

Bad Coughs

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could find no relief until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Only one-fourth of the bottle cured me."

L. Hawn, Newington, Ont.

Neglected colds always lead to something serious. They run into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or consumption. Don't wait, but take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral just as soon as your cough begins. A few doses will cure you then.

Three sizes: No. 1, enough for an ordinary cold; No. 2, just right for bronchitis, hoarseness, hard cough, etc.; No. 3, most economical for chronic cases and to keep on hand.

Markdale Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Fall wheat, Spring wheat, Barley, Oats, Peas, Butter, Eggs, Hay, Wool, Beef, Pork, Hides, Geese, Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens, Apples, Flour, Bran, Chop wheat, Chop oats, Sheep skins.

Walters Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clarke, of Manitoba, are the guests of the former's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Clarke, of this place.

Miss Stella Delere left last Thursday for Toronto to resume her former position as milliner in that city.

Miss Jennie Sutherland, of Orillia, is visiting friends here, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. David Brown.

Mr. Aubrey Dayman, of Collingwood, is visiting with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dayman.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Olmstead, on the 9th inst., a little baby girl.

A large number of invited guests attended the party at Mr. W. I. Seabrook's last Friday evening, where a very merry time was spent in games, music, etc. At 12 o'clock a very appetizing lunch was served.

Our village was startled Monday morning to hear of the death of little Jennie Ptolemy, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ptolemy, of Holland. On Thursday last Jennie complained of a sore foot, but nothing serious was thought of. On Saturday a physician was called, who pronounced it blood-poisoning. She passed suddenly away Sunday evening.

Vandeleur

Misses Minnie Graham and Daisy Davis have gone to Toronto to attend the Millinery Openings.

Miss Dove Cook, of Rocklyn, is visiting with Miss Sarah Johnston.

Miss Ellis, of Wodehouse, is visiting with Mrs. Jos. Buchanan.

Mrs. W. J. Holley, of Holland, is renewing old acquaintances in the neighborhood.

Mr. H. M. Douglas left last week for Chicago.

Miss Freda Neely, of Rocklyn, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. Holley.

Mr. Sanford Douglass, of Cheesewick, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Gilbert spent Saturday with friends in Priceville.

Born.—On Wednesday, Feb. 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Buchanan, a son.

Markdaway

The postponed Sacramental service was administered at this appointment on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Rodwell officiating.

Notwithstanding the stormy state of the weather the saw-log trains of Messrs. Mitchell Bros. of Berkeley and Wryville of Markdale manage to keep communication open between this vicinity and Berkeley.

Mr. A. Lyons visited with friends at the county capital recently.

Miss Bell Bassett visited with friends in Owen Sound recently. Her friend, Miss Henry, returned with her and is visiting with friends in this locality at present.

Mr. F. Hawkins, of Shallow Lake, is visiting at the parental home at present.

Mrs. Johnston, sr., who has been seriously ill for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Kinney took advantage of the fine weather last week and drove over to Meaford, visiting with friends on the way.

Mr. S. Halbert, of Mono, and Miss Maggie Halbert, of Markdale, visited Mrs. J. Williamson one day recently.

Rev. Mr. Rodwell visited the aged and sick of the congregation at this appointment last week.

Miss L. E. Rae spent a few days of last week with friends in Aramesia.

Wodehouse

Messrs. Stanley and Norman Weller were driven on Saturday last to Maxwell, by Mr. John Wiley, and will there visit friends for a couple of weeks before returning to their home at Nobleton.

Misses Eva Harris and Nettie Wiley visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferris, Markdale, a few days, returning home on Monday of this week.

Miss Edith Lawson left here on Saturday last to attend the millinery openings at Toronto.

Messrs. Charles Devitt, N. L. Curry and J. Dillon, of Rocklyn, passed through our burg on Monday en route to Owen Sound.

The Quarterly Sacramental services will be held in the church here next Sunday at half past ten.

