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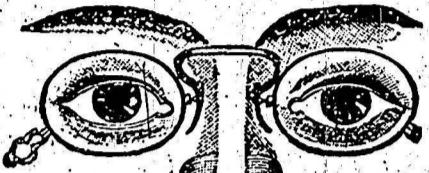
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FLESHERTON HAPPENINGS

(By our own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Shepard were at Mount Forest on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul, of Engenia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Bentham.

Miss Myrtle Thurston, has returned from an extended visit with friends in Toronto.

Miss Washington was the guest of Mrs. J. A. Boyd over Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rutledge, of Markdale, were welcome callers on us on Friday last.

Rev. C. L. Mills, of this place; and J. Hill, of Dundalk, exchanged pulpits on Sabbath last.

We omitted to note last week that Miss Chislett, of Owen Sound, had paid her aunt, Mrs. Karstedt, a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Douglas, of Collingwood visited over Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen.

Mr. W. A. Armstrong is among the property improvers and is having his dwelling and business place re-shingled.

Rev. L. W. Thom, accompanied by Mrs. Thom, left on Monday to attend the Presbyterian Synod in Toronto this week.

At the Quarterly Board meeting last week Mr. W. Clayton was elected delegate to accompany Rev. J. S. L. Wilson to the District Meeting at Owen Sound this week.

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Mr. St. Denis, employed loading poles at Flesherton Station, was on Friday last before Mr. A. S. Van Dusen, J. P., charged by Jos. Yipet with using abusive and insulting language which he admitted and was fined \$2.00 and costs. The trouble arose over shunting cars in which, we understand, Mr. St. Denis' foot had a narrow escape, the heel of his boot having been severed by the wheel of the moving car.

Prince Arthur Lodge A. F. & A. M. had a large attendance and a lengthy session at their regular meeting on Friday evening last. In addition to general business, two Master Mason degrees were conferred, and officers were elected for the ensuing twelve months as follows: Wor. Bro. F. W. Hickling, W. M.; Bro. W. A. Armstrong, S. W.; Bro. John Wright, J. W.; Bro. Rev. J. S. I. Wilson, Chap.; Bro. A. S. Van Dusen, Treas.; Bro. C. H. Munshaw, Sec.; Bro. Jas. Sullivan, Tyler; Wor. Bro. Joseph Blackburn and Bro. D. McTavish, auditors.

There was a large congregation in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last to hear Miss Washington speak on Japan, where she had been for five years a missionary. Miss Washington spoke about forty minutes, dealing first with the physical features of the country and the customs of the people and then with the work of the Missionary Society and the transforming power of the Gospel on the heathen.

On Monday evening the Mission Band gave their annual entertainment in the church when in addition to their well prepared programme, Miss Washington gave an address on child life in Japan. Rev. Mr. Wilson presided.

Walters Falls

Miss Millie Mower, of Waniton, returned home last week.

Air. T. G. Prowd left for Owen Sound on a business trip last Saturday.

The Queens hotel re-opened last Wednesday; Mr. Wm. McLean, of Shelburne, is the new proprietor.

Mr. Walter Seaman, of Owen Sound, wheeled out last Thursday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Robert Walter, of this place.

Miss Minnie Perry, who has been visiting with friends here for the past month, returned to her home in Toronto last Saturday.

Mr. Richard Speck, who left some time ago for British Columbia, informed his people last week that he would leave Saturday, May 19th, for the Klondyke. We wish him every success.

Three weeks ago we referred to the death of Mrs. Robert Quinton, and last Wednesday his aged widow survived after a few days illness. On Friday her remains were conveyed to St. James' church, where she was buried beside her late husband. Her family have the deepest sympathy of all in their double bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. Quinton were the parents of Mrs. J. R. Wickham, of this place.

The following wedding was taken from the Revelstoke (B.C.) Herald: "The wedding of Mr. J. B. Crossman, the well known tailor of this city, and Miss Maggie McMicken, was celebrated last evening at their new home on Mackenzie Avenue, Rev. C. E. Ladner officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Rothwell, and Mr. H. M. House supported the groom. The happy couple are the recipients of many presents from their numerous friends in the city and elsewhere, among them being a beautiful wedding cake forwarded to the bride from her old home at Carberry, Man. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a most ornate opal ring set with three diamonds, and she was the recipient of numerous other presents, which it is impossible for reason of space, to mention. The many friends of both parties wish them a most happy and prosperous married life." Miss McMicken was formerly of this place and is a niece to Mrs. James Dye here.

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The Board of Health are around on their annual tour of inspection.

Mrs. E. J. Whithby, of Georgetown, is visiting her son, J. W., of this place.

Misses W. Brown and Jake Williams visited friends in Markdale and Eugenia last Sunday.

Miss Minnie Martin returned to her home here from Toronto on Thursday of last week. She has been attending the Conservatory of Music.

Master Fred Woods while attempting to board a freight train on Sabbath evening met with an accident by fracturing his hip bone. This should be a warning to boys not to jump on moving trains.

Mr. Harry Glazier was presented with a beautiful gold locket and chain, accompanied by an address by his friends of Erskine church. Harry leaves next week for the North-West where he has secured a good position. We wish him every success.

Miss Deagel, of Cataract, is the guest of her brother at the Eugenia power-house at present.

The old Beaver is yielding an abundant supply of speckled beauties to the numerous anglers who haunt its banks.

La Grippe has been working havoc amongst some of our Eugenia people. Mr. and Mrs. Woodburn have both been seriously ill from its effects, and are yet very sick; in fact, very few are missing it. Mrs. Jerry Thompson and Mrs. Gilliland and James Williams are some others of its victims.

Times are very dull at Eugenia at present. The picnic season will soon be on and things will be more lively, as Eugenia is still the favorite resort of the young people, with its deer and its sheltered brooks, many a whispered tale of love has been told amidst its charming shades, whilst the Beaver tumbles on to its rocky depths below.

Mr. and Mrs. Firth, of Markdale, spent the first day of the week at the old Firth homestead at Zion's Corner.

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