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NOTICE.—Correspondence, communications, Advertisements, &c., must be in this office by noon on Tuesday to insure publication at week.

30 DAYS!

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For 30 Days Only, there will be a great discount sale of

Matches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Spex, &c.,

Do not miss it but come early and secure some of the bargains before they are gone, only for 30 days, positively, as we are giving you 25 per cent, off on all cash sales over \$1.00. The finest make of Nicol Alarm Clock actually selling at RUSSELL'S NOTED JEWELRY STORE for only \$2.00, while they are \$2.50 to \$2.75 elsewhere and the finest assortment of Fine Plated Chains only \$1.60 which are generally sold for \$2.25 to \$2.50. RUSSELL'S is the place you can get bargains, nobody can compete with us. Come and see for yourselves, we will not pay your mileage or give you meals as a catch, but will sell you goods a great deal cheaper than you can get elsewhere and remember the only place to get your Watch repaired properly is at

RUSSELL'S Noted Jewelry Store, FLESHERTON.

Thursday 21st April is court day at Flesherton.

For Hardware Novelties, the latest styles and newest designs at Mabee's.

CLOVER & TIMOTHY Seeds at Stephen's Drug Store.

For prepared Paints, the best and cheapest in the county. Call on Mabee.

If you want a nobby head-dress for your feet, go to McLeod's shoe store.

Mr. Bell the Glenelg assessor is in Markdale this week.

Wm. McLoughry Artemesia assessor is on the war path.

Two mortgage sales of farm property in this paper. Look them up.

MAXWELL Spring Show will be held in that village on the 27th April.

Just received some beautiful sets of dishes and glassware at S. Hill's.

COUNTY OF GREY Summer Entrance Examinations are advertised this week. See for yourself.

Ladies when you are in town with Butter and Eggs, call, we will give you bargains, S. Hill.

Another large consignment of Teas very cheap, my house is noted for the best teas in town, S. Hill.

For Hardware, Stoves and Tinware. See Mabee at the sign of the cross-cut saw.

EAST GREY Agricultural Society will hold their Annual Spring Show at Flesherton on Friday 22nd April.

Pebble spex, Crystal Lenses, and 4 colors in sun glasses. Call at W. A. Brown's Jewelry Store.

Oil Cake, the champion cattle food for sale at Medical Hall A. Turner & Co.

A good comfortable brick residence and handsome lot for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

MECHANICS see Mabee for your outfit, he will be pleased to give you good goods at right prices.

LEN. COX of this village cut his left hand severely last Saturday while chopping.

REMEMBER you can get Bran, Shorts, Henfeed the same price at Benson's, as at the mill, it saves you half an hour trouble, give us a call.

If we judge from the notices recently going the rounds of our exchanges, the Flesherton Advance has two anniversaries in the year, the 1st April and July.

MARKDALE MARKETS.—Fall wheat 75 to 76 cents; spring wheat 75 to 76; barley 80 to 60; peas 48; oats 28; butter 15 to 17; eggs 11; potatoes 50 per bag; pork 5.40; hides 5.50.

For anything you want in the Hardware line go straight to the sign of the cross-cut. We will be glad to see you. We will use you right. Mabee the Hardware.

For Oatmeal, "Corn meal" "Wheat meal" graham flour pot and pearl barley Benson's is the place to go, they will do better for you than any one in the town.

WALL PAPERS.—The finest assortment in central Grey. Over 8,000 pieces to select from at prices to suit the times, from 5 cents to 75 cents per roll. Call at Dinsmore's, Markdale.

An Irish magistrate asked a prisoner if he was married. "No," replied the man. "Then," said his worship, amid peals of laughter, "it's a good thing for your wife."

ACCORDING to the Government Report there were in Grey County in 1885 1,486 births; 757 males and 729 females; 419 marriages; 543 deaths, 286 males and 257 females.

An irate female seeks admittance to editor's sanctum. "But I tell you, madam," protests the attendant. "That editor is too ill to talk to any one today." "Never mind; you let me in; I'll do the talking."

An exchange says, taking it all around the men who have the most to say against a newspaper are those whose accounts remain on the publisher's books unbalanced, and there is more truth than poetry in the statement.

FOR SALE.—One horse three years old and one mare in foal, would take stock in part pay for same. Apply to J. HICKLING, Lot 38 & 39 con. 8, Artemesia, Maxwell, P. O.

MR. MARSH of the Markdale House has erected already this spring an addition of forty feet to his stabling, which will be used during summer season as an agricultural implement house and in winter as a stable.

The finest stock of glassware grocery milk pans, crocks, flour pots, hanging baskets &c., to be had at Benson's and will be sold cheaper than by any one in the trade. Remember we mean what we say. Call and see for yourselves.

