THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

Quarterly Dividend Notice, No. 93

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of THIRTEEN Per Cent. Per Annum upon the Capital Stock of this Bank has this day been declared for the quarter ending 31st January, 1914, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office in this city and at its Branches on and after Monday, the 2nd Day of February, 1914, to shareholders of record of 23rd January, 1914.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto on Wednesday, the 18th of February next, at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD,
General Manager.

Toronto, 16th December, 1913. 157

C. P. R. Time Table.

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

Born—Sunday, Jan. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Fenwick, a daughter.

Mrs. Jacob Parliament of Paisley visited relatives in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kyle of Teston, visited over New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnett.

Mrs. H. S. White will receive, at her home, Monday, January 19th, from 3 to 6 p. m.

Miss May Jamieson returned Saturday to her duties in Mont Clair after spending the holidays with her mother.

Born—At Amulet, Sask., on Saturday, Dec. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Nixon, nee Gertie Paul, a son.

The members of the Public Library are requested to attend the annual meeting to be held in the library on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock.

Frank Duncan will sell coal oil for the next thirty days at twenty cents a gallon, The receipt of a large consigment makes this possible.

Born—At Flesherton, on Sunday, January 11, to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Magee, (nee Miss Reta LeGard) of Ogema, Sask., a daughter.

For several weeks past Dr. Carter has been seriously ill at his home here, and still continues in a low condition. Dr. McWilliams of Dundalk has been attending him.

Winter arrived with all his cohorts of wind, snow and low temperature on Friday night last. The storm in varying degrees lasted until Monday and left us with plenty of snow very unevenly distributed, and cold weather.

Kimberely Methodists will hold their annual tea and entertainment this (Thursday) evening. Miss Hulse of Flesherton will play the violin, and this itself ought to draw everybody within a radius of five miles. See bills for full particulars.

Mr. R. Wilcock met with a painful accident one day last week while chopping in the bush. A limb fell on his foot, cutting through rubber and boot and injuring the foot. He will be confined to the house for some days.

Rev. Mr. Dudgeon exchanged pulpits with Rev. Wallace of Markdale on Sunday evening The latter gentleman preached a strong sermon here from the text, "What owest thou to my Lord?" He is a polished speaker and gave a discourse that was very much appreciated.

A half dozen members of the Masonic fraternity drove over to Honeywood on Thursday to attend the funeral of one of their oldest members, Mr. John McConachie, who died in Toronto at the age of 91 years. Years ago the deceased gentleman kept a country store at Wareham, later at Honeywood. He died at the home of a daughter in Toronto.

At Monday's session of Artemesia Council the following officers were appointed: Auditors, R. McGill and T. Chislett; Local Board of Health, the Reeve, P. Muir and Dr. Carter, M.H.O.; members of High School Board, J. L. McMullen and Alfred Harrison; sheep inspectors, John Fadden, S. McMullen James Best, Harry Piper, Malcolm McIntyre, Geo. Warling, Robert Plantt and Samuel Pedlar. The minutes will appear next week.

Flesherton High School Literary Society held a meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 6th for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices for 1914. Several were nominated for each office, and the election which was held on Friday, January 9th was hotly contested. The following officers were elected: Hon. Pres., Mr. White; Hon. Vice-Pres., Miss C. Hulse; Pres., W. Whittaker; Vice-Pres., G. White; Sec'y, L McPhail; Treas., M. Henderson; Pianist, M. Boyd; Critic, L. Brattie; Reporter, D. McVicar; Committee—E. Whittaker, S. Orr, C. Dudgeon, V. Stafford. The first meeting of the society will be held on Friday, Jan. 16. All are cordially invited.

Premier Whitney is still in a precarious condition in New York.

Mrs. F. W. Watts of Toronto will speak to the ladies of this community on Saturday, Jan. 17th, at 2 p. m. in the High School. Her subject will be "A talk with mothers and girls," and in the evening at the joint meeting of Farmers and Women's Institute which is being held in the Town Hall at 7.30 p. m., her address will be on "Why is it." Home talent will supply music for evening meeting. Everybody is heartily welcome and invited to attend both of these meetings. Mrs. E. Best, Secy.

A high class entertainment will be given under the auspices of East Grey Fall Fair, in the auditorium of the high school, Flesherton, Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, consisting of a grand musical recital given by the pupils of one of our leading piano music teachers. Violin music by Miss Hulse, accompanied by Mrs. White. Mr Fred Perrin, entertainer and commedian, and other talent, will assist in the program. Don't miss it. Admission 35, 25 and 15 cents. Reserve seat plan at W. Buskin's.

