Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry'

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7.30 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Orton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.		5.05 p.m.
Laurel	11.59 a.m.		5.20 p.m.
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.		6.50 p.m.
Holton	1.35 p.m.		7.11 p.m.
Flesherton & Price'v'le	1.55 p.m.		7.35 p.m.
Markdale	2.15 p.m.		8.05 p.m.
Berkly	2.35 p.m.		8.28 p.m.
William-ford	2.50 p.m.		8.46 p.m.
Arnott	3.05 p.m.		9.06 p.m.
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.		9.16 p.m.
Rockford	3.38 p.m.		9.36 p.m.
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.		10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.20 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Holton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.36 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11.15 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.57 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.17 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.47 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 23, 1881.

NOTICE.

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DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
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Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
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Spectator "	1.00
Empire "	1.00
Canada American "	2.50
MONTHLIES.	
Canada Farmer, per year,	$1.00
Canada Illustrated "	1.50
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We have Time from Markdale to Toronto in a report of the doings at the R. C. Council, Pic Nic, an epistle from Timothy Tickle, and several other interesting articles, crowded out. Will appear next week.

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

There has been a complete change in the Directorate of the above road since last issue. Mr. W. Hendrie, the energetic opponent to the road being closed to the Grand Trunk, has been elected President in place of Mr. Beatty. The rest of the Board are of the same stripe, and although they have announced their intention of keeping the road as an independent line, we see no doubt but that the Northern will have entire control of it, and we may expect to have freight rates raised and all our interests made subservient to the Northern.

Those who so strenuously opposed the granting of the bonuses will now have an opportunity of regretting their folly, and find more taken out of their pockets, in the way of increased freights, than they would have had by granting what the old Board asked. There is an old proverb that "fools learn by experience," and we are under the impression that the experience of those who so bitterly opposed the granting of the bonus will be pretty severe.

However, there is still a slight hope left us, the Grand Trunk have moved to compel the fulfilment of the original bargain, and intend fighting the battle to the bitter end. We sincerely hope they will be successful, but at present things look rather gloomy, as the new Directorate own nearly three-fourths of the bonds. From want of space we are unable this week to discuss this question more fully, but shall refer to it again next week.

DEATH OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

PEACEFUL CLOSE OF A NOBLE LIFE.

After a struggle with death for a period of almost unexampled length, the President of the United States succumbed to the fell destroyer, and died quietly on the night of Monday, 19th inst., at 10:35 o'clock. Thus has passed away one of the noblest men who ever filled the Presidential chair, cut down at a comparatively early age by the treacherous hand of a brutal assassin. We doubt if any individual during the present or past ages ever excited such universal sympathy the world over. His cheerfulness, his patience, his courage, his submission to the will of his physicians, and his manly fortitude during the prolonged struggle of eighty days had won the admiration of the whole world, and now that death has put an end to his suffering, we doubt not his family will receive the heartfelt sympathy of all civilized nations. We will conclude this painful subject with the following remarks taken from the Toronto *Mail*. There was a pathetic spirit of prophecy in his remark to his wife—"What is the use of struggling for the little pinch of life I shall get at best?" It has indeed been but a pinch; and that little time was so painful that death at first would have been better. But he has had his last hours soothed by the tireless love of his family, and the ceaseless sympathy of his people and of the world; and he had the consciousness not always present with public men in Republics, that the future of his family had been assured by the grateful generosity of a nation. There is no need at this date to repeat for public information the facts of his life; these have long been familiar. The fact of his death is the melancholly circumstance which at this moment overtops them all.

WHAT THE STANDARD WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

The side walks repaired.

The boys have some respect for others at church, if they have none for themselves.

Our delinquent subscribers sending in the *needful*.

A few street lamps erected and lighted up those dark nights.

A few more of our well-to-do bachelors take unto themselves a helpmeet.

A Literary Society, or something of that kind, organized, for the amusement and instruction of our young people now that the long evenings are approaching.

To hear from some more of our Correspondents.

The fine weather continue during the Fall Shows.

