GEO. MITCHELL,

BANKER,

FLESHERTON.

DRAFTS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

Special Attention paid to the collection Notes and Accounts. 2nd door North Richardson & Co's.

Vicinity Chips.

Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious.

Remember the Osprey fall show at Maxwell on Friday, Oct. 4.

Miss Fisher, of Parry Sound, is visiting with Mrs. W.K. Flesher.

If your watch or clock needs repairing, be sure and take it to Russell's, Flesherton, for a perfect job.

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An amount of honey for sale at this office.

Mr T. Bates, of the Sault, made Flesherton a call on Saturday, leaving for the Sault the same day.

Miss Lily Powell, who has been visiting relatives in Toronto and vicinity for some weeks, returned on Monday last.

Mr W. Varty and son returned last week from the Canadian Sault, where they have been employed during the past summer.

Mr Richardson & Co have repaired the clock in their tower. It was illuminated on Saturday evening for the first time of late.

LOST—A pair of long boots, slightly worn, on the gravel road leading south of Flesherton. The finder would confer a favor by leaving them at this office.

Each purchaser of an admission ticket to the Stayner Exhibition will receive a numbered ticket, entitling him to one draw for a handsome covered carriage, valued at $110.

Now that the harvest is ended and summer is past it would allay an overgrown feeling of lonesomeness could we hear from our Balsam Valley correspondent once more.

The most interested man in the prehistoric remains was Dr. Ottewell. By the way, Mr. Jelly says he finds that the veterinary surgeons can give a better description of the various bones of the beast than any of the scientists.

One row for fair day is to be chronicled. It was between three beauties from Euphrasia. Two strapping fellows piled on to a little man and both got seriously done up, too. When there must be a row that is the way one likes to see it end.

Theodore Malchell, a native of Macedonia, who is now in this country and studying in Knox College, Toronto, will accompany the Rev. Mr. Emes and preach in the Presbyterian church here on Sabbath afternoon next.

Big Egg.

Mr John Davis made The Advance a present, on Monday, of two eggs which measured sixteen by thirteen inches. They were manufactured by a hen which he employs specially for that purpose. They may be seen at this office by the inquisitive.

Prize Cheese.

Flesherton cheese factory took fourth prize at the Industrial fair for factory cheese. Considering the fact that there were two hundred entries, this is very satisfactory, and proves that our cheese makers are among the very foemost in Canada.

A Sure Criterion.

A Cincinnati trade journal says: By watching the advertising colums of a newspaper we are enabled to know the exact condition of mercantile affairs and of the general prosperity or depression of the town where the paper is published. We can sit at our desk, and pick out the lively businesses all over the country, and also the show of dead ones. There is no better index to a town than its newspaper. It is a better criterion to go by, and is considered so by sagacious men, than a photograph.

Died.

THOMPSON.—In Flesherton on Monday, Sept. 23, the infant son of Samuel Thompson, aged six week

Concert.

The concert given in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid was fairly well attended. The program supplied was very good and consisted of solos by Mr. Anderson, Miss Vandusen, Mr. Evans, Mr. Dorington and Miss Benson, of Markdale; quartet by Messrs. Evans, Russell, Miss Damude and Mrs. Blackburn; recitation by Miss Annie Richardson, entitled "Poor Joe." Rev. J.W. Shilton, B.A., gave a short address, and his remarks wese as usual, received with much favor.

Arbitration.

Judge Lane, Inspector Campbell, Inspector Grier, Jas. Campbell, Esq., of Collingwood, and Jas. Elliott, Esq., of Feversham, composed a board of arbitration which met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, yesterday (Wednesday) to hear the petitions of certain ratepayers situate in school sections Nos. 6 and 10, Osprey, who were desirous of being annexed to section No. 16, Collingwood. After hearing evidence the request of the petitioners was granted.

Gone into Mining.

Mr. R. Oliver took a trip up the lakes in June last, and became so impressed with the mining qualities of Algoma that he purchased a mine, bringing a quantity of specimen ore home with him. This he had analyzed last week in Toronto, the result being that the ore turned out as follows: Gold worth $2.40 per ton, silver ten cents, copper $24; total $26.50 per ton. This ore was simply surface ore, and Mr. Oliver thinks he has a pretty good thing in it. He will visit his property again very shortly.

A Successful Agency.

Farmers should read T. A. Blakely's new advertisement in this week's issue. Mr. Blakely sells the best and most serviceable implements manufactured. He disposed of a binder on the fair grounds on Monday to D. Stinson, Esq., which made up the large number of eighteen binders during this season. The number of other implements sold by him was in proportion. Had he not been handling the best implements manufactured this magnificent showing would not have been made.

