MELANCTHON AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

The annual Exhibition of the Melanthon Agricultural Society, was held here on Thursday and Friday last, and proved to be very successful. The first day of the show the weather was fair, although somewhat cool, but Friday morning was gloomy, and during the forenoon there was some rain, which no doubt prevented many from attending. The afternoon turned out fine, and afforded an opportunity for the large crowds in the village to visit the show grounds, and it is estimated that between two and three thousand visitors passed through the gates, the receipts being considerably in excess of any previous year. Of the exhibition itself it is unnecessary to speak, suffice it to say, that it was not behind any of its predecessors in point of general excellence. We might say that the officers and directors deserve credit for their well directed labors which, no doubt, contributed in a great measure to the success of the show. For the names of the successful competitors in the various departments we refer our readers to the

PRIZE LIST:

Draft Horses.—Span of horses, special by Dr. Sproule, M. P., John Blair, 2d Joseph Paul. Brood Mare, James McGill, 2d Thomas Dunkin. Two-year old Gelding or Filly, special by Wm. McGillivray, A. Noble, 2d Mark Harrison. Yearling Gelding or Filly, 1st and 2d Wm. Gallaugher. Spring Colt, James McGill, 2d Wm. Tucker.

General Purposes.—Span of Horses special by A. & D. Bell, Robert Copeland, 2d D. Sutherland. Brood Mare, Mark Harrison, 2d G. W. Skelding. Two year old gelding or filly, special by Irwin Bros., Thos. Dunkin, 2d W. McConce. Yearling gelding or filly, George Shaw, 2d Mark Harrison. Spring colt, Mark Harrison, 2d G. W. Skelding.

Carriage Horses.—Special by Wm. Johnson, M. P. P., James Currie, 2d W. Johnson, 3d Henry Fawcett. Hack in harness, special by T. Jennings, Esq., J. T. Heinstreet, 2d Wm. Calbeck. Saddle horse, special by H. Carson, 2d Chas Hamilton, 2d Mack Howes. Fast driving horse, C. M. Hastings, 2d Mack Howes. Two year old stallion, James McGill. 2d John Bell.

Thoroughbred Cattle.—Bull, three years old and over. Colwell Graham, 2d Thomas Ferguson. Bull two years old and under, Ralph Foster, 2d Richard Brett, 3d Joseph Banks. Bull under one year old 2d Richard Brett. Milch cow, Richard Brett, 2d John Hawkins, Two year old heifer, Mark Harrison.

Grades.—Herd of Grades, Milch cow, 1st and 2d Harrison. Two year old heifer, 1st and 2d Ralph Foster. Yearling heifer, R. Finlay, 2d Robt. Gray. Milch cow, Thomas Dunkin, 2d R. Gray. Working oxen, John B. Jelly.

Cotswolds.—Ram of Cotswolds, Henry Fawcett, Esq., Cooney Bros. Aged ram, Harrison. Aged ram, Cooney Bros. Shearling ram, Cooney Bros. Ram lamb, Cooney Bros. Aged ewe, 2d Cooney Bros. Aged ewe, 2d Cooney Bros. Shearling ewe, 1st and 2d Cooney Bros. Ewe lamb, Cooney Bros., 2d Harrison.

Southdowns.—Aged Ewe, Mark Harrison, 2d Joseph Banks. Shearling ewe, Joseph Banks. Ewe lambs

Pigs.—Aged Boar, James Harrison. Spring pigs, R. Gray, 2d Harrison.

Berkshires.—Aged boar, R. Gray. Spring pigs, J. Manning, 2d Harrison. Special by R. Morton, for boar of any breed, R. Gray, 2d Harrison. Special by R. Morton, for sow of any breed under eighteen months, James Braiden. 2d R. Morton.

Poultry.—Pair Geese, R. Trimble, 2d Cooney Bros. Turkeys, W. Rintoul, 2d John Blair. Ducks, James Harrison, 2d Cooney Bros. Brahmas, Cooney Bros. 2d R. Trimble. Games, R. Trimble, 2d S. Lindsay. Spanish, Irwin, 2d R. Hartly. Plymouth Rocks, R. Baird, 2d R. Hartley. Bantams, Jas Huxtable.

