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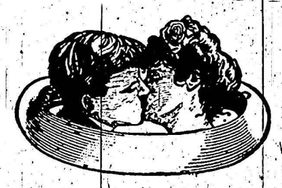

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In all sizes and the latest shapes.

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It has never failed to give immediate relief, and the cures have been permanent in every case treated thus far. It has reached hundred to renew their pleasure in life.

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"I slipped on an icy step and sprained my ankle very badly, writes Miss Minnie Burgoyne of Glenwood. It swelled to a tremendous size and caused intense pain. I applied Polson's Nerviline and got prompt relief; the swelling was reduced, and before long I was able to use my foot." For sprains, swellings and muscular pains Nerviline is the one sure remedy. Strong, penetrating, swift to destroy pain—that's Polson's Nerviline. Fifty years in use.

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MARKDALE, JULY 20, 1905.

U.S. Newspaper Men in City.

Washington Correspondents Completed Canadian Tour Sunday.—Greatly Impressed with the Country and Highly Pleased.

The newspaper repsesentatives from Washington, D.C., who passed thru Toronto three weeks ago on a tour of the West, returned from their trip Sunday morning rather worn out with their long journey but thoroughly well satisfied with their experience. They numbered about twenty-five, and almost all are men who have travelled widely and have seen life in its most varied forms. Many, however, had not been in Canada before, and none had made the trip to the Pacific coast on this side of the line. The West was a revelation to them, and they could scarcely find words to express their appreciation of the magnificent country that still awaits development. They were also greatly struck with the manner in which law and order was maintained in the Western towns, the difference between the mining camps in Canada and in the Western States being very appreciable. They unanimously predicted a great future for the country and had nothing but praise for all they had seen on the trip.

"There's not a particle of sentiment in the country in favor of reciprocity with the United States, and I'm glad of it," said Mr. Arthur J. Dodge, who represents the Milwaukee Sentinel and the St. Paul Pioneer Press. "I have taken pains to ascertain the feeling of people along the whole route from Toronto to Montreal and to the coast, and I couldn't help noticing a sort of sturdy independence that pleased me mightily. The people just seem to want to be free and left alone to manage their own business. They are loyal to Britain, but they feel the country is getting big enough to run itself, and I certainly think that within a few years you will be able to meet any other nation on equal footing."

To the Public.

Notice is hereby given that I have sold my grain chopping outfit to Mr. John W. Ford, of Markdale, who will operate it in the ice rink building. Mr. Ford has during his 34 years in the milling business in Markdale made for himself a reputation for honorable dealing and I can sincerely recommend him to my customers, and at the same time heartily thank each and all for past patronage. I purpose fitting up my saw mill for business at the old stand.

JAMES WILEY, Wodehouse.
July 12, 1905.

Wedded in Collingwood.

A quiet but fashionable house wedding was solemnized at "The Willows" the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKeown, Harbor Street, Collingwood, on Wednesday, July 5th, when their only daughter, Mary Elizabeth, was united in marriage to Mr. R. J. Smart of Kimberley. Promptly at five o'clock to the strains of the Wedding March rendered by Miss Jennie Whitehead of Collingwood, the bridal party entered the drawing room which was tastefully arranged for the occasion, the bride leaning on the arm of her father. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. H. Moore, B.A., B.D., pastor of George St. Methodist Church, Collingwood, in the presence of only a few of the friends of the contracting parties. The groom was supported by the bride's brother, Mr. John McKeown, while the bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Myrtle Knox of Duncan. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white silk trimmed with lace and insertion and carried a bouquet of orange blossoms. The bridesmaid's attire was of white silk with a fancy lace collar to match. After the ceremony all repaired to the dining room where a tempting wedding breakfast was partaken of. Mr. and Mrs. Smart left on July 6th amid showers of rice for Markdale and Flesherton where they will visit friends for some time after which they will take up their residence in Collingwood. The bride's going away gown was of blue basket cloth with white picture hat to match. The gifts were many and beautiful, showing the esteem in which the bride is held. All join in wishing them a happy and prosperous married life.

A Decision of Importance.

Recently the Court of Revision at Mesford reduced the assessment on a certain property from $93,750 to $10,000. This decision was appealed, and Judge Morrison promptly replaced it at $9,750, saying his duty in the premises appeared to be very plain inasmuch as the law stated distinctly that all property should be assessed at its actual value, and that a Court of Revision had no power to extend relief beyond what the Municipal Act permitted.

Proton Station.

(Left over from last week.)

The splendid rain of Saturday last has greatly improved the appearance of crops in this section. Farmers will commence having the latter part of the week. The hay crop is above the average this year.

L.O.L. No. 244 celebrated in Flesherton the anniversary of King Billy crossing the Boyne.

Miss Mary Sherson, accompanied by Master Ernie Rummery, her cousin of Chicago, are spending some weeks holidaying at the parental home.

Born—On Friday, July 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyons, a son.

Born—On Friday, July 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, late of Owen Sound, a daughter.

Mr. Chas. McKinnon, late teacher in the public school here, will leave on the 17th for the West. In partnership with his brother he expects to conduct a real estate business somewhere in that wheat garden of the world.

Mr. Thos. Hodgins is spending a couple of weeks with his nieces in Mount Forest and Palmerston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lockhart and family are spending two or three weeks with friends in Orangeville and Brampton.

Married—In Toronto on June 28th, Mr. Walter Acheson of Proton to Miss Lillie Cook, formerly a teacher in S. S. No. 2. The newly wedded couple will commence married life on the old Paton homestead. THE STANDARD scribe joins with their numerous friends in wishing them many years of happiness.

