

**Banking Office of
GEO. MITCHELL**

FLESHERTON
A general banking business transacted. Drafts issued and cheques cashed at usual rates. Money always available for legitimate business enterprise. Office two doors north of Richardson & Co's.

Vicinity Chips.

**Characteristics of the Past Week
Carefully Culled for the
Curious.**

Business notices among locals will be charged at the rate of 10c per line for each insertion. A reduction will be made on contracts for 100 lines or over.

To-day, Thursday, is Thanksgiving day. All places of business are closed.

M. Richardson & Co's advertisement is particularly worth reading this week.

Dog skins, coon skins, etc., tanned and manufactured into mitts. Mitts on hand for sale all the time. W. Bathhouse.

In spite of the high price of leather, Claytons are selling boots cheap as ever while this stock lasts. Try them.

The Methodist and Presbyterian Sabbath schools are busily engaged preparing for their annual holiday anniversaries.

To-day, Thursday, is Thanksgiving day. Service will be held by the united churches in the Baptist chapel at 11 a. m.

Don't be in a hurry to buy your footwear until you have seen Clayton's stock. They have got just what will suit you in quality and price.

Lost—Fox hound, bitch, black and greyish tan, answers to the name of Fleet. Finder please communicate with W. H. Allen, Flesherton P. O.

200 tubs of choice butter wanted at highest market prices for cash. Also roll butter, hides, tallow and sheep skins. John Runstadler, Flesherton.

Mr. Will Bellamy has opened a shoe-making shop at Eugenia, next door to H. Cairns' store. Repairing a specialty. The public will please take note.

Be sure and have your sale bills printed at this office. The free notice of sale given with such in the paper is always considered of more value than the bills.

Purse lost—Lost on Monday evening between this office and the postoffice, a purse containing between fifteen and seventeen dollars. Finder please leave at Advance office.

Mr. W. Irwin, principal of the public school, has sold his house and two lots in this village to Mr. Will Richardson, son of Mr. Henry Richardson, for the sum of \$700 cash.

The hunters returned from Muskoka on Saturday, each individual being the proud possessor of one deer. They report having had a very pleasant time. Deer were plentiful and hunters more so.

The demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor in such wide-separated regions as South America, Spain, Australia, and India has kept pace with the home consumption, which goes to show that these people know a good thing when they try it.

Another bee was held on the agricultural ground on Monday under the foremanship of Secretary Sproule and A. Munshaw, Esq., when a large amount of levelling, etc., was done. This is commendable work. May the promoters and partakers reap their reward.

You may eat cheap food and not be seriously hurt by it; but you cannot take cheap medicines without positive injury. If you use any substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, you do so at the peril of your health, perhaps of your life. Insist on having Ayer's and others.

We are in a position to offer the Weekly Globe and Advance one year for only one dollar and forty cents. This is a marvelous reduction in reading matter and should bring in subscribers by the hundred. New subscribers get the benefit of the remainder of this year free.

Shooting match—A shooting match will be held on the premises of the undersigned, lot 161 and 162, Artemesia, on the Toronto and Sydenham Road, 1 1/2 miles south of Flesherton, on Wednesday, Nov. 27. A large quantity of turkeys and other fowl. T. Hutchinson

Through a typographical error the last of the series of letters from Tennessee in last week's Advance was signed "T. H. Bellamy." It should have read F. H. Bellamy. Mr. Frank Bellamy was

the author of these letters which have been read with much interest by our many readers.

We understand that a movement is on foot to secure a new postoffice at Farewell Corners, in Egremont. That district appears to be laboring under a great inconvenience in not having a postoffice nearer than Drumore, four miles away, and therefore is certainly deserving of some consideration in that line from the government. Mr. Geo. A. Watson is, we believe, the prime mover in this affair and has sent in a petition to the Postmaster General asking for the boon.

Mr. A. Sherson of Proton Station spent three days last week hunting near Parry Sound. While travelling through the bush one day Abe came across what he took to be a cow's track. Following up the track for some distance he came suddenly upon the "cow." It was a huge moose which stood looking at him. The animal was not molested, but Mr. Sherson says it was the temptation of a lifetime. There were three in the party and during three days' hunting six deer were captured.

A local judge at Smith's Falls has given the corporation of that town a hint which it has acted upon and which is likely to prove valuable. He advised the civic authorities to forestall all actions for damages from defective sidewalks by having a standing advertisement in the local papers requesting all persons finding broken planks to promptly report the fact to the street inspector. How would this plan work with regard to townships? Would it not be well for township councils to adopt the same plan?

