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Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
7.43 a. m.	11.41 a.m.
4.17 p.m.	9.12p. m.

The mails are closed at Flesherton at ollows: For the north at 10.40 a.m. and 7 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south as 3.40 o'clock. For morning train south mail close at 9 p.m. the previous ev'g

VICINITY CHIPS

Mr. N. B. Allen of Shelburne was in town on Monday.

Mr. Thomas Bentham of Chatsworth is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Walter Cargo returned from the West on Thursday of last week.

Mr. Bloomfield Ferris has purchased the old Teeter farm on the East Back Line.

Thieves entered Mr. D. McLeod's house recently and stole a gold case watch from an upstairs room.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid of Lindsay visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Buchanan of the Meaford Road.

Miss Lynetta Hanbury of Dundalk spent a couple of days the past week with her friend, Mrs. R. H. Moore.

Rev. T. Watson, who was pastor of the Baptist church here a few years, ago and more recently has been located at Iona station in Bruce county, has resigned his charge and will take a rest.

Division Court was held here before Judge Widdifield on Friday last, but only a couple of unimportant cases were heard.

Mr. R. H. Wright who has been doing homesteading duties in Saskatchewan for the past two years, returned last week to his family here for the winter.

Mrs. W. P. Crossley will leave this week for Winnipeg, Glenella and North Dakota on an extended visit to her daughter and mother.

Hear Ellwood Genoa, Toronto's well-known reader, in Charles Dickens immortal masterpiece "A Christmas Carol." High School auditorium, Dec. 19th.

Rev. Jas. Dudgeon occupied his own pulpit in the Methodist church for the first time in five weeks on Sunday last. The morning service was well attended and was peculiarly touching.

Mr. Editor:—Through the columns of your paper convey to the citizens of Flesherton and surrounding country, our appreciation of their words of sympathy and their kindness during our affliction.—Rev. and Mrs. Dudgeon

Mrs. Mary Connor, of Walkerton, has been awarded $2,500 against Brant Township, Bruce County, for the death of her husband. Connor was killed in an auto accident, and the bad state of the roads was the cause. Mr. Justice Lennox finds that the township people had neglected to repair the roadway.

After weeks of the most beautiful weather imaginable, winter "came down like a wolf on the fold" Sunday night and made citizens turn the draft on their coal stoves. The wind blew "great guns" as sailors say, and six inches of snow fell but piled itself into such fantantastic heaps that it could not be called either sleighing or wheeling.

P. Munshaw of Eugenia engaged a young man to attend to his guests this year while he was away on his hunting trip. The employee was so indiscreet as to supply liquor to an Indian lister and thereby subjected himself to a fine of $100 and costs. Mr. Munshaw, we believe, paid the shot on his return home. It made the hunting trip a costly one for him.

Mr. Wm. Carter, of Artemesia, left his horse and buggy for a moment one evening last week in front of Mrs. Nesbitt's grocery while he stepped across the sidewalk to the store door for a bag of flour, but the horse, realizing his freedom, started off with a dash, and before reaching Toronto street collided with a telephone pole, and on the north side of the same street another pole was struck. By this time the buggy was in kindling wood, the horse free from it and in a few bounds ran foul of a tree in front of the Markdale House lawn, where he was captured, the buggy only receiving serious damage.—Standard.

A high class concert will be given under the auspices of the Baptist church in the high school auditorium on Friday, Dec. 19. Mr. Ellwood Genoa of Toronto, Miss Winifred Parker, Miss Hulse, the Misses Osborne and McDowell, and Mr. C. Perigo, with Mrs. H. S. White and Miss Ina Smith as accompanists constitutes the talent, and an array such as is seldom heard here. Secure your tickets at Richardson's drug store.

