

# The Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Editor & Prop'r.

MARKDALE, JULY 29, 1886.

The new British Parliament will meet the 5th of August. Lord Salisbury is endeavoring to form a Coalition Ministry, while the Queen is using her personal endeavors to that end.

Sir John Macdonald is now in British Columbia. His health is already much improved from his trip, and he is being enthusiastically received. He travelled from Calgary by daylight and describes the scenery as the finest he ever witnessed.

Important developments were recently made in court at the trial of Anarchists for rioting in Chicago. A Pinkerton Detective had been put on track, and attended their meeting previously. His testimony was a stunner for the ringleaders.

It has been decided to extend the C. P. R. from Ingersoll to London. The extension is expected to be complete by the 1st January next.

At the Reform Convention held last Saturday, Mr. B. Allen received the unanimous nomination for the Commons. A vote was taken for candidates for the Local Legislature resulting in 66 votes for Mr. Alfred Frost of Owen Sound and 60 for Mr. Jas. Cleland of Meaford. The convention adjourned without deciding the matter.

The Crawford-Dilke divorce case which has been prominent in the English Courts, having been re-opened on the petition of Sir Charles Dilke in order that he might be given an opportunity of proving his innocence, was concluded last week, and the former decision confirmed. The leading London papers are unanimous and severe in condemnation of Sir Charles who is now banished from high society and will reside in Paris.

## Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

Markdale, July 24th, '86.

To the Editor of the Standard.

DEAR SIR,—“One of the boys” evidently thinks he has “plaid” a strong card against your concert reporter, in the letter that appears last week. He certainly knew who wrote the report for you, else his rapid production would have been less personal, and more to the point of criticism I made. He states that the concert was “ably” reported; and then follows with a demerit, saying—“the reporter is a pretender, and ignominious failure.” The report was fairly given in every way, and no animus displayed toward anyone, making it more of a success, than “one of the boys” attempts to spell played, three different times. So easy to look up the “big” words, but ignorant of words like “played” and “piccolo.” The boy fails to see that music is not a thing for the eyes, but for the ears; therefore, the tone, and not the horn is judged. You wonder I was misled by one of the horns, thinking it was a trombone; question, how? By hearing a very discordant “trombone” tone blown from a baritone horn, which is considered to be bad execution, especially in a hall. The march was played, but I admit that it was not at the time mentioned. “One of the boys” can learn yet, and should accept so slight a criticism for his profit, thus aiding the whole organization. If he wishes, your reporter will give him instructions on the following points, he knows very little about, viz: Instrumentation, attack, tone, harmony, time and sight-reading. Charges moderate. Also orthography, it desired. If “one of the boys” does not improve his tone on the upper notes, he will ere long become a permanent imitation of the calliope he so argumentatively refers to. I am thankful he refrained from being severe, and extend him my thanks for so pointedly referring to my several abilities; when he evidences like characteristics at his future public performances, if present, your com. will be glad to extend pleasant recognitions of them. Trusting he will realize that his letter shows, that I have a parallel point against him, in that, this time he has “over-blown” himself.

In Harmony,  
W. A. Brown.

## Church Notes.

Quarterly meeting in the Methodist church next Sunday.

The Methodist church of Walkerton have bought the St. Paul's Presbyterian church of that place for \$4,000. The church originally cost \$9,000.

Rev. Dr. James received a public reception by his new congregation, Knox Church, Walkerton, last week.

Rev. J. W. Manhood of Dundalk filled Rev. Mr. Cornish's pulpit last Sunday very acceptably.

There is no preparation before the people to-day that commands their confidence more or meets with a better sale than does Dr. Flower's Extract of Wild Strawberries—the infallible remedy for all forms of Summer Complaints.

## Flesherton.

From our own correspondent.

The return match of baseball, between the Flesherton and Eugenia teams was played on the grounds of the latter on Monday afternoon last, resulting in a victory for the Flesherton boys. The score stood, Flesherton 48, Eugenia 24, with one innings to play for Flesherton.

The picnic to Bell's Lake last Friday, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity of this village, was well patronized by the Masons and their friends. There was a very large turnout from Flesherton; a good number of the brethren and their friends joined the company at Markdale. The day was very favorable, just all that could be desired. The company, arriving at the lake, encountered some little difficulty and fatigue for the ladies in reaching a wharf where the handsome little steamboat (belonging to Moffat Bros. of Markdale) could land, the water in the lake having so lowered that the boat could not run in to the first wharf built; however, after all had been taken on board and sailed across the beautiful sheet of water and had landed where a beautiful picnic grove was found and all had satisfied their keen appetites, the afternoon was spent by all in a very happy manner, boating, sailing, &c., to the entire satisfaction of all. Among those interested in making all feel happy and enjoy themselves, we could not help but notice the efforts of W. J. McFarland, Esq., of Markdale, and R. J. Sproule, of Flesherton, ready and willing to go at everyone's bidding and do all in their power in the most pleasant manner to please all. We think all returned home well tired but pleased at having enjoyed so pleasant a lay in recreation.

Dr. Christie preached in the Methodist church here on Sunday evening last. Notwithstanding some very unkind and bitter words from one Norman Boyles, a simpleton, at the beginning of the service, the Dr. delivered a very interesting discourse. It appears poor Norman holds something in his heart against the Dr. which he cannot forgive. When the Dr. rose to open the service, poor Norman's conscientious scruples would not allow him to remain; putting on his hat, started for the door; on his way out, took some very bitter glances at the Dr. and uttered some very unkind words; however, he was soon outside and out of hearing, and no doubt went home feeling very dignant but rather justified that he had not violated conscience. The Dr. knew Norman too well to be at all discomfited.

