

Special

MERCER'S

THIS WEEK!

Mixed pickles, English, regular 25c size, 4 bottles for 25 cents.
Catsup, regular 25c bottle, 4 for 25 cents.
Pure leaf lard in 3 lb. pails.
Choice blueberries, 3 cans for 25 cents.
Canned Corn 5 cents can.
Pine Apples, cream fresh out of the can, 40 cents lb.
Choice black or japan tea, 25 cents lb.
Pure extracts, full strength.
Pine Apples, 40c can and Chocolate.
Ezels Dressing chocolate and black for the bottle up. Gill Edge shoe dressing preserves the leather best in the world, 25c bottle.
Try English Army Paste Blacking, beautiful gloss, never dries up.
Great bargains in boots and shoes.
Cash buyers, can save money, by making their purchases.

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THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

The greatest and most enthusiastic celebration the world ever experienced was held on Tuesday, being the anniversary of the 60th year of the reign of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria. London, England, was the headquarters of all the rejoicing, where the Queen opened in person, and received representatives from all nations as well as of the British Colonies and Dependencies congregated to honor to the occasion. The triumph in the world's metropolis was to be followed and the enthusiasm and joy to be shared.

Every city, town and hamlet in the realm joined in doing honor to the Majesty and all classes, erecting monuments and in celebrating the auspicious event.

Western Falls.

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Mrs. Down, of this place has gone to visit her son Alfred in Cleveland.

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As we write we have learned of a new arrival, which is the late Jacob Holley Jr. of Meaford. Road by his team traveling away which was attached to a mowing. The machine was badly damaged but has not been feared of what it is. Mr. Holley received.

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Mr. Alick Chisholm of Owen Sound was in town on Wednesday.

The orangemen of Ephraim district have decided to go to Markdale in a body, about 8 o'clock.

Mr. James McLean of Meaford, played the return tennis with Dr. Bennett and was victorious.

2,500 lb. of milk was delivered at Rocklyn cheese factory on Monday.

Mr. McDonald and Mr. Duncan of Stratford are visiting Neil Dow, our popular cheese maker.

Miss Stewart and Miss Rorko, popular teachers at Rocklyn, visited Meaford, Jubilee Sunday.

The Butter King of Owen Sound, Mr. Scully, was in town on Monday.

The road machine of St. Vincent has been hired by the directors of P. A. S. and we will have the half mile track in good shape in a few days.

On the 10th July the people of Rocklyn and vicinity will erect the frame of the new building. The new building is 40x60 feet, and with the agricultural hall will make a rink 40x140 feet. No village in the county of Rocklyn's size can compare with Ephraim's capital in this respect.

Markdale.

Many friends will regret to hear of the death of Miss Aggie Strachan, which occurred on Tuesday, June 8th. The funeral took place on Thursday at 10 o'clock at her father's residence to Duaneville. The Rev. Mr. Thom of Fleetherton conducted to this the children bunched down from school and as they circled round the remains on the lawn, two little wreaths were placed on the coffin, one presented by the boys and the other by the girls.

Mr. Walker and family from here visited the past week with friends in Meaford.

Mr. Thomas Heron from Bantalo is visiting his friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Ed Browninger from Shelburne, visited friends in town lately.

Mr. C. M. Field and family visited friends in Badgers a week ago last Thursday.

Mr. Doc. Fairer returned from Blyth recently.

Dr. Kerr from Ravensara gave us a call lately.

Mr. Richard Proton and family from Havelock were visiting at his parental home recently.

Mr. Philip and Mrs. Eva St. John, spent a week ago last Sunday in town.

Mrs. Lawlor from Georgian gave us a call last Saturday.

A young people's society of Christian Endeavor was organized in the Presbyterian church a week ago last Wednesday evening. A number from the new people are present. As purely non-dominical and members or adherents of any church can unite in this worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinneer, also Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kinneer visited in Toronto two weeks ago.

County Council.

O. S. Advertiser called the Council together yesterday evening and the members were present except Mr. Neil McColman, who arrived on the afternoon of the 21st. The warden addressed the members, welcoming them and explaining what their duties would be. He informed the council that since their last meeting he had received two communications from which he had acted. One was from the Bell Telephone Co. asking with the football team to take part in the celebration at Oshawa.

Mr. Richard Mills of Oregon, U. S., is the guest of Mr. Geo. Green of this place at present.

Manum - In Toronto on Monday, 21st, Mr. Robert Crozier of Cookstown to Miss Christina Campbell, daughter of Mr. Robt. Campbell, sr., of this place. The happy couple arrived here the same evening and are now the guests of Mrs. Crozier's friends here.

Before this will have reached the Scotman readers very ill for some time past and who died on Monday.

