

NOMINATION on the last Monday of the year. For Xmas goods that are sure to please, go to W. F. Doll, Fisherton. The annual school meeting comes on the last Wednesday of the year. LUNCH and Hot Coffee at all hours, at Montgomery's Bakery. CHEAP and reliable watches sold at the Jeweler's Fisherton. We will give the Weekly Mail in connection with the Standard to the end of 1881 for \$2.25. The Daily Mail during the session of Dominion Parliament for \$1.00. Subscriptions taken here. You can walk 1,000 miles before you can see a store crowded with customers and cheap goods like McFarland's.

QUEST.—How is it that Mr. Richardson sells that Tea for 50 cents, if he keeps it up he has got the Tea trade sure. See Mr. Doll's advertisement this week. He has the largest stock of silverware, watches, &c. over shown in this section of the country. Get all your writing done by E. Davis, Fisherton. He does his work neatly and correctly, and looks after your interests promptly—charges low.

THE Daily Globe from the opening to the close of the Dominion Parliament for only one dollar. Subscriptions taken at this office. To ENJOY Xmas properly, we would advise you to get 5 or 10 pounds of McFarland's 40 cent Tea. It is strong and rich flavored, and without doubt the cheapest Tea north of Toronto. INSURE with R. Davis—he represents the BEST Companies in Canada. Don't throw your money away by insuring with unreliable Companies and Agents.

McFARLAND has just received Xmas Raisins, Xmas Currants, Xmas Sugars, Xmas Spices, Lemon, Orange and Citron peels, and is selling them cheap. If you want to dispose of your farm or other property, send your name and address, No. of lot, &c., for insertion in R. Davis' next catalogue, the largest ever issued in the County.

The annual meeting of Township Agricultural Societies is the second Thursday in the year. The annual meeting of Electoral District Societies, comes on the third Wednesday of the year.

Mr. J. H. Heard, of Fisherton, has a lot of very fine honey, the production of his own bees, which made our teeth water while he (Mr. H.) showed us through his honey apartment.

ADVERTISE your stray cattle. If you have lost any, they may be causing you a bill of damage in some body's barn yard; if you have any in your possession, you may have your trouble with them for nothing, and be liable to prosecution as well, for not advertising them.

Just think of it, McFarland is selling lovely Broadest Satin Dress Goods 15 cents per yard, clear at 25 cents. Ladies' wove Clouds 75 cents, well worth \$1. Ladies' Kid Mitts, 60 cents, usual price \$1.25. They are selling fast.

The Editor of the Thorbury Standard says—'Markdale has some of the best buildings in Grey, and many of them would do no discredit to Toronto.' Your head is level, friend Farewell, the Monitor to the contrary notwithstanding.

A concert in aid of the English Church fund, at Maxwell, was held in the school of the village on Tuesday evening, 14th inst. The attendance was large, and evinced their appreciation of the entertainment by loud and repeated applause. A majority of the performers were from Markdale.

The best present you can give your friends would be one of McFarland's 50 Over Coats, or suit of Furs, \$8-75; or handsome Shawl; or pair of Kid Gloves; or set of Dishers; or stylish Mantle; or suit of Clothes, \$12—McFarland will give you any of the above, or 1,000 more articles for prices, from much, under regular prices.

At a meeting of L. O. L. No. 1045, held in the Orange Hall, Markdale, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year—Brother James Elliott, W. M.; Wm. Walker, D. M.; John McFadden, Chaplain; James D. Walker, Secretary; James Lackey, Treasurer; Committee, Wm. Brady, W. J. Walker, William Blakeley, C. Walker, Thos. Wyvell.

As the holiday season approaches, people naturally begin to think where they can purchase the requisites for the annual plum pudding to best advantage. We would recommend that you try McIntyre. Those who think it no harm to 'take a little for the stomach sake,' should also visit him, as he says he has the best in town, and the best is always the cheapest. Don't fail to call on him.

