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On Thursday and Friday last the eight-
teenth annual meeting of the South Grey
Teachers' Institute was held in the school
house, Flesherton. Shortly after ten
o'clock President Dixon opened by read-
ing and prayer, after which the minutes
of the last meeting were read and con-
firmed.

The President then delivered an interest-
ing and original address in which he took
a retrospective view of the origin, growth
and development of the Institute. There
were difficulties at first in getting teach-
ers to attend and many meetings were
scarcely represented. To day, how-
ever, owing to changes made in the
relations, every teacher is legally obliged
to be in attendance. In referring to the
interest that trustees should have, but
fail to show, in attending teachers'
meetings, Mr. Dixon thought that good
might be done by using part of the funds
of the Institute to give as prizes to trust-
ees for essays, etc. The address was
discussed and favorably commented on
by many of the teachers present.

The afternoon session opened with a
paper on Vocal Music read by Mr. Bright,
the principal of Markdale public schools.
The essayist, like other advocates of
musical culture, claims that only those
whose vocal organs are in some way de-
fective are incapable of learning to sing.
The tonic sol-fa system came in for a
large measure of praise and the discipli-
nary value of music is sufficient to entitle
it to a place in our schools.

The Rev. John Wells, M.A., addressed
the convention for more than an hour on
"Our Public Schools." The address was
brim full of good things, and the master-
ful style, eloquent language, faultless
syntax, as well as his earnestness, and
thorough appreciation of the importance
of the subject with which he had to deal
could not fail to impress any impressi-
onable teacher with a higher estimate of
the nobility of his work. Education was
shown to be many sided, dealing with
the intellectual, physical and moral as-
pects of the human being, cultivating the
intelligence, emotion and volition. The
teacher must have a higher ideal of his
work than merely to cram the mind with
facts; it is his duty to aim at the develop-
ment of all that is best and noblest in
man. The teacher stands in the relation
of a parent to his pupils and should be
sympathetic in his dealings towards them.
The right to educate belongs to all, the
parent, the state and the church, and it
is the right and duty of the state to make
provision for the education of its citizens;
to train teachers, to compel parents to
educate their children, to provide a
minimum of the kind of instruction
deemed necessary by the majority of its
citizens, and having furnished the tools,
give such instruction as may enable us to
use them in the most efficient manner.
Our public schools militate against caste,
inasmuch as the poorest Canadian may
be trained to fill any position in life, in
fact they enable any one with ordinary
ability to be what God intended that he
should be. Mr. Wells had the rapt atten-
tion of the audience throughout and it
is believed that many of his useful hints
will germinate and take root in the hearts
of the teachers and thence send forth such
illuminations that the whole community
will be benefited.

"Psychology of Number" was next
taken up by Dr. McLellan, who, we
earnestly believe, has done more towards
revolutionizing educational methods than
any other man in Canada. No man with
anything less than a soulless soul in him
can stand in the presence of the Doctor,
witness the evidences of his profound
knowledge, his profound reverence for
sacred things and his unparalleled ability
to bring himself into sympathy with the
untrained mind of the little child, with-
out feeling a love and reverence for the
man who has, by his indomitable energy,
risen from a humble life to occupy one of
the highest positions in the educational
world. We cannot fail to believe that
his presence amongst us will at least in-
spire many of the community to rise to a
higher intellectual and spiritual life.

In dealing with his subject, "The Psy-
chology of Number," he first defines it to
be "an orderly account of thinking num-
ber" and intimates that every subject has

its psychology. Number is not (1) a
sense fact, (2) a thing or object or a col-
lection of objects, (3) a property of a
thing, (4) a perception of things, (5) an
impression made on the mind by external
energies.

Number is a rational process, not from
things but put into things. Number
comes from measurement, the two factors
in the process being discrimination and
relation—analysis and synthesis. The
subject, though new and difficult was
rendered most interesting by the skillful
manner in which it was presented by Dr.
McLellan.

"Temperance in Schools" was next in-
troduced by the Rev. Mr. McVicar, of
Dromore. The temperance outlined in
the text-book dealt chiefly with the use
of spirituous liquors and narcotics. Tem-
perance in its broadest sense teaches
rational self-control. Ruskin's definition
is, "Temperance is the power of governing
interest energy." We should teach the
evils of acquiring any unnatural appetite.
Show how to control and subject the
desire of the mind—ambitious desires,
wealth, pleasure, honor and power, may
be intemperate in character and therefore
evil. We should make use of history
and literature in pointing out the evils
resulting from abnormal mental desires.

