Flesherton Advance.

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

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Eugenia Paragraphs

Anniversary services will be held in the Presbyterian church at Eugenia the first Sabbath in November at 11 a.m, and 7 p m.

Wedding bells are pealing.

Mrs. Meldrum, our old and highly respected neighbor, has gone to Toronto to live with her daughter there. She has lived for years with her son, George, on the farm, now sold to the hydro.

Mrs. Rainey and Mr. Thompson motored over from Owen Sound to visit friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Foester attended the funeral of the former's sister-in-law at Waterloo on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Glass have gone to their new home at Guelph. Mr. Noble is attending the store at present.

Misses Marjorie Park and Neah Williams visited Miss Bertha Smith in Markdale last week.

Miss Gertie Seeley visited with Miss Barbara Armstrong the past week.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. David Jamieson and family on the death of Mr. Jamieson, who died at the hospital in Toronto, the remains being brought to the home of his brother here, J. K. Jamieson, on Thursday last. The funeral took place to Salem cemetery on Friday. A large number of friends and relatives followed the remains to the church where Rev. Mr. Madden gave a short but fitting sermon. Mr. Jamieson was 64 years of age.

Miss Mae Jamieson and her soldier brother, Bert, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Smith Thursday last.

Mr. J. Gorley is laid up with shingles and Will has German measles. Hope they will both pull through all right.

Miss Mabel Hawkins is visiting friends in Markdale.

The regular meeting of the W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Hoagland on Wednesday, Nov. 3,

Wm. Osborne had the misfortune to have his leg broken by a stoneboat sliding against it while hauling stone.

Ceylon Chat

Fred Chislett and friend of Shelburne spent the week end at T. Chislett's.

Mrs. J. Pattison was in Toronto last week,

Miss Rae, milliner at J. Pattison's, left Friday for her home near Grand Valley.

Mr. E McKinney, assistant baggageman here for some time, left the employ of the C.P.R. and returned to his home in Toronto Friday.

Mrs. T. Chislett, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Holmes, for a fortnight, has returned home feeling much benefitted by the change.

Mrs. H. Spicer, Stone's Line, and Mrs. Spicer of Rainy River District, visited Owen Sound friends part of last week.

Miss Lena Legate of Irish Lake school spent the week end with her mother.

Miss Maggie Ferguson left Saturday for Toronto to spend a couple of months.

Born—Oct. 20, to Mr, and Mrs. Roy Piper, a son,

Constbble Cook had Elmere McKinney up before the magistrate for pointing a gun at some little boys. He was fined $10.00 and costs.

A generation ago a boy on an illinois farm became deeply interested in geology. He tried to borrow a book on the subject, but the owner would not lend it. For two dollars that he had worked long and hard to earn he hired the book for six weeks. Then he spent the long winter evenings copying the book from cover to cover. As best he could, he reproduced every illustration and drawing in its pages. Of course he mastered the book. Could anyone doubt that a boy with that passion to learn, and that dogged determination to master things, would go far in life? When he died a few weeks ago, the world knew him as Sir William Van Horne, the builder of the great Canadian Pacific Railway.—Youth's Companion.

Fire caused $325,000 loss at Midland, destroying millions of feet of lumber thousands of tons of coal, and some docks.

Kimberley Budget

Quite a spell of fine weather.

Mrs. O. Drinkle of Detroit is visiting at present with her father, Henry Hurd.

The Red Cross concert held by the young ladies of our burg on Friday evening last was a huge success, both financially and otherwise. The pupils of Flesherton high school gave a play entitled "A Bad Fix," which completely captivated the audience. Miss Addie Gaudin sang a solo in her usual pleasing manner. The rest of the program was furnished by local talent. Miss Della Abercrombie, the President, presided.

R. J. Stuart of Thornbury was a caller in our burg recently.

James R. Fawcett is visiting this week with friends in Thornbury and Collingwood.

