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This department has shown a very large increase in Sales this year. It's because we keep the GOODS the ladies require, all ready-made, at less than they can make them for. Call and buy a new Wrapper for yourself.

General List for a Few Days This Week:

- Machine Oil, 35c.
- Binding Gloves, per pr. 25c.
- Whet Stones, each 10c.
- Oil Cans, each 25c.
- Heavy Moleskin, worth 27c for 12c.
- Prints, 3 Cases, new patterns per yd 5 to 12c.
- Heavy Rope for stings — Sesil and Manila.

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Cash for Butter, Eggs & Wool. Butter Boxes Supplied Free.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. Simon McCallum, of the Meaford Road, who has been in failing health with heart trouble, passed away on Saturday morning last. His remains were interred at the stone church cemetery near his own home on Monday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Thom, of this place, officiating. The large number of friends who left their harvest to attend the obsequies betokened the esteem in which the deceased was held in the community where he has long lived. Deceased was 77 years of age.

On Wednesday of last week a large picnicking party from Durham and vicinity en route for Eugenia, met with an accident here which delayed some of the party and cost considerable for repairs. One young man drove in and halted to make a purchase at Dr. Christie's drug store. Others followed racing through the village and one then ran into the buggy which had halted and immediately a general smash and mix up occurred which left three or four buggies considerably disabled. Fortunately one young lady only was slightly injured but had a narrow escape and, as the "meds" would say, got considerable of an "elevation" while the chest was up. Furious driving is a violation of the law which should not go unpunished, but if nothing more, the silly habit of racing on the public highway should be beneath the dignity of young men who have any regard for the lives of young ladies who go out with them for pleasure.

The young people of the Presbyterian church are to give a garden party at Mr. James McMullen's, west back line, on Friday evening of this week. Proceeds in aid of the India famine sufferers.

The McCallum marble cutters here have erected a very neat monument at the grave of the late Mark Cairns in the Public Cemetery.

Mr. W. Sinclair, of this place, supplied Rev. Buchanan's pulpits at Markdale last Sabbath. Mr. Sinclair is holidaying this week with friends at Grand Valley.

Mr. C. H. Munshaw took in the excursion from Owen Sound to Penetanguishene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepperd are taking in the Mackinaw trip this week.

Miss Florie Richardson and Miss Brown visited the latter's home in Durham last week.

Mrs. Homer Reid, of Meaford, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Armstrong and family a couple of days last week.

Mr. Modell, Miss Mitchell and Miss Selby, of Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell on Friday night last, joining them in camp at Kimberley on Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Allen, of Toledo, arrived on Friday for a month's visit with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Best, and other relatives here. Mr. Allen accompanied her returning home on Tuesday.

The Misses Bert and Lizzie Bellamy, of Owen Sound, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bellamy, on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Edwin Leitch, of Manitowaning, joined his wife visiting here part of last week.

Mr. Frank Barnhouse, of Toronto, is visiting his parents here.

Mr. A. M. Gibson is taking his holidays this week and left for Toronto on Monday accompanied by Mrs. Gibson, who is in very poor health.

Miss Jessie Beaton, of Durham, is visiting for a couple of weeks with her cousin, Miss M. K. Beaton, here.

Messrs. David White and J. Duncan, of Toronto, paid Mr. W. P. Crossley a short visit this week.

Mr. Josiah Strain, of Great Falls, Montana, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strain.

Mr. Sydney Schofield and the Misses Martin, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson.

Mrs. Mark Wilson, Mrs. James McClocklin and Miss Bert Crossley are visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Brosh and daughter, Miss Ella, of Bradford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Vandusen part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCallum, of Varney, visited Mr. and Mrs. McCallum here last week.

Mrs. W. Poulton, of Toronto, visited over Sunday with his brother-in-law, Mr. Henry Le Gard.

Miss Guild, who has been visiting for several weeks at Dr. Christie's, left on Tuesday for Toronto and her home in Michigan.

Mrs. Jas. Sullivan is home from Hornings Mills for a couple of weeks.

Mr. J. J. Mills, of Toronto, Sundayed at Mr. J. Sullivan's.

TOP CLIFF.

Mr. Editor, here we are again trying to pencil a few items for your newsy paper, but, by the way, Mr. Editor, have you ever been to Top Cliff? Strange if you weren't one of the numerous visitors six years ago this summer, but Top Cliff was not in existence then but an imaginary ghost was that which gathered hundreds of spectators daily for weeks proving to be nothing but like the story of Paddy's burglar tools, which made the Judge, court and all turn fools, etc., but now, Sir you will find one of the neatest schools in South Grey, it being lately painted over by the skillful painter, Mr. Colin McDougall, of Durham, who in workmanship cannot be excelled in any part of the country.

