METHODIST - CHURCH

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REV. S. I. WILSON, B. A., B. D., ... Pastor

The pastor will preach at each service.

Vicinity Chips

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

Girl wanted for general housework—Mrs. W. A. Armstrong, Flesherton.

Mr. H. C. Holmes, Boston, Mass., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hickling over Sunday.

Miss Maggie Caswell was home from Owen Sound for a few days to attend her aunt's wedding.

Master Charlie Holman, fourth line, visited with his grandmother, Mrs. P. Holman, over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Joy, who has been visiting friends in Toronto for a few weeks, has returned home.

Miss R. McKechnie, of Lion's Head, is the guest of Mr. ahd Mrs. D. Dow of Flesherton.

For Sale—Good brick house, 11 rooms—every convenience, with store, where a good paying business is now carried on; also 4 acres of land. W. Barnhouse.

Saturday was the coldest day of the winter in Winnipeg. The mercury dropped to 38 below zero.

Having decided to leave Flesherton I desire to have all accounts settled by March 1st. W. Barnhouse.

Remember the L. O. L. concert at Proton Station Friday evening of this week, 29 th inst.

Miss Bertha Hurd of Dominion City Manitoba, is visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Miss Park, Eugenia.

Notice—A note for $25, signed by Wm. Crozier in favor of Mathew Symons, due in March next, has either been lost or stolen, and the public is hereby warned against negotiating the same. John Symons.

Frame house for sale, in Flesherton, eight rooms together with three lots, good cellars, etc, For particulars apply to Miss Park, Flesherton, or R. Park, Eugenia.

The Wiarton beet sugar mill company has been in difficulties, but the company has been reorganized, new capital put in and the concern is likely to float along.

Government meteorologist MacKenzie of Owen Sound is authority for the statement that 92½ inches of snow had fallen up to Jan. 18. If snow did not pack down two thirds of its bulk we would be over head and ears in it.

The Presbyterian congregation here are negotiating for the purchase of a manse. It is likely that the handsome premises now occupied by the pastor, and owned by Mrs. Sykes, will be secured.

Wanted—Telegraph poles, peeled all the way through ; piles, R. R. ties, tanbark, wood of all kinds ; also all kinds of sawlogs. Highest market price for any quantity of above in cash. R. P. Legate & Co., Ceylon.

Wood Wanted—40 cords green beech and maple 3½ feet body wood to be delivered at the school house, Flesherton, not later than March 15, 1904. Tenders received up to the 20th inst. W. J. Bellamy, secretary.

The Proton Station L. O. L. Concert, which comes off on Friday evening of of this week, should not be overlooked. Dr. E. C. Murray, T. Benson and R. J. Pedlar, all good talent, will take part, and a grand evening's enjoyment may be expected. The admission is only 15 and 25 cents.

Owing to bad weather the Woman's Institute was unable to meet at the home of Mrs. Shire on Tuesday as announced. The meeting will be held in the Institute room, Flesherton, on Saturday next, Jan. 30, at 2 o'clock p. m. A full attendance of members is earnestly requested, and other ladies are cordially invited.

The Farmer's Advocate announces the sale by public auction of the Scotch Shorthorn herd owned by Mr. Thomas Mercer of Markdale. Mr. Mercer's herd is considered to be one of the best in the northwestern district of Ontario. The date of sale is fixed for Feb. 24 at Markdale, and will doubtless be well attended.

Prizes were given out at the Presbyterian Sabbath school on Sunday Jan. 17 as follows : George McTavish, for highest standing in the school and greatest number of verses recited. To Wilburt Chard and Charlie Thistlewaite for best attendance. Mrs. John Chard, who lives 1½ miles from the village, has not missed a session of the school for the past two years.

A lady living on one of our back streets wants to know why our police trustees do not keep the streets open. She finds it practically impossible to get through the snow to do shopping or get her mail.

The lectures of Miss Wiggins Wednesday of last week, were not largely attended. The lady is an interesting speaker, however, and worthy a much larger audience. She is working under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Orange Valley L.O.L. No. 509 held their election of officers on Jan. 5 for 1904 as follows : W M, John Gibson ; D M, Wm Speer ; Chap. Joseph Gibson; Rec Sec, W J Beaty; Fin Sec, D A Matheson ; Treas, R H Wright ; Lect, G Boyce ; Director of Ceremonies, F. J. Matheson ; Committee men, R. Burrell, Joseph Beaty, William Galbraith, John Boyce, James Irving.

