

# Markdale Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor.

MARKDALE, DEC. 26, 1889.

## WEDDING BELLS.

The marriage of Miss Whitby, of this village, to F. W. Brooke, of Oshawa, which took place in the Methodist Church on Christmas Day, was one of the most bon-ton affairs we have had in our town. The nuptial knot was tied sharp on time at 1:30 p. m., the Rev. George Buggin, District Chairman, officiating. The bride appeared both handsome and happy and was supported by Misses Mabel Mathews and Bell, while the groom, who seemed quite at home, was assisted by Messrs. McDonald, of London, and W. F. Whitby, of Oregon. After the ceremony was completed the company adjourned to the family residence where a sumptuous repast awaited them. The presents were numerous, elegant and costly. After a couple of hours of sociable intercourse and friendly congratulations the happy couple took their departure for Oshawa by the 4:35 train, amid showers of rice, a wave of good wishes, and an occasional old slipper.

## ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

On Thursday, 26th, interested rate-payers convened at the school house, when W. J. McFarland was elected chairman and H. D. Irwin, secretary. The Trustees' annual report was read by the sec., W. A. Brown, showing net receipts \$1520.36 and expenditure 1089.02 leaving a balance on hand of \$431.34, which report was adopted. The auditor's report read by C. W. Rutledge was also received. W. L. Young was elected Section's Auditor, and Messrs. W. A. Brown, Wm. Lucas, and H. D. Irwin elected as trustees. The question of school accommodation was taken up and discussed in a business-like manner resulting in a resolution to put the present premises in a good state of repair where required, not entertaining the idea of a new school at present.

## Berkeley.

### Standard Correspondence.

The entertainment in S. S. No. 6, Holland, on the 16th, was a great success in spite of the wet night. During the entertainment the children presented their teacher Mr. P. J. Stephens, who is leaving, with a handsome album and address.

The Orange soiree on the 18th, had an unfavorable night also, but was fairly well attended. Addresses were given by Messrs. McLoughry, W. A. Brown and R. Jamieson, Mr. Jno. Lyons occupied the chair in a very able manner.

Some of the friends and well wishers of Mr. R. Jamieson presented him with a cow as a slight evidence of their regard and as a mark of their appreciation of his service in the Methodist church. We might say that the presentation was especially appropriate as Mr. Jamieson had a cow drowned while he was away preaching at Lyon's Church on Sunday.

We wish all a merry Christmas.

## Rocklyn.

### Standard Correspondence.

School closed on Friday last. The following evening a large number of the children, parents and friends of the school assembled at the residence of Mrs. Sarah Breadner, the teacher's boarding place, when a beautiful ebony gold headed cane and an address was presented to Mr. Frank Hutchinson, their late teacher. Mr. Dodson read the address, which brought tears to many eyes. He followed with an eloquent speech, which would do credit to Don Pedro. Music was furnished by Messrs. E. Cook, John Falls and Miss A. Breadner. J. E. Richards gave a resitation "O would I were a boy again." The National Anthem was sung and all left wishing Mr. Hutchinson a prosperous journey through life.

Mr. W. Nickleson is visiting at Mr. John Irwin's, Poplar Farm.

Game and snow are two scarce articles.

J. E. Richards bought the best recently, and intends sending it to Toronto.

A large black Fox has been seen lately. Its fur is valued at \$1. Who will be the lucky one to shoot it. Our merchants are busy. 1,000 lbs. fowl bought in a day. Your correspondent wishes yourself and Standard readers a prosperous New Year.

## Menford Road.

### Standard Correspondence.

The Xmas Tree entertainment given by the teacher and school children in the school house on Thursday evening, the 19th inst., was a splendid success. Notwithstanding the very bad state of the roads was well attended, the house being comfortably filled. An arch was erected over the organ, which was covered with gifts of all descriptions for the pupils, none being forgotten. The whole entertainment passed off well, and much credit is due to the teacher, Miss Ford, for the excellent manner in which she had the children trained. Her sister, Miss Alice Ford, presided at the organ.

## Holland Centre.

### Standard Correspondence.

We wish the STANDARD a merry Xmas and a Happy New Year and continued success.

Mr. E. J. Smith who has been in Tilsonburgh since spring, returned on Monday, looking as hearty as ever. He will remain in the Centre for the winter.

CHANGE OF TEACHERS.—We do not understand why so many sections desire to change their teachers every year. Every section in this vicinity is doing so this year and this when they were supplied with good ones. We regret that Messrs. Beckett of No. 5 and Armstrong of our own are leaving, but the village people to show their esteem entertained them to a supper on Friday evening last after which a very enjoyable time was spent.

