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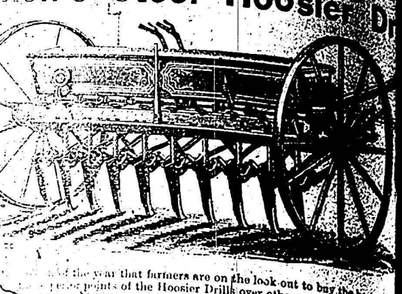

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THURSDAY, 5th MAY.

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

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.

Local and Other Items.

DIVISION Court on Friday, to-morrow.

DON'T forget the pic nic at the school grounds to-morrow, Friday.

DR. KENNEDY of Owen Sound died on Friday last of consumption, aged 33 years.

AN attempt was made recently to burglarize South Grey registry office in Durham, but without avail.

THE earth and people have been made to rejoice on account of the excellent rain of Monday and Tuesday.

BOWMAN & ZINKAN'S tannery at Southampton was destroyed by fire on Thursday last. Loss $25,000. Insured for $8,000.

WE notice by the Chilliwack Progress of the 28th April that Mr. A. Beattie arrived safely that week at Westminister with his shipment of horses.

THE post office at Meaford, Hillsdale and New Lowell have recently been burglarized and letters, postage stamps and cash stolen.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby forbidden to fish on Plewes' mill pond during the present season.

May 2, 1892. Angus Plewes.

A. AUDETTE, proprietor House of Commons barber shop, Ottawa, says:—A number of my customers are using Anti-Dandruff, and it gives the best of satisfaction and I consider it a success for the purposes advertised.

"FRED HENRY," the well-known Queen's Plate race horse, is said to be the fastest blood stallion in Canada and is being travelled in this district by J. Henry & Co. Those who wish to breed valuable horses should read this animal's pedigree, and be convinced of his superiority.

NOTICE.—The citizens and householders of Markdale village are hereby notified to have their yards and closets thoroughly cleared up and in a sanitary shape before the 10th of May as I will then inspect the same and take proceedings against all delinquents. Geo. Noble, Sanitary Inspector.

A SLIGHT change took effect in the C. P. R. time table, on Monday last. The morning train for Toronto leaves Markdale at 6:39 instead of 6:49 as formerly. No change in the noon train. The evening train for Toronto is five minutes later, 4:39 and, the night train going north is five minutes later, being 9:35.

FIRE IN CALEDON.—About noon on Saturday last McClelland's mill on the 4th line west was destroyed by fire. There was a large quantity of grain, flour, etc., in the mill. There was an insurance of $14,000. The origin of the fire is unknown. It was the breaking of the dam of this mill that caused the flood of 1889 over which litigation still continues.

FROM the official report we learn that Markdale Mechanics' Institute has the lowest running expense bill of any Institute of its size in the province. Every family in the village and for 2 or 3 miles around should join. Think of having the use of over six hundred volumes of books together with $50 worth of papers and magazines for a whole year all for one dollar.

A DOCTOR ARRESTED.—On Tuesday Dr. McCullough, who is staying at the Gordon House, was arrested at the instance of Alex. Kinch, of Orangeville, for receiving money under false pretences. Some years ago Kinch paid the doctor $7.00 to cure a disease which the local physicians said was incurable. The case will be ventilated in police court tomorrow.—Orangeville Post.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES.—Confirmation was held in Christ Church, Markdale, on Tuesday last when thirty-one candidates were presented by the rector, the Rev. Horace E. Bray, to the Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Huron, who received the rite of the laying on of hands. Rev.'s E. C. Jennings and Horace E. Bray took part in the service and the choir rendered choice and appropriate music. The Bishop addressed the candidates in a very impressive manner and at the close presented each with a Certificate of Confirmation together with a text of scripture as a motto for life. There was a large attendance and the service was interesting and impressive.

TAFFY SOCIAL.—Many of our villagers are now taking advantage of the beautiful spring evenings by indulging in taffy. Last Friday night they wended their way to Mr. Thos. Merrow's house which is about half-a-mile from the village and where a taffy pull was being engaged in. About 8:30 p. m. the house was well filled, not only with people but taffy as well. Whispers were going abroad for a moment or so, that there was going to be a very dry time, but shortly the taffy was administered, then the above whispers were without foundation. Soon some were sick, and some were sad, and some had lost the love they had. Quite a number by this time had assembled in different rooms and were earnestly engaged in interesting plays, etc. Their hunger for taffy had already quenched, but the more stirring crowd were still standing by the taffy which was partaken of until nearly midnight. Perhaps the most interesting as well as skilful part of the proceedings was the action taken by a certain party in capturing the taffy-dish when the ladies brought it outside to cool. As soon as captured they made quick steps to the Sangeen where taffy was soon cooled and reheated again in excellent style. Those who missed this pull surely missed one of the greatest events of the season. Proceeds amounted to about $14.—Zephyr.