Wilcox is decidedly of the opinion that there is nothing like Printers' Ink for publishing business, and therefore is not satisfied with anything less than a whole page of the Standard to inform his friends and the public generally, where to buy their Christmas and New Year's presents. The Bible says it is not good for man to be alone, and Wilcox, wishing to assist his fellow mortals to be guided by the good Book, is offering a wedding ring from \$1 upwards. Be sure and read his advertisement.

Great clearing sale at R. E. Hall's, Pricoville, for sixty days. Mr. E. means business, give him a call. WEAVING done very promptly at Campbell's woolen factory, also other work in his line. See advertisement. HOLLAND Centre, Dramatic Club, will give their first entertainment at this place on Christmas Eve. See posters. Mr. H. Hooper, of Fisherton, has the entire control of the Furniture, Sash and Door Factory of that village, and has removed into the new brick warehouse recently erected. Advertisement best week.

Several communications and change of advertisements will have to be over until next week. The rush of Job Work has been so great, coupled with getting out a Supplement to supply the demand on our advertisement columns, we were compelled to omit them. We notice J. F. Sproule, has removed to his new brick shop, on Mill street, and we must say his stock of dry goods, Millinery, Groceries, &c., looks very tempting to those who need any thing in his line, he appears to be busy and taking in his share of the benefit. Success to you J. F.

We wish to draw particular attention to the advertisement of the opening of the Owen Sound High School, which takes place on the 7th of January, 1881. It is the only High School in the County, and as the Board have been to considerable trouble to procure first class teachers, and in various ways have endeavored to be patronized by the people of Grey in preference to outside institutions.

Amongst the various features of improvements noticeable in the Village of Dundalk, none is there, perhaps more remarkable than the drug business lately established in that village than that of Mr. R. Phillips. It is only just to Mr. P. to say that, while it is almost impossible to enumerate for any medicine which he has got on hand, his book and stationary department is amply supplied. His line and stock of fancy goods are not surpassed in beauty by any similar establishment in the province.

The election of Markdale Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, No. 384, took place on the 14th inst., when the following officers were duly elected:—Brother Thomas Mann, Master; Geo. Richardson, Overseer; James Lackey, Lecturer; Adam Smail, Assistant; A. Elliott, Chaplain; Sam'l Lackey, Treas.; Thomas Elliott jr., Secretary; B. Coleman, Gate Keeper; Sister Alice Drew, Ceres; M. E. Richardson, Pmowen; Elizabeth Drew, Flora; Jane Walker, Lady Assistant and Secretary to Div. Grange, the W. M. and J. Elliott.

The Anniversary Services in the Ebenezer P. M. Church, held on last Sabbath and Monday were a grand success. The Rev. L. Hall, of Osprey, preached. On Monday evening, a densely packed audience assembled to do justice to the good things provided by the ladies of the neighborhood, and notwithstanding the large crowd there was abundance for all. After tea had been served, and several speeches given, under the leadership of Rev. Mr. Hall, an effort was made to obliterate the balance of the debt, which we are happy to announce has been done.

A MEETING of the Directors of the Proton Agricultural Society was held at McLaughlin's Hotel, in the village of Dundalk, on Tuesday the 14th inst., to wind up the affairs of the society for the past year. From the Secretary's report the society seems to be in a very flourishing condition, shown in an increase of one hundred per cent in membership over last year, and a prospect of even a larger increase for the coming year. The Treasurer has fully met all demands made upon him for prize money, &c., and has still a handsome surplus to carry over to next year. To the untiring energy of the President, Mr. T. Hanbury, the efficient services of the Secretary, Mr. A. G. Hunter, and a Board of Directors, who sacrificed their own interests for the good of the society, is due the great success which it has attained. It is therefore to be hoped that the same lively interest will be taken by the future Board, and that the society will soon stand second to no other Township Society in this part of Western Canada.

