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FLESHERTON.

The annual business meeting of the Presbyterian Sabbath School was held on Monday evening last week with Mr. Jas. Felstead in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted, reading matter for the scholars and teachers' helps were decided upon and the following officers elected for the ensuing year: Supt., Mr. A. M. Gibson; Asst. Supt., James Felstead; Sec.-treasurer, Miss Mary Neil; Librarian, Miss Carrie Sullivan; Miss Blanch Sullivan; organist, Miss Neil; Teachers, A. S. VanDusen, (Bible Class) J. Felstead, Chas. Stewart, Mrs. Watt, Mrs. Dyce, Miss Cole and Miss Grant.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid held their annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. A. S. VanDusen on Wednesday afternoon, last week, Mrs. Jas. Dyce presiding. The Secretary-treasurer's report showed that there were forty members on the roll with dues well paid up; that the regular monthly meetings and work of the Society during the year had been full of interest and that all liabilities had been met. The present officers, viz: Mrs. Dyce, President; Mrs. A. S. VanDusen, Vice-President; and Mrs. Joseph Blackburn, Secretary-treasurer; were elected and were tendered a hearty vote of thanks for their efficient services during the year.

Mr. W. A. Allen has disposed of his 100 acre farm on the east back line to Mr. J. Brown, who recently returned from a few years' successful ranching in Montana and settled on the old homestead. \$2,700 was, we understand, the price received.

The David Wood farm on the same line has been purchased by Mr. Thos. Henry, who lives across the way.

Communion service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Sabbath last conducted by the pastor, Rev. John Little, who always receives a warm welcome here, preached at the preparatory service on Friday. Rev. Mr. Wilson, though not fully over his attack of tonsillitis, occupied his pulpit at both services on Sunday. His theme next Sabbath evening will be "The Devil's best friend."

Mr. Luke Bradbury, an old gentleman of about 80, fell down the cellar stairs a few days ago and in addition to a severe shaking up sustained a slight fracture of the ribs. Frank, youngest son who lives at Orangeville, spent a couple of days last week with the old people.

Rev. Ivison Wilson was in Markdale last Monday attending a meeting of the Executive of the Epworth Leagues of the Owen Sound District and the 23rd of January next was the date fixed for the District Convention to be held at Markdale.

Allan Whittaker, of Ceylon, was, on Wednesday of last week before Magistrate VanDusen charged by Thos. McArthur with the theft of a pair of mits. Whittaker admitted taking the mits, which were of small value and had been returned, but pleaded he was under the influence of liquor when the offence was committed. As the plea offered does not excuse theft \$2 and costs, in all \$6.90 was the penalty.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray are the happy parents of a bright little daughter who arrived on Sunday evening last to assert her rights in the home. Congratulations many.

Mrs. Calwell Carson Meaford Road, has our hearty thanks for a generous Christmas gift from her garden sent in to us on Saturday last.

Rev. J. E. Smith, of Cookstown, was the guest of Rev. Mr. Thom on Thursday night last.

Mrs. Bell, of Bunessan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. McClocklin, who is at present very ill.

Miss Christine Richardson returned last week from visiting her brother, Dr. E. K. in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Turner are visiting relatives at Holland Centre.

Mr. Stanley Christmas, of Port Rowen, is holidaying with friends in this vicinity, and on Monday visited his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Rutledge here.

Well done The Chronicle for another stride forward. It's rapid advances pleasingly indicate success and the last being good cause for congratulations we, in the most hearty manner, tender ours to the racy and successful Editor.

Your Flesherton correspondent, Mr. Editor, tenders to your son, Frank, soldiering in the Philippines, his very sincere thanks for the kind words concerning himself in his application. We can only wish that there had been good cause for the "thrill of pleasure" which stirred Frank's soul, but disappointment met us by the way and as we still suffer we shall endeavor as a "good soldier" to bear the trial and be encouraged by our young friend's cheering words.

C. L. GRANT, Secretary.

BUNESSAN.

Say, Mr. Gander, call off that rag doll business for the 20th in your school, and come to our concert the same evening.

D. H. Brown is now home, after being a month or so seriously ill in Priceville. He is getting better but slowly.

If there is any colored gentleman a reader of the Review he will surely hang his head with shame when he sees the remarkable production of the new correspondent for Glenelg Centre.

Dan McCormick has been on the shelf for some weeks with a touch of rheumatism. He is recovering.

We must congratulate you, Mr. Editor, on the improved Chronicle. The paper has always stood second to none in the county, and now we think it easily stands first. We certainly have never seen the paper the equal of it. We hope you'll soon have steam or something else to drive your press; for the present "more power to your elbow."

Little Ben Whitmore, eight-year-old son of Mr. James Whitmore, of the South Line, was operated on last week for appendicitis. Drs. Jamieson, Hutton and Mahan performed the operation, which, we understand, was quite successful.

