Methodist Church

Sunday, Jan. 15

Morning:—"Spiritual Growth"

Evening:—"The Ten Commandments" (First in a series.)

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

Vicinity Chips

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

Mr. H. Radley of Toronto is in town this week.

Highest cash price paid for hides, sheepskins, tallow, and all kinds of fur. Beef sold by the quarter or half quarter at lowest price. Mark Wilson, Flesherton.

Mr. L. C. Karstedt, of Moorfield, spent Sunday with his brother, F. G.

T. J. Sheppard, Toronto Junction, was in town this week settling up some financial matters.

Notice—Having put in a first class grinding outfit in connection with the electric plant, am prepared to accommodate the public in the chopping business. Fred Deagle, Eugenia.

T. J. Sheppard has sold his lot and residence in town to Mr. Jeff Thistlewaite.

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

The annual business meeting of Chalmers Presbyterian church will be held on Thursday of next week.

Messrs. J. C. Brown and George Wallace of Woodbridge paid a flying visit to R. J. Sproule on Monday of this week.

Chopping done every day—Thompson Wilson, Flesherton.

The two candidates in South Grey have arranged a series of joint meetings.

An agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect is produced by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver tablets. For sale by W. E Richardson.

John B. Moffat, 69 years of age, dropped dead on the street, Durham on Tuesday of last week.

Apprentice wanted to learn blacksmithing. Apply to John Heard, Flesherton.

A good work horse for sale. Apply to Mrs. Wm. C. Parker, west back line.

Born—At Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 31, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe, a son.

Strayed—White sow, medium size, strayed from my premises about Jan. 5. A. Beattie, Markdale P. O.

The proposed visit of the Epworth League to Dundalk was postponed until next Monday evening, owing to the pastor's indisposition.

For salmon trout and herring by the half barrel or 11b., also finest salt by the bbl., try Sproule, Crossley & Co.

According to our house of refuge correspondent, the old man, Boyle, who jumped from a train between Berkley and Markdale, died at the house last week.

The Artemesia L. O. L. district meeting which was to have been held at Ceylon this week has been postponed until Tuesday of next week, Jan. 17.

Dog Strayed—From James Radley's, Collingwood gravel, sable and white collie, answers to name Mack. Kindly return to Mrs. H. Radley, Flesherton, and receive reward.

The heavy snow storm of Monday night drifted the roads so badly that no country mails came through. As a consequence our news budgets from outside points are lacking.

Oranges, lemons, apples, cranberries, on hand at Sproule, Crossley & Co., Flesherton.

A rousing political meeting was held at Eugenia on Saturday evening in the interest of Mr. Lucas. A number of Flesherton gentlemen were present. Mr. Gillies, the Reform candidate was also present and addressed the audience.

Two good heating and one good cooking stove for sale cheap and on easy terms. R. J Sproule, Flesherton.

Mr. Will Heard has purchased the old Alf Ward farm, about four miles south of this village on the gravel road. He will drop the paint brush and grasp the plow handles. We understand the consideration was $4000.

Now is the time to renew your subscriptions to your papers. R. J. Sproule, postmaster, is agent for the Globe and Mail and Empire, Daily and weekly; also the News, Star, Sun, World, Family Herald, Witness, Farmers' Advocate and all other Toronto, Montreal, London and Hamilton papers published. Hand or leave in your subscription or instructions for renewal and save cost of mailing.

Opened this week at Sproule, Crossley & Co's, Flesherton, a full line finest confectionery of the very best quality, and selling at lowest prices.

News has been received here of the death of John Kinghorn at Brooks hospital, Dunkirk, N. Y. Mr Kingshorn had his back broken by falling from a scaffold. He lived near Flesherton until a few years ago. He leaves a wife two sons and two daughters.

Farm to rent—Lots 184 and 185, 2nd concession East of Toronto & Sydenham Road, 1 mile from P. O. and school, near church. 100 acres, 75 cleared, good brick house with cistern, good frame barn complete; small orchard. JEREMIAH TAYLOR, Portlaw.

Dr. Murray returned from Toronto on Friday last, accompanied by Mrs. Murray, who has been in a private hospital for some time undergoing treatment for stomach trouble. Mrs. Murray is much improved in health and strong hopes are entertained that she will fully recover her former vitality.

One Massey Harris combined seed drill, good as new, and in perfect working condition, for sale very cheap and on easy terms. R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

The Salvation Army is bringing out a large number of immigrants early in the spring, both married and single, to work on farms. These are a desirable class of men, and farmers and others wanting help during the coming season would do well to communicate with Brigadier Howell, 20 Albert street, Toronto, who will supply necessary information, application forms, etc. Fares paid from Toronto to farmer's addresses by the government.

Rev. Arthur Browning a Methodist minister well known in Flesherton, was stricken with apoplexy while walking on the street in Toronto and died in a few minutes. Mr. Browning was stationed at Flesherton in 1858, and afterwards engaged in mission work in British Columbia. On several occasions since his return he has preached to congregations here and held special services a few years ago.

The Advance office is flooded these days with congratulations on the unparalleled value we are giving in combining the Montreal Herald with our own paper. The public is only now beginning to awaken to the fact that we are giving the greatest value ever seen in newspapers in this district. In order to get the Herald all you have to do is to pay your subscription to this paper one year in advance. The Herald is a 22-page paper and The Advance 8 pages—30 pages of reading matter each week, covering the whole world of news, for only one dollar!

