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TUESDAY, July 28th

Work of County Council.

(From O. S. News.)

The session of the county council was uneventful. Our chief municipal dignitary resolved that the representative township municipalities should still be held responsible for their own roads, which means that through-roads of less irregular and unsatisfactory highway.

Reeve McFarland's proposition for a home for aged and infirm fell through, as also announced in former issue, 27 to 20. The day is coming, however, let us hope, when such a institution will not be so apparent in the council of Grey county.

The Glenelg deviation matter was telegraphed to the tender mercies of Mr. Scott and Mr. McArthur, the council feeling satisfied to meet all issues that may be raised in the courts.

Though the \$750 subsidy to township shows is continued, and some of them are anything but praiseworthy, the council refused to recognize the Walter's Falls show, yet it transcends any in the county and eclipsed both Collingwood and Kingston last year in the matter of entries. Farmers are a strange lot; having sides at the fair, continually at discriminating against farmers, when asked to recognize their own admirable agricultural institutions, they must needs propose the proposition down. Healy, there would be little sense in a farmer's standpoint in electing a farm to a parliament. The people interested in the fair, however, remember kindly their farmer-friends who voted for their modest request at the county board. President Reid and Secretary Holmes have certainly not received much encouragement from some neighboring towns.

The council refused to grant \$500, as requested, to Meaford high school. The request of the local law society will be complied with at an early date as possible. T. Fraser of Owen Sound and Thomas Allen of Durham were appointed examiners for the law society. The fee for high school attendance was fixed at \$1.25 monthly. The railway report presented by Mr. Clark, recommended that the government be still pressed for a refund of bonuses granted to railways now deemed national highways and that \$300,000 be allowed the county's delegates to the national convention.

There was little or no discussion of the equalization committee report. St. Vincent was reduced a few thousands. With this exception the old figures stand. The South Grey Paving Match association, like the Central show, was snubbed by the county council in including the treasurer. During the Saturday morning session three McFarland pointed out a county property report recommending the introduction of the water and sewerage system in the county buildings. He would cause to be laid 300 feet of water 6-inch pipes at a cost of about \$500. The latter pipes were soiled out.

Mr. Jones fought valiantly for a grant for the Central fair, but all to no purpose. Farmers are practically opposed to anything encouraging successful agricultural shows, like the Central.

Mr. Nicholas Head offered a resolution of condolence to Lady Macdonald, which he spoke to briefly and appropriately, concluding with the lines—
She was—but words are wanting to say what; But what a good wife would she be—she was that.

The review of Keppel seconded the resolution in a few laudatory remarks, and it was carried unanimously by a standing vote. At the suggestion of Mr. Melver a grant of \$500 was made for the town line between Sarawak and Keppel, and adjournment was brought about till Tuesday, Dec. 1, at 7:30 p.m.

\$5,500 in Purses.

For a year or two past the lovers of horse-flesh in the upper peninsula have been trying to arrange a trotting circuit taking in the larger cities from Ashland to the Soo. The Driving Park Association of the Soo; is making a great start this year and will offer \$5,500 in purses for races which will occur on July 29, 30, 31 and Aug. 1. This is the largest amount "churned up" by any association in the state outside of Detroit. The dates for the races follow close up to the close of the Detroit, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, West Superior and other big meetings, and the secretary is assured that there will be a large number of entries for all the events. A few grand stands, and stables for some hundred horses are being erected and everything placed in readiness for the greatest meeting ever held in the upper peninsula. On the success of this meeting will depend, in a large measure, the formation of an U. P. circuit.

Sunday School Meeting.

The sixth annual meeting of the Church of England S. S. Association, Diocese of Grey, was held on the 14th inst., in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Owen Sound. There were nearly one hundred delegates present. Markdale was ably represented by Rev. Horace E. Bray, Mr. R. D. Bigger, Misses E. and V. Ford and Misses and Madge Lucas. Excellent papers were read on "The Progress of the Church in the Diocese," by Mr. H. H. Torrington, "The Church in the Diocese," by Mr. H. H. Torrington, "The Church in the Diocese," by Mr. H. H. Torrington, "The Church in the Diocese," by Mr. H. H. Torrington.

Fire at Rocklyn.

W. H. Dodson's hotel at Rocklyn was struck by lightning about 5 o'clock Tuesday morning and destroyed by fire. The inmates had a narrow escape from being burned alive. There was a hard fight to save the stable and also Richard's store and Harry's blacksmith shop. Mr. Dodson kept a goodly stock of goods in the hotel and the post office in the same premises or block all of which were consumed. It is said that there was no insurance. We hope this report is untrue.

PICNICING.

What the people would like to know about the Eugenia picnic.
When there will be another?
How the girls liked the whirl-around?
Where Alf got that hat and Willie those shoes?
The couple that sat by the bubbling brook all afternoon?
How small Oscar felt after he saw the gray horse?
Why Radd didn't remain in Fleisheit?
Who didn't get wet coming home and why—Eh?
Who Dicky found those pigs feet?
How many were sick?

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL.

Mrs. Banks, of Laurel, is the guest of Mrs. S. J. Helber.
Miss Malloy and Master Willie Millspaugh are up from Toronto rusticiating.
Mr. John Dundas, of Hamilton, is visiting friends in Markdale for a few weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Armstrong returned this week after spending a month with friends in Toronto.
Mr. Oscar Wright, of Detroit, Mich., spent four days this week with parents and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Edward Burnett, of Durban, visited friends in Markdale and vicinity last week after an absence of six weeks.
Mrs. and Miss Wynne Gillibrath and Mrs. Elwood of Toronto are visiting friends and acquaintances in and around Markdale.

