

# Markdale Standard

"HEW TO THE LINE, LET THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY."

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Close Prices, and  
**Satisfactory Work.**  
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**A. BROWN - Jeweller.**

**Local and Other Items.**

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

Mr. W. J. Rowe is visiting friends in Rochester, N. Y.

Don't say! The STANDARD to January 1888, to new subscribers for \$1 cash.

Mr. John Sproule of Winnipeg has been spending a short time with friends in this district.

We will give the STANDARD the balance of this year free to new subscribers who pay \$1.00 for 1887.

Mr. Smith, of the Shelburne Economist, was in Markdale on Saturday and gave us a friendly call.

Call at the STANDARD office and subscribe for the Weekly Mail. We can get you to the end of 1887 for \$1.

Mr. Alex Duncan of Glenelg, died last day aged 39 years, after some two weeks illness. Decline was the ailment.

Mr. E. E. Hicks of New England, Ontario, will please accept thanks for a basket of lovely "Dutches" apples.

Our annual Harvest Thanksgiving Service of Christ Church, Markdale, will be held on Sunday, September the 13th.

The Rev. A. Thibadeau will preach at the Methodist Church in this place next Sunday morning and evening.

An enterprising new druggist is bound to push the battle to the gate; see his adv. this week.

Mr. Smith, the barber, will be in Flesherston on the 23rd and 24th, Show days, attend to all who require his services.

**School Books, Stationery, Note Paper & Envelopes, a new lot just received and will be sold at very cash prices. A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall.**

The Flesherston Advance pertly reports that beef and bread retails at about the same price as when flour and cattle were nearly double the price they are now.

E. S. MABEE, the only direct importer of plate glass in Markdale, is preparing to put in plate glass fronts at very reasonable rates. See him.

Harvest excursions are announced by the C. P. R. at the following low rates, —On September 20th and 21st to Win. —good to return in 20 days, for \$34. —posters for particulars.

Mr. GEORGE WRIGHT, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., formerly of this place, and his sister Mrs. Thos. Flesher, of Hilly Cove, Manitoulin, are visiting friends in this district.

Last Sunday the Rev. Mr. Cornish occupied the pulpit of Cooke's Presbyterian Church, and in the evening the pulpit of the Congregation Church, Toronto.

The Great Northern Exhibition will be held in Collingwood from 28th Sept. to 1st October. The manager will accept complimentary tickets, with a return and exceedingly conveniently got up invitation to attend the show.

Some of our subscribers have complied with our suggestion and are sending the balance to a friend the balance of the year for 25 cents. Who'll be the first? you have no postage to pay, we will direct from this office so that 25 cents is all it costs you.

Posters, announcing the East Grey Fall Show, to be held at Flesherston on the 23rd and 24th Sept., are out, and will make a creditable output for the printer's office.

RICHARDSON & Co wants to see you call early.

Grain is coming to market, but not in large quantities yet.

For Ladies fine kid and Calf Boots. Go to Wm. McLeod's.

For bargains in SUGARS go to M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

Mrs. Drinkwater of Kitly, Leeds Co., is visiting friends in this locality.

Go to McLeod's for all kinds of childrens Boots, buttoned or laced.

FACTORY COTTON from three cents a yard up, at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

5 good Farms for sale and 2 to rent. Apply to G. S. Bowes, agent, Markdale.

Double barrel gun for sale, cheap and good. Apply to Smith the barber.

J. G. Anderson is doing a rattling fine business, at the "Mammoth House."

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, is determined to leave all competitors in the shade. Read his change of adv.

ALL wool Gray Flannels, prime value for 25 cents a yard at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

The South Grey Mills are something nobby, being done by the Buffalo Lithograph Co.

Mantles and Mantle Cloths of the most elegant designs at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

MR HUGH McLAUGHLIN, of Manitowaning, formerly of this town, was in Markdale this week.

SUGAR.—Raw Sugars, Refined Sugars, granulated Sugars, VERY CHEAP at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

77 persons left Markdale on Tuesday for the Toronto Industrial Fair. 93 from Flesherston and 98 from Dundalk.

CLOTHING CLOTHING.—A big drive in Mens and Boys SUITS and OVER COATS at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

THE DRESS GOODS department is this season completed with all the newest fabrics at M. Richardson & Co's, Flesherston.

WHEN you are in Markdale be sure and don't go away without calling at Wm. Mason's carriage works as he is determined to sell the balance of his stock of Democrats, Buggies &c., at a great reduction in price.

