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| Going South | 7:35 a.m. | 4:53 p.m |
| Going North | 12:20 a.m. | 9:40 p.m |


Every Man

in this civilized country wears clothing, and tho' a very limited quantity will suffice during the warm months it is all the more desirable to have that little to fit easy and comfortable.

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The Biggest Clothing Opportunity OF '98

Within the past ten days we have placed in stock what is unquestionably the biggest and best values in Ready Made Clothing you have ever had an opportunity of inspecting. The lot includes:

93 Men's Fine Tweed Suits

Clearing lines of a manufacturer—bought for spot cash—selling at less than former wholesale prices.

It will be worth your while to come in and see them even though you do not intend to purchase—by doing so you will be in a position to do some of your friends a kindness by informing them where clothing can be bought at right prices.

We mean what we say and nothing more than this—just now you can buy a nobby and serviceable suit for considerable less money than we or any other merchant could have done a month ago no matter what the quantity. You can judge intelligently of our entire lot by these:

Men's Tweed Suits, Dark Brown and Black neatly mixed patterns, strictly all wool, splendid trimmings throughout. We have them in all sizes from 36 to 42 breast measure at the elsewhere unknown price (quality considered) ..... $4.65

Men's Fine Tweed Suits, very neat checked pattern, medium light colors, extra fine farmer's satin lined, other trimmings good. We sold this same line earlier in the season though for a good deal more money, the price now being only ..... 4.85

Men's Dark Tweed Suits, pure wool goods, very neat and tasty patterns. These are all well trimmed and perfect fitters in sizes 36 to 42 breast measure. The saving we will effect you on this line will enable you to have a few holidays, price ..... 4.75

Men's Black Cheviot Suits, extra fine goods and perfect fitting. Equal in every respect to a fine tailor made suit. You would consider them fairly good value were we to ask $8 but no, they go at ..... 5.00

To make our clothing business surpass itself during July and August when other merchants are idle we may be placed in stock these extras. To make the prices still more interesting we will, during these months, give a special cash discount of 5 per cent on all clothing this lot included.

Perhaps you'll think we're forgetting the boys but we're not. Our stock of boys clothing is just right—right in quality and price. No better time to buy than now and no better place than here.

We have several broken lots of Men's Fine Tweed Suits—scarcely sufficient of any one line to make it worth while detailing, yet sufficient to give you a very good choice and a saving from some of them. Elsewhere you could scarcely get a cottonade suit for so little money 3.25 and 3.85.

Do not be induced to buy your Clothing from people who tell you they are selling at cost. That's too stale a yarn. Merchants are not in business for the fun they get out of it. Either they are telling you what they know to be untrue or they pay too much for their goods—two very serious hindrances to successful merchandising.

Notice Our Clothing Display in Windows

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Pastures are luxurient.

Haying is in full swing.

Strawberries have been a big crop.

Kit of blacksmith tools for sale. J Artley.

Binder twine has risen nearly one hundred per cent in price.

Mowing machines and binders are having a large sale this season.

A good local paper is a valuable help to a family of school children.

Remember the Anglican garden party this Thursday evening at Berkeley.

The Standard is now all printed at home and the circulation is rapidly increasing.

Our respected citizen, Mr R H Benson, is being married this Wednesday at Galt. More anon.

Dominion day was observed as a public holiday in town. There being no celebration at home the day was painfully quiet.

To the ladies—Get a can or package of plant food. Brings flowers to their fullest development in the shortest time, Stephen's drug store.

Any paid up subscriber can have a copy of the Standard sent to a friend at home or abroad the balance of 1898 for twenty five cents. This is a snap.

Members of Berkeley L O L, 176 will attend divine service on Sunday next, July 10, at St Matthias church at 2:30, when Rev M H Goldberg will deliver an appropriate sermon.

The Presbyterian garden party which was held at Mr A Walker's, "Nairn Glen," over a week ago was a splendid success and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Over $30 was taken in.

The Presbyterian Sabbath school held its annual picnic on Monday in McDuff's grove west of the village. The weather was cool and uninviting yet a pleasant afternoon was spent.

As an expression of good will the citizens of Rocklyn and vicinity placed the material on the ground and erected a commodious blacksmith shop for Mr Walter McCullough in that village recently.

Mr Alf Smith recently removed from the Irwin burying ground to Markdale public cemetery the remains of the late Mrs Thos Davis, also those of her son Samuel Davis and of three grandchildren.

Mrs Wright of Orange Valley, Artemesia has two choice farms, 100 acres and 150 acres respectively, which she wishes to dispose of. These properties are in a high state of cultivation, well fenced, clean and well watered.

About half past eight Tuesday evening a meteor of unusual size and brilliancy passed through the air in a westerly direction. It lighted up the whole village and country and was followed by a rumbling sound like thunder.

