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**Characteristics of the Past Week
Carefully Cullied for the
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.

Honey for sale, in cans,—ten pounds for one dollar. At this office.

J. A. Fleming, dental student, of Staynor, was a caller on Friday, while on his way from Clinton to his home per wheel.

Mr. John Wright, jr., an applicant for the position of bailiff by Mr. A. S. Van-Jusen's resignation, has received the appointment.

Several articles have been taken from the hoop and veneer mill at Eugenia. Something to interest the guilty parties will be seen in our advertising columns.

Mr. A. S. Vandusen has received the appointment of Division Court clerk, as foreshadowed in The Advance last week. The new clerk entered upon his duties on Monday.

The Oil of Life and a man who made faces, held forth on the square Saturday evening. It is doubtful which had the greatest virtue—which same is saying mighty little for the oil.

Several farms are being advertised in these columns for sale or to let. The Advance is becoming recognized as a first class medium through which to dispose of any property, and several sales have lately been consummated through this medium.

Grand autumn millinery opening.—Mrs. Trimble has a most brilliant display of high class novelties this season. She extends a cordial invitation to all her friends. Opening days, Thursday and Friday, fall fair days. Next door to R. Trimble's general store.

Rev. Mr. Rupert was called to Toronto last week to attend the funeral of his brother's wife, who died with cancer. His pulpit was supplied by a local in the morning on Sunday and by Rev. Mr. Balfour, of the Kimberley circuit, in the evening.

Mr. Andrew Bentham met with a nasty little accident at a threshing last Thursday. The rim of his hat caught in a cog wheel and jerked his forehead against the wheel, cutting a two-inch gash on his forehead. It was a solid thump and dazed him for a few moments. When he came to himself his hat was turning somersaults around the wheel, and he thanked his stars very fervently that his head was not still in it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strain returned on Saturday from a seven-weeks' visit to their sons in Dakota and Montana. Mr. Strain informs The Advance that they had a very enjoyable time and found their boys doing well out west. Dakota and Montana, Mr. Strain says, are essentially ranching states, but for farming he still believes that this township can hold its own with any country in the world, and he is still loyally attached to his Canadian home.

Secretary Sproule and his staff have been very busy for some days taking in entries for East Grey fall fair, which comes off to-day and to-morrow, and everything promises a great show this year. The grounds have been improved, a new fence having also having been erected inside the track to keep back the crowd. Mr. McCarthy and Maj. Delamere will be here. More than the ordinary number of attractions have been provided this year, and Flesherton should, on Friday, see such a crowd of people in town as she has never seen before.

What might have been another serious conflagration for Flesherton occurred on Saturday when Mr. Wm. Henderson's manure heap was found to be on fire. The strong wind was fanning the flame against the building, and when observed the boards were quite blackened. A few minutes more and the fire would have been beyond control, no doubt resulting in the destruction of Danude & Wright's stove factory and other property. It was a narrow and fortunate escape. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Park, of this village, celebrated their golden wedding on Friday evening, 21st inst., when a very pleasant time was spent. A number of children and grand children were present. Mr. and Mrs. Park were the recipients of some very handsome presents. After all had enjoyed themselves to a late hour the gathering dispersed, wishing the bride and groom all joy and happiness, each guest taking away a piece of bride's cake to dream upon.

Some days nothing will "come out right," from the time you rise till you retire. Ten to one the trouble is in yourself. Your blood is in bad condition, and every organ suffers in consequence. What you need is the cleansing, invigorating influence of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

At Osgoode hall, Toronto, last week, judgment was rendered in favor of Mrs. Martha Thibodo in her suit against her former husband, Louis Napoleon Thibodo, to enforce the payment of alimony. The defendant is a school teacher at Pompeii, Mich., and formerly followed the same calling in Artemesia township, Grey county. In December, 1892, while his wife's suit for divorce and alimony was pending, he transferred his property in Grey county to Chester W. Martin, of Ithaca, Mich., and the lady could not recover on her judgment. The court pronounced the transfer of Thibodo's property illegal and the ex-wife also gets her costs. Thibodo has married a Michigan lady since his divorce.

