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

GLENELG council meets on the 20th. Our public school opens on Monday the 20th.

THE hum of the threshing machine is now heard.

WHY is a hen immortal? Because her son never sets.

MISS SHERLOCK, of Toronto, is visiting the Misses. Ford.

MISS ANNIE STEER arrived from Tottenham last week.

MISS NETTIE KAY returned from Toronto recently.

Mrs. Thos. Boland is visiting friends at Owen Sound.

Mr. WILL. STINSON is spending a week with his parents.

MISS SARAH HUTTON returned from Toronto last Saturday.

MISS MABEL MATHEWS is sojourning with friends in Owen Sound.

MISS EDITH HALL is visiting cousins and friends in Owen Sound.

Mrs. H. McCAY is visiting her parents and friends near Hamilton.

Mrs. B. B. CLEMENTS is spending a month with friends at Tara.

OSCAR and Maggie Wright of Toronto are home for their holidays.

MISS HERON, of Owen Sound, spent a few days last week with D. Latter.

MR. D. SWEENEY has been down from Thessalon and returned this week.

Mrs. McGill is up from Toronto visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryden.

WILLIE and Annie McLeod left on Monday to spend a few weeks with their friend, Mrs. Alexander, at Simcoe.

MARKDALE council will meet in the council chambers on Friday evening for the dispatch of general business.

Miss Ruth Mitchell and the Misses. Lillie and Queenie Southgate of Toronto are visiting at Mrs. W. J. McFarland's.

MR. McCANCE, of Toronto, paid his daughter, Mrs. Campbell, of this village, a visit last week.

MISSES. ANDERSON and Bready, of Owen Sound, are visiting the Armstrongs.

Mrs. C. BROWN, of Collingwood, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, last week.

SOMETIMES the smallest watermelon can cause the largest man to gaze upon life with tears in his eyes.

Mrs. HARRISON, of Owen Sound, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Hall.

A GARDEN PARTY will be held under the auspices of the Laddier' Aid of the Presbyterian church at Rowe's mill on the evening of the 17th inst. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

REV. MR. DEMILL, founder of Demill College, Oshawa, which is one of the leading ladies' colleges in Ontario, gave us a friendly call last week. There were 95 students last year in this college.

TWENTY drops of carbolic acid evaporated from a hot shovel will go far to banish flies from a room, while a bit of camphor gum the size of a walnut, held over a lamp till it is consumed, will do the same for the festive mosquito.

"WHAT do you publish a paper for, I'd like to know?" sarcastically inquired an irate politician, tackling a country editor. "For \$2 a year, in advance," responded the editor, "and you owe me for four years."

WE are most happy to see Mr. Samuel Douglas, assistant station agent, around again after a long illness, and, for the benefit of his health, has taken a trip down to the Thousand Islands there to rusticate for a few weeks.

YESTERDAY and to-day is Walkerton's great band competition celebration. As our band played at Fanning's monster garden party Tuesday night they could not possibly get to Walkerton in time to compete.

THERE was a heavy thunder shower in this district last Friday evening. The vivid lightning and heavy thunder rendered the scene grand and impressive. The rain was much needed, being the best fall of the season.

MR. J. CESAR, C.P.R. agent here, has one of the finest flower gardens north of Toronto. The flower beds are neatly and tastily laid out with all varieties of the "beautiful." The croquet lawn is also surrounded with beautiful and sweetly scented flowers.

THE base ball match between the 11th line Blazers (Euphrasia) and the Harkaway Clippers came off on the 4th inst. on the grounds of the latter in the presence of a number of spectators which resulted in the victory for the Clippers, scores being Clippers 22, Blazers 18.—Com.

CHANGE OF LANDLORDS.—Mr. John Patterson, of the Revere Hotel, moved last week to Thessalon, there to enter partnership with one J. Gordon in the Queen's Hotel of that rising town. Mr. Jennings, late of Shelburne, takes his place in Markdale and is now in possession.

DISCREET SILENCE.—"What if I were one of those husbands, my dear, who got up cross in the morning and bang things around and kick like everything just because the coffee is cold?" "John," responded his wife, "I would make it hot for you." As her words admitted of more than one interpretation, John said nothing more about the coffee.—Times.

QUITE a number of our subscribers have neglected to pay for their STANDARD for this year thus far. Look up the address label on this paper and see if you are one of them, and if so let's have the needful. You must understand the subscription is \$1 in advance, not at the middle or end of the year.

