

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

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MARKDALE, THURSDAY, SEPT. 6, 1888.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

GREAT REDUCTIONS SALE!

FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER OF Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Spectacles, Silverware. 25 Per Cent DISCOUNT.

In order to clear out some of our immense stock to make room for our large fall stock. Do not miss this chance, but come at once, it will pay you to buy from us, and always take your watch, clock and jewellery repairs to

RUSSELL'S NOTED JEWELRY STORE,

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FOR CHOICE Teas, Tobacco, CHOICE SUGARS, RAISINS, CURRANTS & CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY, & HEADQUARTERS

FOR Crockery & Glassware.

China Tea Sets, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, the finest stock to choose from in Markdale. We will sell you goods in this line cheaper by 10 per cent. than any other house in the county.

Provisions, Provisions. FLOUR & FEED of every description same price as at the mill. LONG CLEAR BACON, Choice SUGAR CURED HAMS. Just received a ton of Wright's Oatmeal, Owen Sound, (fresh). Our Liquor Store is well stocked with best brands of Liquors of every description.

JOBBER'S IN CIGARS. Give us a call. **R. H. BENSON & Co.,** Belfast House

Local and Other Items.

NOTICES in these columns intended to benefit any individual or Society will be charged ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line each subsequent insertion.

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

HARVESTING, threshing and picnics are the order of the day in this vicinity.

The weather has been very favorable for winding up harvesting operations.

FRANK BUGGIN left here on Tuesday morning last for Durham to attend the Model School.

MR. MADILL, a student of Knox College, Toronto, preached two very instructive sermons last Sunday in the Presbyterian church.

LOOK out for J. E. Richard's advertisement in the STANDARD when he returns from Toronto with his immense stock of new goods.

MESSRS. McDonald & Boyd, of Glenelg, have purchased a boss threshing machine and are able and willing to thresh anything in the grain line. Try 'em.

A SCOTT has been awarded the contract for the erection of a new school house on the town line of Holland and Euphrasia about four miles from Markdale.

ON Tuesday morning last a brakeman on the way-freight fell off the yan in a fit at Markdale station and cut his forehead and face. Dr. Sproule was summoned and dressed his wounds.

MR. S. HALBERT, our esteemed boot and shoe maker, is receiving orders for his make of boots from foreign countries. He is in receipt this week of an order for a pair of sewed boots from Calgary.

We forgot last week to say that we were in error in stating the previous week that the proceeds of the Presbyterian garden party at W. J. Rowe's was for the minister's salary. It was for other purposes.

A PICNIC party was seen wending its way on Monday afternoon to Bell's Lake in honor of the young ladies who left our dale on Tuesday morning last to attend Demill College. We understand they had a good time.

In last Saturday's Globe a half column article appeared eulogising the bustle, and on Monday the same was repeated: The Globe is evidently like the man who married a 250 lb. girl—he said "you cannot have too much of a good thing."

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the Book accounts belonging to the Estate of E. S. Mabee, have been handed to Wm. Lucas & Co. All indebted to the said Estate will please call and settle with them at once. John Donaldson, Assignee. 417-2in

MISS M. MINNIE LUCAS, Emily Bell, Maggie McNea and Minnie Whitty left here on Tuesday morning last to attend Demill College, Oshawa. Johnnie Dundas also left same morning to spend his fourth term at the Conservatory of Music, Toronto. May their efforts be crowned with success.

MISS BELLA BENSON left here per evening train on Tuesday, to take a course in Hamilton Ladies College. Bella has a very fine soprano voice, and she will no doubt, materially improve it by laying it trained. May success attend her. "Patience and perseverance accomplish many things."

Our village council would do well to provide some place of safe keeping for the habitual Saturday evening drunks that infest our streets. The appointment of a village constable then would be in order, and our streets might be relieved of the disgraceful scenes that are now often witnessed. It was hoped incorporation would bring relief from the evil complained of.