An agent of the Cosgrove Concert Company was in town on Friday but could not get any society to take them up, consequently the Cosgrove Concert Company will not honor this town with a visit. Flesherton people have about decided, anyway, that this thing of guaranteeing a good round sum for every show that comes along is altogether a one-sided arrangement, and they have generally discovered that all the money is absorbed by the show. The show-people of to day must think they have lit upon the golden age. They can accurately count their gains in advance and are never haunted by the fear of being stranded—at least in country places, where we clodhoppers cheerfully guarantee all expenses and a surplus. This thing is getting run to death, and it is high time that our people relied more upon their own home talent and retained the good times for home consumption.

It is with deep sorrow we this week chronicle the death of Mr. Alexander Brown, for many years postmaster of Priceville, which sad event occurred on Saturday last. Mr. Brown was born in Mull, Argyshire, Scotland, 68 years ago, and came to this country about 43 years since, settling in the township of Bentinck, where he was indentified with township matters in the capacity of assessor and collector for several years, after which he moved into the town of Durham, where he kept a general store and afterwards worked in the registry office. About twenty years ago he removed with his family to Priceville where he has ever since held the position of postmaster. Of late years Mr. Brown has been very feeble and the duties of the office have devolved upon his daughter, who has given eminent satisfaction to the public. Mr. Brown was an intelligent and well read man, honest and upright, and a staunch member of the Presbyterian church. The funeral on Monday was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Rocky Saugeen cemetery, whence his aged partner preceded him only a few months ago.

Cheap Reading Matter

By a glance at our clubbing list it will be seen that our subscribers can get their reading matter cheaper than ever this year. Think of the weekly Globe and Advance being given for only \$1.40! Or the daily World and Advance one year for only \$2.55. Choose your reading matter early, because thus you get greater value for your money.

A Popular Weekly

Among Canadian newspapers the commanding position occupied by The Toronto Globe is universally acknowledged. In enterprise it is unrivalled, as a news distributor it has no equal, as a leader of public opinion it exercises an influence that is felt from one end of the Dominion to the other. The Weekly Globe, with its varied departments—agricultural, commercial, serial stories, cable and general news, editorial and special articles

—makes a most excellent home paper, and is deservedly popular in all parts of the country.

Resolution of Condolence

At the November meeting of the quarterly official board of the Methodist church, Flesherton, held Nov. 4th, 1895, the following resolution was passed with instruction to the secretary to convey to Bro. J. W. Armstrong:

Moved by W. Douglas, seconded by W. G. Shannon, That this Quarterly Official Board tender to Brother J. W. Armstrong, recording steward, our deep sympathy with him in his long and severe affliction with the hope that his life may be spared and that he may be restored to some measure of his wonted usefulness in the church which he has served so well, so faithfully and so long.

Signed on behalf of the Board,
WILLIAM CLAYTON,
Secy pro tem.

PERSONALS.

Master Geo. Berry of Lucknow is looking after Mr. W. Armstrong's jewelry business during the latter's absence in Toronto.

Miss Edith Bannon, of Proton Station, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. Armstrong.

Miss Morrison and Miss Russel of Duntroon are the guests of Mr. D. Mackenzie, of the west back line, and other friends.

Mr. Fred Lyman (butcher) of Toronto, spent a few days last week with his brother-in-law, Mr. Mark Wilson.

Miss Sargeant of Barrie was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Flesher, during the past week.

Died.

GIMBY—In Markdale, on Nov. 11, Mrs. Gimby, mother of Mrs. Thos. Boland, aged 70 years.

ARCHIBSON—In Artemesia, on Tuesday, Nov. 12, Jessie, daughter of Thomas Archibson, aged 14 years 8 mos.

Married.

WILTSHIRE—LYONS—On Wed., Nov. 6, by the Rev. E. A. Harrison, at the residence of the bride's mother, Miss Rachel M. Lyons to Wm. Wiltshire, both of the Township of Proton.

Our Clubbing List

For the convenience of our readers who wish to secure more than one paper we have made the following clubbing arrangements:

- Advance and Toronto morning World, daily \$2.55
- Advance and Montreal Star 1.80
- Advance and Farming, the new farmers' magazine 1.80
- Advance and Youths' Companion (new) 2.35
- Advance and Daily News 1.80
- Advance and Weekly Mail 1.40
- Advance and Farm and Fireside 1.40
- Advance and Weekly Globe 1.40

We can also give reduced rates on many periodicals not named in the above list. Let us know what you want.

