

# Markdale Standard

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

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## Local and Other Items.

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## "HOLIDAY GIFTS"

DURABLE BEAUTIFUL

—and useful in—

SILVERWARE & NOVELTIES

W. A. BROWN,

Jeweller,

MARKDALE

NOTICE.—Correspondence, communications, advertisements, etc., must be in this office by noon on Tuesday to insure publication at week.

GOOD sleighing.

BUSINESS brisk again.

WHEAT up seven cents.

PEAS also up two cents.

MARKDALE school opened on Tuesday

WILL these bring us wood kindly

all and get a receipt so that there'll be

no mistake.

THOUSANDS of bushels of grain coming

to Markdale market daily.

LARGE quantities of wood now being

marketed.

REVEREND majority is 112 and

Slyth's 259.

THE annual meeting of all township

agricultural societies is held on the

second Thursday in January.

THE Owen Sound Advertiser is twenty

our years old, and quite vigorous and

early, with prospects of long life.

Our report of Eugenia L. O. L. last

week should read No. 1118. Also 38

members instead of 35.

We extend our sincere thanks to all

those who have so promptly renewed

their subscription for 1887.

MR. R. C. BRYDEN agent for the Mer-

chantile Fire Insurance Co. will please

accept thanks for a fine large calendar

for '87.

IN our report of the Methodist Christ-

mas anniversary last week we omitted

recitation by Miss Cornish which was

well rendered and much appreciated.

THERE was three polling booths in

Markdale last Monday, one for Artemesia

for Glenelg and one for our village

at the election.

OUR Brass Band serenaded Mr. J. W.

ard, last Friday evening on the occasion

of his silver wedding, and were hand-

some entertained.

THE Hanover Post is six year old, and

all comes to hand neat, clean, well put

together, and always neatly folded. We

wish bro. Ashley and the Post continued

prosperity.

Lackey & Abbott of Berkeley are

going into the planing, and sash factory

business in that village and expect to

move their factory in operation in March

next.

ALL our subscribers please refer to

our address label on the STANDARD and

show how you stand; If there is any

change, kindly let us know. If you are

in arrears we will be glad to have a

check, kindly.

CREDIT SALE.—Mrs. Pollock will have

a credit sale of farm stock, implements

on her premises lot 97, con 2, east

T. & S. R., Artemesia, on Wednesday

12th inst. Sale to commence at 1

o'clock. Terms 10 months or good

cash. Geo. Noble, Auctioneer.

O. L. No. 1840, Kimberly will give

Grand Soiree on Friday the 14th Jan.

General Revertnd gentleman will deliver

addresses, music by Mrs. Aldro of

Berkeley, Miss Carruthers of

Wilmington and W. J. Benson of Mark-

dale.

West's Cough Syrup, is a sure cure for

coughs, colds, croup and consumption.

This being week of prayer, services are held each night, except Saturday, in the Methodist Church of this place.

THE following resolution was passed at the annual School meeting of S. S. No. 9 Artemesia, and is sent for publication "Moved by J. Hickling Seconded by Geo. Meldrum, That we desire the trustees not to allow the teachers to use the Bible selections if it is possible to avoid it, but rather, use the Old Bible instead.

SEALED Tenders will be received up to the 13th inst for the supply of ten cords dry and twenty cords green wood 3 ft. long, to be delivered at the Methodist Church. Must be smooth body timber and well split, the dry to be delivered by the 20th inst, the green this winter. Address marked Tender, Standard Office Markdale.

OUR foreman Mr. Jackman has been now six weeks confined to his bed since the surgical operation, but is otherwise hearty and in good spirits; He is becoming an expert in Ladies Fancy Work, such as Crochet and Darned work He says he used to darn the boys for numerous typographical errors &c., but now practices a different kind of darning.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. J. S. Plews of Shelburne, brother of Mr. Angus Plewes of this village, died suddenly on Thursday the 23 ult. He dropped dead while driving in his sleigh in Shelburne. Deceased was a man of 40 summers, strong, hearty, and an enterprising business man, proprietor of Shelburne roller flour mills, was highly respected. He was a prominent member of the A. O. U. W. about one hundred of whom attended his funeral: leaves a wife and seven children.

