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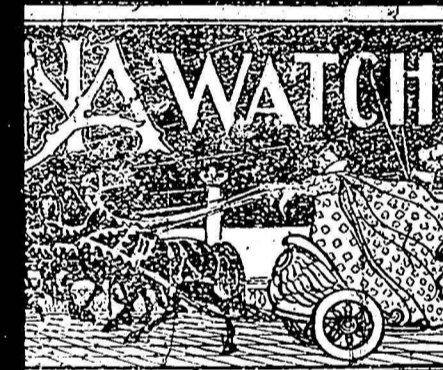
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ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The Municipal Council of the township of Artemesia met in the town hall, Flesherston, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1903. The members were all present, the reeve in the chair. Minutes of session of Feb. 2nd, 1903, were read and confirmed. The following communications were presented and read, viz.: The Farmer's Association, asking Council to pass a resolution regarding equal assessment on railways and corporation; A. McK. Cameron, regarding renewal of charter of the Huron and Ontario Railway Co.; Dr. Bryce, certificate of registrations, births, marriages, and deaths, 1902; Hart & Co., account \$3 for register, B., M. and D.; Wm. Davis, account for wood for hall, \$19.50.

By-laws No 624, to appoint municipal officers, and 625, to appoint road commissioners, were introduced and read a first and second time, and 624 was held for completion until next meeting of council. Gibson-Muir-That the clerk be paid \$24.80, being registrar's fees for 1902, as certified to by Dr. Bryce.-Carried.

McKenzie-Best-That the reeve be reimbursed \$2.65, being amount advanced to him by Mrs. Allan for railway fare. Gibson-Muir-That owing to the total disability of Fred Gee he be allowed ten dollars per month instead of six as at present.-Carried.

Gibson-Muir-That the account of Wm. Davis, wood for township hall, \$19.50, be paid.-Carried. Muir-McKenzie-That \$150 be appropriated for putting crushed stone on road leading to Flesherston station west of the limit of Flesherston, the police trustees of Flesherston having appropriated \$400 within their limits, and the Commissioner of Div. 3 having agreed to expend \$150 out of his appropriation on the same road, this special grant and commission to be applied outside the village limits.-Carried.

McKenzie-Best-That Mr. M. K. Richardson, the representative of the South Riding of Grey in the Dominion House, be and is hereby requested to assist the Directors of the Huron and Ontario Electric Railway Company in obtaining an extension of their charter for which they are applying at the approaching session of Parliament.-Carried.

McKenzie-Gibson-That owing to the present condition of our assessment laws agriculture has been made to bear an unequal burden of taxation, we therefore urge that our representatives in parliament have the laws so amended that the property of railroads and other public service corporations should be assessed for the same proportion of value as the property of private individuals and taxation thus placed upon a more equal basis, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to I. B. Lucas, Esq., M.P.I.-Carried.

MEMBERS OF HIGHWAYS. T. J. Coleman, H. D. Irwin, J. Hill, W. Purvis, Fred Brown, John Chard, L. Fisher, W. L. Moore, Geo. Bannan, Ed. Patton, H. L. Gallagher, James Foster, W. McLoughry, W. McArthur, W. J. Cargo, Jacob Thompson, R. McGruther, Thos. Henry, J. J. Brown, F. Shier, Jas. Cornfield, W. J. Mullen, Wm. Reid, Jos. Doysette, Ben White, R. H. Black, Frank Cairns, D. McLeod, Geo. McKenzie, P. Quigg, Wm. Blackburn, Alex. Hopkins, Jos. Trelford, Dougal McLean, Hector McKinnon, Daniel White, M. Williamson, Jas. Reid, John Jausse, W. A. Morton, Archie McLean, Jas. Patton, Archie Currie, Robt. Oliver, Dan Campbell, Alex. Stewart, A. Purdy, Jas. Johnston, A. S. Hazard, P. E. Purdy, Jas. Fisher, W. R. Simmons, Sam. Pedlar, Jr., Thos. Sullivan, Isaac Smith, Thomas Fisher, Thomas Betts, Wm. H. Smith, G. Meldrum, Jas. McGe. Robt. Plautt, Thos. Genoe, Jacob H. Holloy, Samuel Gilbert, Leonard Latimer, Geo. Gordon, B. Cooper, Oswald Walker, Arthur Sewall, John Braniff, Alex. Carruthers, G. L. Latimer, John Boyd, Wm. Fringle, A. Wilson, G. Bowles, Robt. Legate, Henry Tucker, John Adams, John McGe, Chas. Watson, Robt. Neilson, W. C. Hanley, Edward Armstrong, Robt. Ait, Thos. Thonbury, Patrick Ryan, Jos. Ferris, John Boland, Irwin Fawcett, Edward Legard.

