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FIVE CENTS EACH.

3 LINES OF AMERICAN WATCHES

IN WARRANTABLE GRADES.

Seth Thomas Clocks.

LARGE ASSORTMENT SILVER-
WARE.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Lazarus Pebble Specks.

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18 K. WEDDING RINGS.

Goods & Work Warranted.

FINE REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

W. A. BROWN,

A reliable Jeweller

Local and Other Items.

NOTICES in these columns intended to benefit any individual or Society will be charged ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line each subsequent insertion.

WARTON chair factory is closed down.

EUPHRASIA spring show, at Rocklyn on 28th April.

Don't forget! Markdale Spring Show next Tuesday.

The Rose Library always on hand at Mrs. Clement's.

ARTHEMESA minutes came too late to appear this week.

WALL PAPER—You will find a nice assortment at Hill Bro's.

MARKDALE Spring Show will be held on the 20th, next Tuesday.

THE STANDARD for any address the balance of 1886 for 75 cents.

THERE is to be a new Postoffice at Proton Station this Summer.

MISS PLEWES of Guelph is the guest of her cousin, Mr. Angus Plewes.

MRS. T. HALL of Dundalk has been the guest of Mrs. McNea this week.

GLADSTONE'S Home Rule bill passed its first reading without a division.

ONE case of prime L. C. Bacon just received at J. R. Trimble's, cheap for cash.

MR. H. KING has sold "British Ensign" and purchased another fine Stallion.

GAMES.—Old Maid cards, Dice, Dominoes, Checkers, &c., at Mrs. Clement's.

THE better he does his work the less is known or thought of him.—The proof reader.

Oil Cake & Cattle Food cheap for cash at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

APPRENTICES wanted to learn Dress and Mantle Making. Apply to Mrs. Clement, Markdale.

Easter Cards.—Beautiful assortment at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

GRASS SEEDS and Clover Seeds for Permanent pasture at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

HOW is the noted Oscar Wild like J. R. Trimble's blonde salesman: By transposing the name.

LEAVE your orders for Music and Books of Instruction, any instrument, at W. A. Brown's Jewellery Store.

DON'T fail to call at Mason's Carriage works and see those celebrated champion Buggy Gears before purchasing.

WANTED at the Revere Hotel, Markdale, two girls, one for kitchen work and one for dining room. Jas. Patterson.

MR. GEO. RICHARDSON, Euphrasia, made 40 gallons beautiful maple syrup in four and a half days recently.

MR. ARCH. BOYD has returned to the village, and will be happy to serve all his old customers in the weaving business.

THE Ladies are all talking about McFarland's wonderful display of Dress Goods; Silks and Trimmings to match.

J. R. TRIMBLE'S Spring and Summer stock is now complete in every department. Special quotations to cash purchasers.

Garden Seeds.—A large assortment, fresh, from the best growers just received at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

THE large discount for cash, 10 to 20 per cent., will continue till May 1st on Watches, Clocks, Silverware, etc. W. A. Brown, Jeweller.

WE had a friendly call last week from Mr. Samuel Wright of Simcoe Co., formerly of Euphrasia, who has been visiting friends in this district.

J. R. TRIMBLE has the largest lot of Prints and choicest assortment of Ladies Dress Goods ever shown in Markdale. Special value for cash.

MONEY to loan on real estate, the very best rates and terms: no commissions charged; expenses low. Apply to C. W. Rutledge.

R. J. MCCOY has moved to our village this week, and will open next week a branch of Baine's Pump Works of Owen Sound.

MR. FOREST butchers have raised the price of beefsteak from 10 to 12 cents. Markdale butchers didn't raise, their's were up all winter.

THE new parliament buildings at Toronto is to be commenced shortly. They are to cost about \$750,000, and to be completed in three years.

R. O. WHITEY is prepared to do all kinds of House, Sign, and Carriage Painting. Special attention to House Painting. Estimates given free.

LOOK out for W. H. Flesher's advertisement, Flesherton, next week. He has something important to say to those who have wool to manufacture.

MR. ISAAC STENSON, builder and contractor, has taken up his residence in Markdale, and is prepared to attend to the wants of the public in that line.

THE place to get your Millinery is at Hill Bro's; they keep the best goods and latest styles. All trimming done under the supervision of Miss Love.

THE most beautiful Suitings, beautiful Pantings, latest style Hats in Felts and Straws, and magnificent Ties are all to be found at J. R. Trimble's.

HEARTWELL & HEARTWELL have opened in the butcher business in Rutledge's old stand and are prepared to serve all who favor them with their patronage. Adv. next week.

J. R. TRIMBLE has just received a quantity of that famous Tea, Pride of Hamilton, besides being a very fine article, a prize is drawn with every pound purchased.

MR. FOREST'S three newspaper men are members of the new Fire Brigade. Nothing like getting men into the company who are used to hard work and accustomed to being in hot water.

J. R. TRIMBLE'S stock of Ready Made Clothing is very large and particularly well assorted, comprising all shades, grades and sizes, at very low figures for cash.