Business Locals.

RAZORS honed and scissors sharpened by Smith the barber.

WADE'S bread wagon comes along punctually and his bread is invariably high grade.

TURNIP seed sowers and one wheel wheelbarrows, something new at Jackson's.

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CALL and examine those fine Road Carts at G. S. Mathers' carriage works, Markdale. They are as good as the best and as cheap as the cheapest.

ARTHUR A. ASKIN, the photographer is good on groups and buildings. Try him on your residence, school or church.

Buy your
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Purely Personal.

Messrs. A. Cornett and P. Heron of Dundalk, spent Sunday last with friends in town.

Dr. Sproule, M. P., was home from Ottawa two or three days and returned on Monday.

Miss Millie Lyons left on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. Chellew at Collingwood.

Miss Eliza Steer left on Friday last for Barrie and Tottenham where she will visit her sisters.

Mr. J. R. Cunningham returned on Tuesday to Toronto after spending a month at his old home.

Mr. Rudd J. Mathews left on Monday last for Listowel. He will likely visit Detroit, Mich., before he returns.

Mr. Jas. Shea, now of Maxwell, was in town on Tuesday. He looks well and reports trade good now at that village.

Mr. A. G. Hunter, the people's real estate agent of Dundalk was in town on Friday and gave the STANDARD a friendly call.

W. H. Thurston, editor of the Advance gave the STANDARD a call on Saturday. He came over from Flesherton on his bicycle.

Miss Anderson, of Longwoods, West Kirby, England, has been the guest of Rev. Horace E. and Mrs. Bray at the rectory for a week.

Miss Anna Hamilton arrived from Brantford last week and will remain with her brother John on the farm while her mother visits her son James at Muskegon, Mich.

Mr. J. Herb. Hall, jeweller, leaves today for Winnipeg where a good situation awaits him. Herb. is a very estimable young man and the STANDARD wishes him unbounded success in the west.

The Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of Huron, (M. S Baldwin, D. D.); Rev. E. C. Jennings, of Heathcote; Dr. and Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. Elliott, of Chatsworth and Mrs. Bray, Sr, were guests at the rectory last Tuesday.

Mr. T. E. Benson, jeweller, came down on Monday from Little Current by the first boat, calling off here to see his parents and friends. He visited Toronto this week where he purchased a new stock and will return to the island next Tuesday.

We regret to say that Mr. Geo. Richie, a respected citizen of this village, is in a critical state of health from la grippe followed by pleurisy and congestion of the lungs. He is now two months confined to the house. We hope the balmy spring weather may prove effectual in restoring him to his wonted health.

Mr Harry Jelly, assistant station agent at this place has been promoted and left on Monday morning to take charge of Fordwich station on the Teeswater branch. Harry was an attentive and very obliging official and made many friends during his short stay in Markdale. Master Willie Casar takes his place here.

Markdale Council.

On Wednesday evening last the council convened in their chamber, all the members present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's statement showing a balance on hand of $114.32 was read.

The following accounts were presented and ordered to be paid: Geo. Noble, assessor, $21.00; Thos. Pendleton, janitor, 1 year, $5; W. J. McFarland, expenses to Ottawa on Railway deputation $27.50; Joshua Dodds for sidewalk plank $157.50; Wm. Hughes, lodging two men over night, $1 and C. W. Rutledge, bills re contract of Barrhead mills bridge $1.

The Court of Revision will be held on the 20th.

A petition asking the council to build a town hall bearing 86 signatures was presented by W. J. McFarland, ex-Reeve and it was decided to call a public meeting to discuss the same.

Council adjourned.

Mechanics' Institute.

The annual meeting of Markdale Mechanics' Institute was held in the council chamber on Tuesday evening the 3rd.

In the absence of president McFarland Mr. W. A. Brown was voted to the chair.

The Secretary's report was full and satisfactory, showing among other items $200. paid for books, magazines and papers during the year. There are now in the library 768 volumes.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, C. W. Rutledge.
Vice-President, Mrs. R. D. Bigger.
2nd Vice.-President, J. C. Henry.
Secretary, T. L. Moffat, Jr.
Treasurer, Wm. Lucas.
Librarian, F. G. Moffat.

