Vicinity Chips

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

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

Fresh oysters and lemons at Barnhouse's.

Mr. W. Stewart has removed to Weston.

We have had the very pink of winter weather for the past week.

Cutter for sale—a bargain—new. Apply to F. Cole, Flesherton.

Division Court will be held in Dundalk on Friday of next week, 19th inst.

Remember the Orange concert at Eugenia on Thursday evening next, Feb. 18

Residence to let in Kimberley, ½ acre of land. Apply to J. Henderson, Kimberley.

There were registered with Registrar W J. Bellamy in 1896, 85 births, 22 marriages and 29 deaths.

Woolner and McLeod of Collingwood won 1st and 2nd in the skating race at Owen Sound last week.

S. Duckworth of Grand Valley was fined $100 and given a month's imprisonment for having an illicit still in his possession

Mitt lost—One day last week between the station and village, a new black dog skin mitt. Finder kindly leave at this office.

Large quantities of cordwood and timber of all kinds continue to come in. Very little grain is being put on the market this week.

Mr. Wm. Allan, of Egremont, Patron candidate in last Dominion election, was a caller at this office on Tuesday. Mrs. Allan accompanied him.

The editor of the Hanover Post advertises for wood on subscriptions. We wish he would come over and get about forty cords of ours.

Mr. Hector Kennedy of Salem, who was so seriously injured in a runaway last fall, has so far recovered that he was able to drive into town on Tuesday.

Oats chopped in five bag lots and upwards at 4 cents per bag for 60 days. A quantity of dry maple flooring cheap for cash at Wilson's planing mill, Eugenia.

Sock for sale—Nineteen cows, superior animals, four of them half Jersey; also five young bulls, thoroughbred Durham. First comes first served. James Bell, Lauriston.

Rev. Wm. McGregor, Baptist pastor of Durham, was a welcome caller one day last week. The pleasant duty which called him to town will be discovered on reading the marriage corner.

Mr. Fred Legard has employed a gentleman from Toronto named Wilson to run his shaving parlor for a time. Mr. Wilson took the reins on Saturday and proved himself an artist in his line.

We understand that Mr B. McDonald has failed to get a settlement with his creditors and the stock will be sold. We feel sorry for this, as Mr. McDonald had the confidence of the public, is a good citizen and an honest, upright man in every respect.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter of the district of Artemesia will open in Dr. Christoe's hall, Flesherton, on Sunday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m. All business in connection with Chapter will be suspended till the adjourned meeting, which will be held during the week. S. Sheardown, W. C.C.; J. A. Dodds, Scribe.

We want correspondents at Proton Station, Kimberley, Swinton Park, Markdale and Dundalk. For terms apply by letter or otherwise and do it right away. At some of these points we thought we had correspondents, but their continued neglect of duty forces us to make a change. Anyone who will undertake these light and pleasent duties should communicate at once.

There will be a carnival on the Flesherton covered rink on Wednesday evening of next week, when a large number of of good prizes are offered for competition. As this is the first of the season there will, no doubt, be a large turnout, and lots of fun. See bills for full particulars. The admission is placed at the small figure of 15 and 10 cents.

"The Maple Leaf." The Canadian Home Home Journal for February is of special interest to Canadians, containing among many other bright features a half tone portrait and sketch of Mr Alexander Muir, as well as his popular patriotic song "The Maple Leaf Forever," words and music complete. Sample copy 10 cents, yearly subscriptons $1.00, which will be received at this office.

Following are the officers of Flesherton Lodge, A.O.U.W., for 1897: M. W., Price Teeter; Foreman, J. A. Blakeley; Overseer, Geo. Johnston; Recorder, A. M. Gibson; Financier, W. J. Bellamy; Receiver, A S. Vandusen; Guide, John Blackburn; I W., Jas. Chard; O. W., I. Sinclair; Trustee, Wm Wright; Representative to Grand Dodge, W. H. Walker. This Lodge has a membership of 43, and is in a good working condition. The cost on $2000 insurance in 1896 was $14. The Grand Lodge meets at Toronto on the 19th inst. Bro. W. H. Walker will no doubt make his influence felt in that body.

A Great Offer.

