

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**The Standard.**

MARKDALE MARCH 26, 1885.

**BUILDING OPERATIONS.**

The prospects for building the coming summer in Markdale are good, considering the financial depression. The Methodist church will be a very fine structure, to be 42 feet long by 72 wide, built of solid brick with stone basement, seating capacity 600, and will cost about \$7,000.

Mr. Wm. Douglass will build a fine brick residence almost opposite the Methodist church.

Haskett Bro's expect to build a large brick block adjoining their hardware premises.

John McKenna is preparing to erect a large addition to his shop for a carriage making establishment.

Mr. Irvine proposes removing the cooper shop now occupied by J. H. Hull, and put up a large building on that corner.

W. J. McFarland expects to improve and perhaps enlarge his mercantile premises.

Moffat Bro's will likely enlarge their foundry to at least double its present size.

**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.**

"By cap. 86, Revised Statutes of Ontario, all Births, Marriages and Deaths which take place throughout the Province of Ontario are required to be registered with the Clerk of the Municipality in which the occurrence takes place.

Refusal or neglect to make these reports or any of them within the specified time, will subject the person or persons so neglecting or refusing, to pay a penalty of \$20 and costs."

The specified time is, after the occurrence, for births 30 days, marriages, 90 days and for deaths 10 days. Each Post Office is supplied with blanks for this purpose where they can be procured without cost, and are carried through the mail free of postage. The clerks of the surrounding municipalities, who are the registrars for their several townships with their address are, for Glenelg, J. S. Black, Pomona P. O.; Artemesia, W. J. Bellamy, Flesherton; Osprey, Wm. Milne, Maxwell; Holland, C. Price, Williamsford; Euphrasia, R. Dunlop, Griersville.

**MARKDALE CHEESE FACTORY.**

The result of the last year's operations of the above factory were on the whole satisfactory, and we are very much pleased to see a much greater interest taken in it the coming season. A number of new patrons have been added, and old ones are increasing their patronage, so that already the number of cows promised is double that of last year. This is indeed encouraging alike to manufacturer and patrons, as the great expense of the past season was the cost of hauling a comparative small quantity of milk from a given territory. This difficulty will in a great measure be overcome as the expense of getting the milk will not be increased while the quantity will be doubled thereby decreasing the cost of hauling fifty per cent.

The patrons are well aware of this, and are therefore very hopeful of the results of the coming summer.

We only wish their most sanguine expectations may be realized.

**Advice to Advertisers.**

Well written, truthful announcements properly displayed, bring safe returns.

The best medium is a newspaper that has a good list of intelligent and prompt-paying subscribers.

Advertisements will arrest the attention in proportion as they are fresh and reasonable.

Advertising is to business what food is to existence. It should be regular,

adequate and varied. An experienced man said recently: "There are but few lines of business in which success can be obtained without the aid of newspapers. There is nothing so effective in presenting the merits of an article as an attractive advertisement; it reaches many people whose attention cannot be commanded in any other way, and who are finally influenced by the repeated announcements of the persistent advertiser."

**THE QUESTION OF THE DAY.**

"What is good for a cold?" is a question often asked, but seldom satisfactory answered. We can answer to the satisfaction of all, if they will follow our advice and try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, a safe, pleasant and certain throat and lung healer. Sold by all Druggists.

**Hints for Letter-Writing.**

Letters should always be written in a neat and distinct chirography. The sentences should be constructed with such thoughtful care, that the meaning intended will be readily understood.

Gummed envelopes are now in almost universal use; nevertheless, a neat little seal of red wax for a gentleman, and of gold or other fancy colour for a lady, are elegant and appropriate, and give an appearance of refinement to a note.

Letters of introduction or recommendation should never be sealed.

In letters of business or ceremony, do not write on both sides of the leaf. Letters of compliment should be written in the third person.

Avoid all erasures and blots, even though you should have to re-write. Never write letters of friendship on a half sheet, and always write with ink.

Monograms should always be in black or white—never in colours. In communicating bad news, take care not to do so abruptly.

In sending letters, don't enlarge much on your own misfortunes. Make your letters cheerful and never ill-tempered.

All letters should be civil in tone, otherwise they injure the writer more than the receiver. No gentleman will send an anonymous letter. Only cowards and knaves do this.

