Links in a Chain

AS every Link in a Chain is an indispensable part and contributes to the strength of the whole, so every branch and sub-branch of this Bank is a vital unit, closely united with all the other branches, and is a link in a strong chain which encircles the world and guards the financial safety of clients.

THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

FLESHERTON BRANCH, - C. T. BATTY, Manager.

Branches also at Williamsford and Holland Centre.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

C. P. R. TIME TABLE

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Ging South	Going North
8.00 a.m.	11.58a.m.
4.30 p.m.	9.30 p.m.

The mails close at Flesherton as follows: For the north at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south at 3.30. For morning train south at mail closes at 9.00 p.m. the previous evening.

Local Chaff

Watch our "small adv." column.

Mr. John Runstadler was in town on business last week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Eaton were in Toronto last week.

Let The Advance renew your subscriptions to all the daily papers.

Mr. Jos. Clinton is laid up this week with pleurisy.

Miss Victoria Nicholson spent a week with friends in Toronto.

Get your sgates sharpened at Down's Garage, Flesherton.

Box social at Orange Valley L.O.L. on January 18th. See another page.

Kimberley Poultry Show will be held Wednesday and Thursday of this week, January 9 and 10.

Mr. W. W. Trimble was visiting his wife at Islington, who took a weak spell, but is now improving.

Miss Bessie and Reuben Carter and Mrs. R. Mulhall of Toronto, visited their sister, Mrs. Robt. Down.

Remember R. Sharpe's sale of farm stock and implements near the village on Thursday, January 10th.

Mr. S. Osborne of Maxwell has purchased a lot on Toronto street from Mr. G. B. Welton and will erect a residence thereon this coming summer.

The Montreal Gazette has published the most beautiful calendar we have seen this year. We thank the Gazette for a copy.

The W.M.S. of the Methodist church will meet in the primary room at 3 o'clock to-morrow, Thursday. Visiting ladies will be welcome.

There is quite an epidemic of colds in town. Among the more serious cases is that of Mr. Jos. Clinton, who is confined to his bed with pleurisy.

A credit auction sale of farm stock and implements will be held on part lot 11, Con. 6, Osprey, on Tues., January 15, 1924. See bills. Chas. Brodie, Prop., W. Kaitting, Act.

Mr C. Scott was moved last week to the Sarnia Branch of the Bank of Montreal and Mr. W. Clark of the late Kimberley Branch has taken his place here as teller.

School opened on Thursday of last week, with the same staff of teachers on hand. Miss E. Reynolds is back again at the public school after six weeks' absence at her home at Beeton.

Mr. John Runstadler has rented the premises fitted up as a residence on Sydenham street by Mr. W. A. Armstrong during the past couple of months, and takes possesion in February.

Miss Macphail will speak in the Orange Hall, Eugenia, on the evening of January 14th, on the form of government and system of education. Be sure and attend.—A. Cameron and F. Pedlar.

The Ladies' Aid of Maxwell Methodist church will hold a concert on the evening of Tuesday, January 15th, when a play will be given entitled, "Whiskers." Afterwards there will be a sale of fancy work and candy. Admisson 25 and 15 cents.

Mr. Cross, the new manager of the Bank of Montreal has not succeeded in securing a home for his family and will leave them in Chesley for a time. Mr. Cross arrives this week to take charge of the Bank, and we welcome him to our midst.

For the past couple of weeks The Advance has been overflowing with job work and in Christmas week we dispatched three financial statements for Nomination day. This is a condition that we welcome, and having our type setting machine on the job are able to turn out more work and do it when wanted. Bring us your printing; we can manage anything.

FORMED SHIPPING ASSOCIATION

Ceylon, Eugenia and Osprey Clubs To Ship Co-operatively From Here

H. SPOFFORD SHIPPER

For some time members of Farmers' Clubs, who ship live stcok from Flesherton station, have felt that it might be advisable to have an association or committee who would have entire control of all co-operative live stock shipments from that place. With this end in view Ceylon, Osprey and Eugenia Farmers' Clubs, at their annual meetings appointed delegates, who were given authority, if thonught advisable, to bring such an organization into effect.

