

New Advertisements.
 Note Lost—Geo. Blackwood.
 Plow Points—Markdale Foundry.
 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway.

The Standard.
 MARKDALE, MAY 8TH 1888.

INDEPENDENT PAPERS.

Our contemporary south appears on his "hobby horse" when endeavoring to belittle the course of the STANDARD in reference to its political standing. We might here reasonably ask, what has the *Advance* made of its peculiar course in politics. First on the fence, not knowing on which side to get down, preferring rather to "bide a wee" in order to ascertain on which side the pasture grew the most luxuriant, thereby intimating that he was (as it were) willing to be "anybody's dog for broth." He got down, however, and to all appearance is down yet. In endeavoring to discuss matters political he has clearly shown that he understands no more about them than (figuratively speaking) a cow knows about a fiddle, hence the Reformers have turned from the wonderful sheet with disgust, while respectable Conservatives look upon it with distaste. Then in order to draw out the sympathy of his supporters he would make it appear that he had created a sentiment of hostility to *Flesherton*. This is a falsehood of *Advance* creation. What will be next on his program, time will tell.

EARLY CLOSING.

Our merchants have all signed an agreement to close their shops at 7 o'clock every evening during the summer season. Saturdays excepted, when they will be kept open until 9. We hope customers will bear this in mind and endeavor to have their shopping done early in the day, and thereby assist to carry out the arrangement. The salesmen and attendants need not doer exercise as well as other people as this commendable move will materially assist in that direction.

ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT GONE.

Mr. James Noble died on Tuesday morning at the age of 45 years, after an illness of about thirteen years, during which time he has been unable to engage in the duties of life. His disease was consumption.

Another Stabbing Affray.

ONE, FAREL OF TORONTO THE VICTIM.

THE WOUND NOT LIKELY TO PROVE FATAL.

On Friday evening last an altercation occurred at James Hogan's boarding house in this place, among some of Paddy Burns' men, who are engaged loading wood on the Railway. There being no cars to load that day a number of the men got drunk in consequence of being idle, but how the row started and who was the cause seems a mystery, however, a wounded man (who was also intoxicated) went to the Station immediately after being stabbed and requested protection from Mr. Cesar, the agent, which was the first intimation of anything being wrong. Mr. Cesar at once sent for Dr. Armstrong, who arrived in a few minutes, and on examination found a wound in the windpipe, such as the small blade of a pen-knife would make. The Dr. dressed the wound which he thinks is not dangerous. Mr. Cesar had Farrell forwarded by next morning's train to Toronto where he was sent to the Hospital. The cause of the row was, no doubt, too much whiskey more than anything else. The perpetrator is not exactly known, but it is generally believed to be Hogan, who has suddenly disappeared. Another of the gang was arrested for disorderly conduct at the station and lodged in No. 1 Police station until morning, when he was liberated.

Personals.

Geo. J. Blyth, Esq., was in town last week.
 Mr. Fawcett, of the *Advance*, gave us a call on Saturday.
 Mr. Hall, of the *Herald*, called on Saturday.
 Bill Scott arrived from the County Town on Saturday.
 Mr. M. W. Vandewater, of Allenford, was in town on Monday.
 We had a call from Mr. Jenkins, of the Durham *Chronicle* this week.
 Dr. Freeman, of Georgetown, made a short visit with his brother-in-law, G. S. Bowes, Esq., last week, Miss Freeman, his daughter, has been spending a few weeks in town; they both took their departure on Monday for home.
 Mr. Brown, of Woodstock, brother of our respected townsman the jeweller, stopped a few days last week.
 Will Richardson, left for Manitoba, last week.
 D. McArthur, has removed to Orangeville, having secured a situation there.
 Mr. Theo. Eiseleine, who left for Milton a few weeks ago has returned and intends following his trade in this section.
 Mr. Wesley Lyons left for Collingwood yesterday.

ON OUR TABLE.

The *Nor-West Farmer*, printed and published in Winnipeg at \$1 per annum. It is an Agricultural journal, contains over twenty pages, well illustrated and abounds with interesting news items from the principal points in the North West.

Our *Little Ones*, for May, this little gem never fails to interest and amuse the young folks, and often the older ones, it is profusely illustrated and printed on excellent paper. Clubbed with the STANDARD for \$1.

Sawyers International Penman, a monthly magazine devoted to pen art, and natural science, it contains some valuable instructions, and cannot fail to prove valuable to those desirous of improving themselves in that much desired Art. Published by Sawyer Bro's., Ottawa, for \$1 per annum.

SPRING ASSIZES.

The Spring Assizes for the county commenced on Tuesday last. Hon. Justice Galt presiding. The criminal business was very light, the only prisoner in gaol awaiting trial being one on a charge of stabbing. There were six jury and eight non-jury cases on the civil docket. Mr. A. Frost conducted the Crown business.