Mr. Kendall Mitchell, who has been studying law in Chicago for the past couple of years, was recently successful in passing his bar examination and is now a full fledged lawyer for the state of Illinois. Out of a class of 72 only fifty were successful. Kendall is only 21 years of age and has done exceedingly well. Congratulations from his many friends here are now in order, and The Advance voices its own.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Chalmers Church held last week the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. President, Mrs. A. S. VanDusen; President, Mrs. D. McTavish; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. Price Teeter; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. Jos. Radley; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Jos. Blackburn; Visiting Committee, Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. Radley, Mrs. T. J. Stinson and Mrs. W. J. Stewart. The treasurer's report showed the Society to be in a prosperous condition.

Windsor Record:—Miss Winifred Parker, soloist of Old St. Andrews Presbyterian church, Toronto, sustained the role of contralto in the production of the Messiah. All her work revealed the artist in temperment and methods, but her rendering of "He was Despised" was beyond criticism in the tender pathetic expression." High Schoo auditorium, Dec. 19th.

Mr. R. Hoy of the Collingwood gravel met with a painful and serious accident one day recently. He was engaged whitewashing his stable with a compressed air sprayer. The nozzle becoming clogged he unertook to turn a nut but turned it the wrong way, and the fresh lime with which it was charged blew into his face and eyes. Mr. Hoy suffered excruciating pain and took the first train to Toronto to visit an eye specialist. Word was received Saturday that it was doubtful if the sight of one eye could be saved, and the other was very weak.

A liquor case was tried in the town hall on Friday last before Magistrates McMullen and McGill. James Radley of Ceylon was charged with selling a glass of liquor to Harry Woods of Flesherton on Nov. 18 last. Woods swore that he had three drinks in the morning of that day from a bottle which he found. He then went out to Ceylon and had a drink in Radley's hotel along with two other men, but he did not think it was whiskey, although he would not swear positively that it was not whiskey. It was admitted on all hands that Wood was drunk when he returned to Flesherton, and although he swore he had no other drinks but the three in the morning and the one he got at Radley's the magistrates thought the evidence was not strong enough and dismissed the case.

The village council met on Wednesday evening of last week and appointed a delegation to go to Guelph to attend a banquet which is intended to push along the electric railway scheme. The delegation appointed, left Tuesday morning for Guelph and is composed of the following gentlemen: D. McTavish, Reeve; T. Blakeley, L. Fisher, Mark Wilson and M. K. Richardson. Large delegations went from Collingwood and Owen Sound and from many other points in the county. Everybody wants the electric road and are prepared to cheer themselves hoarse for it. Hon. Adam Beck was to be present at the banquet, where he will have an opportunity of learning with exactly what enthusiasm this section of country has fallen in line with his new Electric Railway Act. Artemesia council, we understand, also attended the banquet in a body.

Notice

The Building Committee of the Methodist shed requests that all bills for labor, material etc. be handed in at once to Mr. Armstrong as they are desirous to complete their work before end of year.

The Women Entertain

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church gave a delineation of how they do business in the town hall on Friday evening last—as popularly conceived by the degenerate male mind. As a burlesque it was a big success and some of the ladies demonstrated their entire fitness to earn their "keep" on the stage as comedians. There was a large audience present to enjoy the fun. The play was a Ladies Aid meeting of the past century and the absurd costumes were quite in keeping with the date. One lady was dressed in solidiers uniform from bow to amid ship and she was a suffragette who could think of nothing else. The hostess assisted another lady troubled with "narves" in taking off her wraps, including seven coats. Still another was so bound up in home ties that she was talking all the time about what her husband said. The long-suffering president had much difficulty in holding the meeting down to a discussion of the subject such as into how many pieces a pie should be cut, and other equally nonsensical topics. As a farce the whole thing was well put on. To prevent monotony Messrs. Holland, Murray, Wilcock and Sullivan rendered a couple of quartets and Miss Irene Wilson sang very sweetly one of the old, old favorites, "When you and I were young, Maggie." Miss Florence Bunt gave a recitation dealing with what the Ladies Aid could do. After the entertainment an excellent flash light was taken of the group of female loveliness and everybody adjourned to their homes in a happy mood. The proceeds amounted to about $47.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—30 choice Barred Rock Cockerels; $1.00, $1.50 and $2 00. These birds won all the prizes in their class at the Dundalk Fair. Mail orders filled. Call or 'phone. J. W. Hanna, R R. No. 2, Dundalk.