The members of L O L 1045 will attend divine worship in the Orange hall on Sunday evening next 10th inst. Bro Rev W H Hafoe will preach. The members will meet at 6:30. Neighboring lodges are cordially invited to join their Markdale brethern.

Some person building a house may save more than half the cost of a stairway by inquiring at this office. A complete stairs (straight) all intact, with posts, railing and balusters, to fit a space 10ft 8in high from top of floor to top of upper floor, three feet wide, sixteen steps. A bargain.

Cervera's fleet which has been bottled at Santiago, made an attempt to dash out of the harbor on Sunday when Sampson came down upon it with a swoop destroying the entire fleet and taking thirteen hundred prisoners including Admiral Cervera. Admiral Sampson lost but one man in the engagement.

A wise man takes advantage of opportunities. Same applies to the farmer who wants to buy a good second hand machine cheap. Would say that I have 2 self binders, Fleury make; also 4 reapers and 3 Patterson mowers, 2 Maxwell mowers, 1 Noxon mower, 1 Brantford mower, 2 road carts, 2 democrats, will guarantee satisfaction or no sale. Terms to suit the purchaser. Some of the machines will run for ten years yet. Now is your time when you can get your choice. Apply to J Coleridge, agent, Walters Falls. Agent for the Noxon Bros Manufacturing, Ingersoll.

**For Sale**

One New Morris separator threshing machine in good repair. Will sell cheap to good mark. W H Best, Rocklyn.

**Wanted**

A few thousand feet soft elm sawlogs. A specially good price will be paid for fresh cut timber. Armstrong Bros Markdale.

**Sunday School Convention**

The annual Anglican S S convention of the Deanery of Grey, will D V be held in Christ Church, Markdale on the 13th of July.

**Didn't Know His Wife**

When Mr Green, a Toronto traveler, left on a three week's trip, his wife was a yellow faced, fagged-out looking woman. When he returned he didn't know her. Her eyes were bright and her skin clear and she walked differently. Sloan's Indian Tonic did it. $1 per bottle. Sold at all druggists.

**Water, Crackers and Gruel**

Is the usual dyspeptic bill of fare. There are no sausages, no banquets, no little suppers and no fun. Take Sloan's Indian Tonic and get a healthy stomach, lots of vigor and then eat minced pie and cabbage with the rest of us. Sloan's Tonic is par excellence, the most perfect tonic cathartic known. Two hundred pleasant-to-take doses $1 Sold at all druggists.

**He Likes Manitoba**

Mr Jas Greenway late of Holland township but now of Newdale, Man, in a letter under date 30th June says, they are having lots of rain, and the crops are very promising. He expresses himself as being well pleased with the prairie country, and that the Standard is like a letter from home every week.

**Money Wanted Quick**

Standard subscribers are respectfully requested to examine your address label, and if in arrears have it rectified at your earliest convenience. You will feel better and so will we. If the paper is not all you desire or expect let us know so that we may endeavor to improve it, and the little arrears will help to do it. Quick now.

**A Tennessee Disciple**

Last Sunday p m one Rev S Jones of Nashville, Tenn, held forth in the town hall Rocklyn in the interests of the Disciple Brethren. There was a large attendance and the discourse was eloquent. A peculiarity in connection with the service was a man who stood at the door and sprinkled both women and children as they entered.

**DrChaseCuresCatarrh afterOperations fail**

Toronto, March 16, 1897

My boy, aged 14, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr Chase's Catarrah Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure. H G Ford,
Foreman Cowan ave Fire Hall.

**Wedding Invitations**

The Standard has had for many years a reputation for furnishing neat and up-to-date wedding invitations, announcements &c, and the necessary stationery. The correct thing just now is paper of superior quality but perfectly plain. $1.50 to $2.00 gets a very neat set. Our script type for this purpose is very handsome and appropriate.

**Chronic Eczema Cured**

One of the most chronic cases of Eczema ever cured is the case of Miss Gracie Ella Alton, of Hartland, N B. On a sworn statement Mr Alton says: I hereby certify that my daughter Gracie Ella was cured of Eczema of long standing by using four boxes of Dr Chase's ointment. Wm Thistle, druggist, of Hartland, also certifies that he sold four boxes of Dr Chase's Ointment which cured Gracie Ella.

**Rocklyn A O U W**

Rocklyn lodge A O U W is alive and progressive with a membership of nearly 40. It attended divine service last Sabbath at Temple Hill when there was a large attendance of members, also about a dozen from Markdale lodge. The church was well filled and the pastor, Rev J F McLaren B D, preached an appropriate sermon from the words "A workman that needeth not to be ashamed." When the brethren came together after service before dismissing a hearty resolution of thanks was passed to the preacher for his stirring sermon as also to the Markdale brethren for the courtesy in attending.

