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Flesherton, December 31, 1908.

Gas At Keldon.

There is considerable excitement among the residents of East Luther and Proton over the discovery of natural gas, one mile west of Keldon on the town line. The expert drillers have been at work for some time on a farm owned by David Bruce, but occupied by J. L. Barbaree as tenant. A good flow of gas was struck on Thursday of last week at a depth of 1965. The drillers at once telephoned the fact to Eugene Coste, Toronto, who is manager for the company, and one of the best known oil and gas experts in Canada and he came up on Friday to test the flow. With the sand pump in the drill hole which only allowed a small portion of the gas to escape, the gas when lit at the surface caused the flames to reach to the heighth of ten feet above the ground. The drillers state that the indications for oil in the well are the best they have seen in Ontario. They are now down over 2100 feet and were ordered to drill only in the day time for fear of an explosion from lamps at night from escaping gas. Up to the time gas was discovered they were drilling night and day without any lost time except for ordinary repairs etc. The farmers in the vicinity are highly delighted over the discovery and we trust their expectations may be fully realized and that abundance of oil and gas may be found in the locality.—Shelburne Free Press.

Mayor Calder and manager Catton of the Furniture Factory were in Woodstock last week investigating the possibility of securing for Durham a new industry for the making of table casters, and numerous other small articles of iron. They have come home convinced that the proposition is a good one; the Woodstock people ask neither loan nor bonus, but expect reasonable treatment as to taxes for a term of years. It is also expected that Durham will subscribe privately for a certain amount of stock, about $120,000, the sellers showing their faith in the enterprise by putting in $10,000. The old cream separator building could be utilized after a slight expenditure. It is expected from 25 to 40 hands would be employed and we hope it may be secured. —Review.

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Mr. James Wilson is laid up at present with some cerebral trouble that seems to be of a serious nature.

Mrs. H. Arnott is recovering from a severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blackburn were at Collingwood last week attending the wedding of Mrs. Blackburn's sister, Miss Louisa Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson and daughter spent Christmas with friends in Toronto.

We are sorry to report Mr. James Johnston again in a poor state of health.

Inspector Campbell paid our school an official visit lately. We expect it would be hard to find anything to kick about this time.

Mr. Edward Jamieson of Toronto is visiting in this part at present.

Mr. Sherman Colquette has returned from the West.

Mr. Robert Hannah is preparing to build a new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Benson, Eugenia visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Arnott.

Mr. Frank Blakie left last week for Uxbridge.

Mr. McDonald, teacher, is spending his holidays at his home near Woodstock.

Rev. T. R. White of Laurel occupied the pulpit of Mount Zion church on Sunday. Mr. White was a former pastor and his old congregation were delighted to see and hear him.

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H. WILSON, Blacksmith
Graduate of ne Veterinary Science Association Residence, Durham street, opposite Boyd, Hickling's hardware.

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Dr. E. C. MURRAY L. D. S., dental surgeon honor graduate of Toronto University and Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario. Gas administered for teeth extraction. office at residence, Toronto street Flesherton

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SOCIETIES

A O U W meets on the last Monday in each month, in their lodge room, Christoe's block, Flesherton, at 8 p.m. M.W., Frank Chard; Sec., T. Blakely, Financier, W.J. Belamy. Visiting bretheren invited.

PRINCE ARTHUR LODGE, No. 333, A.F.& A M, meets in the Masonic all, Armstrong's Hall Flesherton, every Friday on or before the full moon. Thos. Blakely, W.M.; Herb. Smith, Secretary.

COURT FLESHERTON, 995, I. O. F. meets in Clayton's Block the last Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting Foresters heartily welcome. H. R., Dyson; R. S., T. Henry; Fin. Sec., C. N. Richardson.
Please pay dues to Fin. Sec. before the first day of the month.

CHOSEN FRIENDS—Flesherton Council of Chosen Friends meets in Clayton's hall first and third Wednesday of each mont 8 p. m Pay assessments to the Recorder on or before the first day of each month. Chief Counsellor T. Blakeley; recorder, W. H. Bunt.