GEO. MITCHELL,
BANKER,
FLESHERTON.

DRAFTS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Special Attention paid to the collection of Notes and Accounts, 2nd door North of Richardson & Co's.

Vicinity Chips.

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious.

Dr. Sinclair's Visit.

Dr. Sinclair, the well known and popular specialist, of Toronto, will be at the Munshaw House, Flesherton, on Wednesday, March 19th. We invite the suffering to note the day. Give the Doctor a call, who will inform you beyond doubt what the matter is if he cannot cure you. Consultation free.

Hare hunting ends on Saturday the 15th inst.

Richardson's clearing sale is going on this week.

The cattle fair on Monday was not largely attended.

Look out for McDonald & Evans' new advertisement next week.

Missionary sermons in the Methodist church next Sunday. Rev. John Shaw will preach.

Rev. John Shaw, of Toronto, will occupy the Methodist pulpit on Sunday next, morning and evening.

Call and see my sap pails before purchasing elsewhere, and you will buy no others. JAS. SULLIVAN.

Mrs. Thos. Leitch has returned from Owen Sound, where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Moore.

A meeting for the purpose of forming an Equal Rights Association will be held in the Town Hall to-night (Thursday). See bills.

A large number of farmers and others visited the C.P.R. exhibition car at the station on Monday. All pronounced the show a good one.

I. B. Lucas, barrister, of the firm Bishop & Lucas, Owen Sound, is at the office of Wm. Lucas, & Co., in Markdale, every Friday, and in Dundalk every Saturday.

The following speaks for itself :

Mr. J. Artley,

DEAR SIR,—In answer to your enquiry asking how I like the pump you put in my well 50 feet deep, I must say that I am well pleased with it. It works so easy my little girl 7 years old can pump with it. L. J. WILLIAMSON.

Eugenia, March 3, 1890.

Flesherton's ice supply has been secured in good shape, and while other towns mourn a deficiency in this respect, we can look forward to our usual enjoyable summer's supply of ice, ice cream, cramps and other things.

A meeting of Centre Grey Farmers' Institute will be held at Thornbury Tomorrow (Friday) when Prof. James, Ontario Agricultural College, and Prof. Robertson of the Dominion experimental farm will be present and deliver addresses.

Mr. P. Loucks, of the Little Mill, added, last week, a second bolt to his mill and now professes to do such work as is not found in Western Ontario. Just take a grist to him and see what pretty flour you will be able to take home.

As intimated last week, the remains of the late J. J. Bulmer were brought from Marshall, Mich., where they had been laid at rest until Mrs. Bulmer should go for them. This she did and arrived home on Thursday last with the body. The remains were followed to the cemetery by a large number of friends and sympathizers.

Residence Burned.

The residence of Mr. Samuel McNight, Epping, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning. The building was of frame. Full particulars are not to hand.

Did Not Pay.

Flesherton Dramatic Company (R. T. of T.) have had a hard row to hoe this winter with their drama, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," the first two occasions on which they presented it being very stormy, and the receipts below what they should be. Then on Friday of last week they drove to Kimberley and gave it in the new public hall to a small but highly appreciative audience. The proceeds amounted to $14.35. The drive was a very pleasant one and the company's spirits ran high, so that a jolly time was had, even if it did not pay from a financial standpoint.

Don't forget the Glee Club concert on Monday, the 31st March. A very fine program of quartetts, duets, solos, recitations, etc., will be presented and you may expect a treat. See posters next week.

New Barber Shop.

Mr. Robt. Mackey has opened a barber shop in Moore's block, Flesherton, where customers will be treated well. See his advertisement next week and in the meantime call in and get a shave.

A Minister Subpœnaed.

Those in this vicinity who were acquainted with Rev. J. S. Corcoran will read the following despatch from Ottawa with interest :

"A return presented to-day, recites the trouble which the authorities of the Cape Croker band of Indians, county of Bruce, have had to prevent the supplying of liquor to some of the Indians by certain hotelkeepers at Wiarton. One hotelkeeper named Colclough, against whom a conviction was secured, subpœnaed Rev. J. S. Corcoran, missionary on the reserve, to give evidence in his behalf, and the councillors in a letter to the Superintendent-General enter a most energetic protest against the minister's conduct."

Two Curiosities.

Numberless are the curious epitaphs which have been placed upon tombstones. While many of those published are possibly fictitious, here is one of curious manufacture, the truthfullness of which we vouch for. It is to be found above the grave of one Humphrey Shaw, a blacksmith, at Belchford churchyard, Belchford, England, and was furnished us by a friend who lately visited the Old Country :

My smithy and hammer lies declined,
My bellows, too, have lost their wind ;
My fire is extinguished, forge decayed,
And in the dust my vice is laid.
My coal is spent, my iron gone,
The last nail drove—my work is done.