Some more hitching posts in our village, and fewer dogs.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

SHE CAUGHT HIM.—We have just heard of a scene which was enacted a short time ago near this place, in which all present derived immense amusement, except the parties more immediately concerned,—a young man of this neighborhood, who all of those who were acquainted with him imagined to be innocent of any matrimonial alliance, but the ways of transgressors are hard, as no doubt the poor fellow discovered, and his appetite for a hearty meal (to which he was applying himsely), destroyed by the appearence of a Lady at the door of the farm house where he was employed, in search of her absent lord. Shewas requested to walk in and take a chair. The young man answered her day as though she was a casual acquaintance How long have you been here James? Why did you not write to me? But he could not see any reason why he should write to her. Matters began to look a good deal like that Monday afternoon. What, not write to her, not write to his wife? He indignantly repudiated the assertion, when, at this, her form and voice rose to an eagle altitude, and in accents anything but indicative of conjugal felicity, dared him to deny her. Did not her very appearence and the proofs, she had in the shape of a duly signed license, which she read, call the circumstances to his mind. She now "Held the Fort," and under threats of arrest, pains and penalties, he surrendered, and was marched off by the home guard to a conveyance which she had at hand, to try once more the blessing in store for him at home.

What becomes of all the Auditors reports of this Township? Does Ward No. 4 not deserve any? Not one ratepayer whom we have asked if they have seen any of them has done so. Why are they not left in the P. Office for distribution? Not one te be seen in that public instusion. By what constituted authority has any person the power to retain them in his possession being the property of the ratepayers of the Township? Perhaps they are only intended to be seen by a few individuals, if so, why the expense of printing so many? Perhaps it would be well to compell parties to account for them, as they must know they are the property of other people.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Your correspondent "Subscriber" writes in such a peculiar way that I don't know what to think of him; he speaks so lightly about debt, that I am forced to conclude that he must be altogether ignorant of its practical effects.

Apparently he has never been hauled up before Judge McPherson, has never had a visit of the Bailiff, has not even been "dunned" by a creditor, knows nothing at all of the enormous cost of entering suit, issuing summons, duplicate, service, mileage, return, hearing, entering judgment, issuing execution, Bailiff's fees, expense of sale, ruin of having your goods sold by Bailiff &c., &c., besides the sleepless nights, and wearisome days to self, wife and family, a meanly clothed back and empty stomach, the jeers of one's enemies, the cold shoulder of our warmest (pretended) friends, and the general depression, disgrace, and demoralization attending even a single suit, and as misfortunes seldom come singly, it often happens that one small debt ruins a family for life. "Subscriber" seems ignorant of all this, and talks about wiseacres of one class and another who seem to think that *debt* is one of the chief necessaries of *Life*, and argues that "the best way of increasing our church income is to lose no time in getting into debt, keep piling it up," says he, "as we advance into debt find out means to follow it up, so as not altogether lose sight of it." This is curious reasoning, Subscriber is anxious not to lose sight of it. Why, sir, there are hundreds of thousands who are exceedingly anxious not only to *lose sight* of their debts, but to lose them "totstotally," so that no one will ever see them more. But creditors have better memories than debtors. Creditors are a superstitious sect, great observers of set days and times. Says Franklin, "If your cannot pay at the time, you will be ashamed to see your creditor; you will be in fear when you speak to him; you will make poor, pitiful, sneaking excuses; and by degrees come to lose your veracity, and sink into base, downright lying; for the second vice is lying; the first is running into debt!" Yes, Mr. Editor, "it is hard for an empty bag to stand upright," and "a ploughman on his legs is higher than a gentleman on his knees."

Debt, did we say? Why sir, debt is, directly or indirectly, the parent of nearly all our troubles! Without debt there is very little use for Courts, Bailiffs, Lawyers, Jails, Poor-houses, and many other consequent evils; our County and Provincial taxes would be reduced fifty per cent! One part of the community would not get so fast rich; nor the present debt-contracting party so fast poor; there would be more equality and consequently more happiness; if men, particularly farmers, would resolve to buy nothing on credit that they could possibly do without, how many would be added to the list of *producers*, who are at present running to and fro in the country, making "lots of money" off the class who esteem debt lightly, and who are ever ready to buy if they can get credit; let the earnings of these be added to the savings of the others, and the increased prosperity to all be applied to Religious and Benevolent purposes and we might say the Millenium would be begun.

