# Markdale Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor.

MARKDALE DECEMBER 21, 1893


## LETTER POSTAGE.

A very general feeling seems to exist in favor of a two cent rate of letter postage in place of the present three cent rate in Canada. This is of course natural from a selfish standpoit. Some will contend that because the reduction from a five cent rate to three proved successful, and eventually increased the revenue, that a further reduction would have a similar effect. Others claim that because our American neighbors carry letters for two cents Canada should not be behind. Very plausible, but we must bear in mind the fact that the Canadian postal system covers about the same extent of area as does the American, and we have five million customers while they have seventy million and besides they have a deficiency in this department of over five million dollars. Our Canadian postoffice department has a deficit of some $1,500,000 as it is and it would be, in our opinion, premature to press for a reduction until the finances of that department are in a better condition. The question will arise, What can be done to better the circumstances and improve the prospects of the introduction of a a two cent letter rate? The first step in that line, we would suggest, is to strike newspapers off the free list. Why should the department carry tons of paper through the mails for nothing? The Americans with all their boasted advantages don't do it. They charge one cent a pound for all such. Then there is the much abused franking privileges of members of parliament. We venture to say, that these two changes alone would make up the present deficit in the post office department. By all means let us have a two cent rate on letters, but let the leakages be first stopped, so that the many will not be paying for special privileges for the few.

## Holland Centre.

My! Its cold. Aye boys, aye?

Master Eddie McVay is behind the counter in Mr. Price's store and we presume he will not let his employers step ladder to reach the goods off the higher shelves.

Rev. Mr. Pyatt of Durham and Husband of this place exchanged pulpits on Sunday.

Don't forget the Christmas tree, in the Methodist church, on Monday evening next in connection with the Methodist church on Monday evening 26th inst.

Mr. Dodge has lost one of his horses on Sunday night.

## Realford Road.

The Williston store and postoffice has changed hands. Mr. Wm. Hutchinson has moved back on to his farm. Mr. Samuel Gilbert is the present owner and took possession on the 11th inst.

Mr. Hutchinson still carries Her Majesty's mail between Orton and Flesherton.

In the fall it was the general remark that the oldest inhabitants had never experienced such mild weather for the time of the year. Now it is the very first time they never was such a stormy weather and so much snow so early in the winter.

There is joy in the household of Mr. J. L. Gardiner because of the arrival of a young daughter. Congratulations.

## Storm and Flood.

The storm of last Friday did serious damage in many places. In Toronto trees were blown in all parts of the city, owing to the weight of ice that had accumulated on them as the rain fell and were frozen to the branches. Many of the trees they fell began down the gas and telephone wires, stopping all communication. The street car service was completely paralized and the loss to the company will be from $10,000 to $20,000.

In Brantford the southern part of the city was flooded and that 200 houses were badly injured and about 1,000 people were thrown out of employment.

Orillia experienced one of the most severe storms which has occured there for many years. The storm was general through Ontario and the western states and did much damage.

## Markdale Council.

Markdale Dec. 15, 1893.

Municipal council village of Markdale met pursuant to adjournment, from Nov. 10th, at 8 o'clock.

Present—Wm. Lucas, Reeve, R. S. Rae, M. Armstrong, H. Mercer, G. M. Hoskett and McIlroy. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Accounts: Hassett Bros., coals, $46.50; Hassett Bros., lumber, $25; J. E. Tolgood, mileage, $8; John Marshall, teaming, $1.50; C. W. Rutledge, blanks, $14.20; W. A. Brown, salary, $12.50.

Mercer—Armstrong—That the accounts be paid and that the reeve issue his cheque for the same—carried.

Rae—Armstrong—That the account of J. Traynor for surveying and making plan of the village amounting to $199.00 be paid and that the reeve issue his cheque for same—carried.

Rae—Mercer—That this council remit the taxes of Mrs. George Ritchie for the year of 1893—carried.

Armstrong—Mercer—That Mrs. Nethercott receive a grant of $2.00 per month for the winter months—carried.

Haskett—Rae—That the treasurer's statement be accepted and printed—carried.

Mercer—Armstrong—That this council do now adjourn to meet again on Dec. 27th at 8 o'clock—carried.

### DEAFNESS CURED.

GENTLEMEN:—For a number of years I suffered from deafness and last winter I could scarcely hear at all. I applied Hagyards Yellow Oil and I can hear as well as anyone now.

