

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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NOTICE.—Correspondence, communications, Advertisements, &c., must be in this office by noon on Tuesday to insure publication that week.

County Council will meet in Owen Sound next week.

For all kinds of ladies' winter slippers go to W. McLeod's.

THE GREY REVIEW is nine years old and bids fair for long life.

GEO. WHITE, of Artemesia, left for St. Thomas last week.

A DUDE on land is disgusting but a swell at sea is sickening.

PETE MUNSHAW, of Flesherton, lost a valuable horse last Thursday.

THE Union Standard, Thornbury, has donated a new bed-dress.

THE Collingwood Bulletin is now printed on a Campbell Power Press.

ADVERTISING is like hugging a pretty girl—it can't be overdone if done judiciously.

ORANGEVILLE has a toboggan slide and the young men advertise it by going around town on crutches.

Mrs. PAUL, hostess of Paul's Hotel Meaford, died last week after a short illness.

Dundalk has chosen a substantial council, at least physically, their average weight being 190 lbs.

THE Canadian edition of Ayer's Almanac has not been published this year, and others are very scarce.

THE third Monday in January is the date for first meeting of all Municipal Councils, that will be next Monday.

JOHN BRYDEN, who has been in Battle Creek, Michigan, the past four years returned recently.

WHAT has become of our Centre Grey Farmers Institute? It's about time a series of meetings were announced.

MR. and MRS. McCoy, of London, have been visiting friends in Markdale and Walter's Falls recently.

GLENELG Agricultural Society's annual meeting is to-day (Thursday) at 2 o'clock.

EAST GREY Electoral Agricultural Society's annual meeting will be held in Flesherton next Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

THE Ketcham company are meeting with great success: This week they are at Collingwood, Thornbury and Meaford.

WY. CONDY of the Mansion House, Kimberly will give a shooting match and Oyster supper on Friday the 18th Jan.

NOTICE.—All parties indebted to W. McLeod will please call and settle before the 20th inst.

If you want to keep your feet dry, go to McLeod's shoe store for the best water-proof blacking made, only 10c.

THE Grand Jury at the Toronto Assizes this week presented true bills in the Coal Conspiracy case Re Paddy Burns &c.

We had a friendly call yesterday from Mr. Wm. Hall of Thornhill, formerly of Traverston.

C. J. Smith the big wood and Coal dealer in Toronto roped in \$8,000 on the late Mayoralty election in that city.

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

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

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

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

Ed. S. Rutledge of the firm of Rutledge Bros. of Fort William has been elected a member of the council of that town.

A grand masquerade carnival will be held in Markdale Roller Rink on Friday evening the 21st inst. Look out for posters.

W. J. Rowe wants a large quantity of saw logs at Barrhead Mill for which he will pay cash, also 5,000 ties to be delivered at Markdale Station for spot cash.

HOLLAND Centre Agricultural Society will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers &c., in Fitzgerald's hall on the 25th inst at one o'clock.

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 McNeid, of Poplar Hill, Ont., regarding this reliable remedy.

THERE is a decided improvement in the Orangeville Advertiser under the new management; We wish Mr. Kennedy the success his enterprise deserves.

MEAFORD has a toboggan slide—a work of nature we presume—"down down the hill, how swift I go &c."

MR. ANDREW MCGILL, proprietor of Chatsworth Foundry, entertained all his employees and their wives to a grand dinner at his residence last week.

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.

AT Owen Sound Presbytery Meeting last week it was decided that Mr. McLaren, of Euphrasia, remain where he is notwithstanding his urgent call to Thornbury.

BUSINESS men, get a supply of Envelopes and Letter heads printed for '87. We have a select stock of material on hand.

THERE are numerous critics in the world; Sam Jones says, "It takes less sense to criticise than it does to do anything else in the world," that is perhaps why there are so many. It is not an indication of good judgement, or education, much less good sense to be everlastingly criticising the motives, words or actions of others, but rather, an evidence of weakness and want of respect.

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.

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 5.70 hides 6.50 to 7.00.

CHANGED HANDS.—By an agreement with Mr. Jas. Bryan, Mr. L. Knapp of this place has assumed control of the Mansion House and is now in possession. Mr. K. is an offhand genial and obliging sort of man and will doubtless receive a fair share of public patronage.

JOINED THE ARMY.—Our esteemed townsman J. J. Irwin V. S. has grown weary of single blessedness and on Wednesday joined the army of benedicts. Miss Ramsay is the happy bride. They took the 8:52 train south on their wedding tour to Eastern points. We wish them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

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

A. G. HUNTER of Dundalk has invented a manuscript holder for the use of public speakers which is said to be a most convenient and useful invention.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE.—The New Year brings us another volume of Vick's Floral Guide, from Rochester, N. Y. Every year this publication seems more beautiful and valuable than before. This reliable firm is long established and enjoys an enviable reputation for reliability. All orders sent to Vick will receive prompt attention and satisfaction guaranteed.

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

If you wish to buy or sell a horse, cow or such like, you can tell four thousand persons through the STANDARD for twenty five cents.

