Flesherton Advance.

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

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BETTER LATE THAN NEVER

to wish you

A Happy New Year

Also better late than never to buy your WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELLERY from the undersigned.

But try to call early—don't leave it off too late.

We have the best selection of silverware for presentations, etc., ever seen in the county of Grey. Don't forget this fact.

W. A. Armstrong,

Jeweller, Flesherton

Industrial Home Notes

The industrial home items which appeared in last week's Advance were intended for the previous week's issue but were unavoidably belated.

Death has claimed two more victims from the home since our last report. On Monday, Jan. 2, Mrs. Thompson, the blind old lady recently admitted, passed quietly away. The remains were sent to Chatsworth, where they were taken charge of by relatives.

About 5 p.m. on Friday Thomas Boyle, who made the unfortunate leap from the train between Berkely when returning to the home from leave of absence, succumbed to his injuries. He remained unconscious from the second day after the accident to the time of his death. His brother, Clark Boyle, arrived on Wednesday and remained until Thursday afternoon when he was obliged to return home on account of sickness in his family. On being notified he returned and conveyed the remains to Walters Falls for interment. This is the sixth death at the home, the first being that of Dan Henderson, who died on Nov. 17 last. The home is giving its quota to the cemetery.

Wa are sorry to state that Mr. S. Turner, pay inmate, formerly of Flesherton, is in a low condition. About three weeks ago he had a stroke of paralysis which rendered useless his left arm and has since descended to his left leg and foot. He is now continually confined to his bed.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen from Edge Hill, Durham and Chatsworth visited the home on Monday, Jan. 2. Mr. Burgess, P.S.I. for North Grey, was also a caller on Friday evening.

C. Munshaw and A. Wardrobe of Flesherton were visitors to the home on Thursday. These gentlemen found your cor. soundly napping as the result of a sleepless night, and for some moments was unable to recognize them. However, he was glad to arouse himself sufficiently to enjoy a friendly confab with his genial visitors.

The number of visitors' names recorded on the visitors' register up to Dec. 31, 1904, is 1084. It may be safely estimated that 400 more may be added to this number of those who visited before the introductson of the book, or who failed to register.

Since the opening of the home 28 men and 7 women have been admitted as inmates. Of this number 5 men and 1 woman have died. The present number of inmates is 23 men, 6 women, total 29. Of these, three men and one woman pay for their keep. There are at present three male patients in the hospital ward, while some few require regular medical attendance but are able to get around.

Electric lamps are now installed in the basement of the barn.

Among the inmates of this institution is one of the rapidly decreasing survivors of the Crimean war. John Barret was a child of the regiment, born in the service at Belfast, Ireland, in 1828, at which place his father, a sergeant in the old 43rd regiment, light infantry, was serving. When young Barret was six years old he came to Canada with the regiment which was stationed at Toronto and Niagara. Four years later his father died and his mother received 100 acres scrip land in Eldon, Victoria Co., which she sold later and was remarried to a well known market gardener and florist in Toronto's suburbs. Young Barret was put to a trade at Fraser's woollen mills. when a young man he worked for W. K. Flesher, who owned a sawmill at Bolton, and was in Mr. Flesher's employ when that gentleman came to the place afterwards named after him, the present Flesherton. Barret also remembers the birth of Mr. Flesher's oldest daughter. In 1853 the 43rd were ordered home and young Barret's heart, naturally yearning towards the old corps, he resolved to rejoin it and go with them. When war with Russia was declared his regiment was ordered to the Crimea and Barret was present at Alma, Inkerman and the siege and fall of Sebastopol. He was four times wounded—first in the head, then in each wrist, and lastly a bayonet wound in the left hip. After the conclusion of the war, and when fully recovered from his wounds, he had the privilege of a soldier's son, born in the service, of claiming a free discharge. He returned to Canada, gradually working his way to Thornbury, where he has always made his home except at times when employed at other places throughout the province. He never married and still maintains a soldierly bearing, straight as a ramrod and as elastic in step as a young soldier just dismissed from recruit drill. Although in his 77th, year he contemplates leaving the home about May 1, being, as he says, able to earn his own living in the summer months. Success to you, old comrade. —INMATE

Vandeleur

Mr. Charley and Miss Elsie Boland returned home on Saturday after a two weeks' visit with friends at Barrie.

Miss Ella Bull of Brampton, who formerly taught school in this section, renewed acquaintances here last week.

Mr. Alex. Conaher, who recently arrived from Scotland but who is now located in Toronto, visited his cousin, Mrs. George Wright, last week.

A sleigh load from this place spent a very pleasant time at Mr. Donnelly's, Wodehouse, Friday evening.

Mrs. Devins had a very successful wood bee Saturday afternoon.