MRS. TUTTLE COOK, Weymouth, N.S.

**The devil can always depend on the man who is mean to his wife.**

## Honor Roll.

St. Mary's school Irish int. Month of November.

Class 4—M A Kelly, J J Sullivan, M Sullivan, F Sullivan, J Ryan.

Class 3—J Butler, P J Kelly, P Butler, A J Black, M Ryan, D McRae.

Class 2—F Butler, F Kelly, L Sullivan, D Ryan, T Sullivan, J Butler, C Pearn, T Butler, A Black, J Connolly.

Class, Pt 2—A Butler, M Pearn, K Black.

Class Pt 1—J L Kelly, M Sullivan, D Black.

Ayo att. 20.

K. KENNEDY, Teacher.

## Dr. Rose's Cases.

CURED OF DIABETES BY DODDS KIDNEY PILLS, AFTER BLOOD POISONING HAD SET IN, PROVES THE VALUE OF THE REMEDY.—KINGSTON PEOPLE INTERESTED IN THE CASE.

KINGSTON, Dec. 16th, 1893.—The residents of this section of Ontario are deeply interested in the case of Dr. E. A. Rose of Portland who was cured when in the last stages of diabetes by Dodd's kidney pills. The reluctance of doctors to use, or even recognize, patent medicine is well known. The public, therefore, reason that when a medical man acknowledges that he owes his life to Dodd's Kidney Pills, and gives practical proof of his belief in their merits by prescribing them, these pills must posess extraordinary virtues.

## Figs and Thistles.

*(From Ram's Horn.)*

Love gains every time it is tested.

The whisper of a slanderer can be heard farther than thunder.

The man who throws a stone at another hurts himself.

Every man's life is a visible expression of what he thinks about God.

Some people are kept poor because they will not believe it is blessed to give.

The nearer we get to God the more we are tempted and the harder it is to sin.

The man who loves his enemies has something in his heart that God put there.

Finding fault with another is only a roundabout way of bragging on yourself.

The yoke of Christ will not fit a stiff neck.

A chronic grumbler can be set down as a person who loafs too much.

Some men join church from the same motive that others rob a bank.

All true prosperity begins by seeking first the kingdom of God and his righteousness.

No man can live right for a day who does not realize that he is to live forever.

If the wife does not get any good out of the husband's religion it does not come from Christ.

## December Sessions.

*(Owen Sound Times.)*

The December Sessions and County Court opened on Tuesday morning at the Court House before His Honor Judge Creasor. The Grand Jury first was as follows: Wm. Trimble, Artemesia; James Hastie, Egremont; Thos. D. Campbell, Derby; Wm. Gibson, St. Vincent; Alex. Dargavel, Bentinck; Robert McNichol, Collingwood; George Calvert, Bentinck; Andrew Ostrander, Proton; E. S. Cressman, Bentinck; Wm. Halliday, Sullivan; Samuel Taylor, Osprey; Robert Tindall, Normanby; Wm. Elgg, St. Vincent; James Mateer, Sullivan; James Stuart, Euphrasia; John Gardiner, Glenelg; Aaron Read, Owen Sound; John Walker, Artemesia; Andrew Brown, Keppel; Alex. McArthur, Holland; R. J. Kennet, Holland; Jas. L. Boyd, Sydenham; Henry Tucker, Glenelg; Isaac Sinclair, Artemesia. There were three absentees—Messrs. Calvert, Cressman and Gardiner. After Judge Creasor explained to the Grand Jurors their duties as such, they retired to deal with the business before them. Following is a summary of the work done by the court.

MOORE v. AGNEW.—This was an action for trespass to goods which was seized by defendant (James Agnew of Owen Sound) and claimed, by plaintiff (W. H. Moore, bailiff,) under a chattel mortgage. Judgement for plff. for $55 and Division Court costs with right to deft. to set off County Court costs. The Judge gave leave to deft. to move to have the judgement made entirely in his favor and this will probably be done. Lucas & Wright for plaintiff. H. G. Tucker for deft.

TELFORD v. MAY.—This action was brought by Telford & Co., bankers, Owen Sound, on a promissory note and judgment was given for plffs. for $122.10, the action being undefended. John Armstrong for plffs.

CLARK v. ORR was an interpleader issue and occupied considerable time. Judgement was given for claimants, Sargant Bristols, Toronto, and H. D. Smith, Owen Sound, for claimant, Alex. Skinner, Meaford, for deft.