PRESENTATION.—On Friday evening last as Mr. Armstrong had brought his labors in connection with our school to a close he was agreeably surprised when his pupils in behalf of the school presented him with an elegant gold watch chain together with the accompanying address:—  
Mr. Armstrong,

Dear Teacher,—Knowing that you are leaving our school for another and that our associations as teacher and pupils must now close, we cannot allow you to leave us without expressing to you our thanks for the deep interest you have taken in our welfare and the hope that you may be blessed more than ever in your new field of labor. Please accept this chain not for its great value but as a slight token of our esteem and respect for you as our teacher. Signed in behalf of the pupils of S. S. No. 7, Holland.

ANNIE CROWTHER,  
JENNIE JACKSON,  
EDITH HARTLEY,  
Holland, Dec., 20th, 1889.

Mr. Armstrong was completely taken by surprise but managed to return his thanks to the pupils assuring them he should ever value the chain on account of the kindness which prompted the gift. Mr. A. takes charge of the Drumbo school Co. Oxford, in 1890 and we trust he may be as successful as he has in Holland Centre.

"Nominating Day" draws near but municipal matters seem strangely quiet. It is certain that all the Council of 1889 will seek re-election while Mr. Howey will contest for the Reeve-ship with the present occupant. It is not certain if Mr. Shute will have any opposition for the position of Deputy but the chances are greatly in favor of being elected by acclamation, while Councillors in addition to the present ones we hear the names of ex-councillors Murry, Smith and Willisroft. No doubt the electors will select the best.

## MOORE ANON.

### WALTER'S FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The following promotions were made at the end of the school year.

Note:—Names arranged in order of merit.

3rd to 4th class:—Ollie Brown, Annie Walter, Bertie Carney, Lottie Brown, Percy Brown, Bertie Seabrook. Junior to Senior Division of 3rd class:—Willie McLennan, Ida Carney, Lillie Shunk, Martha Prior, Rose E. Taylor, John H. Coleridge, Geo. Caswell.

2nd to 3rd class:—John McCormick.

2nd part to 2nd class:—Charlie Barker, Charlie Taylor, Nettie Bonnell, Allie Barker, Maggie Findlay, Jellie Shunk, Eddie Brown, Sophia J. Shephardson.

E. MARTIN,  
Teacher.

LADIES, polish your silverware, "Silver Cream" at Jeweller Brown's.



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Repairing in all its branches promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

## S. BREADNER, THE BUSY JEWELLER.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC R. R. TIME TABLE.

—Markdale Station—  
GOING SOUTH. 6.55 a. m. 4.34 p. m.  
GOING NORTH. 12.10 p. m. 8.54 p. m.

### MARRIAGES.

STEPHENSON—BLAIN.—On the 18th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. T. R. Fydel, Mr. Wm. P. Stephenson, to Miss Mary Blain, both of Euphrasia.

BROOKE—WHITBY.—By the Rev. Geo. Buggin, at the Methodist Church, Markdale, on Christmas Day Frederick Webb Brooke, of Oshawa, to Minnie A. Whitby, youngest daughter of John Whitby, Esq., of Markdale.

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### Markdale Markets.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 18th 1889.

Fall Wheat	70 to 82
Spring Wheat	70 to 82
Barley	35 to 40
Oats	25 to 26
Pease	55 to 54
Butter	14 to 15
Eggs	18 to 18
Hay	6 00 to 0 00
Potatoes, per bag	40 to 00
Wool	00 to 00
Beef	4 00 to 5 00
Pork	5 00 to 5 25

### Monthly Fairs.

Orangeville—The second Thursday in each month  
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.  
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.  
Markdale—Saturday before Orangeville.  
Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.  
Chatsworth—Monday before Durham.  
Holland Centre—Saturday before Chatsworth  
Priceville—Monday before Durham.  
Hanover—Monday before Durham.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made, at the next session of the Parliament of Canada, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a railway from the town of Mount Forest in the County of Grey and Province of Ontario by way of Markdale to the town of Bradford in the aforesaid County, with the view of both in connection therewith, and all necessary rights of way, station grounds and other necessaries, and to acquire lands or other property, and to obtain running powers over any lines or roads, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.  
Dated at Markdale this 26th day of December, 1889.

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## MANLEY'S

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AND

## ALBUMS

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Yours respectfully,

J. W. Sproule.

## PROCLAMATION

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