THE Presbyterian annual tea-meeting was held in Haskett's Hall on the evening of New Year's Day and notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather there was a fair turnout. A plentiful supply of tea and eatables were served and apparently relished, after which the program was entered upon. The choir gave several selections which were well rendered; recitations and music also by local talent and a short address by Rev. Geo. H. Cornish and Dr. Sproule, M. P. after which the entertainment concluded at an early hour.

THE Brass Band made their annual serenade on the last night of the old year. It was pleasant indeed to remain comfortable in bed and listen to the excellent music as the band went from house to house, but not so pleasant to turn out at 2 o'clock in the morning to entertain our worthy young men and replenish their finances. We are glad to know however that the results are satisfactory, and that, as the place has grown so rapidly they were unable to "do" the whole town but will complete the serenade on "Old New-year's eve.

CHRIST CHURCH Christmas Tree entertainment was held in Haskett's Hall on the evening of Thursday last, and was in every respect a grand success. The hall was crowded to the door. The Operetta "Laila" was well rendered, in fact this was something extraordinary for a rural School to attempt and tho' it must have taken a great deal of time and practice it was exceedingly well given; The scenery and costumes were also appropriate and handsome. Two Xmas trees were heavily laden with presents for the children and others and were distributed by Santa Claus Himself, to the delight of the children. Miss Ford deserves especial credit in connection with the Operetta which was under her supervision.

### \$500 REWARD.

We will pay the above reward for any case of liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache indigestion, constipated or costiveness we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. Large boxes containing 30 sugar-coated pills, 25c. For sale by all druggists. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine manufactured only by JOHN C. WEST & CO., Toronto Ont.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.—On the night of the Ontario Elections while D. Arnott was returning home from Markdale on horseback, he fell asleep and the horse (a three-year-old colt) wandered into Thos. Campbell's lane half a mile from town and dropped into a well some 50 rods from the road. There were loose boards over the well, which is 27 feet deep and some three feet of water in it. No body appears to understand how Arnott escaped going down with the horse, and it is said he hunted about the field for the horse not knowing what happened him; when he found him he hastened for help and secured the service of Jo. Irwin, a well digger, with windlass &c., and they soon wound up the animal but when about to land him he slipped through the tacking and fell again to the bottom. The second time however the horse was safely landed and strange to say not much the worse, and is now all right again.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

MINK SET, regular price \$15, only \$11 at Anderson's.

DOLLS! Dolls! Dolls! thirty varieties to choose from, at Head Quarters, Markdale, A. Dinsmore.

CHEAPEST place in the county for Picture framing is at the Markdale Photo Gallery.

GLASSWARE in great variety and at bottom prices, at J. G. Anderson's.

Christmas, New-Year and Birthday cards an extensive assortment to select from. 2c. cents upwards at Head Quarters, Markdale, A. Dinsmore.

GLASSWARE AT COST.—Benson's is the cheapest and best place in town to buy your groceries crockery and glassware.

TO RENT.—A two story brick dwelling with 8 rooms, good cellar, cistern and wood shed, apply to G. S. Bowes

J. G. ANDERSON is clearing off his stock of overcoats at and under regular wholesale prices, come and get one.

Go to Benson's for Cramberries Labrador Herrings, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, Biscuits all kinds cheaper than any one in the trade.

MONEY to loan on easy terms and at low rates of interest. Apply to Wm. Jackson, Markdale.

J. G. ANDERSON is selling his immense stock of ready-made clothing at wonderful bargains, biggest discounts ever before known.

If you want 5 or 10 lbs Tea that will suit you just to a T go to the Mammoth Tea store, J. G. Anderson, Markdale.

FOR SALE.—A three-year-old mare, "Clara Grit," also a six-year-old mare. Apply to Wm. Sargent, Berkeley, P. O.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—A new stock just received at the Medical Hall, A. Turner, & Co.