In its restricted sense temperance may
be regarded as abstinence from strong
drink, and should have a place in the
public school curriculum. Education
develops the powers; Temperance is one
of the powers, hence temperance should
be taught in our schools. Again, tem-
perance should be taught because of the
ravages of intemperance in the human
family. The remedies prescribed were,
(1) prohibition, (2) education. Educa-
tion is necessary even if we have prohibi-
tion, hence through teaching temper-
ance children should be fortified against
the evils of intemperance. The neces-
sary requisites are (1) a thorough knowl-
edge on the part of the teacher regarding
the evil effects of intemperance on the
human system, (2) the teacher should him-
self be temperate, (3) the teacher should
have originality in methods of presentation
of the subject as well as a knowledge of
how others teach. The address through-
out was practical and good and showed
evidence of a thoughtful preparation of
the subject.

The hearty thanks of the association
were tendered Messrs. Wells and Mc-
Vicar when the meeting adjourned.

In the evening crowds of teachers and
citizens were seen wending their way to
the Town Hall to enjoy the beautiful re-
citation by Miss Lou Armstrong, a charm-
ing song by Miss Richardson, two excel-
lent vocal selections by Mrs. Blackburn
and an unusually interesting address by
Dr. McLellan, who of course, was the
great attraction of the evening. The
lecture on "Moral culture through litera-
ture" occupied about an hour and a half,
yet no one grew weary. The Dr. is well
known in this village and though he de-
livered excellent addresses on previous
occasions, his reputation as a public speak-
er on this occasion strengthens his pre-
vious masterly efforts and further endears
him in the hearts of the citizens of Fle-
sherton. Our much esteemed townsman,
Mr. Joseph Blackburn, who, we regret to
say, has for more than five years been an
invalid, was carried on his stretcher to
the hall and thoroughly enjoyed the en-
tertainment of the evening. This speaks
volumes for Mr. Blackburn's high opinion
of Dr. McLellan.

Dr. Christie occupied the chair in his
usually happy style and Miss Christie,
ever willing to assist in every good cause,
presided at the organ. The band, too, so
free in giving their services on all similar
occasions, discoursed their sweet musical
strains at the hall.

Mr. Richardson moved a highly com-
plimentary vote of thanks to Dr. McLellan,
which was ably seconded by the Rev. Mr.
Wells, both gentlemen speaking in un-
qualified terms of praise regarding the
moral excellence of the lecture. Votes
of thanks were also tendered all who aided
in the program and the meeting was
closed about eleven o'clock when the
whole audience entered heartily into the
singing of the National Anthem.

After the meeting opened on Friday
morning the financial report of the secre-
tary treasurer was read and adopted, the
funds on hand at the beginning of the
present year being \$183.99, after which a
resolution was adopted allowing rebates
of about forty per cent. on several educa-
tional papers and periodicals.

Mr. J. A. Graham next read an excel-
lent essay on "The teacher in and out of
school," showing the essential moral qual-
ities of the teacher to be patience, hope-
fulness, cheerfulness, sympathy and af-
fection, and kindness. At the earnest
solicitation of the association Mr. Graham
allowed the publication of the essay in
"The Educational Journal," a paper very
extensively read by the teachers of the
inspectorate.

Miss Johnston, of Flesherton Station,
next read an admirable essay on "Esthetic
culture" which was highly appreciated by
the association. The writer shows rare
ability as an essayist, and the purity of
diction, and lofty sentiment expressed
in her paper are but external evidences
of the internal love of the beautiful that,
by her teaching, will permeate the minds
of the little ones committed to her charge.
Miss Johnston was highly complimented.

Mr. Brough, of Owen Sound Collegiate
Institute, read an admirable paper on
"Vertical writing," claiming for it the fol-
lowing point of excellence. (1) More
legible, (2) more easily acquired, (3) re-
quires no shading, (4) more easily taught,
(5) better for business, (6) gaining favor
with bookkeepers and businessmen gener-
ally.

The remarks were pointed and will no
doubt find many to adopt this purely
legible system of penmanship.
Dr. McLellan next took up the subject

of literature in prose and poetry, giving
very many valuable hints on how to deal
with the subject.

Mr. Blakeston, of Priceville, gave some
good hints on the teaching of botany and
how to teach it. He regretted, however,
that the true educational and esthetic
value of botany as a subject had, in the
very nature of things, to be made sub-
servient to its examination value.

Mr. Glendinning, of Dundalk, very
ably criticized the proposed changes in
the school regulations relating to the
studies to be pursued particularly in the
departmental examinations. Mr. Camp-
bell continued the observations of Mr.
Glendinning after which several resolu-
tions, memorializing the Minister of Edu-
cation, were passed.