DIRECTORS.

W. J. McFarland, Rev. Horace E. Bray, W. A. Brown, I. B. Lucas, Joseph Lamb, Dr. Ego, W. Turner, P. McCullough Mrs. R. L. Stephen, Mrs. Cæsar, Mrs. M. Brown, Miss Madge Lucas and Miss Mabel Mathews.

AUDITORS.

R. D. Bigger and W. A. Brown.

A resolution was passed instructing the librarian to have the Institute open on Saturday from 3 to 5 o'clock p. m., and appropriating $10 for the expense of so doing for the year. This was thought necessary for the benefit of members living at a distance who could not conveniently attend at night.

Resolutions of thanks were passed, to the Council for the use of the council chamber and other favors, to the Secretary and Librarian for faithful efficient and courteous services and to Mr. McFarland, the retiring president, for valued influence and practical aid.

All kinds of
Foot Balls,
Base Balls and
Rubber Balls,
Skipping Ropes
and
Base Ball Bats.
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A meeting of the directors was called for next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock to consider the advisability of introducing certain new features.

We forgot to mention above that the Government grant this year to Markdale Institute will be $200.

Methodist Official Meeting.

The 4th quarterly meeting of the official board, Markdale circuit, was held in the church on Monday last, Rev. H. Davey, District Superintendant, presiding. Eighteen members were present, the financial standing was up to the average and the deficiency is expected to be fully met before the end of May. The pastor's members' report showed for the year: 1 death, 3 dropped, 10 removed, 36 received, total increase 22, present membership 251. C. W. Rutledge was elected as representative to District Meeting. The following resolution, moved by Messrs. J. Lyons and W. A. Brown, was passed by a unanimous standing vote:

That the Quarterly Official Board of the Markdale Circuit, now in session, desires to place on record their appreciation of the services and labors of the Pastor, the Rev. R. Davey, and ask, and request, a continuance; of his services another year.

The meeting adjourned until Monday the 16th May at 2:30.

S. S. Annual Meeting.

The annual official teachers meeting of Markdale Methodist Sunday School was held on Thursday evening last. Owing to a change in the discipline requiring the election of officers for the year to take place at the regular meeting nearest the 1st of May this business was attended to as above instead of the fall of the year as formerly. The Secretary and Treasurer, Messrs. J. E. Matson and J. E. Crone, read their respective reports, which were full and satisfactory. The election resulted as follows:—W. G. Pickell, Superintendent; W. A. Brown, ass-Superintendent; J. E. Matson, Secretary; Wm. Jackson, ass-Secretary; J. E. Crone, Treasurer; Geo. Armstrong, Librarian; Norman McCay, ass-Librarian. The teachers were re-elected as follows: W. A. Brown, J. E. Crone, J. C. Henry, J. Arkell, E. Rutledge, Mrs. Boland, Mary Stevens, Miss Stevens, Miss Pickell, Mrs. Bennis, Mrs. Pickell and Miss Morwood. Organist, Frank Pickell.

A Wayside Adventure.

(O. S. Advertiser.)

Alderman Lucas, of Toronto, has been in town for a few days, and on Saturday afternoon he and Mr. John Corbet, Jr., son of our well known townsman of that name, took a drive to Shallow Lake. When about two miles this side the lake on their way out they noticed that the roof of a small farm house was blazing fearfully round the chimney. They pulled up, and while the portly alderman proceeded to extract himself from the buggy with due regard to the springs, the younger companion sped on ahead to call the attention of the inmates to the danger menacing their home. Here, however, the difficulty came in, for apparently there were no inmates. Repeated calls and rappings produced nobody; but, looking through the window, Jack saw a baby cosily asleep in its cradle within. He speedily got inside, picked up the youngster, cradle and all, and transferred it to safer quarters under the sky blanket. By this time he was joined by Mr. Lucas, and seeing one man in the landscape ploughing at some distance they lifted up their voices together for his benefit. After shouting themselves hoarse they finally conveyed to him the state of affairs, and he unharnessed his horses, put them in the stable and strolled to the rescue. The travellers by this time had hunted up some pails, and a neighbor or two happening along a bucket brigade was organized and the fire put out by throwing water from the ground to the roof. The mother too returned from a call at a neighbor's and was much concerned to find her baby out in the cold. The drivers continued their journey wet to the skin with water from the roof; but next time they pass a burning house with a baby inside they will do their duty just the same.

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