Miss Sarah Johnson attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Belle McGee, at Toronto week before last.

Mrs. Robert Buchanan and son, Wm. P., visited friends in Toronto recently.

Mr. Ed. Hutchinson, who has been working at tailoring in Markdale for the past two years, left last week for New York to take a course in the Mitchel cutting school.

The officers for Vandeleur Division, S. O. T., were installed at last regular meeting by Bro. Wm. Buchanan, D. G. W. P., and are as follows: W. P., Sister Devins; W. A, Bro. Cullis; R. S., Bro. W. Johnston; A. R. S., Sister Hunt; F. S., Sister Holley; Treas., Bro. C. Boland; Chap., Sister Buchanan; Con., Bro. R. Holley; A. Conn., Sister R. Gilbert; I. S., Sister E. Warling; F. S., Bro. Bowler; Sup. Y. P. W., Sister M. Douglas. This Division is a live one. An organ has been recently purchased which adds much to the interest and pleasure of the meetings. After the business had been duly attended to an impromptu program was given in which the visitors and members took part, and consisted of speeches and music, instrumental and vocal. An instrumental piece by Miss Thompson, one of the visitors, was much appreciated. After lunch was served the lodge was closed in due form and all repaired to their homes feeling that it had been good to be there.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best Made.

"In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for colds," says Mrs. Cora Walker of Porterville, California. There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is a sure preventative of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used this remedy. For sale by W. E. Richardson.

The County Council

The following gentlemen compose the Grey County Council for the present year:

Division 1—J. W. Frost, Owen Sound; Robert L. Frost, Brookholm.

Division 2—Joseph Pringle, Chatsworth; William Westaway, Kemble.

Division 3—Robert J. Ball, Hanover; Neil McCannel, Priceville.

Division 4—James Allan, Varney; G. H. Schenk, Ayton.

Division 5—Skiffington Bell, Dundalk; John McArthur, Priceville.

Division 6—Neil McColman, Thornbury; D. K. Preston, Maxwell.

Division 7—A. C. Paterson, Blantyre; G. A. Brown, Meaford.

Division 8 Anthony Shute, Holland Centre; James M. Thomson, Bognor.

The councillors in divisions 4, 5, 6 and 8 were elected by acclamation. In No. 7 John M. Davis only got 244 votes, Agnew 911, Brown 994 and Patterson 1143.

Port Law

Circumstances prevented us from getting a budget through last week as intended and therefore some items are not as fresh as they should be and others have to be dropped altogether. However we are glad to see that some friend has partly filled in the gap by sending in some of the more important items.

Mr. Edward Jamieson has returned home from the Toronto general hospital where he has been confined for some weeks with typhoid fever contracted in Alberta. He is gaining fast, although in a weak state.

Masters Cecil and Harry Meldrum returned home after spending their holidays with friends in Toronto.

At the annual meeting of ratepayers of our school Mr. F. H. Thompson was chosen as trustee for the present term.

The four pupils who attended school the greatest number of days during the past year were,—John Kennedy, 195; Gertie Thompson, 181; Ila Lyons, 174; Roy Kerr.

On Thursday night last the Royal Templars held a more than ordinarily interesting meeting. It being installation meeting. The following is a list of officers:—Select Councillor, Mrs. T. R. McKenzie; Past C., T. R. McKenzie; Vice C., J. A. Hutchinson; Herald, J. H. Watson; Deputy H, Mrs. John Walker; Recording Sec'ty., Miss Annie Sheardown; Financial Sec'y, Miss Lila Love; Treas., S. Shier; Guard, Miss Annie Boyce; Sentinel, Edward Watson; Organist, Miss Laura Holman; sick comittee, Mrs. Walker, Miss Emma Shier, S. Sheardown and S. Shier; Room Committee, W. Walker, Charles Holman, Alvin McKenzie, Gordon Warling. The side contest closed and the side captained by Mrs. McNally being victorious by the narrow majority of five marks, the losing side provided refreshments, after which a union program of a spicy nature was given. The captains for the next quarter are Miss Laura Holman and S Shier with Mrs. McKenzie as referee.

The Verdict of Public Opinion

Is with the best article every time. That's why Putnam's Corn Extractor has been in the lead for the last half century. It cures painlessly in twenty four hours and never fails. Use only Putnam's for corns and warts.

Hanover public school has outgrown its accommodation and will be enlarged.

McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s Big Store

MARKDALE, ONTARIO

Grey County's BIGGEST and CHEAPEST STORE

Big - January - Sale

Of WINTER GOODS!