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

On Tuesday morning of last week Mr. T. W. White of this village captured a large wild-cat measuring 9 feet from tip to tip. He learned that one had a nest in a hay-stack a short distance from here and sat a gun in the entrance with a piece of meat attached in such a way that as soon as it was pulled the gun would discharge its contents in that direction. The plan worked beautifully and we congratulate Mr. White on his skill.—[Creemore Advertiser.]

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

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.

R. S. RAE, Tailor, is moving this week to his premises next door to Steven's drug store, Mill St. Mr. Rae is one of our most respected citizens and has been a resident business man in our town for 13 years. He will now be in a better position than ever to supply the wants of his many customers, and we can cheerfully recommend him to the public for a good fit and substantial work.

TO OUR READERS.—If you suffer from headache, dizziness, back ache, biliousness or humors of the blood, try Burdock Blood Bitters. It is a guaranteed cure for all irregularities of blood, liver and kidneys.

FAITHFUL.—J. R. Faithful, of Stroud, Ont says he suffered from quinsy for several years, until cured by Hagyard's Yellow Oil which medicine is a specific for all painful complaints.

THE METHODIST OBSERVER, the new religious weekly, published at Bowmanville, Ont., at \$1.00 a year, comes to hand this week enlarged to eight pages and is well filled with church news, editorials and choice miscellany. Clubbed with this journal at \$1.75. Methodists, send for a free sample copy, or call at this office and see one. M. A. James is the publisher.

\$500 REWARD.

We will pay the above reward for any case of liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache, indigestion, constipation 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.

BACHELORS FEAST.—The bachelors of Markdale met on Tuesday night at the Revere House to tender a farewell supper to Mr. J. J. Irwin V. S. on the eve of his going over to the Benedicts. About 30 sat down to the well spread tables for which nine host and hostess of the Revere are noted, and did ample justice to the profusion of viands set before them, after which the chair was taken by Mr. P. McCullough and the usual round of loyal and patriotic toasts gone through. The one to our guest was especially well received and Mr. Irwin may justly feel proud of the reception. After the formal part of the proceedings were over a couple of very pleasant hours were spent in conversation by those present after which the company escorted the guest of the evening to his house and separated, every one declared that it was one of the pleasantest evenings they had ever spent in Markdale, and that Mr. Irwin had only received a due recognition from his fellow townsman for the gentlemanly manner in which he has carried himself since he came among them.

MINERAL POISON.

Nothing but pure extracts from plants and roots are used in preparing McGregor's Lung Compound, the modern and now popular remedy for Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Croup, Asthma, and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest. All mineral poisons and dangerous substances are avoided, which renders it safe for children or adults. Sold at 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at R. L. Stephen, Drug Store.

MAYOR HOWLAND'S PLEA FOR THE CHILDREN OF TORONTO.—The Young Men's Prohibition Club of Toronto has undertaken a series of Sabbath afternoon mammoth gospel temperance meetings. At the opening meeting, when over 1,500 people were present Mayor Howland, who was greeted with prolonged applause, said: Let us rid ourselves of this horrible vice-producing death-dealing, miserable system. Take this saloon system. It is the centre of infidelity; the centre of blasphemy and corruption. Before one hundred years are over, people will look back and say we must have been barbarians to have tolerated it so long. There is no man or woman who has not at times felt his utter helplessness in seeing those who are nearest and dearest debauched, while he had no right to prevent it. Within the last year how many young men and women under twenty years of age do you think have been in the hands of the police in Toronto? One thousand! I tell you friends, it makes my blood boil when I think of the workingman's children. (Applause.) How those traps are put on the edge of the street to catch the workingman's boys. I tell you, I don't see how we stand it. I don't understand how we allow such things. Look at those great breweries! Look at the great buildings! Their size. Look at their strength! They are made to last. They are not built for to-day's trade. What are they waiting for? All their present stock of merchandise may be gone in a week; see the bright rosy children of Toronto dancing joyfully home from school! it is for them the breweries wait! They are waiting for our children. (Applause.) I hope there will be thousands brought here and saved from that miserable ruin. Let us have a clean city; a city cleansed of one of its worst curses. I want to say I would rather see the light come into the face of some poor man, [some poor sin-stained wreck, as he says with power. "I'm going to be a good man," than I would be Mayor of the city of Toronto. (Prolonged applause.)

\$1,000 FORFEIT!

Having the utmost confidence in its superiority over all others, and after thousands of tests of the most complicated and severest cases we could find, we feel justified in offering to forfeit \$1,000 for any case of cough, cold, sore throat, influenza, hoarseness, bronchitis, consumption in its early stages, whooping cough, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, except asthma, for which we only claim relief, that we can't cure with West's Cough Syrup, when taken according to directions. Sample bottles 25c. and 50c. Large bottles \$1. Genuine wrapped only in blue. Sold by all druggists, or sent by express on receipt of price. JOHN C. WEST & CO., Toronto Ont.

THE Queen of Madagascar is too much of a barbarian to appreciate that ornament of our civilization, the saloon. She shut up, lately, every establishment of that sort in her kingdom. The proprietors, in their injured innocence, asked for compensation. "Compensate those you have wronged," said Her Majesty, "and I will pay the balance," upon which they departed in a very reflective state of mind.

