Baptist Church

FLESHERTON

PASTOR:—GEO. F. HURLBURT.

Service at 11 a.m each Lord's Day

Next Sunday—Pastor will preach.

Methodist = Church, Flesherton

PASTOR—Rev. S. Ivison Wilson

Services Sunday 11 a.m. & 7 p.m

Sunday, Aug. 30th 1903

Evening subject:—"A Lesson in Division."

Vicinity Chips

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

E. Fair & Co. of Collingwood have assigned.

Fresh lime always on hand. J. H. Duckett, Eugenia.

For best family flour and feed of all kinds, try W. Barnhouse.

Anything in the line of souvenir goods at special price at Sheppard's.

Girl wanted for general house work. Apply to Mrs. John Boyd.

Lap robe found. Apply to W. Caswell, gravel road.

For Sale—One Jersey cow 5 years old. Apply to A. S. Van Dusen, Flesherton.

Shingles for sale—1st and 2nd class Apply to N. McCannel, Proton Station.

For fresh oranges, lemons, bananas and other fruits, also tomatoes. Wm. Barnhouse.

Clayton is giving Big Bargains in Ladies' Oxfords and Strap Shoes. Call and see them before they are gone.

Anybody wanting anything in flannelette, or wrapperette should call and see the special values at Sheppard's.

Full lines of Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Telescopes always in stock at Clayton s.

Dr. J. O. Moore of Wilson, N. Y., wife and two children, visited last week with his brother W. Moore.

Mr. Sam Wilson, wife and family, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson.

Messrs. Fred Norris and H. Staples left on Monday for Collingwood to seek positions.

Car Windsor salt arrived at last. Come quick if you want a barrel—going fast. Boyd, Hickling & Co.

Opened at Sproule Crossley's & Co's., Flesherton, best X X X white wine pickling vinegars and mixed spices.

T. J. Sheppard has just passed into stock a fine assortment of ladies cloth jackets. All the new styles and special rates.

5 good village lots in one block in Flesherton, for sale cheap and on easy terms, must be sold. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

Mrs. Reid of Detroit, who has been visiting with relatives here, left last week to call on friends at Shelburne previous to returning to her home.

For sale cheap—1 Chatham fanning-mill and bagger and full sets of sieves complete, almost new. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

Mrs. Wilkes and children of Toronto after spending about three weeks with Mrs. Loucks returned to her home last week.

The Dundalk Herald sent out its first home printed issue since the fire last week It doesn't look as though even its whiskers had been scorched.

Summer Boots and Shoes selling off at greatly reduced prices at Clayton's. Men's Harvest Boots 90c. and $1.00 per pair. Ladies' Oxfords and Strap Shoes 75 and 90c. per pair

Mrs. Wm. Horton, who keeps the boarding house at Rockvale, was very agreeably surprised recently when her boarders presented her with a ten dollar purse in gratitude for the care with which she looked after their wants.

Mr. J. D. Howell, who sold his blacksmithshop at Dundalk to Mr. Jacob Williams and went to Winnipeg, returned last week and has retaken possession of the shop at Dundalk. Mr. Howell's family remains at the Sault for a visit.

The Methodist church will hold their anniversary services on Sept. 27. Rev. Wm. Johnston will preach morning and evening. Mr. Johnston was pastor, we believe, when the church was built twenty six years ago.

Mrs. Geo. Stewart, Mrs. E White and Mrs. J. Williams have gone to Buffalo to visit relatives for a month.

For all kinds of stationery, scribblers, pencils, writing material and blank notes, go to Sproule, Crossley & Co., Flesherton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Loucks and Miss Vera are spending a week with friends in in Collingwood and Elmvale.

Sproule, Crossley & Co. are receiving daily a large quantity tomatoes, oranges, lemons, peaches, pears and plums, and selling at lowest prices.

An Administrator's sale of farm stock and implements will be held on lot 17, con. 2 S. W. T & S. road, Artemesia, on Saturday, Sept. 5, at 10 o'clock. See bills for particulars. W. J. Caswell, administrator; R. J. Sproule, auctioneer.

Mrs. John Bellamy met with a bad accident on Sunday while driving near Inistoge. A boy was driving three horses along the road, one of which was blind. The blind animal ran into Mr. Bellamy's buggy and struck Mrs. Bellamy, cutting her forehead slightly. She has about recovered, however, but the shock to her nerves was not a pleasant one.

