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COUNTY CURRENCY.

Newsletters from Correspondents, and Other Items.

A Weekly Digest of the County News Served up to Suit Readers of "The Signal." Pith and Point, Clipped and Condensed from Every Section.

Anthony Sample and Frank Ingram, Morris, left for Manitoba last Tuesday. Others will follow next week.

Harry Dennis, a harness maker of Brussels, has sent no less than 12 sets of harness to Manitoba and the Northwest this winter, with intending settlers.

Last week Mr S. Eagleson and wife, Bayfield, accompanied by Miss Lizzie Higgins, returned to their Dakota home. This week Mr John Wilds and sister did likewise.

At the last meeting of the township council, of Grey, the salary of the collector was re-considered. The amount was fixed at $100 and Donald McLauchlin was re-appointed.

Messrs Scott Bros., Seaforth, shipped nine carloads of apples, numbering 1,570 barrels to Liverpool on Wednesday. Mr James Scott accompanies the shipment to the old country market.

J. J. Ball, Grey, disposed of a trim, 4 year old, general purpose mare, this week, to Adam Forbes, of Manitoba, for the sum of $150. The purchaser will take a car load to the west with him next week.

Mr J. T. Ireland, who has been a student in the Dental Surgery with Mr W. J. Fear, of Seaforth, for the past two years, has passed his final examination at Toronto, and is now a full fledged L. D. S.

Jno. H. Swann, youngest son of Rev M. Swann, of Brussels, has passed his final examination at the Dental College, standing well in a long list of students. He talks of locating in British Columbia.

Albert Gerry, wife and daughter, Brussels, left for the West last Tuesday, on the noon train. They intend to farm and will locate near Indian Head where W. A. Fisnleigh, Mrs B. Gerry's brother has resided for years.

Mr and Mrs Gilbert Thompson and son, Brussels, left this week for Manitoba, where Mr Thompson intends engaging extensively in farming. Fred Manning went along. We wish them every success in their new home.

Last Monday David Agar, 2nd con., Morris, crossed that bourne from whence no traveller returns, and was buried on Wednesday. This is the last of the family as the other members died a year or so ago from a bad attack of dysentery.

The manufacture of the flax crop of 1888, in connection with the Brussels flax mill, will be about completed this week. The market is dull. Our flax mill is a tip-top industry affording employment to a large number of hands.

The Brussels *Post* says:—Somebody is paying too close attention to the clothes lines of some Brusselites and the thief need not be surprised if he carries home a charge of buckshot in the basement of his pants if the stealing is continued.

Mr John Peacock, Jamestown, intends leaving for Manitoba in a few days. Mr Peacock is a steady and industrious young man, and his leaving is another proof of the fact that Manitoba and Dakota are fast draining Ontario of the cream of the province.

James B. Ballantyne, who has been away in Winnipeg, for about three years, came home on Friday evening of last week, on a brief visit. He left for the west on Tuesday noon, intending to try his fortune on the Pacific coast. We wish him success.

Mr S. Rathwell, of Goderich township, states that while he was at work in the bush about a month ago, he heard some birds chirruping, and being curious to find out what they were, made an investigation, and found quite a flock of canaries. Such a thing as this in February, he never knew of in Canada before.

Another esteemed pioneer of this county, in the person of Mr Robt McLean, of the Mill Road, Tuckersmith, has passed away at the good age of 72 years. He died on Monday last, after a short illness of inflammation of the lungs. He was an obliging neighbor, a kind friend and a good citizen and had many warm friends who deeply regret his death.

Mr James Irwin, of Seaforth, left for Portage La Prairie on Tuesday to try his luck.

A McKellar, who has been spending the winter months in Blyth, returned to Portage la Prairie, Man., on Monday.

An employee at Bell's furniture factory, Wingham, earned forty-two dollars the past two weeks. Not a bad record that, is it?

The family of Isaac Rogerson, Blyth, will shortly remove to California where Mr Rogerson now is. His health is considerably better.

Geo Colvin sr. and wife, Brussels are quite poorly this winter. They are both over 80 years of age and were married over 50 years ago.