Joe Firth brought up the rear of the returning farm laborers who went to Manitoba four months ago. He returned last Saturday. His face also exhibits a third eyebrow and something else that we can't find a name for.

The Baptist congregation at the Centre were much grieved to lose the services of Mr. McGregor. He has always been popular here, and had no wish to leave. We believe he complimented the congregation on being the easiest to get along with that ever he had had charge of.

Allan Bell has returned from Toronto to resume work here. He suffered no permanent injury from his collision with the street car, and we suppose the street car didn't either. Billy Bell got tired of working for the cement people and has gone to the city to make his fortune. We warn the young ladies down there to watch out for Billy as he is a regular "masher."

Several of our farmers complain of a scarcity of water. Anyone passing through Glenelg would hardly think such possible, yet it is so. With all our rivers and creeks there are still some farms with never a stream or spring, or even a good well.

MULL CORNERS.

The Superintendent and teachers of the Rocky Church Sabbath School assembled Thanksgiving night at the home of Mr. J. Clark, Jr., to discuss matters in regard to the holding of a Christmas tree on the 19th of December.

Mr. J. Patherbough is on a visit to his parents.

Mr. A. McCormack, of Sault Ste. Marie, visited his parents last week, having intended to remain for some time, but was wired for last Saturday morning.

Mr. A. Fletcher visited Proten friends recently.

Miss Tena McCormack spent Sunday with Welbeck friends.

Mrs. McLean, Rocky Saugeen, visited her parents here this week.

Mrs. Fletcher visited her daughter Mrs. McKinnon, Rocky Saugeen, one day last week.

A number of friends and relatives spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. Alex. McCormick.

Mr. Patherbough is busily engaged preparing timber for the erection of a new barn.

WELBECK.

Wood-bees and butchering are the order of the day. Mr. Puss takes the lead in wood bees having the first one and reports a big day's work from the boys.

Mr. A. Fletcher paid friends in Ireland a visit. He says he is going back again.

Who was the young man who took all day to butcher one pig?

Miss Sarah McArthur is visiting friends in the Queen City at present.

Mr. Archie McDonald left for Barrie on Monday last.

Mr. H. Riddell was one of the guests at the farewell party at Mr. Smith's, of Dornoch, and reports a good time.

Mr. John Hewitt sold a pair of cattle to Mr. Boyce the other day and got a big price for them.

Mr. Tom Hill is employed at the Truax camp near Crawford.

ALLAN PARK

Mr. James Forsyth arrived home after attending his mother's burial in Stouffville.

Mr. Wm. McFarlane, of Durham was visiting friends in the Park lately.

Mr. Thomas Frances was through this way lately shearing cattle and clipping them off short too.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cross, of Louise, were visiting at Mr. Henry Brigham's lately.

We are somewhat amused to see how quick the Corner man ruffed his feathers and snapped at us, because we gave another fellow a good advice in preference to him. He says we are mean and do wicked things out here. Now, Mr. Scribe, don't fly too high and get caught in the wind for your feathery coat might get turned outside in.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Murdick about three weeks old died very suddenly on Saturday morning. The burial took place on Sunday to Crispian cemetery, Hanover, and was largely attended by friends and neighbors. The ceremony was conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. Mr. Pomeroy, of Durham. Mr. and Mrs. Murdick have the sympathy of the whole community.

We regret to report death of another old settler, Mrs. Robert Kennedy, who passed away on the 4th of December to a better land above. The deceased was 71 one year old, and was a native of Monaghan, Ireland. She was born in 1830 and moved to Canada with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blyth, in 1845, and settled in Toronto township. From there she married Mr. R. Kennedy and moved to Bentinck in 1856, settling on lot 37, concession 3, N. D. R. A family of ten children, five boys and five girls, was the result of the union of whom there are six living. She leaves a kind husband and an indulgent family of four sons and two daughters to mourn her departure who are: John, of Michigan, Robert and Henry, of N. W. T., and Thomas at home, Mrs. Wm. Adamson, of Walkerton, and Mrs. John Hicks, of Muskoka. The deceased was a kind and obliging old lady and was highly respected by all who knew her. She was followed to her last resting place in the Crispian cemetery, Hanover, on Friday by a large cortege of relatives and friends. The burial service was conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. Mr. Sephenshipper, of Elmwood. We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow.

Mr. T. Kennedy wishes us to announce that he was very thankful to his friends and neighbors for their kindness to them in their trouble.

GLASCOTT.

Mrs. T. Maorn, Jr., whose life has hung in the balance for the past three or four weeks from typhoid fever, is, we are glad to say, improving nicely under the skilful care of Dr. Smith, of Dornoch, and nurse Henderson.

Mr. Robert Beattie has been under the Doctor's care for the past two weeks from a severe attack of appendicitis. We hope soon to see his smiling face in our midst again.