REMEMBER if you want a good drop of the "cratur" for Xmas or the "New Year" Benson's is headquarters. Having just received a stock of Rye and Malt direct from the distillery, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Irish and Scotch whiskey, very best of Wines which I will sell cheaper and better than any one in this county.

TEA SETS! Tea sets! China Sets Decorated Sets, Colored Sets White, Wheat Sets; Benson have the best stock and variety in town, and will clean them out cheaper than any one else in the trade. Call and see for yourselves.

ANNUALS.—Boys own paper. Girls own paper \$2.10 each, Good words and Sunday Magazine \$2.00 each. British Workmen, Cottage, artisan and British Workwoman 5c. each Band of Hope Review. The advice and child's own Maggin 35c. each, and a host of others for 6c. to \$1.00 at Head Quarters Markdale A. Dinsmore.

World's best. Vest's Liver Pills, a sure cure for liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache and indigestion. 30 pills 25c. All druggists.

Worth its weight in gold. West's World's Wonder, the cheapest and best liniment in the world; cures more cases and goes further than any other medicine. Rheumatism, try it. 25 and 50c. All druggists.

McLEOD the boot and shoe merchant can fit you every time, any shape or make you please. See his adv. in this paper, the newest out in boots, if that one don't suit, just call and leave your measure.

MARKDALE MARKETS.—Fall wheat 77 to 80 cents; spring wheat 77 to 80; barley 48 to 53; peas 50; oats 27; butter 15 to 17; eggs 16; potatoes 50 per bag; pork 5:50 to 6:70 hides 6:50 to 7:00.

Having refitted mill putting it in first class running order, and will be in operation from this date, Custom sawing solicited and will be done for cash or on shares—Saw logs wanted; Having made special arrangements for the purchase of an unlimited quantity of MAPLE and BIRCH for which the highest price will be paid spot cash.

M. & W. ARMSTRONG,  
Markdale, Dec. 29, '86.

### Personals.

Master Eddie Reynolds spent Christmas week with his parents in Markdale.

Mr. Chas. Lee and mother are the guests of Mrs. Reynolds.

Oscar Wright of Toronto was home for Christmas.

W. Cornwall has been home for the Holidays; his brother was also on a visit.

Will McFarland spent last week with his friend Bert Casson at Mitchell.

Miss Christina Wilson was home from Toronto for Christmas.

Mrs. W. A. Brown spent New-Year's in Toronto.

Reynell C. and Fred W. A. Cornish of Toronto were home for Christmas.

Capt Jones was home to Cape Croker for Xmas.

F. Porter was home to Sand Hill for Xmas.

Messrs. White, Breckenridge and Burke of Owen Sound, were the guests of Mr. T. L. Moffat on New Year's.

Miss Clapp spent Xmas in Toronto.

We had a friendly call from Mr. Robt. Dunlop, Ephraim tp. clerk last week.

John Telford and family spent Xmas in Markdale.

Misses Jennie and Millie Lyons of Tara were home for the Holidays.

Misses Maggie and Minnie McNea are spending a few weeks with friends at Bellwood.

Josiah Payne of Warshaw spent New-Year's with friends at Markdale.

Mrs. Donnelly is visiting her daughter Mrs. A. Walker.

Mrs. E. S. Mabey is spending a few weeks at Castlederg.

W. A. Brown spent New-Year's in Toronto.

Herb. Allen of Allenford spent Christmas with Markdale cousins.

Charlie Lawrence returned to his post this week, his father died in Toronto last week at the advanced age of 82 years.

Christina Bryden was home from Toronto on a visit last week.

Mr. Joseph and Delila Williams of Williams Tp, were the guests of F. Sarjeant last week.

Mrs. W. M. Clarke has removed from Toronto and became a Markdale citizen.

Rev. Mr. Fairley of Chatsworth exchanged work with Rev. Mr. Ward last Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Ayers of Flesherton, exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Cornish on Sunday evening.

Miss Anderson, of Owen Sound was the guest of Mr. Wm. Armstrong last week.

Mark Armstrong was in Toronto for New-Year's.

### Holland Centre.

Mr. Moses Smith is going out of the flour mill business here; haven't heard who will operate it.

