

The Fiesherston Advance of last week informed its readers that "Markdale show is not satisfied, because Fiesherston got ahead of it with the East Grey Exhibition this year." Wonder where the Advance editor got his information. Even if it was a fact that the Exhibition of the East Riding of Grey was superior to that of King's Township, it would be no just cause for dissatisfaction, but such is not the case. We were unable to attend the East Riding Exhibition this year, for the first time in its history, but have been credibly informed by disinterested parties who were at both the Glengly Show and the East and South Kintings. We admit that it is a mistake as well as a misfortune to have those Fairs clashing in such a manner, but are not prepared to say just who is to blame. Glengly fall show has been held on various dates between the 29th September and 3rd October for the last eight years, while the East Riding has been held on different dates from the 22nd Sept. to the 3rd October. Now we hold that no Society has a monopoly of any particular date, and as the Directors of Glengly Township Society fixed the date for the holding of its fall show for 1890 at the annual meeting held last January, which took place about a week earlier than the County Society's annual meeting, and notified the latter, we cannot see the justice of trying to shoulder the blame of having two shows on one day upon the directors of Glengly Agricultural Society. Neither will it mend matters to fling shafts and shirk responsibility. Better suggest some scheme whereby the difficulty may be averted another season.

A SUGGESTION. Markdale is a central point in this county and easy of access, and we would suggest that the Secretaries of all the Agricultural Societies in Grey County meet here on the 6th November (the following day) and arrange their dates for the coming year, and also consider other important questions which are now fresh in mind, and which would further the interests of all concerned. The railway fare will be simple on that day, which would be a comfortable favor of that date. What say the Societies? If this meets with your approval let the Standard know and we will publish the decision and send a copy of paper to each Secretary.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE. Markdale Mechanics' Institute has made steady progress ever since its organization, and is now a credit to the village. The library is large, and being replenished frequently, so that the most extensive readers have a liberal supply of fresh literature. Then there is the reading room department with the leading daily papers, magazines, illustrated periodicals, and local papers—some forty in all—where young and old, grave and gay, may find amusement and instruction, and meet with their neighbors who congregate for a similar purpose and thus spend a pleasant and profitable hour. Two much credit cannot be given Messrs. T. L. Moffat, Secretary, and F. W. Moffat, Librarian, for their systematic, persevering and successful efforts in the management of the Institute since its inception. The reading room will be open, until further notice, from 7 to 9.30 every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday night.

APPLE MARKET. Mr. Kells ships to-day (Thursday) 180 barrels of apples from Markdale station, the greater portion of which goes to England. He reports the fruit as being a good quality generally except snow apples, which are much struck owing to the blight which struck them. The orchards are, however, small as a rule, which adds to the cost of collecting the fruit for shipment, and thus reduces the profits to the producer. The Old Country market is now fully established for Canadian apples and it will pay to give attention to that branch of agriculture.

NOTE AND COMMENT. Hamilton's population is 45,525. Kingston has a population of 18,172 souls. The McKinley tariff bill went into effect on Monday. French newspapers all denounce the McKinley tariff bill. The end of the first quarter of the fiscal year shows a surplus in the Dominion treasury of \$3,860,007.