QUEEN v. GRANT.—This was a case of alleged embezzlement of $5, the charge being made by James Fleming & Co., organ and piano dealers, Owen Sound, against P. C. Grant, an employee. The jury found the prisoner not guilty. G. MacKay for the Crown, H. G. Tucker for the defence. Grant has since entered an action against Fleming for $2000 damages for false imprisonment.

QUEEN v. COOPER.—The prisoner hired a horse and rig from Mr. Hannah, livery stable keeper at Flesherton station, but did not return it at the time stipulated and was arrested at Eugenia on his way back to Flesherton and committed for trial by the local magistrate. The prisoner it seems was hurt in a railway accident at Chatsworth some years ago and received injuries to the brain from which he has never recovered. The defence was based mainly on the ground of insanity and the jury brought in a virdict of not guilty. A. G. MacKay for the Crown, H. G. Tucker for the defence.

QUEEN v. GREEN.—The prisoner, Alex. Green, a negatio, was charged with stealing a coat at Dundalk, but the jury found him not guilty. A. G. MacKay for Crown, Lucas & Wright for the defence. Immediately on being liberated, Green was re-arrested on another charge—that of stealing money in Owen Sound.

KELLY v. LEE.—This was an appeal from a conviction of $1 and costs made by a magistrate's court in Euphrasia. The conviction was sustained. Masson & Evans for appellant, Alex. Skinner for respondent.

ANDRUS v. GOWDY.—This was another appeal from a magistrate's conviction. The parties reside near Meaford. The appeal was dismissed with costs. Wilson of Meaford for appellant, Masson, Q. C., for respondent.

This morning the Grand Jury presented a true bill in Queen v. Ira Clark, an assault case. The trial will take place at the June sessions, bail being taken for the defendant in two sureties of $200 each.

In their presentment to His Honor, the Grand Jury were exceptionally brief and merely referred to the satisfactory condition in which they found the jail. Judge Creasor briefly thanked them for their faithful performance of duty and dismissed them.

At 12:30 noon the court came to a close.

## Attention.

Young, old or middle aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart emissions lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring of vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c. in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to man sent sealed. Address M. V. LUBON, 24 Macdonnell Ave., Toronto, Ont., Canada.

## BIRTHS

ELLIOTT.—In Artemesia on the 15th inst the wife of Thos Elliott, of a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

SEWELL—STONNELL.—On the 20th December, by the Rev. W. J. Waddell, at the residence of the bride's father, Miss Ettie, daughter of Richard Stonnell, Esq., of Euphrasia, to Mr. Geo. J. son of Robert Sewel, Esq., of Artemesia.

HAMMOND—COLEMAN.—On Tuesday, Dec 19, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Wm. Hinde, rector of Christ church Markdale, Mr. Wm. D Hammond of Gore to Miss E. Sarah Coleman daughter of Mr. B. Coleman, Markdale.

HILL—BUSH.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Markdale, on Wednesday Dec. 20, by the Rev. S. H. Edwards, Mr. Silas Hill to Miss Lillie J. Bush, all of town.

### Markdale Markets.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fall Wheat | $ 60 to $ 63 |
| Spring Wheat | 57 to 60 |
| Barley | 25 to 35 |
| Oats | 27 to 28 |
| Peases | 50 to 51 |
| Butter | 20 to 19 |
| Eggs, fresh | 16 to 17 |
| Egg, salt | 12 to 12 |
| Hay, per ton | 5 00 to 6 00 |
| Potatoes, per bag | 60 to 60 |
| Wool | 16 to 18 |
| Beef | 4 00 to 5 00 |
| Pork | 6 00 to 6 15 |
| Hides | 3 00 to 3 50 |
| Geese, per lb | 5 to 8 |
| Turkeys " | 8 to 9 |
| Ducks, per pair | 40 to 60 |
| Apples, per bag | 50 to 55 |
| Flour, per bbl | 3 40 to 3 40 |
| Bran, per cwt | 70 to 70 |
| Shorts, per cwt | 80 to 80 |
| Chops, per cwt | 1 00 to 1 00 |
| Screenings, per cwt | 70 to 70 |
| Sheep skins | 50 to 1 25 |

### Toronto Markets.

| | |
|---|---|
| Fall wheat | 57 to 60 |
| Spring wheat | 56 to 60 |
| Barley | 40 to 41 |
| Peas | 50 to 50 |
| Oats | 30 to 33 |
| Hay, per ton | 8 to 9 |
| Potatoes, per bag | 45 to 55 |
| Butter | 15 to 22 |
| Eggs | 17 to 16 |
| Pork | 6 to 6 50 |


## Teacher Wanted.

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## Grain Chopping

Every Tuesday and Saturday at Markdale Cheese Factory.