Mr. Mark Wilson built a fox corral last summer and has had in his possession nine or ten red foxes. These were in a wire enclosure covered over with wire, and a cement floor, the wire being embedded in the cement. Notwithstanding all these precautions Mr. Wilson has but five foxes now left. Some time ago one got out in some mysterious manner, another broke its neck against the wire, and one night last week the cute little animals found a week spot in the wire and three broke through to liberty. Since then some of the hen roosts in town have suffered, B. Welton losing twelve fowl. These losses of fully fifty dollars worth of foxes will be charged up to experience.

The village council met on Monday with Messrs. McTavish, Reeve, in the chair, and Councillors Nuhn, Blakeley, Fisher and Wilson. The following village officers were appointed: Assessor, John Wright; G. Mitchell and J. Blackburn, auditors; the Reeve, J. P. Ottewell and Dr. T. Carter on the Local Board of Health.. W. J. Boyd was appointed high school trustee for one year and John Boland for two years. A number of small accounts were passed as follows: John Wright and W. J. Bellamy, attending Division Court, as per the new Division Court Act, $4 each; Mark Wilson, Louis Fisher, T. A. Blakeley and the Reeve, $5.35 each expenses to Guelph; John Wright, putting in catch basins in drain, $3; W. H. Thurston, printing, $9. An account from John White for attending diphtheria patients was referred to the local Board of Health for recommendation.

The St. Louis weather prophet certainly hit the nail on the head in the present cold spell and storm of Monday. Here is his forecast dealing with this period as published in Word and Works three weeks ago: "A regular storm period, which is central on the 12th, promises to be prolonged by moon being in perigee on the celestial equator on the 15th and 16th. The barometer will show growing change in western parts by the 10th and 11th, and for several days following, rain and snow will cover wide areas in the general march of storm conditions eastwardly across the country. Unless the Mars influence, which was central on Dec. 25, has a modifying, instead of an intensifying effect, severe winter storms, ending in blizzards and a cold wave, will result at this time." As a matter of fact it rained on the 9th and a howling snowstorm raged on the 11th and 12th, followed by a dip in the mercury to 20 below zero. How is that for a weather prophesy?

An Arthur Township farmer brought a box of eggs to town. They were taken into a town store by an inexperienced boy who gave a due bill for them. The merchant investigated and found that many of the eggs were bad. When the farmer called for his pay the merchant declined to pay the price. The farmer said he would make him. Medical Health Officer Perry got wind of the matter and prosecuted the farmer for offering eggs for sale that were unfit for food. The case was tried on Monday before Mayors Cook and Clarke, occupying four or five hours in the afternoon. No decision was arrived at then, but further consideration was to be given yesterday.—Mt. Forest Confederate.

Rev. D D. Rolston of Walkerton died, after an illness of two months, in his 95th year.

Mrs. Alex. Stewart

After an extended illness of heart trouble Mrs. Alexander Stewart of this village passed away on Monday, of this week, Dec. 12, at the age of 73 years and one day. The deceased lady was of a very hospitable and kindly disposition. She was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to Canada with her parents when a child, settling nea Brampton. Fifty-five years ago she was married to Alex Stewart and together they were among the early settlers of Artemesia. Ten children still living were the outcome of this union, as follows: John, Mark, Mrs. Donald McLeod, Mrs. A. Gilchrist and Mrs. A. McRae of Artemesia; Mrs. John Thibadeau and Mrs. Peter Thibadeau of Markdale; Mrs. John Nixon, Mono Road; Will in Fort William and Charles in Kindersley, Sask. Mrs. Stewart was a faithful and consistent member of the Presbyterian church for the last fifty years of her life. Her family is among the most respected in this township, and have crowned her life with honor. The memory of a kind and loving mother will long be kept green by the bereaved sons and daughters. To the aged partner, who is himself in very feeble health, much and special sympathy is forthcoming from all.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Artemesia:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I desire to express my thanks for the generous support given to me in the past election.

—ALEX CAMERON

A course in agricultural instruction has been started in Woodstock Collegiate Institute.

Notice

We have received instructions from Durham Furniture Co. to purchase logs for them at their mill, Ceylon. Also to inspect and measure same. For prices etc. apply to G. or F. Collinson, Ceylon.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

Loom For Sale—Fly loom, foot power in good order. Will weave fourteen yards per day. Apply to Ann Cooper, Eugenia P. O. 25Jan

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

For Sale—One good work horse, one cutter, one robe, one set single harness —W. W. Trimble.

Apples For Sale—First class winter fruit. Apply to Fred Jamieson, Eugenia.

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.

LOST AND FOUND

Sum of money found at Ceylon. Inquire at C.P.R. station.

MISCELLANEOUS

"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.

