

Markdale Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor.

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NOTE AND COMMENT.

The Austrian Consul at Bombay reports 31,928 deaths from cholera occurred in Oude during last May.

Mr. Elliott, postmaster of Brampton, died suddenly of paralysis on Saturday evening last at the Forks of the Credit.

Winnipeg grain men says the yield this year is prodigious, an average of forty bushels to the acre being a common occurrence.

The Bow Park Shorthorn herd has won the grand prize of \$500 at the Iowa State fair for the best beef herd.

The wheat crop of Manitoba and the Northwest is so great it will require three trains a day for 194 days to move the wheat for export alone this season.

The Imperial Government have granted an annual subsidy of £45,000 to the Canadian Pacific railway for carrying the mails to and from the East.

During a furious storm on Wednesday morning 7th, the schooner Niagara, of Cleaveland, sunk suddenly near Whitefish Point, Lake Superior the crew of ten men perishing.

The business portion of the village of Newburg was destroyed by fire on Wednesday of last week involving a loss of \$150,000. The village is 44 miles from Kingston and has a population of about 900.

Farmers in Pittsburgh, Portland and Loughboro' Township have had very poor crops. In many cases the yield was not equal to the amount of seed sown. The drought was the cause. The farmers in Leeds, Bedford and Hinchinbrooke, where rain fell, had fine crops.

A Japanese Newspaper says that if Great Britain declines to establish a steamship line on the Pacific, to run between Yokohama and Vancouver, that the Japanese Government will subsidize or establish a Japanese line, and thus secure what is likely to prove a fine carrying trade. Bravo, Japan!

It is curious to notice how far churches will go in the way of unworthy compromise in even the worst part of the world in order to raise "the needful" for religious purposes. The "lucky bag" at soirees and the comic actor and lecture are bad enough. The buffoon preacher who "draws" by his pert remarks and his flippant irreverences is also a trying enough dispensation, while lotteries under all disguise are surely pretty well down in point of business. But the Roman Catholics at Nantucket Beach seems to take the cake, if what is mentioned in the Boston papers be a fact. In order to get sufficient funds to build a church there, it is said that a sparring exhibition was lately held in the rink where George La Blanche and Patsy Kerrigan handled the gloves for the glory of God, followed by a set to between John L. Sullivan and Stev. Taylor. The ladies were out in full force and netted fifteen hundred dollars by this combined effort of religion and pugilism.—[Truth.

Everybody, even the grocers and sugar refiners themselves, acknowledge that Canadians are paying two or three cents a pound more for all the sugar they use than they would do were a more reasonable tariff in operation. In order that two or three men may be millionaires and may be able after they have made their piles, to go and live in grand style in England, every house wife in Canada, has to pay, say, five dollars extra every year for her supply of sugar. This wonderful fact of self-denial, but they do it

would not be at all surprising, if when cheaper Scotch sugar can be had, as it now can, in spite of the tariff, they should religiously prefer to pay the extra charge in order that the Canadian refiners may fare sumptuously every day. It is so nice to have an extra supply of queen bees, in order to flourish like one's neighbors in the exhibition of a shoddy aristocracy, with all its et ceteras. Aman, so be it. The glories of dearness are manifold though often they are past finding out.—[Truth.

Traverston.

From our own correspondent.

Mr. Archie McCurrie, late of Markdale, is blacksmithing with Mr. Elder. Miss Hattie Cole, of Flesherton; who has been visiting friends here for the past three weeks, left for home on Wednesday.

Mr. Archie Robinson has moved to Mr. Hugh McLeod's farm, Hughie intends hibernating on the 8th con.

A number of sportsmen from Durham, who have been hunting here for the past two weeks broke up camp on Saturday.

Several young people from here, went on Saturday to Lynch's lake to inhale the invigorative breezes and otherwise enjoy themselves. As far as we can learn a very good time was spent.

