Methodist Church

FLESHERTON.

J. G. I. WILSON, B. A., B. D., ...Pastor

Rev. N. Wellwood, Dundalk, Chairman of district, will preach morning and evening, also at Ceylon at 3 p. m.

Vicinity Chips

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

Sheep Dip—Richardson & Son.

Boy Wanted—at once. Apply to Boyd, Hickling & Co.

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

Money to loan at 5 % on farm property —expense low, A. S. VanDusen.

Brick house and large lot for rent in Flesherton. Apply at this office.

Seed oats, buckwheat and barley for sale. W. L. Wright, Flesherton.

Miss Minnie Bellamy returned from Toronto last week.

A nice brick house and lot for sale. Apply Thos. Sheppard.

Bug Death for taties and bushes. Richardson & Son's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Guest of Henderson, Me., are visiting with friends here.

We have a line of ladies short jackets —the prices were 5, 6, 7 and $8. We are clearing them at $2.50 at Sheppard's.

The assessment this year in Dundalk is sixteen thousand three hundred dollars higher than last year.

Crossley and Hunter, evangelists, will commence special services in Markdale on Sunday next.

The annual district meeting of the Owen Sound district of the Methodist church will be held in Dundalk on Wednesday and Thursday, May 25th and 26th.

Butter is low this spring but we are getting over the difficulty by selling goods so cheap that you get as much for your butter as ever at Sheppard's.

Mrs. F. G. and Miss Ella Karstedt attended a double wedding at Elmwood last week, the young ladies concerned being nieces of Mr. Karstedt.

Henceforth the Baptist church will hold a service each Sunday at 11 a. m. Next Sunday the topic will be: "Do the Scriptures teach eternal punishment?"

For Sale—A quantity good potatoes Mammoth Pearl, choice for table use or seed. James Findlay, three miles east of Markdale.

Mr. Ern. Armstrong passed his final dental examination in Toronto and is now a full fledged dentist. He is at present resting at his home here after his studies. We believe he proposes hanging out his shingle in the West.

Rev. N. Wellwood, Dundalk, chairman of the Owen Sound district of the Methodist church, will preach here on Sunday next, morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Wilson goes to Dundalk, to take Mr. Wellwood's work.

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the organization of the society on Monday evening next, May 16, by holding a G.A.P. social. Novel entertainment, good program, silver collection at the door. Everybody invited.

Following are the officers of the W. M. S. for the ensuing year: Pres, Mrs. (Rev) Wilson; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. Nicholson; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. W. Bunt; Cor. Sec, Mrs. W. Armstrong; Rec. Sec., Mrs. George Mitchell; Treasurer, Mrs. W. W. Trimble; Pres. of Systematic Giving, Mrs. W. Thurston.

New Grocery—The undersigned begs to intimate to the people of Flesherton and vicinity that he has opened a fresh stock of prime groceries and also has best brands of flour, bran, shorts and chop for sale. I am also agent for Deering implements and Empire cream separator. Call and see me before buying. W. L. Wright, Flesherton

We thank the many customers who waited so patiently on Saturday evening last during the rush, some having to wait two hours before we could serve them. We will promise to do the best we can next time and give you bargains to make up for time spent. T. J. Sheppard.

Friday was observed as Arbor day in the public school, when figures and facts were discarded for shovel, rake and hoe. After sufficent had been done in that line a football match was indulged in by the youngsters. Then the young ladies of the school treated the gentlemen to a luncheon, and the day ended with very pleasant memories.

For good clean Seed Peas and Buckwheat go to Sproule Crossley & Co.

1000 lbs. extra nice flax seed just to hand. To clear it quickly the price will be 7 lbs. for 25c. W. J. Douglass, Medical Hall, Flesherton.

J. W. Crawford's sawmill and sash and door factory at Durham was totaly destroyed by fire Thursday evening. A considerable quantity of lumber was saved. The loss is about $12,000, insured for $1,000.

At the meeting of the Orangeville Presbytery, held at Orangeville last week, a very full discussion of the organic union of the churches took place, the matter being viewed in all its aspects. A motion was adopted unanimously, putting the Presbytery on record as in favor of organic union, and as of the belief that, "the organic union of the churches would be for the advancement of the kingdom of God, and in fulfillment of Christ's command."