James Hetherington and son, Charlie, of Thornbury, are busy this week finishing the plumbing in Jasper Stuart's new residence.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thurston of Toronto visited friends in this vicinity one day last week. Stanley is on the editorial staff of the weekly Sun.

Mr and Mrs Ross Gordon of Epping visited at M. R. Hammond's recently.

Miss Mildred Wright of Flesherton, accompanied by Miss Rachel Hutchinson, visited at the latter's parental home last week.

Albert Arnott of Wareham made a business trip here on Monday.

Inspector Huff visited our school one day recently and found everything satisfactory.

Leith Lawrence visited friends in Eugenia during the past week.

Miss Belle Clinton of Flesherton, accompanied by Mrs Ben Hislop, visited at T Lewis' one day last week

Toronto Line North

Threshing is in progress.

Dr. and Mrs. Caldwell of Shelburne visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Richardson.

Miss Elva Lever of Eugenia accompanied by Miss Nettie Martin, town, visited with Ceylon friends on Thursday evening last week.

Mrs. Jas. Lever and son, Harold, of Markdale, visited friends in this vicinity one day last week.

Walkerton

Four sons of Mr. Robert Russell of Walkerton have enlisted for the front. His youngest son Leith joined the 71st Battalion here last week, while his sons, Stanley and James, are already at the front, and his remaining son John, is in training at London. This is a creditable showing for one home.

Mr. Con. Felzing, a farmer residing east of Walkerton, found one of his largest and most valuable steers lying in a field near his bush on Sunday afternoon with a rifle ball through its head. As Mr. Felzing had missed the steer for the preious few days, the exact time the deed was committed is unknown. It has all the the ear-marks however, of being an act of spite, and this wantom slaughter of a splendid animal is likely to land the miscreant behind the bars if his name and whereabouts can be discovered.

the Walkerton Broom Works, which have been in existence here for over a quarter of a century, and which degenerated from a once lively industry in pretentious quarters to a modest work shop in a barn, went up in smoke after midnight on Thursday in a fire that destroyed Mr. Jos. Yaeck's stable and tool-house. Just how the fire originated is unknown, as the blaze broke out while Walkerton was slumbering, and completely wiped out the works before being quenched.—Herald.

While a number of Chatsworth boys were at target practice at the ranges on the west side of the village, a 22 cal, rifle in the hands of Reg. McGillivray was accidentally discharged. The bullet entered the ankle of Johnnie Walters and lodged in his foot. While it is not expected that serious results will follow, the wound will be painful and necessitate Johnny's confinement to the house for some time.—News

Mount Forest raised $3243.25 for patriotic, red cross and relief purposes by a special canvass.

Feversham Items

Intended for last week

Ideal autumn weather.

Pte. Charles Brackenbury of Sewell Camp, Manitoba, is visiting his many friends here before leaving for the front.

We are glad to report that Miss Sadie Julien is recovering from her recent attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. George Murphy of Flesherton is visiting her son, Mr. Sam Murphy.

Mr. James Henderson of Moose Jaw, Sask., called on friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Little spent Sunday with friends in Glen Huron.

Mrs. John Buckingham is slowly recovering from the effects of a fall received on fair day.

Rev. Mr. Kendall of Dundalk will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday next.

In Loving Memory

Of W. G. Pickell, who passed away from death unto life Nov. 2, 1914, at Markdale.

"We, with uncovered head,
Salute the sacred dead,
Who went, and who return not—
say not so!
'Tis not the grapes of Canaan
that repay,
But the high faith that failed not
by the way.
Virtue treads paths that end not
in the grave;
No ban of endless night exiles
the brave;
And to the saner mind
We, rather, seem the dead that
stay behind."

—Wife, Sons and Daughters.