The sense of security against sudden emergencies from croup and bronchitis, felt by those who are provided with a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, would be cheaply purchased at ten times the cost of that remedy. In all lung complaints, it is prompt to act and sure to cure.

Mr. W. A. Milburn, of this town, woodworker with Messrs. J. H. Heard & Sons, has received an undeniable notoriety during the past week by being written up as a pickpocket, confidence man and crook by the Toronto Empire. Mr. Milburn's private affairs, too, were written up at the information of some busybody who made it their business to tell the details, and who informed the Empire that Mr. Milburn must have had his mental faculties impaired by a disappointment in which a young lady figured. The facts of the matter are these: Mr. Milburn was boarding at a restaurant during exhibition week and had his postoffice savings bank book and two silk handkerchiefs stolen from his valise by a thief who raised a sum of money on the book from a druggist and then passed himself off as Milburn, playing a confidence game with several citizens of West Toronto Junction. He made application at Ottawa for Milburn's money, and came very near getting it, but Mr. Milburn had stopped payment by telegraph. The thief was run to ground at Brampton on Saturday last and is now languishing in jail there. Mr. Milburn feels very sore over the wreckless way that the Toronto Empire made use of his name.

Markdale Fair.
The Glenelg fall fair was held at Markdale on Friday last. The exhibition was only fairly successful, and not up to the result of last year. The exhibit in the hall, with the exception of fruit, was meagre. Fruit was good in quantity and quality. The principal exhibitors were Messrs. W. Norton, Jas. Brodie, Jas. Stewart, J. I. Graham and Alex. Muir. Mr. Muir is a fowl fancier and took three firsts and three seconds in that class. The exhibit of horses could not be called good, although some handsome animals were shown. In sheep, pigs and cattle the show was small, although some splendid animals were exhibited, and also some fine pens of sheep. The Markdale band gave good music throughout the day. There were a number of fakes on the ground, but the people did not appear to bite freely, and the fakirs had a sad, far away look, like people searching for greener pastures. Clarksburg fair came off on the same day, and this fact of course interfered with the show to a certain extent.

Died.

ALLISTER—In Osprey, on Wednesday, Sept. 19th, Sarah Jane, beloved wife of George Allister, aged 66 years.

Mrs. Allister was born in the township of Scarboro, in the year 1828, her parents being of U. E. Loyalist stock. Her maiden name was McGinn. She was married to Mr. Allister forty eight years ago, and settled with him on lot 15, con. 8, Osprey, 1854. Mrs. Allister leaves a husband and a family of nine children—6 boys and 3 girls, the youngest aged 25—her own death being the first break in the family. Mrs. Allister had been a

steadfast Methodist for many years, and her funeral took place to the Methodist cemetery at Maxwell on Friday last, accompanied by a very large concourse of neighbors and friends. She passed away from life just as a flower will fade, without pain of any kind, gradually growing weak and weaker until the organs of life silently and unexpectedly ceased to perform their functions. The deceased lady was very highly respected and the bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of all in their great loss—that of mother—than which no greater loss can be sustained in this world of losses and crosses.

Relief in 6 Hours.—Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by W. E. Richardson, Druggist.

PIGS CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 186, 2nd range E.T. & S.R., on or about Sept. 1st, two pigs. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the same away. A TAYLOR

Notice.

Re Eugenia Mill.

To all and several of the parties who have in their possession sundry articles taken from the veneer mill in Eugenia, if said articles are returned to G. Latimer, the custodian of the mill, within one week no further action will be taken. But failing to comply with this notice proceedings will be taken against the said parties, who are known.

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Sporting Goods.

Guns, Revolvers, Shot Shells, Cartridges and a full line of the best Powders.

Potato Forks, Manure Forks, Grain Shovels and Plough Lines at right prices.

Cups and Saucers and Plates in numerous patterns at lowest prices.

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**Autumn and Winter
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