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Vicinity Chips.

**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.

Mr. Jas. O'Brien, of Kimberley, has lost a valuable 2 year-old colt. See advt.

Division Court will be held in Flesherton next Wednesday, 21st inst.

Warden Lemon, of Owen Sound, died last week. The funeral took place on Saturday.

F. W. McGaw left Bro. Keefer, of Norwood, in the bouillion to the extent of a small printing bill.

A new walk has been laid down in front of and around the Methodist church. The improvement was needed.

Get your bill heads, statements, and stationery of all kinds printed at this office. A large stock just arrived this week.

Thanksgiving Day on Thursday, Nov. 22, one week from to-day. A union service of all the churches will be held in the Presbyterian church on that day.

An attempt was made to break into Mrs. Bulmer's residence a week ago Saturday night, but the marauders were frightened away before attaining their object.

Miss Rupert is prepared to do paintings in oil or water colors at greatly reduced prices until Christmas. Samples may be seen in Mr. M. Richardson's window.

LOST—A long, brown lady's scarf between the Presbyterian church and Mr. W. Pedlar's hill, Collingwood road, on Halloween. Finder will kindly leave at this office.

If you intend having a sale be sure and get your bills printed at this office, where we will give you a free advertisement, which is of more value than the bills themselves.

Should winter remain with us now there will be something like a water famine, as the wells are very low and not sufficient rain has fallen during the fall to supply the source.

The night school under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute is proving a great success, about 28 of a membership attending. Tuesday and Friday are the evenings occupied. The classes are held in the public school.

Agent McGill informs us that the receipts at this station for the month of October were \$1000 greater than those of the corresponding month last year. Both freight and passenger traffic were included in this increase.

The demand for Ayer's Hair Vigor in such widely-separated regions as South America, Spain, Australia, and India has kept pace with the boomer consumption, which goes to show that these people know a good thing when they try it.

You may eat cheap food and not be seriously hurt by it, but you cannot take cheap medicines without positive injury. If you use any substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, you do so at the peril of your health, perhaps of your life. Insist on having Ayer's, and no other.

The beautiful winter arrived on Saturday and Sunday with a fall of one foot of snow, and made business lively. It also caught some people short, judging by the number of half-frozen travellers who passed through the village on Monday with buggies and hard laboring horses.

Win. J. Spence was instantly killed at Craig's planing mill, Toronto, last week. He leaves a wife and seven children, who are in destitute circumstances. We believe Mr. Spence is known in this vicinity, having worked for Mr. Stinson, of Trouton Station, a few years ago.

Early Monday morning the residence of Mr. S. Kingston, of this village, was found to be on fire and was burned to the ground. The family barely escaped with

their lives, not having time to save any of their clothing. The only article of furniture saved was the kitchen stove. Mr. Kingston's loss will be considerable over and above the insurance of \$500, held in the Waterloo.

Two weeks ago the Stayner Sun was sold to Mr. Williams, proprietor of the Collingwood Bulletin. The people of Stayner did not relish the change and were about to start another paper. Mr. Williams, therefore, resold the paper to Dr. Jakeway and Mr. Perkin, of Stayner, after only one week's possession. Dr. Jakeway is an entertaining writer and the literary merit of the paper will be of a high order.

A fine deer took a trot through the village on Tuesday, passing across by the agricultural grounds and through Munshaw's fields. Master Willie Bentham shot it as it crossed the road, wounding it badly, but it travelled off fast enough nevertheless. About fifteen sports of the village started in hot pursuit but got cooled down after going a mile or so through the snow and returned to their several comfortable firesides. Master Bentham and a couple of others continued the chase. It was an enormously large buck with a magnificent pair of antlers.

Something new in private parties has hit the people of Kansas, according to the Kirwin Globe. We quote: A "Hard Time" party was given by Misses Cora and Rosa Boddington, at their home, last Friday evening. About forty of their friends were present. The parlor was lighted with the old fashioned tallow candles, the carpet covered with gundry sacking, and furniture to correspond. Some of the costumes, especially of the gentlemen, caused considerable amusement. The principal game of the evening was "catching shadows." Great merriment was caused when the hostesses passed around pop corn and apples in the old time way. Some very fine music was rendered by Miss Rosa Boddington and Mr. S. C. Landes, after which ice cream and cake was served. At a late hour all returned to their homes pronouncing the "Hard Time" party a grand success.

On Wednesday night of last week Mr. John Walker, of Artemesia, three miles south of Markdale, was out to meet a friend at the train, and on his return home found that his buggy and single harness had been taken. With lantern in hand he tracked the buggy for some distance. The following morning he renewed the search and Constable Noble overtook his man at Shelburne, which proved to be youthful Jack Fletcher, who claimed that he had just taken the conveyance (with his father's horse) for a few days to visit a friend in Orangeville. He was placed in custody at Shelburne, and on Saturday Constable Askin of this place brought him to Markdale. Here he was placed in the new lock-up (the first occupant) which had no stove and was certainly very cold and damp with its cement floor; neither was a stove procured until the afternoon of the following day. Surely the authorities are open to severe censure for such cruelty. A Magistrates Court was held on Monday a. m. and the prisoner committed to stand his trial. It is a sad thing to see a youth thus in the toils for such an offence. He hasn't the appearance of a criminal but rather of one lacking in intellectual faculties.—Standard.

Age Improves It.

