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FLESHERTON

(Special to The Standard.) The Presbyterian congregation held their annual meeting on Thursday evening last. The pastor presided and Mr. Buskin was appointed Secretary. The reports from the various departments showed the congregation to have had a prosperous year. The Session reported members on the roll 157; new members received, 5; removals by death, 2; by certificate 3; Baptisms 11. The financial statement showed receipts on current account to be \$607.85, for Missions \$165.81, an increase of \$20.00 over the previous year, besides a Thank offering of \$61 was given on the Church Budget deficit. The W.M.S. raised for Missions \$81.00 besides contributing a bale of new clothing, value \$31.70. The Ladies' Aid gave to the fire sufferers in New Ontario \$25.00 and a bale of clothing, closing the year with \$126.00 on hand. The S. S. had a balance of \$92.00 on hand and the Guild \$9.20. The total receipts of the congregation were \$1234.00, an increase over the previous year of \$81.95. The Board of Managers for the current year are: J. L. McMullen, Chairman; G. H. Cairns, John Clark, D. MacTavish, Geo. Stewart, Robt. Chard, W. Buskin, M. Ferguson, M. Stewart, J. Sloan, G. A. MacTavish and John Stewart. Jos. Blackburn was re-elected Secretary and choir leader. G. H. Cairns and Chas. Stewart were re-elected auditors and W. Buskin and G. Stewart appointed to receive the offering. It was resolved that an Honor Roll be prepared of the young men of the congregation who have enlisted. At a horse fair here on Wednesday last week a goodly number of animals were offered and we learn fourteen were bought at fairly good prices. They will be taken mostly to the West. The Centre Grey Board of Agriculture meeting held here last week was fairly well attended and was both interesting and instructive. Mr. R. Murphy, of Alliston, and Miss S. Campbell, of Toronto, the speakers supplied by the Department, gave excellent addresses on the subjects chosen for the occasion. In the afternoon Mr. Murphy spoke in the town hall on the "Dual Purpose Cow" and Miss Campbell spoke to the Women's

Institute in the High School on "The Judicious Housekeeper." At the evening meeting in the town hall Mr. Murphy spoke on "The Farmer and the War" and Miss Campbell's subject was "The influence of women and men." Both addresses were deeply interesting. Mr. Murphy, who is an effective speaker, was strongly patriotic, appealing for the young men yet needed for the war. A cute song by little Miss Lola Boyd, a solo by Mr. Herb Sullivan and a chorus by the Women's Institute added to the pleasure of the evening. Inspector Matt Beckett, of Owen Sound, prosecuted in a couple of liquor cases before Magistrate McMullen here last week. Two cases of liquor were seized by Constable Cook, one of which addressed to Noah Petenick was confiscated, the other addressed to Allen McLean, of Feversham, was restored to him, his evidence convincing the Magistrate that the contents was for medicinal and private use in his own family. The Spring Hill Red Cross had a very successful meeting at Mr. John Sloan's on Friday evening last, the receipts amounting to \$13.00. A guessing contest added to the proceeds and created much amusement. The Methodist Young People's Society was represented by seventeen of its members at the P. P. worth League Convention at Dundalk last week. A good report of the Convention was given at the regular meeting on Monday evening. Rev. Mr. McDonald, who was ill last week and unfit for driving, preached in the Methodist church on Sunday evening and his pulpit at Rock Mills was supplied by Rev. Mr. Dudgeon. Rev. W. Sinclair, of Hornings Mills, was home last week visiting his parents who were ill. Mr. Sinclair, who has heart trouble, is yet quite ill. Mrs. Phiny Loucks is under the doctor's care with blood poisoning in her hand. Mrs. Mark Stewart, who is laid up with a broken ankle, is progressing favourably. Mr. Duncan Muir was advised by telegram on Saturday of the death of his brother, Peter in British Columbia. At the County Council last week the representatives of Flesherton and Artemesia were given appreciable recognition of their ability, each to serve in important positions. Reeve MacTavish was elected chairman of the House of Refuge Committee, Reeve McKenzie Chairman of the Finance Committee and Deputy Reeve Cameron Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee. Dr. Thos. Henderson, wife and daughter, of Toronto, have gone to spend the balance of the winter in California's salubrious climate. Dr. Henderson is a brother of W. J. Henderson here. Mr. Thos. Wilcock, who was on an extended visit at the old home, left last week for his home at Regina. Miss Lowndes visited over the weekend with her friend, Miss Oldham, at Owen Sound. Messrs. W. J. Bellamy, and J. S. McMullen, were at Owen Sound last week with the delegation from the County asking the County Council to make a substantial grant to the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The grant of \$6000 per month was made, and also a grant of 1000 to the British Sailors' Fund was a commendable act of the County fathers. Miss Queenie Kaiting, teacher at Enehan, Alta., visited her aunt, Mrs. G. Mitchell, last week. Miss Alena Mitchell leaves this week to attend Ladies' College at Whitby. The Boy Scouts under Scout Master C. J. Bellamy, continue on live-organization here and they have secured the shop recently vacated by T. J. Fisher for their meetings. The Junior Hockey boys here played a match at Markdale on Friday evening, but suffered defeat at the hands of the boys there. We are sorry to learn this Tuesday morning of the destruction by fire last night of the Eugenia public school.