Mrs. J. H. Hull has been in Owen Sound visiting her parents in Opastry, Thos. Gamoy, Esq., reeve of Opastry township, and also Markdale friends.
Miss Abby Wright, of Newboro, Ont., was the guest of her cousin, Mr. S. J. Coleman, for a few days on her return home from Minnedosa, where she had been visiting friends. She attended the great Teachers Convention in Toronto this week.

OUTSIDE GLEANINGS.

Menford had a dense crowd on Dominion Day.
Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien are in excellent health.
Harvesting is well forward in Essex, and the yield of wheat is likely to be above the average.

The funeral in Owen Sound on Wednesday last week of Thomas A. Taylor, who was drowned the Sunday previous, was largely attended.
The third and last Municipal by-law in favor of bonusing the Grand Trunk connection, with Owen Sound Park Head was carried last week.

The council of the National Educational Association held a grand pow wow in Toronto this week. Some twelve thousand teachers are in attendance.
The jewelry store of J. F. Skales of Mt. Forest was entered by a supposed burglar on Friday morning, two weeks ago, but was frightened off before securing anything.

Mr. Fred W. Towner, banker, of Blyth, formerly of Wm. Lucas & Co's bank here, was married two weeks ago in Lucknow to Miss Mary Dodds, daughter of Mr. P. Dodds, merchant.
The C. P. R. steamship Athabasca and the steamer Pontiac collided near Sault Ste. Marie on Tuesday. The Pontiac was laden with ore and sank in 30 feet of water.

Mr. Allen, Indian Agent on the Sauguen River, has been under some disagreeable charges of late. An inspector was sent by the department to investigate matters, with the result that the agent was honorably cleared from every charge. It is said that the annoyance was raised by the gentleman who held the office before him.—O. S. Advertiser.

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

Local and Other Items.

Don't miss the Oddfellows Excursion next Wednesday, July 22nd.
Dr. T. E. Bennett has opened business at Rocklyn. See his card in another column.

The Oddfellows are taking special pains to make their excursion to Owen Sound next Wednesday a success.
Dr. Sinclair's next visit to Markdale will be on Tuesday, 28th July, instead of Monday, the 27th, as announced.

Four hours in Owen Sound next Wednesday is afforded those who take advantage of the Oddfellows excursion.
Wednesday, the 22nd, has been proclaimed a civic holiday in Markdale, and business will be suspended generally.

An excursion is coming from Fergus to Owen Sound on Wednesday, the 22nd, same day as the Oddfellows excursion, also one from Shillburne.
An exchange asks the pertinent question, what does the editor dislike more, than poetic contributions? The whole fraternity appears to shrink from them.

D. R. Donat, Auctioneer, will sell by public auction at the Markdale house, lot No. 4, cont. 3/4 Euphrasia, 100 acres, on the 24th July at 1 o'clock. See adv.
R. F. Brown, L. D. S., is intending being in Markdale from August 1st to 15th, Persons needing teeth filled, pulled, or put in call at W. A. Brown's jewelry store.

Owen Sound is one of the most picturesque towns in Canada, and no person should miss the opportunity afforded them of visiting it next Wednesday.
The Warton Echo entered last week upon its twelfth year of publication having continued to grow and improve until it is now in the front rank as a local paper.

Last Monday was a high day at Walter's Falls. A big crowd and successful day's sport. Look for particulars in Walter's Falls' correspondence next week.
Several gangs are engaged in erecting the telephone line between Orangeville and Warton. It is an extension of the main line and is to be in operation early in August.

Markdale railway station has been brightened up by a liberal application of paint outside. Indian red is the color. This station is kept very neat inside as well, by agent Cass.
While working in Armstrong's cheese box factory on Wednesday last Walter Hill, son of editor Hall of the Dundalk Herald, happened with the misfortune of getting the ends cut off two of his fingers.

Courous and timely thunder showers watered the country on Monday night and Tuesday. Hayrick is thus somewhat delayed, but the crop will be an average one after all the fears and lamentations.
The several by-laws in favor of granting bonuses to the Grand Trunk railway extension from Park Head to Owen Sound have been carried, and work is to commence on the new road before the end of July.

Mrs. S. Myrnes, V. S., has disposed of his horse and outfit, and we understand is going to Colorado, there to practice his profession. Mr. Cunningham is therefore deprived of opposition, or should we say, relieved.
Is it any wonder that pupils and students after months of hard study and days of mental strain at their examinations, should look forward with anxious fears and hopes to the publication of the result? No—sir—oh.

We have learned from the Secretary of the Markdale Mechanics' Institute that the grant from the Legislature this year is \$160.70. This is indeed encouraging and our citizens will be pleased to give the Institute their generous support.
Mr. Henry Parsons, brother of Mr. J. Parsons, treasurer of Markdale, bought a fine grand champion 100 acres of land near Park Head about a year ago for \$100, and after a hard struggle succeeded in raising additional funds to pay the Government the \$3 per acre necessary to obtain a patent on a mining location. Since then a rich silver mine has been discovered on the farm and Mr. Parsons is said to have been recently offered \$100,000 for his claim.

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