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These Serviceable School Suits, grey and brown tweeds, are good fitting, well made garments in every particular, Norfolk style coat with box pleats back and front. Good roomy bloomers finished with strap and buckle at the knee.

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MEN'S and BOYS' OUTFITTER

ONTARIO FARMERS:

Existing war conditions demand that you give the question of seed special attention this year. Seed of desirable varieties and high germination power will be factors influencing yields. If you have not secured your seed

LET THE ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE HELP YOU.

Farmers having seed grain or potatoes for sale may forward samples to this office, stating varieties, price and quantity.

Farmers wishing to purchase seed are also invited to communicate with this office, stating variety and quantity, and an effort will be made to put them in touch with farmers having seed for sale.

Write to
H. C. DUFF,
District Representative,
Markdale, Ontario.

W. H. HEARST,
Minister of Agriculture

FLESHERTON

(Special to The Standard.)

A death deeply regretted is that of a very highly esteemed resident of Flesherton in the person of Mrs. Eliza Carter, relict of the late Dr. Carter, who passed away at her late home here on Sunday, March 4th, in her 58th year. Her death was due to a chronic ailment accelerated by a shock to her system in a fall on the street three weeks ago. By her unlooked for demise, only four and a half months after that of her husband, a deep gloom has been cast over the entire community, for she was well known and beloved by all. Before her marriage, sixteen years ago last October, she had been for a number of years in the teaching profession at Meaford and had attained a foremost position in educational circles. She was a cultured Christian lady with fine literary talents. Her religious faith was that of the Disciples Church, but in the absence of her own church services, she was a supporter and regular worshiper in Chalmers Church here, where she will be missed. Besides her aged mother, for whom deep sympathy is felt, three brothers, Mr. Charles Pye, of Clarksburg; Mr. Robert Pye, of Thamesville, and Mr. Alfred Pye, of Cranbrook, B.C., survive her, together with three sisters, Mrs. Fulton, of Woodstock, Mrs. Tobias, Toronto, and Mrs. Carter, Victoria, B.C. The funeral took place to Flesherton cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, service at the house being conducted by Rev. A. McVicar, assisted by the other ministers of the village. The casket was covered with beautiful floral tributes from relatives, friends and the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid. Mr. and Mrs. C. Pye, of Clarksburg, Mrs. Fulton and Mr. Stewart, of Woodstock, and other relatives from a distance attended the funeral. The pall bearers were R. J. Sproule, Geo. Wright, Geo. Mitchell, D. MacTavish, W. Trimble and C. N. Richardson.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Collinson, Ceylon, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, February 28th, when their daughter, Nessa, was married to Mr. Francis S. Cairns, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Cairns, near Ceylon. Rev. A. McVicar, pastor of Chalmers Church, Flesherton, conducted the ceremony in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties and a few girl friends of the bride, who was unattended. The stately bride, who was given away by her father, wore a stylish travelling costume of navy blue gabardine and carried a bouquet of carnations. During the signing of the register, Miss Kate Wilcock sang "O Fair, O Pure, O Holy." After the ceremony and congratulations a choice dejeuner was served, the table and house decorations being artistically done in carnations, sweet peas and smilax. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for Toronto, Buffalo and other points. On their return they will settle on the Cairns homestead on the west back line, and we join in the good wishes of their numerous friends for their happiness and prosperity. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful wedding gifts.

Sergt. Morton Orr, of Toronto, a young nephew of Mr. W. Morton, Centre Line, and Mrs. W. J. Henderson, Flesherton, has distinguished himself for valor on the battle field. Sergt. Orr, who has been about a year in the trenches in France was some time ago awarded the Military Medal for dispatch running and successful delivery under withering fire from the German guns. Recently a bar was added to his medal for bravery in rescuing a wounded comrade, whom he picked up and carried, amidst flying bullets, to a place of safety.