The farmers around this place commenced harvesting beginning of the past week. Grains in general are pretty short, but the grain is good. During the most of the past week early risers say there was frost three or four mornings in succession, which, no doubt, will hasten the ripening process.

Mr. A. McCuaig took in a field of barley in July, so did Alfred Hinks, both having good crops. The grain on fall wheat cannot be beaten in any part of the country. Hay, in some instances was a fair crop while in many places it only averaged a half crop. McDougall Bros, had on Jno. McLean's farm about twenty-five tons of first class hay part of which they sold at the ridiculous low price of \$6.50 per ton.

Councillor McCannel, of Glenelg, and Muir, of Arctemesia, have a gang of men and teams travelling the town line north of Priceville for the last few days.

Miss Sealey was buried at Hooper's Cemetery on Monday, July, 29th.

On one of Mr. Arch. McCuaig's farms is a spot which marks the burying place of a suicider forty-five years ago. He hanged himself in a neighbor's shanty in Proton where in a fit of temporary insanity caused by brooding over as how to manage to clear his farm which was all bush. He had recently come from the Old Country and could see no way of getting along in the woods so he made his career short by ending his life. His name was McCallum, he had many friends in Glenelg.

Mrs. Williams, of the Soo, and little son are spending a while with Mrs. William's brother, Mr. Bob Fisher, of this place. Mrs. Williams has experienced many changes since she last visited the old home for since then her husband and father have joined the greater majority. She and her family are getting along nicely at the Soo as the good people of the place are very kind in assisting those in want.

Neil McCannel paid friends at Stayner a short visit during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McCannel, of Burgoyne, Co. Bruce, visited friends at this place recently and are at present visiting friends in Erin township.

The Chronicle Cors. are doing well of late we always admire good newsy budgets such as are generally given by the numerous writers to the Chronicle. For we find amongst them such writers as the Glasgott cor. whose writings are always based on simple truths and in expressions as gentle as the Lamb. Traverton is not a doubting Thomas for he always comes out with facts, while Pomona is as sharp in his expressions as a new made Arrow recently taken from the Smith. Priceville must have received the Patton patent right for an inventor of good stories. Flesherton is always brimfull of news and writes nothing but what is correct and truthful—which we all claim to do.

Berrying is a thing of the past. During the last couple of weeks male and female old and young could be seen wending their way to the berry bush, coming back rather hungry with loads of delicious looking berries.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McNay, late of Cleveland, but now of Toronto, visited Mr. A. Hinks for a few days last week.

We don't claim our writing to be the best for printers' copy for it is far from being vertical. We never noticed the difference in last week's paper for it appeared to us as correct as if proof read.

We wonder who were the ladies that tore the young man's coat from near this place at the picnic some where between here and Durham the other evening. If they would view him through the Scope they would see exactly where the rent was in his coat.

Mr. NORMAN McRAE was given a farewell party at the home of Mrs. Elliott on the eve of his departure from town, after a sojourn of four years here, during which time he was employed with Mr. W. Turner, druggist. The party was largely attended by the young people and during the evening he was presented with a handsome watch chain and a nicely worded address, expressing the regret felt on his departure and their wishes for his future success. Norman left on Wednesday morning for his home in Durham, where he will holiday for a while before leaving for Toronto to attend the pharmacy at Markdale Standard.

Poor Quality of Blood

A Frequent Cause of Consumption, Heart Failure and Other Constitutional Disorders. Chase's Nerve Food as a Blood Builder.

The heart, the lungs, the stomach, the liver, the kidneys, and bowels cannot perform their functions and repair wasted tissue when supplied with blood that is deficient in nutritive qualities, and sooner or later the weakest organ succumbs to the attacks of disease.

The indications of thin, watery blood are paleness of the lips, gums, and eyelids, shortness of breath, weakness of heart action, and languid, despondent feelings. These symptoms are usually accompanied by nervousness, sleeplessness, and general weakness of the body.

It is positively useless to doctor the symptoms, and injurious to use opiates or stimulants. Cure can be brought about gradually and certainly by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, which contains in condensed pill form all the elements required for strengthening, revitalizing the blood. As a blood builder and nerve restorative, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is of inestimable value. In pill form, 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Give Them Salt.

