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**Characteristics of the Past Week
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Curious.**

Business notices among locals will be charged at the rate of 10c per line for each insertion. A reduction will be made on contracts for 100 lines or over.

Oysters and fresh fish at Barnhouse's.
Mr. Thos. Beecroft, of Eugenia, died on Monday.

The Misses Quigg have given up their dressmaking establishment in town.

Mrs. Bulmer had her hand badly scalded on Friday evening last.

Rev. S. D. Gaudin occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday ev'g.

Mr. Harrison, the furniture man, is now to be found in Wright's old stand, opposite Armstrong's jewelry store.

Delayed mails have prevented us from receiving several of our regular budgets of news in time for this issue.

Mr. F. G. Karstedt will build a fine brick block this spring. Material has been ordered and the contract let.

An agent for the Gould Bicycle Co., sold several wheels in town on Friday last.

There will be a tea meeting in the Methodist church, Swinton Park, on Friday evening, 16th inst. A good program. See bills.

Dr. Landerkin and Mr. McKechnie have again been nominated for South Grey in the Reform interests for the Dominion and Local Legislature respectively.

F. G. Karstedt has opened up his hardware stock in the building next door south of Mrs. Bulmer's photograph gallery, and will be glad to welcome old and new customers there.

There are still a large number of subscribers who have not renewed for 1894. If such will kindly attend to it during the present month they will confer a favor. We need the money.

A heavy thunder storm passed over on Friday night. Great quantities of rain fell, but the sleighing has not been impaired, as a hard freeze followed the electrical disturbance.

Much of life's misery is due to indigestion; for who can be happy with a pain in his stomach? As a corrective and strengthener of the alimentary organs, Ayer's Pills are invaluable, their use being always attended with marked benefit.

"The strike at Shane's" is the title of a little book just issued by the American Ham and Education Society. The book is well written, and is calculated to kindle a more kindly disposition in the human breast for all dumb animals, particularly the horse.

Sara Lord Bailey will appear in the Town Hall, under the auspices of Duffin in Lodge No. 186, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday, Feb. 20. This will be Miss Bailey's second appearance before a Flesherton audience, and she will undoubtedly be greeted with a good house.

The historical old Division Court building, in which Magistrate Armstrong has been the presiding genius for so many years, is now without a tenant. Mr. Armstrong removed the contents on Tuesday to the room next the jewellery store, which will be much more convenient, though scarcely so commodious.

"Bacteria do not occur in the blood or in the tissues of a healthy living body, either of man or the lower animals." So says the celebrated Dr. Koch. Other doctors say that the best medicine to render the blood perfectly pure and healthy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Methodist church, will hold an open meeting on Friday next, February 16th. A program of readings, recitations and music is being prepared. All are invited to be present, gentlemen as well as ladies. Meeting to commence at 8 o'clock. A collection will be taken in aid of the missionary work.

Several went out from Flesherton to the Cameleon concert at Maxwell on Tuesday evening.

A tea meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday, Feb. 23. Look out for bills this week giving full announcement.

Prof. Kent gave a lecture and exhibition in the Town Hall to a small audience on Saturday evening. His experiments with electricity were quite entertaining, especially to the young people.

As we go to press on Wednesday afternoon it is impossible to give this week the result of the convention held at Rocklyn to select a candidate for East and Centre Grey. A healthy delegation went from Ardenburg.

To the People of Flesherton:
I desire to publicly state my thanks to the people of this village for their kind assistance in saving my stock at the late fire, and timely assistance subsequently thereto. To the ladies who so kindly interested themselves in behalf of my family, I am especially grateful. F. G. KARSTEDT.

Our congratulations are heartily extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Buskin, who, as will be noticed elsewhere, entered yesterday into a covenant to help each other over the toilsome paths of life, and to share its enjoyments together. May the latter largely predominate. The young couple left after the ceremony to spend a week with friends in Guelph.

The heavy snowstorm which began on Saturday and finished its fury on Monday night was general over Ontario and the northern states. Monday night's train from Toronto did not arrive here until 6 a. m. on Tuesday, and the return train from the Sound at 9 a. m. Tuesday's mail was only two hours late, however, and matters here now about righted themselves. No mails came through on Tuesday from Epping or Feversham. The storm was the heaviest we have experienced this winter, and there have been some snorters.