Your paper may be either ruled or plain, but the latter is the more elegant. Letters in regard to one's own affairs should always contain a stamp for return postage. A still better plan is to enclose a stamped and addressed envelope.

Every letter should be dated carefully and distinctly, and should always bear the address of the writer, and the name signed in full. Should the writer be a married lady, she should invariably, except in the most familiar missives, prefix "Mrs." to her name.

Persons in mourning usually write letters on mourning stationery, but this should not be used in writing letters of congratulation.

Your letter-paper and envelopes should correspond in colour and quality. White should be preferred, and especially when addressing a lady. Ladies use no other.

Good black ink is always to be preferred. Coloured inks are in bad taste. Take care to affix the proper stamp. Don't depend on others to do this.

Never send money or other articles of value in an unregistered letter. When dropping a letter or paper into a street letter box, see that it don't stick fast.

Never enclose any writing in printed matter. When it is desired to have letters returned in case of non-delivery, the name and address of sender should be printed on upper left-hand corner, with request to the effect.

**BANGS.** On a girl gives her an unruly look, like a cow with a board over her face. You take the gentlest cow in the world and put a board over her face, and turn her out in the pasture and she gets the reputation of being unruly, and you would swear that she would jump fences and raise merry hades, and you wouldn't give so much for her by \$10 only for beef. It is so with a girl. If she wears her hair high on the forehead, or brushed back, or even frizzes, and has a good look, you will go your bottom dollar on her, and feel that she is as good as gold, and that when she tells her young man that she loves him there is no discount on it, and no giggling back; but take the same girl with her front hair-banged, and when she looks at you you feel just as though she would look, and you can't trust her. She has a fence jumping look that makes a young man feel as though he would not be safe, unless she was tied hand and foot, so she could not get out of the pasture.

**Correspondence.**

Notice.—We will not be held responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the Standard.  
Euphrasia, March 21st.

Dear Sir.—Please insert the following:—Euphrasia folks, beware of the Indian who represents himself as a Doctor, but is only a quack, who is endeavoring to court the girls of Euphrasia. Beware of him for he has a wife and five children who live in a shanty, and in one end of the shanty there lives a negro. His family are destitute while he tries to appear well off. He is a worthless wretch, accustomed playing corporation fiddle for a living: beware.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

McGREGOR & PARK'S Carbolic Cerate is invaluable for Wounds, Sores, Salt Rheum, Cuts, Burns, Scalds and Festers, as a healing and purifying dressing. Do not be imposed on with other useless preparations, recommended to be as good. Use only McGregor & Park's Carbolic Cerate. Sold by Hill Bro's.

Gravenhurst, March 17th, 1885.

To the Editor of the Standard:

DEAR SIR,—As promised I embrace the first opportunity of noting for your valuable paper a few of the interesting features of the town of Gravenhurst, which is situated in Simcoe County, Muskoka District, where I have been working for the past two weeks. After leaving you at Cardwell Junction on the 3rd inst. I took the Hamilton & North-western to Allandale a suburb of Barrie. This section is a first class farming district and thickly settled with (to all appearance) well-to-do farmers. Barrie has a population of some 5,000 inhabitants and is situated as most of your readers know, on lake Simcoe. Then we took the Northern Railway for Gravenhurst, passing Orillia, and having lake Simcoe on my right for over 80 miles up to the narrows, the country between those two towns is mostly good for agricultural purposes altho' there is low swampy lands where the "Canadian Band" warbles their music to the great amusement (or shall we say annoyance) of the inhabitants, of a summers evening: About 6 miles from Orillia I came to Longford where are situated the lumber mills of Messrs. Thompson, (some of the largest in the district) at which many million feet of lumber are to be seen tastefully piled. A few miles further on I got a sight, the rocks of which the Muskoka farmers have such an aversion. There was nothing further to break the monotony but rock! Rock!! Rock!!! until I arrived at Gravenhurst, after a journey of 155 miles occupying 7 horses: certainly not a very expeditious rate of travelling. This town has a population of 2,000. On arrival I soon made my way to one of the Hotels, of which there are five; and, as it were to counteract their influence there are five places of worship, if I may include the Salvation Army Barracks as one. The latter having been here about seven weeks, and one of the chief amusements of the place is to watch the soldiers on their eyeing war path. Gravenhurst, the "Sawdust city of the North" is, so to speak, in the midst of waters, (that is where their isn't rock). On the West is Muskoka Bay; on the North-east Gull Lake; on the South, Sparrow Lake, and on the North a chain of lakes unknown to fame. There are some 17 saw-mills giving employment to about 500 hands; the usual proportion of Stores; a carriage works, foundry &c. The town depends chiefly on the lumbering business, and after the lumber has been culled out, (which will probably not be many years hence) except the iron mining develops, of which there is a good supply, the place will sink back into oblivion. The Northern R. Co. are extending their line from this place up to the Nippisang, 112 miles North, the opening of which is expected to take place early in August, when no doubt there will be an influx of immigrants, as the land is said to be prolific in that direction. The winter has been, and is still, very severe here, it's no wonder, if the winters were like this, that on the memorable occasion two years since the whiskey froze up here; of course they needs no explanation to a Canadian. With best wishes for the success of your paper, I am, &c.

