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THE BIG STORE, DURHAM, ONT.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. John A. Boyd and family moved last week into their new residence which is a commodious two and a half story building of red brick with white in the base of walls and copings of doors and windows, all of which have dressed stone sills. Two square bay windows, in which there are large lights of plate glass, run to the massive roof which is broken on three sides with neat gothic structures and has deep cornice with ornamental trimmings. The hall door is sheltered by a very artistic verandah with balcony above approached through a french door in the second story. The cellar, which is full size of the house, is in two apartments, one to be used for house commodities, the other contains a large brick and cement cistern and furnace which has hot water and steam pipe attachments. On the first floor is a spacious foot hall, from which ascends a winding stair, double parlors, dining room, which by sliding doors may be opened to the latter, kitchen, pantry and hall at side entrance, from which stair ascends to rear of hall above. The front hall, stairs, kitchen and pantry are in natural wood finished in oil; the parlors and dining room are grained in imitation of birds-eye maple. The hall, sewing room and bedrooms, on the upper flats, are painted in tints of white, green, blue, pink and yellow. The bath room, which is finished in oil, is supplied with hot and cold water and fitted with all modern conveniences. The heating throughout is by steam and the lighting will be by electricity as soon as Mr. Deagle's plant is in operation. The exterior painting is done in shades of green and red, the shingles being dark red. A convenient woodshed covering the well stands at the rear. Mr. W. T. Boyd's residence on the adjoining lot, which will soon be completed, is identical with the one described, and the twin structures are an adornment not only to Toronto street but to the village. The contractors were for stone masonry, G. Proctor, Kimberley; brickwork, Wright and McDonald; carpenter work, C. W. Bellamy; plastering, Patton Bros., all of this place; verandahs, special, W. Large, Listowel; painting, Messrs. Dazell, Hemphill and Hales; steam fitting and plumbing, Christie Bros., Owen Sound. The Presbyterian congregation at Eugenia held their annual fowl supper and entertainment on Wednesday evening of last week. There was a good attendance, an excellent supper and a pleasing program, the musical part of which was given by Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Blackburn, Miss Christie and the Misses Joy, of this place. Addresses were given by Mr. M. K. Richardson, M. P. of this place, and Rev. J. Hunter, of Mark-

dale. The former gave an interesting description of his recent trip to British Columbia, and the latter spoke on "Influence." Rev. Mr. Thom occupied the chair. Revs. Wilson, of this place, and Wellwood, of Dundalk, exchanged pulpits on Sabbath last. The former conducted anniversary services at Dundalk, and the latter, who preached highly appreciated sermons here, presented the claims of St. James' Church, Montreal. While driving home from Dundalk on Sunday night last, Rev. Mr. Wilson's fine driving beast stumbled and fell to her knees cutting one of them so severely that she will be disabled for some time. Mr. H. Down, who has been for some time in the employ of F. G. Karstedt, has given up his situation to resume work on his farm on the 4th line. Rev. A. Cooke, who has been in charge of the Baptist church here for nearly a year, tendered his resignation two weeks ago, and on Sabbath last preached his farewell sermon. Mr. Cooke is quite undecided as to his future field of labor. He is highly esteemed and a preacher of such marked ability that his removal is a distinct loss to the pulpit power in this place. Miss Murray, who spent the past year with her brother, Dr. E. C. Murray, here, returned last week to her home in London, England. Mrs. E. Gaudin has returned from visiting her daughters at Owen Sound. Mrs. H. Firth, of the manse, is visiting friends in Durham and her daughter in Buffalo this week. Rev. W. and Mrs. Ayers, of London, are visiting their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blackburn. Mr. E. A. Armstrong has returned to Toronto to resume his studies in the Dental College. Mrs. J. D. Clark, of Ottawa, is spending this week with her mother and sister, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Hickling. Mr. F. Goff, evangelist, and Mrs. Goff are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. J. W. Armstrong. Mr. Thorp Wright, of Toronto Junction, is in this place and vicinity looking up wood for the hungry fuel market in Toronto. **TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY** Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 25c.

A DIAMOND WEDDING.

Golden weddings are not very frequent and diamond weddings are exceedingly rare. We are pleased, however, to inform our readers that on Thursday last, Oct. 9th, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Eva, of the town, enjoyed the happy privilege of celebrating the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding day having present with them on that occasion, their children grand-children and great-grand-children. Mr. and Mrs. Eva have been residents of this town for many years and being well and favorably known their hundreds of acquaintances will be pleased to learn of the event, and be further pleased to learn that the aged couple are still in the enjoyment of a fair measure of health. Mr. Eva was eighty-one years of age on the day preceding the event we undertake here to chronicle being married it will be seen just the next day after reaching his majority. We have not learned Mrs. Eva's exact age, but we are safe in presuming she must be getting pretty well up in years, having reached we imagine very nearly the four score mark.

Mr. Eva was born in Helston, Cornwall, Oct., 8th, 1821. When twelve years of age he went to Truro, Cornwall, and there remained until he was twenty. His next move was to the Island of Jersey where a year later on Oct. 9th, 1842, he was married in the old Parish Church of St. Heliers to Jane Matthews, a sister of Mrs. George Matthews of this town. Mr. and Mrs. Eva were in Jersey on one occasion when visited by our late beloved Queen Victoria, her husband, Prince Albert, and their two eldest children, the late Empress of Germany, and the present King of Britain. Mr. Eva describes the event of their visit as a great day in Jersey, and takes pleasure in relating the fact that he stood near their Royal Highnesses while they were on the pier.