The Youth's Companion is soon to enter upon its sixty ninth year of publication, and as one says who has been a constant reader of its columns for more than thirty years, "It has steadily improved year by year." Its articles today cover the whole field of life and experience, furnishing a vast amount of valuable and entertaining reading of a character not found elsewhere, and of so great a variety that The Companion interests alike each member of the family. The Prospectus for the volume of 1895 announces an unusual array of attractions; fourteen serial stories, a wealth of short stories, anecdotes, humorous sketches, adventures, science and home articles, timely editorials on all important questions, and more than two hundred original poems of the highest class. Full Prospectus and specimen copies sent free on application. New subscribers who send \$1.75 now will receive the paper free to January 1, 1896, and one year from that date. It comes every week. Finely illustrated. The Youth's Companion, Boston Mass.

Personal.

Mr. Wm. Falls, returned from Owen Sound on Friday last, where he has been

"visiting" for the past three months. He says Mr. Miller is "a decent man, a decent man," but Billy got very weary looking at the county woodpile, nevertheless.

Messrs. G. Mitchell, P. Munshaw and S. Pedlar returned on Saturday from a three weeks' hunting trip in Muskoka. There were six in the party, and they only succeeded in securing seven deer.

Mr. Will Sullivan and his employer, Mr. Lamont, of Collingwood, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Ben. Heslip and Miss Gertie Vanzant, of Flesherton, spent Sunday and Monday in Town with friends.—Thornbury Herald.

Mr. Chas. M. Boren, of Chicago, who has for the past month been visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Mark Wilson, returned to Durham yesterday, where he will manage the skating rink for the coming winter. Mr. Boren has had quite a varied experience in running places of amusement and pleasure resorts in the states, and will no doubt make the rink popular with the Durhamites.

The Churches.

Rev. J. Wells, M. A., preached an excellent sermon to the A.O.U.W. on Sunday from the text: "A father of the fatherless and a judge of the widows, is God in his holy habitation." Psalms 66 and 5.

Rev. E. S. Rupert, M. A., preached a most vigorous and earnest sermon on Sabbath evening in the Methodist church, basing his remarks on second Chronicles, 33rd chapter. The sermon was intended to emphasize the importance our example exercised for good or bad, and how a bad son may be the offspring of godly parents and vice versa. He showed in a forcible way how those who put off religious reform are hindering others, and that their subsequent conversion cannot eradicate the influence of past bad deeds. The preacher also emphasized the responsibility of parents in bringing up their children, and said that had this influence been such as it should be in this Canada of ours during the past fifty years we would not now need a jail and crime would be unknown. The rev. gentleman only specified two things particularly which in his opinion were especially pernicious examples, namely, smoking and chewing, which he termed "heathenish practices." Whatever the audience thought of this anathema all were unanimous in their opinion that the sermon generally was the strongest, most timely and earnest that the rev. gentleman has delivered for some time.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cents.



S. P. SMITH, of Towanda, Pa., whose constitution was completely broken down, is cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He writes:

"For eight years, I was, most of the time, a great sufferer from constipation, kidney trouble, and indigestion, so that my constitution seemed to be completely broken down. I was induced to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and took nearly seven bottles, with such excellent results that my stomach, bowels, and kidneys are in perfect condition, and, in all their functions, as regular as clock-work. At the time I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, my weight was only 129 pounds; I now can brag of 136 pounds, and was never in so good health. If you could see me before and after using, you would want me for a traveling advertisement. I believe this preparation of Sarsaparilla, to be the best in the market to-day."

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Come right along up to Baskerville & Co's. Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

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Forget that our display carried off three first prizes at the East Grey Exhibition.

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And we will only be too pleased to show you that we have the best assorted stock in this section of the country.

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Is money in it for those who deal with us as our prices are the lowest. Special bargains in all lines of our business. Our motto—Small profits, quick returns.

J. E. Baskerville & Co.

Mrs. Wright's Store, Flesherton.

We Lead,

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Now that the season for cutters and sleighs is approaching, we wish to draw the attention of the public to the fact that we are now preparing a large stock which we will have ready for inspection in a short time, and we will be found to the front both in price, style and quality. You will find it to your interest to deal with us, as we are determined to do business. We would draw your attention to the fact that we took first prize for the best exhibit of carriages at the East Grey Exhibition. Upright dealing is our motto. The leading carriage builder,

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Patron Store

and are determined to continue doing so. The road may be somewhat further, but no matter how short the distance may be your day is of no further use for work by the time you have returned home.

If the above be true, what matter even though it be several miles further, your teams may as well be earning money for you, and they will be doing so by bringing you to

CALHOUN'S

to do your buying. The rush of customers continues daily. If you wish to meet your friends you will find them at Calhoun's.

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We guarantee Dodd's Kidney Pills to cure any case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Lumbago, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Heart Disease, Female Trouble, Impure Blood, or money refunded. Sold by all dealers in medicine, or by mail on receipt of price, per box, or six boxes \$5.00.
DR. J. A. SMITH & CO., Toronto.

The Fall Fairs

Are over, the season is advancing, and it is time to think about preparing for the rainy season. I have placed in stock a fine selection of rubbers and boots, and shoes of all kinds which will be sold at the very lowest prices. I want your trade and am bound to merit your confidence. I have something of extra value, in men's strong fall boots. I make a specialty of custom-work, and use nothing but the best of stock, placing thereupon goods, honest workmanship. Old friends will continue to be heartily welcome, but I wish to make some new ones. Come in and give us a trial order.

JOS. SMITH,
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