The annual business meeting of the Epworth League was held last Monday when the following officers were elected: Hon. Pres., Rev. Wilson; Pres, Mrs. W. Armstrong; 1st. V. P., Mrs. (Rev) Wilson; 2nd V. P., Mrs. W. Thurston; 3rd V. P., Miss Christine Richardson; 4th V. P., Miss M. Joy; Cor. Sec., Miss Gibson; Rec. Sec., Mr. Chas. McMullen; Assistant, Miss Martin; Treas., Thomas Bulmer; Representative on District League Executive, Mrs. (Rev) Wilson. The Department reports showed the League to be in a flourishing condition.

Orders have been issued to the 31st militia of Grey to go into camp at Niagara about the 14th of June, each company to have a complement of 40 men. The pay for milita service this year is increased to 70 cents per day for first year men, 85c. for second year men and one dollar for men who have served three years. This increase together with the improvement in rations will doubtless bring out a first-class lot of volunteers. Intending recruits should call and see Lieut. Richardson as the muster will fill up rapidly.

Mr. E. D. LeGard, who recently left here for Calgary, N.W.T., writes The Advance under date April 28: Calgary is growing very fast—new houses in all directions. At 7 in the morning until 6 in the evening the hammers are kept continually going. Stone masons and carpenters are in great demand. Stonemasons get 50c per hour, carpenters 30c per hour. Other work is not so plentiful just now. Seeding is nearly completed here, although not much seeding is being done here; mostly ranching. We left Toronto Tuesday noon and arrived in Calgary Saturday noon, and enjoyed our trip very much. No snow here when we arrived and none since, but a snow storm is looked for in May.

The death of Mrs. Harvey Wilkerson, which we announced last week, is thus referred to by the Moosomin Spectator of date April 28: "Mrs. H. E. Wilkerson, of Tantallon, was brought here by train on Tuesday to undergo an operation in the hospital. She was very weak, and the only hope of her recovery was a successful operation. Her youngest child is only a couple of years old. After being placed in the hospital her extreme weakness made an operation impossible. She gradually sank, and on Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock her spirit took its departure from its earthly tenement. Her death is particularly sad. Taken from husband and young family at the early age of 27 years her vacant place must make a sad, sad home. This afternoon at 5 o'clock her body was reverently laid away in the new cemetery, when a goodly number of friends gathered to pay their last tribute of respect for the departred."

A serious accident occurred at a barn raising on the farm of John Stoneman of Amaranth, on Monday of last week, which resulted in the death of Henry Beasley. The body of the building had been completed and the men were engaged putting up heavy green rafters. Three of the latter had been placed in position prior to being pulled up on the building. The rafters through carelessness or oversight had been left in an almost perpendicular position and they slipped over sideways and in falling struck Henry Besel on the head, inflicting a small flesh wound over the right eye and fracturing the skull. The injured man was hurriedly taken to Mr. Stoneman's house and Dr. Roorey was summoned, but could do nothing for the sufferer. He never regained consciousness after being struck and died at 4.30 on Wednesday morning. The young man was to have been married in June.

The first election in the new incorporated village of Chatsworth resulted in the return of Mr. Thomas McGill as Reeve.

Fishing Notice

Any person found fishing or trespassing on the property of J. Genoe, lot 26, con. 7, will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
JAMES GENOE Flesherton, Ont.

Tenders Wanted

The undersigned will receive tenders up to June 1st 1904 for the purchase of the broken down shed at the Orange Hall, Maxwell, and total clearing of the ground of the same. Also to furnish wire and build a fence around the cemetery, the posts being provided and set in the ground.
Maxwell May 10th 1904.

Alex Hudson.
Josiah Gamey.
William Scutt.

Bull for Service

Pedigreed shorthorn bull will stand for service on lot 31, con. 8, Artemesia. Terms $1. Pedigree on application.
Wm. C. PEDLAR.

Hereford bull for Service

The undersigned has a thoroughbred Hereford bull for service on lot 165, 3rd west T. & S. R., Artemesia. Terms one dollar.
1Jne Wesley Buskin

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE

Lot, four-fifths of an acre—comfortable frame house, kitchen, woodshed, well, etc. A good bearing apple and plum orchard. For further particulars apply to
Wm. Smith, Flesherton.

Fishing Notice

All parties are hereby warned against trespassing on the property of the undersigned through which the river runs from Louck's mill to Geo. Graham's property on the valley road. Fishermen are especially warned to keep off this property. Trespassers will be promptly prosecuted.
W. A. Armstrong.
Flesherton, April 25, 1904.