J D Ronald, Brussels, shipped one of his best double engines to Trenton this week. It was really a beautiful piece of mechanism, and will reflect credit on the Brussels factory.

A five mile skating race took place on the rink Monday night at Wingham, between Wm Anderson and Jas Cornyn, champion of Huron, for a purse of $50. Anderson won easily. Time, 21 min.

Alex Delgatty, Grey, has leased his farm, on con. 12, to Wm Hargan, of McKillop, for a term of five years, and intends removing to the Northwest this spring, locating probably near Moose Jaw.

John Gentles, Kincardine horse buyer, purchased a heavy draught mare from James McDonald, of Grey township, this week. The price paid was $170. The mare weighed 1675 pounds. He also bought two horses from Terry O'Neil, Brussels.

Mr Jas Little, of Park River, Dakota, formerly of McKillop, who has been visiting friends in and around Seaforth, left for his home on Wednesday. We understand Mr L. has been very successful in Dakota, and has succeeded in amassing considerable of this world's goods. He likes the country well.

Charlie Burgess, Wingham, aged about sixteen, an employee of the Union Furniture Factory, had the misfortune to have the first two fingers on his right hand badly cut on Friday last. He was running a buz planer, when the knife caught on a knot in the board he was planing, and upon trying to release the board his fingers were drawn in on to the knives.

THE MARKETS.

BREADSTUFFS AND PROVISIONS

Goderich Prices.

GODERICH, March 21, 1889.

Wheat	1 00	"	1 05
Flour, ℔ bbl	5 00	@	6 00
Oats, ℔ bush	0 30	@	0 33
Peas, ℔ bush	0 58	@	0 62
Barley, ℔ bush	0 50	@	0 65
Potatoes, ℔ bush	0 30	@	0 30
Hay, ℔ ton	11 00	@	12 00
Butter, ℔ ℔	0 18	@	0 20
Eggs, fresh unpacked ℔ doz	0 18	@	0 20
Cheese	0 12	@	0 15
Shorts, ℔ ton	16 00	@	16 00
Bran ℔ ton	15 00	@	15 00
Chopped Stuff, ℔ cwt	1 25	"	1 30
Screenings, ℔ cwt	0 80	"	0 00
Wood	4 00	"	0 00
Hides	4 00	"	4 50
Sheepskins	0 60	"	0 75
Dressed Hogs, ℔ cwt	6 72	"	6 75
Apples, ℔ bush	1 00	"	1 00

Clinton Quotations.

	March. 19		
Flour	$5 50	to	6 00
Fall Wheat new and old	97	to	1 00
Spring Wheat	97	to	1 00
Barley	0 45	to	0 55
Oats	0 30	to	0 30
Peas	0 56	to	0 56
Apples, (winter) per. bbl	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes	0 30	to	0 35
Butter	0 17	to	0 18
Eggs	0 15	to	0 16
Hay	12 00	to	14 00
Cordwood	3 00	to	4 00
Beef	0 00	to	0 00
Wool	0 20	to	0 25
Pork	6 50	to	6 70

Montreal Cattle Markets.

Business today was quiet, with small offerings, and only a quiet demand. Receipts and prices were as follows:

MONTREAL STOCK YARDS.—177 cattle, export 4c to 4¼c per lb.; butchers, 2½ to 4c; 22 sheep, 4 to 4½c; 7 hogs, 5½ to 5¾c; 25 calves, $2 to $6 each.

EASTERN ABATTOIR.—400 cattle 3 to 4c per lb.; 150 calves $3 to $10 each; 30 lambs $3 to $6 each.

MONTREAL STOCK YARDS.—The receipts of live stock for week ending March 16th, 1889, were as follows:

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Hogs.	Calves.
	563	56	4	129
Left over from previous week	97			
Total for week	660	56	4	129
On hand for sale	42			

Prices were as follows: Cattle, export, 4 to 4½c; do butchers', good, 3½ to 4c; do butchers' medium, 3 to 3½c; do butchers' culls, 2½ to 3c; Hogs, 5½ to 5¾c.; sheep, 4 to 4½c; calves, $2 to $6 each.

