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Leave Owen Sound for Sault Ste. Marie every Friday, on the arrival of the train from Toronto arriving at Killarney, Little Current, Lake Rosseau, Mill Bend, Byng Inlet, Hilton, Richards Landing to Sault Ste. Marie, and on the return trip.
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Very few people covet the experience. Many would far rather fall into a pit. But the customers of Will. Stoddart covet the experience of a fit every time; they would rather not fall into the hands of a Knight of the Scissors and Needle whose turnout would fit them like rolling into a pit.
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Late of the firm of Lazarus & Morris
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These Spectacles and Eye Glasses have been for the past 35 years, and given in every case unbounded satisfaction. They are the BEST IN THE WORLD. They never tire, and last years without change.
For Sale by BREADNER & CASSON, practical watchmakers, Jewellers & Engravers, dealers in all kinds of Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Wall Paper, Stationery, School Books, &c. Particular attention paid to repairing watches, &c., with neatness and despatch.
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WILL present an opportunity to extend the fame of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Strawberry the unfailing remedy for diarrhœa, cholera morbus, colic, cramps, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all summer complaints, every part of the Empire. Wild Strawberry never fails.

Markdale Standard.

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

ELEVENTH YEAR.—No. 529. MARKDALE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1890. C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

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WATCH REPAIRING
OUR SPECIALTY.
A glance at our repair board will convince the most sceptical that we lead in repairs. The best of materials used and satisfaction guaranteed and given in every case. All kinds of
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artistically done. Coin jewellery. Friendship Rings, Band Rings, gold or silver, made to order. Solid silver
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POSTPONED.

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE PROPERTY.

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, 23rd 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 westerly 140 acres of Lot No. 10, in the 11th Concession of said Township. Upon the said property there are said to be erected a frame house 16 x 20, cedar log barn 24 x 30, and frame barn 20 x 30. There are about 70 acres cultivated.
TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale. Liberal terms for balance will be made known at time of sale. For further particulars apply to
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Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Esq., Markdale, Ont.
The above sale has been POSTPONED till **Wednesday, 12th day of November, 1890,** at the same hour and place.
ROBINSON, O'BRIEN & GIBSON.

DR. FOWLER'S
EXT: OF WILD STRAWBERRY
CURES
CHOLERA
Cholera Morbus
COLIC and CRAMPS
DIARRHŒA
DYSENTERY
AND ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS AND FLUXES OF THE BOWELS IT IS SAFE AND RELIABLE FOR CHILDREN OR ADULTS.

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.

Dr. Sinclair Comes.

Dr. Sinclair, the great Scottish specialist of Toronto, will be at the Markdale House, Markdale, Saturday, Nov. 15th.

Let the suffering call on him, he can tell for nothing what is the matter. He undertakes only curable cases. Consultation free.

Jonathan Boshart, Listowel, says—Having spent all my money and property for lung trouble (consumption) Dr. Sinclair cured me.

Geo. Rowell, Blyth, says—Having suffered years and fell into dropsy from heart disease, Dr. Sinclair cured me.

Mrs. Lockart, Flesherton, says—Dr. Sinclair cured me of chronic lung trouble when all others failed.

Mrs. Mary Furlong, Woodhouse, says—Dr. Sinclair cured me of fits.

D. Robertson, Carltonplace, says—Thanks to Dr. Sinclair, I am cured of catarrh.

Dr. Sinclair never fails in private prostrative cases as such brought on by abuses. Free consultation.

ALL HALLOWE'N to-morrow night.

How about the Halloween goose?

YES, and the Thanksgiving turkey.

BANK the house and put on the storm door.

TAX sale in Owen Sound on Thursday November 6.

LARGE quantities of farm produce continue to come to market.

MT. FOREST public school has eight teachers whose salaries total $2,615.

MR. DAVID CONNELL, of Holland, has 600 bushels fine potatoes off two acres.

Mr. John Clarridge, near Berkeley, having lost his health wishes to sell his team of horses.

READ Turner's new advertisement, there is something pure, fresh and unadulterated in it.

WANTED—A quantity of good potatoes delivered in Markdale this and next week. Wm. Shields.

W. A. Brown, jeweller, draws the attention of the public this week through our advertising columns.

NEXT Thursday will be Thanksgiving day and will therefore be a public holiday. The STANDARD will be issued on Wednesday.

