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Local and Other Items.

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It snew like sixty on Tuesday.

For Sash, Doors and Mouldings, go to Grant & Co., Markdale.

A heavy snow-storm on Tuesday.

Just received at J. R. Trimble's one car load brl. Salt: Cheap for cash.

Remember the cattle fair on Saturday, the 8th Nov.

For Bedsteads, Spring Beds, and Mattrasses, go to Grant & Co., Markdale.

We publish one day earlier this week,

Two cords dry cedar, two feet long, wanted at this office.

Mr. W. Benson has moved into his new premises on Mill St.

Alex. Kay is turning out excellent boots, both coarse and fine.

Mr. Jas. Burns, formerly of this village, was in town this week.

Your choice of 200 pairs Heavy Ready-made Pants for $1.75 per pair at J. R. Trimble's.

Dr. Carter has returned to Markdale from Sault Ste Marie, Mich.

Men's Felt Boots, Men's and Women's Overshoes and Rubbers cheap at J. R. Trimble's.

The stores in Markdale will be closed on Thursday (Thanksgiving day).

A good heavy Velveteen Twilled Back, suitable for Ladies' Mantles, at J. R. Trimble's.

Mr. J. W. Wright of St. Louis, formerly of Artemesia, was in town this week.

For Extension, Side, Centre, Fall Leaf and Kitchen Tables, go to Grant & Co., Markdale.

Mr. C. Nicol, travelling agent for the *Globe*, was in town Friday. He gave us a pleasant call.

Grant & Co., are very busy and have enough work on hand to keep them going for six weeks.

Remember the union services in the Methodist Church at 10:30 a. m. Thanksgiving day.

For sideboards, dressing cases, bedsteads, lounges and cradles, go to Grant & Co., Markdale.

Smith, the barber, has a good double-barrel gun for sale; just what you want to shoot the wild geese.

For Sash, Lumber, Newel Post, Stairs, Balusters and Hand-railing, go to Grant & Co., Markdale.

J. R. Trimble has received this week Ready-made Clothing in great variety, recently purchased at the great Trade Sales. Parties should not fail to inspect those goods: they are great value.

Get your Business Envelopes and Letter-heads printed; 10,000 Envelopes and 200 quire of paper just opened at the Standard Office.

It will pay you to buy your tea from R. J. Sproule, Flesherton: Call for samples.

Furr-top Coats, Furr Caps and Ladies' Furr Setts in great variety at less than wholesale prices at J. R. Trimble's.

Messrs. W. & J. Anderson of Orange Valley, lett us seven fine swede turnips this week which weighed 60 lbs. They are the best we have seen, even at the show fairs. Thanks.

Every Man, Woman, Boy or Girl, who has a dollar to spend, should call at J. R. Trimble's: he has something that will suit you.

Mr. G. S. Brown of Meaford, formly of this place, was in town a few days last week. He has taken a ranch in Arkansas and intends removing there shortly.

J. R. Trimble has just received another lot of Cooper & Smith's Boots and Shoes, acknowledged to be the best goods in the market.

The teachers for Markdale Public School for 1885 have been engaged and are as follows:—Frank Porter, 1st, $425; Miss F. Ford, 2nd, $250; Miss S. Davis, 3rd, $210. Total amount, $885.

Dress goods in the latest patterns in great variety, and at bottom prices at R. J. Sproule's, Flesherton.

The Scott Act has been carried the past week as follows:—Majority for Bruce Co. 1,312; Dufferin 860; Huron 1,668; and the vote for the repeal in York, N. B., defeated by 300.

The Chesley *Enterprise* says:—"The Flesherton *Advance* man takes two columns to explain to an anxious world that he got a speck of plaster in his eye while workmen were renovating his office." Wonder how his feet escaped.

Persian Lamb and other winter caps to suit the million at prices that will astonish the natives at R. J. Sproule's.