The discovery of the magnificent process of taking photographs has been quickly followed in the medical world by a patient and trustworthy remedy for all acute and chronic diseases, such as Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Headache, and all other forms of Pain. This remedy is called "McGregor & Park's Carbolic Cerate" and is sold by Hill Bro's.

**THE POST OFFICE.**

The following is a complete list of the Post Offices in the County of Simcoe, taken from the Postmaster-General's report for 1884, showing the revenue derived from the sale of stamps, and the several postmaster's salaries, allowances included.

NAME OF P. O.	REVENUE	SALARY
Aberdeen	\$ 57 26	\$ 25 00
Allan Park	161 80	72 00
Alsfeld	79 00	28 00
Annand	336 74	127 00
Arnot	116 87	40 00
Ashley	49 40	26 00
Ayton	167 04	250 00
Budjeros	105 12	89 00
Banks	81 28	18 00
Bayview	60 70	32 00
Berkeley	101 06	43 00
Blantyre	73 68	26 00
Bognor	192 27	50 00
Brookholm	72 41	41 00
Bunessan	57 87	30 00
Cape Rich	25 62	18 00
Cedarville	119 08	42 00
Chatsworth	665 90	162 00
Clarksburg	602 93	298 00
Clavering	131 54	24 50
Colenso	29 40	19 00
Corbetton	66 77	27 50
Coverly	18 02	10 00
Craigleith	75 26	22 00
Crawford	55 91	30 00
Crickshank	29 18	12 00
Desboro	110 87	24 00
Dornock	72 53	34 50
Dromore	141 75	69 00
Duncan	28 28	10 00
Dundalk	1816 03	555 50
Durham	1780 50	740 00
East Linton	19 52	16 00
Edge Hill	96 75	27 50
Egremont	64 23	38 00
Epping	61 33	30 00
Eugenia	184 23	65 00
Fairmount	84 37	42 50
Feversham	165 13	58 00
Flesherton 5 quars	1896 75	638 50
Flesherton Station	152 50	67 50
Garryowen	25 95	10 00
Gibraltar	47 56	19 00
Glascoot	27 36	12 00
Gleneden	47 67	20 50
Griersville	89 21	46 00
Hampden	60 56	34 50
Hanover	1119 35	470 00
Harkaway	18 11	10 00
Hepworth	308 35	54 00
Heathcote	238 54	107 50
Hoath Head	89 17	10 00
Holstein	827 62	109 00
Hopeville	112 83	67 50
Hornings Mills	366 35	106 00
Inistioge	40 73	24 00
Jackson	82 07	29 00
Jessopville	12 95	10 00
Johnson	66 61	21 50
Keady	99 74	64 50
Kemble	115 60	36 00
Kilsyth	236 99	80 00
Kimberley	97 15	42 00
Kingscote	14 13	10 00
Lady Bank	36 67	13 50
Lake Charles	35 31	10 00
Lamash	41 43	24 00
Latona	68 58	52 00
Leith	93 11	38 00
Lily Oak	34 19	20 50
Louise	97 00	13 50
McIntyre	179 79	64 50
Maradale	1409 65	620 00
Marmion	94 27	20 00
Massie	99 61	35 50
Maxwell	234 02	120 00
Meaford	3461 74	1120 00
Melancthon	100 96	38 00
Merritt	7 69	10 00
Morley	16 21	10 00
Murdock	10 05	10 00
Nenagh	210 00	80 00
Neustadt	316 49	147 00
North Koppel	184 95	60 00
Orchard	119 00	68 00
Owen Sound	5991 75	1880 00
Oxenden	101 50	46 00
Oxmead	41 04	13 16
Peabody	42 51	19 00
Pomona	27 11	14 00
Presqu' Isle	124 06	48 00
Priceville	616 14	259 50
Ravenna	112 84	47 00
Redwing	39 16	16 00
Riverview	62 98	20 00
Rocklyn	97 70	34 00
Shelburne, 5 qrs.	2084 63	682 50
Strathnarn	21 72	12 50
Sullivan	224 66	86 00
Thurlbury	1178 24	450 00
Traverson	78 97	27 00
Vandeleur	64 03	24 00
Varney	86 02	30 00
Walker's Falls	145 43	50 00
Warshaw	26 18	10 00
Williamsford Stat.	224 05	80 00
Wolsley	22 92	10 00
Woodend	283 06	91 50
Yeovil	81 48	31 50