The Amaranth Mammoth.

Flesherton people had the pleasure of viewing the wonderful remains of the prehistoric animal which were lately discovered near Shelburne, and a full account of which the Advance published some weeks ago. The relics are really wonderful, and scientists cannot place the species of animal to which they belong; but there is no reasonable doubt that it was of the ox nature. The one horn shown, and which is the only one yet unearthed, is twelve feet eleven inches in length, and curves as gracefully as the most graceful of ox horns, but its immense size renders it almost impossible for one to imagine what the appearance could be of an a animal with such an immense bone on its head. Nothing like it is known to science, and though every wiseacre has his theory to advance, yet none are agreed, which proves conclusively that on one knows anything about it. Mr. Jelly, the owner, is exhibiting it, and we believe it will prove a gold mine to him. He intends to exhibit the remains at Markdale, Walter's Falls, and Walkerton.

Polished Him Off.

A couple of weeks ago the Markdale Standard published an abject apology for the exceedingly small amount of reading matter which it publishes, at the same time taking occasion to remark that "there is not a local paper on our exchange list some 30 all told—which gives as much local reading matter as the Standard." Last week the Chatsworth News polished Mr. Rutledge off for the above falsehood in the following style: Apologize all you like Brother Rutledge, and perhaps your readers will still think you owe them one. But don't you think it would look much better if you were to try and elevate your Standard, instead of endeavoring to pull your 30 local exchanges down to its level? There is nothing made by trying to injure your neighbors. If you succeed it only takes a little out of their pocket and it don't put anything in yours. Blow your own horn as much as you will, and if you can't get up don't blame other people for your failure; it isn't their fault, its your own, and no doubt you have their sympathy. Besides it isn't business, and you are liable to offend your advertising patrons by publishing such a profuse apology for the appearance of their business announcements in the columns of your paper.

Accident.

R.J. Sproule, Esq., met with a serious accident in the Agricultural hall on Tuesday. He fell from a ladder, striking against a railing, breaking one rib. We are happy to see that his injury does not entirely confine him to the house.

Special.

It is with pleasure that we announce to our many patrons that we have made arrangements with that wide-awake, illustrated farm magazine, the American Farmer, published at Fort Wayne, Ind., and read by nearly 200,000 farmers, by which that great publication will be mailed direct, FREE, to the address of any of our subscribers who will come in and pay up all arrearages on subscription and one year in advance from date, and to any new subscriber who will pay one year in advance. This is a grand opportunity to obtain a first class farm journal free. The American Farmer is a large 16-page journal, of national circulation, which ranks among the leading agricultural papers. It treats the question of economy in agriculture and the rights and privileges of that vast body of citizens—American farmers—whose industry is the basis of all material and national prosperity. Its highest purpose is the elevation and ennobling of Agriculture through the higher and broader education of men and women engaged in its pursuits. The regular subscription price of the American Farmer is $1.00 per year. IT COSTS YOU NOTHING. From any one number, ideas can be obtained that will be worth thrice the subscription price to you or members of your household, YET YOU GET IT FREE. Call and see sample copy.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

The Woodstock Times has been changed to the eight page form.

The Durham Cronicle is still publishing tall hay stories.

The tower of the windmill of the Shelburne waterworks is completed.

A young man named Smith, Melancthon, was dangerously injured by a stub falling upon him.

Samuel Moore, son of the caretaker of Thornbury cemetery, fell dead from heart disease the other day.

Bro. Spurr, of the Creemore Star, is degenerating. He wants to get up a bet with somebody, and offers to wager his old hat against "somebody's" painted dog.

At this stage of the Baltic case any expression as to the guilt or innocence of the prisoners would, of course be extremely improper; but the opinion may be tolerated that the Toronto commercial traveller, who rushed into print to deny positively that any such outrage took place, was just a trifle premature.—[Hamilton Times.

Mr. William Langrill, of Bentinck, lost one of his horses the other day from a disease but rarely met with but having a jaw breaking name. It paralyzes the nerves and muscles and effectually prevents any liquid or solid from being swallowed. In this case the disease is supposed to have been caused by the horse drinking for a few days the water from an old and long disused well.—[Chronicle.

The barns of Mr. Joseph Freestone, 3rd line, St. Vincent, were struck by lightning during the thunder storm of Sunday evening, and entirely consumed, together with all this season's harvest and a portion of last year's grain. The fire illuminated the heavens for fully three hours in spite of a heavy downpour of rain which continued for nearly an hour. The barns and contents were insured for $1200, but this will not more than half cover the loss which Mr. Freestone sustains.—[Monitor.