Mr. Robt. McGowan, miller, late of Priceville, died at Toronto, aged 74 years. The funeral took place last week at Durham. The deceased gentleman leaves the following sons and daughters:—John, William and Mary, of Durham; Robert at Rockmart, Georgia; Mrs. Lawdon' Toronto: and Mrs. Tunkin, Oshawa.

Rev. J. M. Simpson gave a free lecture on Monday evening to a small audience in the Methodist church, the subject being "God's Nation." Of course the English speaking races were identified as those referred to. Mr. Simpson was entertaining and instructive, and it is a pity that more did not avail themselves of the opportunity to be present.

The Advance understands that McFarland and Richards will not reopen their business in Dundalk, which was burned out recently. Mr. Richards is negotiating for the purchase of another business. Richie Bros. of Orangeville will take Mr. Richards' place in Dundalk and open out in the Nixon block. The rebuilding of the Bell block is again under way.

Mr. and Mrs. Corrigan returned from their wedding trip last week and have taken up their residence in the house recently occupied by the former on lot 31, con. 4, Artemesia. Mrs. Corrigan wishes to announce that she will be in a position to receive her lady friends on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, between the hours of two and three o'clock p m.

The Scottish Concert Kinnematograph Co. gave a choice entertainment in the town hall on Friday evening to a large audience. The affair was under the auspices of the Presbyterian church Ladies' Aid and netted a fine sum for the church. Miss Mary Burnett as a vocalist was appreciated here and the moving pictures were very fine. The audience was so thoroughly pleased that by request a repetition of the entertainment was given on Saturday evening with a change of program. Miss Burnett sang at the afternoon service in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, her selection being "Lead Kindly Light."

The shingle mill belonging to Messrs. W. and T. Phillips, which these boys are operating near Loucks' mill on the valley road, was burned down on Friday afternoon last. The fire was first noticed about 3 p. m. The mill had been in operation that forenoon, but both proprietors were away at the time of the fire. Some hundred dollar's worth of stock was also burned. While the saws were destroyed the machinery can still be made serviceable and the rejuvenating process is in operation. The boys had made the last payment on their mill the previous evening. There was no insurance. It is hard lines, but the brothers are not of a kind to sit down and "cry over spilt milk." They will tackle the old cow again.

It is not a pleasant sensation, while sleeping soundly in your stateroom on our great lakes, to be awakened from deep slumber by a bump, bump, scrape and bump, not knowing whether you are one or twenty miles from land, and supposing that you are on the rocks. This was the Advance man's experience last week. The steamer Windsor left Little Current between 9 and 10 o'clock Tuesday night. A heavy thunder storm was raging over the water and the night was black as ink. When about five miles from the Current, and one mile south of Strawberry light, the vessel ran into a large raft of logs which had been left in the steamboat channel without proper lights. She crossed the first boom logs and wormed her way through the raft to the opposite side where she stuck. The crew got out a lifeboat and rowed back to Little Current where a tug was secured and the Windsor was released with rudder broken off above water line, one flange of her wheel gone and another damaged. The tug was ordered to bring her to Owen Sound and essayed to do so, but Wednesday night, while crossing the channel not far from Lonely Island, the tug's machinery became disabled and from that on the disabled steamer towed the tug, while the tug steered the whole outfit. It was a choice experience, but one that would not bear repeating very frequently in ours, thank you.

Saunders—Whitten

A very pretty, but quiet wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon of last week at 3.40 p. m., when Miss Ethel Millicent Whitten of Toronto, daughter of Mr. Ed. Whitten, Flesherton, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Saunders of Sarnia, formerly of Toronto. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Rev. J. B. Kenedy, M. A., 171 Arthur Street, Rev. Darnicks, pastor of Beverly st. Baptist church, and also the Rev A. White were present. The bride looked very pretty, gowned in a white silk dress trimmed with white lace. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders will occupy their new residence in Toronto.

The Meaford High School

The management of the Meaford High School, in making their annual announcement, wish to state that the school has been again very successful in its year's work. EIGHTY-SEVEN PER CENT. of all recommended passed the various examinations.

The excellent reputation of this up-to-date school for teacher's certificate work has more than been sustained. In 1902, 22 out of 28 obtained Part II Junior Leaving certificates; this year the per centage was even better, viz., 16 out of 19, As a further illustration of the work done by its experienced staff, we may state that four out of the sixteen successful candidates obtained their certificates on one years attendance at the school, and one Senior Leaving candidate passed both Parts on seven months attendance.

There is no form of examination work done by the largest Coll. Inst. that this four-master High School is not successfully doing.