**A Good Dictionary for Three Cents**

A dictionary containing the definitions of 10,000 of the most useful and important words in the English language, is published by the Dr Williams Medicine Co, Brockville, Ont. While it contains some advertising, it is a complete dictionary, concise and correct. In compiling this book care has been taken to omit none of those common words whose spelling or exact use occasions at times a momentary difficulty, even to well educated people. The main aim has been to give as much useful information as possible in a limited space. With this in view, where noun, adjective and verb are all obviously connected in meaning, usually one only has been inserted. The volume will thus be found to contain the meaning of very many more words than it professes to explain. To those who already have a dictionary, this book will commend itself because it is compact, light and convenient; to those who have no dictionary whatever, it will be invaluable. One may be secured by writing to the above concern mentioning this paper, and enclosing a three cent stamp.

## Personal Mention

Mr W A Tuck Sundayed in Shelburne.

Mr Frank Hill is attending a wedding at Galt.

Miss Quigg of Proton Sundayed at Mrs F Sarjeant's.

Mr Ed Sullivan of Hespeler is visiting friends hereabouts.

Mrs Millsap returned home to Toronto on Thursday.

Miss Lilly Craig left for her home at Thornbury last week.

Miss Susie Irwin is home from Tilbury for school vacation.

Miss Mable Cæsar spent Sunday with friends at Flesherton.

Mrs Wm Jackson and daughter are visiting friends at Park Head.

Mr E Wurts of Proton visited his cousin Mr Will Corner, this week.

Mr and Mrs E Craig drove to Thornbury Saturday returning on Tuesday.

Mrs R Torry of the suburbs left on Tuesday to visit friends in Vaughan township.

Mrs J H Hedley and children are visiting friends in Chesley and other points west.

Miss Robinson, McFarland & Son's head milliner, left last week for her home in Wiarton.

Mr J E Crowe and Mr and Mrs Ennis attended the C E Convention in Priceville Tuesday.

Messrs Jno, David and Richard Henderson left this week for their home in Glen Cairn.

Mrs T Boland has been at Owen Sound on the occasion of the death and funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr Habert.

Mr and Mrs E N Fillow and Miss Walker returned last week to Bethel, Conn, after spending a pleasant month in town.

Mrs Alf Smith of Markdale and Misses Florence and Mabel Hunt of Traverston are this week visiting friends at Paisley.

Mr Mark Creasor and family moved this week to Owen Sound. The Standard joins their many friends in wishing them success in their new home.

Mr W J Shortill spent Dominion Day with friends at Erin returning home Saturday with his wife and daughter Debbie who had been absent a fortnight.

Mrs Donnelly of George street and her daugnter Mrs A Walker of Nairn Glen, Glenelg, drove to Innisfil tp, Simcoe Co, last week where they are visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs Edgar Rutledge and daughter, who have been visiting Markdale friends, spent Thursday and Friday in Toronto and left on Tuesday for their home in Winnipeg.

## Exchange Gleanings

Hanover Post.—"Ordered to be committed for forty days to the common jail of the county" was the order made by His Honor Judge Morrison upon the examination of a judgement debtor at Division Court here on Monday of this week. There is perhaps no more careful, patient and merciful Judge in Ontario than Judge Morrison and he is always exceedingly careful in imposing an order on a debtor, but in the instance referred to he was of the opinion that the debtor had deliberately ignored the orders previously made and treated them with contempt without having made any effort to pay the debt, and he said that if such conduct was permitted, and allowed to continue, that judgement summons might as well be abandoned. There is in some quarters a feeling against judgment summons' proceedings and public sympathy is usually perhaps with the debtor, people frequently forgetting that the creditor is often quite as hard up as the debtor, and that through the extravagance, waste, drunkenness, carelessness or cussedness of a debtor, or of a number of debtors, an honest, industrious, careful merchant, manufacturer or other man of business is often driven to the wall. Every man has a right to pay his debts and if he is able to do so, any machinery that will compel him is all right if properly used, and is required, for in these days there are too many who appear to think that they have only a right to pay such debts as they cannot by any trick escape paying.

Owen Sound Sun.—Young Mr I B Lucas of Centre Grey is justly regarded as a coming man amongst Ontario Conservatives. With intellectual strength he combines candor, exalted ideas and a happy manner that makes friends for him wherever he goes.

## Hamilton's Fall

Just one year ago this month John Hamilton, then reeve of Shelburne, was tried at the General Sessions of the Peace for the county of Dufferin, at Orangeville, on the charge of forgery and was acquitted by means of perjured testimony. To-day Hamilton, if not already captured, is a fugitive from justice and a ruined man. While we may have sympathy for his family and his friends, we must not forget the social, domestic and financial ruin that has been wrought on other families by his influence. It has been painfully apparent for some time past that John Hamilton had become morally insane, having lost all sense of right and wrong, and that his promptings were solely those of an overweening ambition to become a wealthy and prominent man in the community. The story of this man's crime, and that of his dupes, is a blot on our community equalled only by the arson cases. As Judge McDibbon remarked at Brampton, neither life nor property is safe where such a state of things is allowed to exist. One result of these prosecutions will be less perjury in our courts of justice, and a change cannot come too soon.—Shelburne Economist.

