Flesherton Advance.

"TRUTH BEFORE FAVOR."—"PRINCIPLES NOT MEN."

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WATCHES AND CLOCKS.

An overflowing stock which we are desirous of reducing this month. Come in, examine and get prices. You will be surprised at the bargains.

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Dundalk.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. S. Bell has been very dangerously ill with inflammation of the lungs but at time of writing (Tuesday morning) is some better.

Mr. J. White, foreman for C. E. Noble & Co., is very ill at present.

Mr. Vance is taking a carload of horses to the west for Mr. Geo. Sharp. Also Mr. Jno. McDowell is taking a load for a friend of his. They start to-day (Tuesday.)

Miss Helena Rutledge of Flesherton was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Messrs. Bowler, Elliott and Benson of Markdale were in town on Friday.

The English church concert held on Friday last was a genuine success in every particular.

Eugenia

From Our Own Correspondent.

At present the roas are in a bad condition on account of the soft weather.

Quite a few of our young people are going off to other parts. The Misses Marian Bell and Alice Gordon have gone to Mont Clair, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carr and Henry Weber have gone to Arcola, N.W.T. We are sorry to see so many dear friends going away, but hope prosperity will attend them wherever they may be. Miss Reenie Munshaw has gone to visit friends in Toronto for a few weeks.

A goodly number of our young people went to the valley on Friday evening to attend the oyster supper and dance given by the Foresters at Mr. Weber's and report a good time.

Miss Evelina Smith has gone to Meaford high school. Miss Abbie McMullen is going to Toronto to attend business college. Mr. Laurie Munshaw is also going to the city to attend business college. There seems to be a migration amongst our young people Some of our young men are wearing pretty sorrowful looking faces, but it serves them right for being so slow.

Miss Georgie Smith is learning the dressmaking in Flesherton. Miss Beatrice Walker and Miss Maggie Wilson are also going to Flesherton to learn dressmaking.

During the mild weather last week Mr. George Graham's people of the valley tapped their trees and had a good run of sap for boiling.

Priceville

From Our Own Correspondent

Mrs. Grier spent a few days in Dundalk last week.

Mr. J. H. Cameron left here on Friday last to take a position in Toronto. We wish John success.

Mrs. Jos. Aussum is visiting friends in Durham and vicinity.

Miss Minnie Watters returned to Hamilton on Thursday, after spending a month's holidays at her home, O. D. R.

Mr. Corbett of Mt. Forest was in town ast week.

Miss W. Stover of Durham is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Sidney Blakeston, O. D. R., held an auction sale of farm stock and implements on Saturday. Sid. intends going to the West soon, and is taking a load of heavy horses.

Miss Maggie Dow came home from Toronto last week, suffering from rheumatism. Mrs. W. Meads is also laid up with the same disease. We hope to hear of their speedy recovery.

On Monday, Feb. 24, Mr. Donald Currie passed away at his home, south line, Artemesia. Deceased had been ailing for over a year. The funeral process on on Wednesday was one of the largest ever seen in this part, there being over one hundred vehicles. The procession was headed by members of the S. O. S. camp of Priceville, of which body deceased was a member. This community lost in Mr. Currie one of its best men. He was superintendent of the Presbyterian Sabbath school here for a number of years, giving it up a year ago on account of ill health. The S. S. scholars gathered at the church, where the funeral service was preached, and then marched in a body to the cemetery. He always lived an upright and Christian life, and has gone to his reward. We join in extending our sympathy with the rest of the people of this community to the bereaved family.

Spring Assizes.

Bibby vs Euphrasia This case occupied the time of court on Tuesday, and nearly all day on Wednesday. A misunderstanding had resulted as to the remuneration for attending a smallpox patient. The jury in answer to a series of questions, found that the bargain was for seven dollars a day, and they considered twenty-five days a reasonable time of attendance. They allowed thirty dollars for loss of clothing. On the other hand, Mr. Fawcett, one of the health authorities, claimed a verbal agreement for seven dollars a day as long as a physician's services were required; and they notified him that his services would be no longer necessary after twelve days. A long list of questions were submitted to the jury and were answered mainly in favor of the plaintiff. MacKay & Sampson for the plaintiff; Lucas, Wright & McArdle, defendents.