Dr. McLellan continued the subject of
literature.

Mr. Mills, of Durham, illustrated his
method of solving problems in commercial
arithmetic.

The officers elected were as follows,
viz: President, Mr. J. A. Graham; first
vice president, Miss Slack; second vice
president, Miss Minnie Johnston; secre-
tary-treasurer, Mr. W. Irwin. Manage-
ment, Messrs. Blakeston, Mills, Hanna
and the Misses Coleridge and Ford.

It was decided to hold a meeting in
Durham during the autumn, after which
the convention closed with the National
Anthem.

CONVENTION NOTES.

Mr. Ramage,
of the "Grey
Review," for
many years a
teacher in South
Grey, was pres-
ent at the con-
vention.

No umbrellas
were required.



BRO. GLENDINNING

of the Dundalk Herald, Mr. Dixon of
Bonnessan, and Mr. Whiteford of No.
9, Artemesia, wheeled in on their bikes.

Mr. Gilray, of Epping, and Messrs.
Graham and Johnston, of Vandeleur,
were also in attendance.

The citizens of Flesherton were largely
represented during the first day.

The children of Flesherton school gave
a few songs and recitations on Thursday
afternoon.

One young lady said she would not
miss Dr. McLellan's lecture for a dollar,
and a citizen was heard to say that he
would willingly give two dollars to have
his daughter present.

Editor Thurston, of The Advance, was
not present on the first day. We noticed
him at the evening lecture and during
the forenoon of the second day he, being
called by Editor Glendinning made a few
remarks on vertical writing. It is well
known that both editors are artistic pen-
men though they are too modest to say
so.

Mr. J. W. Frost of Owen Sound, was
present
The roads were good and the weather
fine.

Mr. Blakeston is developing rapidly
into an interesting public speaker. We
hope his ambition will not lead him into
politics; he is needed as a teacher.

Mr. Brough, of Owen Sound, consid-
ered this the best convention he had ever
attended.

The Markets.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Flour.....	\$ 5 00 to	\$ 5 00
Fall Wheat.....	to	
Spring Wheat.....	to	
Barley.....	31 to	31
Oats.....	36 to	37
Peas.....	to	
Butter.....	11 to	12
Eggs, fresh.....	9 to	9
Potatoes bag.....	50 to	50
Pork.....	5 00 to	5 15
Hay per ton.....	9 00 to	10 00
Hides.....	3 00 to	3 00
Sheepskins.....	25 to	25
Geese.....	6 to	6
Turkeys.....	8 to	8
Chickens per pair.....	25 to	40
Ducks per pair.....	40 to	50
Wool.....	17 to	20

To Smokers

To meet the wishes of their customers The
Geo. E. Tuckett & Son Co., Ltd., Hamilton,
Ont., have placed upon the market

A Combination Plug of

"T & B"
SMOKING TOBACCO

This supplies a long felt want, giving
the consumer one 20 cent plug,
or a ten cent piece or a 5 cent piece
of the famous "T & B" brand of
pure Virginia Tobacco.

The tin tag "T & B" is on every piece.

Binder Twine for Sale.

The Farmers' Binder Twine Co., Brantford,
will supply outdoor twine, red star, 7 1/2 and blue
star, 6 cents per pound. 1 of a cent per pound
discount for cash. Leave your order with our
Flesherton agent, Mr. Thorp Wright,
JACKIE STRAIFORD, Pres.

BULL FOR SERVICE

The undersigned has a first class thorough-
bred Durham bull for service on lots 167-168, T.
& S. E. Artemesia. This is a first class animal
and the pedigree can be seen on application;
Terms \$1. A reduction will be made for any-
thing over six cows.
JOHNSON & HARRISON,
Proprietors.
J261m

BOAR FOR SERVICE.

Thoroughbred Berkshire Boar for service on
lot 141, 3rd con. west, Artemesia. Terms \$1.
Pedigree can be seen by applying to the pro-
prietor.
THOS. SNELL,
Flesherton Station.

STRAYED.

Strayed from lot No. 2, con. 4, Euphrasia, on
or about 10th of May, one small sized, gray
steer, three years old. Any information lead-
ing to his whereabouts will be thankfully re-
ceived.
JAMES STUART,
Kimberley P. O.

