

WAR DECLARED.

Owing to a dispute between China and Japan over Korea, war has been declared. An engagement took place off the coast of Korea on Wednesday last week, resulting in the sinking of a ship containing some 1,700 Chinese troops.

A CLOSE CALL.

On Thursday morning last at 12:45 the blowing of Armstrong's mill wheel and wild cry of fire! aroused scores of peaceful slumbers in town and for some fifteen minutes the night air was made to reverberate with the tramp tramp and rattle rattle of citizens hurrying to the scene, but fortunately for both the proprietors and the village their services were not required as the burning element was not under control by the night fireman and a few who were first at the spot.

Meaford Road.

The garden party at Mr. J. C. Buchanan's last week was a success. Attendance large, weather fine, and cash receipts very satisfactory.

Vandeur.

The lawn party at the residence of Mr. J. C. Buchanan on Wednesday evening last, was a success in every respect.

Traverton.

A farmer may work sixteen hours a day and yet always be ninety-nine and a half job behind.

Holland Centre.

Miss Aggie Irwin left for Toronto last week. Mrs. Laycock of Meaford spent last week with her mother, Mrs. N. Handley.

Berkeley.

Haying is nearly finished and is a fair average crop. Fall wheat is looking well, but spring grain will be a short one.

Entrance Examinations.

The following is the standing of the candidates who were successful at the late Entrance and Leaving Examinations, and who have been admitted by the Educational Department.

Priceville.

The farmers of this vicinity have their hay all secured. The weather has been good. The other crops will soon be ripe so that there will be no need for the year.

Deaths.

Deaths—In Markdale on August 1, Florence Brown, aged 81 months, died at 11 o'clock on Thursday.

Marrriages.

Marrriages—Sylvain at Chateau, West Clinton, N. D. of Kingston, to Bettie, daughter of N. D. of Kingston.

Public School Leaving Examinations.

In South Grey 87 candidates wrote on the Leaving Examination, distinguished as follows:—Dunham, 1; Donahue, 18; Fleschman, 4; Markdale, 11; Hanover, 3.

Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. B. D. Biggar, Superintendent.

Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening, 7:30 p.m.

Misherton.

Miss Halliday, of Peora, Minnesota, is visiting her friend Miss Annie Richardson.

Those who Passed.

The following is the report of the Joint Board of Examiners on the result of the primary—third class—examinations for Grey.

Condensed Cleanings.

WHAT OUR EXCHANGES FOR FIFTY MILLS AMOUNT ARE SAYING.

Young Lamont's Case.

PERSONS SUCH INTERESTED IN THE case of the young boy who was killed by a train on the high road of Western Ontario.

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Immense Summer Sale For next 30 Days at McF's.

We have just received several cases of special novelties bought from different manufacturers at this time prices. We have also gone through each Department and remark that this is the best time to buy for our Summer Sale.

Dress Goods Dept.

- Black Grenadine, regular price 2.00, special sale price 1.50. Fancy white bleached cloth, regular price 1.50, special sale price 1.00.

Twed Dept.

- Heavy all wool twed, reg price 1.00, s. s. p. 75c. Union twed, reg price 85c, s. s. p. 70c.

Haberdashery Department.

- 200 dozen dress buttons, reg price 7 to 10 doz. 1.00, s. s. p. 75c.

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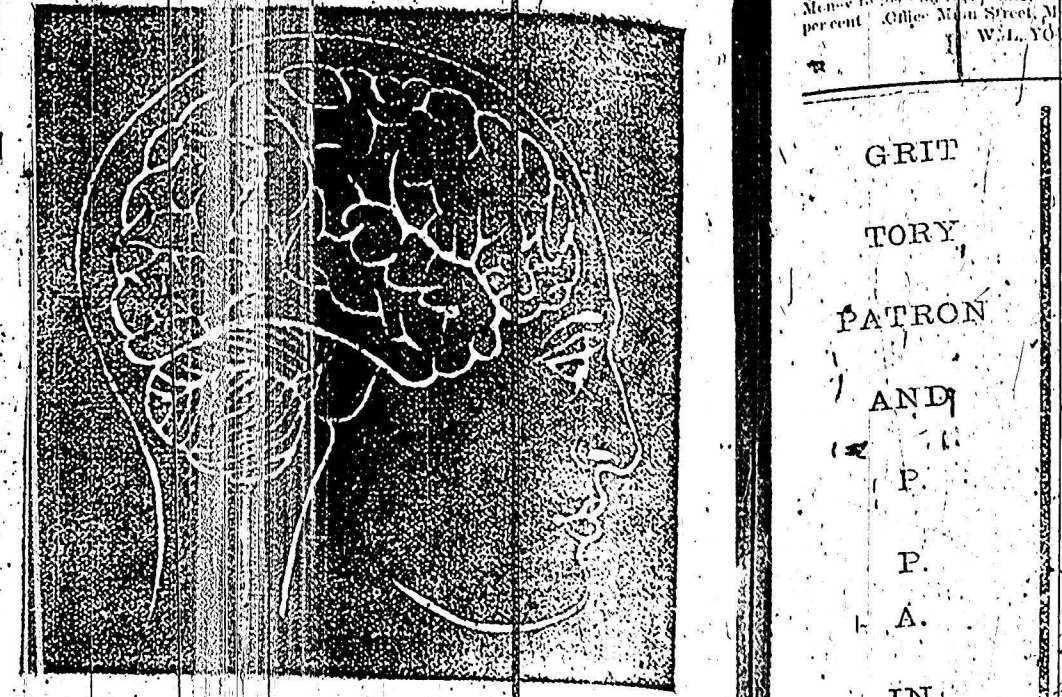
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Mysteries of the HUMAN BRAIN



The latest discovery in the scientific world is that nerves are located in or near the base of the brain control all the organs of the body, and when these nerves are damaged the organs which they supply with nerve force are also damaged.

Markdale Plan

Is always well with DOORS, MOULDINGS, FRAMES, FLOORING, AND all kinds of building material and cheap prices.

Crockery & Glass-ware Dept.

Our new crockery department, 3 steps down from clothing room, is now open and packed to ceiling with new glass and china.

Boots & Shoes

Expected this week several cases new boots and shoes but at a big discount which will give prices.

Groceries

Our grocery department is always kept stocked with the best goods to be had at low bottom prices.

W. J. McFarland DIRECT IMPORTER, MARKDALE.

Vertical text on the far right edge of the page, including 'MONEY', 'MARKDALE', 'GRIT', 'PATRON', 'AND', 'P. A.', 'IN', 'HOPE', 'WEATHER', 'AND', 'ELECTIONS', 'KEEP', 'COOL', 'The Markdale', 'THURSDAY', 'MAIN STREET', 'Advertising Rates', 'MARKDALE', 'BUSHMAN', 'LUCAS & W', 'BARRISTERS', 'OWN SOUTH', 'W. H. WELLS', 'J. P. MARRAS', 'J. P. MARRAS', 'MONEY TO LOAN', 'BARR FOR SALE', 'J. H. GIBSON', 'J. H. GIBSON', 'D. J. HARRIS', 'W. G. PICKER', 'T. D. SMITH', 'H. LEGG', 'SHAVING PARLO', 'AGENT FOR', 'PARSIAN LAUNDRY'.