HUMPHREY V. SHAW

Who died at Belchford in 1760.

The other curiosity which we have to offer is a copy of a school teacher's agreement, written eighteen or twenty years age. As a specimen of composition it does not reflect high credit upon the teaching fraternity of that date. The writer taught school near Flesherton about the date mentioned, and an old ex-trustee provides us with the original copy of agreement which we publish exactly as it was written, but suppressing the name as the lady is still living :

AGREEMENT.

A conditonel Arement between — — & and the Trustees of No 2 School first that the Sade — — shall open the School on the 2nd Day of Januryand, Teach up to the 15 with out any clame on for wadges providing She do not then recevd a Sacend class Certificate and if the Sade — — recive a Second class She Bindes herlsef to Teach the Sade School one year for forty pounds from the time of opening

Dated this 11th Day of Dec — —

Artemesia Council.

Council met in the Town Hall on Monday, 3rd inst. All members present, the Reeve in the chair. The following communications were read : Auditors' report of the Treasurers acct. with the township for the year ending Dec. 31, 1889 ; petition from Dugald McLean and others asking commutation of statute labor tax to 50 cents per day to be paid in money ; from County Treasurer, showing lands in the Township of Artemesia liable to be sold for taxes.

The following accounts were received and ordered to be paid : C. W. Rutledge, stationery, $11.15 ; M. Riley repairs to road scraper, $1.00 ; R. J. Sproule, postage, $2.90 ; Mrs. Thompson bread for indigent, $3.30.

The petition for commutation of statuate labor tax from Priceville brought out a strong deputation against it in the person of Mr. M. Riley, which deputation, however, did not succeed in burking the measure. It was moved by Messrs. McArthur and Sharp that the petition of Dougald McLean and twenty-two others be entertained, and that leave be granted to introduce a bylaw commuting statute labor in Divisions No. 34 and 35 in the village of Priceville. Carried.

Bylaws No. 458, appointing pathmasters, fenceviewers, etc., and 459 re commutation of statute labor, were introduced and read a second time.

A communication was read from Mr. John Lyons stating that at next meeting of Council he would present a petition from certain ratepayers of S. S. Nos. 3, 4 and 7, asking Council to pass a bylaw to form a new school section in the neighborhood of Tyrone.

Moved by J. G. Thompson, seconded by W. Sharp, that the clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify parties interested in the change of S. S. No. 3, 4 and 7 as per notice of John Lyons. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Boland and Thompson that the sum of thirteen dollars and seventy cents be loaned to Flesherton statute labor divisions being extra expenditure during the year, to be repaid in the fall. Also the sum of $3.30 to Mrs. Thompson for bread for Widow Hanley to 3rd of March, 1890. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Sharp and Thompson, that J. Stinson be paid $2.50 for removing jamb at Saugeen bridge on gravel road. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. McArthur and Boland, that the auditors' report as finally audited by the special committee be adopted, and that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to have the assets and liabilities published in the Flesherton Advance. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. McArthur and Sharp, that the Reeve issue his order in favor of James Brodie and R. J. Sproule for $10 each, as payment as auditors for the year 1890. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. McArthur and Sharp, that the report of special committee re Treasurers' security be adopted. Carried. This report was to the effect that the securities were found sufficient.

Council adjourned.

Bylaw No. 458 appoints the following officers :

OVERSEERS.

Geo. Drew, A. S. Irving, Wm. Burnett, H. Purvis, Thos. Peroson, Frank Chard, Wm. Mitchell, Thorp Wright, Geo. Moore, Geo. Ludlow, Richard Ludlow, sr., Alex Mercer, sr., David Foster, W. J. McCormic, Jacob Holley, Thos. Clark, Robt. McGruther, John Pedlar, Thos. Henry, John McNally, James Cornfield, James Love, Geo. Hutchinson, H. C. Wilson, James McNichol, J. A. Kannady, F. Cairns, Thos. Snell, Donald McKenzie, John Bentham, Joseph Watson, Wm. Parks, S. J. Morrow, C. C. James, Joseph Aussum, Wm. Waters, Malcolm McDougal, W. Williamson, C. Vaudnau, Thos. Taylor, jr., Alex. McLain, James Knox, Wm. N. Grey, James Vause, Donald Kennedy, Donald Stewart, Alex. Muir, John McNevin, Wm. Patterson, Richard Whittaker, A. Kenny, Samuel Badgerow, W. H. Hemphill, James Ryan, John Porteous, John English, J. W. Heath, Jacob Holley, jr., Geo. Parks, sr., Wm. Cameron, Wm. Wilson, Geo. Murphy, Robt. Shaw, Thos. Dunlop, J. Lattimor, W. Armstrong, John Linely, Joseph Downes, Robt. Sewell, Sam Martin, Robert Carruthers, John Wilhams, Robert Campbell, Geo. Bowles, M. Richardson and D. Blair, A. McInnes, John Andrus.