We are in receipt of the first copy of The Farmer's Bulletin, published by the Agricultural Department, Ottawa, Ontario.

It is published largely in the interests of Printers and Publishers. It is an eight-page journal, nicely gotten up, and containing a large quantity of spicy and interesting reading matter. Subscription price 25 cents a year in advance.

By the departure of Miss McNea and Miss Whitty, the choir of the Methodist church loses two of its best singers; but we fancy the leader need not be at a loss to fill the vacancies. There is at least one female voice in the congregation with power enough to drive a windmill, expression and endurance to match. We suggest an addition to the choir.

MR. J. E. RICHARDS, of Rocklyn, passed through on Tuesday with a shipment of 3,400 lbs. of butter. John is an enterprising merchant, and as we understand he is in the matrimonial market, some of our fascinating young ladies might do worse than try to win the Rocklyn merchant from the bonds of bachelorhood to the glorious freedom of married life.

A young man in Marianna, Florida, dreamed the other night of making a balloon ascension and making his descent by means of a parachute. He thought he threw every garment overboard, not even retaining his gauze shirt, before making his descent. Imagine his disgust when he woke, standing up in bed holding to an open umbrella with a grip that made his hands ache. He says he lost no time hunting for his lost garments.

NOT MANY LEFT.—Another of the pioneers of this district has joined the great majority in the person of Mr. Wm. Miller, brother of Mr. Isaac Miller of Glenelg. Mr. Miller was well known and respected, being one of the first settlers of this locality. He passed away on Sunday last at Owen Sound, where he had been living for some years with his nephew, Mr. John Miller, Governor of the jail. He had reached the ripe age of 91 years. His remains were brought to Markdale and buried in the Methodist Cemetery beside that of his late wife on Monday evening last.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—While Mr. Tuck of Euphrasia, was driving a pair of oxen along Mill Street one day last week, a miserable cur of a dog ran out from Wm. Sewell's house when the oxen gave a sudden lurch throwing Mr. Tuck off, he had been sitting on the bare gear of the wagon in a careless position and was easily upset. By the fall he had his collar bone broked and shoulder dislocated, which will lay him past for several months, if not all the coming winter. This to him is a serious mishap as he is in poor circumstances and has a large family depending on his earnings.

GARDEN PARTY.—Last Tuesday evening a garden party was held on Mr. Abby's spacious grounds at Berkeley in aid of the organ fund of the English church of that place. The evening was bitter cold hence the small attendance, but those who were present had a pleasant time. The Markdale brass band was on deck and furnished edifying music from its brass "trumpets." The provisions was in abundance and delicate to the taste. The refreshment booth was well patronized. A program was rendered in which the following persons took part:—The Misses, Ford, det; Miss Smith, Holland Centre, soprano solo; Miss Dundas, recitation; Mr. Smith, Holland Centre, a song and an encore; W. J. Benson, two songs, all of whom ably sustained their notariety. The programme was interspersed by music by the band. Mr. J. W. Ford officiated as chairman. At a late hour the gathering broke up and dispersed for their respective homes.