A Shocking Accident

Albert Cairns of Orillia met with a fatal accident while assisting at a threshing, when a belt to the carriers slipped and fell partly off, just as Cairns was entering the barn. On the impulse of the moment the unfortunate man reached forward and slipped one arm through a loop in the belt. Instantly he was drawn forward and his arm wound round and round, until it was broken in a number of places and almost wrenched from the socket. His bodily injuries also were very severe. Cairns was taken to the Orillia hospital, the dead arm removed, and everything done to make him as comfortable as possible, but he died the following evening. Cairns some time ago lost whatever property he possessed in a not well advised suit against the smelter people, from whom he claimed damages for the death of a cow, alleged to have died from arsenical poisoning, and for further damage to his property, and had otherwise been unfortunate. His tragic death completes a chapter of misfortunes which cannot but awaken sympathy and sorrow among those who knew him. The deceased leaves a widow but no children.

Pluck Wins.

Major-General Sir Sam Hughes is exceedingly popular with at least one soldier in training, Pte. William Coffee of Hanover. Coffe is but a shade over five feet in height, and when he went to the recruiting station was turned down for his lack of stature, being nearly two inches short. Some time afterwards Coffee overheard a man of Teutonic origin make some slighting remark about the Canadian soldiers, and though his opponent overtopped him by nearly a foot he gave him a sound pummeling, all of which R. J. Ball, M.P., learned in due time. At last he sent a personal letter with the facts of the case to Gen. Hughes, and the result was that in a few days an order came from the head of the militia department authorizing Coffee to be taken on the overseas forces. And now it is Pte. Coffee, short but stocky, delighted and dilngent, doing his drill.

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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Vandeleur Happenings

Marion, the eight year old daughter of C. B. Boland, broke her left arm while playing at school on Tuesday of last week. Dr. Ego reduced the fracture and the little girl is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. Jos. Buchanan lost a valuable horse recently from blood poison.

Mrs. S. Croft of Portlaw is visiting her brother, J. H. Holley and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Freeman of Markdale paid a short visit to friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkpatrick of Goring were visitors at W. J. Hutchinson's recently.

Mr. John Warling had the misfortune to fall one day last week and break a couple of ribs which will lay him up for a while.

After three months acute suffering, Sadie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Warling, passed away on Sunday morning, aged 21 years. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved parents and only brother who are left to mourn her loss. Interment took place at the Meaford Road cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wickens of Kimberley were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alcox the beginning of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Abercrombie were visitors at Mr. Geo. Pritchard's recently.

Mrs. S. Gilbert is visiting her daughter in the city.

The members of the Meaford Road church held their anniversary services on Sunday afternoon and evening, the Rev. Dr. Caldwell of Shelburne taking charge. The tea and entertainment was held on Monday evening, of which we hope to report later.

Distribution of Seed Grain and Potatoes

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture, a free dirtribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers. The samples will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs.) and peas (about 5 lbs.) These will be sent out from Ottawa.

A distribution of potatoes (in 3lb. samples) will be carried on from several of the Experimental Farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Each application must be separate and must be signed by the applicant. Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. If both samples are asked for in the same letter only one will be sent. Applications on any kind of printed form cannot be accepted.

The destruction by fire of the cereal building at Ottawa, which contained grain cleaning machinery and a large stock of seed grain for distribution, may make it necessary to curtail the distribution to a certain extent. We shall fill as many as possible of the applications which conforms to the rules; but requests after the end of December will probably be too late. Samples cannot be sent in response to applications (no matter when received), which fail to state clearly the needs of the applicant, his experiences in crop raising and the character of the soil on which he intends to sow the seed.

All applications for grain (and applications from Ontario and Quebec for potatoes) should be addressed to the Dominion Cerealist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Such applications require no postage. If otherwise addressed delay and disappointment may occur.

Applications for potatoes from farmers in any other province should be addressed postage prepaid to the superintendent of the nearest branch Experimental Farm in that province.

If cutting off three hours from the sale of liquor over the bars of Ontario decrease the receipts of the bars by nine million dollars per year as asserted by friends of the traffic, and we don't doubt them, how much would the decrease be if the hours were cut off altogether? As a matter of simple proportion it would be forty or fifty million dollars per annum. The more hours cut off the more money in the people's pocketsand the less poison in the systems of the drinkers.—Mt. Forest Confed.

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