The war trophies exhibited in the town hall on Thursday last were inspected by a large number of visitors. In the evening the hall was crowded with a deeply interested audience, presided over by Rev. Mr. McVicar, Capt. White and Lieut. Trivett, who had been at the front, gave excellent addresses. The latter's illustrated lecture was instructive and specially interesting.

The Red Cross Society here had a knitting tea at the home of Mrs. Jake Lever last week, which was well attended by the ladies and a lot of knitting was done. The tea proceeds were $6.50. A load returning home met with an upset, and Mrs. John Chard had her arm painfully injured.

The Spring Hill Red Cross had a very successful entertainment in the school house on Friday evening, the proceeds amounting to $55.00, which included a Red Cross quilt sold for over $5.00, purchased by W. Caswell. Mr. A. Harrison was the auctioneer. A good programme was rendered, a pleasing feature of which was a play entitled "The Iron Hand," well given by about a dozen young people. Mr. W. Caswell occupied the chair.

Mr. Andrew Beattie, Toronto line, had a successful sale last week and has moved to Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Beattie were members of the Methodist church here and will be missed in the congregation.

Williamson Bros., of Toronto, were here buying horses on Friday and we learn purchased six good animals.

The village residents and some farmers have been laying in a good stocks of ice, which is about twenty inches thick and excellent quality.

Rev Mr. Lamb, of Singhampton, invited by the Methodist Quarterly Board here, had already accepted an invitation to Allendale and therefore had to decline the invitation here.

Mrs Samuel Thompson, east back line, had the misfortune to break her arm on Friday last by a fall near her own door.

Mr. C. B. Perigo, of D'Arcy, Sask., who visited for a few weeks here and at Feversham, left on Friday, taking with him a number of horses. Bert Osborne went in charge of the car.

Mr. H. C. LeGard has been home from Toronto for a couple of weeks visiting his son-in-law, Mr. Bert Magee, who met with an accident, fracturing some of his ribs.

Mr. J. L. Wood, of Toronto, has been visiting for a short time with his sister and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd, of Battleford, Sask., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd last week.

Miss Clara Latimer is off on two weeks holidays with friends at Walters Falls.

Miss Tena McLeod is home from Toronto visiting her mother.

Mrs. T. J. Stinson, wife of Councillor Stinson, has returned from visiting at Toronto and Buffalo.

Miss Hulse, who came to supply for a month in the High School, has consented to remain on the staff.

Communion service was held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday and four new members were received by profession of faith.

Successful anniversary services were held at Rock Mills Baptist church on Sunday. Mr. Wilson, a McMaster University student, preached impressive sermons. On Monday evening an interesting and instructive lecture on the Jews was given by the pastor, Rev. Mr. McDonald.

Mr. Geo. Best, who sold his farm a few days ago, is moving to the old Jos. Blakely farm near the village.

Mrs. Hickling and Mrs. Phillips are spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. W. Moore is visiting in the city this week.

Miss Johnston, of Orangeville, has taken charge of Mr. F. G. Karstedt's millinery for the season.

Dr. and Mrs. Williams, of Dundalk, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Carter on Tuesday.

Mr. Thos. Grainger, of Markdale, was in town on Tuesday attending the funeral of Mrs. Carter, whom he knew in her girlhood, and was one of her trustees when she taught at evening.

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The
MARKDALE BARGAIN HOUSE

Our BIG SALE is in full swing. More bargains are added every day, and the crowds are delighted with the wonderful values at a big sacrifice. Come all, and enjoy with the rest of our many friends and customers WHILE IT LASTS.

Last Day of Sale is March 24.

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EXAMINE YOURSELF

Are you troubled with constant headaches? Do you have backache and aching limbs? Have you painful, swollen ankles and joints? Are you subject to Rheumatism or Sciatica? Do you suspect Stone or Gravel? Have you Urinary troubles? In nearly every case the above ailments can be traced to impurities of the blood, due to defective kidneys. The whole blood stream passes through the kidneys every three minutes, for the removal of all impurities.