Grains, Roots and Flour.—Flour, 1st and 2d T. P Hodgson. Collection of grain, special by A. Harris & Son, Wm. Foster, 2d Henry Fawcett. Collection of grain, special by Wm. Calbeck, Esq., R. Polley. Collection of roots, special by Wilson Brothers, W. Shields, 2d M. Harrison. Swede Turnips, special by F. A. Campbell, Esq., Henry Fawcet, 2d R. Foster. Fall wheat, G. W. Skelding, 2d F. Pellett, Baltic, John Davidson. White Russian, John Davidson, 2d Wm. Anderson. Any other kind of spring wheat, John Davidson, 2d Joseph Stone.—Barley, Henry Fawcett, 2d J. Davidson. White oats, Wm. Anderson, 2d J. Davidson. Black oats, Wm. Stonehouse. Small peas, John Hall, 2d John Davidson. Flax seed, Wm. Henry, 2d H. Fawcett. Timothy seed, Wm. Shields, 2d H. Fawcett, Indian Corn A. Walworthy, 2d P. D. Henry. Early Rose Potatoes, D. McVannel. 2d Wm. Henry. Any other kind of potatoes, Wm. Angus, 2d Mrs. Rintoul. Collection of Potatoes, H. Besley, 2d Wm. Foster. Aberdeen turnips, R. Polley, 2d C. Graham. Any other kind of turnips, Wm. Henry, 2d R. Foster.—Mangolds, E. Berwick. 2d R. Stewart Long Red Carrots, H. Fawcett, 2d D. Graham. Short red carrots, Mrs. Graham, 2d R. Baird. White carrots. P. Dillon, 2d M. Harrison. Potatoe onions, J. Trebble, 2d A. Toole. Seed onions, Mr. Murray, 2d Wm. Anderson. Red onions, George Reaburn, 2d R. Murray. Cabbage, E. Mortimer, 2d J. Blair. Pumpkins, B. Bradford, 2d R. Polley. Squash, P. D. Henry, 2d John Hall. Tomatoes, A. B. Noble, 2d F. Wilderness. Beets, Cooney Bros. 2d W. Shields. Celery, A. Harrison, 2d E. Berwick. Citrons, R. Foster, 2d R. Stewart. Fall Apples, McGhee Bros., 2d, McGhee Bros. Winter Apples, Mrs, Wilson, 2d McGhee Bros. Collection of Apples, Mrs. Rintoul, 2d W. August. Large crabs, George Marshall, 2d D. Graham. Small crabs, R. Polley, 2d Mrs. Wilson. Lombard plums, T. Reaburn, 2d Thomas Wiggins. Any other kind of plums, Wm. Watson, 2d Mrs. Wilson. Collection of plums, W. Watson. Pears, E. Ferris, 2nd Wm. Anderson.

Manufactures. — Iron beam sod plough, John Quinn. 2d Mr. Reaburn; General purpose plough, John Quinn, 2d Wm. Calbeck. Lumber Waggon, George Island. Democrat spring waggon, G. Patterson, 2d G. Island. Platform spring waggon, Armstrong Manufacturing Co., 2d, A. C Bell. Single Buggy, G. Island, 2d G. Patterson.—Single cutter, G. Patterson. Iron harrow, John Quinn, 2d A. & D. Bell. Horse shoes. G. Patterson. Double Harness, F. Marshall. Double light harness. F. Marshall. Coarse boots, Thomas Wilder, 2d R. Besley. Fine Boots, W. A. McKee. Collection of boots, Chas. Addison, 2d R. Besley. Collection of leather, R. Besley, 2d G. Marshall. Collection of leather specially recommended, Charles Sinclair Bureau, Irwin Bros. Bedstead, Irwin Bros. Table, Irwin Bros. Fanning mill, W. Jeffry, 2d Chas. Hamilton. Root Cutter, Wilson Bros. Horse rake. W. Calbeck, 2d C. Hamilton. Cooking stove, A. B. Noble. Collection of tinware, A. B. Noble.