The annual meeting of the East Grey Agricultural Society will be held on Tuesday, January 20th, at 2 o'clock in the town hall, Flesherton. All members are requested to attend. Chas. Stewart, President, Wes Buskin Treasurer, Silas Shunk, Secretary.

A high class recital, with Mr. Fred J. Perrin, Toronto, humorist, will be given in the High School, Wednesday, January 21, under the auspices of the East Grey Agricultural Society. Come, don't miss it.

All those owing accounts to Jas. McClocklin, Ceylon, are requested to please settle same with S. Hemphill, Ceylon, by February 1st, 1914.

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

THE MARKETS.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Wheat	85 to 85
Oats	33 to 33
Peas	1 12 to 1 12
Barley	55 to 55
Hay	12 00 to 12 00
Butter	22 to 22
Eggs, fresh	35 to 35
Potatoes per bag	75 to 75
Geese	12 to 13
Ducks	15 to 15
Fowl	11 to 11
Chickens	13 to 13
Turkeys	18 to 20

HILL BROS., MARKDALE.

This Week We Offer Many

HOLIDAY LINES

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS BUYERS

These lines are much below our regular prices. In our store you will find Gifts suitable for Father, Mother, Sister and Brother. Remember there are only twelve more business days before Chrismas, and the newest gifts are picked up quick. It will pay you to get your needs Early. See us. We can supply you.

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
Bottoms for leather tops, solid heel, sizes 6 to 12 at $1.75
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.

HILL BROS, - MARKDALE

W. L. WRIGHT

FLESHERTON

Great Reductions in Prices For a Limited time, Only.

Not a dollar's worth of old or Shop Worn Goods in the store. Everything New and Up-To-Date. I am going to clear out the balance of our Winter Goods at a sacrifice to make room for our Spring Stock, which is now coming in. Just call and see the goods at the prices we are quoting. We know you will not be disappointed.

RUBBERS

Men's Cobalts, 12 inches, reg. $4.50 for $3.98
Men's Sudbury, 7 inches, reg. $3.50 for $2.98
Men's Forest King reg. $3.25 for $2.80
Men's Rosewood reg. $3.00 for $2.60
Men's Huron, 3 eye reg. $2.25 for $1.98
Boys' Huron, 3 eye reg. $2.00 for $1.69
Boys' Huron, 3 eye reg $1.75 for $1.39
Men's Felt Socks, reg. $1.00 for 89c
Men's Arctic Shoes, reg. $1.00 for 80c

Ladies' Bedroom Slippers, reg. 90c for 79c
Women's Claret Slippers, reg $1.35 for $1.29
Men's Leather Mitts at Reduced Prices.
Big Reductions in Ladies', Gents and Children's Sweaters, Woolen Caps and Mitts.
All the Latest Novelties in Gent's Furnishings—Fancy Shirts, Collars, Ties, etc.
Ladies' Furs, Mantles, etc., at greatly Reduced Prices.
We have a few ends of Dress Goods which we are selling off.

Men's Black Cloth Coat with fur collar, reg $22.50 ..... $18.00
Men's Fur Coat, China Dog, reg $22.50 for $18.00
Men's Fur Coat, Sitka Bear, reg $26.25 for $21.00
Good value in Cloth Coats, reg $16.50 for $13.25
A few Boys' Coats left at, reg $8.50 for $6.80
A few Boys' Coats left at, reg $6.75 for $5.40
A number of Boys' two piece suits going at a reduction.

Five Roses Flour ..... $5.75 per barrel
Purity Flour ..... $5.75 per barrel
Royal Household ..... $5.75 per barrel
Shorts $1.25
Bran $1.10
Rolled Oats, 8 lbs for 25c
Rolled Wheat, 7 lbs for 25c
Selected Raisins, 3 for 25c
Currants, 3 for 25c
Fresh Trout ..... 12c per lb.
Best Grade American oil, 5 gallons 90c

SPECIALS IN GROCERIES

Canned Tomatoes ..... 9c per can
Canned Corn ..... 3 for 25c
Canned Peas ..... 3 for 25c
Tomato Catsup ..... 2 for 25c
Pork and Beans ..... 3 for 25c
Canned Salmon ..... 3 for 25c
Sardines ..... 6 for 25c
Corn Meal ..... 8 lbs for 25c
Best Granulated Sugar ..... 20 lbs for $1.00
Cranberries ..... 3 lbs for 25c

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR PRODUCE

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 13th February, 1914, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week each way

over Clarksburg (via Banks and Loree) Rural Mail Route.

from the Post Master General's pleasure

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Clarksburg, Banks, Loree and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Toronto.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Toronto, January 2nd 1914.

A. SUTHERLAND,
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