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Local and Other Items.

NOTICES in these columns intended to benefit any individual or Society will be charged ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line each subsequent insertion.

Did you see the eclipse on Monday.

Easter Sunday comes on the 5th April.

MISS ANNIE MILLSAP left last week for Lefroy.

The nicest thing in bonnets; a pretty face.

FARM for Sale or rent, James Bruce, Lilly Oak.

TRAINS were considerably delayed on Monday.

Mrs. PLEWES is visiting friends in Dundalk, Ont.

LEMONS and Oranges 25 cents per dozen at Hanbury's.

The STANDARD to the end of 1885 to any address for 75 cents.

The thermometer registered 15 below zero Tuesday morning.

BLANK receipts and notes always on hand at the STANDARD office.

A BEAUTIFUL and genuine assortment of watches at W. A. Brown's.

Mrs. A. CHELLEW of Collingwood is visiting friends in this village.

PRIME Clover Seed at J. R. Trimble's for \$0.25 per bushel, spot cash.

A monster sale of Boots and Shoes now going on at McFarland's.

MR. and MRS. THOS. HANBURY of Dundalk were in town this week.

A 3 pound tin of fresh Tomatoes only 8 cents at J. R. Trimble's.

A STOCK of Cabinet Envelopes just opened at Hamilton's photo. gallery.

This winter has eclipsed any on record for extreme and continued cold.

Go to Hanbury's for fresh Oysters and fresh water Herring, just in today.

Mrs. A. DUNLOP returned on Tuesday from a seven-weeks visit to Oshawa.

GREAT bargains in Boots & Shoes at J. R. Trimble's, as I am bound to sell out.

The British Government have invested \$80,000 as a fund for Gordon's family.

Part to rent or sell, apply to J. G. Irving, Markdale.

Mrs. HOLLINGSHEAD is visiting friends at Alliston and Elmgrove.

FIRST CLASS fine salt, under cover, at J. R. Trimble's for \$1.00 per barrel spot cash.

A good motto for business men: "Early to bed—early to rise—Never get tight—and advertise."

PRIME clover and timothy Seeds, at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

MR. ROBERT MYLES, ex-Reeve of Euphrasia, returned from Manitoba this week.

FOR Lath, Lumber, Sash, Doors, Frames and Mouldings, go to Grant & Co.

ENVELOPES, for mailing cabinet photos, for sale cheap at Hamilton's photo. gallery.

FOR Bedsteads, Cribs, Cradles, Mattresses, and Spring Beds, go to Grant & Co.

MR. Geo. Snider, of Owen Sound, celebrated his golden wedding on Thursday last.

Mrs. CAIN of Newmarket has been visiting her sister Mrs. Rev. Grandy in this place.

J. R. TRIMBLE is offering wonderful bargains in all lines of goods to spot cash customers.

A keeper in the Winnipeg asylum was murdered on Saturday last by an insane woman.

SEEDS.—Field and Garden seeds of all kinds at the Medical Hall, A. Turner & Co.

A great many potatoes and apples have been frozen in pits and cellars during the winter.

MR. and Mrs. George Stoddart of Glenelg returned last week after visiting friends near Brampton.

A grand concert will be given by the Oddfellows at Markdale, about April 9th, look out for posters.

Oil Cake, unsurpassed for Horses and Cattle, for sale at the Medical Hall, A. Turner & Co.

J. R. TRIMBLE can and will sell you goods cheaper for cash than merchants that claim to be direct importers.

THE March Lyon gave himself another vigorous shake on Sunday last; result, roads seriously blocked.

ENVELOPES furnished and neatly printed at this office at the rate of 5 cents per package of 25, by taking 1,000.

Before purchasing Boots and Shoes see W. J. McFarland's immense stock purchased at less than cost of manufacture.

MR. STEER and family of Toronto Gower arrived last week, having retired and taken up their residence in Markdale.

A VERY pleasant and most enjoyable evening was spent by a large number of young people at the parsonage on Wednesday.

Have you a friend at a distance you would like to send an Easter present. Send the STANDARD only seventy-five cents for the balance of the year.

MR. RICHARD A. SCOTT of Holland intends leaving about the 1st of April for Minnedosa, taking with him part of his family and a car load of stock.

The North Riding Agricultural Society's Spring Show of Stallions and Bulls will be held on the pleasure grounds, Owen Sound, on Friday, 24th April.

MISS MILLIE LYONS of Tara visited friends in Markdale on her way to Toronto where she has been recently purchasing her spring stock of Millinery.

SHELburne lodge A. O. U. W. has 53 members. They presented their Past Master, Mr. I. E. Bellry, with a handsome clock and an address one evening last week.

HAMILTON'S Photograph Gallery has been crowded during the past week, and a large number of excellent Photos turned out to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Tuesday last was St. Patrick's day. Hard to beat. The porcelain nest-egg.