Mr. J. M. Thurston, of Kimberley, who was a delegate to the temperance convention in Toronto last week, had an experience with gas that he will not soon forget. Upon retiring one night while stopping at a friend's house on Parliament street he carefully turned out the gas. About two o'clock he was awakened feeling intensely sick, but noticed nothing peculiar about the atmosphere. He says the sensation was something too awful to describe. After some little time longer the gentleman of the house was awakened by his moaning, and smelling gas proceeded to investigate. It was learned that the bedroom door had been left slightly ajar, otherwise we would no doubt have had a death to chronicle instead of an accident. As it was there was an invalid around for a day or so. Mr. Thurston thinks there was some defect in the gas fixture which would not allow of the gas being totally turned off.

Bids Wanted.
Highest price in cash paid for hides and sheepskins. W. P. CROSSLEY, Flesherton.

Died
In Artemesia, on Wednesday, Jan. 31, Margaret, beloved wife of Ebenezer Jones, aged 44 years, of pneumonia. The funeral took place to the Flesherton cemetery on Friday, 2nd inst. Deceased was a Miss Latimore, and lived at Flesherton station for many years. She leaves a family of six children, all unmarried. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and family.

New Books.
The following books have been added to the Mechanic's Institute library during the past week: The Hosiery Schoolmaster, by Eggleston; Rudder Grangers Abroad, Stockton; Animal Magnetism, Beunett; Told After Supper, Jerome K. Jerome; One Summer, C. W. Howard; Rudder Grange, Stockton; A Borrowed Month, Stockton; The McDiarmids of Bailycoran, Trollope; The Scottish Covenanters, James Taylor; Helen's Babies Habberton.

To Correspondents.
Those having occasion to send us matter by mail for publication will please bear in mind that only such matter as is actually intended for publication can be sent at manuscript rates. When anything private is enclosed we are taxed four cents at this end before the letter is delivered. Of late we have been considerably annoyed in this manner, and henceforth will totally refuse to take

such letters out of the office as do not conform to the rules. We supply stationery, including stamps, to all regular correspondents, but will not pay an extra four cents at this end for the sake of being asked to "Please correct mistakes," or "Please insert the following item in your paper," as we have lately done. We know enough to do these things without being asked. The powers at Ottawa have decided that the above quotations are extraneous and not allowable. While we think they are drawing the line extremely fine, and in a sense attempting to edit the press of Canada by saying this or that should not be put in type, still we would ask all correspondents to conform strictly to the above decision. Otherwise they will know why their communications do not appear.

Obituary.
Mr. Joseph Legard, one of Artemesia's oldest pioneers, departed this life on Saturday morning at the age of 73 years. He was taken down with inflammation of the lungs a few days ago, and notwithstanding the best of care succumbed to the disease. Mr. Legard was born in Lincolnshire, England, and at the age of 32 came to try his fortune in this great western land of promise. People can scarcely realize these days the privations and hardships experienced by the men who braved the struggle for existence in those early days. When not a stick of timber had been cut, or a grain of seed planted, a few men left their native English soil and entered the primeval forest where Flesherton and the well tilled farms now are. Joseph Legard was one of them, and long before Flesherton had a building he purchased several hundred acres of land on the third concession east of the T. & S. Road. One year after his arrival he sent for his brother Charles, now the only surviving member of a large family. After keeping public house for a few years at the Durham Road corners, he returned to his farm lots, which he cleared and made one of the best farms in the township. The nearest mill at that time was at Durham, the nearest markets Shelburne and Orangeville, and the nearest postoffice at Proton Station. No cash was obtainable for farm produce—all must be taken out in trade. A load of wheat taken to Shelburne by an ox team, the only means of transport, scarcely paid for teaming. Five pound of butter would buy only a quarter pound of tea. Three weeks ago Mr. Legard called upon us and gave many reminiscences of those days of hardship; to-day he is laid away with his fathers after a life of weary toil. His three score years and ten had passed, and nearly every one of his early companions had passed on before. He was a man of strict integrity, honored and respected by all who knew him—no man more so. He leaves a wife and family of ten grown up children. The funeral took place on Monday to Flesherton cemetery.

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Factory at old grist mill, Eugenia.

Personal.
Mr. H. Holmes and Mr. Hutchinson, of Heathcote, were callers on Monday.
Dr. Douglas, of the Wesleyan theological college, Montreal, died on Saturday last.
Mr. T. Clayton is in Toronto this week as a delegate to the Y. M. P. B. A. grand lodge.

Mrs. R. J. Brown, of Owen Sound, is visiting with her sister Mrs. W. H. Thurston.

Mr. W. P. Crossley and two little daughters visited friends in Meaford last week.

Mr. J. Runstadler left last Thursday for Waterloo, where he will spend a month or so among old associations.