Dillon vs Mutual Reserve Insurance Co. This action was brought by the widow of John Dillon of Euphrasia to recover the value of an insurance policy of $2,000 taken by Provincial Provident Institution and transferred to the Mutual Reserve. The defense was misrepresentation in the application as to the state of health and age of insured Several questions were submitted to the jury by the presiding justice and were answered in favor of the plaintiff I. B. Lucas of Lucas, Wright & McArdle for plaintiff; Geo. T. Blackstock for defendents.

King vs Walters. This was the only criminal case in the docket. William Walters was accused of rape, the alleged victim being a young 17 year old girl named Helen Hastie. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty to night. H. L. Drayton of Toronto, was prosecuting attorney; Lucas, Wright & McArdle for the prisoner.

Hodson vs Currie—A breach of promise case. The parties are cousins and socially prominent, the defendant being a leading pillar in the church and Y. M. C. A. Correspondence had been carried on for several years and a very large number of letters were filed. The jury awarded damages of $675.

Moffatt v. Ballard—An action brought by the Moffatt Stove company of Weston against the defendant, a tailor residing in Markdale, to recover possession of certain premises in that village. The defendant claimed to occupy the same under a contract of purchase. Judgement was by consent entered whereby the defendant retains possession of the premises on payment of $650 to the plaintiff, each party to pay his own costs. Lindsey & Wadsworth, (Toronto,) for the plaintiffs; Lucas, Wright & McArdle for defendant.

News Items.

The breeders of dairy cattle in the United States are already beginning to prepare for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held in St. Louis in 1903. At the recent meeting of the American Ayrshire Breeders Associaton, held at Providence, R. I., it was voted to appropriate money from the treasury to pay the expense of placing a herd of Ayrshire cows in the breed test at that exposition, and a committee to take charge of the same. Canadian breeders who intend to exhibit at St. Louis should at once begin to prepare their stock, so that they will not be taken at a disadvantage when the time for this great international contest arrives.

A good many farmers in Eastern Ontario are still adhering to the very foolish policy of marketing hogs that are too light in weight, and quite unsuitable for packing purposes. The Geo. Matthews Company, Limited, report that during the month of the January the receipts of hogs graded as follows:—Selects 1398, lighs 1840, light fats 599, heavy fats 27, sows 40, stags 6, cripples 21, stores 123. A total of 4154 hogs, of which only 1398 or about 33 per cent. were suitable for the first class export bacon. If the trade in Canadian bacon is to be increased or even maintained at its present volume, it is absolutely necessary that only hogs of proper weight and quality be sent to the packing houses.

Honor Rolls

Honor roll for February, No. 9, Artemesia.

Class IV—John Carson, Lizzie Milligan, Bertie Magee, Bertie Jamieson, May Jamieson, Bertie Milligan, Mina Benson.

Class II sr—Oscar Trueman, Fred Trueman.

Class II jr—Ella Magee, Willie Milligan.

Part II—Ethel Trueman.

Part I, class III—Ernest Hopper, C. Jamieson and Jennie Carson, (equal,) N. Benson, Elwin Jamieson.

Class II—Nettie Trueman.

Class I—Wilford Magee, George Carson.

Average attendance 18.

LYDE MARSHALL
Teacher.

Standing of No. 6, Artemesia, for February.

5th sr.—Frank Harrow.

5th jr.—Richie Stone, Sadie Fletcher.

4th sr.—Nellie Butler, Wellington Whittaker, Frank Cairns, Annie Butler, George Cairns, Rossina Robinson, Mabel McArthur, Ethel Harrow, Kate Fletcher, Frank Butler, Rob Speers.