The following gentlemen composed the Grand Jury:—

Neil McColeman, Foreman, George Buskin, Harris Knight, Wm. Vanstone Adam Goodfellow, Wm. C. Brown, Richard Olmstead, Anthony Shute, Wm. Westaway, George Atkey, Jas. H. Adams, Thos. Rogers, Robt. Guy, Richard Heron, Jesse Ketchum, John Weir, Jno. M. Tupper, Samuel Lloyd, Robt. Harkness, John Robertson, R. D. Bigger, Wm. Edwards, Thos. Luton.

The following cases were disposed of:—

LEADER vs NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

This was a case where Mr. Johnston Leader of St. Vincent sold barley in Toronto to a Mr. Davis by sample, and shipped it by Northern Railway. It appeared that the grain on arriving in Toronto was inspected and put into elevator with other grain of same grade, and a car load from the same bin afterwards offered to Mr. Davis, who rejected it, as not being according to sample. Mr. Leader sued the Company for the price of the grain, claiming that they had agreed to deliver his grain to the George Street switch. The Company contended that by the printed condition on the back of the shipping bill they were permitted to inspect grain and put it in elevator, delivering out an equal quantity of the same grade, and that no verbal agreement could alter that contract. The jury found that the agreement was to deliver the car at George Street, and Judge entered verdict for plaintiff, \$359. John Creasor, Q. C., for plaintiff. H. Ferguson for defendants.

THE GRAND JURY BROUGHT IN A TRUE BILL AGAINST JOHN DOYLE FOR MALEVOLENT WOUNDING.

CREASOR vs PEARSON, et al.—Action on promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff by consent, \$481. Creasor & Morris for plaintiff. Creasor & Platt for defendant.

QUEEN vs CARLTON.—This case was postponed for last Assizes.

The Crown offered no evidence, and the prisoner was discharged.

BARBER vs BARBER.—Referred to Geo. Inglis, Esq.

QUEEN vs JOHN N. SNAKE.—This was the celebrated Snake case, which could not be tried at the last Assizes, because the Indian mysteriously disappeared during the Court. He now says he was dragged and carried away in a buggy, but cannot identify who did it. D. A. Creasor, on behalf of the prisoner, took objection to the indictment on the ground that the declaration before a Commissioner, who was not a "functionary" within the meaning of the Act, and consequently had no right to take a declaration. His Lordship overruled the objection, and the trial proceeded. The facts are already familiar to our readers. The jury acquitted the prisoner.

WEDNESDAY.

DOW vs COULTER.—There appeared to be an old feud between the parties, who live in Proton, and one day the two defendants, young men named Coulter, had a quarrel with young Dow, in which the latter got several teeth knocked out and sustained other injuries. Dow's father brought this action to recover damages. The defendants contended that Dow had struck at one of them with an axe before they molested him, and what they did was in self-defence.—O. S. Times.

Correspondence.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR.—Re Observers letter No. 2. He commences by saying that my assertion connecting him with club 13 of Chicago, is false. Now sir, I want you to understand there is a little party connected with this letter writing, the Observer of letter No. 1 is not the writer of letter No. 2, thus the Matter is explained and if Observer in the first place had written over his own signature it would have been unnecessary for me to reply, as your readers would then have fully known what prompted him to write such trashy stuff, attacking a letter written in the interests of the whole farming community, one sentence of which he or they have never been able to confute. Now in conclusion I beg leave to say that so long as he or any other of the party are so ungentlemanly as not to write over their own signature, I shall consider them too ungentlemanly to have any controversy with through the medium of your valuable paper.

Yours Truly,
 THOS. KELLS.

PLOW POINTS. ALL KINDS AT REDUCED RATES, Made of Special Iron, The Cheapest and Best. Support Home industry and procure your Plow Points AT THE Markdale Foundry. Plow Points, 3 for \$1. Old Iron taken in Exchange.

BIRTHS.

IRWIN.—In Artemesia on the 25th ult., the wife of H. D. Irwin, Esq., of a daughter.
 EDWARDS.—In Artemesia on the 25th ult., the wife of B. H. Edwards of a son.
 BURNETT.—In Markdale on the 2nd inst., the wife of Mr. Ed. Burnett of a daughter.

DIED.