## Markdale Public School

ANNUAL PROMOTION EXAMS

Sr 3rd to 4th class.—To pass 415; maximum 830.—Stella Whitby, 542; Lucy Stafford, 517; Maud Bowers, 515; Lorne Noble, 505; Percy King, 505; Maggie Cox, 472; Mae Burnside, 447; Ivy Askin, 441; Winnie Haskett, 430; Flossie Scott, 436; Josie Kelly, 430; Lottie Symes, 420; recommended, Lorenzo Richards, 409.

Jr 3rd to Sr 3rd. To pass 415; maximum 830.—May Watson, 537; Alma Richards, 502; John McPhee and Alma Noble, 452; Nellie Symes, 448; Allie Currie, 437; Mattie Bush, 421; Martha Elliott, 415.

Sr 2nd to Jr 3rd. To pass 278; maximum, 555.—Fernie Watson, 336; Annie Irvine, 319; Walter Sarjeant, 314; James Fletcher, 312; Harvey Lucas, 289; Roland Elliott, 282.

From Jr 2nd to Sr 2nd. Names in order of marks obtained.—Jas Kelly, Leagoe Smith, Lois Irwin, Edwin Stafford, Maud Whitcoak, Gertie Burnside, Garry Nesbitt, Ethel Mathewson, Joe Crowe.

From Jr Pt 2nd to Jr 2nd.—Olive Henry, Mervyn Hebden, Lolita Brown, Myrtle Elliott, Lulu Boyce, Mabel Bowers, Clara Elliott, Gordon Marshall, Wilford Burnside, Bert Askin, Flossie Trelford, Mabel Bowler, Willie Haskett, Willie McFadden, Harry Tuck, Marcella Fogarty, Mary McLeod, Vina Morrow.

From In't pt 2nd to Jr 2nd.—Dora Walker, Hugh Macpherson, James Conley, Flossie Irwin, Roy Boyce, Allie Smith, Albert Stafford, Della Watson, Glady Haskett.

From In't pt 2nd to sr pt 2nd.—Stanley Fox, Frank McFadden, Willie Marshall, Arthur Sewell.

From jr pt 2nd to sr pt 2nd—Bettie Sarjeant, Mabel Mathewson, Frank Levi, Robbie McCullough, Muriel Crowe, Roy Noble, Stinson Mercer, Willie Trelford, Ruby Trelford.

From jr 1st to jr pt 2nd.—Vera Currie, Irvie Whitby, Clare Mercer, Bertie Bowers, Fred Lucas, Ethel Leslie, Rosa Goldberg, Walter Ricketts, Annie Creasor, Lina Hayes, Gordon Chellew, Lawrence Irving, Amelia Richards, Michael Kelly, Jessie Fox, Jimmie Smith, Ettie Clark, Fred Burnside, Willie Brown.


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We have a new field fencing with many superior points in its favor, easily erected, best wire used and so woven together, that all the wires combine to resist pressure at any point. Also lawn fencing, poultry netting, etc.

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Our order has been given for a good assortment of rattan and upholstered rocking chairs expected any day. These goods are sure to please. Call and look through our stock.

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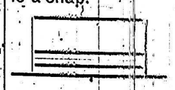

Men's nice light Straw Hats, style the latest, 25c, 35, 50 and 75. Nothing in the market to touch them at these prices.

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and benefit thereby. Women's Tweed Slippers usual price 25c, you can have a handsome pair for 15c or 2 pr for 25c. Ladies' Under Vests 5 for 25c. Ladies' Under Vests that were sold for 20c each, now 2 for 25c. 32 inch flanelette in stripes and colors usual price 8c, now 6c. All our stock of Crummie's Prints sold everywhere for 12½ now 10c, 2½ yd Lace Curtains worth 40c now 25c. Rubber Blinds with rollers complete, regular price 75c pr., you can take your pick for 50c. Clothes Pins five doz for 5c. China Butter Pads assorted patterns, regular price 60c doz, 4 doz left clearing at 25c doz. Good canned Salmon 10c per tin. No. 1 Pickles 10c per bottle. A fairly good Broom for 10c or 3 for twenty-five cts. Best Canadian Yarn in all colors thirty-five cts per lb. Men's Waterproof Coats in black or blue, guaranteed, regular price $3, we will sell at five dollars while they last. Our stock of Ladies' Parasols are not equalled in Markdale.

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