Our annual January Sale is now in full swing and for the next thirty days all winter or heavy goods will be sold regardless of cost. We have had a good fall trade. December month being a particularly good one and the volume of business away ahead of Dec. of 1903. We expect January of 1905 (providing weather conditions are favorable) to almost double the sales for January of 1904, and if SENSATIONAL BARGAINS will be any inducements we should have our expectations realized.

Read the price list through carefully—it is only a few of the many goods an sale at Bargain Prices.

A Deep Cut in Mantles

LOT NO. 1

16 Ladies and Misses Mantles, all this season's coats, regular values 5.00, 5.50, 6.00 and 6.50 each. Sizes 32 to 40.

January Sale Price 3.90.

LOT NO. 2

14 Ladies and Misses mantles, all this season's latest styles. Our prices were $7.00, $7.50, $8.00, $8.50 and $9.00 each. Not a full range of sizes in any style but all sizes in this lot from 32 to 40.

January Sale Price 5.00.

LOT NO. 3

20 Ladies Mantles This lot comprises all our best mantles—"The Northway Garments" and the fine imported "German Coats." Many beautiful cloths and stles, all sizes in this lot from 32 to 42, all this season's newest styles that sold at $10.00, 11.00, 11.50, 12.00 and 12.50. January Sale Price, your choice for 6.90

LOT NO. 4

8 Children's Ulsters, sizes 4 to 8 years. $2.25 and $2.50 Coats, Sale Price 1.40
$2.75 3.00 and 3.50 Coats, Sale Price 1.90

Ladies' Fur Jackets at 25 p.c. off

$30.00 Astrachan Jackets, January sale price $22.50.
$35.00 Astrachan and Seal Jackets, January sale price $26.25.
$40.00 Astrachan and Seal Jackets, January Sale price $30.00.
$45.00 Astrachan and Seal Jackets, January sale price $33 75.
$50.00 Electric Seal Jackets, January sale price $37.50

Sensational Prices in Clothing

LOT NO. 1

16 Mens Over Coats, this season's best sellers at $5.00 $6.00 and $7 00 each, assorted styles, Raglan's Belted Swaggers, Dress Coats and Frieze Ulsters, sizes 34 to 44, January Sale Price, your choice 3.90.

LOT NO. 2

12 Men's Overcoats, regular $8.00 and $9.00 coats in Raglan's or Belted Swagger style, sizes 34 to 42, January Sale Price 5 00

LOT NO. 3

14 Men's Overcoats, regular $10.00, $10.50 and $11.00, lovely fine finished cloths in beavers, melton's, friezes and fancy tweeds. Raglan or Swagger styles all sizes in lot. January sale price 6.90

LOT NO. 4

10 Men's Dress Overcoats, regular 12.00, 12.50 and 13.50 coats. This lot is extra fine dress coats, lovely cloths and superior tailoring, sizes 36 to 42. January Sale Price 8.50

LOT NO. 5

20 Boys' and Youths Overcoats in sizes 23 to 30. This lot comprises all our boys' and youths' Raglan swagger, Rainy River and Dress styles, also a few Frieze Ulsters, many handsome little coats that make men of the boys. The values range from $4.00 to $5.00 each. January Sale Price, choice 2.98

McFARLAND, STAFFORD & CO

PROTON STATION STORE

W. Hockley **1905** **W. Hockley**

Now that we have entered on a new year we take this privilege of thanking our many customers for their liberal patronage in the past. And at the first of the New Year we are going to give thirty days of special bargains as follows:

5 lbs. good Japan Tea	$1 00	3 lb. box soda biscuits	$ 23
Regular 30c. Japan Tea	26	6 lb. Fresh Figs	25
5 lbs Fresh Prunes	25	3 large Bars Soap	25
5 lbs. Fresh Dates	25	1 lb package Salada Tea	22
3 packages Tilson's Oats	25	3 bottles best extracts	25
4 lbs. clean currants	25	3 lbs Fancy Biscuits	25
7 lbs. choice rice	25	10 lbs Sulphur	25

25 pairs men's heavy winter pants good value at $3.25 for $2 49
25 pairs heavy tweed pants regular $2.25 special at 1 95
Great bargains in men's winter caps. 50c lines for 35
A number of men's all wool tweed suits reduced to 4 90
15 Ladies winter shirts, black and navy in color, snap at 2 95
A large stock of D. & A corsets, regular $1.25, to be sold for 95
You can secure here the best flannelette blankets for 99
We can make yo a stylish tailored suit for 12 00
We have a large assortment of fancy lamps.

Come and try our pennoline coal oil it is all right.
We sell International Stock and Poultry Food. Special prices made on large pails.

Produce Wanted

Butter in rolls and prints, per lb ..... .18
Fresh eggs, per dozen ..... .25

W. HOCKLEY Proton Station