NOBLE.—In Markdale on the 1st inst., Mr. James Noble, aged 45 years.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, \$0.90 to \$0.92; Spring \$0.96 to \$0.98; Barley, 55c; Peas, 72c; Oats, 42c; Butter, 16c; Eggs, 16c; Potatoes, 40c; Hay, \$12.00; Pork, 7.50 to 7.75; Flour, \$4.75 to \$5.00; Grass Seed, \$2.00 to \$2.10.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, \$0.90 to \$0.93; Spring, \$0.95 to \$0.97; Barley, 57c; Peas, 69c; Oats, 41c; Butter, 16c; Eggs, 16c; Potatoes, 40c; Hay, \$12.00; Pork, \$7.45 to \$7.60.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, \$0.97 to \$0.98; Spring, \$1.05 to \$1.08; Barley, 55c to 78c; Oats, 45c to 50c; Peas, 70c to 78c; Hogs, \$8.00 to \$8.25; Potatoes, per bag, 70c to 75c; Butter, dairy, 17c to 20c; eggs, 20c to 21c.

LOST.

A NOTE drawn about the 1st January, '88, by Robert Stafford in favor of Geo. Blackwood for \$90.00, payable six months after date. All parties are hereby warned against negotiating for the same should it be found as payment thereof to any person but myself is stopped.
 138-40 GEO. BLACKWOOD.

T. C. & B. RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

Change of Time.

On and after Monday, Nov. 20th, 1882, trains will run as follows:

GOING N.W.		GOING SOUTH	
Read Down.	A.M. P.M.	Read Up.	A.M. P.M.
7 30	4 25	TORONTO	10 45 9 10
9 05	6 00	CARDWELL JUNC.	9 05 7 31
9 55	6 45	ORANGEVILLE	8 27 6 50
12 20	8 45	MOUSE FORREST	6 30 4 30
2 25	10 15	THREWEATER	5 00 2 45
11 50	0 0	F. EBERHART	6 43 4 47
12 06	8 45	MARKDALE	6 27 4 30
1 30	9 55	OWEN SOUND	5 15 3 10
P.M. P.M.	A.M. P.M.		

A Mixed Train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See Time Table.

D. McNICOLL, Gen. Pass. Agt. EDWARD WRAGGE, General Manager.

Toronto, Grey and Bruce RAILWAY.

EVERING EXPRESS TRAINS will run in direct connection with the Palace Steamships the "Spartan," "Africa" and "Magnet" of the Owen Sound Steam Ship Line which leave Owen Sound every TUESDAY and THURSDAY for Sault Ste. Marie and all intermediate Ports, and every TUESDAY and SATURDAY for Lake Superior Ports, connecting at Thunder Bay with the Canadian Pacific Railway for Manitoba and all points in the Canadian Northwest. Saturdays steamers run direct to Thunder Bay, and those travelling by this trip and route will reach Winnipeg as fast as by the all train route, and at rates very much lower. SHIPPERS OF FREIGHT should consign via the Owen Sound S. S. Line. For rates and all other information apply to any of the agents of the Owen Sound S. S. Line, the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, or to D. McNICOLL, ED. WRAGGE, Gen'l. Freight and Passenger Agent, Toronto, April 20, 1883.

Mansion House, MARKDALE.

JAMES BRYAN, PROPRIETOR.

HAVING LEASED THE ABOVE HOTEL, and thoroughly overhauled and refurnished the same, I am now in a position to receive a share of public patronage. The choicest brands of liquors and cigars kept. Good meals; also good stabling.
 Markdale, Mar. 14th, 1883. 131ly

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON purchasing Lots 103 and 104, 1st West of T. and S. Road, Glenelg, will be held liable to my claim and that of my children.
 (Signed) MRS. CASWELL.

FARMERS!

LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS AND GET

SARGENT'S

PATENT LOAD LIFTING MACHINE

THIS SEASON.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the lead as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county. Wm. SARGENT, Berkeley P. O. or Grover & Lillians, McMillings, Toronto.

Markdale Monthly Cattle FAIR.

A regular Monthly Cattle Fair will be held in the Agricultural Grounds, Markdale, as follows:—

1883.

SATURDAY	May 5
Do.	June 9
Do.	July 7
Do.	Aug. 4
Do.	Sept. 8
Do.	Oct. 6
Do.	Nov. 3
Do.	Dec. 8

Land for Sale.

100 ACRES; about 30 of which is cleared, being composed of the E. half of Lot 10, in the 8th concession of the Township of Euphrasia. Apply at this office, or to ROBERT DUNLOP, Township Clerk of Euphrasia, Griersville P. O. 117-1f.

Farm for Sale or to Rent.

LOT 4, CON. 12 EUPHRASIA 182 ACRES, 90 cleared and in good state of cultivation, has 2 houses and 2 barns, suitable for either one or two tenants, and will be either leased or sold separately or in one parcel. Possession given at once. For particulars apply to Gilbert Coole, on the premises. Markdale P. O. 133-38.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nor from weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great Remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

FARM FOR SALE.

