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Auld Lang Syne

25 YEARS AGO Items of General Interest from The Standard Files of Dec. 5, 1888. Mr. John Trelford, of Allenford, was in town last week. The new Methodist church at Shelburne is to be opened on Dec. 15. Miss Emma Wright has been re-engaged in Harkaway school for 1889. Mr. Robt. Clarke, Holland, has decided to retire, and will move next spring to Holland Centre. A disastrous fire occurred at Flesherton on Sunday morning last when Mr. S. Damude's tannery was burned to the ground. Mr. Wm. Stephens has opened a new grocery and feed store in the premises recently occupied by E.S. Hulse, as a hardware. Married—Myles—Mills—At the Methodist parsonage, Markdale, by the Rev. Geo. Buggin, on Nov. 22, 1888, Mr. J. A. Myles to Miss Abigail Mills, all of Ephrasia. The Dundalk Herald has this week changed proprietorship, Rev. Theo. Hall, who formerly owned it, having made the purchase, taking possession on Monday last. Municipal matters in Holland township are assuming a definite aspect. Mr. Wm. Norton and Mr. M. Howey are candidates for Reeve. Dr. Oldham has sickened of municipal politics and will not seek re-election. Messrs. Shute and Galbraith are in the field for deputy-reeve, which will leave room for new blood in the council ranks. Mr. W. J. Shepherdson is likely to be one of the new board.

FLESHERTON

(Special to The Standard.) The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid held their closing meeting for the year at the home of Mrs. VanDusen last week, when officers were elected for 1914 as follows: Hon. Pres.—Mrs. A. S. VanDusen; Pres.—Mrs. D. MacTavish; Vice Pres.—Mrs. Price Teeter; 2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. M. Radley; Sec'y-Treas.—Mrs. Jos. Blackburn; Visiting Com.—Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. Radley, Mrs. T. J. Stinson and Mrs. W. J. Stewart. The Society had a successful year. Inspector Halbert had Mr. James Radley, of Ceylon, before Magistrate McCallum and McGill in the town hall here on Friday last on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor illegally at his hotel on November 18th. Mr. Henry, of Markdale, prosecuted, and Mr. Tucker, of Owen Sound, was Counsel for the defendant, who pleaded not guilty to the charge. After a lengthy hearing their Worships decided that the evidence was not sufficient to convict on and the case was dismissed. The Methodist Ladies' Aid gave a very pleasing old time entertainment at the full house in the town hall on Friday evening last. A Ladies' Aid meeting at "Mohawk Crossroads" in burlesque occupied most of the evening and created great amusement from beginning to end. About twenty ladies took part and each rendered her part so well there was nothing to criticize. The unique old time costumes worn gave splendid effect to the play. The characters were as follows: Mrs. Green, a charming hostess, at whose home the Ladies' Aid met, (Mrs. Will Moore); Mrs. Kindley, a very sympathetic lady, and Mrs. De Loyd Fitz Hammond, a very tony aristocrat, visitors from Boston, (Mrs. W. Armstrong and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell); Mrs. Smith, an ideal President (Mrs. R. H. Moore); Mrs. Day, Treasurer of Ladies' Aid (Mrs. H. S. White); Mrs. Gray, Secretary, (Mrs. G. Walter); Mrs. Breen, a very nervous lady, (Miss Kate Bellamy); Mrs. Crowler, a woman with a husband (Mrs. John Wright); Mrs. Harris, very deaf, (Mrs. M. Wilson); Mrs. Jones, a fussy young mother (Miss Florence Thurston); Miss Harpe, unclaimed jewel, (Miss Switzer); Roby Dale, a militant suffragette, (Mrs. W. W. Trimble); Mrs. Lowell, peace maker, (Miss Park); Mrs. Scott, a motherly adviser, (Mrs. W. H. Thurston); Mrs. Hoyt, very business like, (Mrs. R. H. Wright); Mrs. Black, harpist chorister, (Mrs. W. J. Bellamy); Mrs. Roberts, a very quiet lady (Mrs. Geo. Stuart); Mrs. Henderson, a very critical woman, (Mrs. W. J. Boyd); Mrs. Bain, rather quiet, (Mrs. Harry Wilson); Mrs. White, very demure, (Mrs. John Hales); Mrs. Brown, a quiet lady, (Mrs. J. Canton); Mrs. Green's maid, (Miss Florence Bunt). A sweetly rendered solo was given by Miss Irene Wilson, and a pleasing quartet by Wilcox, H. Sullivan, R. G. Holland, and Dr. Murray. Mr. Geo. Mitchell occupied the chair. The proceeds were \$47.60. Division Court was held here on Friday last, Judge Widdifield presiding; but his duties were light, and there is nothing of importance to report. Before leaving for Markdale last week Miss Mabel Boyd was given a pleasing surprise party by a number of her young friends, who presented her with a pretty cut glass cream and sugar set. An enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hogarth, west back line, was the scene of a pleasant surprise party on Friday evening last when about thirty young people met and spent the evening in a very jolly manner. The W.M.S. of the Methodist church are shipping a bale of clothing this week to one of the needy Missions in New Ontario. Nine quilts are included in the bale, which is valued at \$50.00. The Presbyterian ladies recently sent a bale valued at \$40.00 to Birth Indian School, Man. Mr. Kendall Mitchell, who has been for some time a clever young student in law in Chicago, took his finale exam for barrister a few days ago at the Illinois State Bar examination and passed very successfully. We tender our congratulations to our esteemed young friend, now a full fledged barrister. That the work of Miss Lulu Mitchell, Kindergarten instructor at Paris, Ont., is highly pleasing to the School Board was made evident to her last week when with words of praise she was made a voluntary offer of \$50.00 increase to her salary to remain next year. Miss Mitchell is winning the reputation of being one of the most successful Kindergarten teachers. Rev. Mr. Dudgeon's congregation was pleased to hear him again in his own pulpit on Sunday. His feelingly expressed thanks to all who by their sympathy and prayers aided them in their recent trial touched the people. The postponed Quarterly Communion will be held next Sunday. Mr. J. J. Thompson, of Orillia, a former Artemesia boy, who is much interested in the Laymen's Missionary Movement, gave an earnest and deeply spiritual discourse from Matt. 23 in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. The postponed Communion in this church will be held on December 21st. Mrs. John Kerr has gone to Toronto to spend the winter with her son. Among those going to Guelph on Tuesday to attend the electric road meeting will be the Reeve, Councilors and Clerk of Artemesia, the Reeve and Councilors of the vil-

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BERKELEY (Special to The Standard.) Mrs. Watson, of Owen Sound, is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. J. B. G. Wright, of Detroit, is visiting at Mr. A. Gillespie's. Mr. Robert Crofford has bought Madill's farm and will move to the spring. Elliott, of Toronto, has bought the Abbott farm, and has possession. Mrs. Denzin, of Man- have moved into the house of Mr. McFlinzy. Hammond has moved to our recently. Mitchell is away to Muskoka business trip. English Church S.S. intend a Christmas Tree in the future.

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