A general thaw is expected about the 6th April.

Our sidewalks have scarcely been seen this year.

He couldn't find his match, and went to bed in the dark.

Two things now very generally desired: Money and spring.

THERE will be excursions to Manitoba about the 24th and 31st March.

A MCGILL of Chatsworth foundry makes excellent road scrapers, and has applied for a patent for the same, Township councils should make a note of it.

OXEN FOR SALE.—A well matched pair of oxen rising four years old, well trained. For particulars apply to Geo. Ireton, one mile from Barrhead Mills. 134 86

THE STANDARD is \$1.50 when not paid in advance or within three months? please don't be in a hurry for a few weeks, we can wait a while in view of the additional amount.

DR. LOW'S WORM SYRUP has removed tape worm from 15 to 30 feet in length. It also destroys all kinds of worm.

THE Ladies Aid of the Methodist church are already preparing for their annual bazaar on the 24th May. It is the intention to lay the corner stone of the new church at that time.

NATIONAL PILLS act promptly upon the Liver, regulate the Bowels and as purgative are mild and thorough.

MR. W. J. BENSON, of the Belfast House, Markdale, and formerly of the Hoffman House, New York, made a flying visit to Kimberley last Friday. He smiled with several of his friends while there.

W. J. McFarland is in Toronto attending the great sale of \$100,000 worth of Boots and Shoes, belonging to the estate of John Garrett & Co., and has succeeded in getting some Great Bargains.

EOR SALE.—A splendid farm containing 100 acres, well watered, 90 acres ready for any kind of machinery and situated within half a mile of Markdale, station on C. P. R., Apply to M. Armstrong, Markdale.

MR. R. H. BAIRD, Manager of the Joshua Whitecomb Company will give an entertainment in Chatsworth Saturday evening next. This is perhaps the most popular troupe which has travelled this district, and "Uncle Josh" will doubtless have a crowded house.

The big C. P. R. elevator at Fort William is finished and has now considerable grain stored in it, awaiting the opening of navigation. This is the largest elevator in the Dominion, and will hold over a million bushels.

J. H. HULL is agent for Flury's Sylvester's and Wilkinson's agricultural implements. All kinds of repairs for the above manufacturers kept always on hand. Shop on Mill Street known as Hull's coopershop.

NOTICE.—The contract for hauling milk to Markdale Cheese Factory for season of 1885 will be let by auction at the Markdale House on Saturday, the 21st March, at 2 o'clock. All interested parties will take notice. B. Coleman, President; H. D. Irwin, Sec.

MISS MARGIE MILLER of this place returned home from Dundalk last Thursday, where she has been visiting friends for some time. She is looking much better after her sojourn among her old associates.

THE Meaford Mirror has entered upon its fourth year. It is a healthy and promising three year old, and notwithstanding its serious misfortune, viz., its complete destruction by fire; it now appears without a scar. We wish it every success in future.

FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS require no other Purgative. They are safe and sure to remove all varieties of Worms.

PROF. LOW'S SUIRUS OIL is highly recommended for the cure of Eruption, Chafes, Chapped hands, Pimples, Tan, &c.

BURNED TO DEATH.—We hear that an old man, named Robert Mills, a resident of Keppel, who lived alone, was found by a neighbor early on Monday morning, on his own hearthstone, burnt to death. He had evidently been kindling a fire, and fallen into it.—O. S. Times.

CREDIT SALE.—Mr. Joseph Manarey, auctioneer, will hold a sale on Friday the 27th March, on lot 18, con. 11, Euphrasia, commencing at one o'clock. A quantity of farm stock, implements &c. Terms nine months on approved paper for sums over \$5.00, John Carefoot, proprietor.

CHATS WORTH NEWS.—This new paper made its first appearance about a week since. It is the 18th paper in Grey County. G. J. Blyth, formerly of the Markdale Expositor is the Editor and proprietor and he has few equals as a newspaper man. We wish him every success in his undertaking.

A remarkable story of a miracle comes from Montreal, it being alleged that a man while indulging in violent profanity at Acton Vale about twelve days ago was stricken with paralysis and rooted to the spot where he stood all efforts to remove him up to the present being useless. He is also unable to take food.

THE SCOTT ACT.—Petitions for the submission of the Act in Grey were deposited in the Sheriff's office on Feb. 28. They contain 4,489 names or 739 more than necessary. Mr. A. Frost of Owen Sound, is solicitor for committee, and has carefully attended to all the details in connection with the deposit of the petition.

FOUL PLAY.—On Friday morning last Mr. Wm. Caswell, of lot 14, 10th con. Derby, on going into his stable about 5 o'clock, was amazed to find his team of horses dead and stiff. They were all right about 9 o'clock the evening before, and it is suspected they must have been poisoned. The loss will be a severe one to Mr. Caswell.—O. S. Times.