Mr. Eva's next move was to the Island of Alderney, another of the group known as the Channel Islands, and he remained there for seven years working at his trade as a mason. The last job on which he worked was the breakwater where the British cruiser was wrecked a short time ago. In 1854 he came to Canada and worked some time in Montreal from which he subsequently moved to Durham where he has since remained. The marriage union resulted in twelve children, of whom only four are now living, viz:—Mrs. John Lawrence, of Egrement, Philip, of Bentrick, Mrs. Collier, of Guelph, and Albert of Detroit. Mrs. Collier's absence from the diamond wedding was occasioned by the receipt of a telegram from her son Bert, who was to arrive about that time from the Kiomyde, and Albert was unable to be present owing to pressing business at the time. Besides the four grand-children named the aged couple have twenty-three grand-children and a number of great-grand-children. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Eva on having lived to celebrate the rare event and trust they may still be spared for many years to come.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST
The singing of the Monkman Bros. in the town street on Saturday night was listened to by a large and appreciative crowd. Parents and friends are invited to the Junior League meeting next Monday afternoon in the basement of the Methodist church. Special singing by the song evangelists. Miss King, of Mt. Forest, will assist the Monkman Brothers in the song service on Sunday. The Monkman Bros., Evangelists, are still continuing the service in the Methodist church. There has been a deep growing interest in their work thus far. Everybody invited. Seats free. Hymn Books for strangers. The Rev. Wray R. Smith is to speak in the Walkerton Methodist church on the evening of Thanksgiving day.

TRINITY

Thanksgiving services will be held in Trinity church on Thursday at 11 a. m. and at Allan's schoolhouse at 3 p. m.

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The Chron

Local News Items

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK FOR CHRONICLE READERS.

Have you paid your sub.

A LOT of matter crowded out.

MR. FRED A. LEWIS, Piano Tuner is at the Middagh House.

LADIES' caperines and ruffs Grant's.

TEACHERS WANTED—At Louise, Ontario and Allan's section, Egrement. See ads.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. C. E. Layton, of Rockmart, Georgia, in which he conveys his wishes to his friends in Durham.

THE trustees of Blyth school have re-engaged Miss H. Lawrence for 1903 at an advance of twenty dollars on last year's salary.

It would be a pleasure to hear from all our correspondents every week, and now during the Fall and Winter months we think we ought to.

COLTS FOR SALE—One 2-year-old filly, one year-old gelding and spring colt five months old, all from a thoroughbred Clyde horse and good working mares.—R. T. EDWARDS Traverston.—t.

THE Grey and Bruce Medical Association met last week in Walkerton. Drs. Gun and Macdonald, of Durham, and Dixon, of Priceville, being amongst the attendants. The next meeting will be held here in Markham.

MR. CATTON'S new house is to be completed by the 15th of next month to make way for Mr. Russell's family, who are to occupy the house. Mr. Catton now lives in. We judge that this so that there will be no appointment.

THE Teachers and pupils of Priceville school are preparing for a "F. Day" on Friday the 24th inst., if weather be favorable. A number of the neighboring schools are expected to be present. Sport to begin at 10 a. m. Refreshments and short programme after games, in school.

MR. JOHN A. BLACK, left Tuesday morning for Farwell, Michigan, to attend the funeral of his brother, D. S. Black, who died Monday morning and was buried Wednesday, telegram announcing the death was the only intelligence received here and up to time of going to we have no definite knowledge of cause of death.

At the recent South Grey Agricultural Society Exhibition a special prize of three dollars was offered Mr. Barlow Cumberland for the chicken fattening coops to be used by boys between the ages of four and seventeen years. Whether that hen here is at a low state of advancement, or that embryo chickens are not grown in this section are unable to decide. At a time when we can't assign their blame there wasn't a single competitor. Now it seems to us the construction of such an article would be of great value to justify a boy in making the effort.

ROBERT REID and Miss Elizabeth Burell were married Saturday evening and Messrs Paterson, Kenzie, McFarlan and Whisler the Works succeeded in entering the groom by sending him a telegram purporting to come from Canada. It is said the boys were rewarded their "thoughtfulness" by a cigar, a piano; Paterson and McFarlan, cooking range; S. W. handsome couch; W. Cameron combination writing desk and bookcase. R. McFarlan, bedroom suite; Kenzie, oak dining table; and generous other gifts from employers the Flint Wagon Works.

THE Harvest Home Festival is in connection with the Mission at Ceylon, held on Tuesday evening, October 14th inst., was beautiful and impressive. The Service was conducted by the incumbent, Rev. C. L. Mills. A sermon was preached by Rev. Newell, of Markdale, from LXXV, 11 v. The preacher, so to his accustomed style and dwelt largely upon the dependence of our thankfulness for peace and abundant harvest. The effort was good and the singing in the Hall (where the service was beautifully decorated for occasion with grain, fruit and artistically arranged, emblem of the Harvest Home Thanksgiving) and reflects great credit to ladies and friends of the Mission.