FENCIBLES. R. Whittaker, Jos. Aussem, D. Currie, Wm. Heald, Wm. Blair, C. Irwin, Geo. Moore, C. W. Bellamy, Geo. Binnie, W. H. Hemphill, John K. Jamieson, Robt. Genoe, Alex. Carruthers, Alex. McRae, Jr. FOUNDBEEPERS. Patrick Busger, Herb Purvis, G. Wright, Jos. Cairns, Peter Munshaw, E. Patterson, M. G. Orr, A. Thompson. Tenders wanted for cutting and hauling to Markdale the timber on lot 9, con. 10, Euphrasia, 60 acres; or to cut by the cord if not let as above, also to haul. J. Artley, Markdale.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

For sale, a young mare, six years old. Enquire at this office. A special at Turner's drug store just now is a good whisk for 10 cts. Young man wanted, to learn the barbering. Apply at Crowston's barber shop.

For a nobby spring suit made to your order, prices \$11.00 to \$18.00. Try Benson. The remnant of our underwear going at almost half its regular value. T. G. Proud, Walters Falls. Before going West call and provide yourself with one of W. J. Shortill's reliable watches.

Now is your opportunity to get a cheap hat at T. G. Proud's clearing sale, Walters Falls. Windsor salt - finest, purest and best for all purposes. Car load just to hand at Mercer's. Clearing the balance of my stock at from 25 to 40 per cent off the dollar. T. G. Proud, Walters Falls.

Mrs. Richard Stone, of Artemesia, will hold a clearing sale on Friday, the 13th March. See adv. in another column. Mr. James Wiley, of Wodehouse, will not do chopping during the month of April as the mill will be saving the whole month.

For sale - White Sensation seed oats; also one mare in foal, and one colt rising one-year-old. J. Duhan Wilson, Beaverdale, Euphrasia. For a stylish, up-to-date spring suit made by any tailor you wish, Benson has a big range in Canadian, Scotch and English tweeds. All prices.

Tooth brushes from 5c. up, tooth powder from 5c. per ounce up. Why not preserve your teeth. Every child should have a brush. Call at Turner's drug store. Furniture has advanced but our wide awake merchant Trelford saw it forthcoming and has purchased a forty spring. If you want the benefit buy your spring requirements early and save money.

All kinds of school books, exercise books, scribblers, pencils, slates, ink and other school supplies. We are also agents for school maps, and the celebrated ball bearing Preston school seats, at Turner's drug store. A rain coat that is durable, waterproof, wind proof, will not crack, and does not cost much, is just such an article as many are in need of, and R. W. Ennis has the genuine article. Call at his harness store and see for yourselves.

On Monday, March 16, Mr. Wm. Burnett, lot 141, con. 1, Artemesia, Toronto Line, will hold a clearing sale of farm chattels including a large number of live stock. Sale at 1 o'clock. Ten months time on approved paper. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses low. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

Turner's Iron, Blood and Tonic Pills are the best spring tonic you can get. Easy to take, reliable, give you better appetite, better digestion, better complexion, new life, more energy, make you stronger. Hundreds have used them and pronounce them good. If no improvement money back. Ask for particulars at Turner's drug store.

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Notice. The board of Health of the township of Holland requires all physicians practicing in the township to at once notify either the M.H.O., Dr. Bull, Holland Centre, or the Secretary, of each case of contagious or infectious disease occurring in their practice within the township; also to report the death or recovery of the patient. After this notice any physician violating the provisions of the Act in respect thereto will be prosecuted. James P. Hare, Secretary Board of Health. Short-horn Cattle Sale. John Irvine, lots 9 and 10, con. 4, Holland, Massie p.o., will hold a clearing credit auction sale of thoroughbred Short-horn and high grade cattle and all of his farm stock, implements and household furniture on Tuesday, March 17th, 1903. Ten months credit on approved joint notes on sums over \$10.00. Five per cent discount for cash on sums entitled to credit. No reserve as the proprietor is going West. Write for catalogue of Short-horns. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock noon; sharp on time.

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\$5,000 worth of New Goods from the Liquidated Stock of McFarland, Gray & Southgate, Toronto, bought at 63c on the dollar.