Mr. E. Vanzant, of the Flesherton Marble Works, is turning out excellent work, and his territory constantly extending. He gets up fine stock and is a good mechanic, which, together with fair dealing, is fast increasing and building up his business.

A large stock of tweeds at R. J. Sproule's, Flesherton. No better variety to select from or value given in the county: Call an see.

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Markets.—The prospects for any improvement in the price of wheat are indeed poor. The crop is so abundant throughout the world, and the corn crop of the United States also greatly above an average. There seems no reasonable prospect for an advance in price. The corn crop in the state of Kansas alone, for 1884, is estimated at 200,000,000, bushels.

The Lady Editor.—We have received a letter from a Toronto citizen giving some light on the character recently mentioned in this paper as having attempted to horsewhip one of our worthy citizens for refusing to subscribe for her paper. She is described as having fine address, good business tact, and well educated, but, is a notorious impostor; had published a sporting paper some months, but that enterprise collapsed some time ago. The letter describes her as a fit subject for jail or the lunatic asylum; that several judgments are out for her in Toronto.

MANITOBA PRODUCTS.

The Canadian Pacific Railway will run a car containing a full exhibit of Manitoba farm produce over their line, stopping one day at each station in order to give the public a chance to see for themselves what the prairie province can produce. The exhibition will be free, and may be seen the following places and dates:—

Shelburne,	November	8th
Dundalk,	"	10th
Flesherton,	"	11th
Markdale,	"	12th
Chatsworth,	"	13th
Owen Sound,	"	14th

Briefs from Abroad.

GATHERED FROM EXCHANGES AND BOILED DOWN.

Samuel and John McDowell, Jr., of Dundalk, left two weeks ago for British Columbia.

A movement is on foot by Mt. Forest men, favoring the formation of a new county, consisting of Normanby, Egremont, and Proton from Grey, and Luther, Arthur and Minto from Wellington, with Mt. Forest as county town.

A foot race between Herriman of Owen Sound, and Case of Hamilton, for $400, is to take place in Owen Scund on Thanksgiving day.

The Oddfellows of Owen Sound celebrated their fifteenth anniversary on Tuesday evening, 28th, by an oyster supper and social in their hall.

The Brockville and Westport railway is now being agitated, and steps taken to have a by law submitted to the municipalities interested in assisting in the way of bonuses.

Hanover is to have a new grain elevator shortly.

A by-law to raise $200,000 by debentures for the erection of a new City hall for Toronto was submitted to a vote last Thursday and defeated by a majority of 562.

Mr. McLeod of Chatsworth, has invented a new self-binder which can be attached to any reaper, and binds with straw, instead of cord. He has secured the patent for Canada and the United States. We hope it will prove a complete success.

There is a very general feeling of hostility manifested by the Canadian press towards the annexation of Jamaica, and the papers which are not actively hostile show much indifference to the subject. By many the project is not regarded with any great seriousness. The *Globe* opposes it quite strongly, and many smaller papers echo its sentiments quite faithfully. But there does not seem to be any very strong impression that the scheme will come to anything. This is very much our own opinion. We regard it as quite unlikely that for a considerable time to come at anyrate, the question of Jamaica and other West India Islands joining the Canadian Confederacy, will be other than one of merely speculative interest and importance.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Subscriptions received at this office for any of the following papers to the end of 1885 for one dollar in advance each, viz: Markdale Standard, Toronto Weekly *Mail*, Weekly *Globe*, Montreal *Star*, Montreal *Witness*, or the Farmers, *Advocate*. Now is the time to subscribe and get the balance of this year free.

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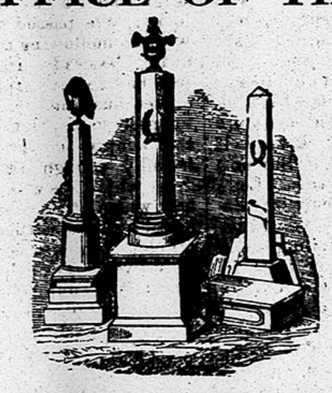

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