Considerable excitement at our annual School meeting in the election of trustee. Mr. Thos. Armstrong was the lucky man.

A transient lodger at the "Queen's", one night recently, ran short of fuel during a cold night, and burnt all the boots and socks he could get hands on. He left early in the morning.

Mr. Stevenson, who had his dwelling burnt about a month ago, has re-built and will be into his new house shortly. He was a heavy loser by the fire.

### Hickling Grange No. 381.

The following officers have been elected for 1887. J. Hickling, Master. F. Whewill, Overseer. W. Moffat, Secretary. W. Hopper, Treasurer. R. Cooper, Lecturer. H. Wright, Chaplin. R. Clemes, Stewart. J. Kinghorn, Ass. Stewart. J. Inkster, G. Keeper. Mrs. J. Hickling, Ceres. Miss Inkster, Pomona. Miss A. Kinghorn, Flora. Miss A. E. Hickling, L. A. S.

Mr. J. Hickling has been master of this grange ten years. COM.

CANNOT BE EXCELLED.—"I have pleasure in saying that Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam cannot be excelled for curing colds, coughs and loss of voice. It cured my brother completely." So says Ira McNea, of Poplar Hill, Ont., regarding this reliable remedy.

### HONOR ROLL OF S. S. NO. 7.

Holland for Dec. 1886.

4th Class—Maurice Fitzgerald Jennie Ervin 2nd Willie Sqaers. 3rd Class Jennie Jackson, 2nd Jonnie Fitzgerald, and Beatie Thibedeau, 2nd Class Joseph Hampton and Thos. Erwin, 2nd Albert Roulston. Jr. 2nd Class Jennie Campbell, Frankie Balley, Francis Freeborne. Part 2nd Class William Crowther, 2nd Maggie Erwin. Part I Class Susannah Hutton, Penninah Freeborn.

Found! that West's Cough Syrup is the best for cough, colds and all throat and lung diseases. All druggists.

AFFLICTIONS are blessings to us when we can bless God for afflictions. Sufferings has kept many from sinning. Fiery trials make golden Christians.—DYER.

West's Cough Syrup instantly relieves and speedily cures bronchitis, sore throat, and all throat diseases. Try it and be convinced. All druggists.

ONE thing is clear to me, that no indulgence of passion destroys the spiritual nature so much as respectable selfishness.—GEORGE MACDONALD.

A SEVERE TRIAL.—"I tried all the doctors in this locality for liver and kidney troubles (which I had for years) with no benefit. Four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured me," says Lemuel Allan, Lisle, Ont.

THE first book read and the last book laid aside by every child is the conduct of its mother.

Sick headache and all liver diseases yield immediately to West's Liver Pills. Sugar coated. All druggists.

VICE stings us even in our pleasure, but virtue consoles us even in our pains.

West's World's Wonder, or Family Liniment, a never failing cure for rheumatism neuralgia, cuts, burns, bruises, wounds and frost bites. 25 and 50c. All druggists.

Do not speak of the evidence of Christianity being inadequate. Have you ever tried it? There is here a celestial chemistry which no man can learn, who does not go into the laboratory himself and use his own crucible and his own fire.—DR. MCCLINTOCK.

HIS LAST RESORT.—Mr. Richard Rowe, of Harley, Ont., was afflicted for four years with dyspepsia. Two experienced doctors treated him. Getting discouraged, he tried Burdock Blood Bitters. He states that two bottles cured him. He is now doing heavy work and as well as ever.

### FREE TRADE.

The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicine, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufactures. Especially is this the case with Green's August Flower and Boschee's German Syrup as the reduction of twenty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottle containing these remedies, thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size, The August Flower for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint and the German Syrup for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicine in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottle will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and of village civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size. E. O. W.

### SALT RHEUM CURED.

McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate has been tried and found to be the only positive cure for Salt Rheum, Pimples, Blotches on the face or hands, Cuts, Burns, Bruises, or any Sore that nothing else will heal. Try McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate. Price 25c. per box at R. L. Stephen's Drug Store, Markdale.