Mr. Hewitt has commenced haymaking. How is that for early.

Mr. Wm. Knight visited some of his Fleetherton friends.

Fleetherton.

Mr. English, agent for the Western Road Machine, manufactured by Sawyer & Massey, Hamilton, gave an exhibition of the working of one of their machines here on Thursday last. The test was made in trying to place on the gravel road west of the village and ninety rods was graded up in good form, 24 ft. wide in six hours time. More than a hundred people witnessed the exhibition and the general verdict was satisfactory. At the close of the day the agent in the town hall and purchased at once. The price being \$325.

Jubilee Souvenirs - The trustees of the Fleetherton school have purchased a handsome Dominion flag for use on the school building on public holidays and two neatly framed Jubilee pictures have been purchased and hung on the walls of the interior; showing portraits of the Queen and her coronation, marriage and the present line.

The police are now putting our streets in a splendid way under repair. A contract has been let to C. W. Bellamy to level the hill on Hill street opposite Mr. Wheeler's.

Again death has been in our midst and taken another of Artemesia's pioneers in the person of Mr. Chas. Le Gard who died on Thursday last at his home on the east back line where he has lived for about forty years. His remains were followed by a large number of friends and interred in the Fleetherton cemetery Saturday afternoon service being held in the Methodist church when the Rev. Mr. Mahan preached an appropriate sermon from Rev. 3:13. Deceased was a native of Lincolnshire, England, aged 89 years, and had been many years a consistent member of the Methodist church here.

Dr. W. E. Richardson and family have vacated his cottage and moved into the commodious dwelling on Sydenham st., formerly used as a manse by Rev. Mr. Wells.

Rev. Mr. Tison preached an interesting Jubilee sermon in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath morning from Lev. 23. "It shall be a Jubilee unto you."

Mr. McLeish addressed the congregation in the evening. A Jubilee song service was held in the Methodist church in the evening when short addresses were given on England, Ireland and Scotland by Mr. A. Richardson, Rev. Mr. Mahan and Mr. W. Henderson. Canada was not represented as expected. The platform was beautifully decorated with Jubilee plants.

The Methodist church will have their annual garden party on Mrs. J. W. Augustinow's grounds on the evening of Dominion day.

Rev. Mr. Little of Doroch will preach anniversary sermons in the Presbyterian church the first Sabbath in July. The Jubilee festival will be held on Monday evening following.

Miss Maud Richardson will leave on Monday next for New York to meet Mrs. H. Rowland - nee Washington - of Bombay, India, late of London, England, and the two ladies will start from here on an extended pleasure tour through the Western States.

Mr. Ed Thompson of Collingwood has joined his mother in the bakery business here.

Mr. J. Duffin left Saturday to spend a few weeks at Toronto with his family.

Miss Gertrude is visiting at Owen Sound and Mrs. W. J. Bollaugh is visiting at Peterborough.

Mr. J. H. McNeil is here spending a few days with his friends here and at Georgian.

Rev. A. J. Darragh preached at Chesley on Sunday and Rev. Mr. Phillips on Monday. The Rev. Mr. Phillips' sermon was very acceptable. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are visiting Mr. Samuel Thompson at "Brookhill" farm.

Mrs. P. H. Moore is visiting friends at Listowel, and Mr. Tucker from visiting her mother at Exbridge.

Mr. D. T. Wright has been attending the School of Pedagogy, Toronto, and is visiting his parents here.

Mr. R. McKee of Owen Sound is visiting relatives here and on the 4th line.

Mr. Paul Beaulieu, who has been in the employ of Baker Mitchell for some time, has completed arrangements to open up a boot & shoe shop at Badgers.

Meaford Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard visited Mrs. Pritchard's sister in Meaford a short time ago.

An appropriate memorial service for the late Sam. Johnson was held in the Methodist church here on Sabbath last by the Rev. Mr. Mahan.

Miss Elisa Richardson of Gibraltar spent a week with her sister Mrs. E. Brodie.

Mr. John Gilbert, who is working down near Cookville, was up last week to see his mother old Mrs. Gilbert who has been very ill for some time past and who died on Monday.

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Cherry Grove.

Miss Reid returned home from Owen Sound where she has been attending the funeral of her cousin.

We are glad to see Mrs. Hodgins able to be around again.

A great many of our 11th line young people attended the picnic at Harlaw on the 18th and 19th.

Mr. Theaker took a picture of a group coming home from picnic and then went to look for another job. Hope he found it.

Wesley Wyville, who has been away for some time was at a flying trip to Meaford last week.

Mrs. G. W. Richards of Markdale spent last week visiting at Squire Strath's.

Mr. Henry Freeman and daughter Mrs. Mowbray of Walters Falls were visitors at Mrs. Wyville's.

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