4th jr.—Ned Whittaker, Thos. Leo Butler, Wm. Fletcher, Hunter Harrow.

3rd class—Spurgeon Whittaker, John McArthur, Geo. McArthur, Rob Spicer, Johnny Cairns, Vina Hazard.

2nd class—Veronica Butler, Ruby Stone, Janet Fletcher, Anna Bell McLeod, Norman McLeod.

2nd part—Bert Whittaker, Willie McArthur, Maggie Boyce, Tommy McArthur, Pearl Cairns.

Part 1 sr.—Emma Whittaker, Tommy Spicer, Willie Spicer, Frosty Purdy, Harry Hazard, John Draper Hazard, Minnie McArthur, Stella Butler.

Part 1 jr.—Rita Boyde.

Average attendance 32.

JOHNSTON L. WOOD, Teacher.

Standing of Eugenia public school for the month of February.

Class V—Annie Wilson, Eva Turner.

Class IV—Ida Osborne, Charlie Smith, Daisy Smith, Fred Smith, Willie Wilson, Edna Madill, Virgie McMullen, Ada Turner, Sam Madill.

Class III—Fred Fisher, Weston Carr, Mabel Carr, Alex. Fisher, John Campbell, Edna Williams, Bertha Williams, H. Hopps, Tena Williams, Lyda Genoe.

P. H. BADGEROW.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT

Class II—Annie Napier, Albert Sloan, Ethel Hopps, Clara Latimer, Wilford Plantt, Alfred Genoe.

Senior Pt. II—Herbie Fisher, Jakie Sloan, Mary Jamieson, Wesley Plantt.

Junior Pt. II—Russell Park.

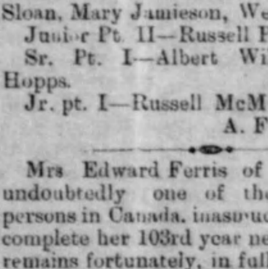
Sr. Pt. I—Albert Williams, Willie Hopps.

Jr. pt. I—Russell McMullen.

A. F. ROBINSON.

Mrs Edward Ferris of Whitfield, is undoubtedly one of the very oldest persons in Canada, inasmuch as she will complete her 103rd year next month. She remains fortunately, in full possession of her faculties and is still able to read without the aid of glasses, a privilege she enjoys to the full as she is fond of reading. Mrs. Ferris came to Canada in 1852 from near Enniskillen, County Fermanagh, Ireland and settled at Hall's Corners, County of Wentworth, and in 1854 moved to Mulmur, where she has resided continuously for half a century. She had a family of eleven sons and two daughters, while her decendants include 38 grandchildren and great grandchildren. She has also a relative living who is older than herself—an uncle who is 105 years of age.

Defective Glasses.



Glasses exactly right two years ago may be far from right to-day. The eyes change. We will examine your eyes free, and will only recommend a change if absolutely beneficial.

W. A. Armstrong,
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
FLESHERTON.

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MARKDALE, ONT.

STOCK-TAKING COMPLETED.

We have been working hard lately at stock-taking and took inventory on March 1st. We have yet got the sheets to extend and add to tell us the result of our year's labor. So far as volume of business done we are more than satisfied, the turnover for the past eleven months being the largest in this store's history. We thank the public for their liberal patronage. We have done our best to give our patrons the most satisfactory service and make all business transactions not only pleasant but profitable. We have been planning for months back for a larger business turnover for this coming year and promise you many startling values among the new spring goods. We are this week checking off, arranging and putting in stock our large imports from Messrs. Ryland & Sons, Manchester, England, besides the Canadian staples, clothing, carpets, boots, etc., are piling in from the Canadian manufacturers. We promise you not only the largest assortment but the best values ever seen in this store, and cordially invite you to come and inspect the new spring goods at your leisure. Our salesmen will be pleased to show goods and quote prices whether you wish to purchase or not. Come in and see us.

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