Mr. R. L. Mortimer, proprietor of the Shelburne Free Press, who has been blind for nearly a year and a half from the effects of a cataract of the eye, and who underwent an operation has recovered his vision so that he can see to read the finest print with ease. We tender our hearty congratulations to Bro. Mortimer.

Mr. John Bradley of Egremont, who at one time lived with his parents here, captured a Wolfe one day last week. Her name is Lena and she is a daughter of Dr. Wolfe of Durham. The happy couple braved the horrors of a winter trip to Toronto, London and Hamilton for their wedding journey and on their return will live on the homestead at Orchard.

Mr. John McGowan, late of Kimberley but now proprietor of the Durham flour mills, met with a rather serious accident recently. The Chronicle says he was struck in the head by a rapidly moving belt which became detached from a pulley Mr. McGowan's face was badly cut and for a time he remained unconscious but we are pleased to learn that the accident will not prove fatal though the patient may be confined to his bed for some time.

A 12-year old lad of this town wrote to Premier Ross recently informing him that if he did not do something along temperance lines he would lose a lot of good Reform votes in this vicinity The premier replied very courteously to the youngster, informing him that he had been acting along the line suggested and before the session of Legislature was over he thought his correspondent would be convinced that his (Ross) policy would be the best for the country. But the assurance of a 12-year-old youngster tackling Ross would, as the girls say, "jar" you. And yet that is the kind of young manhood we need to develop in this country. The boy referred to will certainly get through life in no roundabout way.

A gentleman who is somewhat acquainted with hydraulics, points out that our remarks last week on the waterpower at Eugenia were slightly misleading. He says it would be possible to fill an eight, or even a fifteen-foot pipe with the quantity of water given, inasmuch as the water in the pipe would not be swiftly running water. It would be held in check as it would be in a dam or cistern and the force would be exerted through a small vent in the lower end of the pipe, with 280-foot pressure in the pipe behind it. As an illustration take a barrel of water, bore a hole in the bottom, and the water as it pours out will exert heavy force, but it would take a considerable time to empty the barrel, and if as much water ran in as was allowed to run out the barrel would always remain full. This puts a different face on the plan to the ordinary observer unacquainted with hydraulic power. We have been shown the original estimates of two civil engineers, who both arrive at practically the same conclusions—making the force at Eugenia between four and five thousand horsepower at all seasons, although they differ slightly in their measurement of the water. We are glad to learn these facts and to point them out to those others who may have had a tendency to skeptism.

The A. O. U. W.

Probably the most successful fraternal society in town is that of the A. O. U. W. It enjoys a membership of 61. During the past year three deaths of members occurred—Wm. Smith, J. H. Anderson, and W. H. Walker. The lodge was organized here in 1881 and since that time has drawn from the beneficiary funds for widows and orphans the large sum of $17,000. The lodge paid into this fund last year $1127. The annual installation of officers took place on Monday evening, when the following officers were installed: W. M., A. Harrison ; Foreman, Mylee Thistlewaite ; Overseer, A. Stewart ; Recorder, J. A. Felstead ; Fin., W. J. Bellamy ; Treas., F. G. Cole ; Guide, T. A. Blakely ; Watchman, I. Sinclair ; O. W., John Chard ; Representative of Grand Lodge, Robt. Best ; Trustee, J.A. Blakely. After the fatiguing business of the evening was over the members indulged in a little spread in order to recuperate their exhausted vitality. Altogether a very pleasant evening was chronicled.

Ernest Cashel, the condemned murderer, who escaped from Calgary Mounted Police guardhouse in December, was recaptured on Sunday. He had never left the vicinity.

Many Sudden Deaths

Are traced that was neglected. If your heart is weak or beats too rapidly you need Ferrozone to strengthen the heart's muscles, regulate its action and stop smothering spasms. Ferrozone always cures weak heart and restors this organ to a strong healthy state. The best heart medicine in the world is Ferrozone, which beats any substitute. Widely used by doctors and sold at 50c. per box by all druggists.

