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Consisting of Local and Other Interesting Items gathered by The Advance Reporters.

S. S. No. 13, Artemesia Tp., wants a Teacher. See advt.

Mr. Will Armstrong returned home last week.

Now get your holiday printing neatly and cheaply executed at the ADVANCE office, Flesherton.

Dr. Christoe gave an interesting address in the Methodist church here last Sunday morning.

Mr. Henry Down advertises one of the best farms in Artemesia to rent in this issue of our paper.

Hotel proprietor—"We don't allow any games of chance here." Gambler—"This isn't a game of chance. My friend here has no chance."

"So the missus is to be married, eh?" said the gardener to the cook. "Yis; and in illegant sthoyle, too. She's goin for to have a dhress thray yarruds long, and four pall-bearers to kerry it!"

—Saws of all kinds gummed and filed by R. Legate, Flesherton. Lance Tooth Saws a specialty. Call at Sash & Door factory.—2t.

Mr. Whitten, sr., has retired from farming and taken up his abode in this growing town in the handsome residence recently erected for him.

The Phrenological Journal says: "In choosing a wife, be governed by her chin." A man is apt to be governed by the same thing after he gets a wife.

According to Prof. Proctor, the sun is 1,200,000 times as large as the earth. They must have an awful time hunting for their north pole up there!

It was pretty nearly half-past eleven o'clock when he began to sing "How Can I Leave Thee?" to his best girl. Pretty soon her papa came down stairs and he found out how easy it was.

Even pious souls are sometimes tempted to lapse into the wanton spirit of the little maiden who prayed: "Please, Mr. God, I'm tired o' bein' made good—won't you kill pa?"

Pastor—"En I says again, bredderin, put not yoh trust in kings!" Still small voice in congregetion—"Right yoh is, chile, right yoh is. Aces is bettah, 'n dat's de reason I'se come ter de chu'ch wivout no obercoat dis mawnin."

Euphrasia Still Leads.

Last week we copied an item from the FLESHERTON ADVANCE stating the editor of that journal had been presented with a radish weighing over two pounds. This week Mr. J. L. Wilson, of Euphrasia township, walked into the Mirror office and presented ye scribe with one weighing 5¼ pounds. When large products are the question before the house Euphrasia manages to take and keep the floor.—Meaford Mirror.

Married.

WHITTEN—LOCKHART.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 17th inst., by Rev. T. Watson, Mr. Thomas Whitten, of Artemesia, to Miss Sarah Jane Lockhart, of Proton.

Important Notice.

Mr. Mackenzie Duncan, of Eugenia, is sole agent for the following highly recommended articles in this section, viz., Emery Knife Sharpeners, a most useful domestic implement, which will not break easily on account of a steel rod which runs through it; Scythe Sharpeners, which will put an edge on scythes in half the time an ordinary stone would; and last, but not least, Patent Cake Griddles, which have been highly recommended in THE ADVANCE. 3t.

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A Flesherton Earthquake.

A tall Fleshertonian measured his length on the sidewalk opposite this office last Friday morning. He came down like Jove's thunderbolt. "Great Scott!" said our Fighting Editor, "old Wiggins has struck it this time—there's his latest earthquake!"

"Many Happy Returns"

Of the day to Mr. and Mrs. Sept. Good, of Flesherton, who celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding day on Tuesday last.

Blown Over.

The brick gabling in Mr. Fred. Ryder's new house in Flesherton—which was nearly completed—was blown over on the North side by the heavy winds of Tuesday evening last. The loss will be considerable.

Notice.

Those ordering Oyster Suppers at Beecroft's Restaurant will please do so a few hours before the required time, that is, when the oysters are required late in the evening. The best Oysters obtainable always in stock during the season.

New Livery.

Mr. W. H. Johnston has started a first-class livery in the stand opposite Munshaw's Hotel, Flesherton, where the travelling public can be accommodated with good vehicles and horses at very reasonable prices. Mr. Johnston will devote his whole time and attention to the business, and as this is considered a most excellent centre for a good livery, we have no doubt that he will be largely patronized.

Thanksgiving.

Special service was held in the Presbyterian church, Flesherton, on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day. Rev. A Wilson addressed some plain, practical, common sense remarks to his hearers, showing that it is not only our privilege but also our duty to return thanks to the Lord; and not only that, but we should always consult our Creator in those things pertaining to our daily avocations. "Seek first the kingdom of heaven and its righteousness and all other things shall be added unto you."

The Only Twin There Was.

O'Kelly—That choild there, he is a twin. See what a foine lad he is to be sure.

Barr—Indeed. Where is the other one?

O'Kelly—What ither wan?

Barr—The other twin.

O'Kelly—Shure an' that was the on'y wan there was, be jabers. Did ye think there wor a duzzen?

