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4.17 p.m.	9.12p. m.

The mails are osed at Flesherton as 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. Harold Karstedt of Shelburne spent Sunday at his parental home here.

Miss Adda Wright, teacher at Beaverdale, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. C. E. Mills of Dundalk and little babe spent the past week with her parents in town, Mr. and Mrs. John Colgan.

Miss Lillian Buchanan of Vandeleur is visiting friends at Bobcaygeon and Reaboro.

Rev. Mr. Waugh of Dundalk will occupy the Methodist pulpit on Sunday morning and evening next.

Reeves McTavish of the village and McKenzie of the township are attending county council in Owen Sound this week.

F. T. Hill & Co. of Markdale have re. turned to our columns as Christmas season advertisers. Look over their announcement.

Mr. Carl Walker, who has been in the west for some time, returned home on Monday, and will visit his mother at Eugenia for a time.

The Presbyterian Sunday School have commenced their practice for their annual entertainment to take place on Christmas night. They have decided to go back to their old style and tea will be served again this year.

Miss Hazel Shunk, who has spent the past couple of months in Woodbridge, returned to her home here last week. Hazel has secured a position as teacher at Irish Lake school and commenced her duties on Monday last.

Mr. Will Wilcock, student of engineering, has returned home after a summer up in the Kaministiqua. Mr. Wilcock has applied for a position with the Second Canadian Engineers and if accepted will go to war.

Dr. Murray undertook to bring an auto up from Orangeville on Friday last, for Mr. T. Bentham of Chatsworth. The snow made going very difficult and Dundalk was only made about 5 p. m., when the brake gave out and the car was left over night. Saturday it was brought up here by sleigh.

Rock Mills Baptist church held a very successful concert on Wednesday evening of last week, the proceeds amounting to $36. The most interesting feature of the program was the burning of the mortgage. The church is now free from debt and prosperous.

Inspector Beckett of Owen Sound seized a case of ale at the station here on Friday last which was addressed to Charles Maxwell. No such person is known here. The inspector was doing some investigation work out at Eugenia, as a consequence of which a case is likely to be tried here on Saturday.

Mr. Jos. Duncan has sold his house and lot on Toronto street to Mr. Hood Hemphill of the 4th line. Mr. Hemphill recently sold his farm to Mr. R. Plantt, and with his sisters will take up residence in town about Jan. 1. Mr. Duncan has not yet decided what he will do.

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The following is a statement of oats and potatoes contributed by citizens of Artemesia Township to the Patriotic Fund, with amounts delivered at the various stations, estimated:—Markdale, 150 bushel oats and 57 bushel potatoes; Flesherton, 510 bushel oats and 390 bushel potatoes; Priceville, 110 bushel oats and 117 bushel potatoes; Proton Station, 371 bushel oats and 247 bushel potatoes. Total contributions 1141 bushel oats and 811 bushel potatoes.

Mr. H. H. Stevens, M.P., of Vancouver blames Germans for sending the cargo of Hindus to Vancouver in July last.

A patriotic concert will be held at Maxwell on the 30th inst. for which a first class program has been prepared. See bills for complete information.

Mrs. Buntz and Master Osborne Tracey of Toronto, who have been visiting friends in this part, returned to their homes on Tuesday.

At a meeting of the W. I. held on Nov. 4th it was decided to send forward the money to the Red Cross, $71 being raised by concert, and balance was made by collections, making the total $168.25. Mrs. McVicar gave an excellent address on Current Events.

Mr. W. G. Duncan, a brother of Mr. Joseph Duncan, of Flesherton was recently elected representative to the Washington state Legislature by a good, substantial majority. Mr. Duncan has been a resident of Washington for the past thirty years and his election indicates his popularity in his home state. The new member for Lincoln county is an old friend of the Advance, and we tender him our very heartiest congratulations.

Regular monthly meeting of the W. I. will be held in the high school on Wednesday December 2, at 2.30 p. m. Papers will be given on Making Christmas Cake and Pudding, by Mrs. C. Bellamy. How to help our members have a Merry Xmas, by Mrs. R. Moore. Mrs. R. Best will give a report of the convention held in Toronto.

The Red Cross ladies of the town shipped on Saturday last a box containing the following supplies for the army: 1 dozen scarfs, 1½ dozen pairs socks, 4 cholera belts, 1½ dozen wash cloths, 8 bandages, 6 hospital shirts, 3 pairs wristlets, 3 bath robes and 1 pair pillows. They hope to ship another box in about three weeks and would request anyone having supplies to donate to hand the same to Miss Maud Richardson.

The public library board met on Friday evening last and appointed Rev. Mr. McVicar as delegate to the Library Association meeting held in Owen Sound Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Mr. McVicar was not sure that he could attend but was empowered to get a substitute if he could not go himself. The board also decided to purchase another lot of recently published books before the new year. New subscribers can get a membership up to Feb. 1, the end of the current year, for 25c.

The Christmas season is now upon us, and what are we going to do about it? Will we sit down in sack cloth and ashes and mourn for the days "befo' de wa'"? Or will we do our best to forget our troubles and make an honest effort to bring conditions up to the standard of former years? "Business as usual" is a good motto that ought to be at the head of every live merchants advertisement all the time, but more particularly at this season of the year, when business is inclined to be stagnant. Push, pull, "holler" and let folks see that we are not all dead in our trenches.

We understand that the Hylands have completed their contract at dam No. 2 Eugenia, but have extra finishing work that will take some time to complete. The stream of workmen still keeps flowing—also ebbing. When the cold weather came there was a regular exodus of cold-feeted foreigners, but others came to take their place. Twenty-five swarthy workman from Toronto arrived on Saturday, and others are coming in nearly every day, while probably as many Weary Willies depart.

W. W. Pope, secretary of the hydro electric commission, and Mr. Hogg, chief engineer, met the Artemesia council in special session on Monday with a view to securing the passing of the bylaw closing certain roads near Eugenia. A number of protests had been made against such closing. The bylaw has not yet received its third reading but was left over until releases are secured by the commission. The council made a settlement with Mr. McDonald, contractor for the horseshoe hill cement bridge, which matter has been in dispute. The settlement embraced a payment of $525 to cover the claim, which amounted to $750. The contractor was willing to accept the former amount rather than to proceed with the threatened law suit.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

Jersey cow and heifer calf for sale—W. A. Armstrong.

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