Mr. Richard English had the misfortune of losing a valuable mare recently from inflammation.

Mr. C. Boyle and Mr. S. Scott swapped roosters last week. Both got the best of it.

Mr. Joseph Boyle had a day's hunting last week with some sports from Markdale.

Mr. John English, of Hill's store, Markdale, was home for a few days laid up with la grippe. He is getting well again, and will return to his duties this week.

Mr. J. Sproule has just completed a pig pen and hen house combined.

Mr. John Duncan's sale on the 26th was well attended. Bidding was not as brisk as it might have been, but with Mr. G. Noble as auctioneer things generally go to their value.

SACKETT'S CORNERS.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. John McQueen, of Boothville, who has been ill of late, is improving.

Miss Fronie Cowin, of Bayfield, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. Sackett, and other friends.

Mrs. D. Ferguson and family, of Mt. Forest, are remaining at present at Mr. G. Sackett's. Mrs. Ferguson being in poor health, we hope the change will be for her benefit.

Mr. Donald McDonald gave the young folk of this party a party, being the first since he has taken to himself a helpmate. They report having a good time.

Miss Maggie Ferguson has gone to Duntroon for the winter.

Herb Childs, who has completed his year's work with Mr. Donald McFarlane, says he only got out side of Donald's gate when Mac. McFadden hired him for a month. Good men are always in demand.

Mr. George Haws' improvements go merrily on. Last week he moved his hen house to a convenient place near his new barn, but on moving his sheep pen it collapsed, which is a bad job for Mr. Haws, as his fine flock of sheep will feel the loss of their

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While the institution is located in Toronto its work is essentially provincial. It admits not only children from the city of Toronto but from every city, town, village and hamlet, yes, from every spot in the Province of Ontario.

So when you give—be your giving large or small—it goes for the benefit of every child of the province that is admitted and treated.

This statement is made because occasional reference is made to the Hospital as a Toronto institution for Toronto patients, whereas the same rights and privileges as those who live within the shadow of the great red pile on College street.

It costs about \$34,000 per year, or a dollar per patient, per day, to maintain the Hospital. The Government of the province gives about \$7,000 a year, or nearly eighteen cents per head, in other words, per patient per day. This amount is all expended in maintenance. The corporation of the City of Toronto does even more. It gives \$7,500 per year or eighteen cents per head per day, and this too goes towards the maintenance, not only of Toronto patients, but for every patient in the Hospital no matter from what part of the province the little ones may come from. Yes, and this contribution of the corporation is increased by from \$4,000 to \$5,000 donated by citizens of Toronto for the maintenance of all patients, to say nothing of the \$4,000 contributed yearly by Toronto people, the founders of maintained and named cots in the building.

During its lifetime the Hospital has handled 8,000 interior patients and of these 4,000 were cured, and 2,700 were improved. Of these—and please note this—1,757 came from 1,295 places in Ontario and outside the city of Toronto.

Ten years ago the Hospital carried a heavy burden of debt. The building and its furnishings cost \$150,000 and of this \$20,000 was paid by the corporation of Toronto and \$30,000 by its citizens. Year by year the debt has been reduced and it is now down to \$13,000. To clear the indebtedness this ap-

peal is made. Hospital work cannot be carried on without money. Interest on mortgages has to be paid. An army of workers has to live. Nurses, domestics, officials are all human. They earn their wages whether they live in or out of the Hospital.

A hundred and twenty children per day—yes, in some months a hundred and forty—once it was a hundred and fifty—all these to look after and care for. Thirty nurses continually at work. A half-dozen maids with brooms and dusters; cooks and table maids to prepare the food and serve it, clerks in the office who work like beavers, typewriters who tap the keys of their machines for hours a day, answering sheaves of letters, preparing accounts, watching every doing in the immense building on College street, that never closes night or day—all the year round—a hive of two hundred people, small and large, a little town doing what it can for God's suffering little ones.

True, it is, that some have to pay—yes, all who can afford it are expected to pay—but those who cannot pay and can produce the certificate of a clergyman or known ratepayer of the province to the effect that they are too poor to pay, can have maintenance and treatment free of charge.

If all could pay for money, but eighty per cent of the work is free work for the children of those who cannot afford to pay.

Fifty a great family of nearly one hundred and fifty sick children. You who have had perhaps one or two sick little ones at your own home therefore know something of the work; but when you visit Toronto drop in and see what they are doing to win back little ones from the grave.

It would only weary the reader to go on with more story. This year a giant effort is being made to clear away the debt. Every dollar of this debt hand-caps the Trustees. Every dollar sent in helps to lighten the load that is being carried.

If every reader would send but a dollar what a grand fund would be raised in a few weeks of time. Let every one who can spare a dollar, send it to Douglas Davidson, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Hospital, or to J. Ross Robertson, the Chairman of the Trust. And please send it in at once, for even the best of us are prone to forget our best intentions.

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