FELL IN A CISTERN.—J. W. Knott, of the 7th line, Euphrasia, recently dug a cistern in the basement of his barn and had it partly stoned up when one of his cows dropped in on Tuesday morning last. Longheed's gang, who were working on Johnston's barn next farm were sent for and hauled the animal out none the worse for her exploits.

REV. A. WILSON has accepted a very hearty and unanimous call from the congregations of Charleston and Alton. The salary promised is \$850 and manse to begin with. His induction into the pastoral charge of this promising field is to take place on Tuesday, the 21st inst., at 2 p. m. in Charleston church. Rev. D. McLeod has been appointed to preach in Markdale and Flesherton on Sabbath, 19th inst., and declare the pulpit vacant. Rev. Mr. Wilson will (D. V.) preach his farewell sermon next Sabbath.

MR. THOS. KELLS, a leading farmer in Artemesia, had 16 acres of barley lying cut at the time of the heavy rain last Friday, which will depreciate its value fully twenty-five per cent.

THEY say Mark Creasor and Miss Bryden were married on Wednesday.

THE Misses. Minnie Lucas, Minnie Whitby and Maggie McNea, of Markdale have decided to take a scholarship in Demill College, Oshawa, and will leave early in September to enter upon their studies. We wish them every success in their laudable undertaking.

THE Globe has printed and published a magnificent Board of Trade edition which contains 24 pages descriptive of Toronto's leading industries and gives a brief mention of many leading mercantile firms throughout the country. Among the latter we noticed W. J. McFarland of Markdale, as one of the leading merchants and grain dealers on the C. P. R., from Toronto to Owen Sound. This edition is a credit to the Globe.

AT the Methodist church last Sunday a large congregation was present, a great percentage of whom remained for the love feast and sacrament, which was a profitable season throughout. Rev. Mr. Buggin's sermons are of a superior character generally, being comprehensive, logical, pointed and practical; always couched in language simple and appropriate and delivered in a manner unmistakably convincing. The sermon on above occasion was no exception to the rule—indeed we consider it one of the best we have yet listened to. Rev. Mr. Wilson, Presbyterian, preached an able sermon in the evening to a large congregation.

PICNIC.—The annual picnic of Markdale Methodist S. School was held in McDuffie's grove on Wednesday afternoon. The weather was simply gorgeous and the attendance very large, there being over three hundred present. The children and teachers marched from the church to the grove each wearing a printed badge and were afterwards joined by scores of our citizens who enjoyed an evening very pleasantly indeed. There was sufficient eatables to feed the multitude while the games and swings were much enjoyed by old and young.

FOLLOWING is a list of the candidates who have successfully parsed the recent examinations in Owen Sound district:—District No. 19.—Second Class—E. Crowe, M. De La Matter, J. Might, M. McRae, F. Sherlock, A. Shields, B. Tassie, P. Walker, J. Agnew, G. Bowes, J. Brown, R. Brown, S. Crane, D. Currie, D. Day, W. Dorland, W. Frizzell, R. Howey, J. Johnston, L. Johnston, L. Might, G. Mills, M. McClure, A. McDougald, D. Neily, J. Norton, F. Pond. Third Class—A. Albery, M. B. Breadner, M. Brown, E. E. Calvert, L. Calvert, B. Campbell, M. Campbell, A. Dezell, M. Douglass, E. Frazer, M. Ireton, M. King, L. Kingsbury, M. Martin, L. Miller, L. Moore, E. Quirk, N. Somerville, M. Stewart, R. Sunter, A. Todd, A. White G. Brown, G. Donald, J. Gibbs, G. Jolley, G. J. McKay, A. Sutherland, J. Tucker, W. McRae, A. Sunter.

MONSTER GARDEN PARTY.—The garden social at Mr. Fanning's, near Holland Centre, last Tuesday evening was a grand success. The beautiful grounds of Mr. F. were literally alive from about six o'clock until 11 p. m. Chatsworth and Markdale brass bands were present and played both separately and together, the sweet strains being highly appreciated by the company, and added very materially to the enjoyment and success of the gathering. Chatsworth was otherwise well represented, as also Holland Centre, Berkely and the country around but Markdale was on hand in full force, giving rise to the general remark, "all Markdale is here to-night." A program was rendered in which Markdale talent took a leading part; Dr. Sproule, chairman; G. J. Blyth, J. G. Anderson, W. J. Benson, Miss Dundas, J. Cesar, Holland Centre Presbyterian choir; Mr. Little, student, Knox College; Rey. Mr. Hartley, Miss Smith, Mrs. Hartley and others took part. The refreshments and provisions were in abundance and lavishly patronized. Everything passed off most pleasantly and enjoyably, making it one of the most successful garden parties in the district.

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