Acting acordingly on Monday, Dec. 24th, 1923, Thos. Sled, W. T. Genoe and Jas. Ferris of the Ceylon Club, Garnet Magee and Edgar Betts of Osprey Club and A. F. Pedlar and Alex. Cameron of Eugenia Club, met at the Park House, Flesherton, and organized the Artemesia and Osprey Live Stock Shipping Association with the followng officers : Pres., Thos. Sled; Vce-Pres., Edgar Betts; Sec.-Treas., Alex. Cameron; Directors, Jas. Ferris, W. T. Genoe and G. Magee, after which a set of rules and regulations were drawn up and agreed to. Some of these are :

1. A flat rate for shipping expenses will be charged until further consideration and notice, as follows : Cattle, 40c. per cwt.; calves, sheep, hogs (F. and W.) 55 c. per cwt.,; hogs (W.O.C) 45c per cwt. the above rate to include all expenses, with the exception of inspection.

2. An insurance rate of 8 cts. per head on cattle and 3 cts. per head on all other stock will be collected on all stock shipped, and deposited in the bank to the joint credit of the shipper and treasurer of the Shipping committee, for the purpose of paying losses on animals during shipment and for expenses of the committee.

3. The shipper must accompany each and every shipment of stock to Toronto and see that the same is properly yarded, fed and sold.

4. An audit of the shipper's books will be made every three months by auditors appointed by the local clubs.

5. Mr. Harold Spofford of Feversham was appointed shipper for one year at a commission of one per cent. in the value of all stock. For prices and information call Emerson Wickens, Flesherton, or Harold Spofford, Feversham, each Monday night.

The committee are hopeful that by pursuing a policy of srictly co-operative marketing on live stock a saving in freight rates and expenses wll be made, better prices will result and thereby a contribution made to the mutual and collective interests of the country.—A. Cameron, Sec.

One Of The Worst Storms

One of the most severe snow and wind storms ever seen by the oldest inhabitant passed over this country on Sunday last, making travelling almost an impossibility. Fortunately there was not a great deal of snow on the ground when it started, otherwise traffic would have been at a standstill. A snow plow went up and down the line Sunday and Monday and there was no delay in trains. The churches were not well attended on account of the storm, but the services were carried on as usual. The storm ended about midnight Sunday. What made the blow worse was the zero weather which prevailed.

Had To Leave His Car

County Constable Jones of Owen Sound was in town on Saturday. His car had been here for a week and he undertook to drive it home by way of Durham, taking along with him plenty of shovels and chains, but no "cold chaser." He also had an Owen Sound garage man with him to see him through. However, they only got a little beyond the station when difficulties became unsurmountable. They phoned McTavishs' garage to come and get the car, and hiked for Owen Sound via C.P.R.

10 TEN DAYS' 10

CLEARANCE SALE

Wednesday, January 9th
- TO -
Saturday, January 19th

Before taking our annual Inventory we want many lines of seasonable merchandise cleared from our shelves, and to do this quickly have made substantial price reductions all through the store.

MEN'S STRIPED COTTONADE PANTS $1.69
Good weight, regular $2.25.

MEN'S COTTON WORSTED PANTS $2.49
Neat patterns, well cut and finished. Regular $3.00 and $3.50

MEN'S BROWN CORDUROY PANTS $3.49
Durable, neat and warm. Regular $4.00

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS $1.29
Good patterns, clearance of reg. $2 and $2.50 lines.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS $1.19
All sizes, plain khaki and stripe patterns reg. $1.50

MEN'S LINED LEATHER MITTS 39c.
Values up to 75 c. included.

MEN'S LEATHER WORK GLOVES 59c.
Unlined, good for all kinds of rough usage Regular 75c. to 90c.

MEN'S WOOL SOCKS 39c.
Regular 55c. to 65c. values included.

CHILDREN'S HOCKEY BOOTS $1.29
Sizes 11 to 1, some with ankle supports.