Two Jack Screws to rent. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

For Sale—One cow seven years old, due to calf in February. Apply to A. Thistlethwaite, Flesherton p. o.

A few choice R. I. Red s.c. cockerels for sale—good enough for show birds. W. H, Thurston, Flesherton.

Legal Blanks For Sale—R. J. Sproule keeps constantly on hand and for sale cheap a full stock of Deeds, Mortgages, Wills and all other legal blanks. Any requiring such will find it to their interest to give him a call.

For sale cheap and on easy terms, Lot 13, con. 11, Osprey, 110 acres. This is a first class farm and in a good state of cultivation. Good bank barn and new frame dwelling. Apply to R. J. Sproule Flesherton.

For Sale.—4½ yards of linoleum, 4 yds. wide, 1 extension table 8 feet long, one heating stove, all nearly new. Apply to E. A. Graham or Robert Plantt, Eugenia.

MISCELLANEOUS

Orders solicited for picture framing for Christmas. A nice line of pictures and frames for gifts. W. H. Sloan, Kimberley.

"SPECIAL"—Some intelligent laborer wanted for all year work, in our different departments, men who may grow quickly into better than common laborers' pay Enquire for particulars and send qualifications to the Collingwood Shipbuilding Co., Collingwood, Ont.

$2000 private funds to loan on farm mortgage security at lowest rates of interest. Apply R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.

Notice Re Taxes—I will be at Portlaw on Friday, Dec. 5, and at Eugenia on Friday, Dec. 12, to receive township taxes, from 10 to 4 o'clock p. m. Do not overlook the dates. Jas. Carson, Collector.

Portlaw school will give a concert on Thursday, Dec. 18, when an unusual good programme will be rendered, consisting of dialogues, recitations, drills, choruses, duets, quartettes, etc. Flesherton and Maxwell talent will assist. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Property To Rent

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GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR FATHER

Fancy Felt and Leather Slippers from 75 cents to $2 00
Fancy Shirts from 1.00 to $3.50
New Neckties from 25c to 75c
New Scarfs from 25c to $1.00
New Sweater Coats from 1.25 to $3.00

GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR MOTHER

New Handkerchiefs, a large range, from 5c to 50c.
New Gloves from 50c to $3.00
Fancy Felt Slippers from 75c to $1.75
Fancy Sweater Coats from $1.25 to $4.00
Fancy Hand Bags from 85c to $5.00
New Waists from 2.25 to $2.25
New Waist Lengths in Silk for 3.00
New FURS, many styles and prices.

Heavy Rubbers For Men

We have the largest stockof Heavy Rubbers in town. We have anything you can ask for in this line and can save you money on your wants.

Special 12-inch leather top, best quality, sizes 6 to 12 at $4.00
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BOYS' sizes 1 to 5 at 1.25
YOUTHS' sizes 9 to 13 at 1.00

Special Showing in Women's Fine Shoe Leathers

We have just received a shipment in Women's Fine Shoes in Patent, Gun Metal and Vici Kid, made by best Canadian Shoe Manufacturer in the trade. These Shoes were made to sell at 4.00, 4.50 and $5, all Good Year Welt goods in the best leathers procurable, just the thing for a nice Xmas. box, Special this week 3.48

Special Showing in Women's Fur Collared and Fur Lined Coats

We have an extra large range in Ladies' Fur Collared Coats in Quilt and Niggerhead Linings, marmot and sable collars, moderately priced from 14.00 to 18.00

Ladies' Fur Lined Coats from 37.50 to 60.00

Grocery Department

NEW RAISINS 3 lbs. 25c. NEW CURRANTS 3 lbs. 25c. NEW Peel, mixed, per lb. 15c. Our new Special Blend Tea at 30, 35 and 40c a lb., put up in 2, 3 and 5 lb. tins, cannot be beaten. Every tin guaranteed.

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