



# Markdale Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor.  
MARKDALE, JULY. 21, 1887.

## NOTE AND COMMENT.

—Krupp, the famous maker of cannon, is dead.

—Last Saturday was the hottest July day known for many years on this continent.

—Hon. Oliver Mowat left for England last week and will be absent two months.

—If all the transgressors against liquor laws were fined, our government would not require to raise the revenue by imposing a duty.

—An unprecedentedly large number of fatal cases of sunstrokes have been reported from the United States during the recent hot spell.

—A prolonged plasters' strike in Toronto has just ended: the strikers having secured their demands on certain conditions.

—A Committee of Imperial Parliament has been formed for the purpose of endeavoring to cheapen the postal telegraph charges between the Mother Country and the Colonies.

—5½ miles of the Grand Trunk will be double-tracked between Toronto and Montreal this season. The work is to be taken up again next year, and the third season the work is to be completed between the above cities.

—A terrible accident occurred last Friday evening at St. Thomas, a freight train loaded with oil running into a crowded excursion train at the Grand Trunk crossing. The cars took fire, causing one of the oil tanks to explode, eleven persons being burned to death and many fatally injured.

—One of the most extensive conflagrations the city of Montreal has seen for many years occurred early on Friday morning, the St. Lawrence sugar refinery, one of the largest in the Dominion, being completely destroyed. One of the workmen was killed while escaping from the burning building, and several others are rumoured to be missing. The loss is estimated at nearly \$600,000.

## Flesherton.

From our own correspondent.

Master D. K. Richardson returned home from the Owen Sound High School on Saturday last.

F. Armstrong, Esq., the popular manager of M. Richardson & Co's, China Hall and hardware department, is off for a holiday this week enjoying the breezes of one of our northern lakes.

The lawn party on Mr. S. Damude's grounds, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, Friday evening last, was a very pleasant affair, and financially a success. Our ex-celior brass band was present and added much to the evening's enjoyment.

A marked improvement has been made in the seating capacity for the choir in the Presbyterian church. A choir gallery has been erected in the recess in the East end of the building which improves the appearance of the building and adds much to the comfort of those taking part in leading the service of song. The pastor, Mr. Wilson, delivered an address to the Sabbath School children on Sabbath afternoon last, his subject being based upon the life and character of the young boy—King, Joseph. The children and congregation engaged heartily in singing several choice selections and the whole service was more than usually interesting to children.

Mr. Geo. Park, sr., mail carrier between Flesherton and Faversham, met with an accident on Monday last by being thrown from his buggy receiving a severe bruise on the thigh and otherwise shaken up. It appears while driving past some cattle lying on the road one beast jumped suddenly up striking the buggy and upsetting it, and Mr. Parks lay helpless until picked up by a passer-by; the horse being quiet made no attempt to run.

To the Editor of the Standard.

Sir.—The following sarcastic item appeared in the Flesherton Advance, as an Editorial Note, last week.—“The Twelfth of July will likely be celebrated in Markdale next year, and it will be interesting to notice then whether Flesherton will intimate certain citizens of that classic place in the matter of bringing their own edibles along with them and renting some public hall for the purpose of feeding the hungry multitude in opposition to the hotels and eating houses. Well, some people in Markdale may “want the whole earth.” but, thank God, they can't get it!” I presume Mrs Hollingshead is the person referred to, who having been engaged by certain lodges of Orangemen two weeks prior to the 12th to provide dinner that day, did so in good faith and without malice. Said lodges are not of Markdale more than of Flesherton either, but were determined to secure a good dinner, and knew well where to get it. I might here say however to the editor of the Advance that it's a miserable thing to be so envious with the village of Markdale.

AN OBSERVER.

## A Recommendation.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

Sir.—I should like to remind your readers, at this period, that if they wish to plant rows of evergreen for shelter, it can be well done in the last week of July or the first of August. Rows of these trees, whether pine, or cedar, or spruce will be found infinitely superior to maples, with which so many are now forming windbreaks, as the evergreens will give shelter in winter or spring, which the others will not. Passing through some of our front townships lately, I was glad to see that many of the farmers were planting these evergreen rows. Of the trees mentioned the Norway spruce will probably grow quickest. I found a windbreak of lines of Norway spruce and pine, of which the spruce in twenty years had caught up to the pine planted thirty-five years. Now that our original forests are going fast, all should endeavor to plant at least a line of trees along one side of their farms. Planting trees is one of the chief means by which we can hope to preserve the fertility of the soil.

