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Flesherton
Baptist Church

R. C. Kerr, Pastor. Phone 33 R. 2
Sunday School 10 a . m.
Service at 11 a m.

Flesherton
Methodist Church

Rev. James Dudgeon, pastor.
Sunday, January 17, 1915.
11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—The pastor
Sunday, 10 a. m. Fellowship Service.
Monday evening Epworth League at 8 p. m.
Mark Everette Wright choir leader and Organist.

Failures at Orangeville

Three business firms in town ceased payment during the past two weeks. Orangeville Business College, which up to a short time ago enjoyed a large student attendance, assigned to Sheriff Endacott on Friday. J. R. Harcus, grocer, did not make an assignment, but has closed his doors to future customers and it is believed creditors as well. Assignments are sometimes more severe on the general public than on the individual interested, as losses are forced on honest citizens who cannot possibly afford to be relieved in such a manner. The assets of the Business College are very small while the liabilities are fairly large, considering what material the creditors had to look to in order to be recouped. There are many failures in the large centres just at present, but there is no reason the smaller towns should be affected, however, one collapse assists very materially in forcing another.

Horse Poisoned

It seems incredible that there should be such people on the top of God's beautiful earth, but the facts cannot be gainsayed.

On Monday morning of this week, the Rev. Mr. McBrien, pastor of Thornbury Methodist Church, went out to the stable as usual to feed his horse. Feed was placed in the oat box, and after breakfast the minister hitched up the horse and went out driving. He noticed that the animal had not partaken of his feed with his usual avidity, but did not perceive anything much out of the way at the time except that the horse seemed to act strangely. At noon however, when he brought the horse into the stable to feed him he chanced to notice a greenish looking substance on the top of the feed the animal had left unfinished at his morning meal. Investigation showed this to be Paris Green, which had evidently been placed in the bottom of the feed box sometime during Sunday night.

We are glad to know however that the horse is likely to recover, although it is not likely to be fit for any work for some little time. Had the animal taken a little more poison the result would, of course, have been fatal beyond a doubt, as Paris Green is peculiarly dangerous stuff.

Some people attribute the outrage to a disgrunt'ed Anti-Local Optionist, but we cannot understand why such a person should work his spite on a dumb animal. —Clarksburg Review.

How Editors Get Rich

After a great deal of worry and study we have at last figured out how so many country editors get rich. Here is the secret of their success. There is a child born in the neighborhood. The attending physician gets $10. The editor gives the loud-lunged youngster a great send-off and gets $0. It is christened, and the minister gets $5 and the editor gets $00. It grows and marries. The editor publishes another long-winded flowery article and tells a dozen lies about the "beautiful and accomplished bride." The minister gets $10 and a piece of cake. The editor gets $000 and a request to carry the groom's subscription account another year. In the course of time she dies. The doctor gets $5 to $100. The editor publishes a notice of death and an obituary two columns long, lodge resolutions, a lot of poetry and a card of thanks and gets $0,000. No wonder so many country editors get rich.

On Tuesday of last week, Edward Anderson, lot 12, con. 7, Mulmur, drove to Rosemount to see Dr. Blair, and called at Mansfield post office on the way home. A neighbor met him shortly afterwards sitting in the cutter dead. He leaves a widow and one child. Mrs. Anderson is a sister of Mrs. Ed. Smyth, 10th line, Nottawasaga.

Walkerton

Mr. William Findlayson of Walkerton has received word that four of his nephews, who were fighting in a Scottish regiment at the front, had been killed outright on the battlefield. Many families in Scotland are being almost decimated by the war, as the flower of Old Scotia is about all out on the thin red line battling for the cause of freedom and the integrity of the empire.

George Haines of Greenock, who like many in Walkerton and Brant, had been losing chickens for sometime, became tired of the depredations on his feathered flock and suspecting certain parties placed Constable J. H. Armstrong on the trail of the culprits. Taking up the scent like a veritable Sherlock Holmes the knight of the baton soon had four young men under arrest, two of whom were sons of a prominent Justice of the Peace. On being taken before Mr. James Johnston, J. P., at Kinlough they were all fined handsomely for the affair.

Although the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board released Brant Township from rebuilding the bridge near Archie McCurdy's farm and which had recently been destroyed by floods, McCurdy entered an action against Brant for $1000 for the depreciation of his farm which he claimed had dropped that amount in value through the loss of the bridge. His neighbor, Mr. John Butchart, also claimed that his 35 acres had depreciated about $15 an acre, or $525 in all. The Township therefore found itself confronted with a total claim of $1525. As a consequence, the Brant Council and their solicitor, Mr. O. E. Klein, met the claimants and their solicitor, Mr. D. Robertson, in Walkerton on Saturday last and threshed the matter out. After both sides had grown frothy with argument, the contending forces came to a settlement by the Township paying McCurdy and Butchart $525 in full of all claims. Thus has this old ordinance been taken off the stage.

Mr. Fred Moore, who arrived in Walkerton on Friday after spending the past year at his home in England, had a rather exciting experience in crossing the ocean. Mr. Moore took passage on the Steamship Principello, which carried a party of members of the first Canadian contingent invalided home from Salisbury Plains. A couple of days out from Manchester for Halifax the Principello was hailed by a British cruiser and ordered to halt. The passenger ship did not comply as speedily as was required and great excitement was caused aboard when the cruiser opened fire. Two guns roared, but apparently only blanks intended as a warning. The passenger boat still moved and an instant later a shell screamed across her bow. The Principello came to a halt as quickly as possible and after exchanging signals with the cruiser was permitted to proceed on her voyage to Halifax. The explosion greatly alarmed Mr. Moore and many of the passengers, who believed that their ship had struck a floating mine.