FOR SALE.—One thoroughbred cow and calf, one heifer two years old, a quantity of hay, seed oats, peas, and about 600 bushels of potatoes. Apply to James Mercer, one mile from Markdale.

THE most reliable place you can take your Buggies, Democarts, Wagons, &c., to be repaired, re-trimmed, re-painted, &c., is to Wm. Mason's Carriage Works, Markdale. Satisfaction guaranteed and prices lower than any other shop in the county.

PETE. MUNSHAW continues to run a bus to all regular trains from Flesherton to the Station. He is also agent for the Dominion Express Co., and attends promptly to all such. Headquarters at Munshaw's Hotel.

NOTICE.—As has been customary in former years the Merchants of Markdale will close their stores at 7 p. m., beginning first of May. We hope that all those who feel it to their advantage to trade in Markdale will govern themselves accordingly.

GLADSTONE'S Irish Home Rule scheme has been looked forward to with such universal interest, we have concluded to give it in the STANDARD, many not having an opportunity of seeing it otherwise. It is so lengthy we are obliged to continue it next week, for want of space.

GREAT BARGAINS IN CANDIES.—I intend to sell, for the next 30 days, all my large stock of Candies at wholesale prices so as to give my numerous customers of the last 18 years a rare chance. Biscuits 1 cent less per lb. Come one, come all, and clear them out. Mrs. Montgomery, Dunlop's Block.

LEFT THE COUNTRY.—Old hard times has left our shore, I never want to see him more, but what I want to see is people by the score with Eggs by the millions at the people's cheap Shoe Store; but this I would say more, if you would prefer to pay the cash you are always welcome inside our door. Wm. McLeod.

A HOAX.—Johnie Noble, who we reported two weeks ago as having skipped, was only to Collingwood working for a couple of weeks, and has returned, not even married as rumored. He is to work as industriously as ever, and we trust the "send off" we gave him will not cause him any disadvantage.

"STEP right into the parlor and make yourself at home," said the 9-year-old son of the editor to his sister's best young man. "Take the rocking chair and help yourself to the album. Helen Louise is up-stairs and won't be down for some time yet—has to make up her form, you know, before going to press."

THERE is an unlimited number of lives saved annually by using West's Cough Syrup in time. If people were to exercise a little more care and procure a bottle of West's Cough Syrup, when a cough first troubles, much after misery could be averted. Sold by A. Turner & Co., Druggists. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. April 15

THE Rural Canadian for April has been received. It contains thoughtful articles on the following subjects:—The India Wheat Scare; A Few Words on the Potato Rot; and a most interesting description of a Gold Medal Farm. Rural Notes are not quite as extended as usual; but the Farm and Field, Sheep and Swine, Poultry and Pets, and Garden and Orchard Department, are full of seasonable reading. Music is omitted from this number. Published by C. Blackett Robinson, 5 Jordan Street, Toronto.

R. J. SPROULE, money lender, Flesherton, is agent for that and honorable dealing Company, the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company, Toronto. He has any quantity Money to lend at lowest rates of interest. Mortgages bought and changed when expiring or bearing a high rate of interest to a much lower. Apply to R. J. Sproule Postmaster and Conveyancer, Flesherton.

MCGREGOR'S SPEEDY CURE. When we say McGregor's Speedy Cure is the only perfect cure for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaints, Indigestion and Impure Blood, we are telling plain facts, of which hundreds upon hundreds can testify who have been restored to perfect health by its use. We would therefore advise you strongly if you are a subject of any of the above troubles to give McGregor's Speedy Cure a trial and be convinced. It is sold in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles at R. L. Stephen's Drug Store.

REJUVENATOR assists nature and removes the cause of diseases from the system by keeping the kidneys, liver, stomach and blood pure and nature's channels free, then you have health. Sold by Smith, the barber.

THE idea that the termini of the C. P. R. shall be Liverpool and Hong Kong has taken hold in Britain. Truth's statement that the imperial government has decided to subsidize a line of steamers from British Columbia to Chinese and Australian ports may be premature, but it undoubtedly casts the shadow of the British mind. Britain can and will afford to pay a million pounds sterling for the purposes which the proposed subsidy will subserve. There is no longer any question of the C. P. R.'s importance as a Canadian work. Its importance as an imperial work is beginning to be understood.

IT is just a question that the Irish man will accept Gladstone's scheme to drive him out of Westminster and out of English politics, and confine his great energy for agitation to Ireland. Paddy rather likes going to London, raising a dust there, interrupting English legislation, and generally making himself obnoxious to the Saxon. And what will the American Irishmen think of it? Antagonism to Britain, as much as love of Ireland, is a mainspring of their activity over this question. Will the dollars they now contribute to the cause go hereafter to the true advancement of the interests of the people of Ireland, or will they still be directed to keeping up the agitation against England?