Mr. John Thompson and his son Wes of Harkaway visited at Mr. W. H. Best's one evening last week and entertained very pleasantly with their gramophone.

Among those to attend the C. O. F. concert at Kimberley last Friday night we noticed Mr. A. Birch, and the Thompson Bros. from Donnelly's camp.

Berkeley

James Wright has rented his farm to Wm. Kirk and intends going to the North West in the spring.

John Hisko, of Winnipeg, visited his uncle, James Gillespie, and other friends in this locality last week. He was accompanied by Wes. Rutledge, of Chesley.

John Wright has sold his farm, lot 61 on the south side of the village, to Robert Williams, one of our blacksmiths, and is going West with his brother.

Although the weather was not at all fine service was held in all of the three churches on Sunday last.

Thomas Marsden had three of his fingers frozen during the cold snap last week.

Miss Beatrice McKinley, who is attending the Northern Business College at Owen Sound, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Foreman Gawley has a busy time keeping the railway track clear, this being the worst winter we have had since 1875.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 3, Glenelg, for the month of January.

4—Jennie Baird, E. Walker, J. Baird, 8—G. Walker, E. Clark, W. Love, M. McKennit, O. Grant.

2 Jr.—E. Walker, J. Grant.

2 Jr.—W. Clark, E. Love.

Pt. 2—E. Baird, R. Clark.

Pt. 1—E. Walker, A. Grant.

A Broad Statement.

This announcement is made without any qualifications. Hem-Roid is the one preparation in the world that guarantees it.

Hem-Roid will cure any case of Piles. It is in the form of a tablet.

It is the only pile remedy used internally.

It is impossible to cure an established case of piles with ointments, suppositories, injections, or outward appliances.

A guarantee is issued with every package of Hem-Roid, which contains a month's treatment.

Go and talk to your druggist about it.

PRESENTATION AND ADDRESS.

On Monday evening of last week a company of the young people gathered at the home of Mrs. Shore, Ninth Line, Euphrasia, and spent an enjoyable time.

In the course of the evening the following address was read:—

DEAR MRS. SHORE AND MARGIE:—

It is with feelings of regret that we your friends and neighbors have gathered here this evening learning of your intended departure from among us.

We feel that we cannot let you go without showing you by a slight token the high esteem in which we have always held you as a neighbor and a friend.

Therefore, we ask you to accept this couch and painting not for its intrinsic worth, but as a remembrance of us when you remove from our midst.

Hoping that you may make as many friends in your new home as you have here is the heart-felt wish of your friends.

Signed in behalf of your friends and neighbors,

Miss Beekie Gould
Miss Maggie Lee.

Mrs. Shore expressed her thanks in a few words after which lunch was served by the ladies.

The remainder of the evening passed pleasantly until the small morning hours when they bade their hostess adieu, and all dispersed to their various homes.

Mrs. Shore intends residing in Markdale.

R. H. BENSON & CO.
Markdale and Dundalk.

ONE MONTH MORE

WE HAVE DECIDED TO CONTINUE OUR BIG SALE FOR ONE MONTH LONGER

on account of the severe January storm, everybody could not get here. Remember this sale is a genuine Clearing Sale of all our merchandise in order to reduce the stock. Never in the history of Markdale will you buy such good goods as what we are offering. Read the prices below and judge for yourselves what we are doing. Space will not allow us to give you prices on everything in our four large departments.

Groceries

- 3 plugs McDonald's Smoking or Chewing Tobacco 25c.
- Best brands of Tomatoes, Peas and Corn, per tin 8c.
- 24 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar for 1.00.
- 2 cans best Red Salmon (Other brands cheaper.) 25c.
- Our 35c Japan and Black Tea for 25c.
- Fresh Royal Yeast, per package 3c.