C. P. R. TIME TABLE

Going North 12.14 p.m., 9.32 p.m. Going South 7.41 a.m., 4.14 p.m.

Jas. McAvoy; No. 2, R. Ceasar; No. 3, A. Acheson; No. 4, G. S. Davidson, No. 5, H. W. Sargent. Member of Board of Health—Wm. Hampton. Assessor—M. R. Howey. Finance & Assessment Committee—All the members. Roads and Bridges—McAvoy, Davidson and Acheson. The Treasurer tendered his resignation. This was accepted to take effect March 6th and the Clerk was instructed to advertise in the Markdale Standard and Chatsworth News for applications. The salary to be \$100.00 to cover all duties and the Bond to be \$15,000. The Contract for printing and supplies was given to the Chatsworth News, on the same terms as last year \$150.00. Hereafter all parties claiming damage from the Council for sheep killed or worried by dogs will be required, at their own expense, to furnish an affidavit that they have diligently endeavored to find the owner of the dog or dogs and been unable to do so. Council meets again on Monday, 5th February. James P. Hare, Clerk.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd February, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week on the route EUGENIA R.R. No. 1, (Via Feversham) from the 1st April, 1917. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Eugenia or Feversham, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Toronto.

A. SUTHERLAND, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office. Toronto, Jan. 8, 1917.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 9th March, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, SIX times per week on the route HOLLAND CENTRE (Via Arnott) Rural Mail Route, from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of HOLLAND CENTRE, ARNOTT, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Toronto.

A. SUTHERLAND, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office. Toronto, Jan. 20th, 1917.



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Holland Council.

The Council elect for 1917 met on Jan. 8th and organized. Reeve, James McAvoy, Esq. Dep. Reeve, Geo. S. Davidson. Councillors—Robert Ceasar, H. W. Sargent. Mr. Acheson was unable to be present owing to illness. The following appointments were made: Auditors—J. N. Perdue and Carson Price. Township Solicitors—Lucas, Roney & Henry. Sheep Valuers—James Gillespie, C. Farley, Jas. Allen, David Connell and John A. Kirk. Road Commissioners—No. 1,