"YER a broth of a boy," said Maggie And Pat replied, as he slily put his arm round her waist, "Oi'd be better broth if I had a little mate."

ON Saturday October 18 the Owen Sound Times commenced publishing a daily "The Evening Times." We wish it long life and prosperity.

THERE are two reasons why some people don't mind their own business. One is that they haven't any mind, the other that they haven't any business.

A FORESTER SHOT.—Mr. Donald McDonald, Griffin's corner, shot a fine deer on Friday last. He brought the carcas to Markdale on Saturday, selling it to F. Sarjeant, the butcher.

READ McFarland's new adv. It will pay you. He gives good value for your money. Notice how much he crowds into his advertisement: he's bound to have the worth of his money too.

A SLIGHT change has been made in the C. P. R. time table. Trains are due at Markdale as follows: going north, 4 minutes to 12 a. m. and 10 minutes to 9 p. m. Going south, 11 minutes to 7 a. m. and 10 minutes to 5 p. m.

SALE—At lot 7, con. 6, Euphrasia, on Friday, October 31, at 1 o'clock, consisting of stock, implements, household furniture, &c. Messrs. John and James Caruthers are giving up farming and will sell without reserve. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

THE Daily Telegram, published at Vancouver, B. C., is now settled in its new quarters—a fine three-storey building erected for the purpse—is equipped in the most modern style, and recently enlarged. It is a newsy, spicy, ably written and neatly gotten up journal and a credit to the city on the coast.

WE notice in the South Australian Registrar, among a list of biographical sketches of the Ministry of the newly elected Government, that of Sir J. C. Bray, K. C. M. G., who has accepted office as Chief Secretary in the Playford Administration. Sir J. C. Bray is a cousin of Rev. Horace E. Bray of this place.

YOU can get the Weekly Empire from now until the end of 1891 and a copy of Webster's for $3. Webster's Dictionary contains 1,708 pages, 1,500 illustrations, appendix of 10,000 words. Call at the STANDARD office and examine it and leave your subscription. Think of it, a $12 dictionary, and the Weekly Empire a year for $3.

PIE SOCIAL.—The Young People's Association of the Markdale Methodist church will give an entertainment in the basement of the church on the evening of Thanksgiving day, November 6. There will be pies galore, prime quality and great variety. A good program to follow. This is calculated to be a very sociable social: a real pleasant gathering. Admission only 15 cents.

SUBSCRIPTIONS taken at the STANDARD office for the following papers, any of which will be sent to the end of 1891 for $1, viz: Toronto Weekly Mail with Farm and Fireside; Globe; Empire; News; Montreal Family Herald; London Advertiser, and The Canadian Live Stock and Farm Journal. Hand in your subscription and save postage. We run the risk of mailing subscriptions. Terms spot cash.

JOURNALISM is having a great revival in Owen Sound. Until two months ago two respectable but slow-going weeklies "held the fort" at the county town. Now we see the semi-weekly Advertiser, the tri-weekly and weekly Sun, and the daily and weekly Times, each bright, newsy and attractive. If the town does not rapidly develop into a city it will not be for want of lively Times, a brilliant Sun and Liberal Advertiser-s.

To give a brilliant white light, a lamp needs a thorough cleansing every little while. The oil should be poured out of the fount, leaving no dregs on the bottom. The fount should then be washed in strong soap suds, rinsed in warm water, and dried. It should then be filled with fresh oil. The burner should be boiled in soda and water until the network that crosses it is freed from dirt and dust. If the wick has become clogged with the sediment, replace it with a new one.

I. O. G. T.—The regular quarterly election of officers of the I. O. G. T. was held on Monday evening last, resulting in the following being elected:—Chief Templar, J. K. Moffat; Vice Tem., Miss J. Pickell: Secretary, C. W. Casson; Fin.-Sec., A. Walker; Treas., Miss A. McCay; Marshall, Geo. Armstrong; Dep.-Mar., Miss M. Rutledge; Chaplain, J. Artley; Guard, Miss T. Littlejohns; Sentinel, Charles L. Moffat. The lodge has been very prosperous during the past quarter and will, no doubt, continue so in the next.