This is a superior machine. Try it and be convinced.

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## Strayed.

To the premises of David Squire, townline, Holland and Euphrasia, about the 25th Sept, a yearling heifer, red and white, also about the middle of October, a roan colored heifer one year. The owner is requested to prove property pay expenses and take them.

DAVID SQUIRE,
Walter Falls.

## To Sell or to Rent.

A commodious black-smith and carriage shop in the best business stand; also a comfortable brick house for sale.

JOHN MCKENNA, Markdale.

## A MERRY CHRISTMAS

To all my customers.

**D. B. Arrowsmith,**
MARKDALE.

I beg to sincerely thank the people of Markdale and surrounding country for their very liberal patronage during the five months I have been in the HARNESS BUSINESS here. My most sanguine expectations have been more than realized and it will be my constant aim to give all who favor me with their custom the best of goods and satisfaction.

Call and see what I can do you for you.

Faithfully Yours,

**D. B. Arrowsmith.**

## "TIME AND TIDE WAIT FOR NO MAN."

The cold chilly winds of December are unmistakable reminders that a new suit or an overcoat is required, while the reunion of friends, the social gatherings and an occasional wedding during the festive season strongly suggest the desirability of a visit to Drinkwater, the fashionable tailor, from Chicago, so as to appear neat, comfortable and becoming in society.

A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

***W. H. Drinkwater,***

Over McFarland's Store, - Markdale.

### BEYOND DISPUTE.

THERE is no better, safer or more pleasant cough remedy made than Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. It cures hoarseness, sore throat, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles.



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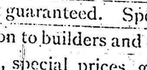

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It combines SIMPLICITY with DURABILITY SPEED, EASE OF OPERATION, wears longer without cost of repairs than any other machine. Has no ink ribbon to bother the operator. It is SEMI SUBSTANTIAL, nickle-plated, perfect, and adapted to all kinds of type writing. Like a printing press, it produces sharp, clean, legible manuscripts. Two or ten copies can be made at one writing. Any intelligent person can become an operator in two days. We offer **$1,000** to any operator who can equal the work of the ODELL. Reliable Agents and Salesmen wanted. Special inducements to Dealers.

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## DR. WOOD'S

## Norway Pine Syrup.

Rich in the lung-healing virtues of the Pine combined with the soothing and expectorant properties of other pectoral herbs and barks.

*A PERFECT CURE FOR*

**COUGHS AND COLDS**

Hoarseness, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Croup and all THROAT, BRONCHIAL and LUNG DISEASES. Obstinate coughs which resist other remedies yield promptly to this pleasant pine syrup.

PRICE 25C. AND 50C. PER BOTTLE.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

### FOR SEVERE COLDS

GENTLEMEN.—I had a severe cold, for which I took Dr Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I find it an excellent remedy, giving prompt relief and pleasant to take.

Too many people have an idea that religion can be measured by the length of the face.

Coughs, colds, asthma, hoarseness, bronchitis, etc., yield at once to Dr Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, the successful throat and lung specific

## A Good Month!

Well done November! It caps the climax of successful business and shows substantial trade increase in all departments.

The store has won many new friends as much on account of its versatility as the low prices. Almost everybody finds something here of interest, and many people do all their shopping under this roof. December of '92 was an immense month: we are determined to make December of '93 the most successful in our history of business. The prices quoted below will convince you we are bound to get there.