Yours &c.,  
R. W. PHIPPS,  
Toronto July 15th 1887,

## CLIPPINGS.

Mr. Archie Campbell, of Glenelg, has in his possession a cow whose record for productiveness, both as a butter maker and stockraiser as well as for longevity we think has few parallels. She is now 23 years of age and has raised 19 calves besides enriching Archie's coffers to the extent of about \$400 from the sale of her dairy products, she is still as lively as a 3 year old.—[Durham Chronicle.]

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The second annual convention of the County of Grey Sunday School Association in connection with the Church of England was held at St. George's Hall on Friday last. Rev. Canon Mulholland occupied the chair, and there were between sixty and seventy delegates present from different parts of the county. The first topic for discussion, “Lesson Leaflets, and how to use them,” was introduced by Mrs. Fairlie of Chatsworth, in a well considered address. Some took ground against leaflets, because of the danger of being used in schools instead of using the bible; but on the whole the opinion was in favor of them. The question of “How to select and how to manage Libraries,” was introduced by Mr. A. Turner of Markdale. Rev. Canon Mulholland introduced the subject of “Band of Hope,” and explained the method of conducting in Owen Sound, and Rev. J. C. Farthing also gave a very interesting address on this subject; while Miss Anderson of Durham introduced the subject of “Infant Classes.” These and other topics elicited general and practical discussions, and the convention altogether was quite successful. Rev. J. Fairlie was elected President; Miss Mocker, Vice-President; Mr. A. Turner, Recording Secretary; and Mrs. Fairlie, Corresponding Secretary. It was arranged that the next convention should be held at Chatsworth on the second Friday in July 1888. After the convention, the ladies of St. George's congregation entertained the delegates at tea in Mrs. Scott's grove, where a pleasant time was spent.—O. S. Times.

ALL WELL PLEASED.—The children like Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup and parents rejoice over its virtue.

## STARTLING SLAUGHTER.

The knife driven right into the bone.

McFarland is going to sell every yard of summer dress goods at and under cost.

- 15 cent Check Lustres for 10 cents.
- 35 " Ottoman Cord for 25 cents.
- 15 " Cashmerettes for 9 cents.
- 30 " Stripe Balermos for 28½ cents.
- 30 " Camlets and DeBieges for 22 cents.
- 20 " Canvas Clothes for 12½ cts.
- 37½ " All Wool Lace Stripe (west end cloth.) 25 cents.

Note, only a limited number of yds. of these goods are left.

65 cent Ladies' silk mitts for 25c.

27 Ends Colored and Black Satins and Silks under cost.

A variety of remnants of different materials under cost.

2000 doz. Ivory Buttons all shades from 3c. per doz. up.

3 Only handsome Embroidered Dresses \$1.50.

Lace Gloves, Parasols, at actual cost.

A good sensible Parasol for 15c.

24 Men's Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers 30c.

24 Men's Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers 50c.

60 Youth's and Misses Straw Hats, old price 40c. now 20c.

Agood useful Table Linen only 20c.

Garter Elastic 2c. per yd.

16 doz. Woman Hose 10c. per pair.

60 pairs Womens Fancy Silk Stitched Hose former price 55c. on the counter now at 25c.

71 Men's Black and Colored Felt Hats old price ranged from \$1.00 to \$2.00 your choice of the lot for 50c.

5 Cases Men's Long Boots for harvesting at \$1.50 per pair.

Heavy Direct Importations are now on the way from the European markets and room must be made for them. Come in and ask for goods as advertised and we will give you some eye openers.

Every article in this column is in stock now. If you want them call on us early after seeing this, that we may not be under the painful necessity of telling you we are sold out.

W. J. McFARLAND,  
Direct Importer.  
MARKDALE.

# Jubilee Sale

Every body is interested in the great

## CLEARING SALE

TO

Commence on the 15th July

AT

## J. G. ANDERSON'S

Our stock being yet very large and the fall goods will soon be to hand, have decided to have a great clearing sale to last for 30 days. The goods will positively be sold at slaughtered prices so you can make no mistake by coming prepared to take away with you a good large parcel.

Remember this is no Sham, the goods must be Sold.

Amongst the goods offered will be found special lines in Men's, Women's and Childrens, Boots, Shoes and Slippers. Straw and Felt Hats, Gents' Fine White and Regatta Shirts. In the Ladies' Department there will be found a large range of summer and autumn, Dress-Goods, Embroidery, Lace Gloves, and Hosiery, &c., these goods are all new and well worth inspection.