Domestic Manufacture and Needle Work.—Home-made full cloth, Mrs, Bench. Home-made satinet, Mrs. Rintoul, 2d Mrs. Fawcett. Checked flannel, home made, Mrs. Rintoul, 2d Mrs. Fawcett. Plain flannel, home-made, Mrs. Fawcett, 2d Mrs. Bench. Collection of factory work, W. C. Towns. Mitts, Mrs. Wilder. 2d Mrs. Marshall. Stocking yarn, home-made, Mrs. R. Baird. Factory cotton yarn, 1st and 2d Mrs. Wilson. Fancy quilt, Mrs. Davidson, 2d Miss Stone. Embroidery, Mrs. J. Hamilton, 2d Mrs. Ames. Braiding work, Mrs. Marshall, 2d Mrs Hemstreet. Knitted lace, Miss Gillespie, 2d Miss Stone. Plain sewing, Mrs. Watson, 2d, Mrs. Hemstreet. Netting, Miss Gillespie, 2d Mrs. Robertson. Crochet work, Mrs. Marshall, 2d Mrs. Hamilton. Tatting, Mrs. Jacob Silk, 2d Miss Gillespie. Fancy hanging basket, Mrs. Ferguson, 2d Miss Mary Ann Hall. Leather flowers, Miss Irwin, 2d Mrs. Watson. Berlin wool work, Mrs. Robertson, 2d Mrs. Watson. Wax work, Miss Watson. Straw hats, Mrs. Hall, 2d Mrs. P. D. Henry. Rug, Miss S. J. Hall, 2d Miss Gillespie. Knitted lace window curtains. Miss Davison. Hair wreath, Miss Gillespie. 2d Mrs. Wilson Honiton lace, Mrs. Fisher. Pointed lace, Mrs. Reaburn. Driving woollen Mitts, Mrs. Bench, 2d Mrs. P. D. Henry. Slipper case, Mrs. Watson, 2nd Mrs. Wilson. Embroidery on silk (recommended), Miss. Stone. Jar of Honey, T. P. Hodgson, 2nd Mrs. Rintoul. Photographs, Geo. Gillespie. Collection of photographs, Geo. Gillispie, (recommended). Canned fruit, W. Robertson, 2nd Mrs. Watson. Factory made cheese, 1st and 2nd W. H. Ripley.

Special Prizes.—By Dr. Barr for home made bread, Mrs. Wilder, 2nd Mrs. Henry. By E. Berwick & Co., for tub butter, Mrs. Wilson 2nd Mrs. Manning 3rd D. McVannel. By F. A. Campbell, fresh butter, Mrs. Wilson 2nd Mrs Albernethy, 3rd Mrs. Silk. By Foy & Mason, for collection of butter, Mrs. Henry 2nd Mrs. Besley. By Dr. Rolstin, for gent's shirts, Mrs. Purvis, 2nd by A. B. Noble, Miss Blair. By Dr. Norton, for gents slippers, Miss Blair, 2nd by A. V Galbraith, Mrs. Ames. By G. A. Prichard, for patchwork quilt, Miss Stone, 2nd Miss Mortimer. By Hannah & Ferguson, for log cabin quilt, Mrs. Henry, 2nd Mrs Robertson. By Irwin Bros., for Berlin wool wreath, Miss Pieves, 2nd Miss Hamilton. By Jno. Stinson, for best Coverlet, Mrs Reburn, 2nd Miss Gallespie. By J. Cameron, for Penmanship, N. W. Gowan. Ornamental Penmanship, by N. W. Gowan, recommended very highly, being an address by the Council of the township of Melancthon to John Mills, Esq., upon his retirement from the office of Treasurer, after having filled the same honorably for a century. By Lindsay Bros., for home made cheese, Mrs. R. J. Whitten, 2nd Mrs. Rintoul. Raspberry wine, home made, Mrs. A. Toole.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