It would rather amuse Subscriber if he were to make a little enquiry into the financial position of many churches, particularly those in cities. Does he know that in many cases there are from fifty to one hundred thousand dollars and upwards on many of the city churches? This must be a fearful burden, and must retard most seriously the prosperity of these congregations.

The debt on churches in the country is comparatively trifling; still no debt however small in amount is a trivial matter. If all our congregations were free from debt what bickerings and strife and money lectures from the Pulpit would be saved? A congregation with a thousand a year of income can pay their minister a comfortable salary, keep up a good Sabbath school, and do many other useful things; but if some thousands of debt were on their church, the utmost pinching on all sides would have to be resorted to, the minister probably a hundred or two short, and every one dissatisfied. All who have taken part in church management know that there are difficulties enough without debt; if it were not so, would the schemes which Subscriber mentions, concerts, garden parties, festivals, soirees, raffles, bazaars, &c., ever be resorted to as a source of income? I trow not, therefore I say keep out of debt, if at all possible, and if you cannot keep entirely free, let the debt be the minimum, and such that in two or three years at most, it will be "lost sight of" by the liberality of our members paying it off. Subscriber asks, does M. want to drive all sociality out of the church? I emphatically answer, no; by no means; but let our social meetings *be* social meetings; meetings for the enjoyment of each other; mutual, friendly, social intercourse; let dollars and cents be far from such meetings; we are invited to a festival, a garden party, or the like, admittance 25c., whether is it 25c. that is wanted? assuredly the 25 cents; away with such friendly (?) gatherings, call them *money* gatherings, not friendly gatherings. If the Sabbath school requires a dollar a year from me to keep it up, can I not just give the dollar at once, instead of so many ladies and others being put about collecting and begging and baking as much that I and others may get a "gormandize" three or four times a year. I am sure that the money spent and time wasted in getting up these meetings is generally of more value than the total receipts; by all means let us have our social gatherings. What is there to hinder A., who has plenty of strawberries and cream in their season to invite B., C., D., E., F., and G. and their wives and their families to a strawberry and cream festival some fine summer evening, and if there be a musical instrument on hand let them have music and singing, and dancing too, if they like, and the intervals taken up with intellectual intercourse, and if they are christian families, the infinite Love, Goodness, and Mercy of "our Father in Heaven" will not be forgotten; we read in Malachi that in his day, when religion was very low, when both Priest and people were reproved for their many sins; when money! money! was the cry. "Who is there, even among you, that would shut the doors for nought? neither do ye kindle a fire on mine altar for nought." Even in these degenerate days we say, the true saints we believe had their social meetings, for we read that "then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another; and the Lord hearkened and heard it; and a book of remembrance was written before Him for them that feared the Lord and that thought upon his name." We do not say make these social gatherings prayer meetings, not at all, let every thing be done decently and in order, social meetings in their own place, and prayer meetings in their own place; as to congregational gatherings, they would have to be managed somewhat different, but never let us have a gathering under the mask of *Christian* sociality where the chief aim is at drawing a promiscuous crowd for the purpose of raising money for church purposes, Subscriber asks if Christ's disciples are to remain sour, solemn, and selfishly apart; I can answer, no; no true disciple of Christ will be either "sour" or "selfish;" true, he will "remain apart" from many things, and among the chief of these, will be bad, or ungodly company. The disciple of Christ who is "sour and selfish," is proclaiming to the world his own *hypocrisy*; a good tuna *cannot* be sour and selfish; a Christian looks to his great Head for a pattern, and looking to all that is recorded of our Saviour we neither find sourness nor selfishness, but we find the social element *very strong*. We frequently have marriages taking place around us, at which there must always be at least one bearing the name of Christian, compare the present usage in regard to marriages with the marriage in Cana of Gallilee. I suppose if Dr. Sproule had provided a plentiful supply of cakes and wine and asked the Governor of the feast to pour out a glass to the Reverend gentlemen who were officiating and *helping* at the ceremony they would have considered themselves insulted, and decency outraged; yea, we have known where a home made commodity has been used at the Sacrament of the supper, rather than adopt the divinely appointed means; this is not acting upon our Saviour's example, who at the marriage, when a want of wine ensued, miraculously produced a supply, whereby the festivities were continued; and if He had thought best to institute the supper with water, or any other liquid, it would have been easy for him to do so; but he took wine, the first Priest we read of, Melchisedec, presented cakes and wine to Abraham. I do not say that we should introduce wine at all our social gatherings, but if, on occasions of rejoicing, such as a marriage feast, *good* wine was served to the guests, I, for one, could see no harm. From these remarks "Subscriber" will see that I am not a friend of "sourness" nor "selfishness." To Subscriber I would say in a word let us *cheerfully* contribute *liberally* for *all religious* purposes, and let us have as many *social gatherings* as you like, only don't let them stink of "filthy lucre."