AN American merchant gives his views as to the proper way of sweeping a store, which we commend to the attention of merchants hereabout: We don't use a leaky old sprinkling pot to sop the floor all over in puddles when we sweep. No, sir! We have wet sawdust, and I put a row of it across one end of the store and sweep that right along to the other end, just like a regiment marching across a ten acre field. It catches all the dirt and carries it along. If it gets a little dry I add some more. Some folks scatter sawdust all over the floor, but that's no good; the reason for using sawdust is to avoid wetting the floor all over and to have something that will absorb the dust.

THE horsemen, of Chicago, Ill., a conservative journal on equine topics pays the following compliment to Canada in its last issue: "It is not an exaggeration to say that in none of our States is the breeding interest becoming more firmly established and making greater comparative progress at present than in Canada. The movement in general all along the line, from the sandstone headlands that are washed by the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the boundless plains of the Great Lone Land. Many parts of the Eastern provinces are as admirably adapted to the breeding business as the rich province of Ontario, the better sections of which in agricultural wealth will compare favorably with any of the States. A tide of good blood has steadily poured across the borders, and now almost every county in the Dominion has its well-bred stallion, and on many farms are gilt-edged matrons. But good tracks and good trainers are scarce in Canada, and progress must be made in this regard before extreme speed will be seen in the Northland. That progress will be made is sure. Never was there as much racing in Canada as during the season just closing, and good tracks and good trainers are but the natural development of racing. Nelson and Alvin have shown that great speed can be produced in lands that are snowclad in winter, and no doubt in time other Alvins will come across the line to show that our neighbors are not idle with the blood that we have sent them."

SOCIAL and PERSONAL.

Rudd Mathews left on Monday for Detroit.

Miss Ada Reynolds was up from Allliston this week.

Mr. John Murray, of Walter's Falls, called on the STANDARD last Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Currie and wife of Mt. Forest, are the guests of Mr. R. B. Currie.

Mr. W. O. Ewart was over from Meaford last week and gave the STANDARD a friendly call.

Mr. B. B. Clements, tailor, of Chesley renewed acquaintances with Markdale people this week.

Daniel Silverthorn came down from the Sound on Friday last and went over to Rocklyn to renew old acquaintances.

Mrs. James Boyd, of Proton Station, was the guest of Mrs. F. Sarjeant this week. Mr. and Mrs. B. move to Montreal shortly.

Mr. Wm. Walker came from Toronto last week to visit the old home and renew acquaintances. William is an industrious, steady young man and doing well in the Queen City.

Mr. James Douglass, of Landsdown; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill, of Orangeville; Mrs. Hewetson, of Toronto, and Mr. Will Douglass, of Collingwood, were present at the funeral of the late Samuel B. Douglass on Saturday last.

Wm. Lucas, Esq., banker, returned last week from Kansas. He says it will do any Canadian good to take a trip over to Yankedom and look into their institutions and monetary affairs, as it is sure to raise our own Dominion in his estimation and make him more contented at home.

Mr. W. R. Vandervoort, Post Master, Telegraph operator and cheese box manufacturer, of Sidney Crossing, near Belleville, was in Markdale this week on business. The Vandervoots are extensive cheese box manufacturers and the old gentlemen visited Armstrong Bros'. of this place in reference to a supply of vaneer for the same. Cheese box vaneer is only made in a few places in Canada and Armstrong Bros'. have the reputation of making an A 1 article.

Rev. Father Cassin, of Mt. Forest, was in town this week visiting Rev. Father Maloney, and gave the STANDARD a friendly call. Father Cassin was highly respected and esteemed by all who knew him during his pastorate over Glenelg and priceville congregations, and he is always a welcome visitor.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

GLASS goods, handsome and cheap at Rutledge's grocery.

Special bargains in WATCHES this week at Breadner & Casson's.

J. E. Trelford's is the place to buy stoves and cross-cut saws.

CROCKERY, handsome, cheap and plentiful at Rutledge's grocery.

FOR SALE—A yoke of oxen in fine condition. James Bell, Glenelg.

GET your slates, pencils and scribbling books from Rutledge the grocer.

IF your boots leak go straight to M. E. Douglass' and buy a pair of rubbers.

Old Iron wanted at Markdale Stove Foundry in exchange for cash

FANCY cups and saucers together with other fancy goods at Rutledge's grocery.

SPINNING and weaving done on short notice at the Walter's Falls Woollen Mills.