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FOR THE KIDNEYS

restore affected kidneys to regularity. Gin Pills have restored health in thousands upon thousands of cases.

All druggists sell Gin Pills at 50c. a box, or 6 boxes for $2.50. NATIONAL DRUG & CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED Toronto, Ont. 71

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For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels—They work while you sleep.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret to-night will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.

Walden's Sale List

Following is a list of the sales which B. H. WALDEN, Auctioneer, will conduct on the given dates:—

JAS. WALKER
South half lot 1, Con. 12, Euphrasia, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 15th

The following Chattels, viz: 1 general purpose horse; 16 ewes supposed to be in lamb; 8 young pigs; horse rake; M.-H. binder, 6 foot, 4 carriage, sheaf carrier and trucks; McCormick mower; Peter Hamilton seed drill; Set Tolton harrows; Democrat; Percival plow; wagon; Scuffler; Top buggy; set bobsleighs; road cart; 1 cutter; canthook; 1 aged cow, due April 7; 1 cow 7 years old, due April 17; 1 cow 4 years old, due April 24; 1 cow 5 years old, farrow; 1 steer rising 2 years old; 3 steers rising 1 year old; 1 heifer rising 1 year; Set team harness, nearly new; set single harness, nearly new; saddle; 2 grain cradles; root pulper; sugar kettle; grindstone; set scales; spinning wheel and reel; Daisy churn; sewing machines; 4 bed springs; 12 chairs; 1 rocker; 2 tables; Wash stand; Heater; box stove; Glass cupboard; rag carpet; 2 robes; quantity lumber; whiffletrees; a quantity of hay for Cash; Neckyokes, forks, chains, and numerous other articles.

SALE AT 12.30 O'clock.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, Cash; over that amount 9 months credit will be given on approved joint notes, or 6 per cent. per annum off for cash in lieu of notes.

JAS. WALKER, Proprietor.
B. H. WALDEN, Auctioneer.

DAVE GENOE
Lot 101, E.T.S.R. (Wm. Douglas Farm, Markdale) on

MONDAY, MARCH 12th

The following Chattels, viz: 1 bay horse rising 6 years; 1 bay horse rising 4 years; 1 gen. pur. mare rising 4 years; 1 gen. pur. horse rising 3 years; 1 bay horse rising 3 years; 1 gray cow rising 5 years, sup. in calf; 1 gray cow rising 6 years, sup. in calf; 1 red cow rising 8, giving milk; 1 Holstein cow rising 4 years; black steer rising 2 years; 3 red steers rising 2 years; 4 yearling steers; 2 heifers rising 2; 2 calves 5 months old; 2 heifers 6 months old; 8 good ewes in lamb; 5 brood sows due May 29; about 25 good young hens; 4 store pigs; set single harness; 2 good set team harness; 12 tons Timothy hay, for Cash; 300 bus. oats, for cash; 100 bus. seed oats, for Cash; 25 bus. barley for Cash; 1 Deering binder, 6-foot cut, new, sheaf carrier, truck; F. & W. mower, 6-ft. cut, new; M.-H. cultivator, new; M.-H. rake, new; Deering seed drill; Set Tolton harrows; road cart; No. 21 Fleury plow; fanning mill; second hand buggy; wagon; set bonsleighs; set doubletrees; stock and hay rack combined; Barber buggy, almost new; good cutter; 1 collie dog; Canthook, forks, chains and numerous other articles.

Everything must be sold, as the Proprietor is going West.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, Cash; over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved joint notes, or 6 per cent. off for cash in lieu of notes.

SALE AT 1 O'clock.

DAVE GENOE, Proprietor.
B. H. WALDEN, Auctioneer.