By a new arrangement, commencing with the new year, the Church of England parish, including St Mary's church, Maxwell, and other congregations, will, for the future, have regular services at a stated hour every Sunday. Thus, Maxwell will have a service every Sunday at 11 a.m, Eugenia at 3 p.m. and Ceylon at 7 p.m. The change is made to allow a regular Sunday service for the Eugenia congregation, which has recently been organized with Messrs. J. H. Duckett and W. H. Sawyer as provisional wardens, and Charles H. Stanley as vestry clerk. The new congregation is arranging for a choir and organist, and the attendance is decidedly encouraging.

What is likely to prove a fatal tree-felling accident occurred at the home of Mr. John Stewart, west back line, on Wednesday forenoon of last week. Mr. Stewart and his father-in-law, Mr. Chas. Neil, undertook to saw down a couple of maple trees which stood in the field not far from the house. Before the first tree fell a wedge was inserted upon which a heavy blow was struck with an axe. This had the effect of separating the trunk from its stump and causing it to jump about fifteen feet down a grade, falling backward upon the two men, and also upon Mr. Roderick Stewart, who was standing near by. Mr. John Stewart and Mr. Neil were both pinned to the ground by limbs, and Roderick Stewart had his face scratched. The latter succeeded in releasing his unfortunate companions and summoned Dr. Carter, who found that both men were badly injured. Mr. John Stewart had his back and breast hurt and was cut on the head, but will doubtless recover. Mr. Neil is the most seriously injured, his back being broken, and his case is considered to be hopeless.

Back From His Wanderings

The Advance had an interesting visitor over Sunday night in the person of Mr. Frank Irwin, son of Mr. W. Irwin of the Durham Chronicle. Seven years ago Frank left home and went to Pennsylvania. When the Spanish-American war broke out he enlisted and went to the Phillipines, where he put in the full term of three years. After discharge he visited Japan, Hong Kong, Canton, India, Australia, and a number of the South Sea islands. A couple of years ago he arrived at San Francisco, went to Los Angeles, joined a circus and travelled through all the southern states and into Mexico. Last summer he was taken down with typhoid fever in Kentucky. Frank says he has been through epidemics of Asiatic cholera, small pox and half a dozen other diseases but never got floored until he returned to the United States. He has his robust constitution to thank for that. He is not yet quite fully recovered from the fever. Frank is only 23 years of age and was 16 when he left home. Of course he has gathered together a fund of knowledge of the world and its inhabitants which is probably unique in so young a man, and he is exceedingly entertaining in his description of places and events. Frank is one who always makes friends wherever he goes, which probably partially accounts for the way in which he came through his experiences uninjured. To show the enterprise and daring of this young globe-trotter we give one illustration: When coming home he brought with him a Chinese chow chow dog. As nothing with hair on, except human beings, is allowed to land at San Francisco, Frank threw the dog overboard and jumping after it swam ashore, a distance of three miles. He there sold the dog for $65, smuggled himself back on board ship and went into quarantine with the rest in order to look after his baggage. He says that Aguinaldo, the leader of the Phillipine rebellion, is at present walking the streets of Manilla with his hands in his pockets at a salary of $1200 a year.

Frank left on Monday morning to visit his father and sister at Durham.

Senator J. R. Gowan, of Barrie, celebrated lately his 89th birthday. He is one of the picturesque figures in the public life of the Dominion, a fine representative of the last generation of politicians, whose relish for service is keen, and whose principals are firmly held. Since 1837, almost seventy years, he has been in the public service in some capacity, and has always filled the positions he held with credit to himself and advantage to the country. Senator Gowan has had a remarkable career in many ways, and in the discharge of his judicial as well as parliamentary duties, during a long period, furnishes an admirable example to young men. No one is likely to say of him, "superfluous lags the veteran on the stage," and a host of friends will wish him many happy returns.—Ex.

CENTRE GREY

Political Meetings

Mr. I. B. Lucas, Ex-M. P., Conservative candidate for Centre Grey, and others, will address public meetings as follows:

Rocklyn, Monday, Jan. 2
Heathcote, Tuesday, Jan. 3
Ravenna (Tw'p hall) Wednesday, Jan. 4
Maxwell, Thursday, Jan. 5
Singhampton, Friday, Jan. 6
Eugenia, Saturday, Jan. 7
Thornbury, Monday, Jan. 9
Walters Falls, Tuesday, Jan. 10
Desboro, Wednesday, Jan. 11
Chatsworth, Thursday, Jan. 12
Markdale, Friday, Jan 13
Holland Centre, Saturday, Jan. 14

Everybody welcome. Seats reserved for ladies. Opposition candidates or representatives invited. Meetings commence at 7.30 p.m. Italian pipers will play at all meetings.

JOHN A. SCOTT,
President L.C.A., Centre Grey

Notice to Creditors

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Grey

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH McCORMICK, late of the Village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, Cooper, 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 above named JOSEPH McCORMICK, who died on or about the 29th day of October, 1904, are required, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton, aforesaid, Agent, the specially appointed Administrator of the said deceased, their full names, addresses and description, a statement of their claims and the particulars and proof thereof, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, on or before the 4th day of January, A. D. 1905.

AND notice is hereby further given that after the 4th day of January, 1905, the said administrator proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the creditors entitled there to, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice; and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the estate, or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.

DATED this 16th day of December, 1904.

R. J. SPROULE, Flesherton,
J. W. FROST, Flesherton,
Solicitor for Administrator.

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