Flesherton Advance.

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

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Kimberley Budget

The recent rain and heavy winds caused considerable damage to the grain crops in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thurston and family of Uncle Sam's domains, are visiting at present with the former's mother, Mrs. Alex. Fawcett.

Mr. J. E. Hammond's address on Modern dancing in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last, was easily the most masterly ever delivered on that subject in our burg. He clearly showed that dancing was one of the greatest obstacles to christianity.

Mr. Wm. Harris captured two fine specimens of the raccoon family recently.

Ashley Fawcett of Markdale was a caller in our burg one day last week.

Mr. Russell and Walter Harris of West Toronto are renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. S. Fawcett and V. Ford spent a pleasant visit with Ladybank friends one day last week.

Mrs. Scott of Clarksburg is visiting at present with her uncle, John Fawcett, of the Travellers' Home.

Congratulations are in order to the Misses Enna and Nellie Burritt, who were successful in passing the recent Entrance to Normal Exams.

Allen and Dalton Ferguson have purchased a new Deering binder from Hugh Knott, the Deering agent of Markdale.

Mr. Jas. R. Fawcett has green corn fit for the table. Who can beat this?

East Back Line

Come along, pick some berries and be in style.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman and children visited friends at Port Law recently.

Herb McLeod is engaged with P. Loucks during haying and harvest.

A number from this burg spent the holiday in Priceville. All report a jolly time.

Miss Mildred White, who spent the past month with Mrs. Holley, returned to her home near Markdale.

Rev. L. W. Thom of Midhurst called on friends here last week.

Mrs. Silas Phillips and Mrs. R. Clark, of Rock Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stafford, little Irene and Mrs. Hopps of Dornoch, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark.

Miss Christena MacLeod of Toronto is the guest of Miss Vera Loucks.

Born—On Friday, August 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holley, a daughter.

Died—On August 7th, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holley.

Mrs. Jacob Thompson of Markdale visited with her daughter, Mrs. Bloomfield Ferris.

Mr. Geo. Meldrum of Salem and Mrs. Fred LeGard of Toronto visited with their sister, Mrs. Madill, at Mr. Holley's last week.

Heathcote

The Heathcote baseball team motored to Rocklyn on Saturday afternoon and played a friendly game, ending in favor of Heathcote.

Miss Alda Green is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Milne, this week.

Miss Mildred Breadner is visiting with her cousin, Miss Tryphena Breadner of Rocklyn.

The people of Heathcote intend holding a Red Cross garden party the latter part of August.

Rev. Mr. Appleyard of London visited with Rev. Mr. Young the latter part of the week.

Mrs. James Povair and daughter, Fannie, visited with friends at Duncan.

Quite a number from here are preparing to take in the harvest excursion to the West.

NEWS FOR FLESHERTON

A new phone to ring, to P Steinhart, Markdale, 87, for poultry alive, produce, hides, skins and wool, rubbers, rags, horsehair, iron, copper, brass, zinc, lead of all sorts, top price paid in cash, or drop a card to Box 121, Markdale Will call for it. Don't mistake the name,

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Ceylon Clippings

Mr. and Mrs. Heternan, who have guests at the McLaughlin house for the past two months, left Saturday for Walkerton.

Mrs. Ed. Embury, Toronto, visited with her brother, R. Cook, the past week.

Mr. John Collinson, Durham, spent the first of the week with his brother here.

Miss Agnes McPhail left this week to spend a few weeks in the city.

Miss Brown of Toronto is a guest of Miss Maud Hemphill.

Misses Zella and Willa McLeod and Miss Georgina Mitchell of Toronto, are visiting the former's parents.

Messrs. Frank Collinson and Frank Cairns, and Misses Ness Collinson and H. Coleman, spent Sunday in Durham.

Miss Vera McMullen of Toronto is spending a fortnight under the parental roof.

Mrs. Relis and little son left the past week for New York after spending three weeks with her father, Noah Pivnic, who accompanied her to Toronto.

Mrs. Chislett visited her daughter in Owen Sound last week.

Mrs. Ed. Sargent has returned from an extended visit with friends at Orillia.

Mr. Baxter of Collingwood has taken a position with J. J. Pattison.

Mr. Major returned to Toronto Thursday after spending a fortnight here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich, who have been visiting the past two months with the latter's parents, left Wednesday for Toronto for a few days prior to leaving for Baltimore.