M.

THAT THREATENING LETTER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

In your issue of the 22nd of June, I find that one Mr. Brown has been auring himself to the public, in order to let them know that *he* is a *moral* man, endowed with a keen sense of right and wrong, that he can sniff villainy in every breeze that fans our beloved village. Well some are born great, some acquire greatness, and some have greatness trust upon them, to this latter class belongs Mr. Brown Nature denied him even a mediocre share of common sense, consequently we find him rushing in where angels fear to tread. However I think the careful reader will agree with me, that in penning that letter Mr. Brown injured himself more than any one else. *Some* might have had a *slight* suspecion who the author of that contemptible and criminal threatening letter was, but now very few of your intelligent readers could hesitate to point with a dead certainty to the author.

No wonder that he can talk so glibly about that letter being "no mystery" &c. That which is a mystery to the innocent, is quite plain to the perpetrator of an evil deed.

Mr. Brown talks about crime, black guardism, &c., with a flippancy that would cause the uninitiated in his ways to believe him a virtuoso, Now I would ask who is this sanctimonious phypocrite, that he should set himself up as a moral mentor to the people of Markdale, and hurl at their heads the sweepings ascertions he did? Is there not considerable of the pharisee through out the whole tone of the letter,—a thanking God that he is not like other men.

The tone of Mr. Brown's letter would lead the casual reader to believe that crime had been committed or attempted, and that I am the author. Nothing is farther from the truth. I am ready (though perhaps bashfully unwilling) to meet the facts in the face any day.

It is foregin to my sense of respectability to hold up to the gaze of a morbid public the *fair* cause of this trouble, in which I am defamed by this legalized (?) libeller—one whose testimony passes as an idle sound through the atmosphere, and is not regarded but with derision by all classes of our community.

Common courtesy and an inherent sense of decency and honor, seals my lips from an avowal which would place me *right* before the public. One person's name has been dragged through the scandal monger's gutter, and whose fame and respectibility I endeavored to shield; but now that her uncle has opened afresh the silence of infamious accusations, she may well exclaim, "Save me from my friends."

It is to be regretted that Brown has vented so much spleen to so little purpose. He either has an itch for writing with the gratifying accompaniment of seeing his plebian name in print, that has caused him to make the fearful onslaught he did in your last issue, something in the style of the man who carried virtue in his hand and the Devil on his tongue.

Brown says "a great crime has been committed, * * all the greater because the law provides no adequate punishment for the offence." In the first place he belies the Statute Book, and in the second place he is making a bid for the election of his worthless carcas to Parliament.

But, I may be wrong in all these premises, he may be only taking an ingenious mode of building shattered reputations. If Brown intends to build up his reputation and popularity by libelling and black-mailing, or giving expression to the dark venom of own black heart, I can only say that he is too well known by the respectable people of the county, and he must resort to some other mode of pulling down the curtain of contempt that intervenes between himself and public favor.

