

# The Standard.

MARKDALE MAY 27, 1886

THE 24TH IN MARKDALE.

The weather was all that could be desired, and the people aching for a holiday, consequently a large number took a day's outing.

The calithumpians made a sudden exit from their head quarters between ten and eleven o'clock. The front detachment comprised a caravan containing 18 dressed characters with brass instruments, drawn by a pair of Taylor's livery horses in full dress, and led by Captain Gzizisistingyong-stezz, or R. O. W. for short, whose portly physique and stern expression were sufficient to at once beget confidence and command the respect and obedience of his subordinates. The junior band took up the rear as an Indian tribe and did their part immensely while the music would charm the heart of a teakettle. The parade extended through the principal streets to the amusement of the citizens and delight of the juveniles.

The general sports commenced shortly after noon on the agricultural grounds, the brass band adding very materially to the attractions; they did their part well and richly earned the numerous eulogies of the people. Over one thousand spectators were on the grounds and everything passed off orderly and without accident worthy of note.

#### PRIZE LIST:

Horse Races.—Open Running Race—1st, D. McLean; 2nd, Mr. Roderick. Open Trot—1st, Lou Knapp; 2nd, John Burnside.

Local Running Race—1st and 2nd, John Carson.

100 yd. race (Professionals)—1st, Ketchum; 2nd, J. Colgan.

100 yd. race (Amateurs)—1st, R. O. Whitby; 2nd, J. L. Alexander.

200 yd. race—1st, Ketchum; 2nd, J. Colgan.

Boys under 15—1st, Willie Mathews; 2nd, John Dundas.

Boys under 10—1st, Fred Dundas; 2nd, Frank Hill.

Half mile race—1st, Ketchum; 2nd, R. L. Stephen.

Best Step Dancer—1st, T. Morgan; 2nd, Jas. Moore.

Football match between Glenelg and Markdale teams, won by Markdale team.

#### BAZAAR AND CONCERT.

The annual bazaar, under the auspices of the L. A. S. of the Methodist church, was held in one of Haskett's new stores. The stock of articles was not nearly so large as on some former occasions, but a ready sale was effected for most of what was offered, and the results correspondingly satisfactory.

THE CONCERT was held in Haskett's Hall, which was filled by a respectable audience. In the absence of Dr. Sproule, M. P., his continued parliamentary duties necessitating his absence, Rev. Mr. Casson took the chair, when a lengthy programme of a superior order was entered upon and maintained throughout with marked ability, while the attention and excellent order was the subject of general mention.

The choir gave the opening piece of first and second parts very creditably. Misses Ayers & Christie, Flesheron, sang well and showed good voice culture. Cap. Jones gave "Committed to the Deep;" he has a grand bass voice, and won the applause of the audience. Miss Hopkins, of Flesheron, is a reciter of rare ability, and an excellent reader; she gave one of each. Mrs. Fox, of Toronto, appeared twice and was encoored both times. She has an excellent and well trained voice, and handles her gaid to perfection. Her rendering of "The Cuckoo" brot' down the house completely and justly so. Misses Richardson, of Flesheron, and Misses Rorke & Ayers gave very appropriate and well rendered selections. Mrs. Geo. Armstrong's instrumental was very fine, few being sufficiently up in music to be able to fully appreciate her skilful renderings. Mr. James has a grand voice, and gave his selection creditably. Mrs. Trimble & Mr. Brown gave "I Heard a Voice," which was one of the pieces of the evening. We never heard Mrs. T. do so well, tho' she always does well, and is highly appreciated. Mr. Anderson enthused the audience with "The March of the Cameron Men" as none else can do.

The concert was a rare treat, to say the least, and was the best ever given by this society. Messrs. Rev. Wilson and Ayers gave a few appropriate remarks, after which the proceedings were brot' to a close by the singing of the "National Anthem."

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#### JUSTICE.

A communication from a Markdaleite appeared in last week's Durham Chronicle complaining of the STANDARD's report of a recent concert given under the auspices of Christ Church L. A. S. When we read said communication we were forcibly struck with the truth of a headline we used to have at school in our copy-book; "Children and fools should not see half done work." The writer sits in judgement on the report, and hastily mails his decision to a neighboring paper for publication, taking care not to give us any intimation that any dissatisfaction existed as to said report. Think of our surprise on learning that such was the case, through the medium of one of our exchanges, 36 hours after the balance of the report was printed and in the hands of subscribers. The writer also insinuates that had it been a Methodist concert, the report would have been a greater length (not less than half a column). Now, the writer, or anybody else, never saw in the STANDARD, a report of any concert, entertainment or tea-meeting, of any church or society, half a column in length; furthermore, we are prepared to prove that our reports of entertainments given by sister churches, have been noticeably longer and more complimentary than those of the Methodist church, so much so that we have been taken to task for so doing. The STANDARD is not a sectarian paper, and its course in future (as long as we have control of it) will be as in the past, no respecter of sects. As regards the frequent mention of doings in connection with the Methodist church for some time past we have no apology to offer. There has been extra-ordinary doings owing to church building during the past year, and as a matter of course, there was necessarily more frequent mention than of other churches. Had it been another denomination which was engaged in building, or other important doings, they would certainly have had a similar prominence at our hands; and besides, there are often items of more or less importance in connection with other churches which we are utterly ignorant of until they are past and out of date, and doubtless others that we never know, which, if reported to us from time to time (as we have repeatedly requested) we would gladly receive, and cheerfully publish them, but how in the name of common sense are we to publish what we don't know. In conclusion we would say that we have always attended all the entertainments we could in our vicinity, even when the managers say by their actions—we don't want you or your report—as in the one in question; for, when the customary courtesies to the press is not extended, in the shape of a complimentary ticket, it is conclusive evidence that our presence or services are not required.