Those who suffer from catarrh can try the most successful remedy in the world without paying one cent in advance. Call on our representative in Flesherton and you will be given a Germicide Inhaler. Give it a fair trial at your home and if successful you can pay $3 for same, if not no charge will be made. This grand remedy is prompt, pleasant and permanent, and cures catarrh where all else fails. For remedy on above liberal terms call at Richardson's drug store, Flesherton, Saturday, Feb. 20, and you will be given the remedy on trial without having to pay anything in advance. Remember the date. Those who cannot call, address Medical Inhalation Co., Ltd. Toronto, Ont.

Flesherton Public School

Following is the standing of the pupils in this school, in order of merit for January.

V class—John Hill, Eva Rutledge, Blanche Hamilton, M. Vanzant, F. Richardson, C. Strain, F. Strain.

IV class—Ida Gjerdrum, Vera Tomlinson, Bert Crossley. Alf. Moore, H. Stewart, C. Sullivan, Amy Kerr, R. Smith, T. Smith, J. Richardson, J. Gibson, E. Trimble.

III sr.—Wm. Swanton, Wesley Davis, E. Bellamy, Mina Beatie, Geo. McCormick, Steele VanDusen, Reg. Smith, Art. Wardrobe, Geo. Sloan, M. Munshaw.

III jr.—Bert Barnhouse, Harold Smith, Flossie Thurston, Roy Hamilton, Chas. Sullivan, Rita Vanzant, Stella Loucks, Carlton Bellamy, Myrtle Thurston, Mabal Munshaw, Chas. Hales, Sarah Moorehouse, Mabel Moore, Herb. Staples, Alex. Gibson, Wilda Crossley, May Hales, John Teeter, Clara Beattie, Mina Bellamy, Bert Flesher, Geo. Moorehouse, Percy Bellamy, Ed. Sloan, Linda Flesher.

J. TOMLINSON, Principal.

Form 2. Names in order of merit.

II sr.—Fred Lever, Chelta McCalmon, Albert Legard, Ethel Whitten, Percy Trimble, Rob. Thompson, Ida Sullivan, Willie Hales, George McGruther, Walter Loucks, Charlie Ottewell, Nellie Hopps, Clara Spence, Fred Stewart, Maggie Moorehouse, Emerson Wickens, Alva Petch.

II jr.—Ella Barnhouse, Millie Crossley, Katie Taylor, Tom Davis, Mamie Sullivan, Willie Williamson, Lottie Moore.

Pt II—Charlie McGruther, Charlie Thompson, Lily Baker, Lou Teeter, Stella McCalmon, Roy Flesher, Harry Sloan.

F. I. IRWIN, Teacher.

Honor roll for January, Maxwell public school.

Com. Class — Mabel Strachan, W. Schenniman, Miles Heron.

IV sr.—J. Morrison, C. Ferguson, G. Buckingham, W. Deavitt.

IV jr.—A. McCallum, Fred Long, Susie Legate, Hattie Morrison.

III sr.—Wilbur Legate, Wm. Fenwick, Louis Kerton.

III jr.—A. D. Deavitt, Jas. Guy, Elijah Buckingham.

Remember the Date! Feb. 20th

Those who have Catarrh and who call on the above date, will be given a Germicide Inhaler, and medicine, for the cure of that disease without having to pay one cent in advance. After a fair trial at your own home, and the remedy proves successful $3 can be remitted us to pay the same. If not satisfactory in every respect, the Inhaler can be returned at our expense, and no charge will be made. We have thousands of letters from all sorts and conditions of men and women, telling of cures, not only remarkable, but in many cases miraculous. Bring no money with you, just leave your name and address, and our representative will give you the remedy on above liberal terms by calling at

RICHARDSON'S Durgstore, Flesherton, Dec. 19th.

This offer good on above date only.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the *hour and time of need.*

Is prepared in two degrees of strength.

No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.

No. 2 for special cases—10 degrees stronger—sold by druggists. One box, Three Dollars; two boxes, Five Dollars.

No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company, Windsor, Ontario.

Sold in Flesherton and everywhere in Canada by all responsible druggists.

Properties FOR SALE

—BY—

R. J. SPROULE, FLESHERTON

IF YOU WISH TO BUY PROPERTY CONSULT THIS SPACE

FOR SALE cheap and on easy terms, one mile from Flesherton, 9½ acres land and on which is a good 7 rooms frame dwelling, well and comfortably finished stone celler underneath, and good well and pump in kitchen, good frame stable and driving house, also brick lined hen house, small orchard commencing to bear. Apply to R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton.