A new resident appeared in Traverston, on Tuesday, in the person of Mr. Thos. Arrowsmith, late of Durham. We extend to Mr. A. the right hand of fellowship, and welcome him to our midst, and hope he may long remain a resident of our village. Had we any municipal offices at present at our disposal, we would show our appreciation for Mr. Arrowsmith by appointing him to some position, but there is a rumor that this village is soon to become incorporated, and if such is the case, it will be our pleasing duty to appoint Mr. Arrowsmith first mayor of Traverston.

Maxwell.

From our own Correspondent.

Fall wheat nearly all sown. Threshing the work of the day. The bridge over the Beaver River is now passable; a great convenience to the public.

On Thursday evening last the barn and contents, belonging to Mr. Wm. Sproule was destroyed by fire. The contents including all this year's crops, not threshed, together with wagon and rack, buggy, cutter, cutting box, roller, &c., the only things saved being the horse rake and drill. This is a very severe loss to Mr. Sproule as there was no insurance.

A large number of friends around here have gone to Toronto Industrial to remain during the exhibition.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Markdale officiated in Mr. D'Argents place last Sunday evening.

Miss Ella Kerr has returned to Collingwood Collegiate intending to pursue the work prescribed for First C. Success to your efforts Miss Ella.

Last Tuesday evening a large audience gathered in the Methodist church it being the open meeting of District Council of R. T. of Grey. At eight o'clock Grand councilor Steels took the chair and opened the meeting by a short address on Temperance and explained also the working of the Royal Templars. Singing was furnished by Miss Mills, Miss. Burgess and local talent and addresses were also given by Mr. Gordon, D. C., Rev's Mr. Ferrier, D'Argent and Gordon. The Peake Sisters received almost an ovation so well were they received. The meeting closed by "God be with you, till we meet again", and all separated for home well pleased with the evenings entertainment.

GIVE THEM A CHANCE.

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages but the thousand of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are closed and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot hold the air, and that they do they cannot do it well.

Call it asthma, bronchitis, emphysema, catarrh, consumption, or any other name of throat and nose ailments, all are the same. There is just one remedy for them. That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages but the thousand of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

W. J. McFARLAND'S

Stock Taking.

Hurry is now over and we find almost \$6,000 worth of goods too much in stock, and owing to the fact that the season is becoming advanced and that we have already received many Invoices of Fall and Winter Goods now on the way from Europe, and believing it a good policy to clear out all surplus stock, we have determined to give our customers some extra value in Silks, Laces, Velvets, Millinery Goods, and Dress Goods. In fact all summer goods will be sold at the lowest notch touched yet. Now is your chance to dress well for very little money, come and critically examine the bargains we offer. Colored Lace Mitts 10c. old price 40c.

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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.

STRAY HORSE.

Came to the premises of the subscriber, lot 51, on 1st west of T. & S. Road, Holland last Sunday, a brown horse. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him.

MARSHALL WARD, 345-7 Berkeley, P. O.

FARM FOR SALE.

100 acres, being lots 113 and 114, and 65 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, balance hardwood, with sufficient cedar for fencing purposes, well watered with spring creek, and good well, log house and barn, frame stable, young orchard bearing. This farm is a choice one, splendid soil, well located and on good road three miles from Markdale. For terms and further particulars apply at the premises to

H. C. WILSON, 1111 Upper

NOTICE.

In the matter of John Williams Ford of the village of Markdale in the county of Huron

Notice is hereby given that the above named John Williams Ford has made an assignment to me for the general benefit of his creditors under 48 Victoria Chapter 1 and amendments thereto and a meeting of his creditors will be held at the Markdale House in the village of Markdale on Friday the 2nd day of September 1887 at 6 o'clock in the afternoon for the appointment of Inspectors and giving directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

All creditors are requested to file their claims with me pursuant to said Statute verified by affidavit with vouchers and present them forthwith.

W. J. McFARLAND, Assignee.

Dated at Markdale this 30th day of August 1887.

6 PER CENT.