One of the old-time editors of Michigan was boasting the other day that he had never been sued for libel, or attacked in his sanctum, but he could recall many narrow escapes. Twenty-five years ago, he was running a red-hot paper on the line of the Michigan Central railroad. A man named Carson, who was running for some country office, was given a bad racket, and the editor received a note that if he had anything more to say he might expect to receive a good pounding. He had a still more bitter attack the next week, and the paper was hardly mailed before in walked Carson, the candidate accompanied by a brother and two cousins. The four were strapping big fellows, and each were armed with a horsewhip. The two compositors and the "devil" got up with all speed, leaving the editor without support. He realized the situation at once, and began:

"Walk in, gentlemen; I presume you have come to horsewhip me?"

"We have," they answered.

"Very well. Have you thoroughly considered this matter?"

It doesn't need any consideration," replied Carson," "You have lied about me, and I am going to lick you within an inch of your life!"

"Just so, my friend; but first hear what I have to say. Did you ever hear of the press being stopped because the editor was cow-hided?"

"I dunno."

Well, you never did. Lick me all you chose, and my paper comes out week after week just the same. The power of the press is next to the lever that runs the universe. It makes or brakes parties, builds up or tears down, plants or destroys. Aggravate the editor and the press becomes a sword to wound or kill. Wallop me if you will, but next week I will come out more bitter than ever."

There was an embarrassing silence right here, and the face of each horsewhipper had an anxious look.

"It will go out to the world—to America, Canada, England, France—aye! clear to Jerusalem, that the Carson family of this county live on roots and johnny-cake; that they stole a dog from a blind man; that they murdered a pedlar for a pair of two shilling suspenders; that the women are club-footed, and the men work their ears when they sing; that the ——"

"What is the regular subscription price to the *Herald*." interrupted Carson.

"Only twelve shillings a year."

"Put us four down."

"Very well—six dollars—that's correct. Run in and see me—all of you, and if any of you want to see any Detroit exchanges I shall only be too glad to serve you."—*Detroit Free Press.*

A wise Deacon.—Deacon Wilder, I want you to tell me how you kept yourself and family well the past season, when all the rest of us have been sick so much, and have had the doctors visting us so often."

"Bro. Taylor, the answer is very easy, I used Hop Bitters in time; kept my family well and saved the doctor bills. Three dollars worth of it kept us well and able to work all the time. I'll warrant you it has cost you and the neighbors one to two hundred dollars apiece to keep sick the same time."

"Deacon, I'll use your medicine hereafter."

SEA SICKNESS.

The best remedy and preventative for Sea Sickness is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is also the best remedy for all forms of Summer complaints, whether on sea or land it will not fail you. All Druggists sell it 37½ cents per bottle.

A quarrel over handling the ring recently caused a wedding to be broken off at the very altar in a Lowville, N. Y. Church.

A farmer in the Midlands of England lately turned about ten acres into a mushroom bed, and made a profit of $50 in less than three months.

GRANDMOTHER

Used to say, "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea:" and they had to dig the Burdock and boil it down in kettles, making a nasty smelling decoction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palative form in Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $ 1.00, trial size 10 cents.

A drinking saloon in Buffalo has on its curtain, so that it may be seen from the street, "Our trust is in God" —a delicate way of hinting that no credit is given.

A Broker in New York advertises for one million Confederate bonds at a quarter of one per cent. He has already bought over a million, and says he is acting for foreign parties.

A MATCHLESS MEDICINE.

The cooling, cleansing, soothing and healing properties of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry render it the best remedy in the world for all forms of bowel complaints, sickness of the stomach, cramps, cholera morbus and dysentery. Purely vegetable, and always reliable.

There was great excitement throughout Ireland over the arrest at Dublin, of Parnell, Ireland's Dictator. He is charged with inciting the people to intimidate others from paying their rents, and intimidating tenants from taking advantage of the benefits accruing under the new Law Act.