LOT 6 CON. 8 E. G. HOLLAND, 100 acres, 70 acres cleared, well watered, good orchard, bearing good log house and barn. Situated 2 1/2 miles from Chatsworth. A bargain will be given in the above property, for particulars apply to Geo. Noble, Markdale, or to Chas. King, Shelburne. 129-1f.

FARM FOR SALE.

100 ACRES—being Lot 10, Con. 12, Euphrasia, 100 acres, 30 cleared, balance hardwood, well watered, good log house and barn, for fencing the place I have a quantity of never failing water, and a young orchard, the balance of the land is in good state of cultivation. A deed can be given, or the property can be sold to MRS. MICELE, or to Geo. Noble, Markdale P. O.—Also a farm with 100 acres of land for sale.

Farm for Sale.

VERY desirable property being 100 acres; Lots 111 and 112, 1st Range West of T. and S. Road, Artemesia, one mile from the town of Markdale, on the gravel road. 70 acres cleared, balance hardwood, has a large stone dwelling house and log one, is well watered with never failing spring creek; splendid soil, and in a very desirable locality. Terms easy. APPLY AT THIS OFFICE. Markdale, March 29th, 1883.

Farm for Sale.

To sell on Euphrasia, 80 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, well watered, good log house, barn and stable, also a young orchard, steam saw mill on next farm to it. Clear deed can be given. For particulars apply on the premises. SAMUEL WRIGHT, Rosklyn P. O.

WARNING.

There is great danger of catching cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness.

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

—FROM—

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Made of Cork Soles, all sizes kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STRAITS Office.

CANADA - TO - THE - FUTURE.

Still Victorious

IMMENSE MAJORITY IN FAVOR OF

Williams Sewing Machine

A PRIZE AT EVERY EXHIBITION HELD IN CANADA IN 1881 AND 1882, AT WHICH PRIZES WERE GIVEN.

First prizes and Diplomas were awarded the Williams' Machines in 1882 at the exhibitions held at the following places:—Truro, N.S.; Antigonish, N.S.; Milton, Ont.; Belleville, Ont.; Watford, Simcoe, Ont. These celebrated Machines, bearing the Manufacturer's Trade Mark, are guaranteed to be purchased all over the Dominion in use in Canada, which is their guarantee of their merit. C. TREADGOLD, Agent, Markdale, for the celebrated Bell Organ. The Dominion Organ supplied. Sewing Machine Oil kept for sale. C. TREADGOLD. MARKDALE.

THE BEST PLACE TO GET

A GOOD PHOTOGRAPH

North of Toronto, is at the

Markdale - Gallery

That's so, for a friend of mine has taken there and he says they are even better than what he had taken in Toronto.

JAMES HAMILTON, - ARTIST

EUCENIA

Grist, Saw and Lath Mill

Having made extensive improvements my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs 69ly. M. AKITT, Engineer.

J. G. IRVING,

MARKDALE,

Manufacturer of all kinds of

PUMPS,

Drop Valve, Cylinder, Force, and Chain Pumps.

All kinds of

IRON - PUMPS

SUPPLIED.

Administrator's Notice.

PURSUANT to Section 34, of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, notice is hereby given that creditors of Robert William Cunningham, formerly of the Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, who died on or about the 23rd day of March, 1883, are, on or before the TENTH DAY OF MAY, 1883, to send by post prepaid, to Messrs. Reeve, Hall & Fullerton, 20 King Street, East, Toronto, Solicitors for William Cunningham, administrator of the estate and effects of Robert William Cunningham, deceased, said Robert William Cunningham, address and name of his residence, the full particulars of their claims, and a statement of their securities (if any) held by them. And notice is also hereby given that the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of which debt or claim he shall not then have had notice. Dated at Toronto, this 17th April, 1883. REEVE, HALL & FULLERTON, Solicitors for the said administrator.

Doll & E

As Mr. Doll is likely to go into the Jewellery Business and not wishing to be altogether, he has formed a partnership with BROWN, late of Markdale, who is a practical Jeweller of over 20 years experience, and comes with a leading watchmaking commission.

Mr. Brown will do all work entrusted to him in a workmanlike manner.

All work will be done in a workmanlike manner.

All goods sold at the lowest possible price.

Doll & Brown

The People's Watchmaker

Hill's B

MARKDALE

MONTHLY

Markdale—Saturday before

St. John's—Monday before

St. Peter's—Tuesday before

St. James—Monday before

St. George—Wednesday

St. Andrew—The second

month.

St. Nicholas—Third

month.

St. Basil—Monday before

St. John the Baptist—Tuesday

before

St. Paul—Monday before

St. Peter—Tuesday before

St. Andrew—Monday before

St. Nicholas—The second

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