LAWN PARTY.—One of the most successful and enjoyable events of the season was the garden party which was given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church, Markdale, on Friday evening last, at Mr. Andrew Beattie's beautiful and commodious residence, situated on the gravel road, half way between Flesherton and Markdale. Immense crowds were seen wending their way from all directions to participate in the various games and pastimes which were provided for the occasion, and to listen to the sweet and harmonious music rendered by Flesherton and Markdale brass bands (both separately and together), while the young men were seen promenading up and down the lawn arm in arm with their "best girls," occasionally indulging in ice-cream and secretly passing "reading" lozenges and various other kinds of sweets. Late in the evening a short programme was rendered, and those taking part sustained their well-earned reputation throughout. The following was the programme:—Quartette, Mr. and Mrs. Leggett and Will. and Sofia Armstrong; Scotch songs, Mr. J. R. Anderson; song, Mr. John Cesar; recitation, Miss Minnie Dundas, and a soprano solo by Miss Minnie Whitty. It was a rare and pretty sight to see the balloon ascending high in the heavens, and was enjoyed by all who saw it. The victuals became scarce towards the close of the entertainment owing to the immense crowd, but were of a toothsome nature. After the cravings of the inner man were satisfied everybody went in for a good time and we venture to say they had it to their entire satisfaction. The proceeds amounted to \$30.00. In connection with the above, Dr. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beattie and R. W. Ennis were the chief workers, and they deserve to be congratulated on their untiring and successful efforts in making this garden party one of the best ever given in this vicinity. Mr. Beattie opened his house to the public and helped to arrange the grounds and even used his team in conveying pleasure-seekers to and from the garden party. The thanks of the Ladies' Aid is due to the farmers who kindly assisted by lending their teams,

There is a good chance for some active and trusty men to secure paying work at once by engaging with Jas. E. Whitney, nurseryman, Rochester N. Y., to sell his warranted nursery stock. He furnishes outfit free and the work is steady. Experience not required. 409-22

Salesmen Wanted to handle our thoroughly reliable nursery stock. We engage men on liberal commission, or on salary and expenses, and guarantee permanent employment and success! Facilities unequalled; prices very reasonable; outfit free; decided advantages to beginners! Write at once. ELLWANGER & BARRY, Rochester, N. Y. 409-22

Salesmen Wanted! For the New England Nurseries, established over 80 years. The old reliable nursery. Men with push, energy, good habits, and clean character are what we want. Every chance for success. We can give you good pay and steady work. Write for terms to CHASE BROTHERS' COMPANY, Nurserymen, Colborne, Ont. 409-22

District Doings.

Mr. J. Brown's saw mill, at Priceville, was burned down week before last.

A horse belonging to John Lyons near Proton Station, was killed by the cars last week.

A man named D. McCorkindale, near Desboro, got his foot so badly mangled in a horse power while threshing last week that amputation was necessary. He is recovering.

Durham Creamery Co. has sold their butter at 20 cents per lb.

The Fall Assizes open in Owen Sound on the 11th September.

Seaforth toundry was burned last Thursday.

A green corn social is the latest novelty at Hanover.

Hanover and Owen Sound are to have telephone connections.

Business Locals.

5th October is next Markdale Division Court day.

R. C. BRYDEN has \$50,000 to loan at low rates. 415-13

IMPORTANT to borrowers, \$10,000 private funds to loan, apply to W. J. McFarland, Markdale. 412-26

If you want conveyancing done neatly and correctly, try Bryden. 415-18

If you want a good watch at a low figure, give Russell, Flesherton a call.

WANTED.—A girl to work in private house in Toronto; apply to Mrs. G. S. Bowes, Markdale.

SEVERAL nice village properties and some good farms for sale by R. C. Bryden. 415-18

Do not forget the great reduction sale for the month of September, at Russell's noted jewellery store, Flesherton.

B. B. CLEMENTS, the tailor, is turning out handsome fitting suits that suits the gents just great. Try him when you want something nobby.

For a good gold or silver watch, either Ladies or Gents, you will always find Russell's, Flesherton, is the place to go. Every watch warranted from three to five years.

EVEN if every one else has failed to make your watch go and keep time, take it to Russell, Flesherton; he will make it right for you. Every job guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded.

"STRIKE while the iron is hot." B. B. Clements wants you to call early and leave your measure for a good fitting suit of clothes. He is terribly rushed now and will be "rusher" later on in the reason.

New Harness Shop. I wish to hereby announce to the public generally that I have opened again in the harness business,—having recently been burned out—and would respectfully solicit a share of patronage. Call and see me in my new premises, opposite Heaght Bros. Good stock, superior workmanship and low pricing will be my aim. Call when in town and get acquainted. J. C. McKeown, 120 Main St., Markdale.

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