Executors' Sale of Farm Lands

The Executors of the estate of William Neely, deceased late of the Township of Euphrasia in the County of Grey, will offer for sale by Public Auction on Saturday the 10th day of March, 1917, at the Markdale House in the village of Markdale the following farm lands:—

PARCEL 1. West half of Lot no. 21 in Con. 9, Township of Euphrasia 100 acres more or less, on the farm are frame house and frame barn, good running stream of water, about 60 acres cleared and 9 or 10 acres of hardwood.

PARCEL 2. South half of Lot No. 23, Con. 6, Township of Euphrasia, 100 acres more or less, on the farm are frame house and kitchen, frame barn, 2 good running streams, about 60 acres cleared, balance hardwood bush and swamp.

PARCEL 3. West half of Lot No. 20, Con. 8, Township of Euphrasia 100 acres more or less; on the farm are bank barn, log house good well and running stream.

The above Parcels will be put up separately and will be sold subject to a reserve bid fixed by the Executors and to the usual conditions of sale which will be produced and read at the time of sale.

Sale will commence at 2.30 p.m.

TERMS OF SALE— 20 per cent. of the purchase price is to be paid down in cash on the day of sale and upon signing the Agreement of purchase and balance is to be paid within 30 days thereafter without interest.

For further particulars apply to J. E. Lougheed, R.R. No. 2, Meaford; J. A. Boyd, R.R. No. 4 Fairmount; G. G. Albery, Barrister, Meaford, or to Lucas, Raney & Henry, Barristers, Markdale, Ontario, Solicitors for the Executors. Dated the 12th day of Feb., 1917.

B. H. WALDEN, Auc't

Credit Auction Sale

Of Valuable Live Stock, Implements, Etc.

The undersigned has been instructed by W. R. Burnett to sell by public auction in Markdale suburbs, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

The following chattels, viz: Bessie Anderson (3094) bay, foaled 1899; Purity (9976) brown, foaled 1902, supposed to be in foal; Fanny Squire (31145), bay, foaled 1912, supposed to be in foal; Lady Thornton (31144), brown, foaled 1912, supposed to be in foal; Queen of the Nation (34540), bay, foaled 1914; Nation's Beauty (37617), brown, foaled 1916; Black Maria (37616), black, foaled 1916. Stallions: Pride of All (6455), bay, foaled 1906; Barney Doyle (16809), bay, foaled 1914; King of the Allies (18512), bay, foaled 1916; 1 horse 10 years old, heavy draught. Above named horses are all registered and certificates will be furnished to the purchaser.

1 cow 7 years old, with calf at foot; 1 cow 4 years old, due April 13; 1 cow 5 years old, giving milk; 1 heifer rising 3 years old, giving milk; 1 steer rising 2 years old; 1 heifer rising 2 years old; 1 heifer rising 1 year old; 2 steers rising 1 year old; 65 hens; six roosters (White Wyandotte); one Collie dog.

Binder with sheaf carrier and truck; Mower; seed drill; cultivator; horse rake; 1 Fleury plow, No. 21; Wilkinson plow, No. 7; Set iron harrows; Fanning mill with bagger; root pulper; 1 wagon; 1 new buggy; 1 second-hand buggy; road cart; set bobsleighs; 1 new cutter; 1 second hand cutter; stone boat; hay rack; grindstone; set grain ladders; 2 set heavy harness; 1 set plow harness; Set single harness, new; 1 set single harness, second hand; Buffalo robe; horse blankets; 50 cotton grain bags; 100 potato bags; 3 set whiffletrees; 2 neckyokes; kanthook; lot of clevises; crosscut saw; 1 good cook stove; 1 heating stove; churn; cream can; a number of chairs and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Everything must be sold, as the proprietor is giving up farming.

SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, Cash; over that amount 10 months credit on approved joint notes; or four per cent. off face of purchase.

W. R. BURNETT, Proprietor.
D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.
T. H. Richardson and J. J. Graham, Clerks.

Markdale Roller Mills

A car of FEED WHEAT to hand at Ford's Mill, selling at $33 a ton chopped.