FROM the following paragraph in the Rochester Democrat, our citizens will be pleased to learn that Rev. J. E. Allen is winning good opinions on the other side:—"The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, of Marion, is furnishing a fine course of lectures. The first by Pastor Allen, upon "The Cranks of Creation," illustrating his great elocutionary, dramatic and instructive powers. The lecture well deserves the high comments by Canada, Buffalo and Canandaigua newspapers. The second was given on the 24th by Rev. A. J. Barthop, of Hopewell, N. Y., a former colleague of Mr. Allen in the far Northwest, upon "The Great Loan Land." It was a most vivid picturing by word, maps and diagrams prepared by the speaker, of the to us almost unknown, grand "New Northwest," Manitoba, Assiniboine, Alberta, Saskatchewan, etc. If Her Majesty's Dominion can spare us such men, ministers and lecturers as Messrs. Allen and Barthop, she is welcome to all our defaulters and their spoils. The third lecture by Bishop Ives, is eagerly anticipated."

And They Did.

HE had been courting his Sarah Ann for many a year. The blushing girl had become a mature woman, with a hint of crow's feet and faded hair, Azariah; as he was about to leave her one evening, sympathetically remarked: "Sarah Ann, I bought a lot in the graveyard to-day, that we may lay our bones alongside of each other at last."

Sarah Ann insinuatedly rejoined "Azariah, can't we lay our bones alongside of each other while we live?"

IF you are afflicted with Rheumatism call on your druggist immediately and procure a bottle of West's World's Wender or Family Liniment, it is a certain and positive cure. It is infallible for Sprains, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds and all diseases requiring external application. Price 25 cents and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by A. Turner & Co. April

IMPORTANT NEWS ITEM.

COOKSTOWN.—Mrs. Campbell had been troubled for a number of years with Indigestion and Constipation, and was induced to try McGregor's Speedy Cure and found it all that was needed, and would recommend its use to any person similarly troubled. This invaluable remedy is sold in every part of Canada at 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold at R. L. Stephen's Drug Store.

CRUTCHES RENDERED USELESS. The poor cripple who has to use crutches on account of Rheumatism, stiff and swollen joints, contracted cords, and other aches, pains and lameness, may throw aside his crutches if he will try Hagyard's Yellow Oil faithfully.

Meaford Road.
From our own Correspondent.

THE pallid messenger who approaches us with silent footfall has again visited our hamlet, his victim this time being the wife of Mr. John McGee who has passed away to her eternal rest. Her end was peace. She died trusting in Jesus.

MR. Wm. Smith, Jr., got one of his hands badly cut while working at a lath machine in Spencer's saw-mill. Mrs. Jas. Brodie has been suffering for most of the winter with a severe attack of inflammation of the eyes, and is very little better.

MR. W. Buchanan, Jr., is again laid up with rheumatism.

MR. T. Gilbert has been severely indisposed for some time past. He is now slowly recovering.

W. J. Warling's eldest daughter has had a very severe attack of inflammation of the lungs.

"What is McGregor's Speedy Cure for?" It is for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Indigestion, Biliousness, and it is the finest blood purifier in the known world to-day. "Does it give satisfaction?" We cannot point to one instance where it did not. "Where does it have the largest sale?" Right in the City of Hamilton, where it is manufactured, there has been over on thousand dollars' worth sold in the last year retail, and the great majority of the sales are by one recommending it to another. For sale at 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle by R. L. Stephen, Druggist.

BE ON YOUR GUARD.

DON'T allow a cold in the head to slowly and surely develop itself into Catarrh when you can be cured for 25 cents. A few applications will cure incipient Catarrh. One to two boxes will cure ordinary Catarrh. One to five boxes will cure chronic Catarrh. Dr. Chase's Catarrh cure, Sold by all dealers at 25 cents per box.

Why do we Have Eggs at Easter.

Easter is observed among all Christian people as the anniversary of the great event of the resurrection of Christ. He was dead, but returned to life. The eggs is taken as emblematic of a return to life. It is to all appearance dead, but we know that if placed under proper conditions, life will come forth from it. The use of eggs at Easter was adopted from an usage older than our era. It was the custom in very early times to celebrate the return of spring by making presents of eggs.

"Why does not Easter always fall upon a fixed day. Christmas is always on December 25th, why should not Easter be fixed with equal certainty?" Easter must always be on Sunday. It is not a particular date that is observed, but a particular Sunday. How to decide upon the Sunday, gave the very early churches much trouble, and there were differences on that account, but the matter was settled at a council held at Nice, in the year 325. The rule was adopted that: "Easter day is always the first Sunday after the full moon, which happens upon or next after March 21st, and if the full moon happens on a Sunday, Easter day is the next Sunday after. This gives Easter day a wide range of dates, as it may occur on any Sunday from March 22nd to April 25th.—[American Agriculturist for April.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

AN old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all the Catarrhal Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

THIS is to certify that I have used McGregor's Speedy Cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and do honestly say that if it cost me one hundred (\$100.00) a bottle I would not be without it, as it has done me more good than all the medicines I ever used, and I feel like a new man.—Yours truly, ALEX. STRAIN, Carleton Place, Ont. This medicine is for sale at 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at R. L. Stephen's Drug Store.