JUST fine: What? Those photoes Hamilton the photographer is turning out.

WOOL wanted at the Walter's Falls Woollen Mills in exchange for cash or goods.

JUST arrived at Haskett Bros. car load of No. 1 extra Canadian and American coal oil. Try it.

PARTIES desirous of getting up a Soiree should consult Wade, the baker, for the supply of provisions.

KEEP your feet warm and dry this cold damp weather by purchasing your boots and rubbers from M. E. Douglass.

500 MEN WANTED, TO BUY PLOWS.—Jackson sells the genuine Fleury, Wilkinson, Gowdy and McGill Plows, and don't you forget it.

To arrive this week 100 doz. table cutlery imported direct from Sheffield the finest goods, best value ever given in Markdale, at Haskett Bros.

BREADNER & Casson have this week received their large fall stock of VIOLINS, Mouthorgans, and general musical supplies. An inspection invited.

READER: If you want to sell or buy a horse or cow, sheep, yoke of oxen or any other article you can tell over 1,000 families through the STANDARD in one week all for 25 cents.

PARTIES having baswood or soft elm timber to dispose of during the coming winter will do well to see us as we want a large supply of above and will pay good prices. Armstrong Bros.

R. MCNALLY, the carriage maker, is prepared to supply the public with winter vehicles, light or heavy, tony or plain, of the latest designs and best quality. Call and examine for yourself

Holland Council.

Holland Centre, Oct. 8th, 1890.

Holland Council met on the above date for the transaction of business.

Reeve in the chair; members all present.

Minutes of meeting of Sept. 5th were read approved and signed.

The following were then read:—Account from Clerk of Sydenham for survey of townline. Account from Joseph Kehler, for sheep killed by dogs. Communication from John Coleridge re sidewalks in Walter's Falls. Communication from H. Collins giving statement of money expended in Chatsworth. Petition of E. Hanbury and 34 others for improvement of road on 8th concession.

Foster—Shute—That we give an order for $3 to the treasurer of Sydenham for McCullough and McDowell surveying on townline Holland and Sydenham, con. 5 and 6. Carried.

Hampton—Shute—That the Clerk instruct the Co. treasurer to erase all taxes against north part of S. W. part lot 23, con. 5, Holland from his books. Carried.

Shute—Hampton—That we grant an order to Wm. Foster amounting to $2.08 extras on Henderson's bridge.—Carried.

Galbraith—Hampton—That Henry Collins get an order for $25 for repairing roads in Chatsworth as follows:—J. Taylor, for lumber, 5.50; S. Foster for gravel, 4.50; 12 days work at $1.25 per day.—Carried.

Shute—Galbraith—That we pay G. Carrie $8.25 for work on townline Sydenham and Holland; we also notify the public that in future the Commissioner of the division must be acquainted or we will not honor the bill.—Carried.

Hampton—Galbraith—That the bill of G. J. Blyth for printing collector's notices and receipts amounting to $7.50, be paid.—Carried.

Foster—Hampton—That we grant an order for $10 to the treasurer of the Central Agricultural Society, Walter's Falls.—Carried.

Galbraith—Hampton—That the application of Joseph Kehler for pay for sheep killed by dogs be laid over to next meeting of council for further information.—Carried.

Shute—Hampton—That the prayer of the petition of E. Hanbury and 34 others be granted by giving $25 along with what is already granted—Carried.

Galbraith—Foster—That the Clerk get an order for $35 as part salary.—Carried.

Hampton—Foster—That Mr. Galbraith get an order for $5 for special services.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned till Wednesday, November 12th.

JAMES P. HARE, Clerk.

Wilson's Wild Cherry has been prepared by Archdale Wilson & Co., Wholesale Druggists, of Hamilton, for nearly twenty years, for the Cure of Coughs, Colds, Croup, etc. It has no equal. Take no substitute but get the genuine in white wrappers.

DISTRICT DOTS.

Southampton is to be lighted by electricity.

Tara and Port Elgin are now connected by telephone.

Meaford High School Board will pay $250 per year for a caretaker.

Harriston cheese factory has made 100 tons of cheese this season.

Dr. Landerkin, M. P., shot a fox recently. That's one good Act.

Walkerton carried by 39 a by-law on Tuesday last to establish water works.