| | $ cts. |
|---|---|
| Childrens cider down cloaking worth 60c | 40 |
| Heavy curl mantle cloth wholesale price $1.25 | 75 |
| Heavy tweed mantle cloth, worth $1 | 69 |
| Rich brocade cloaking, regular price $3.50, now | 2 25 |
| Check costume suitings, worth 15c | 09½ |
| 500 yards costume cloth in cardinal, brown, grena, myrtle grey and black, worth 15c. | 09 |
| Roly foy suiting, 42 in goods, worth 30c | 18 |
| 38 inch cashmere, worth 25c | 18 |
| Ladies waterproof circulars, with capes, worth 2.50 | 1 00 |
| Mens all wool sox, long legs, worth 25c | 10 |
| 10 pieces blk worsted panting, worth 1.00 | 70 |
| All wool blk cashmere hose, worth 30c | 20 |
| Fine english worsted, 56 in, worth 175c | 1 25 |
| 60 in black italian, worth 50c | 30 |
| Mens silk and wool mufflers, 25, 40, and 50c, worth double. | |
| 25, 30, and 40c gents silk and satin ties, reduced to just half price | |
| 100 pairs mens felt tops, over shoes, worth 150 | 1 15 |
| Mens heavy top shirts, 50 and 75c, extra values. | |
| Mens wool shirts and drawers at 45 50 and 60c. | |
| Mens lined kid gloves worth 90c | 60 |
| Mens suspenders full length, 2 pair for 25c. | |
| Boy suspenders, 10c pair. | |
| Large silk cream handkercheifs worth 75c | 50 |
| Large colored silk handkercheifs worth 50c | 25 |
| Pure silk Japanese handkercheifs, silk embroidered edges and corners 2 for 25c. | |
| Lawn handkerchiefs, initial and motto corners | 10 |
| 6 teaspoons double plated on white metal, worth 50c | 25 |
| All wool, jersey strip, flannell, worth 25c | 15 |
| All wool grey flannel plain and twills, worth 22c | 17 |
| 1 case english flannelettes 32 in wide, heavy weights, worth 14c | 10 |
| 100 pairs boys leather faced mits, worth 25c | 10 |
| 54 in table linen, worth 30c | 20 |
| 2 butter towels, size 18X24 for 10c. | |
| English diaphertowels 29X40 14c. | |
| Torchon laces, 1c per yd. | |
| 1000 yds No. 24 satin brocade ribbon, worth from 25 to 75 | 10 |
| Ladies corsets, 5 clasps, full shape, worth 50c | 39 |
| Curling tongs, 5c pr. | |
| Coarse combs, 5c. | |
| 200 skeens woollen yarn, 5c sk. | |
| Childrens silk and wool hoods, worth 75 and 1.00 | 50 |
| 600 steel pins for 5c. | |
| 1000 scribblers worth 4c | 02 |
| Several cases Xmas goods to open. | |
| Photo albums 25c up. | |
| Plush boxes 25c up. | |
| Big assortment fancy chinkware to open. China cups and saucers 10c up. | |
| Fancy vases, 25c pr. | |
| Ladies ringwood knit gloves, worth 40c | 25 |
| Ladies cashmere gloves | 12 |
| Garter elastic worth 6c. yd | 3 |
| Ladies kid gloves | 50 |
| 2 bottles mixed pickles | 25 |
| New walnuts, per lb | 15 |
| Royal mixed candies, per lb | 05 |
| Finest selected new velencia raisins, per box | 1 00 |
| 6 lb good Japan tea for 1.00. | |
| Extra choice candied peels, lb. | 20 |
| Extra good value in mens over coats and suit. | |
| Extra value in Boys overcoats and suits. | |
| Extra value in furs of all discription. | |

## COME AND SEE US

You want the Goods!
We want the Money!

Trade early and avoid the rush! Come before noon if possible.

Inspect our Xmas presents before buying!

We will save you $ and cents on all purchases.

***W. J. McFarland,***

**Direct Importer, Markdale.**


## C. P. R. TIME TABLE

MARKDALE STATION

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| GOING SOUTH. | 6.42 a. m. | 4.12 p. m. |
| GOING NORTH. | 12.27 p. m. | 9.31 p. m. |


## Business Cards.

DRS. SPROULE & EGO, Physicians, Surgeons, Accouchers, &c. Offices—Dr. Sproule, n Turner's Drug Store; Dr. Ego, in Dr. Brodie's old stand, Mathew's block, where all calls, day or night, will be promptly attended

T. S. SPROULE, M.D. A. EGO, M.D., &c.

P. McCULLOUGH, Barrister, Solicitor, &c. Office—Over McFarland's store, Markdale. Money to Loan.

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HAVE YOU BACKACHE

WILL CURE YOU

*"Backache means the kidneys are in trouble. Dodd's Kidney Pills give prompt relief."*

*"75 per cent. of disease is first caused by disordered kidneys.*

*"Might as well try to have a healthy city without sewerage, as good health when the kidneys are clogged, they are the scavengers of the system.*

*"Delay is dangerous. Neglected kidney troubles result in Bad Blood, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and the most dangerous of all, Bright's Disease, Diabetes and Dropsy."*

*"The above diseases cannot exist where Dodd's Kidney Pills are used."*

Sold by all dealers or sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents, per box, or six for $2.50. Dr. L. A. Smith & Co., Toronto. Write for book called Kidney Talk.