A Boston firm made $40,000 out of the Garfield pictures, and now small effigies of Guiteau are finding a ready sale in some parts of New York city. They consist of a miniature scaffold beam of pine wood, from which a pasteboard figure of Guiteau is suspended by a cord.

"THE LEAVES SHALL BE FOR THE HEALING OF THE NATIONS."

The leaf of the Wild Strawberry has verified that Scriptural quotation. Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the marvel of healing in all varieties of Summer Complaints, and Fluxes, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum and every form of Bowel Complaints of children or adults promptly yields to its power of healing.

An æsthetic correspondent of the New York *Herald* thinks that the only commentator who ever did justice to the "improvements" of civilization at Niagara Falls was an Indian who watched all day the workmen building a bridge from Goat Island to the mainland, and as he rose at nightfall to go away said heartily, "Damn Yankee! Ugh!"

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, FINLAY MacRAE,
Clerk. Reeve
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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Cooking Stoves,
Parlor Stoves,
Box Stoves,
Hall Stoves,
Drum Stoves.

All the late improvements in style and finish.

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Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

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—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.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

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

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And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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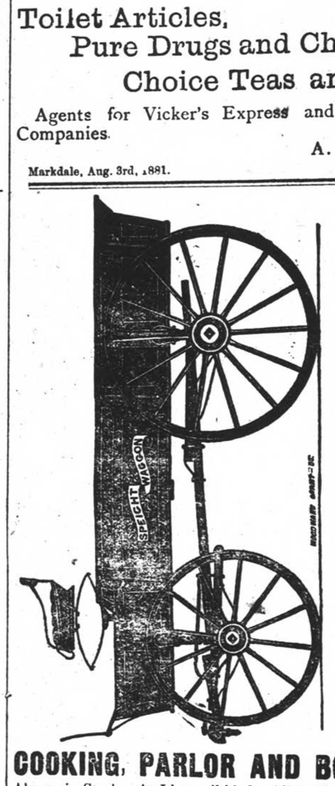
Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 18



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Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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Call and See Us.

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

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ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

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All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEIL

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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
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The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
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I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SALT,
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Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided to sell in five and ten barrel lots at the Lowest Cash Price laid down by the car load direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Price.

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MARKDALE HOUSE.

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 supplied 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.

DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Carter,
Physicians, Surgeon, Accoucheur &c.
OFFICE—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

Chas. R. Wilkes,
Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.
OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

J. MASSON,
BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEPUTY REGISTRAR in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.
Offices—Owen Sound, in Vickers's Block, Poulett St.; and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday of each week. 37-tf

Frost & Frost,
BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have to-day dissolved partnership. Office open every Thursday, as before.
GEO. FROST. J. W. FROST, LL. B.
County Crown Attorney. 1

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations pertaining to his profession in the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1-y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N. B.—Money to Loan on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Pream,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Land Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farm Merchants, and Land Speculators, attended to and charges moderate.
Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford. Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Pianos, Organs, and S. Machines. Fruit and Ornamental Trees. Agricultural Implements, and Seeds always on hand. 1

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased the entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all the Surveys done within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Searches in connection therewith. Practical and Reasonable for Grading Bills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Victoria House,
OWEN SOUND.
JONATHAN GILLIES, - - - Proprietor.
This house, so long the especial favorite of the farming community, has been newly fitted and refurnished, and is now open for the reception of guests; is within easy reach of the Court House, and has the advantage of being free from the uncomfortable bus nuisance of other portions of the town, being situate on Union Street, near Corbett's Foundry. 1
October 4th, 1881. 56-ly

T. E. DAVIS,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobbing promptly attended to. Scroll-sawing a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Street, Markdale.
December 31, 1880. 16-y

W. L. Smith,
GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL,
MARKDALE.
T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.
THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 8-ly

ROYAL HOTEL,
MEAFORD, Ont.
J. & J. McGIRR, - - PROPRIETORS.
Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.
PRICEVILLE, Ont.
Large and commodious Sample Rooms: Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
October 31st, 1880.