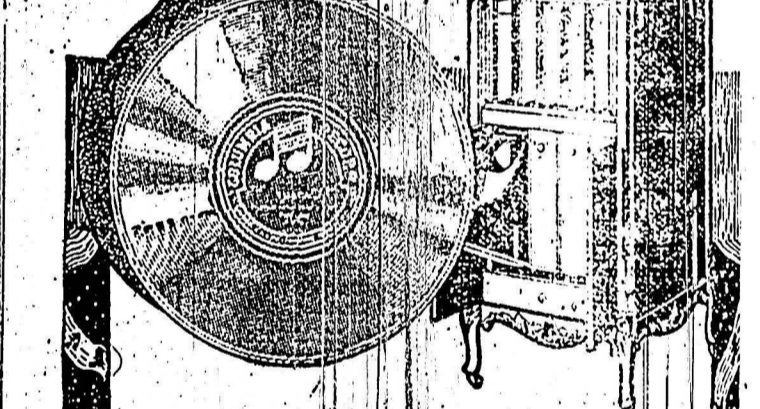
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25 YEARS AGO. Items of General Interest from The Standard Files of Jan. 28, 1892. James Cochrane, Esq., Reeve of Derby, was elected Warden of Green on Monday. The Bank of England has reduced its rate of interest from 3 to 2 per cent. R. J. Stephen, druggist, has been appointed Clerk of the 8th Division Court made vacant by the death of William Brown, Esq. MARKDALE MARKETS. Wheat, 90c; Oats, 29; Peas 60; Butter 15; Eggs 16; Potatoes per bag 50; Beef 5.00; Pork, fresh 5.50; Hides 3.00; Geese 5; Turkeys 8; Flour, per bbl. \$4.50. Order your Toronto daily paper and other reading matter through The Markdale Standard.

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Local and General

Mrs. Wm. Littlejohns is visiting in Guelph. Mercer's for Hockey Boots and Rubbers that will wear. Rev. Mr. Conn delivered a lecture in Pickering on Monday night. Mrs. W. S. Chalmers spent a few days last and this week with Markdale friends. Who will win the Silver Medals? Come to the Armouries Thursday evening, Feb. 8th and see. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson moved into their new home at Ladner, B.C. Kentner's electrical photography is working out fine. His customers are much pleased with the work done. We regret to report Mr. Sheppard Henry seriously ill. Inflammatory rheumatism is the main trouble. Mr. Albert D. Grant, of Vancouver, Sask., arrived in town Saturday, and will buy horses for his back with him. Vandeleur C.O.F. 487 will have an oyster lunch at their next meeting on Thursday evening, February 22. Let there be a rally. Mr. Ed. Baker delivered a sermon at Owen Sound and this place Sunday for which he received \$800. He and Johnston were the first to give. Mrs. Abel Wright, of Feversham, is on a visit with her mother at Owen Sound and this place Sunday. She gave the Standard a pleasant surprise on Tuesday. Capt. R. M. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cook, of Markdale, who was wounded in an earlier war, returned from England Friday. He left Monday for his home. The program for the entertainment February 8th will be a variety of pieces and varied. Come and your presence encourage the students to aspire to even greater things. The Standard had a friendly visit on Tuesday from Mr. Thos. W. of Harrisford, Sask. Mr. W. was out west several years ago, and has made good. He is on a month's furlough. J. C. Kentner is agent for the Grand Heintzman Pianos. Mr. Gilbert Thibault, Bradford, cousin of Mrs. Thibault, Sr., of the suburbs, who is visiting hereabout, was in town Tuesday of Mrs. C. Richards and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Richards. The Ladies' Aid of Ebenezer church, 11th Regt. Ephraim, had held a social at the school on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 28. A good program will be given, also lunch served, 25 cents, children 10c. Miss Mabel V. Plewes has returned from a month's visit with her mother, T. M. Plewes, and will be at Sudbury, and will resume her class in music next week. Prepared for the Toronto University Examination. Messrs. S. J. Halbert and Robert Walker attended last night's County L.O.O.F. meeting at Dundas on Tuesday. The County Lodge decided to celebrate here next July. This is Owen Sound's year also for coming to Markdale. Children playing with matches caused 665 fires in Canada during 1914. These fires burned 38 children to death and destroyed property valued at \$1,500,000.00. Keep matches from children—place them on a high shelf, far out of their reach. Photos by Electric Light.—The new method for taking photos is really fine. Come in and see it. No more waiting for a bright day. Any time will do. Day and night are the same to the new device. Don't forget the place! The Standard Block, ground floor. Miss Glenn, of Glenn-Charles, Toronto, Canada's Hair Fashion Store, will be in Markdale, Saturday, February 17, Markdale House with a full line of Ladies and Gentlemen's Hair Goods. If you are not satisfied with the appearance of your hair consult Miss Glenn. Free demonstration.