Collingwood has been afflicted with another destructive fire. The Callary Block, consisting of seven stores, photograph gallery, dentists' rooms and telegraph and telephone office, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night. The fire broke out in rear of Durnford Bros.' grocery, and the block being all wood soon spread to the adjoining stores. The losses are: B. Callary, dry goods, stock partly removed and damaged; Durnford Bros., grocery; Hocking and McFadden, hardware and stoves; F. J. Telfer, telegraph and express office; Danford, Roche & Co., general store; Mechanics' Institute and Masonic Hall. These, all being tenants, lost their stock either by fire or damage. Callary's block, wood, is totally destroyed; Lindsey's brick block, occupied by Danford, Roche & Co., Mechanics' Institute and Masonic Hall, is considerably damaged but not destroyed. A heavy rain was falling at the time and little wind, otherwise the destruction would have been a great deal worse.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale at the Medical Hall.

Mrs. J.E. Bloor, of Wilton avenue, Toronto, attempted suiside Thursday evening by taking rat poison.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale at the Medical Hall.

A riot has occurred on Naavssa, an island in the Caribean Sea, in which several Americans were killed.

Croup, whooping cough and Bronchiti immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure For sale at the Medical Hall.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the premises of Louis Frook, Lot No. 6, Con. 19, Proton, on or about the last of August, 1 heifer and 1 steer, about 2 years old. The owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses.

LOUIS FROOK, Priceville P.O.

Sept. 24, 1889.

Came Astray!

Came to the premises of the undersigned, about three weeks ago, one spring lamb. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

D. HOWELL,
Kimberley

CAME ASTRAY.

One black sow came into the enclosure of D. Madill's, about the first of August. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take her away.

D. MADILL,

Maxwell, Sept. 14, 1889.

In the Matter of Charles E. Neil, Late of the Village of Feversham, (now of Maxwell), Merchant. Insolvent.

The Insolvent has made an assignment of his estate to the undersigned, in pursuance of an act respecting assignment for the benefit of creditors, revised statutes, Ontario, Chapter 124, and the Creditors are notified to meet at the office of Messrs M. Richardson & Co., Flesherton, on Monday, 30th Sept. 1889, at 2 p.m., to receive a statment of affairs, appoint inspectors and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. And notice is hereby given that after November the first next, the said trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtor amongst the patrons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claims he shall not then have had notice.

JOSEPH BLACKBURN,
Assignee in Trust.

Dated at Flesherton, Sept 21, 1889.

FARMERS! LOOK!

T. BLAKELY,

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sells the best farming implements manufactured, including

Brantford Light Steel Binder and Mower.

Mason Double-Geared Drill and Spring Tooth Sheder.

The Waterloo Plows and Threshers.

Neeby and Durand's Hayfork.

The good qualities of these implements are sufficiently known now to speak for themselves without any extra words from me. Anybody requiring implements in this line would do well to examine mine if not already acquainted with them. Call on me and I will be happy to exhibit the good qualities of these machines.

T. A. BLAKELY, Flesherton.

W. BARNHOUSE,

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,
FLESHERTON, ONT.

Desires to thank his numerous customers for the very liberal patronage extended in the past, and is now prepared to fill all orders with promptness. Satisfaction guaranteed. Eleven years in business in Flesherton, and honest dealings, with good workmanship, have made his name well known throughout this vicinity. Sewed work a specialty. Get your boots made by Wm Barnhouse, Flesherton.

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—OF—

Valuable Store and Dwelling,

—IN—

The Village of Flesherton.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale in a certain mortgage from Elizabeth and Manchester E. Merriam to the Vendors, which will be produced at time of sale, and on default being made in payment of the moneys thereby secured, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction by A.S. Vandusen, auctioneer, at

Munshaw's Hotel,

In the Village of Flesherton on Friday the Eleventh day of October, 1889, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following property, namely: Village lot number three on the south west side of Toronto street in the village of Flesherton, according to plan by William Spry, Esq., D.L.S., of the subdivision of lot 6, first range or concession, S.W.T.S.R. Road, Artemesia, said lot containing 284 square perches more or less. On the lands are said to be a two story frame building divided into two shops and dwelling recently improved. Premises are situated on the main street and near the business centre of the village.

Terms 10 per cent at time of sale, and for the balance terms will be liberal, and will be made known at time of sale. For further particulars apply to W.J. BELLAMY, Esq., Flesherton or to MOSS, BARWICK & FRANKS, Vendor's solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th day of September, 1889.

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Flesherton each trip on the day following.

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