"Reader," in informing you of the wonderful remedy for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption, and all affections of the throat and lungs, we feel that we are doing you a great kindness, as if you have any of the above complaints, if you will only try it we will guarantee satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Ask for McGregor's Lung Compound. Price 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at R. L. Stephen's, Drug Store Markdale.

Now, is there nothing in your household to change? Is there nothing in your disposition to rectify? Is there nothing in your purposes to be different? Is it an aim that you have constantly before your mind to so carry yourself that every one in your presence shall go away feeling that for a time, at any rate, he has been made happy?—Beecher.

MANY a man of respectable intellectual powers has gone down to ruin, and died miserably, because of his limppness, which made it impossible for him to break new ground or to work at anything whatsoever, with the stimulus of hope only. He must be bolstered up by certainty, supported by the walls of his groove; else he can do nothing; and if he cannot get into his friendly groove, he lets himself drift into destruction.

I do not think that flowers know how much the dews bless them; but the dews do bless them immeasurably. In heaven you will find how much good you have accomplished—and I pity the man who can estimate in this life all the good he has done. He must be living a starveling, poverty-stricken life. But blessed is the man the result of whose good deeds will be disclosed to him in the other life in greater measure than this!—Beecher.

MCGREGOR'S LUNG COMPOUND. Have you a bad Cough, a Chronic Hoarseness, a feeling of Lightness in the Chest, Weak Lungs, or any similar complaint? If so, buy at once a bottle of McGregor's Lung Compound. "It will cure you." It contains entirely new specifics, of which one does is more effectual than a whole bottle of the old time remedies. It is put up in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by R. L. Stephen, Druggist. Try it, and you will never have reason to complain.

Euphrasia Council.

The council met pursuant to adjournment on 24th December, 1886. Members all present. Minutes of last session of council read and confirmed. By-law No. 375 fixing indemnity of council carried through the different stages and passed, James Stinson relieved from paying taxes on his new saw mill for five years as he suffered heavy loss, recently, in the destruction of his other saw mill by fire, a By-law was passed accordingly.

The collectors time for returning his roll was extended. The treasurer was instructed to remit to C. R. Sing, Esq., \$2.50 making deed of site of Town Hall.—On motion of Messrs Erskine and Fawcett, the amount of rents to be charged, for use of the Town Hall was fixed as follows and a By-law was passed accordingly, viz. For Church entertainments, \$2.00, Secret Society meetings \$3.00, shows of all kinds \$2.00, concerts \$3.00, agricultural meetings, Political meetings, and all other meetings, in the interest of the public to be free except the reasonable charge made by the caretaker, for furnishing lights, heating the hall and cleaning after meetings, dancing parties to be charged \$10. per night, said amount to be paid in advance to the caretaker.

The treasurer was instructed to remit to J. Cleland \$1.60 for ballot box, and to R. Agnew 75 cents for envelopes, and also to pay members of the local board of health as follows Thomas Gilray chairman \$6.00 A. C. Paterson \$5.00, D. B. Ellis, \$4.00, A. T. Buchanan \$5.00. Robert Dunlop secretary \$6.00 and 55 cents to pay for locks for ballot boxes.

The Reeves orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows, viz. Irwin Fawcett, \$29.40 cutting down hill; William Kernan \$5.00 repairs on 3rd line lot 8; Joseph Myers \$20.00 work on 3 & 4 side line, con. 12; Robert Martin \$30.00 making snow fence on rock, 4th line; James Clugston \$16.00 fencing in front of town hall; John Camack \$15.00 cutting down bill on 12 and 13 side line; Alice Martin \$1.00 land for the use of municipality; J. L. Wilson \$50.00 grant to Agricultural society; William Londry 6.97 repairing bridge over beaver river; William Lewis \$14.50 cutting down rock on 3rd line, A. McCauley \$1.25 repairing bridge on Valley road; Joseph Manary \$4.24 overcharge on roll of 1885; J. G. Sing P. L. S. \$8.00 Surveying site for hall and 6 & 7 side line; Johnston Howard \$2.90 ditching on 6 and 7 side line; R. Dunlop clerk \$130.00 balance of salary and \$20.00 for postage and freightage.

The treasurer was instructed to pay to the members of the council the following amounts as indemnity on account of attending meetings of council, and all other services throughout the year viz. Thomas Gilray Reeve, \$90.00 William Fawcett, Deputy Reeve, \$66. James Boyd councillor \$9.00, James Erskine 61.50, Henry Hurd, 71.00.

On motion being made and seconded the Reeve vacated the chair, and the Deputy Reeve called to occupy the same, motion was then made as follows by Messrs Erskine and Boyd, that the thanks of this council be tendered to Thomas Gilray Esq., our present Reeve, for the very able and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of this council throughout the year now closing.—Carried unanimously.

The Reeve rose and said he was taken by surprise with such resolutions, and expressed his confidence in all the members of council as men of integrity and faithfulness in the discharge of duty.

COUNCIL AGES.
R. DUNLOP, clerk.