W. P. Crossley will carry the mail from Flesherton to the railway station the next 4 years.

Acton council at its last meeting said, "let there be light," and the village is to "have a shine" forthwith by electricity.

Two sections of a train conveying Barnum's circus colided in Georgia on Tuesday last. Two men and eight horses were killed.

The dwelling of Edw. Adair, known as the town poor house, at Blenheim, Ont., was destroyed by fire on Saturday night. Loss $800.

The saw mill of C. J. Smith at Kinmount, Ont., together with 2,900 cords wood and 20,000 ties were burned on Sunday. Loss $12,000.

According to the official figures Canada supplied, in August, more cheese to the British market than all other countries combined.

The Toronto City Council has decided to redistribute the city into eight wards in place of thirteen, and to have 24 aldermen instead of 39 as at present.

A petition has been forwarded to the County Judge asking that sittings of the Fifth Division Court be held alternately in Dundalk and Flesherton.

The Wiarton Echo says that "the Port Elgin races were a frizzle this year owing to too much jockying." Wonder how much jockying is not too much.

PREPARING FOR WINTER.—The Baltic took on, at Owen Sound, on Monday evening, 20 tons of Eaton Bros'. Ale, consigned to local ports along the line to the "Soo."

The magnificent barn of Frank Thomas, 8th line of Sydenham, was burned last Sunday night. The seasons crop was all in it and no insurance on the contents and only a small one on the building.

The cross country railroad project, that is a line from the C. P. R. at Markdale or Flesherton through Durham, Hanover and so on to the lake is being revived. There is an air of probability about the scheme.—Durham Chronicle.

The O'Brien dive, in Owen Sound, has been broken up, Jennie O'Brien the keeper and Jennie Cole, one of the inmates have been sent to the Mercer Reformatory for six months, and Mary Burns, another inmate goes to the same institution for one year.

The staff of teachers in Mt. Forest public school has been re-engaged as follows: Mr. Westervelt, $700; Miss Mitchell, $350; Miss Whelpley, $300; Miss Nelson, $275; Miss Robinson, $260; Mrs. Jelly, $250; Miss Kilgour, $250; Miss Cobean, $230. Total $2,615.

A young man named Peter McLean, from Lake Linden, Michigan, arrived at Owen Sound by the steamer Pacific on Monday night last, put up at the Seldon House and when retiring neglected to turn off the gas and was found dead in the morning, having smothered with the escaping gas.

REMOVAL OF DR. HALSTED.—Dr. J. F. Halsted, Medical Health Officer for this municipality, removed from Acton last week to Kimberley in Grey Co. The Dr. has been here for a little over a year, but finding Acton too healthy a community for three medical men decided to settle elsewhere. His daughter recently removed to Kimberley and the Dr. will make his home with her. At that place he will have control of territory of a radius of seven or eight miles, ensuring a good practice. During his residence here Dr. Halsted won general respect. He was a good citizen and took a live interest in the affairs of the community. The Free Press wishes him success in his new location.—Acton Free Press.

TIMELY WISDOM.

Great and timely wisdow is shown by keeping Dr. Fowler's Extract of wild Strawberry on hand. It has no equal for cholera, cholera morbus, diarhoea, dysentery, colic, cramps, and all summer complainty or looseness of the bowels.

A Red Rogue Captured.

On Monday last Messrs. Wm. and R. B. Currie, egg dealers of Mt. Forest and Markdale respectively, and Wm. Jackson, implement agent, of this place, shouldered their shooting irons, and taking along a trio of dogs, struck out for a hunt. They viewed verdant fields and naked forest but game was beautifully scarce. At length the hounds gave tongue and the marksmen took position expecting a rabbit or perchance a deer to presently put in an appearance. Another moment and a large red fox came bounding along straight for where Wm. Curry stood. A tree hindered his taking aim until it was a few yards off when he opened fire, but the wily animal dodged the charge. The gun was a double shooter and Bill quickly emptied the second chamber, this time breaking a leg. This didn't stop the progress of sir reynerd by any means for he kept right on and Jackson gave him a charge but it was not until Bob. Currie had a crack at him that he lay down conquered. He was a very large animal and the nimrods returned quite satisfied with their luck.

MINING NEWS.

Mining experts note that cholera never attacks the bowels of the earth, but humanity in general find it necessary to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of wild Strawberry for bowel complaints, dysentery, diarrhœ, etc. It is a sure cure.

