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FLESHERTON

This week's budget.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid had arranged for a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Duncan, back line, on Tuesday evening of last week but bad roads and rain that night frustrated the plans. An invitation from the pastor to spend the evening at the parsonage was accepted; a goodly number in the village turned out and spent a very enjoyable time together.

There was a fair sized audience in the town hall on Friday evening to witness the Lang Bros. life motion pictures exhibited here that evening. We are informed the programme was very fine and highly pleasing to the audience.

Miss Minnie Munshaw met with a simple but troublesome little accident on Thursday last. While in the act of stopping to search for a needle she had dropped she unfortunately knelt on the threaded end of it, when it penetrated, eye foremost, below the knee cap and broke off, leaving nearly half an inch imbedded in the flesh. Dr. Carter endeavored to remove the broken piece but was unable to locate it and as later the knee became sorer he recommended the X-rays for the removal of the trouble. Accordingly on Friday Miss Munshaw was accompanied by her father to the city where in the hospital on Saturday the X-rays were applied and Dr. Bruce removed the piece of steel which was found clinging to the bone. Miss Munshaw's friends are pleased to learn that she will be able to leave her ward in the hospital in a week or so.

Mr. Archie Boyd, east back line, received the sad news on Saturday that his sister, Miss Flora Boyd, had died suddenly of heart failure, at Atchison, Kansas, at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Malloy, who with Miss Boyd were at one time residents of this place.

Rev. Ivison Wilson left on the 5 p. m. train on Saturday for Brighton to see his mother who is dangerously ill. His pulpit was supplied here on Sunday by Dr. Christoe in the morning and Rev. T. R. White in the evening. Mr. Jas. Feistead of this place took Mr. Wilson's work in the morning and Mr. White's in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Smith have removed from Collingwood Street to Mr. VanDusen's residence on Spring Street. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore have moved into Mrs. Flesher's residence, and Mr. Flynn and family have taken possession of the residence vacated by them at the drill shed.

The roads near the village are bare

and wheels running, but outside a little they are reported very bad with snow banks rotten and difficult to get through. On Saturday Rev. Wilson tried to reach Eugenia in his cart but in the snow near the Morey house corners broke the axle and had to return home. The same evening a livery team from Durham conveying two passengers to Eugenia at the Morey house and the passengers had to finish the journey on foot. The team after being rested here returned home on Saturday. Rev. Mr. Thom endeavored to reach his appointment at Proton Station on Sunday evening but was unable to get through.

Mr. C. Patterson's livery horse, Dexter, got so badly calked coming from Markdale last week that from loss of blood he was hardly able to stand when he reached his own stable. He is, however, recovering and the old roadster will likely be good for many trips yet.

On the 4th inst. a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Blakely. Their son Elmo, who a short time ago sustained a fracture of the leg which for a time did not improve satisfactorily, is now doing well and will shortly be about again.

An artistic and beautifully illustrated pamphlet of fifty pages 7x10, issued by the Chamber of Commerce, Everitt, Wash., reached us a few days ago with the compliments of Mr. D. P. Oswald, formerly of this place, but now a member of the Pacific Hardware Co., that city. In addition to over 140 illustrations of buildings, ships in the harbor, beautiful scenery, etc., with explanatory reading matter, the book contains a fine map of the city which has a history of but ten years and has now a population of over 20,000. We are pleased to learn that Mr. Oswald is taking a leading place among the progressive business men of the young "City of Smokestacks," so named for its numerous industries. We are also pleased to learn that a few weeks ago Mr. Oswald entered the state of matrimony in which we wish him a large measure of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Cairns, who visited the past two or three months with friends in Ontario, left here last week for their home at Manor, Assa., and Miss Jackson, who lived with Mr. and Mrs. J. White, left for British Columbia.

The principal officers of Prince Arthur Lodge, F. W. H. Hickling W. M.; W. A. Armstrong, S. W. and John Wright J. W. spent Friday last at Shelbourne attending a Masonic Lodge of instruction held by the Grand Master and his District Deputy, Mr. Alex. Gowan, of Barrie. The members of the Craft here were

sorry to learn of the death of their distinguished brother, His Honor, Judge Creasor, of Owen Sound, who had been D. G. M., and during his term of office visited Prince Arthur Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Neff, of Nottawassaga, visited at Mrs. Bulmer's last week.

Miss Osborne, of Guelph, has returned to again take charge of Messrs. Boyd, Hickling & Co's millinery department.

Dr. Ottewell paid a visit to the city the end of last week.

BUNESSAN.

Archie McComb was home a few days last week. He seems to be doing well in Toronto.

Miss May Morton returned home Friday after staying a week or so with Mrs. Britton. May's ready help and sympathy would be appreciated anywhere.

A number of our young people have expressed a desire to join the Baptist church as a result of the Rev. Dr. Spencer's special services. The motive to lead a new life is good, if only it be deep-rooted enough to lead to a steadfast better living rather than a mere better professing.

If the Chronicle would but print the name of the correspondent after each budget we think most of the trash would soon cease to be sent in. Try it, Mr. Editor. You are at liberty to use our name, if you use the others.

