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New Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats
First Shipments Have Arrived And Are Now Ready For Your Inspection

Never before have we had such a splendid range of Suits and Overcoats for you to choose. Here you will find all the new models for Young Men, and the more conservative styles for the older Men, at prices ranging from \$15.00 to \$30.00

Special Men's Fine Oxford Grey Melton Overcoats for Fall and Winter Wear, priced from \$20 to \$25

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Harvest Tools

We have a full line of Samson Harvest Tools, such as Forks, Fork Handles, Fork Tines, Scythes, Snaths, Ropes, etc. Come in and get our prices. Have you tried Prairie Harvest Machine Oil? It is sold with a money back guarantee. If you are tired of using poor oil, get a can of this and try it.

We also have a good stock of enamel and aluminum Preserving Kettles, Fruit Jar Rings and Rubbers, and Fruit Jar Funnel.

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On the Road to Tomorrow



YOUR little boy is travelling the road to Tomorrow. What are you doing to help him on his way?

You have travelled the road—arc you giving him the benefit of your experience? Are you guiding him past the by-ways which mislead; helping him to keep in the highway which leads to success? Are you making provision for his education? Year by year you see more university graduates entering the field of business; see them grow in competition out of the most desirable positions; see them promoted over the heads of competitors who started in business as boys and served years of apprenticeship. The present keen competition makes a university education almost essential to success. Some men are forging ahead who are self-educated, yes—but they are so few in number that they are conspicuous because of that fact. In every phase of business to-day—in every walk of life—the educated man has the advantage. He has broader knowledge; is better equipped. Education gives a man or woman poise and self-confidence—qualities which attract, and which constitute the essentials of leadership. And education has, in itself, a value in dollars and cents.

Consider these facts, taken from government reports: Men who at boys left public school at 14 years of age earned an average \$500 a year. High school graduates who left school at 18 years of age earned an average of \$1,600 a year. At 23 years of age the high school graduate who had worked 4 years less had earned \$18,000 more. And statistics show that time spent in high school and university is worth at least \$40,000 in the lifetime of each university graduate. You think that your son will go to university, of course. All parents do. But investigation shows that out of 1000 children to enter public school only 343 enter high school and only 72 enter university. And only 23 children out of every 1000 who enter public school graduate from university. These facts and other relating to the education of children are presented in a book which we have prepared on the subject. These facts concern both boys and girls—men and women. Many of them will astound you; all of them will interest you. This book also contains information regarding the cost of education for various professions—tuition and maintenance at Canadian universities. Every parent should read it. Most parents plan for their children's education. This book will help you to prepare so that your plans will be carried out. A free copy will be sent to you if you ask for it. Just mail us this coupon giving your name and address.

THE IMPERIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA
HEAD OFFICE TORONTO

R. V. RICKETTS, Agent, MARKDALE

Flesherton

(Special to The Standard)
Mr. Jos. Armstrong and family, who holidayed at their summer home here, returned to Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. George Mitchell returned from Troquois Falls last week, and is in Toronto this week writing exams, at the University.

Mr. Frank Stewart, who spent the summer at home, after completing his course at North Bay Normal School, left last week to teach at Hough Lake, 140 miles north of North Bay.

Mr. Sam. Pedlar, who was home from Detroit last week visiting his mother, near Ceylon, called on old friends here.

Miss Sandilands returned last week to again take charge of F. W. H. Hickling's Millinery Department.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bellamy and Mrs. T. W. Wilson visited friends in Toronto last week with the latter's daughter and other relatives.

Rev. J. H. Oke and Miss Oke have returned to their home in Toronto, benefitted by their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Johnston and other friends here.

Miss Marie Black, of Toronto, holidayed last week with Miss Shirley Murray at her home here.

Mr. W. Southgate and friend, Mr. McLean, of Seaford, were here on a fishing trip the end of last week, and were the guests of the former's uncle, Mr. George Mitchell.

Miss Florence Bunt, of Toronto, holidayed at her home here last week.

Dr. Murray visited his brother in Toronto on Friday and Saturday last. Mr. Frank Thurston spent the week in Toronto, and was accompanied home by his wife, returning from a visit at Agincourt.

Mr. Alf. Down was in the city over the week-end, and brought home a new Ford car.

Mr. Gordon Warling has been engaged the Dr. cars for a week in bed with flu, but is improving.

Miss Hattie Wallace and niece, of Toronto, are visiting Mrs. J. A. Heard and other friends. Miss Wallace is recovering nicely from a recent operation in the hospital.

Miss Alena Blakely has returned to Toronto, after spending a few weeks with her brother here.

Mrs. Alf. Thistlethwaite has returned from visiting for a month with her son and daughter in Toronto.

Misses Lily Mitchell, Lillian Bunt and Dell Thurston, Toronto teachers, holidayed at their homes here, having returned to the city to resume their work.

MISS ELVA RUSSELL, A. T. C. M., will visit Markdale every Wednesday to give instruction in Piano and Theory Music. Enquire at The Standard Office, Markdale.

the spiritual co-operation and real fellowship of the man who opens his heart in earnest prayer to the ear of the Divine Lord. The lowliest member of the Church may, by believing prayer, bring into the heart and life and ministry of a sincere preacher that marvellous inrush of Divine tenderness and energy which will cause the Word to be spoken in demonstration of the Spirit and in power. By feelingly preaching on the part of the part of men and women who are in partnership with him in that ministry into which all believers have been called.

Flesherton extends congratulations to one of her honored sons, Mr. W. H. Wright, K. C., on his promotion to the high and honorable position of Supreme Court Judge. Justice Wright was born and brought up at Flesherton, and has had a distinguished career in his profession. His marked ability as a lawyer and well developed judicial mind, its him admirably for the duties of the bench. He will be much missed from his office here, which he has visited weekly for many years.