EASTERN ABATTIOR.—Receipts for the week and latest prices were: 689 cattle, 3 to 4c; 0 lambs, $3 to $6 each; 130 calves, $3 to $10 each.

VIGER MARKET. Receipts for the week and latest prices were: 160 milch cows, $20 to $60; 132 calves, $2 to $8 each.

[Advertisement.

Reader, Consider the Following:

It was stated in these columns a short time ago that McLeod's System Renovator would advertise itself; it has verily done so. It is astonishing, not to have been advertised anywhere outside of Goderich, how soon its fame went far and near and how well and widely known the patentee is, throughout the country. It is a positive fact that there is no other medicine patented to equal a system renovator. Try it if you require it, the only way to test its merits. Just think of where this medicine found its way to the sick and afflicted, physically and mentally:—Dakota, Minnesota, Illinois, Missouri, Texas, Kansas, Kentucky, California, British Columbia, Sault Ste Marie, Michigan, Detroit, Port Arthur, Algoma, Muskoka and several parts of the Province of Quebec, and in the townships of McGillivray, Hay, Stephen, London, Biddulph, Sandwich, Hibbert, Tuckersmith, Stanley, McKillop, Hullett, Grey, Morris, Wawanosh, Colborne, Kinloss, Goderich, Colborne, Ashfield, Huron, Kincardine, Bruce, Saugeen, Amabel, Derby, Sullivan, Sydenham, Holland, Bentinck, Glenelg, Arthur, Egremont, Artemesia, Elderslie and many others. The foregoing shows how the System Renovator advertised itself.

A consumptive lady writes from Sault Ste Marie, Mich: "I feel splendid now, I eat well and am able to do housework, your System Renovator has done me so much good, gaining 15 lbs. while taking it." This patient took one bottle only, her cure brought orders from seven other invalids there. Another consumptive from Walkerton says, "You have got the cure, now; I feel well, gaining every day. I can walk two miles at a stretch with ease; before taking the System Renovator I could not walk one quarter of a mile without giving up. I gained about thirty pounds over your last bottle." Another from Bruce writes:—"Your last bottle has done me more good than any thing ever I got. The paralyzed arm is as well as ever; I am free from the pain in my side. I never got anything to do me so much good." A case of epilepsy in Ashfield was cured by two bottles; a case in Tuckersmith, bordering on insanity, and another in Stratford, both of which stated that their despondency and misery, mentally, often overcame them and felt inclined, as if impelled by some supernatural power, to put an end to their lives; both are cured and in good health and spirits. They advertised their benefactor, they were grateful. Two critical cases in Exeter, mother and son, were cured—the mother by one bottle, the son by three. Their cure brought orders from ten other sufferers in their neighborhood. A case of dropsy near Dungannon, cured by two bottles, brought quite a number of invalids from that quarter. A gentleman in Stanley, for two years laid aside from his usual work, travelled to headquarters in search of a cure, being in pain with inflammatory rheumatism; was cured by two bottles of McLeod's medicine, in ten days he was able to dance, being overjoyed at the cure and relief he got. This case, so well known in his locality, and another case of dropsy near him, brought many a sufferer from that and other townships.

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The gentleman mentioned in the following item was at one time a resident of Brussels, being one of the proprietors of *The Post* for nearly two years:—The last issue of the Canadian Poultry Review and Kennel Gazette contains a picture of the rough-coated St. Bernard dog, owned by W. H. Auld, of Forest. The animal is described as "one of the best sons of the late champion Merchant Prince, who won twenty firsts and specials in England and many in America, and at the time of his death, 1887, was champion still of rough coats. We believe he is the only representative of his illustrious sire in Canada, hence his name, "Canada's Merchant Prince."

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50 acres of choice land for sale by auction, E. half of W. half lot 5, con 11, E. D., Ashfield, containing 50 acres of land, at Martin's hotel, Dungannon, on Friday, March 22nd, at 1 o'clock p.m. Jos Mallough, auctioneer.

The Warden of Bruce has received a letter from Lieut. Col. Panet, deputy Minister of the Militia and Defence, to the effect that the request of the County Council who petitioned the Department to have two more companies formed in Bruce has been refused, giving as a reason that it is not the policy to increase the strength of the force at present.

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