FENCEVIEWERS.

Ward No. 1,—Richard Whittaker, Joseph Aussum, Donald McMullen, Alex. Muir, Dugal Currie.

Ward No. 2,—H. D. Irwin, Robert Shannon, Wm. Blair, Wm. Hill.

Ward No. 3,—Geo. Moore, Geo. Stewart, Charles Bellamy, Ed. Ross.

Ward No. 4,—W. H. Hemphill, Johathan Hicklin, J. B. Sloan, Robt. Jenoe.

POUNDKEEPERS.

Ward No. 1,—Joseph Cairns, Michael Reilly.
Ward No. 2,—Robt. Wright.
Ward No. 3,—A. Munshaw.
Ward No. 4,—John Braniff.

Delays are Dangerous.

MR. EDITOR:—It is a well known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of cattarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive head ache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchil tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy—delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers—it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price—50c for small or $1 for large size bottles, by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF
Receipts and Disbursements
—FOR THE—
Township of Artemesia for 1889

RECEIPTS.

Jan. 1.—To balance on hand	$ 2418 61		
" —To taxes on roll collected for 1888	287 08		
" —To taxes on rolls for 1889	10786 59		
" —To County Treasurer N. R. L. Fund	363 16		
" —To trustees S. section No. 12 Artemesia and Glenelg	144 00		
Fines collected	8 00		
Received for rents for Town Hall	15 00		
Miscellaneous receipts	1798 67		
			$15816.11

DISBURSEMENTS.

By paid County Treasurer school equivalent	$ 495 00		
By paid County Treasurer county rates	3129 40		
			$3624 09
By paid Ward No. 1	$ 72 00		
do do 2	182 60		
do do 3	174 54		
do do 4	160 26		
		$539 40	
By paid school sections trustee's rates		$5170 80	
do Council sessions		138 30	
do Indigents		181 00	
do on account of Debentures and Coupons		1129 00	
do Salaries		435 50	
do Miscellaneous		2134 72	
do Printing and stationery		97 68	
Balance on hand		2365 31	
		$15816 11	

ASSETS.

Dec. 31,—By uncollected taxes Ward No. 1	$ 36 92		
" 31,— do do 3	868 39		
" 31,— do do 4	102 64		
" 31.—By cash in Treasurer's hands	2365 31		
" 31,—By cash in bank debenture acct. less $800.00 lent school section No. 5	3899 62		
By loaned school section No. 5	800 00		
By non-resident land fund (estimated)	400 00		
By real estate including Town Hall	800 00		
By half interest in safe	50 00		
By uncontrollable assets, debentures, accounts	4172 24		
			$12995.12

LIABILITIES.

To school debentures not matured	$8450 00	
To school equivalent	497 00	
To unpaid salaries, coupons, etc	800 00	
To assets over liabilities	3748 12	
		$12995 12

Treasurer's Office
February 19th, 1890.

JAMES BRODIE, } Auditors.
R. J. SPROULE, }

—AT THE—
F-L-E-S-H-E-R-T-O-N
FURNITURE WAREROOMS,
Durham street, Flesherton,

Is the right place to get your Furniture, Musical instruments, Sewing Machines, or Undertaking. Remember, it is no trouble for us to show goods and quote prices. Remember, we take all kinds of green or dry lumber as cash. Remember that our interests being so identified with the farmers, we are content for this season to conduct our business in every branch on the smallest possible profits. Why pay 40 or 45 dollars for a Sewing Machine when you can get the best machine possible to be built for $30. We have on hand two of those justly famed Woodstock Organs, quite new, to be sold at prices that will astonish you See here: A 11 stop organ with two full setts of reeds, in solid walnut case, handsomely finished, standing 6ft. 4in. high, for $70. Our Furniture is all away down in price. Come and see us and be convinced that we are offering more real bargains than any other house in the county. All kinds of Repairing promptly attended to. For pictures and picture framing we need not speak, as it is known this is headquarters.

J. E. MOORE.

LOOK ! LOOK !
Sap Pails !

Call and see my sap pails before purchasing elsewhere, and you will buy no others.

A large assortment of

Milk Pans and Pails, Cream cans

All kinds of old metal taken in exchange, also wool pickings, brass and copper.

SULLIVAN
The Tinsmith.

—THE—
LITTLE MILL.

Having entirely renovated my mill during the past year, putting in a large amount of new machinery, I am now prepared to grind flour in a manner second to no miller in Ontario, and on the shortest notice.

OLD TERMS :

Every twelfth bushel. Seven cents per bag of two bushels for chopping.
Done every day.

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