The Northwest Legislature will meet for business on October 29. The Manitoba Government will open an emigration office in England. The London papers unanimously endorse the verdict in the Birchall case. The assessment returns of Toronto, complete last week, show an increase of nearly \$10,000,000 for the year. The wife of general Booth, commander in chief of the Salvation Army died on Saturday last in London, England. Sir John McDonald stated, in a speech at Halifax last week, that there was not likely to be a general election before 1892. Arthur Hoyt Day was found guilty of murdering his wife, by the jury at Welland on Tuesday, and was sentenced to be hanged on Nov. 18. The Retail Druggists' Association of Toronto, has adopted a schedule of prices, and in future all druggists in the city will sell drugs at uniform prices. "Central" Fall Show. The second annual Fall Show of the Central Agricultural Society was held at Walter's Falls on the 8th ult. and 1st inst. The weather was all that could be desired, and a large number of people assembled, especially on the second day, and witnessed what was without any doubt the best show in the county. The gate receipts amounted to upwards of \$250, which would mean an attendance of about 8000 people when allowance is made for membership tickets. During the forenoon of the first day a baseball match was played between Blantyre and Markdale, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 12 runs to 8. In the afternoon match between the teams from the Blantyre and football match, the results of which may be seen in the following prize list. The hall was open in the evening, and being completely filled and well lit up, was a rare treat in itself. There were so many entries in every department and the quality was so good that the judges must have had considerable difficulty in awarding the prizes. The grand bulk more than last year and was really excellent in quality. The first prize fall wheat tested 67 lb. to the bushel. Roots and vegetables were of enormous size. The dairy produce occupied a great deal of space; there were nearly 200 entries in butter alone and the butter on exhibition would weigh at least a ton and a half. The fruit showed provoked perhaps more astonishment than anything else, apples especially, making a handsome display and surpassing even the "Industrial" Toronto, as admitted by those who had visited the latter exhibition. The Ladies' work occupied one whole side of the hall and it would indeed be hard to imagine a sight more prominently grand than this department presented. The ladies of the surrounding country are to be highly congratulated on their industry and taste; and the thanks of the community are due to them for so kindly bringing out the fruit of their labors to decorate the building and add so substantially to the success of the exhibition. In this department alone there were nearly 800 entries. The second day was an extremely busy one. The Society's extensive grounds were literally crowded with people. Some inconvenience was felt over the fact that sitting accommodation was rather scarce, and it is hoped that the directors will take this matter into consideration before next year. Large numbers of horses, cattle, sheep and pigs were on exhibition and were truly creditable specimens of stock. There were upwards of 800 entries in horses, and close to 100 in cattle. Previous to the judging on the grounds, the grounds were addressed from the judges' stand by Mr. J. Cleland, M. P., of Markdale, and Dr. Sproule, M. P., of Markdale. Taken altogether the show of 1890 was ahead of last year and seems to predict success for all future exhibitions. The management are to be congratulated on the unbounded success of the second great event in the history of the Society, and it is to be hoped that the present able directorate may long be spared to superintend the affairs of the now famous Central Agricultural Society of Walter's Falls. The following is the prize list:

EXHIBITION OF SPED, ETC. Local Run, A C Patterson, R. Wellwood, Local Trot, M R Duncan, J E Marsh, R. Linn. Open Trot, W N Haskett, M Ramage, A Plevas. Baseball match, Blantyre vs. Markdale, victory for Blantyre 12 runs to 8. Football match, Owen Sound vs. Walter's Falls, victory for Owen Sound 3 goals to 0. HORSES—GENERAL PURPOSE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

ROADSIDE. Brood mare with foal by her side, H Knight, J Davidson. Two year old gelding or filly, J Hower, J. Thom. One year old gelding or filly, J Wright, G Morrison. Spring colt or filly, A Watson, H Ebra. Yearling colt, entire (diploma), P Connell. Team in harness, gelding or mares, W Doherty, C Watson. Best animal of this class (diploma), J W Hartman.

LARDINE OIL, The Famous Heavy Bodied Oil for all Machinery, Made only by McColl Bros. & Co., Toronto. Those who use it once use it always. McColl's Renowned Cylinder Oil Has no equal for Engine cylinders. Try it and see for yourself. Beware of imitations of LARDINE. McCOLL BROS. & CO., TORONTO For sale by J. E. TRELFOED, Markdale.

R. S. RAE, The Tailor and Clothier, is fully prepared to suit you in all kinds of Gents' Furnishings. A large variety of Suitings to select from, cheap and strong, or fine and handsome. Splendid Overcoatings; see them. Underclothing, just what is wanted for Fall and Winter wear. COLLARS, CUFFS, TIES, SUSPENDERS, HOSE, and all the rest. Call and examine for yourself. Should you contemplate matrimony, be sure and leave your order, and get a neat and comfortable suit. 157 Agent for Parker's Dye Works. R. S. RAE, MARKDALE.

IT PAYS TO Go to the BEST AND THAT IS THE Northern Business College OWEN SOUND. The best and most practical course of study. The best teaching and the best results. For full particulars regarding the course of study, terms, etc., apply to C. A. FLEMING, PRINCIPAL.

