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CORNER CONCERNS.

We noticed the cement train while hauling marl on Sunday whistled very lowly, no doubt for fear of attracting the attention of the Angels in Heaven to their misdeeds, but they need not fear, Heaven is not so close to fellows who draw marl on Sunday that it could be reached by the sound of a steam whistle.

Mr. Sam Lawrence of your town spent a couple of days this week visiting his Grand Pa. Mack, before leaving for Duluth.

The Chronicle has nothing to fear from those wood and air pilers as they have no kick against it and have got to consider it one of the necessities of life. We had a talk with those chaps and they are not had sort of fellows after all, of course they admit they dish up a good deal of fresh air with their wood, but claim that it is only given in exchange for a vast amount of fresh water they buy in town, and it is not whiskey alone they deal in either, and it grates terribly on their feelings to hear the town men brag of the special consideration providence has for them in supplying them with plenty of fresh air free gratis, when the fact is that both air and water has been given in such abundance to the country people that it is really going to waste, but they don't like the sort of exchange that is going on at present themselves and would like to see a more honorable way of doing business commenced right away, more especially as the wood selling is almost at an end in this part of the country.

The Bunesan man says annex the name of the correspondent to his budget to stop the writing of silly trash, and use his name if you like to test the matter, but say Mr. Ed., even if you think it would make a world of improvement in his budgets don't make his name public. The fellow you know has a lot of real decent friends living around the country who would feel the disgrace most keenly.

Farmers who haul wood and logs have got into a very unjust habit of over-loading so that they are unable to turn out and give half road to fight rigs, even our Co. comr. while drawing his cutter himself for four or five miles and was in a hurry at the time too, had to turn right out and give the whole road to every one he met, and was so good heared as to try to screen those fellows by not wanting to let us know anything about it for fear we would give them just what they deserved.

Mr. Thos. Grasy of Scarborough, visited his mother and brothers in this part last week.

Mr. Wm. Grasy has gone to reside in Durham, having engaged for twelve months with Mr. A. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sharpe left last Monday for their home in the West, after spending a pleasant winter with friends here. They will spend a few days with friends in Chicago on the return journey.

Mr. Wm. Marshall is one of the best farmers around here, but has to endure a little hard luck occasionally. One of his horses was so sick last week that he was forced to replace it before he could start his spring work.

The parties given in the homes of Messrs. J. Altan, W. S. S. and J. Kerr last week were very enjoyable ones. One in the home of Mr. A. Picken this week will likely end the seasons run.

Our Township Agricultural Society has decided to give \$50 in prizes to Teachers and scholars giving the best drills at the fall show. The move will help to improve the snow no doubt, but many of the old chaps doubt the benefit to the schools, fearing that those human coils are being put in condition for the show ring they will be too fractious to succeed well with sober work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Matthews attended on Saturday night a social gathering presentation and address at the home of Mr. George Mathews, who is leaving this Tuesday for Manitoba. It seems a rather nice way of bidding good bye to an old friend who had been a kind and obliging neighbour, the best wishes of all in this part also go with him.

Mr. Wm. Allan took the afternoon service in Knox Church on Sunday in place of the Rev. Mr. Campbell, who is away trying an examination, which will give him another fixture to his name.

The old pioneers like to be talking of old times, but this week some of them are thoroughly interested in the present as they have a sore attack of Grippe. Messrs. Isaac Crittenden, Jas. Vessie and J. Mack, are amongst those, we hope they may soon be around again.

This part was fairly deluged with implement agents last week, and the single fellows make the most persistent canvassers. They talk so much to girls and get through force of habit that they won't take no for an answer, there will soon be a Cream Separator in every house on our line.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists

FLESHERTON

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Toronto street, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon of last week, when their niece, Miss Mary Neil, was joined in marriage to Mr. John Stewart. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. W. Thom, of this place, and Mrs. Jos. Blackburn played the Wedding March. The bride who was attended by her cousin, Miss Allie Joy, looked pretty in a dainty gown of white organdie, trimmed with white medallions of lace. She carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaid wore a very becoming gown of cream cashmere, trimmed with satin and lace and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom's brother, Mr. Charles Stewart, discharged the duties of groomsman. At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests, about thirty-five, mostly immediate relatives of the contracting parties, extended to the happy couple warm congratulations after which beautifully laid tables in the diningroom, were surrounded and a very dainty wedding repast was served. A number of the friends accompanied the young couple to the depot where amidst showers of rice and good wishes they left on the 5 p. m. train for Toronto and other points. The bride's travelling suit was a very neatly made costume of snowflake knicker trimmed with guipure lace. She wore a stylish hat of blue straw, trimmed with ribbon, lace and ospreys. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will settle on the Stewart homestead west back line, and the highly esteemed couple have a host of friends who wish them prosperity and happiness. The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful presents among them being a handsome silver pudding dish from the Presbyterian Sabbath School and Christian Endeavor in both of which she is an active worker.