Markdale Council.

Minutes of 14th meeting of the Municipal Council of the Village of Markdale, held the 15th day of October A. D. 1890.

Members present—The Reeve and Messrs. Brown and Haskett; the Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Communications—From Tp. Clerk of Glenelg giving amount to be raised under By law No. 171. From J. S. Black re plan of Village. From County Clerk, giving amounts to be raised under By laws No. 399 and 400 County and railway rate. From Public School Board, asking for $350, for school purposes. Account from I. B. Lucas, John Orr, Empire, Reeve, Clerk and Assessor.

By-law No. 32 was introduced and read the first time.

Brown—Haskett—That the several accounts now read and submitted, viz. Empire, for advertising, $4.50; I. B. Lucas, for advice, $3; W. J. McFarland, selecting jurors, $2; Jno. Whitby, do, $2; R. C. Bryden, do, &c. $3.25; Jno. Orr, for wood, $1.50 and Jno. S. Black, for plan of Village, &c., be paid. Carried.

Brown—Haskett—That parties who have sold Village plots and who have neglected to Register proper plans thereof be notified to do so immediately otherwise the Village Council will take steps to compel such Registration according to law.

Haskett—Brown—That By-law No. 32 be now read a second and third time and passed.—Carried.

Council adjourned.

R. C. BRYDEN, Clerk.

The Birchall Auto-Biography.

The story of his life upon which Birchall has been engaged and which was completed last week is profusely illustrated with drawings by himself.

There has been keen competition among publishers for the work, and the New York Sun offered $1,000 for it, but The Toronto Mail outbid all the rest, giving $1,500, and thus secured the sole right to its publication. They propose to copyright before publishing, and thereby securing the full benefit from their enterprise. It is understood that the purchase money is to be paid to Mrs. Birchall.

Subscribers who would like to read this biography can do so by sending us $2,00 which pays for this paper and The Weekly Mail to the end of 1891.

The Weekly Mail will contain the auto-biography complete and fully illustrated,

RHEUMATISM.

Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism, is the only genuine cure sold. It is a new discovery and a truly wonderful medicine. W. Turner & Co. agents for Markdale. Price $1 per bottle. 542.

EQUAL RIGHTS.

All have equal rights in life and liberty and the pursuit of happiness, but many are handicapped in the race by dyspepsia, biliousness, lack of energy, nervous debility, weakness, constipation, etc., by completely removing these complaints Burdock Blood Bitters confers untold benefits on all sufferers.

Combined Wire and Board Fence.

(1) For many years after the old rail fences began to give out, boards and posts were the principal fence used here. At that time common lumber could be bought for about $8 per M, and a fence of four boards high cost about $1 per rod. Now such a fence would cost all told about $1 40. Some years ago I built a fence of posts and rails, which I have found very good. Posts ten feet apart, six rails, and a barbed wire on the top. If any one has old rails that can be used, he will find this one of the cheapest and safest fences he can put up, but be sure and keep the wire low enough to prevent the stock getting their heads between the top rail and it. The cost of this fence would depend on the value of the old rails and price of posts, which every one would have to judge for himself.

Some two years ago I built part of a lane fence in the following way, and am so well pleased with it that I intend to do more of it where needed. I set the posts eight feet apart, put a board 1 x 12 in. x 16 ft. at the bottom and one board 1 x 6 in. x 16 ft., three feet from the ground to bottom of the board, three barbed wires between the two boards, and one about ten inches above the top one. This makes a cheap, safe fence. Hogs will not get through, cattle and horses can see it, and there is but little danger of stock getting hurt on it. About the cost per rod or say 16 ft.: 2 posts at 10c., 20c.; digging holes and setting posts, 5c. each, 10c.; 24 ft. of lumber, at $15 per M. 36c.; about say 5 lbs. wire, at 6c., 30c.; labor of putting up, and nails, say 10c.; total per 16 ft., $1.06 I have put the price of material at about what they cost here, but this will vary in other districts to either more or less. Now, from what I have seen of this fence, I consider it to be the most economical one considering its safety, that the farmers in the older parts of the Province can build, as there is not near so much danger of stock hurting themselves as with an all wire one.—Thos. Good in Canadian Live Stock and Farm Journal for October.

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