A DEAD BARGAIN if sold during present month Two improved farms, one a mile from Priceville and the other same distance from Wareham. Small payment down, balance on VERY easy terms. Also a hundred and fifty acre farm and mill site one mile from Flesherton, principally hardwood bush, 25 acres cleared and frame dwelling and stable. Any person wanting a decided bargain apply quick to above.

II sr.—Florence Meek, Alex McEachine, Ethel Buckingham.

Pt. II—John Fenwick, Russel Morrison, Fred Fenwick.

I sr.—Carrie Pallister, Wendell Phillips, Lorne Meek.

I jr.—Maudie Guy, Thos Beatty, Jas. Beatty.

W. MCWHINNEY, Teacher.

Honor roll S. S No. 7, Artemesia.

IV—Donald McMillan, Ethel Gowland, Wm Turner.

III—Wm. Burnet, Wm. Maxwell, Wm McMillan.

II sr.—L. Burnet.

II jr.—Leonard Maxwell, Dougald McPhail, Katie McLean

Pt. II sr—Joe whyte, John Oliver, Howard Maxwell.

Pt. II jr.—Katie McPhail, Nellie Meads, Willie Currie.

I sr.—Bella McMillan, Robbie Oliver, Janet Whyte.

I jr.—John Meads, Willie Whyte.

Average attendance for January, 22.

JOHN A. MCLEOD, Teacher

Diphtheria is quite prevalent in the township of Amaranth.

Several Dundalk young people attended the skating rink on Tuesday evening.

Wiarton Methodists have followed in the wake of those of Flesherton. They have put in stained glass windows and have ordered from a Toronto firm a fine new pipe organ

Bro. Glendinning of the Dundalk Herald has the county printing for this year. We sincerely hope he will make something out of it, but if he does he will be the first man on record who has. This work is generally done for the love of work alone, not lucre.

T. H. Hill, East Luther, fell eighteen feet from a haymow to the threshing floor with a lighted lantern in his hand. The lantern was fortunately extinguished in the descent. Hill was pickedup some time afterwards in an insensible condition with his left arm broken and a bad cut in the cheek.

Our Stock is Going Fast!

But our Great Bargains are Still with us.

Our Genuine Clearing Sale is giving the people of this section such opportunities as they seldom get. It will not be wise to forget this point We still take TRADE or CASH and have put prices away down.

Come in and Participate in the Good Things Going

It is useless to quote prices as everything is so far below usual selling prices that everybody is more than surprised. We beg to thank the many customers who have called upon us and would respectfully invite others to come in and share the bounties.

T. HILL, FLESHERTON

CLAYTON

BOOT and SHOE Dealer

HAS ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Rubbers, Overshoes Boots, Slippers and Seasonable Goods

Selling very Cheap. Custom Work to Order. Repairing Promptly attended to.

STOCK-TAKING - - -

Sale of Furniture

SIXTEEN (16) DAYS' SLAUGHTERING OF PRICES previous to STOCK-TAKING. During this sale we have cut off all profits. Think what this means to you. EVERYTHING in our large and well assorted stock of

Furniture . . .

PICTURES, BLINDS, CURTAIN POLES. In fact everything needed in the home of rich or poor, from the kitchen to the most artistic drawing-room requisites, at absolute cost for 16 days or till February 1st when we commence to take stock.

J. E. MOORE

The People's House Furnisher, Picture Framer and Undertaker

Public Notice

NOTICE is hereby given forbidding any person or persons trespassing on or cutting, interfering with or removing any timber off lots 23, on the 9th and 10th concession, Artemesia, and lots 143, 144 and 145 as any and all persons doing so will be prosecuted according to law.

R. J. SPROULE. Agent, Flesherton.

December, 15, '96.

Logs Wanted

Real Rock elm logs are as follows: 15 inch in small end and cut 11 feet, 13 feet, 14 feet, 15 feet and 16 feet. Price, $5 per 1000 feet. Maple logs 21 inches and upwards. Small end cut 12 feet plump. Price of maple, $6 per 1000 ft. Cash paid for logs. Logs must be perfect.

EDWALD SARGENT, Flesherton Station.