The friends here of Miss Gladys Cornfield, of Toronto, formerly of this place, congratulate her upon the success of her young music pupil, Miss Elizabeth Glendonning, aged 13, who won the gold medal at the piano competition at Toronto Exhibition last week. Miss Cornfield is on the staff of the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

We are indebted to Mr. Charlie Mosher, a successful angler here, for a very nice mess of speckled trout caught on Saturday evening last. We appreciate the treat much. One of the beauties measured nearly 15 inches, and Charlie says a larger one got away with his hook.

In the Church; Rev. Vose returned from his holiday and occupied the Baptist pulpit again on Sunday. At the Methodist Church, Mr. W. Brooks from Shelburne, a promising young man for the Ministry, gave short, interesting sermons, which demanded good attention. The Sunday School resumed its regular hour of service in the afternoon. At the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Thomas, of Toronto, preached an edifying sermon and as on his former visit, made a good impression. Rev. Geo. L. Craw, B. A., of Springville, will preach as a candidate next Sunday.

In the Centre Grey League two baseball matches were played here on Monday between the Vandeour and Flesherton teams. In the first, Vandeour won by 7 to 4, which tied the teams. In the second, to break the tie, Flesherton won by 15 to 9. The winners play next Thursday with Dundalk at the latter place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitchell and daughter, Stella, are on a visit to Toronto this week.

Mrs. C. R. Harrison is on a short visit with her sister at Islington. She is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Breen, to the city on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Blakely were called to Harrison on Friday by the illness of the latter's mother.

Mrs. Samuel Henderson and Miss Jessie Orr, of Toronto, were visitors over the week-end at Mr. W. J. Henderson's.

Mr. Geo. McTavish was at Oshawa over the week-end, visiting his brothers and securing Chevrolet cars.

Mr. Frank Bunt and Mr. Scott spent the holiday in Toronto.

Mr. T. Brady, of Toronto, motored here during Saturday night, on his way to Lions Head to visit his brother who is very ill. Mr. Maurice Wright and Miss Hazel Shunk accompanied him here to spend the holiday.

Mr. Kendall Boyd was home from Toronto over the holiday.

Mr. Jim. Hales is on a holiday in the city this week.

Miss Marion and Miss Stella Bolger, of Hamilton, were the guests of the latter's aunt, Mrs. J. Rungtader, on Saturday last. Miss Marion, who has spent in her village the last few years, entertained a few friends with her beautiful voice and charming singing.

Mrs. Hiedling and sister, Mrs. Clark, of Ottawa, visiting her, are away from Toronto this week.

Mrs. Empress Bellamy has been very ill for two weeks, but slight improvement is reported, very gratifying to her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright motored to the city on Monday, accompanied by Miss Annie Howard, their guest the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dundas motored to the city to spend the holiday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. DeCouture whose little daughter fell last week and injured her arm.

Fearing a fracture of the bone, an X-ray examination will be made.

Mrs. W. Inkster and Miss Eva Inkster, who were on a motoring holiday the past two weeks at Toronto and other points, returned home on Monday. While away, Miss Inkster hid the misfortune to fracture her wrist while cranking her car, but the injury is improving.

A thoughtful and helpful article headed "A Preacher's Plea for Prayer," appeared in The Canadian Baptist last week from the pen of Rev. T. Watson, of Ridgetown, former pastor in the Baptist church here. From the excellent article, we think the following paragraph worth repeating, that perhaps someone may be moved to more earnest supplication: "The man who is to open his mouth boldly in speaking God's message to men needs

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BRANCHES MARKDALE PEVERSHAM

by the Presbyterian Sunday School and Guild. A very pleasant evening was spent together.

Miss Edna Ferris commenced her school duties at No. 3 on Tuesday.

Wodehouse (Special to The Standard) A few more loads of grain to haul and it will be supposed that the harvest will be completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Crowson made a business call in this section one evening lately.

Miss Lavina Wiley will attend the Continuation School at Kimberley. Her chief aim is to become a school "marm." Much luck is wished her by the community.

Mr. Roy Kirkpatrick and Orlio Rivordale Co. has a little corn. Upon his little brain

And when he starts to write his news that corn begins to pan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, of Orange Valley, and little Harry, of Riverside, accompanied by Mrs. Hill, of Fawcett and son, Hilliard, of Oshawa, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fawcett on Sunday.

Messrs. Nelson and Gordon Wilcox and Leif Fawcett, Mrs. Wilcox, August 21st, 1923.

OWEN SOUND FAIR

September 12th, 13th & 14th

\$1700.00 in prizes. \$25,000.00 in New Buildings. \$750 purse for Races. 1500 Children in Songs, Dances, etc. 3000 School Children on Parade. Special Children's Exhibits. Merry-Go-Round and Big Midway. Day and night attractions. Bands in attendance. E. D. BONNELL, Secretary.

Auction Sale

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Saturday, Sept. 15th commencing at 2 o'clock

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- Parlor Suite, 5 pieces. Piano Stool. Dining-Room Suite. What-Not. Bookcase. Hatrack. New Williams Sewing Machine. Lounge. 3-Cornered Cupboard. Cupboard. Pandora Range. New Perfecton 3-Burner Coal Oil Stove, with Oven. 2 Rockers. Heater. 8 Chairs. Small Stands. 2 Arm Chairs. Small Tables. Upholstered Arm Chair. 2 Toilet Sets. Cherry Bedroom Suite. Washstand. 2 Dressers. 3 Bed Springs. Case of Birds. Several Pictures. 2 Iron Beds. 2 Drop Leaf Tables. 3 Mattresses. New Century Washing Machine and Wringer. Flour Chest. 2 Wash Boilers. Lamps. Tapestry Carpet. Rag Carpet.

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