BULL FOR SERVICE

The Thoroughbred Durham Bull "Emperor" will be for service on lot 156, E. L. and S. R., Artemesia. Terms $1. Any cow not returned will be charged for whether in calf or not.
Pedigree on application.
R. McGRUTHER, Prop.

Bulls for Service

Pedigreed Shorthorn bull "Flesherton Chief" for service on lot 140, con. 3 N. E. T. & S. R., Artemesia. Also a thoroughbred Jersey Bull. Terms $1. JACOB THOMPSON.

Bull for Service

Short Horn Bull, Johnny Canuck No 39788, is for service on Lot 109 1st con. N. E., T. & S. R., Artemesia. Terms of service $1. Pedigree on application. GEORGE JOHNSON.

Farm for Sale

Being Lot 193 & 194 North East of Toronto & Sydenham road, containing 132 acres, 90 under cultivation, in splendid condition for crop, free of stone, well fenced and watered, free of wild weeds, having orchard and small fruits. Good barn with track and other out buildings, comfortable house, 3½ miles from Proton, in Taylor settlement. Apply to
W. J. MULLIN, Proton Station.

WALL PAPERS

C. Tryon, Priceville, has put in a complete stock of latest patterns in wallpapers. The finest assortment ever brought in. Will submit samples to prospective purchasers. Hanging promptly and satisfactorily done.

Farm to Rent

112 acres, 80 acres cleared and under cultivation. Good frame house, log barn, well watered, 3 miles from Flesherton. Apply to
W. H. HALES, Flesherton P. O.
1mo.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of George Patterson, late of the Township of Artemesia in the County of Grey, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chap. 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said George Patterson, deceased, who died on or about the ninteenth day of January, A. D. 1904, are required, on or before the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1904, to send by post prepaid or deliver to Messrs. Lucas, Wright & McArdle, Owen Sound and Flesherton, Ont., Solicitors for David Harrow, Executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated April 21st, A. D. 1904.
LUCAS, WRIGHT & McARDLE,
Owen Sound, Ont.,
Solicitors for the Executor.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of John Henry Heard, late of the Village of Flesherton in the County of Grey, Blacksmith, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to The Revised Statutes of Ontario 1897, Chap. 129 that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John Henry Heard, deceased, who died on, or about the Twenty-first day of March A. D. 1904, are required on or before the Second day of June A. D. 1904 to send by post prepaid or deliver to John A. Heard, Flesherton P. O., one of the executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, or Messrs. Lucas Wright & McArdle, Owen Sound, solicitors for the executors, their christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars, of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

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Dated April 21st, A. D. 1904.
LUCAS, WRIGHT & McARDLE,
Owen Sound,
Solicitors for Executors.

Leaving Flesherton

And a $15,000.00 stock to be slaughterd

T. J. Sheppard having purchased a property in Toronto Junction to open up in the dry goods business we have decided to hold a

Ninety Day's Sale

while the repairs are being done to our building to clear out our present stock, and as we do not want to take any stock with us you can depend on getting a bargain in anything you want; we are only going to handle dry goods in the Junction so we must clear out all other lines and to do this the priceg must be cut deep enough to make them go.

Our stoc of DRY GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES, GROCERIES, READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHING, and CROCKERY is very complete. **Our Spring Goods** having all arrived before we thought of leaving and now they must be cleared out. So you have a chance to buy all nice new spring goods at big reductions.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

which is in better sahpe this spring than ever having enlarged the department, our milliners are ln better shape to attend to orders than ever before.

Butter is Cheap this spring but we will make it buy as much as ever by **selling** everything else low.

We take all kinds of produce during the sale.

T. J. SHEPPARD

Sproule's Block FLESHERTON

W. J. Douglass

MEDICAL HALL Flesherton

Makes the following prices good at the store or by letter until May 14th, 1904:

RED CLOVER, new lot, from $5 40
MAMMOTH CLOVER from 5 65
TIMOTHY SEED from 1 40

These are all well cleaned and extra values.

All kinds of Roots, viz., Mangol, Carrots, etc., at the very lowest prices.

☞ We have the stock and we make the prices—Inspection invited—Seeing insures your order.

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—AT—
Richardson & Son's

Oilcake,
Calf Meal,
Corn,
Garden Seeds,
Best Clover & Timothy Seed from
Steele, Briggs Company