Mr. Charles Hales, an industrious Artemesia farmer, was found dead in his bed on Friday morning last at his home a little west of the Durham Road Corners. Heart failure was assigned as the cause. Mr. Hales, whose father also died suddenly from the same cause on the same farm a number of years ago, was in this village the evening before he died, and was, we understand, in his usual vigor and health. The funeral took place to the public cemetery here on Sunday afternoon and in the absence of the family pastor, Rev. J. S. I. Wilson, Dr. Christie conducted the burial services. Deceased was 46 years of age and unmarried. His aged mother and sister who lived with him as well as the other members of the family have many friends to sympathize with them in their sudden bereavement.

Rev. Ivison Wilson has not yet returned from the bedside of his mother critically ill at Brighton. His pulpit in the Methodist church here was supplied helpfully on Sabbath morning last, by Mrs. Nicholson, a member of the congregation. In the evening the annual union service in behalf of the Bible Society here was held and a large congregation was present. Mr. A. S. Van Dusen, President, gave a synopsis of the work done by the branch here. Mr. Falstead gave an instructive address on the work of the present Society and Rev. G. S. Hurlburt gave a good address on the Bible. Special music was furnished by the choir. Collectors have been appointed who are to make their returns before April 6 when the annual business meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church.

The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor paid the Epworth League in the Methodist Church a fraternal visit on Monday evening. A Junior C. E. Society has been organized in the Presbyterian Church with Mrs. (Rev.) Thom, President.

Mr. W. Reid, Durham Road, has moved to his residence here, the Dinwoody property purchased last fall.

Mr. Alex. Stewart, who is retiring from farming on the west back line, is moving to his new home here, the Fawcett residence purchased a few months ago. A hearty welcome to all, we say.

Born, on the 12th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Field, a son.

Principal Fawcett is nursing mumps this week and is consequently off duty at the academy.

Wilbert, the eldest son of Mr. Jno. Whitter, who has for some time been laid up with a painful affection of the hip joint, was taken on Thursday last to Toronto to consult Dr. Bruce, who, we learn, has performed a successful operation on the bone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fraser, of Brampton, paid Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Whitten a visit last week on their wedding tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Nixon, of Caledon, attended the marriage of the latter's brother, Mr. John Stewart, and paid a visit at the parental home.

Mr. W. Neil, of Toronto, attended his sister's marriage here last week.

Mrs. George Boyd, of Mt Forest, is visiting her sisters-in-law Messdames J. A. and W. J. Boyd and C. Patterson.

Mr. Wes. Lyons, of Markdale, has taken his former position at the bench in Mr. W. Moore's harness emporium.

Mr. John Chard represented the A. O. U. W. lodge here at the Grand Lodge meeting in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Turner left on Thursday last to pay a visit to relatives in and near Toronto.

The Misses Bellamy and M. Mullen have moved to W. Clayton's block

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Rev. C. W. Watch, of Shelburne, is announced to preach educational sermons in the Methodist church on Sabbath next.

Mrs. Pye, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Carter, has been very ill for some days, but we are pleased to learn she is recovering.

Your Cor. is under a relapse and enduring a siege of severe pain, but we look hopefully forward for weather which brings May flowers and admits a good sun bath.

BUNESSAN.

Angus Clarke returned to his home near Priceville this week after doing the chores for Sandy Beaton this winter.

Archie McArthur has been hired to work on the Spring Bank farms this summer.

Mr. Fred McLaren, of Wisconsin, visited at McCormacks' last week.

Miss Annie McArthur has gone to the city for the summer.

Mrs. McCormack and daughter Eliza have been quite ill with the gripe. Through careful nursing they are quickly recovering.

Sunday week a disgraceful thing happened. Some youths, evidently under the influence of liquor, went cheering and racing their horses along the Durham Road, one horse was galloped till it fell, and the other till it actually stood still on the road, although it was brutally beaten by a heavy black-snake whip. Such brutes should be stripped and have the whip applied to them. If the thing is repeated we will publish the names of such low creatures, and will see if there is not a law to inflict some punishment on the offenders.

Alex. Bell, Jr., left last Saturday for Toronto, where he will visit a few days, then he goes on to Winnipeg, where he has secured a good situation at good wages. Sandy will be much missed from the Durham Road, and some other roads too, for he has a disposition that makes him good company anywhere. He is bound to make his mark out West.

A. C. Beaton's sale last week was a great success. There was a very large crowd present and auctioneer MacKay rapidly disposed of everything at good prices, about \$1,200 was realized. That with the \$7,000 received for his farms ought to give Mr. Beaton an excellent start out

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Notice to Creditors

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF GREY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Brown, late of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario" 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said Thomas Brown, who died on or about the 16th day of February A. D. 1903, are required on or before the 30th day of April A. D. 1903, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Adam Brown and Joseph A. Brown, of the Town of Durham, the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of distribution.

All persons owing the said deceased must settle at once.

Dated at Durham the 23rd day of March A. D. 1903.

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