Full stock of oranges, lemons, candies of all descriptions, nuts, figs, dates, raisins, biscuits of all kinds, canned goods, a few chests of that thunder, lightning and blue blazes tea left yet, the best value in town, try it, every person is getting it now.

WHAT IS ALABASTINE.—It is a preparation of plaster-paris and other ingredients used for decorating and whitening walls and ceilings, is easily applied, will not scale nor rub off, and is cheaper and better than calcimine. You can get it at Haskett Bros.

As the season is now opened for the sale of Bacon, Benson of the Belfast house is to the fore with a few cases; remember he will not be undersold by any one in the trade and if there is a cut to be given they are the boys that will give it to you, they are decent little chaps.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. J. W. Benson, who was superintending a grain crusher at Mr. J. Hickling's, Artemesia, last week, got his arm badly crushed. He was attending the machine when his jacket caught in the gear and drew his arm in. Dr. Kirr was sent for and dressed the wound and he will probably recover. The machine, which was drove by a span of horses, was stopped suddenly by the arm entering the machine.

Ladies call and get the latest Millinery novelties at S. Hill's.

Eggs went down the past week, especially on Sunday.

Have you seen those beautiful fast colored prints, bring your Butter and Eggs and get some of them, S. Hill.

J. G. RUSSELL, of Flesherton, makes an important announcement this week. Read it on first column.

An English Church is to be erected at Berkeley this summer. Some \$800 is already subscribed.

JAS. MILLER our new Provision and Feed Store man is doing an increasing business from week to week. Read his notice in this paper, and give him a call.

R. McNALLY, Carriage Maker is now fully prepared to supply the wants of the public in his line. Read his announcement in this paper.

HENS! HENS!! HENS!!! All kind of hen eggs wanted at McLeod's shoe store in exchange for boots and shoes.

If you pay cash for boots and shoes, try McLeod's; his boots give great satisfaction for the money.

EUPHRASIA Agricultural Society Spring Show will be held at Rocklyn on Tuesday the 26th April.

For Pure Leads, Oils, Varnishes and Colors, they can be had at the sign of the cross-cut.

A long felt want supplied.—Prepared Paints ready for use—any quantity or shade—guaranteed pure; See them at Haskett Bros.

HAMPDEN WATCHES.—My own name on—just received; Key and stem wind, will be sold close, cash or time. W. A. Brown, Jeweller.

Permanent Pasture Seeds. Prof. Brown's formula and other popular kinds at the Medical Hall A. Turner & Co.

Good Friday was observed as a Holiday in Markdale. The weather was delightful. There was appropriate service in the English Church.

GENTLEMEN. I am clearing out beautiful tweeds, worsteds and vants, very cheap, also straw and felt hats, call and realise, S. Hill.

Always a large stock of Boots and Shoes on hand. I pay cash for my goods. I cannot be undersold, S. Hill.

SINCE the alteration in the parish, services will be held every Sunday morning and evening in the English Church in this place, and at Berkeley every Sunday afternoon.

W. McLEOD is determined to turn out a class of work that cannot be surpassed in the county, and to that end has secured the services of his brother D. McLeod who cannot be beaten on sewed work. Call early.

Miss Blades, Dress and Mantle maker of Holland Centre wishes to intimate to the ladies of the surrounding district that she will open next week a fine new stock of fashionable goods. Orders promptly filled.

EGGS FOR HATCHING.—Samuel Coleman, Jr., Markdale, P. O. has for sale eggs from the Champion Strain of Light Brahmas at \$2, per 18 eggs, S. C. White Leghorns \$1, for 18. Also Fowl for sale cheap. 345-8

MARKDALE Spring Show will be held in this village on Saturday the 23rd April commencing at 1 o'clock. The bills are out announcing the same, and attention is directed to the extensive prize list, \$69 in cash being offered for Stallions and Bulls besides a card of merit for seed grain and agricultural implements.

MR. MARSHALL the dentist makes regular trips to Markdale the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month for the practice of his profession. He gives satisfaction and has a paying practice here. Next Wednesday, the 20th, will be his day, and it will be well to have the teeth fixed up for the party.

Garden Seeds at Stephen's Drug Store.

BACKWARD spring weather this week. PLOWING has commenced in Queen's Valley.

IMPORTED, a large supply of English filled Shoe Uppers at McLeods custom shoe shop, made up to order on short notice—workmanship cannot be surpassed.

Timothy Seed wanted for which I will pay highest cash prices. W. L. Davis.

We have received various offers of Agricultural and others papers to club with the STANDARD but generally declined all such; this week however we advertise a genuine good offer, which is open to all our subscribers who pay, or have paid in advance, as well as new ones. Read the announcement carefully; the Agriculturist is the best agricultural paper we have seen, and can be had together with those valuable books or portraits and the STANDARD all for \$2.50.