PROF. MORGAN & FAIRY!

A Flesherton Audience Royally Entertained on Thanksgiving Day.

It was not a large audience which assembled in the Town Hall, Flesherton, last Thursday evening, but it was a most select and appreciative one. The boisterous weather prevented many, especially of the gentler sex, from attending. Never was a Flesherton audience more royally entertained by two persons than on the occasion named. Professor Morgan possesses a very sweet, clear, and well cultured voice, of much depth and power. He is both a professor of music and of elocution. Miss Fairy Morgan may well be called the "wonderful child vocalist." Hers is a voice remarkable alike for its sweetness and softness, its compass, depth and power. She can modulate the tones of her exquisite voice with such precision that it will just fill—with sweetest melody—the smallest drawing room or parlor, or the largest music hall.

On this occasion the Professor and his charming and accomplished little daughter were greeted with a perfect storm of applause—which continued with little cessation from first to last. Encores were enthusiastically called, and altho' both the Professor and Fairy were suffering from cold—contracted while driving through a cold, pelting rain, from the depot the evening previous—they very good-naturedly and gracefully responded. It does seem surprising, that two persons should be able to entertain an audience for nearly two hours, and hold the closest attention throughout But it was so; and interest instead of flagging in the least seemed to increase as solos, duets, &c., were rapidly but carefully gone through with. Flesherton Lacrosse Club deserves all credit for bringing such superior talent to our town.

Prof. Morgan and Fairy will be in Dundalk until the 2nd or 3rd of January next, when they will return to Flesherton for a few weeks, in order to prepare for another grand musical entertainment, in which many of our vocalists will be asked to take part, and of which due notice will be given later on. The Professor is a Christian gentleman, with a manly, frank countenance, dignified and courteous in demeanor, and only 37 years of age. He has been blind since he was 14 years old and has never seen his wife or children. His wonderfully gifted daughter, Fairy—who is really a musical prodigy—exhibited the most striking vocal powers when only three and a half years old. Both Professor and Fairy will be ctrdially welcomed by the people of Flesherton and neighborhood when next they visit us.

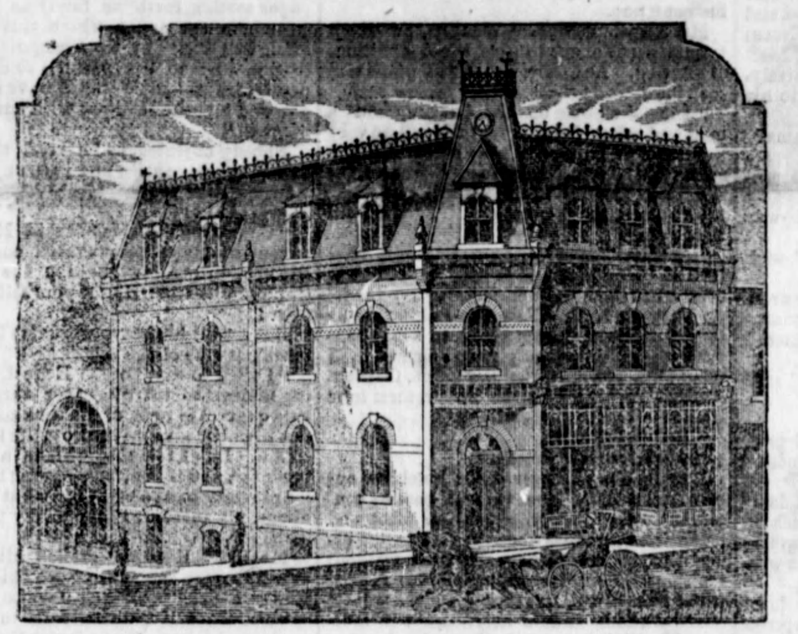
Prof. and Fairy Morgan at the Churches.

Unusually large congregations were attracted to the Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, Flesherton, last Sunday morning, afternoon and evening respectively, by the presence of Prof. Morgan and Fairy at each of the services named. At the evening service the Prof. sang "Pray, Brethren, Pray," and Fairy sang "Are you Coming Home To-Night," with great earnestness and power. Many people were deeply and profoundly moved by the persuasive eloquence of the singing of these charming and gifted vocalists.

Our Table.

Forest and Farm is the name of a journal published in Toronto by Charles Stark, and devoted to "Field, Sports and Farming Interests." The initial number was issued the week before last and is a very creditable one indeed. Mr. W. W. Fox, late of the Toronto *Mail* staff, is editor. Subscription price $1 per year.

The *Farmer's Advocate* seems to increase in interests the older it grows, and is a welcome visitor in the homes of thousands of intelligent, progressive agriculturists. It is published by Mr. Wm. Weld, London, Ont.



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