#### WORTH REMEMBERING.

There is probably no better relaxing remedy for stiff joints, contracted cords and painful conjection, than Hagyard's Yellow Oil. It cured Mrs. John Sidel, of Orton, Ont, who was afflicted for years with contraction of the bronchial pipes and tightness of the chest. It is the great remedy for internal or external pain.

#### Holland Centre.

From our own correspondent.

Our station has been re-shingled, not too soon however, as the old ones had become so spongy when dry, that they were in great danger of fire, and in fact did ignite recently by a spark from a passing train, which was however noticed in time and promptly subdued with a liberal application of water by the train hands.

J. & A. Lilburn are adding a matcher and planer to their saw-mill. This was much needed.

We had in our town a case of shameful wife beating—the parties recently married. The boys say if it is repeated, his lordship will be compelled to take a swim in the mill pond.

The name of our Posa Office has been changed to Holland Centre, also the Station, in honor of which some of our citizens had quite a jubilee.

The 24th passed off quiet. Those who spent the day here appeared to enjoy themselves until late at night, when some of them raised Cain generally, and made the night air echo with hideous and unearthly noises to the disgust of peaceful citizens. If it is repeated, we will publish names.

#### MAVVELOUS

One dose of Dr. Chase's Liver Cure will cure Sick Headache, Dizziness, and Sour Stomach. 1 to 2 bottles are warranted to cure Liver Complaint, Indigestion and Biliousness. Sold by A. Turner & Co. May

It is our painful duty at this time to chronicle the occurrence of two very sad events within the borders of our village last week. As already reported to you in our last W. H. Colquett was then beyond hopes of recovery; the stern disease (inflammation) held him as its prey, and on Thursday night, after but a very brief illness, he passed peacefully away. Deceased was a hearty, strong looking man whom one would think had fair prospects for long life. How necessary to listen to the words in the good book, "Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh." He leaves an almost inviolate wife and three children. The sad event cast a gloom over the whole village, for he had almost sickened and died before all in the community had heard of his being ill.

Scarcely had the sad news of death ceased its effects upon the hearts of the people until the sympathies of the community were drawn out in another direction, when the alarm is sounded from one of our mills that one of our village boys had been crained. Mr. Will. Campbell, who was employed in Mr. Bradley's saw mill, got his hand caught in the small button-saw, severing the most of the left hand and cutting several ugly gashes in the arm up to the elbow. Dr. Christie was summoned at once and dressed the wound. It was thought at first the arm would have to be taken off at the elbow but since, hopes are entertained of saving the arm and first finger.

Rev. Mr. Arkells, of Maxwell, conducted the funeral service of the late W. H. Colquett, and preached a very interesting sermon in the Methodist church after the regular service at the grave. The Orange brethren took charge and consigned the deceased brother's remains to the tomb with Orange honors. A large number of the brethren were present. The Flesheron Brass Band led the procession with very appropriate music.

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#### BIRTHS.

RUTLEDGE—In Fort William, on the 22nd inst., the wife of E. S. Rutledge, merchant, of a son.

#### Market Reports.

##### MARKDALE.

Fall Wheat	90 70	to	90 80
Spring Wheat	0 70	to	0 78
Barley	40	to	65
Peas	54	to	56
Oats	28	to	28
Butter	12	to	12
Eggs	10	to	00
Apples	40	to	60
Potatoes	10	to	15
Hay	10 00	to	0 00
Pork	5 00	to	5 75
Flour	8 50	to	4 50
Wool	12	to	12

#### G. M. BRODIE, M.D., C.M.,

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#### Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to Sec. 34, Cap. 107, R. S. O. the creditors and all others having claims against the estate of Mrs. Geo. Lamb, Sr., deceased, in her lifetime, of the township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, Widow, who died on or about the 5th day of April, A. D. 1886, are hereby notified to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Geo. or Jas. Lamb, Glascoot P. O., the Executors of the deceased on or before

THE 21ST DAY OF JUNE, 1886.

Their christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any), held by them; or in default thereof; and immediately after such last named date, the assets of the said Estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, regard being had only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as above required, and the Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims notice shall not have been received as aforesaid, at the time of such distribution. Dated this 19th day of May A. D. 1886.

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