WANTED A good man in your district to
represent the Fonthill Nurser-
ies of Canada. Over 700 acres. The largest in
the Dominion. Position permanent. Salary
or commission to right man.
With the increasing demand for fruit a pos-
ition with us as salesman will pay you better
than engaging in farm work. Send us your
application and we will show you how to earn
good money.
School teachers! its just the thing for you
during the summer. Write for particulars.
STONE & WELLINGTON, Toronto, Ont.

Nails Away Down

The building season is at hand, and I
have decided to supply any quantity of
nails at the lowest prices ever seen. Read
the following quotations:
3 inch cut nails, \$2.25 per 100 pounds.
4 " " " \$2.20 " " "
5 " " " \$2.15 " " "
6 " " " \$2.10 " " "
Shingle nails \$2.64 " " "
Wire nails, 3 in. \$3.00 " " "

Garden Tools.

Hoes, 25 cts. and up.
Spades 60 cts.
Shovels, square and round 60 cts.
Rakes garden 40 cts. and up.
Manure forks, 4 prong . . . 60 cts.

Miscellaneous.

Annealed wire, No. 11, \$2.40 per 100 lb.
" " " No. 12, \$2.50 " "
Barb wire \$3.40 " "
Cable truss wire . . . \$4.75 " "
Fencing plyers 50
Daisy churns, No. 3 . . \$3.50
Creamery cans 75
Factory cans, 25 gal.,
broad hoop . . . \$3.75

Milk pans, pails, fly screens, window
curtains, and everything in the hardware
line at equally low quotations to rush
business. Call in and see me. I want to
make your acquaintance.

Flesherton Hardware Emporium.
F. G. Karstedt Prop.

JUDICIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Re Walsh, Butler v. Walsh.

Pursuant to a judgment of the High Court of
Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter
of the estate of THOMAS WALSH, deceased, and
in a cause Butler v. Walsh, the creditors of
Thomas Walsh, late of the township of Arte-
mesia, in the county of Grey, farmer, deceased,
who died on or about the third day of May, A.D.
1884, are on or before the

6th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1895,

to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Lucas &
Wright, Owen Sound, Ont., solicitors for the
plaintiff herein, their christian and surnames,
addresses and descriptions, the full particulars
of their claims, a statement of their accounts
and the nature of their security (if any) held by
them; or in default thereof they will be pro-
sutorily excluded from the benefit of the said
judgment.

Every creditor holding any security is to pro-
duce the same before me at my chambers at
the Court House, in the town of Owen Sound, on
Saturday, the 13th day of July, A.D. 1895,
at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, be-
ing the time appointed for adjudication on the
claims.

DUNCAN MORRISON,
Local Master at Owen Sound.
Dated this 31st day of May, A.D. 1895 [J26-51n

BUY YOUR
Harness
NOW

GOOD STOCK
WORKMANSHIP
LOW PRICES.

Curry Combs, Brushes, Harness Dressing,
Sleigh Bells, Goat and Cowhide
Robes, Axle Grease, Blanks,
and everything in my line
constantly on hand.

Leave orders early as we are always
rushed in the fall season.

W. Moore - Harnessmaker
FLESHERTON.

Relief in 6 Hours.—Distressing Kid-
ney and Bladder diseases relieved in six
hours by the "Great South American
Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a
great surprise and delight on account of
its exceeding promptness in relieving pain
in the bladder, kidneys, back and every
part of the urinary passages in male or fe-
male. It relieves retention of pain in
passing it almost immediately. If you
want quick relief and cure this is your
remedy. Sold by W. E. Richardson,
Druggist.

Something
New

Richardson's Summer Sale of

Prints
AND
Cottons

COMMENCING THIS WEEK.

500 yds. Dark Prints, Fast Colors
for 4 1/2 cents per yard.

500 Men's Cotton Seamless Socks,
3 pairs for 25 cents.

360 Full Sized Ladies' Black Cotton
Hose, 4 pairs for 25 cents.

Piles of ends of Prints and Dress-
goods clearing at half prices.

A Grand Bargain Lot of

MEN'S
TWEED
PANTS

\$1.25 Per Pair.

M. RICHARDSON
& Co.



Hardware Dept.

ROAD WORK

Is starting. How are you fixed for
a good shovel? We have the best
values ever offered in solid steel shov-
els at 50, 60 and 75 cents. It will
pay you to see them.

Wheat is Advancing

But our prices on cut and wire nails
and other hardware are getting lower.
Don't fail to get them before buying.

Just Arrived

1000 lbs. oiled and annealed fence
wire. Barb wire and cable truss al-
ways on hand at lowest prices.

Don't Place

Your order for binder twine until
you have seen ours as we have the
best and cheapest twines on the mar-
ket.

M. Richardson & Co.