Louis Plante of Wiarton, who was released the other day from the Walkerton jail, after serving thirty days on a charge of being drunk and disorderly and resisting arrest, claimed on securing his liberty, that he was doped and that prior to his arrest had lost control of his head. According to Plante's story Curtis Griffin of Wiarton met him on the street there, and notwithstanding that Plante told him he was on the Indian list produced two pint bottles and gave him a drink. The stuff, Curtis claims, was made out of drugs and had a little taste of whiskey. After drinking one of the bottles and taking two gulps out of the other, Plante lost his head and started to cut up like a wild Indian. High constable Ward who arrested him and brought him to Walkerton stated that he appeared to him as if he had dope of some kind as he could not smell liquor on him and Plante seemed out of his head. Curtis Griffin, however, claimed that there was nothing in the bottle but liquor, and as he admitted giving him booze when he was on the Indian List he was brought to Walkerton last Friday to serve thirty days for this offence. Griffin will also put in an additional twenty-one days for using profane language.—Herald and Times.

Maple Park

Intended for Last Week

We are glad to report Miss Louise Black able to be around after a severe attack of the measles.

Mr. Jas. Fenwick, of Weyburn, Sask., is spending a few months with his parents here.

Mrs. A. Partridge and son, Elwood, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jos. Allison.

Mrs. Louis Hill has returned home after spending the past week with friends in Shelburne.

Mr. A. Morrison paid a flying visit to Markdale the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Warling spent New Years with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Croft.

Mr. Wm. Morrison spent Sunday with friends on the gravel.

Dundalk

Coulter Bros. bought eleven horses in Dundalk last week.

There's a dog in Corbetton that chews tobacco like a man. He is particular about the brand of weed at that.

For the third time within three months A. Montgomery's butcher shop was broken into last Thursday night and meat stolen. Mr. Montgomery claims to know who the parties are and would gladly give them meat if they would call and ask for it in the proper way.

Magistrates' Court was held Thursday evening when a case was heard by Magistrates Sinclair and Traynor in which a charge was laid against Nassau Agnew and Bert Neithercut of damaging property in the Cole block. It appeared from the evidence that a door and lock were broken when the defendants were calling on Chas. Montgomery at his rooms over the Union Bank the night before. A fine of $2 00 and costs was imposed on each, and the damages were assessed at $12.35, which the defendants paid.

At the ripe age of 90 years, Mrs. Wm. Neithercut, a pioneer of this district, passed peacefully to her reward on the morning of New Year's Day. The deceased, who was one of the hardy early settlers, was born in County Cavan, Ireland, and came with her parents to Canada in 1842 and lived in Tecumse township up to the time of her marriage to the late Wm. Neithercut of Otonabee, Peterboro County. They lived there for a few years, coming to Melancthon 63 years ago. Mr. Neithercut passed away in 1887.—Herald.

Rod and Gun

January Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Publisher, Woodstock, Ont., is out and is a particularly attractive number. The cover cut, which represents a beaver family, was specially designed to illustrate a story by H. Mortimer Batten entitled "Ahmisk the City Maker," descriptive of the every day life of a particular colony of beavers. Frank Houghton contributes another Carl Erricson story, "Oomingmunk," a dramatic account of the killing of a musk ox in the far North, which is characterized by the same quaint humor was Houghton's story "His First Polar Bear" in the December issue. R. J. Fraser writes of "Four Sailors on the Trail" which describes a winter trip by dog team from Cochrane to Rupert House.

Other stories and articles there are and the regular departments to interest the sportsman who must perforce during the winter months content himself, for the most part, by reading of the experiences of others while seated by his own fireside.

The Walkerton branch of the Knechtel Furniture Co. and the Canada Furniture Manufacturers have closed owing to lack of orders and general dullness of trade. They will probably remain idle for a week or two yet.

In the neighborhood of 5,000 hogs have been killed within a radius of eight miles of Chatham in an effort to stamp out the epidemic of the hog cholera which was raging so strongly some weeks ago, but which is now considered under control.

Chesley Enterprise relates the following:—In the last three verses of the 12th Chapter of St. Mark, the Master commendeth the poor widow for her much giving. In Chesley in the last week of 1914 a little six-year old boy who had five dollars in the savings bank gave all that he had to buy a barrel of flour for the Belgians; and a barrel will keep two starving Belgians alive all winter. The boys name is Burdetts McNeel and we would ask all our exchanges to repeat the story of the sacrifice of a Chesley boy who has a heart that can feel for another's woe.

Mrs. John Byrnes, Mrs. Andrew Boyle and Mrs. Geo. Stalker had an experience on election day that they do not care to have repeated. They were returning from one of the polling booths in a sleigh driven by Mr. Ralph Clark and when turning the corner of Fifth and Huron-tario streets the sleighs overturned, throwing the occupants out. All three were more or less injured, Mrs. Byrnes and Mrs. Boyle both having ribs fractured and latter her head badly bruised, while Mrs. Stalker was bruised and shaken up. Mrs. Byrnes and Mrs. Stalker were hurried home, while Mrs. Boyle was taken to the G. & M. Hospital. All are doing well.—Bulletin.

THE MARKETS.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Wheat	$1 15 to 1 15
Oats	46 to 46
Peas	$1 25 to 1 25
Barley	60 to 60
Buckwheat	60 to 60
Flour	$6 25 to $7 60
Hay	$15 00 to 15 00
Butter	23 to 24
Eggs, fresh	35 to 35
Potatoes per bag	50 to 50
Geese	11 to 11
Ducks	11 to 12
Fowl	8 to 9
Chickens	10 to 10
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