East Grey Ag'l Society

The annual meeting of East Grey Agricultural society was held in the town hall on Wednesday afternoon of last week with about the usual attendance. The secretary-treasurer's report showed a heavy expenditure during the past year —$1402.48—with total receipts of $1531.73, leaving a balance on hand of $129.25.

The election of officers resulted as follows : Pres., A. Muir ; 1st Vice Pres., R. Ruthvan ; 2nd Vice Pres., W. H. Bunt. Directors—W. Hartman, J. A. Kernahan, R. J. Sproule, A. S. VanDusen, Robt. Best, J. Paton, D. McMillan, Jas. Stuart. Auditors—Jos. Blackburn, W. J. Bellamy. Mr. R. J. Sproule was re-appointed secretary-treasurer at a salary of $50.

PILLS AND PILES

A prolific cause of Piles is the use of cathartics and pills of drastic, violent nature.

Followed by a reaction on account of the resinous, drying properties they contain.

There are other causes, but no matter what the cause or what the kind of Piles, Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid can be relied upon to cure—to stay cured.

It's an internal remedy that removes the causes of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Suppurating Piles.

A guarantee goes with each package containing a month's treatment.

It can be obtained for $1.00 at druggists. Sold by W. E. Richardson.

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In FRUIT TREES, SMALL FRUITS, ORNAMENTALS, SHRUBS, ROSES, VINES, SEED POTATOES, etc.

Stock true to name and free from San Jose Scale. A permanent position for the right man on either salary or commission.

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150 acres in the Township of Osprey—part of lot 8 and all of lot 9, in the 13th concession.

About 40 acres under cultivation. There is a large quantity of timber. A good frame barn 40x60 feet, frame stable and a comfortable dwelling, also good well. Apply on the premises or to W. J BELLAMY, Flesherton.

CHEESE FACTORY TO RENT

Tenders are hereby invited up to Feb. 15,1904, rental of cheese factory situated 1½ miles south of Maxwell, in the township of Osprey.

For particulars apply to the president,

R. FENWICK, Maxwell P.O.

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Ladies' Favorite,

Is the only safe, reliable regulator on which woman can depend "in the hour and time of need."

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Ladies—ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other as all pills, mixtures and imitations are dangerous. No. 1 and No. 2 are sold and recommended by all druggists in the Dominion of Canada. Mailed to any address on receipt of price and four 2-cent postage stamps. The Cook Company, Windsor, Ont.

No 1 and No 2 are sold in Flesherton by W. E. Richardson and Dodge Lee & Co., druggists.

January, 1904---A month of Special Prices

Our Annual "JANUARY SALE"

Is now on from now until the end of this month. Every effort will be directed toward clearing our stock of winter goods to make room for early spring importations. A special clearing is necessary. Thousands of dollars worth of very choicest goods will go on sale this month to clear.

New Year's Resolution

We have made our resolution for the New Year and we don't mind telling you what it is—to try if possible and serve you better in every way than we have done in the past. Now we think this is quite a proposition, because we really believe we've been doing pretty well in the past but we're going to try hard. Commence now and test our capacity to serve you satisfactorily. We endeavor to handle only the very best goods to be procured in the market. We are putting the knife in deep in all departments. It will pay you to come in and get our prices before buying.

For this month the greatest price cutting will centre on Dress Goods, Furs, Flannelettes, Flannels, Ladies Mantles, Gent's Suits, Overcoats, Lumberman's rubbers. Special bargains will abound all over the store. Come and compare. Prices here are postively the lowest anywhere.

T. J. SHEPPARD

Sproule's Block FLESHERTON

Important Notice.

The Drug Business lately carried on as W. J. Douglass & Co., will in future be carried on as W. J. Douglass. All accounts due to the old firm must be paid at once to W. J. Douglas, and all parties having claims against the said firm will kindly submit them and they will be settled by him.

Mr. H. O. Willett, late manager of the Collingwood store, will assume control here on the 1st Feb.

W. J. DOUGLASS, Flesherton

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We have a few Toys left that we are clearing out at greatly reduced prices and some at half prices.

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