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**Characteristics of the Past Week
Carefully Culled 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.

Charles Wesley, the Critic.

Charles Wesley, the critic he went to church. Erudite with profound research. He knew just how a preacher should preach. And how a teacher his class should teach. He knew the reason the sun went down. And how many subscribers he had in town; He knew, or at least he thought he knew, The exact relations of pulpit and pew.

A modest man, his ideas rare. But with pride and assurance a goodly share. His talents! he held them in staid quo. And his mind dwelt much on the long ago.

When plow and harrow he used to run. From early morn to the set of sun; For years these talents were smothered down Since he had brought them with him to town.

Charles Wesley, the critic, he went to church. The day was warm, and the flies would perch Where the hirsute growth long ago was shed. Till he scarcely heard what the preacher said.

The day was warm and he mopped his face; He forgot the text, he forgot the place. He could not follow the preacher's thought For the flies were bad, and the day was hot.

Next morn as he sat in his sanctum chair He said to himself: "Tho' foul or fair, I'll give that preacher a raking down, Since he belongs to the neighboring town."

I'll show 'em that 'we' are a critic bold With a few ideas as good as gold. And no doubt our people will laugh with glee. For the preacher's a foreigner. He! ha! he!"

And he did. But never in years gone by Was there ever raised such a hue and cry Round an editor's ears; and the editor vowed That never again would he think out loud.

Henceforth in oblivion he will dwell. And eat and drink, and his head will swell With nightly profound thoughts unborn. While his readers eat husks when they should have corn.

A car load of coal oil just arrived for Richardson.

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

Mr. Jas. Stuart offers some Leicester lambs for sale in this issue. See advt.

MacWherrel's death sentence has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

Council met on Monday last. Minutes next week.

Mr. T. Hill makes a change in business. See advertisement.

Patrons of East Grey meet in the Town Hall to-day, Thursday.

Organ repairing, cleaning, renovating and tuning. Geo. Moorehouse, Flesherton.

We have made arrangements to club the Canada Farmers' Sun and The Advance for \$1.35.

Messrs. Baskerville & Co. have a fine Newcombe piano in stock for rental at concerts. This will fill a long-felt want.

Mr McCullough is erecting an addition to the grain storehouse at the station of 20,000 bush. capacity.

Centre Grey Plowing Association will hold their annual plowing match on Oct. 17th, in the neighborhood of Rocklyn.

There will be no stoppage of chopping while the rolls are being placed in my mill. P. Locks.

S. Lumude, Esq., Toronto, is spending a couple of weeks with his friends in this vicinity.

Richardson's are selling the very best lantern, which is warranted not to blow out, for only 50 cents.

The editors of the Durham Chronicle, Grey Review and Markdale Standard enjoyed the events at our show on Friday last.

A harvest home festival and fowl supper will be held in the Orange Hall, Maxwell, on the evening of Tuesday, Oct. 16, in aid of St. Mary's church. A first class time is anticipated. See bills.

An American firm is getting out a large quantity of ship timber in this vicinity and shipping from this station, a number of car loads having been sent off during the past week. This industry is expected to continue throughout the winter.

"For several months, I was troubled with a persistent humor on my head which gave me considerable annoyance, until it occurred to me to try Ayer's Hair Vigor. Before using one bottle, the humor was healed."—T. T. Adams, General Merchant, Turke, Ill., Va.

If your child is puny, fretful, troubled with glandular swellings, inflamed eyes, or sores on the head, face, or body, a course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is needed to expel the scrofulous humors from the blood. The sooner you begin to give this medicine the better.

Dr. S. P. May, inspector of Mechanics' Institutes, inspected our library on Friday, and expressed himself as highly pleased with the selection. He strongly advocated the formation of night and art schools. The government grant this year amounts to \$162. This will put the library on a good footing.

Strayed from Lot 17, Con. 8, Osprey, about Sept. 18th, one four-year old farrow cow, red and white, chiefly red but face mainly white. Had a poke on. Information leading to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.
Geo. WHEWELL.
Feversham, Sept. 25, '94.

Two young men, Messrs. John Porteous and Joe Smith, while driving home from the fair on Friday last met with a serious accident. Their horse, a young animal, became unmanageable, upset the rig and pitching them out. The rig was badly broken up and the young men received many severe cuts and bruises. Porteous's watch was destroyed.

The annual meeting of East Grey Plowing Association was held here on Thursday, when it was decided to have the fall plowing match in the vicinity of Rocklyn on Oct. 17. The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year: Pres., W. Stewart, Euphrasia; Sec.-Treas., P. A. McAuslan, Euphrasia. Directors—Collingwood, J. Irwin; Artemesia, R. Oliver; Euphrasia, P. A. McAuslan; Osprey, Wes Clinton.

To the Editor of The Advance.

SIR,—Please grant me space in your paper to ask why the essays that were entered for competition last year have not been judged yet? I am aware that the directors appointed Messrs. Geo. Stewart, Mr. Richardson and Thorp Wright, judges, at the annual meeting. I was informed that they had been notified. Upon asking M. Richardson he said it was the first he had heard of it. I hope the president will take sufficient interest in the matter to have them adjudged. One year is certainly long enough time.

COMPETITOR.