We have been requested to publish the following resolution, which speaks for itself.—At the last regular communication of the Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 893, of A. E. and A. M., held at Fisherton, the following resolution was unanimously passed—Moved by Bro. J. W. Armstrong, and seconded by Bro. Thos. Gamey, that the heart felt sympathy of this lodge be hereby tendered W. Bro. W. J. McIntyre and his estimable lady, in recognition of their very severe affliction through which they have recently passed in their very sore bereavement of three dear children, an affliction which could not be properly understood or entered into except by those whose lot it was to pass through a similar trial. We can assure Bro. McIntyre that this resolution is not only expressive of heart felt sympathy of this lodge, but of a large community; at every corner and in every house utterances of sorrow and sympathy were constantly heard. As a community we felt deeply grieved to our Father in Heaven for his kindness towards us and leaving us our families unbroken, and in our

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RATEPAYERS, WARD NO. 3, GLENELG. WILL please take notice, that the Collector will be at the Revere House, Markdale on the 20th of December, 1880, for the latest rates, to receive all unpaid taxes. After that date measures to enforce payment will be resorted to. Dated Dec. 9th, 1880. DONNELLY, 14-1

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Weaving. Weaving. Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done DONE WITHOUT DELAY, AT THE FLESHERTON WOOLLEN FACTORY. Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to. EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS Will be carried on throughout the winter. N. CAMPBELL, 14-1 Fisherton, December 16, 1880.

What is the Standard for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Fisherton.

Flour, per bush	\$1.00	\$1.00
Wheat, per bush	0.80	0.80
Barley, do.	0.70	0.70
Oats, do.	0.60	0.60
Peas, do.	0.50	0.50
Potatoes, do.	0.40	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.15	0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	0.14
Pork, dressed, do.	0.10	0.10
Beef, do.	0.08	0.08
Sheepskin, do.	0.05	0.05
Hides, do.	0.04	0.04
Wool, do.	0.03	0.03
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TORONTO. (Special to the Standard.) Toronto, Dec. 9, 1880. Wheat, fall, per bush \$1.10 to \$1.15. Wheat, spring, do. 1.10 to 1.14. Barley, do. 0.70 to 0.95. Oats, do. 0.50 to 0.60. Peas, do. 0.57 to 0.88. Clover Seed, do. 0.00 to 0.00. Dressed hops, per 100 lbs. 0.00 to 0.25. Beef, hind quarters, 4.50 to 6.00. Beef, fore quarters, 2.00 to 4.00. Bacon, per cwt. 2.00 to 2.25. Pork, do. 4.00 to 4.00. Ducks, per brace, 50 to 60. Geese, each, 50 to 60. Butter, per cwt. 12 to 15. Butter, large rolls, 12 to 15. Eggs, fresh, per doz. 0.18 to 0.00. Eggs, packed, 0.00 to 0.00. Chickens, per pair, 0.00 to 1.00. Potatoes, per bag, 0.60 to 0.25. Onions, per bag, 0.00 to 1.25. Hay, 0.60 to 1.25.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. The partnership heretofore existing between H. & R. Hooper, Cabinet and Sash & Door manufacturers of the Village of Fisherton, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business as formerly will be carried on by H. Hooper, to whom all notes and accounts must be paid, and by whom all liabilities will be discharged. (Signed) HENRY HOOPER, RICHARD HOOPER. Witness—ROBERT DAVIS, Fisherton, Dec. 6th, 1880. 14-4

ESTABLISHED 35 YEARS WEEKLY SPECTATOR A LARGE EIGHT-PAGE PAPER—ONLY— Per Year. (\$1) Per Year. One of the Largest and best Weeklies in Canada. BALANCE OF 1880 FREE. Agents receive 25 Cents for every yearly subscriber. Any party sending us three subscribers receive a copy, post-paid, of the Farmer's Account Book, worth one dollar, in place of the usual commission. Send a post card for Sample Copy of our Weekly, which is sent free. The only paper in Canada that publishes a Draught Column. SPECTATOR PRINTING COMPANY, Hamilton, Ont. Nov. 13, 1880.

I will now commence a GREAT CLEARING SALE Of my large and complete stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING, Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY, And will continue to sell at a Very Small Advance on Cost! Until all is cleared out. A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere. REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT R. J. SPROULE'S, FLESHERTON. Fisherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

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