Special Ordination services are announced for, to be held in the Presbyterian church here on Sabbath afternoon next: the Ordination of the members elect to the Eldership in said church.

LEFT FOR THE WEST.—After a pleasant holiday the Strain Bros. (Joseph and Herbert) sons of our most highly esteemed citizen, Wm. Strain, Esq., left here on Tuesday last for their respective places of employment, Joseph returning to Atchison, Kansas, and Herbert to Pembina. Both young men have the kindest wishes and love of all which was manifested during their short stay with us. Our band serenaded them at their father's residence on the eve of their departure.

A large number of our citizens held themselves in readiness to witness the lacrosse match which was to have been played between the junior team of Markdale and Flesherton on the grounds of the latter on Tuesday afternoon last, but the visiting team failed to put in an appearance.

Our boys were all on hand in good time, had ordered a sumptuous dinner at A. Munshaw's palace hotel, and waited patiently the arrival of visitors until the 4 p. m. mail arrived which conveyed, shall I say a note of apology, no, but an Scurrilous letter couched in language such as could not have been dictated nor written by a gentleman. Our boys do not feel much hurt nor think the stream more foul than the source from whence it flows.

## A MIDNIGHT ALARM.

There is scarcely any fright more alarming to a mother than the ominous sound of croup—so liable at the hour of night. When Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam (for the throat and lungs) is at hand, croup and distressing coughs lose half their terrors. It cures coughs, asthma and bronchitis.

## Personals.

Mrs. R. B. Currie is visiting friends at Elora.

J. E. Crone returned last week from a visit to Nottawa.

D. Dwyer returned from Lampton Co. last week.

Mr. Dumbar formerly teacher in this village, made Markdale a visit this week.

Miss Ramsay is gone home for a short time.

Miss Clapp has been home to Napanee for three weeks.

Walter Turner is visiting his parents this week near Owen Sound.

Mr. Andrew Hill of Orangeville, formerly of this place, was in town over Sunday.

The Misses Wilkinson of Aurora are spending a few days in Markdale.

Charlie Walker, of Manitoulin, has been visiting friends recently.

Mrs. Luke has been spending a few weeks with her friends in this locality.

Miss Luke is spending her holidays in this part.

Oscar and Maggie Wright have been at Allenford this week.

Mr. B. Bunting and son, of Pickering, have been rusticated with friends in Euphrasia and returned last week.

Miss Nellie and Ray Lamb of this place started on Wednesday for Dakota.

Mrs. Dadds of Buffalo is the guest of Mrs. T. McNea.

Mrs. W. M. Speer has been to Tara for some time.

Miss Washington, of Toronto, has been spending a few weeks in Markdale.

Mr. Miles Youns, of Blyth, was in our village a day this week.

Mr. John Hannah of Welsley, Waterloo Co., gave his friends in Markdale a call this week.

## A HEAVY BURDEN.

Mr. George Russell, of Aurora, Ont., says he was a great sufferer from a running sore of the throat, which baffled the best medical skill, and his life was a burden. He was cured by B. B. B. to his great joy and surprise of his friends.

## Not Too Soon.

A new extradition treaty has been signed by the British Government and the American Ministers in London, and is now before the United States Senate for ratification. It has long been a matter of complaint among honest people in both countries that criminals and scoundrels of various degrees had only to get across the line into the United States or Canada as the case might be, and they could snap their finger at the law. That such a state of affairs should have been so long tolerated seems extraordinary; but Governments move slowly, and although the need for an extended treaty has been long talked of, the proposal had not till now assumed definite shape. We see no good reason why either country should harbor criminals of any kind, and why they arrest and return to the jurisdiction where the crime was committed should not be facilitated to the utmost (always excepting offences which are political) and even the proposed treaty does not go far enough, but it is an advance in the right direction, and we hope nothing will occur to prevent its ratification. It includes dynamiters and embezzlers to the extent of \$50, two classes it was very desirable to get at. It has long been a disgrace that cashiers, confidential clerks and others in positions of trust could make off with their thousands and live openly in the other country on the proceeds of their embezzlements, safe from any punishments; while on the other hand the scoundrels who tried to blow up public buildings, endangering the lives of hundreds, had only to get off to the States and they were safe. Neither class are a desirable acquisition to the country to which they come, and we are glad to see that at last a move is being made to give them up.

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## DEATHS.

MANN.—In Markdale, on the 28th July, Mary Jane, beloved wife of Thos. Mann, aged 41 years. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Friday the 30th at 1 o'clock to Christ Church cemetery. Friends and acquaintance will accept this invitation.

## IN THE MATTER OF

**JAMES R. TRIMBLE,**  
Of the Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, General Storekeeper.

The Insolvent has made an assignment of his Estate to the undersigned, in pursuance of an Act respecting Assignments for the benefit of Creditors, 48 Vic., Chap. 26, and the Creditors are notified to meet at No. 26 Wellington East, Toronto, on 28th July, 1886, at 9 o'clock p. m., to receive statements of his affairs, appoint Inspectors, and for the ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that after 30th August next, the said Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Debtor among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which NOTICE shall have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.

E. R. C. CLARKSTON, Trustee,  
26 Wellington St. East, Toronto, 9th July 1886.

## NEXT VISIT

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St. Thomas, June 29, 1886

The JOURNAL.  
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Your truly,  
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