We learn that a number of farmers in the surrounding townships are losing horses and cattle very suddenly and apparently without knowing the cause. A farmer who has had some information from similar circumstances elsewhere learns that the want of a sufficiency of salt is the cause of much trouble among stock. A quantity should be so placed in the field as to be accessible at all times, though not thoroughly satisfying to the demand of the herd will be found invaluable and a few lumps of rock salt should be kept in the pasture fields, supplemented of course by some of the more soluble variety at least once a week. Sunday morning is said to be a very good time just after winding the clock. Whatever day may be selected, regularity in the giving of salt and an abundance of good, clean, wholesome water, are essentials to the welfare of every herd of cattle.

WHAT A TALE IT TELLS.

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Liver Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at all drug stores.

Business Education.

The Central Business College, Stratford, Ont., sends out a very handsome prospectus to all who are interested in securing a business or shorthand education. Write to W. J. Elliot, the Principal, for one.

This college has the reputation of being a first-class institution. The Fall Term opens on Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

In Toronto there are 531 teachers, 126 kindergartners and nearly 35,000 children in attendance. The total expenditure of the School Board was \$499,375, nearly half a million. Ryerson School had an attendance of 119,440 during 1900.

Eczema in Its Worst Form.

Back Covered With Blisters—Terrible Itching—No Sleep Possible—Dr. Chase's Ointment Simply Marvelous in Its Curative Powers.

Mr. John Kelly, 79 Trinity Street, Toronto, in an interview, made the following verbatim statement:—

"I have been troubled with eczema in almost its worst form for the past three years. At times my back and shoulder blades were literally covered with patches like water blisters, and these, accompanied with terrible itching on my legs, put sleep out of the question. I tried various well-known ointments (names mentioned), and did everything possible to obtain relief, but with little success. I had frequently heard of Dr. Chase's Ointment, but meeting with so many disappointments, I had not tried it. Seeing the advertisement one day I concluded to get a box. Since using Dr. Chase's Ointment, I am like a new being. Its soothing and healing properties are simply marvelous, and I am honestly grateful to Dr. Chase's Ointment for the release from long suffering."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, a positive cure for all itching skin diseases, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

DIED.

VOLLETT—In Durham, on Friday, August 3rd, 1900, James Vollett, aged 81 years and 1 month.

CROZIER—In Bentinck, on Tuesday, Aug. 7th, Mary Jane Manning, relict of the late Wm. Crozier, age 65 year.

BORN.

HAAS—On Sunday, July 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Haas, 18th con., Egremont, a daughter.

GRAHAM—In Durham, Sunday, Aug. 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graham, a daughter.

Wanted—An Idea. Who can think of a new idea, they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their "Idea" office and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

MARKET REPORT.

DURHAM, AUG. 8, 1900.

Fall Wheat	60	62
Spring Wheat	60	62
Oats	25	25
Peas	55	55
Barley	40	45
Hay	7 00	7 00
Butter	15	16
Eggs per dozen	12	12
Apples per bag	50	75
Potatoes per bag	30	35
Flour per cwt.	1 75	2 20
Oatmeal per sack	2 00	2 00
Chop per cwt.	90	1 00
Dressed Hogs per cwt.	7 75	7 75
Hides per lb.	6	6 1/2
Sheepskins	50	75
Turkeys per lb.	8	9
Geese per lb.	5	5
Ducks per pair	40	50
Wool	16	17

How to Grow

Is what County of Grey Farmers would like to know. We cannot tell you, but we CAN TELL YOU that H. H. MILLER, the Hanover Conveancer is lending money on good farm mortgages at lower rates of interest than you can borrow elsewhere, and on very liberal terms and at small cost. That is the reason why people all over the country pass by other lenders and travel miles to borrow from him.

He Has Several Very Fine Farms For sale at very low figures and on very easy terms. Farm lands are bound to increase in price and now is the time to buy.

HE ALSO undertakes the collection of Notes and Accounts, and it is a pretty bad claim that he cannot make some money out of no charge for his trouble if not collected.

He Does Fire, Life and Accident Insurance

In first-class Companies and at lowest rates, draws all kinds of writings, arranges business quarrels, effects settlements with creditors, sells Ocean tickets, buys old notes and always has on hand farm and village properties which he is willing to trade or exchange for other property.

Twenty years' experience and residence in the neighborhood counts for something and enables H. H. MILLER to do your business with profit to you as well as to himself.