Life is Short! Even if you do live the allotted time, 3 SCORE AND 10. Then why live the life of a groveling, growling despot, dyspeptic, oh! you peevish, snappish, pettish, cross, crusty, fretful, crabbed old heathen who has all the ills that flesh is heir to. My Dear Man Do get rid of it, the base, vile, servile, slavish, frowning, sneaking, earth-born diseases, by drinking nature's LIFE-GIVING ST. LEON MINERAL WATER, It Revivifies, Rectifies and Electrifies, adds new charm to life. TRY IT. TRY IT. VINEGAR, VINEGAR, VINEGAR, To have good pickles you must have good Spices & good Vinegar. We claim to have both. White Wine Vinegar, Triple X Vinegar, Cider Vinegar, Malt Vinegar. GUARANTEED. Yours, R. L. STEPHEN.

Cheap House Furniture. Markdale Furniture Warehouse. Plush Parlor Suits, Bed Room Suits, Beds & Bedding, Sideboards, Tables, common; Extension Tables, in great variety; Washstands; Spring Mattress; Wool Mattress of all kinds, and in fact everything that is kept in a first class shop. Call and get quotations. Also Funeral Furnishings—Coffins, Caskets, Robes, Linings, Gloves, Crapes of all descriptions—always in stock. Thanking my numerous customers for past favors, Yours respectfully, J. W. Sproule.

W. J. McFarland, DIRECT IMPORTER. CASH AND RELIABLE CUSTOMERS. Can always count on getting good bargains at the TORONTO HOUSE. As in the past our fall and winter goods will be found cheap, fashionable and stylish, and Ladies and Gentlemen wanting fine all wool Underclothing will find with us the best values in the market. Greenest fresh and crisp, just the thing to please epicures, and our TEAS will be found much below ordinary prices. IN BOOTS & SHOES we show superior values, bought for cash before the late rise in prices, and our customers will reap the benefit in part. MEN'S & BOYS' CLOTHING both in Suits, Single Garments and Overcoats, can't be excelled, and we are determined to please cash buyers, believing them to be the pillar and ground work of prosperous trading. Remember the Toronto House, Markdale. W.M. BROWN.

FARM FOR SALE. 200 acres, together or separate, 1 mile from Markdale, on gravel road; buildings new and first-class. Will sell on easy terms or would take small farm in part payment. For particulars apply to THOS. HILL, Markdale, Antwerp Tp. STRAYED To the premises of E. Wright, lot 117, con. 2, Ardenmore, about the 1st September, four spring calves, 2 heifers and 2 steers. The owner is requested to prove property by expenses and take them. B. WRIGHT, Markdale P. O. FARMERS From the premises of D. B. Ellis, lot 6, con. 7, Euphrasia, about the 1st June, 5 yearling heifers and one yearling bull; all the best breed, which is line backed, information which will lead to their recovery will be thankfully received. D. B. ELLIS, Kimbley.

FREE ONLY PERFECT FENCE. WOVEN WIRE FENCING. 64 cts. per Rod and Upward. Under and by virtue of powers of sale contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold on Thursday, 28th day of October, 1890, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Markdale House, in the Village of Markdale, the following valuable property: All that certain parcel of land situate in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, and being composed of the western 40 acres of the 100.00 in the 11th Concession of said Township. Upon the said property there are situated and erected a frame house 16 x 20, cedar log barn 24 x 20, and a frame barn 32 x 30. There are also 20 acres cultivated. All the above land with the purchase money for the same to be paid down at the time of sale. Liberal terms for balance to be made known at time of sale. For further particulars apply to the undersigned. ROBINSON, O'BRYEN & GIBSON, 7 Bond Street, Toronto. Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Esq., Markdale, Ont.

WANTED MEN, local or traveling to sell my guaranteed NICKERS STOCK. Salary or Commission, paid weekly. Outside free. Special attention given to beginners. Work done never fail to make good weekly wages. Write me at once for particulars. C. O. GILMAN, Toronto, Ont. (This house is reliable.) 223 3/4.

McCull... BA... MARK... Notes disc... interest allow... dr fr issued d... and United S... Private an... rates on good...

Bus... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...

W... DR. SPR... gone, Accord... in Turner's o... Brodie's old s... calls. I have... to, T.S. Siro... Private an... rates on good...