WONDER why we were not favored with a copy of the prize list of East Grey Fall Show, or even a poster. We have always shown a spirit of good will and courtesy to that institution and the village where it is held, and have yet no desire to give it a cold shoulder, but would like they would reciprocate. It will certainly be to their advantage.

THE East Grey Conservative convention will be held in Markdale on the 11th instead of the 8th as announced in some of the local papers. The change was made to avoid collision with local Agricultural Fairs.

WM. MASON is busy making up cutters, sleighs &c., for the winter trade so now is the time to call and leave your order so as to have it out in good time. He will be glad to have you call in and learn his prices &c.; he is also giving great bargains in democrats &c.

W. McLEOD has secured the services of two first class workmen, who have had experience in the best factories in the towns and cities in Canada and the United States, and he is now prepared to supply a class of work which cannot be excelled.

SEE our 8 cent Factory Cotton.  
SEE our 5 cent Factory Cotton.  
SEE our 12 1/2 cent Melton Dress Goods.  
SEE our very cheap Flannels. M. Richardson & Co. Flesherston.

Excursion over the C. P. R. on the 24th and 25th Sept good to return up to 5th October, from Markdale to Detroit \$5.00, to Saginaw and Bay City \$2.00, Grand Rapids \$3.00, Cincinnati, Chicago and Milwaukee \$11, St. Louis \$15. For particulars see poster.

HULL—In Markdale, on the 9th inst., the wife of J. H. Hull of a daughter.

CURRIE—In Markdale, on the 12th, the wife of R. B. Currie, egg merchant, of a daughter.

Rev. Mr. Hoeking filled Rev. G. H. Cornish's pulpit last Sunday here with acceptance.

WHEN money is sent to this office for the STANDARD, receipts are given by changing the date upon the address up to the time to which the paper is paid.

The Prize List of Markdale fall show has been received. It is a creditable piece of typography issued from the STANDARD office.—[Thornbury News.

We exceedingly regret to learn that Mr. Alex Mercer, Sr., had the misfortune to have his leg broken last Friday. It appears he was passing behind the horse in the stable at home when the animal kicked him breaking the leg above the knee.

Miss Love has returned after spending a few weeks in Meaford, her parental home, and a few days in Toronto stocking up her Millinery department.

Fatal Accident.—Last Friday morning Mrs. James Lawrence of Bentinck, an old lady of over eighty years of age, went to the well and fell in, being drowned before assistance arrived. It is supposed that the extreme age of the deceased lady caused a sudden fit of faintness as the well was only a few feet deep. Her funeral, which took place last Sunday was largely attended.—[Durham Chronicle.

LAST week the heat was indeed oppressive; this week a little fire is appreciated.

THE bills are out announcing the Glenelg Fall Show to be held in Markdale on the 30th September and 1st October. This gives promise to be the best exhibition ever held here.

OUR Mr. Jackman has been indisposed for three weeks, but we are glad to say he is again able to resume active duties.

W. A. Brown, Jeweller, is supplying his many customers with good goods at bottom prices. A splendid variety to select from. Read his advertisement and call on him.

We regret to learn that the Rev. Geo. H. Cornish met with a serious accident after his arrival in Toronto, by stepping through an opened trap door in his Son's store on Youge Street. He was seriously bruised and shaken, but fortunately no bones were broken. The fall was about eleven feet. It has been with considerable personal suffering that he has attended to his Conference duties.

RUNAWAY.—On Monday morning at W. M. Speer, baker of this place, was driving down Mill Street with his wife and young child, the horse bolted suddenly opposite the Revere Hotel throwing Mr. Spear out of the buggy; the horse then ran violently down the street and as the woman had her child to care for and the lines being down among the horses feet was entirely helpless, the animal again suddenly bolted near the Railroad House pitching Mrs. Speer and child violently out on the sidewalk. The child was none the worse. Mrs. Speer was badly shook up but it is expected not seriously injured, Mr. Speer was not much the worse while the horse and buggy are safe with the exception of a broken shaft.