Our suggestion of a poor-house for the counties of Grey and Simcoe commends itself to the inhabitants of both these counties because it can be conducted with greater efficiency than separate institutions could be managed and at very nearly half the expense. Besides these two counties lie side by side being divided by a merely imaginary line. The condition of the people on both sides of the line are practically the same, so that they could share in its expense and in its advantages without difficulty. The cost of land and buildings for the united counties would probably be little more than for each alone. The institution could be so located as to be easy of access from each of the counties as there are several locations along or near the dividing line that could be secured and would prove suitable and salubrious.—Collingwood Bulletin.

They are great on names in Collingwood Township. Four sections are called as follows: Gibraltar, Paradise, Germany and Egypt. Adjoining in Euphrasia is a district called Rome. The choice is certainly varied enough, and should prove satisfactory for intending tourists. Even the most ambitious traveller should be content with doing up Gibraltar, Germany, Egypt and Rome in a day, and stopping over night at Paradise.—Enterprise.

The Markets.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

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| Flour..... | \$3 40 to | \$3 40 |
| Oats | 23 to | 24 |
| Peas | 48 to | 50 |
| Butter | 14 to | 15 |
| Eggs, fresh | 14 to | 15 |
| Potatoes bag | 30 to | 30 |
| Pork | 450 to | 450 |
| Hay per ton | 15 00 to | 15 00 |
| Hides | 4 00 to | 5 00 |
| Sheepskins | 25 to | 50 |
| Geese | 4 to | 5 |
| Turkeys | 6 to | 6 |
| Chickens per pair..... | 20 to | 30 |
| Ducks per pair | 40 to | 50 |
| Wool..... | 20 to | 24 |

Skaters

Now that winter is approaching and the skating season is at hand it is time to buy good strong footwear. We have a large stock to choose from at prices as low as the lowest. Call at

CLAYTON'S

Clearing Sale

Having decided to clear out my entire stock I will offer you goods at the following discounts until all is sold:

- 25 % off Mantles
- 25 % off Boys' Overcoats
- 25 % off Youth's "
- 25 % off Men's "
- 20 % off Furs
- 15 to 20 % off Tweeds
- 12 1/2 % off Boots & Shoes
- 20 % off Dress Goods
- 50 % off Millinery
- Groceries away down

Teas worth 30c for 25c, Tomatoes 8c. per can, Black Pepper 12c. per lb., Christie's Biscuits 22c. per box. All other lines equally low. Don't fail to call and get bargains.

N.B.—All book accounts must be settled by Dec. 1.

T. Hill - Flesherton

TESTIMONIAL

OSPREY, SEPT. 23, 1895

Mr. D. Blair:

DEAR SIR—I am pleased to state that the cart I bought from you gives me entire satisfaction. I believe it to be as easy to ride in as a buggy. The sliding seat is a great advantage as it can be made in a moment to balance with either one or two persons, and I can recommend it to any person wanting a first-class cart.

JOHN CLINTON.

We have

=: THE SNAPS :=

In Woollen Goods

Men's heavy union shirts and drawers, 69c. per suit; men's extra superior all wool shirts and drawers, \$1.04 per suit; men's Scotch all wool shirts and drawers \$1.89 per suit. These lines, also many others, we have bought at a big reduction. At the above prices you are buying for less than the usual wholesale prices and for less than many retail merchants have paid for them this season. Wool is higher this year than last, yet our prices are far below the prices of last year.

All wool 5lb. blankets, \$1.74 per pair. All wool factory flannel, 23 1/2 cts. per yd. Grey flannel in all qualities at all prices.

Come and save your \$ by buying at Calhoun's.

CALHOUN'S - - DUNDALK

P. S.—Remember that the above prices include presentage.

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A Talk ABOUT Parlor ... Furniture

We have it in great variety at the Flesherton Furniture Ware-rooms, and at 1895 prices. Do not let the common cry of close times tempt you to think that further delay is necessary. It is the very reverse. See here! we have beautiful plush suites such as were in 1890 exceptional value at \$65, we are offering to-day at \$35. We have the best rugg parlor suite ever brought into this section. Would be considered good value anywhere at \$90. We are offering to-day at \$30. We have a large line of fancy odd pieces of chairs and lounges in plush, rattan, reed and tapestry at equally close prices. Music eisals, fancy tables, whatnots, organs, pictures and other parlor requisites, all at close cut prices. Picture framing and undertaking as usual.

J.E. MOORE - Flesherton Furniture Warerooms.