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Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

NEXT Monday is Labor Day.

BLUE Overall's 50c at The Big Store.

CLOVER, Timothy and Orchard reasonable rates. Grass Seed at Parker's Drug Store

We want those little accounts paid write Geo. Lamb, Glascott, - 4. right away.

THE Zionites will be in town Fri day night to spend a social evening at the Parsonage.

JUST ARRIVED. - Choice stock of English, Scotch, Irish and Canadian cloths. Your inspection is invited. W. Glass, the Merchant Tailor.

THE defective spots in last year's side-walks are now being repaired. Mr. Conery, the President of the Company is bound to make everything satisfactory.

DAN CAMPBELL has taken the Frost proceeds amounted to about \$37,00. & Wood Agency, and John Livingston, we understand, will handle the Massey-Harris goods. Look out for Campbell's ad. next week.

ELIJAH ARMSTRONG writing from Souris, Man., says there's lots of work for harvesters if they're willing to do it. He is getting \$2.25 per day and says the farmers will be busy till Christmas threshing.

THE County Board met in Ower Sound on Monday last to distribute the Model Candidates amongst the three schools. The following were allotted to each at the meeting: O. Sound 17, Durham 12. Meaford 7.

THE streets here are so crowded or Saturday nights that it is often quite difficult to get through the throng. It seems to us they should be lighted to give character to the place. will not be long till there's a move in that direction.

THE Dress Goods shown in The Big Store windows this week are proof positive that they are the best Dress Goods in town, and Miss Hughes up-stairs as Dressmaker, The Big Store expects to exceed all other season's trade.

A REPORT from Owen Sound says "Two of the victims of the Islander Let us see it well patronized. was wrecked a fortnight ago on a voyage from the Klondike were young men of the County of Bruce, David Moran and Washington Porter. They were en gaged as deck hands."

the past week have witnessed the Gates open at 6 p. m. Tea served at manufacture of cement blocks, for 8 p. m. Proceeds in aid of the Durbuilding purposes. So far we have only heard one opinion, as every one seems to think there is no better building material in existence. We see no reason, why a house properly constructed of these blocks, on a proper foundation should not last for a thousand years, and be in first-class condition at the end of that time Some say it would last forever, but we'll not go so far as that.

THE work in connection with the partments are filling fast and nicely. About 125 men are now at grounds will be given a good show. work and many more can find employ. This year the special attractions who is spending a few weeks at the proved at present by receiving a ment. Mr. Walker and his gang are busy every day with the stone crush- being made up of a brilliant collectis a student at Huron College, Lon- side. A. D. Prior is handling the Notice to Creditors ial is the result of their labor. No high wire performances, ground and terial work to which he intends to time will now be lost till the mill lofty tumbling, all forming the most levote his life. begins to hum which will be as soon as possible. Everything is all right and there isn't a citizen or visitor but feels pleased at the business-like appearance the town is now able to

MR. JAMES CARSON is doing a little canvassing this week with the County Map recently prepared and published by our townsman, Mr J. P. Telford. The map is really a magnificent piece of work beautifully lithographed, well mounted and as accurate as anything of the sort can well be expected. In its preparation much time and research were spent, and we trust that the result of Mr. Telford's labor may now be rewarded. Each township is also published sep arately, and should, in our opinion. find a place in every household. work that the complete map should and "Relief of Pekin," a most bril- these columns, and with his many Miss Ethel Eden, of Varney, spent be in every school house in the liant spectacular representation of other friends we shall be sorry to a short time with cousins here be

CHRONICLE, balance of year 30c.

SERVANT GIRL WANTED,-Highest wages. Apply to Mrs. J. H. Hunter

J. A. HUNTER, of The Big Store. has been chosen as one of the Horse Judges at London Fair.

A. H. Jackson, Durham, has large amount of private funds to loan at

For SALE, one of Glenelg's choices THERE'S no use mincing matters. farms. For particulars call on or

> Walkerton will be present for the vicinity. Anniversary Services on the last Sunday in Ootober.