A special line of teas at a decided Bargain. Come in and see for yourself.

|| Come early before the Rush, so you can get properly waited on and get the first choice of the goods.

# J. G. Anderson's

MAMMOTH HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

## MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS.

R. McNALLY:—Would hereby announce to the people of Markdale and the public generally that I have moved into my new carriage shop opposite the Markdale House, where I will manufacture every article in the wagon and carriage line, and having long experience in the business, and by using first class material, I can guarantee satisfaction to every one who will favor me with their order.

Repairing, Painting and Trimming promptly attended to.

A call respectfully solicited,

R. McNALLY, Proprietor

# MARKDALE SASH and DOOR FACTORY.

Having erected and fitted up in every detail a Sash, Door and Plan Factory, containing all the latest and most approved machinery, everything being new, I am now prepared to turn out

## Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Hollow Battens,

FRAMES, LATH, FENCE PICKETS, &c.

And everything needed in the building trade, in a manner second to none in Canada, and having engaged superior mechanics in every department, I would now respectfully solicit public patronage.

Every Effort Made to fill Orders Promptly

## PINE LUMBER Dressed and Undressed

Direct from North Shore, all sizes, on hand. Plain and Fancy Turning done.

Careful Attention to Orders from a Distance.

803

THOS. McNEA.

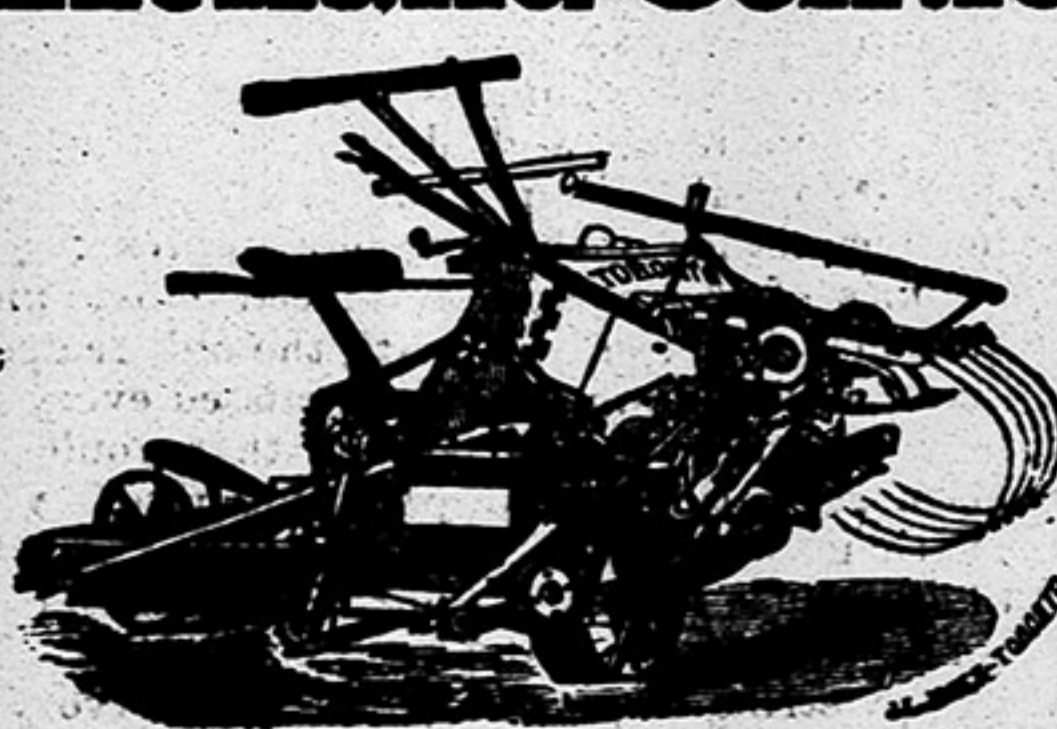
# Massey Agency,

Holland Centre.

TORONTO  
Light Binder

TORONTO  
MOWER,

wood frame 5 & 6 feet cut  
one and two horse.



MASSEY  
Harvester

MASSEY  
MOWER.

## SHARP'S RAKE.

A full stock of repairs kept constantly on hand for the above machines. REPAIRS STRICTLY CASH.

Also agent for Hall's patent reversible Hay Carrier, Manufactured by Cochran Bros., St. Thomas, and Fox Pea Harvester, Owen Sound.

THOS. WILLISCROFT, Agent.