WEEKLY REPORT FLESHERTON H. S.

FORM I.

Algebra—2 exams. 100—D McMillan 65, W Pattison 63, G White 56, M Irwin 53, C McMillan 53, W Harrison 52, M Legate 49, L Muir 40, C Lever 36, L Dudgeon 32, I Laidlaw 32, E Karstedt 30, R Sharpe 29, A Allen 15, P LeGard 14, M Wright 9, E Caswell 8, F Lever 6, H Moore 0.

FORM II.

Algebra—100—L McPhail 87, E Whittaker 82, F Bunt 73, G Davis 66, M Legate 56, C Dudgeon 54, W Scilley 53, M McArthur 52, D McVicar 49, M Knox 49, E Spencer, 43, A Gaudin 40, Z Bentham 39, E Wright 35, S Smart 28, O Walter 10, M Winters 8, M Wright absent.

FORM III.

Chemistry—H Shunk 88, S Orr 80, H Shunk 80, H Field 80, M Stafford 79, K McMillan 72, G White 70, R Spencer 64, E Wright 64, V Scilley 63, W Whittaker 62, L Beattie 61, V Stafford 60, T Orr 52, P Beattie 52, D Thurston 48, M Boyd 47, A Richardson 26, W Buchanan 16.

Wodehouse Doings

Mr. Albert Latter of Union occupied the pulpit in New England church on Sunday afternoon and gave an interesting discourse.

Mrs. Thomas Brown of Markdale renewed old acquaintances in this neighborhood the past week and was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Wiley.

Misses Nancy and Alma Wiley are spending a fortnight with friends and relatives at Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bridge and little son, Raymond, spent Sunday with the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cherry, here.

Mrs. Harris and daughter, Eva, are moving this week to their new home in Kimberley. Their many friends are sorry to see them leave, but wish them every success.

Mr. Aaron Birch and sister, Mary, were at Union the past week visiting their aunt, Mrs. Julian, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Parks.

Mr. Stanley Wiley and Miss Nettie McArthur spent over Sunday with friends at Clarksburg.

Mr. Victor Bowes of Strathnairn made a business trip through our burg recently.

A number of our young people attended the carnival at Rocklyn on Thursday evening last, and all report a good time.

Mr. Wesley Breadner received the sad news on Saturday of the death of his mother, who had passed away that morning at her home at Ottawa. She had been critically ill for some time past and the end was not unlooked for, although Wes. had just returned home last week from spending some time with her and she seemed somewhat better. The remains were brought to Markdale by the noon train on Monday and were met by a large number of old friends and neighbors, who followed them to Temple Hill cemetery, where they were laid in their last resting place. Mrs. Breadner was 70 years of age and, with her now sorrowing husband, spent the early part of life in this neighborhood. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, two sons and one daughter, four children having died while young. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

Eugenia Paragraphs

Mrs. Ruthvan of Allieton was the guest of her brother, Mr. H. Cairns, recently.

Miss Della Wilson of Flesherton high school spent the week end with he mother.

Born—In Toronto, on Feb. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aynley, a daughter. Mr. Aynley is one of our hydro surveyors.

Born—At Eugenia, Feb. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, a son.

Mr. George Thompson of Portlaw was a caller on friends here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Turner visited the past week with the latter's sister, Mrs. McKee, Portlaw.

Miss McMullen and brother, Russell, visited friends at Priceville Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Latimer has returned from the city, where he has been visiting friends most of the winter.

H. Fenwick has returned to the city after spending the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Miss P. Henderson of Proton were the guests of Mrs. McMaster recently.

Miss Nellie Wickens visited friends in Flesherton recently.

Miss Lene Pedlar gave a birthday party to her girl friends Friday afternoon

Miss Allie Williams is assisting Miss Brown of Karstedt's millinery, Flesherton

The Stove Exploded

Early Monday morning Mrs. Geo. Finn who resides on the corner of First and Beech streets, says the Collingwood Enterprise, had just finished lighting her kitchen range when the front exploded, throwing Mrs. Finn and her little granddaughter to the floor and smashing every window in the lower part of the house. The stove was completely wrecked and some other damage done to the room as well. Medical aid was summoned and Mrs. Finn's injuries attended to, but fortunately she was not seriously hurt, her escape from serious injury being providential.

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