Owen Sound.

From our own Correspondent.

A gloom is cast over our town by several deaths which have recently occurred in our midst. A few weeks ago was chronicled the death of Mrs. J. Bready, who had been suffering for some time for some time from lung trouble, and shortly afterward Mrs. S. Connel, afflicted with a similar disease, passed away. Last Thursday Mr. Border lost an infant child and on the same day Mrs. James Rutherford, in the 28th year of age, passed to her eternal rest. The Methodist church was draped in mourning last Sunday in memory of these departed members. Their husbands and families have the deep sympathy of the community.

Last Thursday evening a little boy employed in carrying parcels from Douglas' grocery store, failed to return home. No tidings was received of him, and the river was dragged, when his body was discovered. It is supposed to be a case of accidental drowning, but no one seems to know anything concerning the particulars.

Last Friday evening the fire bell was rung, but as it proved to be a chimney a-fire the excitement soon died out. Between 12 and 1 o'clock the fire-bell was again rung vociferously and the large grocery store of Mr. Geo. Meir and that of Mr. J. Notter were discovered to be ablaze. Wilcox's variety store was also burnt. The buildings were insured. It is supposed the fire was the work of an incendiary. In connection with his grocery store, Mr. Notter kept liquor, and some of the firemen took advantage of its presence by imbibing rather freely, thus unfitting them for their duties in extinguishing the fire. An investigation of the affair is being held to-day (Monday).

Mr. W. J. Bracken, of Brampton, has started in Owen Sound as Vet. Surgeon.

T. E. Vanstone, an estimable young citizen, has opened up a dry goods store on Poulett street.

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The ties of truest friendship
On earth are often riven;
Hear, bleeding heart, the promise
Of unity in heaven.

When tired of life's burdens,
And to despair we're driven,
How sweetly sounds the promise—
"NO WEARINESS IN HEAVEN."

And when tha hours seem darkest,
But to do God's will we've striven,
Oh, grand and glorious promise—
"A SURE REWARD IN HEAVEN."

Park Ridge, Ill. —*Lena.*

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W. C. T. U. Department].

Christian Pleasures.

How oft is heard the question,
Whether or not 'tis right
For Christians seeking pleasure,
Where worldlings find delight.

And many minds have given
Answer in many ways;
Still hearts with growing interest
Anew the question raise.

To young hearts overflowing
With innocence and glee,
'Tis hard in such a matter,
Wise counsellors to be.

What rule than this is safer,
Paul long age did give,
That to God's glory those who
His children are should live.

It's not "what other Christians
Do or not do" should be
Our warrant, but "What sayeth
The Word of God to me?"

Each Christian should the question
At Jesus' feet decide,
And by the light that Scripture
Sheds on it to abide.

When he can pray, "Thy blessing
Now, Father, be on me,
That recreation sought for
May to Thy glory be."

When he can say to Jesus,
"Come with me, Heavenly Friend,
For without Thee I would not
One hour in pleasure spend."

When he can pray, "O Blessed
Spirit be my guide,
Keep me from sin's defilement,
And in my heart abide."

Thus may the Christian pleasures
Seek, when he can so pray,
And none shall by example
Of him be led astray.

And when the Saviour's presence
Shall be with him, and where
He shall not grieve the Spirit,
His God shall bless him there.

—ELIZABETH BECKETT.

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Meaford Road.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Anna Buchanan has been confined to the house through sickness for some time past. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is recovering.

On last Wednesday, 18th inst., the wedding spoken of came off at the residence of Thos. Kells, Esq., the parties most interested being Miss Josephine Kells and Mr. Henry Sparling. Rev. J. Walker Shilton, B. A., officiated. All wish the young people a prosperous voyage through life.

Mr. C. Gilbert, of Wiarton, was down on a visit.

Mr. J. Warling is fireman at the saw mill and business is booming.

Mr. S. Gilbert has moved back to the old homestead. He is going to try farming this summer.

The hard frosts that we have at nights are giving the fall wheat a very burnt look. A good warm rain and genial weather would be very acceptable.

As a hair dressing and renovator, Ayers Hair Vigor is universally commended. It eradicates dandruff, cures eruptions of the scalp, invigorates and beautifies the hair, and prhvents its fading or turning gray.

An English Boy, who Asks for Fair Play.

To the Editor of The Advance.

Dear Sir,—I have not been long out in this country from England, but quite long enough to meet with a man whose meanness will yet bring him to grief. I need not mention names, for although the man I speak of treated me in a most scurvy manner, I do not wish to hold him up to public scorn—unmasked!

This man I engaged with as farm help last year. I was homeless and a wanderer and therefore only too glad to get a situation. But what a situation! Advantage was taken of my position to fleece me of a portion of my hard earnings. A certain article was palmed off on me as good, which, investigation proved, was almost worthless. Shirting bought for me in a Flesherton store at 17 cents per yard, was represented to me as costing *twenty cents per yard!* What sort of a soul must a man possess who will cheat a homeless boy three cents per yard on a little cheap shirting?

In other particulars this man's actions were quite on a par with the part he played in connection with the shirt transaction. To add insult to injury, this man spread certain reports throughout the country calculated to injure my character, and said reports were as false as were the statements he made to me concerning the cost of the shirting when he brought it home from the store.

All I ask, Mr. Editor, is fair play, and that, I think, will be accorded me in this great young country, where there is not such a marked distinction made between the various classes as there is in many other parts of the world.

Yours truly,
E. C. BUSH.

Flesherton, April 21st, 1888.

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John W. Brown, M. D., of Oceana, W. Va., writes: "I prescribe Ayer's Pills in my practice, and find them excellent. I urge their general use in families."

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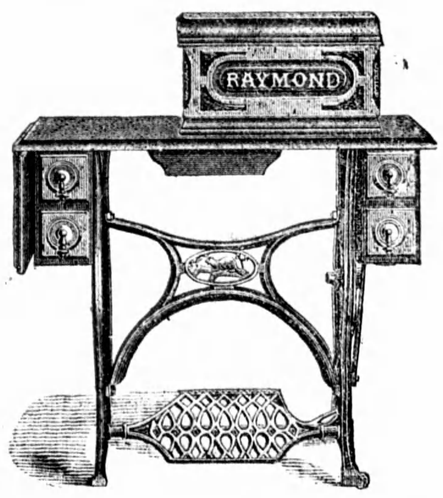

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