Mens Overcoats

- Mens Raglan Overcoats, velvet collar, best farmer's satin, new cuff, very stylish, English wool mixture, tailor made, regular 14.00, sale price \$9.50.
- Mens Raglan Overcoats, stripe mixture, new style, pure wool, regular 12.50, now \$8.25.
- Mens Raglan, grey frieze, best linings, stylish, regular \$10.00, sale price \$6.50.
- Mens Frieze, brown and grey, regular price 6.50, now \$4.75.
- Boys Raglan and Friezes away down.

Staples, Dry Goods

- 25c Cottonades for 19c.
- 20c 15c.
- 14c Shirtings for 11c.
- 12c 10c.
- 10c 7c.
- 6c Cotton for 4c.
- 14c 11c.
- 10c 8c.
- 25c Grey Flannels for 20c.
- 12c Flannelettes for 10c.
- 8c 7c.

Mens' and Womens' Underwear. A big stock at Clearing Prices. Mens' Ready-made and Ordered Suits at Wholesale Prices.

25 New Dinner Sets to be slaughtered.

Full combination sets with bread and butter plates, assorted patterns, 25 per cent reduction. This reduction in price means a price less than can be bought for wholesale. A big stock of New China in Fruit Sets, Chocolate Pots, Marmalade Sets, Honey and Syrup Sets, Biscuit Jars, Salad Bowls. A big stock of New Lamps away below cost. A big stock of New Glassware, colored, plain, etc., to be sacrificed. Come this month if you want to save money. An opportunity you may not get again.

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers at Clearing Prices. All our Imperial Shoes reduced to what they cost us.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry taken at Cash Prices.

R. H. BENSON & CO., Markdale.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Osprey council meets on Saturday.

The hotel at Rocklyn is in another column to rest. Don't forget the Sunday entertainment in the Methodist, Friday, 26th inst.

This winter something what the Manitoba farmer wheat—No. 1 hard.

Dr. Geo. S. Burt, Speer, Throat and Nose, will Markdale House, Friday, from 9 to 12 a.m.

Lenten services will be Friday evening at Christ 7.30. Rev. Mr. Franklin the sermon this Friday.

Markdale Methodist Church School entertainment under the direction of Miss Doty, of London, held on Friday night, the 13th inst.

Holland and Euphrasia minutes and an address given to Mr. and Mrs. L. crowded out this week and next.

John McLaughlin, who recently killed a hog with a knife to have no heart. Who there is no resemblance of men and hogs?

Mr. Wm. Bartley now promises recently vacated Payne on Main street, and has moved to the house, him, which she has purchased.

Rev. R. J. Husband, of the clergy of Horning's Mills, Priceville and Holland, is dead at the age of 67 years, survived by a wife and children.

At a printers' dinner following toast was proposed second only to the press in the news. The ladies decided whether to wear complimentary or not.

One of our ex-colleagues good axemen who lately to day, and the total cotton united efforts was only three quarters. Is it any price of wood is so high.

Pito originated in the Roman Catholic clergy worth from the furnace of last week, but gas substituted brigade before it was long.

The young men of the very pleasant assembly in Tuesday evening of last ladies were tastefully orchestra accompaniment could be desired, and the art fully enjoyed.

Markdale and Rocklyn crossed sticks on the Thursday evening last, and exhibition game before a crowd. The Rocklyn boys hard fight, but were played on every hand by a team, who piled up a score to 1. The score pretty was the game. The visiting team, who were decidedly the winners, who are used on a smaller sheet of ice.

The Twentieth Century Club held their regular home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Friday evening. After chorus and a well rendered by Mr. Brown, an inter took place, the subject being That Queen Elizabeth was Sovereign than King Al Herb Gregory was capt affirmative side, and Pickell for the negative.

Arguments were brought sides, but the judges, Mr. Mr. Wm. Armstrong and unanimously decided the ative side won. A solo by Rutledge followed the meeting next Friday evening cancelled, owing to the and the following regular be held at the home of Mr. strong, Mark street.