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The undersigned desires to inform the public in and around Markdale that he keeps on hand a full stock of Groceries, Provisions, Confectionary, Flour and Feed, &c. Call and get

7 lbs. good Japan Tea for $1
3 lbs. new Raisins 25 cents
3 lbs. new Currents 25 cents
3 lbs. Cranberries 25 cents
3 lb. Pail Cottolene 45 cents
36 lb. Rolled Oats $1
2 lb. 2oz Cans Corn Beef 25 cents
2 Cans Salmon 25 cents
3 Cans Tomatoes, Corn or Peas 25c

See prizes given away with Mayell's London Baking Powder.

***S. M. OSBORNE,***

**Rae's Block, - Markdale.**

P. S.—Bring along your butter, eggs and poultry and receive the highest market price.

## MARKDALE Harness Store

I beg to intimate to the citizens of Markdale and surrounding district that I am better than ever prepared to supply your wants in all kinds harness made of the best material and by competent workmen, also brushes, combs, whips, harness oil, horse clothing, robes, fur overcoats, trunks, valises, satchels and everything kept in a first-class harness store.

Call and examine goods and learn prices.

***THOS. MATHEWS.***

## TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st Dec., for the erection of a brick church, stone basement on lot 5, con. 10, Holland. Plans and specifications may be seen at the house of John Sutherland, Sr., lot 5, con. 10. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Rev. J. F. McLAREN, B. D.,
Rocklyn, P. O.

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**The Most Astonishing Medical Discovery of the Last One Hundred Years.**

**It is Pleasant to the Taste as the Sweetest Nectar. It is Safe and Harmless as the Purest Milk.**

This wonderful Nervine Tonic has only recently been introduced into this country by the proprietors and manufacturers of the Great South American Nervine Tonic, and yet its great value as a curative agent has long been known by a few of the most learned physicians who have not brought its merits and value to the knowledge of the general public.

This medicine has completely solved the problem of the cure of indigestion, dyspepsia, and diseases of the general nervous system. It is also of the greatest value in the cure of all forms of failing health from whatever cause. It performs this cure by its great nervine tonic qualities which it possesses, and by its great curative powers upon the digestive organs, the stomach, the liver and the bowels. No remedy compares with this wonderfully valuable Nervine Tonic as a builder and strengthener of the life forces of the human body, and as a great renewer of a broken-down constitution. It is also of more real permanent value in the treatment and cure of diseases of the lungs than any consumption remedy ever used on this continent. It is a marvelous cure for nervousness of females of all ages. Ladies who are approaching the critical period known as change in life, should not fail to use this great Nervine Tonic, almost constantly, for the space of two or three years. It will carry them safely over the danger. This great strengthener and curative is of inestimable value to the aged and infirm, because its great energizing properties will give them new life on life. It will add ten or fifteen years to the lives of many of those who will use a half dozen bottles of the remedy each year.

### IT IS A GREAT REMEDY FOR THE CURE OF

Nervousness,
Nervous Prostration,
Nervous Headache,
Sick Headache,
Female Weakness,
Nervous Chills,
Paralysis,
Nervous Paroxysms and
Nervous Choking,
Hot Flashes,
Palpitation of the Heart,
Mental Despondency,
Sleeplessness,
St. Vitus' Dance,
Nervousness of Females,
Nervousness of Old Age,
Neuralgia,
Pains in the Heart,
Pains in the Back,
Failing Health,
Summer Complaint,
All these and many other complaints.

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As a cure for every class of Nervous Disease, it is unequalled, and is unable to compare with the Nervine. It is perfectly harmless in all its effects upon the most delicate individual. Nine tenths of the ailments of every family is heir are dependent on nervous derangement. When there is an insufficient and impoverished supply of blood, a general state of debility of the body is the result. Starved nerves, like starved people, become ugly when the right kind of food is supplied and fed, disappear as the nerves recover. As the blood has the power by which the vital forces are sustained, it is the first to suffer for want of perfect nutrition. It is the first to suffer for want of perfect nutrition. It is the first to suffer for want of perfect nutrition. It