Mrs. Rowe of Alliston, who was formerly a Mrs. William Gallagher and lived on the Hames farm at Inistogue 23 years ago, visited at Mrs. Mary Sherson's last week.

Mr. Robert Porter, cattle dealer, left last week for Manitoba where he will spend the summer, and if favorably impressed with the country and climate will, we learn, move his family there this fall.

Mr. Jacob Searle has made considerable improvements to his residence, having his house raised and a stone wall put under it, also a summer kitchen erected at the back.

Mr. Thos. Ryder of Kincardine spent last week in town.

Mr. Wm. Allan spent the 12th in Grand Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Patton of Victoria Corners spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Sherson.

Mr. John Russell, cheese maker at Toronto, spent a few days last week the guest of Miss Ida Binnie, who is at present at home from the City.

Owen Sound

Mr. A. D. Creasor has been appointed police magistrate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late George Spencer.

The Owen Sound Wire Fence Company is increasing its plant by the addition of another wire fence machine.

A government grant of ten thousand dollars for the purchase of a post office site and ten thousand for the continuation of harbor improvements has been made.

ALL THIN, PALE WOMEN

Can Learn the Cause of Their Nervous, Used-up Condition.

With women, ill-health is usually traceable to nerve exhaustion. Feeling run-down and tired most of the time is nature's warning that more nerve-force is required.

You must build up, nourish the body, vitalize the nerves, get more flesh and blood.

It's the abundant nutriment and building material in Ferrozone that enables it to cure so many sick women. It increases the appetite, adds weight and strength, restores lost color and develops a surplus of energy and nerve force that defies sickness of any kind. There is living proof in Mrs. Daniel Ferguson, jr., of Prescott, Ont. Read her statement:

"A year ago my health failed. I grew thin and exceedingly pale. At times I was prostrated with nervous and sick headache. All day I was tired. At night it was difficult to obtain restful sleep. My appetite was variable and indigestion bothered me considerably. I became morse and suffered from heart palpitation. You could scarcely believe the benefit I derived in one week from Ferrozone. Color came back to my cheeks. My vitality and appetite increased, renewed nerve force and better spirits came also. Ferrozone did a world of good and made me well."

Remember this: No alcoholic stimulant can nourish and build up like Ferrozone. Fifty cents per box or six for $2.50 at all dealers, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn., U.S.A.

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We make no apology for "Slaughtering" lines. The SUMMER GOODS are here, and this is the MONTH to unload them.

Trimmed Millinery at Half Price.

This week we place on sale the balance of our TRIMMED MILLINERY which consists of many pretty and up-to-date Hats. Here is a splendid opportunity of purchasing a Fashionable Hat at a Small Price. If you are wise you will come early to make your selection when the assortment is largest.

A Clearing-Up of Remnants at a Third Off and Half Regular Price.

This offering includes hundreds of Remnants, short ends, but useful lengths of almost every kind of goods you can imagine in Prints, Ginghams, Sateens, Muslins, Flannelettes, Cottonades, Tweeds, Linings, Dress Goods, etc., etc.

White Lawn Walsts cool and dressy, worth 2.25 for 1.38.

This is a new line that we secured at a greatly reduced price and of course as usual you reap the benefit. Was made to sell at 2.25, special bargain price 1.38

A Special Opportunity in Prints.

This lot consists of many pieces of Print which we are determined to clear out this month, the patterns are good; the quality is excellent, the prices were 10 and 12½ cts, special clearance price 6½

Two Special Ribbon Bargains.

500 yards Ribbon, suitable for neck and belt ribbons, many widths, good assortment of colors, value up to 20c a yard, special clearing price 5

200 yards narrower width, many pretty colors. These will make pretty hair ribbons for the little ladies, special sale price 3

A Chance to Save Money on Clothes.

36 Mens Suits for quick selling. The odds and ends of many lines, not many suits of any line. We have made the price very small so as to make this the biggest buying opportunity that will occur this summer. Were worth in the regular way up to $10.00 per suit. The price while they last will be 4.95

Little Chaps 2.00 Suits for 98c.

A Special Offering of Boys Suits, sizes 23 and 24. They will soon be picked up as the price is very small, worth up to $2.00, quick selling price 98

Mens' Straw Hats worth up to $1.00 for 25c.

We do not want to carry over to next year even one MAN'S DRESS STRAW HAT, therefore we make the price very low. All lines regardless of price whether 50c, 75c or 1.00, the sale price will be 25

A Big Saving on Fruit Jars.

500 dozen Fruit Jars slightly smoked but when washed as good as any. The prices for quick selling will be

Pints and Wine Quart size, 48c dozen. Imp. quart size 58c dozen.
Wine Half Gallon size 68c dozen. Imp. Half Gallon 78c dozen.

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The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars later on. This is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by R. L. Stephen.

Always Remember the Full Name

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A good stone house, seven rooms, with hall through the center, bearing orchard in with all sorts of small fruits, for outbuildings, well watered; attached is twenty acres of land in good state of cultivation, all well fenced. Failing health the reason for selling. Enquire at this office or JAS. WOODBURN Eugenia.

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3 Durham bulls, 3 cows, 1 new calved cow, 1 steer 2 years old, 1 heifer in calf 2 years old, 1 heifer 1 year old, 1 McCormick binder, 1 McCormick mower, 1 Noxon rake, 1 Massey-Harris rake, 1 spreader, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 drag harrow, 1 cultivator, a quantity of hay. I will sell cheap. No reasonable offer will be refused for any of the above, as they must be sold to settle an estate. Apply to R. W. QUINTON, Wellers Falls.

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