Following is the revenue of the principal cities for one year ending 30th June, 1884:

Toronto	\$225,773 95
Montreal	200,221 49
Hamilton	61,772 45
London	45,772 45
Ottawa	42,221 45
Quebec	38,772 45
Windsor	35,221 45
St. Catharines	32,772 45
Niagara Falls	29,221 45
Port Hope	26,772 45
Wellington	23,221 45
Brantford	20,772 45
Chatham	17,221 45
St. Marys	14,772 45
Georgetown	12,221 45
Windsor	9,772 45
London	7,221 45
Hamilton	4,772 45
Montreal	2,221 45
Toronto	1,772 45

**Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.**

**MARRIAGES.**  
McArthur—At the House, on Wednesday, 18th inst., by the Rev. A. Williams, Mr. George Proctor to Miss Mary Ann McArthur, both of Euphrasia.  
Hicks—At the House, on the 24th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, George E. Hicks, Euphrasia, to Mary Jane Abercrombie, of the same place.  
Cowan—McArthur—By the Rev. Thomas Grandy, on the 24th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, Edwin Cullis of Euphrasia, to Eliza A. McArthur of the same place.

**DEATHS.**  
Willey—In Euphrasia, on the 25th inst. Sarah, beloved wife of Mr. R. H. Willey, aged 23 years.  
Robinson—In Glenelg on the 20th inst. Mrs. Robinson, mother of Mrs. Thos. Townsend, aged 92 years.  
Gibson—In Artemesia on the 24th inst. W. H. Gibson.

**Market Reports.**

**MARKDALE.**

Fall Wheat	\$0 73 to \$0 60
Spring Wheat	0 73 to 0 00
Barley	50 to 67
Peas	54 to 76
Oats	34 to 38
Butter	15 to 03
Eggs	20 to 00
Apples	50 to 75
Potatoes	18 to 20
Hay	0 00 to 12 00
Pork	5 00 to 5 00
Flour	3 75 to 4 25

**OWEN SOUND MARBLE WORKS.**

**H. B. HARRISON, MANUFACTURER OF MARBLE AND GRANITE MONUMENTS & HEADSTONES.**  
Mantles, Furniture Marble, &c.  
JUST RECEIVED,  
3 Carloads Finest Variegated Marble  
Largest stock in the Dominion to select from. Personally selected at the quarries in Vermont. Will be sold at prices which defy competition.  
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.  
N. B.—Beware of Monuments and Headstones of Tin, Spelter, or Zinc, soldered together, and oiled and Sandblasted to hide the imperfections, and called White Bronze.  
H. B. HARRISON.

**NOTICE.**

The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has his

**SAW AND SHINGLE MILL.**

In full operation now, and is prepared to saw all kinds of Lumber and Shingle stuff, and give you your Lumber & Shingles home with you during the winter season.  
Will saw on shares or for cash.

**Cash for Good Logs.**

Yours truly,  
W. J. ROWE,  
222-3rd BARRE HEAD MILLS.

**MARKDALE FURNITURE STORE.**

**STOCK COMPLETE.**

HAIR CLOTH SUITS, BEDSTEADS, SPRING BEDS, MATTRESSES.

Extension, Side, Center, Fall-leaf and Kitchen Tables, Sideboards, Dressing Cases, Lounges and Cradles, &c., &c.

If we haven't what you want we can have it on short notice.

Lumber, Sash, Doors, Door Frames, Newel Posts, Stairs, Balusters, and all such at

**CHART & CO'S, Markdale.**