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 Farmers are driving from one to  
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 No waiting, or return trip necessary  
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 No change made in the scale of exchange  
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 Parties wishing choice flour, be sure and  
 go to Plewes Mill. Good mixed chop, bran  
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 Wanted, all the good Spring Wheat in the  
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West's Cough Syrup, the household remedy  
 for coughs, colds, sore throat, influenza,  
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 Yet she'd shirk no household duty,  
 And she even had a heart.  
 O'er her face smiles chased each other  
 Like the sunbeams in the rose—  
 And she never let her mother  
 Sweep the steps or wash the clothes.  
 Every night the grand piano  
 Sang, responsive to the touch—  
 And this maid of charming manner,  
 Oft made bread and pies and such.  
 She was fair of form and feature  
 Diamonds paled beneath her glance;  
 Yet this handsome, dazzling creature  
 Used to mend her brother's pants.

Have you Toothache? Use Fluid Lightening  
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**I WONDER.**  
 If North Grey is any safer to the party  
 on account of Sir John's recent visit to  
 Owen Sound.  
 If Reformers really despise him as  
 much as they profess.  
 If they wouldn't be only too glad to  
 have just such a leader.  
 What does party really amount to any-  
 way, nowadays.  
 If a mock parliament would not  
 succeed in Markdale.  
 Of course it wouldn't do to let Dr.  
 Sproule or Wm. Brown into it.  
 They would gobble us all up.  
 How many Markdaleites visited the  
 brewery while in Owen Sound on Mon-  
 day week.  
 And felt big after it.  
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**THE LAST YEAR, 1896.**  
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 regard to what are generally known as  
 "Standard Patent Medicines." Of course  
 we are getting to that age in life when we  
 are forced to conclude Life itself is a struggle  
 and naturally distrust anything that has not  
 withstood long and tried experiences. Being  
 a physician I had the curiosity to know how  
 such a sale of two medical preparations could  
 be sustained for so many years. The perfect  
 system upon which the business is conducted  
 and the pharmaceutical arrangements for the  
 manufacture of two receipts with which we  
 were made acquainted, are sufficiently con-  
 vincing to us that the AUGUST FLOWER, for  
 Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and BOE-  
 CHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP, for Throat and Lung  
 Troubles, were for the complaints they are  
 recommended, most excellent remedies, and  
 only regret that in much of our practice,  
 medical ethics prevent us from prescribing  
 them without making the formulas public.  
 When we were shown the great quantity of  
 voluntary letters having been forwarded Dr.  
 Green, from all parts of the country, and  
 from all classes of people, lawyers, ministers  
 doctors, give a description of their ailments,  
 testimonials of their cures, etc. I feel like  
 endorsing Dr. Green's suggestion that the  
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 and license them for general use by giving  
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 acts in an entirely different principle from  
 the usual prescriptions given by Physicians.  
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 177 1/2 yards All  
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