It is a wonder to me, Mr. Editor, that so moral a man as this same Mr. Brown, could consent to remain in a place where rowdyism, blackgaurdism &c., reigns rampant, where most of the population are from the country, and have brought with them their filthy and disgusting moral habits into the village. After all, is this great display of holy horor caused by what he terms my great crime,—is it not rather an attempt to strike a cowardly blow at a successful commercial rival, over my shoulders?

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space you have given me in your valuable columns. I remain

Your's truly,
C. A. OWEN.

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

(Continued from last week.)

ROYAL BANK, Sept., 10th 1881.

Twenty-one miles takes us from Cockburn to Thessalon on the Northern Shore of Lake Huron. One of the best saw mills in Algoma is here, also stores, shoe-maker's shop, and other convenience. The Country back is settling very fast. This, with the lumber trade does, and will keep business lively. A very promising silver vein has been found within rifle shot of the dock, a few days ago. Four hundred acres were taken up on the head of it, and mining is all the talk. It is said to be a second "Silver Islet." As people around Markdale will like to know what the land on the North Shore is like, I will describe it, Imagine a country with lofty hills and mountains and large valleys, studded with little lakes, with a few muddy creeks and rivers. Timbered with birch, pine maple, soft elm, ash, and shrubs, these heights of granite (no lime stone on the North Shore, not even a pebble) and the valley's of clay with scarcely a stone. And you have the physical features of the North Shore as well as I have seen and can describe them. The want of lime stone is a great one. All our lime is brought from Manitoulin, Owen Sound and else where. Your readers will think that there will be no goitre or swelled neck here on this account. We are told that there are several bad cases of it. The women are saved the troubles of knocking the lime off the pans and kettles.

The country is laid out in sections of 160 acres. No roads are left in the survey, but the patent reserves five per cent for roads to be taken where necessary. This is a good idea in a rough country, as it saves much expense in cutting down hills, when a deviation will save it. The land is sold at 20 cents an acre, and we think every male can purchase half a section. We expect Algoma will recieve a great impulse on the exact location of the railway. There is talk of two railway's, but if we get one we will be satisfied.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

MELANCTHON COUNCIL.

The Council met at the Town Hall on Monday, September 5th. 1881, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. A number of communications, petitions, accounts, etc., were presented and read.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that this council grant the sum of $20 on townline of Nottawasaga and Melanethon to suppliment the grant made by the council of Nottawasaga, and that the Reeve superintend the same.—Carried

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that whereas the Commissioners appointed to examine the Grand River on the road at Lot No. 25, and report as to the advisability of building a bridge over the same, and in case the Commissioners consider it would be very difficult to erect said bridge, it is resolved that the Engineer be instructed to examine said stream and report as to the advisability of making a deviation of said road across Lot 55.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the Commissioners having recommended the expending of $25 in opening the concession S. W., it is resolved that $25 be expended as recommended.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the council having examined petition of Wm. Hope and others, asking for a supplementary grant to subscriptions set forth in their petition, it is resolved that this council do grant the sum of $58 to be expended on 230 side road so soon as the subscription work is performed.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the petition of Abm. Brown and others, asking relief for Robert Rockley and family, they being in indigent circumstances, be granted, and that the Reeve issue an order for $5,75 so that they can get a barrel of flour.—Carried.

Mr. Corbett moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that that whereas a difficulty exists in regard to the townline between the townships of Mulmur and Melanethon, and the council of Mulmur have decided to procure a proper survey of the same, the Clerk is hereby instructed to notify the Clerk of the municipality of Mulmur that this council will pay half of the expense so incurred.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg meved, seconded by Mr. Bailey, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of James Sawden for $12,25, for repairing road scraper, and for railing and repairs at town hall.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the reeve issue an order in favor of Widow Devlin for $2, for forty loads of gravel supplied to James Sawden, pathmaster, for gravel road.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the report of Messrs. Hogg and Bailey, on Mill Street, Horning's Mills, be accepted by the council, and that the Reeve superintend and let the work.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the Clerk is hereby instructed to notify Wm. Reid, Esq, that we decline making any grants on townlines unless the same is supplemented by the neighbouring municipality.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Bailey, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of J. Brown, for $3, for drawing the three contracts and three bonds for the drainage contracts.—Carried.