Mrs. Guy and Miss Sadie from the West, Mr. R. Coutts of Hatherton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Coutts of Osprey, were guests of the Ridley House the first of the week.

Mr. Woods of Corbetton took the service here on Sabbath for Rev. Kerr and preached a very edifying sermon. He will also take it again next Sabbath.

Miss Cora, Toronto, is the guest at Mrs. A. McLeod's.

Eugenia Paragraphs

Rev. L. W. Thom of Midhurst was the guest of Mr. Alex. Cameron the past week.

Mrs. C. McTavish was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Williams, before her immediate return to her home in Regina.

Miss Ward and friend motored up from Toronto to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward and children motored over to Collingwood to visit friends.

Mr. Williams and wife of Toronto are the guests of her sister, Mrs. A. Smith,

Fred Smith, our brave soldier boy, is now a captive for some time, but has written to his people regularly until the last three weeks.

Mrs. Scilley of Maxwell was the guest of her sister, Mrs, Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Glass have gone on a two weeks' visit with friends in Georgetown.

Mrs. Jasper Stuart of Kimberley was the guest of her mother, Mrs. McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Truscott, who have been with us for over a year, the former as timekeeper for the Hyland Co., left for Toronto and hence to Sydenham,

Miss Hilda Purvis has returned to the city after a fortnight's visit here.

Miss Nellie Wickens of Kimberley is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Weber.

The hydro work was closed for a few days on the 8th line on account of the extra wet weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer have moved to James Carson's house to board and accommodate hydro employee's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Sloan and daughters, Leilla and Penelda, motored over from Mount Albert to visit friends, and are the guests of R. Park.

Angus McLaughlin of Priceville and lady friend, Dr. McArthur and wife of Markdale, and Mrs. McArthur of Sask., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Park the past week.

Stanley Fawcett of Toronto is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Joe Williams.

Miss K. Macrone of Toronto is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Williams.

Quite a number from here attended a picture show in Markdale Saturday. Graham Bros. display some fine moving pictures.

Wodehouse Doings

Owing to the exceedingly lengthy spell of weather our agriculturists, unless a very few, have not as yet finished haying, while the wheat stands in every direction ready for the sickle. This week is surely commencing better. We will hope for a continuance, when acres and acres will be garnered in.

Mrs. John Pickering of Sunnidale is spending some time with old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family of Toronto were recent visitors with their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Thompson, and contributed with their rich voices to a song service given principally by them, five voices in all, in New England church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Williams and family are talented singers, recently from Wales, and their visits here are looked forward to with much pleasure, and those who were present certainly enjoyed a treat.

Mr. Russell Harris of West Toronto is holidaying with friends here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wiley, sr.

Miss Edith Lawson of the Toronto Western Hospital is visiting at her home here.

Mr. T. A. Gilray of Rocklyn, accompanied by Miss Annie Gilray, Miss Eva Buskin and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnelly of our burg motored to Owen Sound and spent a pleasant day recently.

Miss Vera Lanktree of Vandeleur spent over Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs, Ed. Wilcox.

Miss Nettie McArthur, accompanied by Miss Mable Irskine of Rocklyn, spent the holiday with Miss Eula Scott, Dundalk.

Mr. Aaron Birch, accompanied by Miss Nancy Wiley, visited his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Julian, at Union, on Sunday.

Mr Will Morrison of Maxwell was a pleasant visitor at Mr. Wm Wiley's on Sunday last. It must be a long way to Tipperary going home.

Glad to see Miss Ellie Wiley, also her brother, Willard, able to be around again after being confined to the house the past two weeks.

We are very sorry to report Mrs. John Abercrombie still confined to her bed, where she has been the past two months. The old lady was just over her severe attack of la grippe when she was stricken with sciatica from which she is not recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wiley and children visited the former's parents at Maxwell over the week end.

Mr. Robert Gibson of Meaford was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiley recently.

Twelfth Line, Osprey

The wet weather is hindering the haying operations.

Fall wheat is ready for cutting.

Johnston Howard and Harry Thornbury of the Hydro Co. are home for a couple of weeks.

Thos. Howard shot a lynx or bob cat on Saturday evening. It would weigh about 25 lbs.