THE concert at Holland Centre under the auspices of the C. O. O. F. of that place, on Tuesday the 7th inst. was a fair success. Financially, it would pay but not add much to the treasury, as far as the programme is concerned it was of the first quality, comprising the best talent of Owen Sound and Markdale. A speech by Dr. Cameron on the origin of the Order, was interesting and instructive, two or three recitations from Mr. Calback of the same place were well received and a recitation by F. Porter of Markdale received "applause." These were interspersed with soul stirring songs by J. R. Anderson and the noted Tim Benson both of Markdale and Mr. McLaughlin of Owen Sound. We must not forget the Glee Club from Markdale led by Mr. A. Hill. They are hard to beat in their rendering of "Pretty little dark blue Eyes," also "Mary's lamb." After the concert was over the young people indulged in a quiet little dance.

Mr. John Shea is visiting his son James at Cameron, Ont.

For a real good pair of Long or Short Boots, go to J. G. Anderson's.

THE trustees are making a tour to ascertain what children do not attend school the number of days required by law, and we believe they intend prosecuting the parents.

THE present Industrial Fair at Toronto is a grand success. The receipts up to Tuesday night were \$6,162 ahead of the same time last year.

Mr. Wm. Ford returned last week to Mount Vernon after assisting his brother, J. W. for several weeks.

Just opened at J. G. Anderson's stacks of overcoats at all prices; see our \$5.00 ones.

Over \$1600.00 worth of ready made clothing to be sold off at 25 per cent. discount at J. G. Anderson's the cheapest clothing store in the County.

A few Sundays ago a number of boys from Williamsford Berkeley and Markdale indulged in the harmless sport of breaking some 12 or 15 lights of glass in the public school here. Now they have to appear before the trustees and pay for the broken lights or appear before the magistrate and pay a fine with the damages.

We believe Mr. Robt. McBride caught a beaver alive and has him on exhibition. It speaks well for the cunning of Mr. McB.

Don't forget the bargains offered in Dress Goods at J. G. Anderson's; its wonderful how we do it, but we do.

The greatest value in Teasever offered at J. G. Anderson's, the "mammoth House."

**CURRENT NEWS.**

South Grey Teachers' Convention will be held in Durham on the 29th and 30th, Sept. and 1st October.

The University Confederation scheme was carried by a majority of 25 at the Methodist Conference.

Mr. Colter, the Reformed candidate was elected last Wednesday, 8th, for Haldimand by 118 of a majority.

A vote for a cake basket was taken at the Catholic pic-nic, held at Rockford Grove, near Owen Sound last week, between B. Allen, M. P. and Jas. Masson Esq., resulted in favor of the latter.

Mr. Wm. Kough of Owen Sound has a car load of fancy cattle at the Toronto Industrial.

Large quantities of plums have been shipped from Thornbury this year.

Mr. Sam. McCullough is home from an extensive trip to the North-West.

The Shelburne Economist is three years old. It is a spicy well managed paper and friend Smith is just the right kind of stuff to succeed.

The Advance office, Flesherston, has added a "Clipper" paper cutter to its plant.

Judge Macpherson of Owen Sound was robbed of his watch and chain while in London, Eng., recently. The thieves were captured.

The new Division Street Presbyterian Church, Owen Sound, will be opened for public worship on Sunday the 19th.

Mr. S. J. Plewes of Shelburne, brother of our Angus P., has been appointed a license commissioner for Dufferin Co.

The next General Conference of the Methodist Church is to be held in Montreal four years hence.

The Quebec Legislature was dissolved last Saturday and the election will be held the 14th October.

The roller rink is defunct in the United States, but it has bequeathed a number shocking scandals to several cities. It has broken up once happy homes, consigned men to jail, blasted women's lives, and started little girls on the downward path. No other amusement ever had at once such an intense, brief and destructive popularity.

The existing masses of mankind may be better informed than the generations of yore, but the history of this silly and demoralizing craze shows that they are no wiser.

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reason I speak of this now is at this

time of year heads of families and

others are making up their mind's

what to buy for Fall and Winter

wear and where to buy it.

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direct from British markets thereby

saving the Wholesale Merchant's

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for every dollars worth of stuff he

buys.

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his business and minds his business.

FOURTH.—Because he does business

on business principles and is satisfied

with a reasonable profit.

His preparations for Fall and

Winter have been made on a big

scale, just opening out Direct Im-

portations of new dress goods.

New Linings,  
New Silks,  
New Jackets,  
New Gloves,  
New Dolmans,  
New Flannels,

His Millinery opening has been

purposely delayed in order to get the

newest styles and design. Don't buy

until you see his styles. Suits &

Suits! are selling more this season

than ever before, why because prices

and styles are right, make no mistake

go direct to Headquarters for your

supplies.

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