Go to Jackson for land Rollers. Cheapest and best in the market. Call and be convinced.

A NEW STYLE of boys' trousers has been invented with a copper seat, sheet-iron knees, riveted down the seams, and waterproof pockets, to hold worms for fishing.

Iron Harrows "spring tooth Harrows" Drills and seeders from the best manufactures in Ontario, at Jackson's.

SPEND less than you earn and you will be rich.

MR. JOHN WHITBY, of Artemesia, has decided to retire and come to Markdale to reside. We are glad to have such men come to live in our town, and hope there are more to follow.

'Try Davis' new 30c, Japan Tea you will be convinced that it is a very superior article for the money, Special reduction for large purchases.

B. B. B. ONE OF MANY. B. B. B. Mrs. Agnes Black, of Orton, Ont., says, "For five years I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia and indigestion. I tried one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and was getting better; I then bought three more and it has cured me."

"Notice" To Farmers, Those that have to buy their "Flour" this summer. Can buy it at Benson's, the Belfast House, the same price as at the mill, and every lb. guaranteed, both Ford's & Plewes' kept on hand. Liberal inducements made on over one barrel lots.

It's a mistake to say that a woman's crowning glory is in her hair. At this season of the year it is her new Spring bonnet.

The attendance at the Young People's Social in the Lecture Room of the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening last was good, and a highly enjoyable time spent. The amusement crused by seeking the mate to each ticket, was heartily enjoyed. Refreshments were provided and a short program rendered, and though it had the name of "A political social" there was an entire absence of politics more than the name.

The Markdale Junior Lacrosse Team

has been re-organized under the name of "The Conquerors," with J. Wilson, Capt; Sec. R. Douglas; Treas. L. Robertson; Managing Com.—S. Coleman, R. Dinsmore and W. Mathews.

Spring has now fairly opened and the snow has speedily disappeared, and it will be the duty of every householder to make a general "clean up" around his premises. Our village is naturally very healthy, but if the accumulations of the long winter which have been buried in snow is not thoughtfully disposed of, the effects may break out in diphtheria or some other virulent disease. If every one does his part a great good will be accomplished and it may be, a sad calamity thus averted.

We omitted last week to mention a visit to this part, by Mr. Geo. Caswell, formerly of Glenelg but now of Bruce Co., near Kincardine. He has not visited his old home for 14 years, an would not recognize a building in Markdale. We are glad to say our old acquaintance and school-mate is now a prosperous farmer.

MR. JAMES PLEWES, father of our respected citizen Angus Plewes, died at his home, Dunedin, Simcoe Co. last Sunday, age 65 years. The old gentleman accidentally fell into a mill pond and was nearly drowned. He regained consciousness, but only lived six hours. Deceased was a man of high education and fine intellect, had read much and had a remarkable memory. He lived in Markdale some two years but moved to Dundalk one year ago where he resided until a few weeks since when he moved to Dunedin.

A half dozen of our young men droye to Meaford where some of them were billed to take part in a Concert under the auspices of Victoria Lacrosse Team of that town on Monday night. The roads were in a shocking condition as they always are at the breaking up of sleighing. The concert was a decided success, and the boys were well used by our sister towns people.

Personals.

MRS. CHAS. RICHARDS moves this week to Rochester, there to join her husband where they have decided to reside.

MRS. RUTLEDGE Sr. returned last week after a prolonged visit to Aurora and Toronto.

Frank Porter, our head teacher, went home for Easter.

Miss Stewart of the Normal School visited Markdale this week.

Sam. Douglas, teacher spent his Easter Holidays at home.

Herb Brown, George. Bowes, Robt J. Brown and Willie McFarland were home from Owen Sound High School for their Easter eggs.

Fred Cornish of Toronto spent Easter Holidays with his parents in Markdale.

Mr. Gimby, a former teacher here, but now studying medicine, visited friends here this week.

Charlie Lawrence and W. A. Brown spent Easter in Toronto.

Miss Eliza Boyd left last week to keep house for a young man at Parry sound; "for better or worse."

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Morrow of Chatsworth spent Easter in Markdale.

Capt. Madill visited Markdale this week.

Mr. Thos. Mann returned on Saturday from a three months visit to England.

Dr. Sproule, M. P. left on Tuesday evening for Ottawa to attend parliament Mrs. Sproule accompanied him.

DR. BRODIE, and P. McCullough, Barrister, spent Easter with friends down east.

MR. WM. TAILOR of Parry Sound district visited his brother-in-law Thos. Mathews this week.

Mrs. McDonald, of Tottenham, is visiting her parents here this week.

Miss McNally, of Owen Sound High School, spent Easter with her parents in Markdale.