The ladies are busy gathering in the raspberries which appear to be quite plentiful.

D. Roberts is going west for the harvest and threshing and Arthur Holroyd is going to take off Mr. Roberts' crop for him.

Sheriff Moore Dead

Owen Sound, Aug. 8.—The death took place last night at Bowmanville of Mr. Charles H. Moore, sheriff of the County of Grey. Sheriff Moore went to Bowmanville two weeks ago to spend a month at the summer cottage of his son-in-law, Ed. Rive, of Toronto. He was taken ill on the train and went direct to the hospital at Bowmanville. His condition grew so serious that it was impossible to bring him back to Owen Sound. Born in Staten Island, N. Y., he was in his seventy-ninth year. With his father's family he came to Artemesia Township, Grey County, when about thirteen years of age. He spent some years as deputy sheriff with the late Sheriff Maughan, and in 1879 was appointed sheriff, holding the position until his death

His wife, Emily Elizabeth Snider, of Eglinton, predeceased him. Five sons and five daughters survive.

Feversham Items

Fine weather is badly needed to let the farmers finish up the hay before the grain harvest begins.

Mrs. Walters of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Thomson last week.

Miss Irene Stewart of Flesherton is holidaying at R. J. Colquett's.

Mr. Walter Marr spent Sunday in Flesherton. His little daughter, Ruth, returned with him and visited at R. J. Colquett's. She returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. Will Colquette has been laid off work in the mill for a few days with ulcerated teeth.

R. J. has been going around for a few days with his nose somewhat larger than usual from a slight attack of blood poison in one side of it but it is getting down to its usual size again but that is not very small.

Miss May Whiteoak has returned to Toronto after spending a few weeks at her parental home here.

Hrs. H. Alexander and Mrs. I. H. Perigo of Feversham and Mrs. Ab. Stewart of Flesherton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Perigo at Port McNicol.

Glad to report that Feversham Continuation School will open on September 1st with the largest number of pupils in attendance it has had for a number of years. The School Board has spared no trouble to keep this school going but by the encouragement of the Continuation School Inspector, Dr. Mills, stayed at the helm and their efforts have been successful. They have engaged a highly qualified teacher and we hope this school may have a bright future. The Board has added $100.00 worth of equipment recently, and are painting the school rooms and renovating in general.

The Oil Still Flows

The Karstedt oil well, which the Advance described last week, still continues to produce oil in considerable quantity, and many of the villagers have samples bottled up for inspection, but we have seen nothing of the excitement credited to us by the Shelburne Free Press of last week. The oil is there, but how it got there and where it came from are still a mystery.

Last week Mr. Karstedt took some of the oil to Toronto and submitted it to the Bureau of Mines. The officials there said it was a good sample of high specific gravity, but would not believe that it came out of an ordinary well. They said it was impossible to believe that it was filtered from any place of storage as it would be pure coal oil if it were, and this oil has a considerable quantity of gasoline in it, also other solid substances such as is found in ordinary petroleum before refining. They also admitted that if the oil had been poured into the well it would come out as ordinary refined oil, which this is unlike, being of a cloudy amber color. They have no theory as to its origin, but admit the possibility that it may have found vent through a rock crevice.

Some years ago a well was drilled on the McKaveny farm about six miles east of this village in a search for coal oil. The government report announced a small quantity of petroleum for this well, but not in commercial quantities. A well was also drilled at Kimberley, ten miles north, but no report was made. An engineer connected with the drilling of this well told people here that petroleum could be found here by drilling inside the corporation, but no one paid any attention to his statement. Now they talk about it. In the meantime Mr. Karstedt keeps on pumping out oil every day, and feels quite sanguine that he find means a good thing.

Speaking of our oil find last week the Shelburne Free Press says: "It will be remembered by many of our readers that some years ago there was considerable excitement at Reddickville over the discovery of coal oil in the well in front of Mrs. Wallwork's hotel at that place. It was a fair sample and would burn in a lamp equal to oil purchased in any hardware store. A number of Shelburne capitalists formed a company and engaged an expert driller from Petrolia, who undertook to drill for oil. After paying the driller about $1200 for work done he jumped the job, pulled out his casings and left without saying anything to his employers in Shelburne. It was reported then that he had been bribed to quit the job by the Standard Oil Co."

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