Mrs. Thibaudeau called on The Advance last week and stated that the item referring to her in last week's issue was incorrect on several points. She says that her husband never taught school in this township, but only in Algoma. He made the transfer of his property in 1893 and secured a spurious divorce, afterwards marrying another woman. Mrs. T. also states that she never entered suit for a divorce, but only for alimony, which she secured. At the late trial the court set aside the transfer and gave the lady's lawyer an order to seize and sell the property. The costs of the case, which the defendant had to pay, amounted to about \$600. W. H. Wright, of the firm of Lucas & Wright conducted the case for the plaintiff to its successful termination.

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.

Personal.

Miss Emma and Sarah Wright are visiting friends in Meaford.

Mr. John Bell, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. Wm. Strain.

Mr. James Keefer, of Grand Forks, Dakota, visited his parents here during the past week.

Miss Briguall, of Owen Sound, was the guest of Mrs. Keefer.

Mr. Robert Wright left on Monday to attend the school of pedagogy in Toronto.

Meaford Road.

From our own Correspondent.

Your correspondent has been so busy preparing for the "fair" that his vigilant eye may have overlooked some events of note, his quick ear may have been closed to some very interesting gossip. However, your humble scribe will strive to do better in the future.

Miss Edith Stanboskie, who has been visiting her numerous friends of this vicinity, has returned to Chicago.

Miss Muir, assistant teacher of the Chatsworth school, accompanied by her little friend, Mabel McClipe, was home on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Morral, of Lewiston, U. S. A. has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Richard Douglas. She likes Canada.

Mr. John Atchison, the successful bicyclist of the Flesherton fair, spent a few days at the home of Mr. Kells.

Mrs. Devons, with her two little boys, is visiting at her father's, Mr. Hutchinson's. She arrived in time to visit the Flesherton fair.

We are happy to note that Vandeleur possesses the charming baby. So the burgh is still far to the front in the affairs of life.

We are sorry to know that Mr. Aaron Wycit endured a runaway. His buggy was badly broken up, but it so happened happily that the occupant escaped serious injury.

Mount Zion.

From our own Correspondent.

We are sorry to have to report the death of Mr. George's Pedlar's only child, Ivy, who died on Sept. 20th, aged 8 mos. and 8 days.

Mrs. Wm. H. McNally and Mrs. Bowerman, each presented their hedge lords with a boy and girl respectively, recently.

Those from this neighborhood who attended the Flesherton fall fair seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves.

Flesherton Station.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. Whitty preached here on Sabbath last. His sermon taken from Luke 15, "The Prodigal's return," was greatly appreciated and his hearers will be pleased at any time to welcome such another spiritual treat from Mr. Whitty.

Our village was shrouded in gloom by the sad and rather sudden death of Miss Mamie Whitaker on Wednesday last. The deceased has grown from childhood among us and by her beautiful disposition and womanly ways won the love of all who knew her. The heartfelt sympathy of the whole community is extended to her sorrowing parents and her brothers, who, by her death, have been left sisterless. She was beloved by day and Sabbath school mates and has left an empty void among them, being the first one "taken home" from our Sabbath school since the opening here seven years ago.

Mr. Chislett, we are sorry to state, is still very seriously ill, but we hope to chronicle his convalescence next issue.

Mrs. Ashdown is also ill with inflammation.

Mr. Egan has also been on the sick list but is now on the mend.

Mr. Wm. Wood returned last Thursday from a few months' visit with his mother in King.

Mr. Rumsay has sold out his homestead to Mr. Allan, of Chatsworth, and intends moving his family to Meaford. A one year old steer and a 2 year old heifer belonging to Mr. J. H. Heard, of Flesherton, brought from Mr. Cook & Pickle last week the large price of \$20 and \$35, respectively.

Daniel Ritz, Proprietor and Publisher of the Hamburg, Ont., Independent says: "I was suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver trouble. I took a few bottles of Shiloh's Vitalizer and it cured me. I can heartily recommend it."

BOAR FOR SERVICE.

Berkshire boar for service on lot 132, con. 2, East T. & S. R. Terms \$1. Conqueror, farrowed April 8, 1894, bred by W. C. Henderson, Kerby, Ont. Sire, Prince Garnet, 2533, dam, Coy Bunch, 2882, by Entorprise, (Imp) 1578, Costley Pearl, (Imp) 2664, by Honey sis or 2888, Moss Rose 2nd, 1881, by May Duke, 15-7, Moss Rose 2nd, 6791, by Beaconfield Moss Rose, by Bengley Lad, Rosebud by Western Walk, Hoxtown Belle, by Duke of Swinestown, Delaware. JACOB HOLLEY, Flesherton P. O.

PIGS CAME ASTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, lot 152, 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



A Racking Cough

Cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Mrs. P. D. HALL, 217 Genesee St., Lockport, N. Y., says:

"Over thirty years ago, I remember hearing my father describe the wonderful curative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During a recent attack of La Grippe, which assumed the form of a catarrh, soreness of the lungs, accompanied by an aggravating cough, I used various remedies and prescriptions. While some of these medicines partially alleviated the coughing during the day, none of them afforded me any relief from that spasmodic action of the lungs which would seize me the moment I attempted to lie down at night. After ten or twelve such nights, I was

Nearly in Despair,

and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments, I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning, greatly refreshed and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

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