By-law No. 77, for the appointment of Collectors for the year 1881, was read the requisite number of times and passed.

By-law, No. 78, for raising an additional thirty three and one-third per cent. on drainage by-law, was read the requisite number of times and passed.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the following persons get the amount opposite their respective names for road work done under the commissioners:—N. B. Allen, $30; Jas. Thomas, $3,32; John Connors, $35; James Kennear, $10; Patrick Connor, $5: James Claydon, $8,70; Wm. McDonald, $15; Bowley Arnold, $1; James Paterson, $4.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet again on Monday, 3rd day of October next. JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

BIRTHS.

BOYLE.—In Glenelg, on the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. Charles Boyle, of twin girls.

MARRIED.

MILLER—MCNALLY.—On the 16th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Daniel Miller, of Euphrasia, to Miss Susan, third daughter of Mr. Wm. McNally, of Holland.

TUCK—CLARK.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Maxwell, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. John Chisholm, B. A., Mr. Sandford Tuck, to Miss Hannah Clark, both of Maxwell.

WILCOX—SPANHOUSE.—At the residence of the bride's father, Osprey, on the 7th inst., by the same, Mr. George Wilcox, of Pary Sound, to Miss Sarah Spanhouse.

CAMPBELL—CRIPS.—At the residence of the brides father, on the 7th inst., by the same, Mr. Hugh Campbell, to Miss Mary A. Crips, both of Synghampton.

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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to

J. T. & J. QUINN.

Markdale, Sept. 22. 1881. 54-6tn

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

W. M'LEOD & CO.,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

ATTENTION!

Large Arrivals New Goods

—AT—

HILL BROS.

Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we can sell at prices will be right.

Stacks of Winceys,
Stacks of Tweeds,
Stacks of Boots and Shoes,
Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,
Stacks of Mantles for the Ladies.

Call and See Us.

GOODS PLENTIFUL AND PRICES LOW.

We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our million Mullen, will return by the 1st of October, at which date we purpose re-opening the of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance same.

HILL BROS.

N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of produce you don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

$1.00. Chord Index $1.00

Wonderful Invention.

THIS IS A

MECHANICAL DEVICE

For Learning to Play

CHORDS AND ACCOMPANIMENTS

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PIANO AND ORGAN

Any person, Young or Old, whether have any Musical talent or not, can learn or PLAY ANYTHING, in a VERY SHORT TIME, what would take years in the old way, besides a great expense for Books, Tuition, etc., etc. Sent, pre-paid on receip of $1.

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PIANOS & ORGANS

FOR SALE AT

VERY LOW PRICES!

ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

429 King Street East, Toronto, Ont.

Toronto, April 14th, 881.

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MARKDALE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is stocked with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

TENDERS

FOR the erection of Snow Fencing along the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 17th September. Plans and Specifications can be had on application, or may be seen at the Head Office of the Company, Toronto. All material supplied by the Company.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager, T., G. & B. Ry.,
Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 7, 1881. 52-2t

JOHN NORVAL,

General Blacksmith,

Is just the place to get all kinds of blacksmithing

Waggon & Carriage Making

IN CONNECTION.

Painting and Repairing

done on short notice, in a satisfactory manner, and at lowest living prices.

Special attention to Horse-shoeing.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-1y.

FOR SALE.

A THREE YEAR OLD MARE. LARGE size. WM. BIRNEY

53-3t.

ESTRAY.

CAME INTO THE FENCE of the subscriber, on Lot 6, Osprey, in July last, a year old Steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.

DAVID MAHON.

Osprey, Sept. 13th, 1881. 53-3t

Farm to Rent.

SOUTH HALF LOT 7, CON. 18, EUPHRASIA, 100 acres, 80 cleared and under cultivation. House, barn and stables on the premises, also well watered. Will rent for a term of years. Situated three miles from Markdale. For further particulars apply on JOHN LYONS, on the premises, or to RUTLEDGE, STANDARD office, Markdale.