COMING.—Under the auspices of Markdale A. O. U. W. an entertainment will be given to-morrow evening (Friday) by the "Joshua Whitecomb Co.," of which Mr. R. H. Baird is manager. Those who had the pleasure of being present at any of "Baird's" entertainments in the past could not be paid to absent themselves, and we may safely count on a crowded house to-morrow evening.

MR. W. J. SHEPHERDSON of Euphrasia, who lost his stallion, "Scottish Champion" recently, has purchased a fine 3 year old, heavy draft, weighing 1,700 lbs. Mr. S. sustained a serious loss in the death of the above animal, but is not to be discouraged, and has purchased a much better one of which farmers will have an opportunity of judging for themselves in due time.

IT is feared that Mr. Gladstone's want of decision in dealing with the Afghan question will result disastrously. A special to THE MAIL says his recent utterance in the House of Commons leads to the belief that he intends abandoning Afghanistan, and if the Afghan chief becomes persuaded that England is a perfidious ally, Sir Peter Lumsden's doom is sealed, and he and the troops with him will meet the fate of Gen. Gordon.

WE direct attention to the new advertisement in this issue, of Mr. H. B. Harrison, of the Owen Sound Marble Works. He has lately returned from Vermont, from whence he has brought three car-loads of the finest variegated marble, and now one of the best stocks in the Dominion to select from. Those who need anything in his line should give him a call, as we feel assured from his excellent taste and long experience, he will not fail to give satisfaction.

NO MATTER where pain, lameness or soreness exists, Haggard's Yellow Oil taken or applied will give immediate relief, and a positive cure quickly follows its use.

A BIG ICE HOUSE.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. are building an immense ice house on the bank of the river, to the south of the passenger station, which will be used for supplying their boats during the heated term.

The dimensions are ninety-four by twenty-four feet, and to be stocked immediately with a thousand tons of pure Georgian Bay ice as a send off.—O. S. Advertiser.

SCORES of farmers and leading stock men in the district have this week visited the stables of our enterprising townsman, J. R. Trimble, Esq., to view the late importation "Garfield."

This is the finest stallion of his class ever brought into this district, and the spectators expressed themselves both astonished and pleased to see such fine stock being introduced. Mr. Trimble has a number of fine animals, and his well arranged stables are well worth an inspection by horsemen.

WILL OF THE LATE GEORGE JACKSON Esq.—As many are anxious to hear how Mr. Jackson bequeathed his wealth, we give the following general particulars, omitting the technicalities, Mrs. A. Cochrane \$7000; Mrs. J. Cochrane \$4000; Mrs. Torrance \$7000; Mrs. Arch. McKenzie \$2000; Miss Lizzie Jackson \$500; David Jackson Sr. \$500 a year for 4 years. Wm. G. Jackson, the farm adjoining the town comprising 250 acres; The residence and grounds together with the residue of real estate, cash, bank stock, and mortgages revert to David Jackson Jr. the value of which is not known, but is generally supposed to be about \$40,000 at the least.—(Chronicle).

We see that obituary notices in England now frequently contain the statement that by the wish of the deceased his relatives will not wear mourning. It will be a good thing when this practice becomes universal, as the purchase of mourning has frequently been a heavy expense to those who could ill afford it. It is, of course, right and proper that all due respect should be shown to the dead, but there are other ways of doing it besides the donning of expensive mourning garments. If some people were a little more careful to carry out what were known to be the wishes of neglecting them and putting on black suits and six inches of crape around their hats, they would be evincing more respect to the memory of the departed. It always strikes me as very inconsistent, to use a mild expression, when I see young men with a wide piece of crape round one arm roaring with laughter at some jest of their companions; it is evident in such cases that the mourning is merely an outward form, and it would be far better to dispense with those symbols of grief altogether than to display them where they are totally out of place.

The following notice will be read with interest by the old residents of this district who were well acquainted with Mr. Snider, who was one of the highly respected pioneers of this County.—From the O. S. Advertiser.

GOLDEN WEDDING.—We have great pleasure in congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snider on the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, which they celebrate to-day (Thursday) Mr. Snider has attained the ripe age of 72 years, and Mrs. Snider is three score and ten. They were married at Eglinton on the twelfth of March, 1835. Mrs. Snider's maiden name being Miss Jane Maughan. Mr. and Mrs. Snider have been residents of the County of Grey, since August 1843, and of Owen Sound since March the 21st, 1854. Mr. Snider was the first Sheriff of this County, being appointed in the Fall of 1863, which office he resigned in 1865. Mr. Snider has always been held in high esteem by the residents of the County, and by the citizens of Owen Sound, being elected to serve them as member of parliament at Confederation, which position he held till the year 1878. He was also Mayor of Owen Sound for five years. We are certain that our readers will join with us, in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Snider many more happy returns of this their wedding day.