All parents, teachers and students who would like a copy of the handsomely-illustrated prospectus for 1903-1904, which in addition to being a beautiful souvenir of Meaford high school and its work, is also a compendium of useful information to all the various courses of study for 1904 and of the latest educational changes of vital interest to every teacher, this year and the years to come, can have one by sending name and address either to the Principal, J. L. Cornwell B. A., or to A. McK. Cameron, Sec'y-treas., Meaford, Ont.

Eleven cattle dealers' including several from towns in Bruce Co., have issued a writ for $20,000 damages against the Grand Trunk railway. The charge is discriminating against the Union Stock Yards at Toronto Junction in favor of the Toronto city cattle market. In the business of the transportation of cattle to the western market the railway market has practically no competition, and the shippers claim that in the effort to maintain this monopoly the company has discouraged in every possible manner the consignment of cattle to the Junction yards. When the Union Stock Yards opened, the railway company flatly refused to receive consignments to this market, but this action was disallowed by Hon. A. G. Blair, the Minister of Railways, to whom the skipper and the owners of the Junction yards appealed.

A few days ago we were shown a very strong evidence of how fires sometimes originate from a "cause unknown." John Livingston had been up to Dornoch, and while speaking to Merchant Hunt he was shown a box of matches. The brimstone was burned from every match in the box, and as the matches were of the kind that goes off with a flash, they may have been frightened away. It was fortunate, however, for Mr. Hunt that the whole place didn't go up in smoke. A circumstance like this will set a person thinking, and to us it seems a reminder of the necessity of keeping matches away from mice, in a metallic box or other safe place. We examined the box and have Mr. Hunt's testimony as to the genuineness of the occurrence.—Durham Chronicle.

Samuel Smith, a respectable man of about 60 years, was the victim of a terrible accident, which took place on the outskirts of Owen Sound on Monday. He was hauling a load of lumber with a horse and wagon and was going down the hill when the accident happened. The noise as of a runaway attracted the attention of a lady near by, who investigated, and found Mr. Smith horribly crushed between the front axle of the wagon and a tree, all one side of his head and face being crushed almost to a jelly. His left arm was broken above the elbow, and the limb which had been completely severed from the body, was found some thirty feet away with part of the shirt and coat sleeve around it. No one witnessed the terrible accident, but it is supposed that the deceased had the line wound around his arm when the horse ran, after the collision with the tree, as this would acount for the member being torn away.

To Consumptives.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with severe lung affection, and that dread disease **consumption**, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for **consumption, asthma, catarrh, bronchitis** and all throat and lung **maladies**. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing and may prove a blessing, will please address, Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Brooklyn, New York

T. J. SHEPPARD

Just Arrived

This week fifty piece of shakers Flannel, 30 pieces wrapperettes, a good supply of shirting and cottonade. Owing to a disagreement between some of the large mills, a fight arose between them on the price of shakers and wrapperettes. The result was some big cuts in prices for about two weeks. That fight is over now and prices have again advanced, but we were lucky enough to buy when prices were low, and we are prepared to give you some of the best values in those lines ever shown. Now is the time to buy.

Oil Cloths

We got in this week a full line of floor oil cloths, also table oil cloths in all widths and in good patterns.

Boots and Shoes

We have reecived another shipment of J. D. King & Co.'s celebrated boots—a good stock of Men's and Ladies' Goodyear welts to pick from.

Ready-to-Wear Clothing...

Our stock is full of good suits for Men and Boy's. We carry a large assortment and can give you value in any line.

Millinery To be cleared now, regardless of cost, so any lady wanting a hat can get one at her own price.

FLESHERTON

Headquarters for

Paints, Oils....

To those who have painting to do remember we are head quarters for

Pure White Lead and Paint Oil

We have also added this season the best Lubricating Oil to be got in the market. What we keep you will find the best.

W. E. Richardson, Flesherton

Farmers!

Prepare for a dry summer and sow the famous Essex Sowing Rape.

Anticipating your Needs

W. J. Douglass & Co. have a good stock of this famouns Eglish Rape—pure and fresh (not old stock) but guaranteed new stock, bought for spot cash and we are giving our customers the benefit.

We have also a good stock of choice

Compton's Early Corn

North Dakota White flint and Giant Prolific Sweet Ensilage, all bought for spot cash.

We solicit your patronage for pure Drugs, patent medicines, garden and field seeds, oil cake and house plants in bloom.

ALL NEW STOCK

W. J. DOUGLASS & CO.