A C. Beaton doesn't believe in letting the grass grow under his feet. Early last week he sold his three farms of one hundred acres each; on Friday this week he has his sale; and by Wednesday next week he moves away. Dr. W. Staples, of Hanover, bought the "Jamieson" farm on the 3rd, and intends to use it for pasture. Mr. McFarlane, of Proton, bought the other two and intends to work them. The first pays \$1450, the last \$5600. As these are practically cash prices, the farms have brought good figures. Mr. Beaton moves his family to Durham for a time, then to Edmonton, Alta. The Beaton family will be much missed for they have ever been good neighbors.

ORCHARD

Mrs. Wm. Pinder gave a very pleasant and enjoyable party Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. John Cornish left Tuesday for his home in Assiniboia. He took a car with him. We wish him a safe journey.

We are pleased to report the recovery of Mrs. A. Bogle.

Miss Martha Queen was the guest of Miss Minnie Cornish a few days last week.

Mrs. John Pettigrew left Tuesday of last week for her home in Assa. She intends staying with friends in Toronto a few days. She was accompanied by Miss Belle Cornish who has been visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cornish. Mrs. Wm. Bradley accompanied them to Toronto where she will visit for a week or two. Mrs. Pettigrew has not enjoyed very good health of late but had improved greatly when she left. So much for the Ontario climate.

Mr. Harry Lewis, we are sorry to say, is quite ill at present.

Miss Minnie Cornish was the guest of Miss Ida Mark on Monday.

Our community received a terrible shock when it learned of the sudden death of Mrs. Wm. Dickson, who had seemed to enjoy her usual health up to Tuesday last when she complained of a severe headache, and thought it an attack of La Grippe. But during the night she lost all consciousness and remained in that condition until her spirit winged its way Heavenward on Friday about noon tide. Dr. Brown, of Holstein, of Durham. But the case was hopeless, and they pronounced it congestion of the brain. Deceased was of a cheerful patient disposition, a beautiful Christian character, and a member of the Methodist church here. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and nine children, who will greatly miss a helpful, loving wife and a kind, affectionate mother, the eldest being a daughter of seventeen years and the youngest a baby girl of ten months. The deepest sympathy is expressed by the entire community for Mr. Dickson and family in their very sad bereavement. The funeral service was held at the family residence, Sunday, at 2 p. m. and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and sympathizing friends. Rev. Mr. Truax conducted the services, the interment being at Mount Forest cemetery. A number of relatives were from a distance: Mr. Dickson's two sisters and a brother, Mr. Thos. Dickson, from Hespeler, Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, of Ripley, Mr. David Robertson, of Southampton and also Mr. Wm. Dickson, of Mount Forest, aunt and uncles of deceased. The pall-bearers were her brother-in-law and uncles, Messrs. David, Robert and James Robertson, Thos. Dickson and

SPRING BANK.

Mr. Robt. Whitmore who has been visiting friends in this part for the past three months left on Saturday for Manitoba.

Mr. Joe Watson, who has spent the past six years with the Scarf firm of the Rocky, spent part of last week at the parental home here.

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A little son of Mr. Wm. Aljoe's was seriously ill with a complication of diseases but is now on the fair road to recovery.

The Jacques family intend moving to their new home on the 2nd con. this week. We can recommend them to the people of the 2nd as being obliging neighbors and respectable citizens.

Mr. Joe Brown is still confined to his bed with his maimed leg, the result of a kick which he received from a cow over a month ago. As Joe is a stirring ambitious young fellow we hope to see him speedily restored to the full use of his injured member.

Mr. Albert Watson re-engaged with Mr. Wm. Pinder, of Orchard, and resumed duties on Monday.

Mr. John Moore will leave next week for the West, taking with him a car-load of farm equipment including house material, a number of horses, farm implements, etc. We wish him a fair success in the much talked of West.

All are pleased to learn of the recovery of Mrs. Jas. Hopkins, who has patiently endured a very severe and trying illness.

GLENROADEN

Mr. Hugh Vaughan has Mr. Andy Kelly busy at work drilling for water. He went through 19 feet of gravel before he struck rock, he then let down his 22 foot drill and is pounding away. Mr. Kelly is an expert well-driller and expects to get water at about 30 feet.

Mr. John Kingston has moved his family up near Meaford, where he intends to reside.

Mr. John Quinn has sold his fancy driver Black Joe, to Mr. Albert Middleton, for a fancy price.

Mr. James Banks was on the sick list recently, but after the attention of a doctor is well again.

Miss Lizzie Laughlan, who has been employed at the Glenroaden Boarding House for some time, is leaving, as she has put in her time.

Mr. James Vaughan sr., is making arrangements to build a dwelling house this summer, he has good pluck for a man of his years.

Mrs. John Dansmore was visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Quinn for a few days lately.

Miss Marion Young is visiting her Aunt, Mrs. Gillin Boyd.

Mr. George Furneaux had an ex-

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tensive sale of live stock and farm implements on the 11th inst., proceeds about \$2000.00.

Mr. Wm. Kingston is moving into the house vacated by his brother John.

We regret to hear of the death of Mr. John Berry, who died on the 12 inst. The sympathy of the neighborhood is extended to the sorrowing friends in their sad bereavement.

Messrs. A. and M. McCormack just got nicely started to haul logs to the mill when the snow took a sudden start and disappeared, which caused a stop in log hauling.

It was reported that three cases of Smallpox had broken out on the 10th con. of this township, but later reports say it is only chickenpox. It is to be hoped the latter report is true, rather than the former.

Easter Term!

COMMENCES

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