N. B.—A Special Bargain is offered on Lot 28, Con. 2, W. G. R., Bentinck, 100 acres—Durham six miles—owner gone West and bound to sell.

H. H. MILLER, HANOVER

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I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM MY CUSTOMERS and the public in general that I am prepared to furnish

NEW PUMPS and REPAIRS, DIG. DRILL, CURB, RE-CURB, & PRESSURE WELLS. All orders taken at the old stand near McGowan's Mill or at Shop at Charter Street's Foundry.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED at "Live and let live" PRICES.

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Wool Wanted.

100,000 lbs

S. SCOTT, the Wool man, has a large assortment Yarns, Flannels, Blankets and Choice Tweeds to select from, all pure wool goods, and is prepared to give Cash or Trade for any quantity of wool.

See Our Goods and ascertain our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

CUSTOM WEAVING, Carding, Spinning and Fulling done on short notice.

A choice line of GROCERIES always kept in Stock.

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Ontario Land Surveyor, Civil and Drainage Engineer.

Offices: Wingham and Warton.

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Treasurer's SALE OF LANDS

ARREARS OF TAXES

—In the Town of Durham.

COUNTY OF GREY

By virtue of a warrant issued by the Mayor under the Corporate Seal of the Town of Durham, to me directed, bearing date the sixth day of July, 1900, commanding me to levy upon the lands mentioned below for arrears of taxes due thereon, with the costs, I hereby give notice that unless such arrears and all costs are sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of the taxes and costs thereon, at the Town Hall, in the said Town of Durham, on Wednesday the 17th day of October, A. D. 1900.

J. KELLY, Treasurer.

LOT	ARREARS OF TAXES	COSTS	TOTAL
53	Wm. Hunter's Survey \$ 2 99	\$ 3 57	\$ 6 56
78	" " " 79	3 52	4 31
79	" " " 94	3 52	4 46
80	" " " 3 70	3 59	7 29
95	" " " 85	3 52	4 37

GOVERNMENT SURVEY.

N. E. part of 10 Garafraxa Street West \$ 3 42 3 59 7 01

MOODIE'S SURVEY.

South part of 7	Moodie's Survey	\$ 61	3 52	4 13
North of 8	" " "	61	3 52	4 13
14	" " "	33 36	4 33	37 69
15	" " "	29 81	4 25	34 06
18	" " "	1 01	3 53	4 54
19	" " "	1 01	3 53	4 54
20	" " "	35 53	4 39	39 92

ALL THE ABOVE LANDS ARE PATENTED.

TOWN TREASURER'S OFFICE, JULY 12th 1900. J. KELLY, Treasurer.

MAYOR'S WARRANT.

To J. KELLY, TREASURER OF THE TOWN OF DURHAM.

You are hereby authorized and directed to levy upon the lands described in the several lists hereunto annexed, the arrears of taxes due thereon and all the costs and charges authorized by Statute in that behalf, and to proceed in the sale of said lands for said arrears and costs as the law directs.

As witness my hand and the Seal of the Corporation of the Town of Durham this sixth day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1900.

W. LAIDLAW, Mayor.

Hardware!

Granite and Tinware

We are now in possession of one of the best stocks of Hardware, Granite and Tinware that ever was in Durham and can give you good value for your money.

Paints, etc.

Our Ready-Mixed Paints are getting widely known as seen by the quantity we are selling. A fresh supply arrives every week.

Another Assortment

of screen doors and windows just to hand. Keep your house cool and free from flies by securing some of these articles.

This week's

Shipment

further contains scythes, snaths, grain cradles, hay rakes, hay forks, fence wire, hammocks, clothes wringers, harvest mitts, machine oil, grindstones and whips.

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DRISCOLL'S SASH ADJUSTER.

To School Trustees, Factory Men and Others.

This patented invention secures perfect ventilation from both top and bottom of the window, or from either. It has given the greatest satisfaction wherever used and is strongly recommended by the inspector for South Grey for all schools in his inspectorate. It is very simply and easily put on and is very easily worked. It also forms a perfect lock to the window. Now is the time for the school trustees to leave their orders so that the adjuster may be put in before the school re-opens. All public buildings should be fitted with this patent adjuster; cheap, simple and effective. A model may be seen and orders left with the undersigned, who hold the patent for the County of Grey.

JAS. MCGIRR, G. L. McCAUL, Durham.

Nursing Mothers

dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby. All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant.

50c. and \$1. All druggists.