JOHN W. FORD

Business Locals

J. C. Kentner is agent for Gerhard Heintzman Pianos.

Call on A. Jackson for the reliable Melotte cream separator.

Heavy All Wool Underwear, Scotch Knit, $1. P. J. Thompson.

Mr. Wm. Bush, 7 Pine Ave., Balmy Beach, Toronto, still furnishes his popular eye salve. Price 50 cents a box.

See Kentner's sewing machines before buying.

Go to McKennitt's for Flour and Feed at Wholesale Prices.

Big Bargains in Suits and overcoats for Men and Boys at Mercer's.

Flannelette Blankets Selling Cheap at Mercer's.

Go to McKennitt's for Canned Beef. Best Flour at right prices. Do not take the flour called just as good.

Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses low. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

Having taken over from H. McLean the W. G. Pickett Insurance business, I am prepared to look after the interests of the public. Hugh R. Hammond, Agent, R.R. No. 1, Ceylon, Ont. (phone 2, ring 2.)

Just Arrived

A number of the New De Laval Cream Separators.

The Greatest Improvement in cream separator construction in the last 3[illegible] years. Every New Machine is equipped with a Bell speed indicator, large capacity, all parts oiled by an automatic device, [illegible] less discs to wash. Call and examine these machines before you buy, as they are made in Canada.

HUGH KNOTT, Agent.

Markdale Markets

(Corrected each Wednesday)

Fall Wheat, new	[illegible]	0[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]	0[illegible]
Flour, per bbl.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bran, per cwt.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shorts	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butter, tub	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Beef	14 00	[illegible]
Hides	12 00	[illegible]
Geese, per lb.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ducks	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Turkeys	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fowl	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hay	9 00	[illegible]

COOK'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MARKDALE, ONTARIO.

MARCH 11th, 1917.

Divine Service, morning at 11.
Divine Service, evening at 7.
Sunday School at 2.30.

Morning [illegible] St. John's Gospel [illegible] Judges. Scripture lesson [illegible] 24 to end of chapter.

Evening subject: [illegible] to young men and women [illegible] who [illegible] to be [illegible] Master.

—GLAD TO SEE YOU—

Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness.

J. Thurburn Conn, Minister.

BLANTYRE

Mrs. Dorcas Patterson spent a couple of days [illegible] in Meaford recently.

The social given by the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. Will Sewell on Tuesday night was quite a success.

Mr. Thos. [illegible] an auctioneer [illegible] him success [illegible]

Mr. James [illegible] leaving for the West [illegible] where he [illegible] summer.

Rev. W. M. [illegible] and R. [illegible] ton attended [illegible] tery in Owen Sound on Tuesday.

Mr. [illegible] Epping, [illegible] Boyd early in the week.

UNION HILL

Mr. Robert Carson, of Meaford, accompanied by his niece, Miss E. Carson, are here on a visit.

Mr. Tiddatt, [illegible] is visiting with friends in Owen Sound.

Mr. Boyd, of Saskatoon, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. [illegible] recently.

Miss [illegible] is visiting at Rocklyn this week.

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We regret [illegible] Park confined [illegible] der the Doctor's [illegible]

Mr. J. [illegible] to visit [illegible] Mrs. W. [illegible] Gee.

Mr. [illegible] driving horses, [illegible] Rob Fi[illegible]

Mrs. J. [illegible] to her home [illegible] spending [illegible] Jake.

Would [illegible] for E.W. [illegible] soon [illegible] gan or Mrs. A. Hoy.

Mr. An[illegible] Mr. [illegible] ville, visiting [illegible] Park.

Mr. an[illegible] Mrs. [illegible] returned to their home [illegible] west, after spending the winter with friends here.

Don't forget the ratepayers and Trustee meeting Thursday, March 8th at 1.30 in the Orange Hall for the purpose of building a new school and rectifying the old site.

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C. W. ROTLEDGE, Proprietor.
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