THE teachers, pupils and friends of the Methodist Sunday School will hold their annual picnic on the afternoon of Labor Day, Monday next.

ced for Thursday evening last had to be postponed until Friday on account of the weather. Though Friday afternoon and evening threatened rain there was a goodly attendance. The

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that a By-law is in force to keep cows from running at large, there are still some to break into gardens frequently and cause considerable destruction and annoyance. The By-law is in force but it evidently is not enforced.

THEY must go out-Watches in Irelands. 3 solid silver cases con- friends here. He has resigned his people so mean while they live that taining good Waltham and Elgin situation in Fergus to accept a more they'll never take a paper, nor put movements, at half price. If interested in a watch this is your chance, I do not intend carrying this line of goods, so out they go .- Jas. Ireland.

THE Cement Building Block Manufacturing gang, four in number, are now turning out 125 per day. At this rate it would only take about a week to make enough for a large dwelling. George McKay, Allan Mc-Farlane and two other fellows are hustling the work in good style.

THE Industrial Exhibition is in Queen City to see our country's pro- ed in adding a few good husky ducts. While it may be all right to looking members. do so we bespeak for our own local it's of interest because it's our own. er's home here.

the grounds of Mr. D. Edge, Second the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Mc-Concession, Glenelg, on Tuesday the Dougall and family. third of September. A good program is being provided. The Presbyterian Choir from Durham will be in attend-MANY citizens and others during ance. Admission 15c, Children 10c. ham Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

Western Fair, London, Sept. 5 to 14.

All the prospects point to the Western Fair at London this year being the most successful ever held. it being the intention of the Directors to make the initial show of the century something to be proud of and to be remembered. All the de Cement plant is progressing favor- many cases it is evident the only ably. The road grading is being complaint will be lack of space. The rapidly pushed ahead, and the mak- Directors are full of resources, howing of cement building blocks for the ever, and it may be taken for construction of the works is going on grant-ed that everything on the

> tion of gymnasts, acrobats, aerialists don, and is quite in love with minis- brush expensive ensemble ever got together for such a purpose, while in addition there is a full troupe of educated performing elephants, "The greatest animal act in the world," the sagacious beasts do wonderful things, displaying an intelligence almost human. They dance, doing the cakewalk to perfection, and play a variety of instruments. including of permanent structures, the mouth organ, cymbals, hand organ and the bass drum. The biggest of the four plays nine-pins with the skill of a professional, and his partner marks on a slate the number of pins bowled over, while a third one sets up the pins for another bowl, they also do a number of very difficult balancing and gymnastic tricks.

baby elephant. We have no hesitation in giving it as Four evenings of grand fireworks himself competent to fill. He was our opinion based on years in school display, including "Fall of China" also an occasional correspondent in Toronto Tuesday.

is the riding of a tricycle by the

People We Know

THE GOING AND COMING OF VISITORS IN

Mr. George Stinson spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Alma.

Dr. Lauder, of Cleveland is visit-

Mr. R. J. Scott, of Priceville, has summer, holidays and all. secured a position in the vicinity of

day after a couple of weeks' absence intends to keep boarders.

Miss McLarty, of Owen Sound, is the guest of her friend, Miss Mc-Intosh, this week.

Mrs. Walter Everett, of Palmerston, visited friends in town from be running after his neighbors." Friday till Monday evening.

lucrative position in Chesley.

Inspector and Mrs. Campbell and family returned Saturday from visit in Owen Sound and a trip up the

Mr. Will Moore, of Flesherton, was in town Saturday night on his way to visit the parental home in Normanby.

Organizer Bradley, of the A, O. U

who has been visiting his son in A GARDEN Party will be held on Ceylon, was in town Friday last

Mr. Stanhope, of Toronto, an active and pushing Director of the Cement Co,. was in town the fore part of the week and is quite pleased with way the work is progressing.

Ryan, was in Atwood over Sunday, and took the work of Rev. Mr. Farr. are of more than ordinary interest, parental home in Glenelg. Charlie coat of paint on both outside and in-

Mr. Joseph Snell, B. A., of the Wiarton High School was in town Tuesday. We caught a glimpse of him on the cement grounds where the building blocks are being made We heard him remark that the business was all right and that cement was the coming material for all kinds

caller on Tuesday. He talks of sell on the same farm was struck by Soo. We have no doubt he will be much missed as he has been a resident of the township of Glenelg for a business trip. forty-seven yrs. He held the position of Councillor for a number of years, and assisted to audit the treasurer's but the most sensational feat of all books for two years. A couple of years ago he was appointed a Justice

of the Peace, a position he proved with her parents here for a couple of have him leave.