CORDUROY VELVET 27 INCH 79c.
Good range of colors. Regular $1.00 and $1 25

CLEARING LADIES' CORSETS 99c.
Single pairs from good selling lines. Values up to $2.50

CURTAIN NETS, BUNGALOW NETS
Curtain nets, bungalow nets, an assortment of good patterns, perfect goods **AT HALF PRICE.**

YARD WIDE SILK POPLINS $1.19
Good choice of colors, very serviceable, reg. $1.50

ASSORTMENT OF SILKS, SPECIAL $1.49
Assortment of Pailette Silks, colored Shantungs, Crepes, etc. Values to $2.50. **Special $1.49**

COATINGS 20% OFF REGULAR PRICES
Coating Serges, Plaid Back Coatings, Blanket Cloths. **20% off regular prices.**

SILK BLOUSES HALF PRICE
All in stock included. Black, white or colors.

Kimono Cloths, Eiderdowns, Kimono Crepes 20% off regular prices.

BLACK CASHMERETTE HOSE 29c.
Heavy weight size 9, 9½, 10. **Special value.**

CHILDREN'S WORSTED HOSE 39c.
Heavy ribbed, sizes 6 to 7½. regular 50c. to 75c.

MEN'S TWEED CAPS 99c.
Good winter weights, some with inside bands.

MEN'S SILK NECKWEAR 59c.
Regular 75c. and 85c. qualities.

MEN'S WOOL SWEATERS $2.79
Good colors, some high collars, others V neck. Regular $3.00 to $4.00

BOYS' SWEATERS AND PULLOVERS $1.79
Plain colors or fancy, large sizes. Special value.

SCOTCH FINGERING $1.10
Grey only. Per pound $1.10.

FOUR YARD WIDE LINOLEUM $3.69
Room lengths in good patterns.

UNSHRINKABLE UNDERWEAR 99c.
Shirts and drawers, all sizes $1.50 to $1.75 values.

WOOL UNDERWEAR (soiled) 79c.
Shirts and drawers. **Special bargain.**

MISSES' WORSTED HOSE 59c.
Heavy elastic rib, good black. Sizes 8 to 9½.

MEN'S OVERSHOES $1.49
One buckle, size, 7 only. **Special value.**

MEN'S HEAVY RUBBERS $2.29
Some 7 in. Leather Top, some 2 buckle. **Special.**

WHITE CUPS AND SAUCERS $1.29 PER DOZ.
New shape cup, first quality, **Special per doz. $1.29**

China Dinner Setts and Tea Setts At Special Prices.

BOYS' OVERCOATS $6.99
Sizes 28 to 31. A special clearing line. **Exceptional value**

HEAVY COTTON VESTS 39c.
Cream shade, sizes for Misses and small Women. Regular 60c. and 65c.

WOMEN'S DRAWERS 29c.
White and natural shades, heavy weight, ankle length. **Special value.**

VESTS OR DRAWERS 99c.
Cream shade, fine, soft finish. Broken sizes. All perfect.

COTTON HUCK TOWELS 49c. PER PAIR
Hemmed, size 34 x 17. Regular 65c. per pair.

COTTON SHIRTINGS 29c.
Oxford and striped patterns. Regular 40c.

Grocery Specials

Soap Chips,	**3 pounds for 25c.**
Seedless Raisins	**2 pounds for 25c.**
Bulk Cocoa,	**2 pounds 25c.**
Pink Salmon,	**Pound Cans 19c.**
Castile Soap	**7 bars 25c.**
Handy Ammonia, 10c. size	**4 for 25c.**
Zip Hand Cleaner	**3 tins 25c.**

Grocery Specials

Chow Chow Pickles	**per tin 23c.**
English Pickles, 10 oz. size	**25c.**
Scrubbing Brush	**Special 5c.**
White Swan Mustard	**half pound 39c.**
Tomato Catsup, 14 oz. size	**2 bottles 35c.**
Canned Peaches, 15 oz. size	**15c.**
Black or Japan Tea, 75c. quality	**2 pounds $1.19**

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE YOU WILL FIND BARGAINS OFFERED IN EVERY LINE.

TERMS DURING SALE :— CASH OR PRODUCE ONLY.

F. H. W. Hickling

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