Rev. S. D. Gaudin left on Monday for Thornbury. From thence he will visit friends in Toronto, Belleville, Long Island and New Jersey.

Mr. T. Gamey, reeve of Osprey, was delegate last week to the Central Farmers' Institute which met in Toronto, as well as to the temperance convention.

Mr. A. Dayman, the energetic and well known agent of the Sydenham Mutual Fire Ins. Company, was a caller on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dayman were visiting friends in this vicinity.

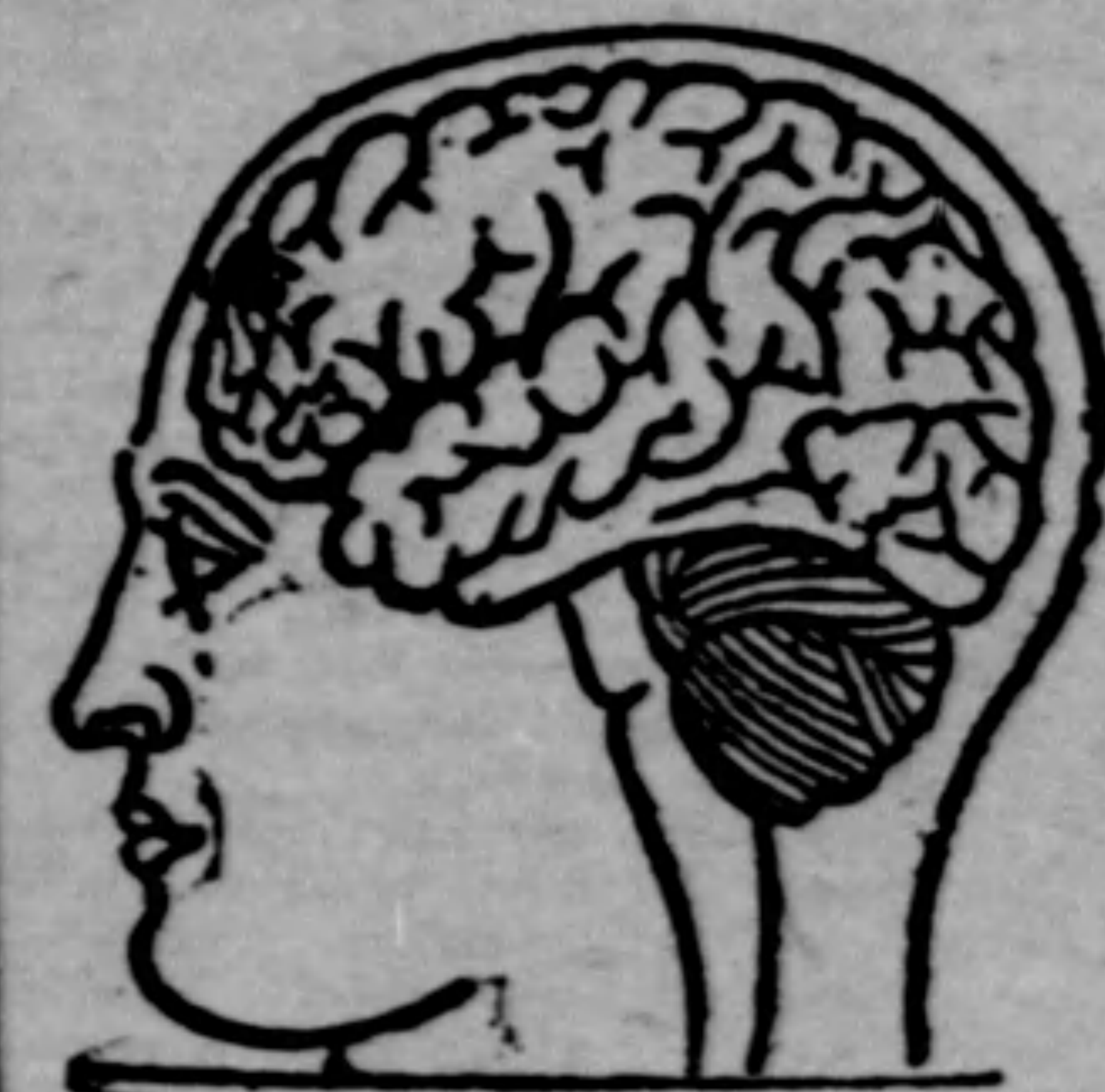
We are extremely glad to learn that Mr. Wes. Armstrong is much improved in health and will shortly return home to convalesce.

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