Mr. Roy Gordon left Monday morn-

THE MONTH OF AUGUST.

Mr. Archie McKinnon came home anxiety. on Saturday last. ----

Mr. Geo. Hughes is holidaying in Toronto this week.

Mr. C. C. Pearce, of Owen Sound was in town Monday.

THE Rev. J. S. Ross, D. D., of ing his many friends in town and

Brandon.

Mrs. Geo. Simpson and daughter, of Vancouver, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Thos. Anderson. Miss Florrie Richardson of Flesh-

and family.

Dr. Gun has been seriously ill for

full swing this week and next and W., spent a few days in town in the thousands of people will visit the interest of the Society, and succeed-

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. G. Boone and family returned to London this morning (Wednesday) after spending a couple of weeks pleasantly with friends in and around town.

the success of his candidates at the self in the near future. recent Junior Leaving Examination

Mr. Chas. Ryan, son of Rural Dean

ing out and going to the American lightning and burned down.

ing for Toronto where he has taken a position in a jewellery store.

Mr. George Noble, of Vickers, who recovered only a few weeks ago from a serious illness, is again on the sick list and causing his friends much

HITS AND MISSES.

It's not hard to get stuff to "fill up" a paper. The greatest difficulty visiting at Mr. and Mrs. John Car is to get enough to fill the editor. It isn't the clothes a man wears but the getting of his pay that

worries the tailor. If you want sickly, runts of young ones keep them at school all

The new house Ed, Kress is building on the Hillside seems a little Rev. Mr. McGregor returned Tues- large for a single man. Perhaps he

It must be refreshing to the cem- don. Mrs. David Jackson returned last ent experts to get so much free ad-THE Baptist Garden Party announ- week from a visit to the Old Country vice about the making of building which extended over several months. | blocks. If we were one of them we'd feel like carrying a gun.

The Editor and Publisher gets off this:-" Why is a village newspaper like a woman? Because every man should have one of his own and not

Mr. Ireland has a local in about some watches he's bound to get rid of. He says he wants to test the advertising value of this paper. Call and see them, but don't all go home, calling on her Galt friends on erton, spent Sunday in town, the at once. It pays to advertise in THE her way. guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown CHRONICLE.

It's singular but it's so, and we Mr. Russell Brown is visiting don't like it either. There are some five cents on the collection plate on Sunday. And yet when they die the minister will preach them into Heaven and the editor will boost them up to the choicest seat beside the great white throne. not right.

A select crowd was assembled in McKechnies' store one evening last week. There was Bill Wright and Sandy Hopkins, and Gilbert McKechthe past week or two, but we hope nie and the editor of this paper, and to hear of his early restoration to a few other notables. By and by health of late, but is improving. they began blowing about what they could do when they were younger Gilbert didn't boast much about how well he could cradle, but all the ing out a couple of barns every day. other fellows did, and they were getting up to a pretty good day's work in talk, when Bill Wright chipped in the cement works in Durham. Messrs. Duncan McFarlane and again to say that Tom Farr was one fair a very liberal patronage from Angus Paterson returned to Flint, of the finest cradlers he ever saw the whole of S. Grey Though the Mich., Wednesday morning, after swing a blade, and how he could cut show may not be on a very large scale spending a week or two at the form- five acres a day and not work more than ten hours. Since then we saw Mr. Farr, and had the statement con Rev. Mr. Marshall, of Fullerton, firmed by the Rev. Gentleman him self that five acres was his usual day's work, and that he didn't believe working into the night to get a day's work done. To our mind he takes a Rev. and Mrs. Herbert and child, very sensible view of things when he of Port Dover, are spending a holi- says that a person who works too day with the brothers and sisters of long one day isn't fit for a good day's Mrs. Herbert, the Hughes family, in work the next. His record of five acres a day isn't going to spoil his ministerial work a particle, but as far as we can learn he is not much in love with cradles you have to swing.