We got first choice from the wholesale stock and will have on sale for

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A few of the bargain prices. Dozens of others equally as good -

- Mens Waterproof Pea Jackets, regular 2.50 for 1.39. Mens Blue Denim Overalls, regular 90c for 69 cts. Mens Mole Cottonade Pants, regular 1.00 for 69 cts. Mens Worsted Pants, regular 2.50 for 1.68. Mens Wool Tweed Suits, reg. \$8.00 goods for 4.90. Mens Worsted, Serge & Tweed Suits, reg 8.50 for 5.90. Mens Cottonade Overalls, regular 75c for 39 cts. Boys Blue Serge Knickers, sizes 22 to 32, for 25 cts. 400 Undershirts exactly half regular prices. 30 doz Mens Ties, four-in-hand, flowing ends and puffs, 50c qualities for 25c. 20 dozen Mens Suspenders on sale at 12c pair.

As the Spring Imports and Canadian lines are now coming to hand every day, we must move this stock at bargain prices. Some of the lines won't last long you know what to do.

McFARLAND, STAFFORD & CO. MARKDALE, ONT.

Kimberley Mr. John Plewes is visiting friends here at present. Mr. Wm. Scott is laid up with a sore back. The people around here are drawing their ice from Wodehouse. The roads are in a bad condition at present. Mr. John Gillespie is moving into his farm. Mr. John Hunter is improving nicely. Miss Ethel Scott, of Markdale, visited her parental home last week. Mrs. Wm. Best visited friends at Wodehouse recently. Rev. T. R. White, has closed his revival meetings. The concert on Thursday night was a failure, owing to the actor not coming, but did not prevent Dan Henderson from having his best girl there. Rev. E. R. Steinbauer, Indian missionary at Fisher River, Manitoba, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church Sunday morning. He gave a fine discourse on missions among the Indians. Turkeys for Sale. A few nice hens and toms of the Bronze Breeding, also a few cockrels and pullets of the Barr'd Plymouth Rocks and White Leghorns. Jacob Longhead, Wodehouse. Lily Oak Moving seems to be the order now. Mr. R. Clark has bought a farm at Grieraville for \$3,000 and is moving thereto. We wish him and family genuine success in their new home. Mr. Thos. Denison has moved to the Robt. Clark farm which he bought recently for \$700. We also extend to him our best wishes. Mr. Joseph Wice, who was recently wedded to Mr. David Young's third daughter, Mary Jane, has moved to where Mr. Denison left. May happiness and prosperity follow them.

We regret to report our postmaster, Mr. James Grabau, very sick with pneumonia. Doctor Neely is in attendance. Mr. Thos. Bradley is able to be about again. Mr. Phillip Connell had a very successful sale last week. He has sold his farm to Mr. Jim Clark, and is going to Owen Sound to reside. Our best wishes follow. Mr. S. C. Greenaway has sold a horse to Mr. John Kelly for \$110. John takes him to the prairie province.

BORN DAVIS - In Artemesia on the 10th March, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, a son.

To Sell or Rent. About 100 acres, being lots 22 and 23, con. 1 North Durham Road, Artemesia. 20 acres cleared and under cultivation, well watered, frame house, new frame barn. For particulars apply at this office. 1175.

Farm for Sale. 300 acres, well improved and good buildings thereon, well watered. Three miles from Berkeley. Mrs. A. Husk, Lily Oak p.o.

For Sale. Two fine thoroughbred Short-horn Durham Bulls, one year old past. T. S. Sproule, Cedarvale Farm, Markdale, 1175.

Bull for Service. "England's Chief," Registered Short-horn for service on lot E, 15 1/2 con. 6, Euphrasia, terms \$100. Chas. Morwood, Wodehouse, 1175.

Farm for Sale. Lot 20-30, 1st con. west of T. & S. Road, one mile south of Holland Centre, 100 acres. John Freeborn, Owen Sound, 1175.

Farm for Sale. 150 acres, being lot 11, con. 2, Holland, has 120 acres hardwood and swamp timber, close to saw mill, balance cleared, 2 acres orchard bearing. Good bank barn, stone foundation, 6250, frame house, well watered, well fenced. Jas. Gill, Holland Centre.

Farm for Sale. Lots 10 and 17, con. 12, Glenora, 200 acres, 140 cleared and under cultivation, balance hardwood and swamp. Will be sold in one parcel or two. For further particulars apply to Francis Walker on the premises, Markdale p.o. 1175.

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Auction Sale Farm Property

Township of Artemesia. There will be sold on TUESDAY, DAY OF MARCH 16th, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the Markdale House of Markdale, by virtue of Power contained in a certain Mortgage bearing date of time of Sale the property of the late Mrs. J. W. Davis, deceased. Lot 22 is the 1st Concession of Artemesia, containing 100 acres on the premises. About 80 acres under cultivation, balance cleared. Hewed lot dwelling, frame barn, 1000 ft. long, 12 ft. high, 12 ft. wide, to be paid down on the day of sale. For further particulars apply to J. W. YOUNG, Solicitors, Toronto. Or to W. L. YOUNG, Exp., Markdale.

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