Euphrasia, Sept. 15th, 1881. 53-3t

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, Lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

B. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 53-3

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 23, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

A few farms for sale and to rent, together with stray cattle. See advertising columns.

Call and see McIntyre's new and fresh stock.

PRESSURE on our columns this week will prevent us from giving an account of our visit to the Toronto Exhibition; but we will give it in our next.

For a good Watch at, a reasonable price, go to E. D. Wilcox.

Seth Thomas' clocks are decidedly the best made. Get one from Wilcox the Jeweller.

Do you want a set of Harness, light or heavy, or a whip, trunk, Saddle, or anything in our line, just call at D. Douglas' Dundalk, opposite the Post Office.

Butter & Rae give those indebted to them a gentle hint that they require a settlement of all over due accounts. Read what they say in their advertisement.

Mr. Doll is giving wonderful bargains in watches.

A New R. C. Church is being built in Melancthon, about 7 miles East of Dundalk. It is 32x52 feet, solid brick, and will be a substantial edifice. It is expected to be opened in October.

As I was passing by Mr. McIntyre's shop I happened to look at his window. I saw some bottles there. I stepped in and bought one. Yum, yum! I am hurrying back to get another.

Those who are subject to Biliousness, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any Kidney Affection, should take the advise of an able physician and use Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

W. McLeod & Co. have something interesting to those who have had a certain misfortune. Read their new advertisements in another column and see if you are one of the unfortunate.

Mr. Doll will be in his new store, Bingham's New Block, next week.

W. J. Rowe has been fitting up Bar-Head Mills, and is now in a position to guarantee satisfaction to those who many favor him with their patronage. The road at the mill is much improved.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried Floriline, the new toilet gem. Get a 5 cent sample.

A large potato is on exhibition at our Office, grown by Henry Rigsby, Glenelg. It weighs 2lbs. Eight of them would make a man a meal, or two like it taken three times a day before meals would be a dose for Gable as regulating pills.

We overheard one lady tell another that it beat all how McFarland's store is every day crowded, cannot get waited on for ever and ever. But I declare I would rather wait an hour than go elsewhere, for Mac certainly does sell cheaper than any store I have ever been into.

As a family Medicine Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are rapidly taking the place of pills, they are equally effectual, do not gripe or weaken, or produce nausea, and are purely vegetable. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

Messrs. Mabee & Welsh, contractors are pushing the foundry building forward. They have a double gang of men at work, and expect to have it closed in and roofed by the 1st of October, when Mr. Moffatt will put in the machinery at once, and commence business with the least possible delay.

Dr. Carson never claimed for his Stomach and Constipation Bitters any MIRACULOUS POWER OR HEALING, but with the quiet consciousness of their medicinal virtues he prescribes them to all those who suffer from derangement of the Stomach, Bowels Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agent for Markdale.

THE Markdale House is being greatly improved this week, by the addition of balconies on Sydenham and Mill Streets. It adds much to the appearance of this fine building, and does away with that unfinished appearance that it always had. The balconies are being put up by Mr. Clark, late of Flesherton.

Gold Silver Watches at $12, warranted for two years at Wilcox.

HAS BOOST ROBBING.—Mr. Orr informed us, that three of our village boys visited his place on Sunday night and carried away several of his apples. Mr. Orr says he knows the parties implicated well, and unless restitution is made he will prosecute to the utmost rigor of the law. We hope he will, as it is time these midnight depredations were put a stop to.

You can save from 20 to 40 per cent. in buying your watches from W. F. Doll. Do as usual every Friday and every fair day. Store in Mr. Dean's block.

Robert Allen, a young man from the neighbourhood of Markdale, arrived home on a visit this week from Dakota. His employer being a extensive owner of flour mills, stores, &c., &c., and having been burned out by the late fire. He will return as soon as his agents part of his buildings which will be in about a month.

VIRTUE ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mr. Ira Mullholland, Oakville, writes: For several years I have been from oft-recurring billious attacks, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex. Since using your Blood Bitters I am entirely cured. Then a young friend of mine was rebuked you w