HOLSTEIN.

Mrs, A. D. Prior, accompanied by her little daughter Olive, has gone to the Queen City to spend Exhibition time with friends there,

Jacob Smith, who has been work-Mr. J. W. Brown, B. A., Principal ing near St. Mary's during the sumof Hanover School, was in town last mer returned last Thursday and inweek and is pardonably proud over tends going into farming for him-

Irwin Dixon has returned after his holidays and has resumed work with

The Agricultural hall is being im-

The two auction sales held here last Wednesday proved a success. Mr. Miller disposed of the greater part of his furniture and Mrs. Brown did likewise. D. McPhail did the job and did it well.

During the thunderstorm last Thursday night the lightning struck Alex. Hamilton's woodshed, causing serious damage. At the same time a clothes reel and four water barrels just outside the shed were completely Mr. Geo. Lamb, of Glascott, was a destroyed. A few years ago a barn

> Mrs. W. T. Brown accompanied by Master Arthur, went to Stratford on Solicitor for the Executors, on

on Monday to undergo an operation and full statements and particulars of their for a growth on his neck. Mrs. W. Robertson, who has been months, returned to her home in

fore leaving for Toronto.

VARNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wise, of Allan Park, were visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clever last Sunday,

Mrs. Will Grant and her sister Alice were the guests of Mrs. Clark last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Healey, of Durham, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caldwell were

sons' on Friday last. Misses Belinda and Mary Dennett,

were the guests of Miss Alba Leeson on Thursday. Our lacrosse boys think with a few more nights practice they could easily

trim the Lornes, of Mount Forest. Messrs. Lorne and Charlie Watson after spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives around our burg returned to their home in Lon-

Mr. Robt. Gray, of Hamilton, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Gray this last week. R. looks hale and hearty.

Miss Banks re-opened school last Monday with a full attendance.

Misses Aggie and Alice Dunn, af ter spending a month or so at the parental home, returned to Toronto l'uesday morning.

Mrs, Summers, of Hamilton, after spending a few weeks started for her

Mrs. Bogle, Nenagh, was visiting at her son John's last week.

Misses Lizzie and Edith Chatto, of London, after spending a few weeks at Mrs. Wm. Mountain's, returned to their home Thursday morning.

Mrs. M. Barbour has not been very well of late but is improving. A couple of our youth got it where the chicken got the axe last Thurs-

day night. Mr. and Mrs. C. Gadd were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. W. Saunders' one

Mrs. Leeson has been in poor Mr. Clark and his gang are husting things these days with the

traction engine. They are just clear-

Most of our boys are working a

BORN. OTTRELL-On 11th inst, at Vancouver, the wife of H. V. Cottrell, a son. Galt Reporter and Berlin Telegraph please

> "A bad workman quarrels with his tools."

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Mighton, late of the Township of Bentinck, in the County of Grey, Farmer, Deceased. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

having claims agains: the Estate of the said Second day of June, A. D 1901, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to J. P. Telford, of the Town of Durham, Mr. Henry Adams went to Toronto their names, addresses and descriptions

held by them duly verified, and that after

the said date the Executors will proceed to

J. P. TELFORD, Solicitor for the Executors.

Some we bought below their market value.

32-in Prints, regular price 12½c, for 10c 28-in Prints, regular price 10c, for 8c

New Linoleum and Oil Cloths.

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Linoleum, 2 yards wide	 	90c
Oil Cloth, 12 yards wide	 	45c
Oil Cloth, 1 yard wide		30c

Groceries

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Pure Gold or McLaren's Jelly, 3 packages for 25c
1 gallon tin of Apples for 20c
Catsup, 4 cans for
1½ lb. Jar of Baking Powder for
Pickles, 15c a quart, 2 quarts for

Chaice Meate

Choice meats.
Libby's Ccttage Loaf
Libby's Ham Loaf
Libby's Veal Loaf
Clark's Cooked Corn Reef 20.

Our Blue Ribbon

Ceylon Green, per lb......30c Indian Black and Ceylon Green 25c

. . J. & J. HUNTER

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