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Farewell to Summer

Looking back over the season just ending we have ample reason to be grateful. Not only has our business been greatly enlarged and friends and customers become more numerous but this has been the case at a time when our store alterations made shopping somewhat inconvenient. Just now when almost all the improvements in our store are complete, we feel confident of doing a larger business than ever. With this end in view we have made unusually large purchases for our fall trade - buying where we could get what will prove satisfactory to an intelligent public from British, European and Canadian manufacturers.

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125 yards Fancy Waist Silks, superb in richness and design, regular 50c Goods, special per yard 25

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Monday next is Labor Day and will be observed here.

The Standard enters this week upon its 19th year of publication.

Brantford Red Bird Bicycle for sale. Cheap. J Artley, Markdale.

Go to Jas Mowers's, Walters Falls, and get your fruit gems, 1 gal 85c and qt imp 55c per dozen, spot cash. Call at once

A good "Homer" bicycle for sale, in first class condition, will sell cheap. Apply to J Dowdle, with F T Hill & Co, Markdale.

Our thanks are due South Grey Agricultural Society for complimentary for their fall fair to be held in Durham Sept 27 and 28.

Seven horses were shipped from here Wednesday for Toronto Industrial. Prince Arthur, the carriage stallion being among them.

There is a large breadth of fall wheat sown this season much of which is already so advanced in growth as to cover the ground.

Mr Robert Abercombie of Euphrasia sold his handsome 3-year-old colt (by Prince Arthur) to Dr Sproule, M P for the neat sum of $150.

We will send the Standard to an address the balance of the year for twenty-five cents, or to the end of next year for one dollar cash.

The copious showers of last week have transformed the parched and brown pasture fields into a deep green and caused a vigorous growth.

It was Mrs Ralph Tuck's house, west of the railway, which was being re-shingled, not Mr Geo Crowe's as reported last week. Our mistake.

Mr Hugh Mercer has been unable to leave his home for the past week owing to a fractured ankle received when thrown from his buggy a week ago last Sunday.

Misses Buskin, Leslie and Donnelly, teachers in the Presbyterian S S School picnicked with their classes Friday last in Boyes's grove, and had an enjoyable afternoon.

In speaking of the Pope's successor the Chicago Tribune suggests that the Vatican be moved to Washington and that the Pope, with the President, be elected every four years.

Auctioneer Noble will conduct a public sale of farm stock, implements, etc, at lot 8, con 9, Euphrasia, on Tuesday Sept 13, at one o'clock, property of Mrs A Kennedy. See bills.

Secretary Geo B Holmes informs us that several entries have already commenced to come in for our fall exhibition, held 15th and 16th Sept and the best of prospects for good races and a large fair is assured. Prize lists are in a great demand.

Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses low. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

Mr Robt Marien the Montreal horse buyer has recently returned from the English horse market and will be in Markdale Wednesday the 7th Sept to buy 50 horses, good blocks, heavy horses, and some good carriage and roadsters. Must be sound and in good condition.

Mr Wm Howard, with Minnis Bros, met with an accident one day last week which necessitates him carrying his hand in a sling. He was working with one of the swift-running planers when accidentally the little finger of the left hand came in contact with the knives amputating it at the first joint.

We are informed the largest single shipment of butter that ever left Markdale was made this week by McFarland & Son. Some 647 tubs weighing upwards of 40,000 lbs, value in cash $5,000. They have some 50 tubs more in their cellar all of which has been purchased for their counters in less than 90 days. Truly a big business.

Grey Review—Plebiscite officers for Glenelg were elected at a meeting held in Glenelg Centre Baptist church on Monday evening last as follows: President, Geo Bunie; vice president, E Hunt; Secretary, Jno Graham; treasurer, T McComb. Committees were appointed for the various polling subdivisions and it is expected efficient work will be done.

Advertiser, Orangeville—Councillor Mathews and Clerk Macpherson of Markdale were in Orangeville yesterday enquiring into the method of constructing cement-concrete sidewalks. They spent the afternoon inspecting the walks in course of construction here, under the guidance of Chairman W Wallace of the special committee in charge of the work. The enterprising village of Markdale is about to adopt a system of permanent pavements and Messrs Mathews and Macpherson will carry back with them some useful information on the subject.

A surprising yet pleasant event took place at the close of the C E meeting of the Presbyterian church Monday evening when Miss Ena McIntyre was presented with a Book of Praise by the choir members on the eve of her departure to attend Model School at Durham. Miss McIntyre has been a faithful member and her absence is much regretted, but trust she will succeed in her studies and have a prosperous future. Master Angus Plewes was also made the recipient of a Bible and Book of Praise combined, he leaving this week for Victoria, B C, accompanying his aunt. The best wishes of the young people follow him.

Excursion Fares

The following reduced rates to Toronto are announced as follows: 5th and 7th $2.10, good to return on Monday and all other days to the 9th single fare good till the 12th.

Strayed

About the 20th July, two cattle, a steer and heifer 2-year-old came to my premises, Berkeley. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and get them.

938-40 John Pickett, Berkeley.

Harvest Thanksgiving

The annual harvest home services in connection with Christ church, Markdale, and St Matthias, Berkeley, will take place on Sunday September the 11th proximo. The collections will be devoted towards the rectory fund.

Globe Loan & Savings Co, Cor of Victoria and Lombard Sts, Toronto

E W Day, Manager Globe Loan & Savings Co, says: "I consider Dr Chase's Ointment invaluable." We have thousands of testimonials from prominent business men all over the Dominion.

School Opening

School re-opens on Thursday morning. It is important that all pupils be in their places the first morning. Pupils who have been promoted can not expect to go on with their new work unless they are on hand Thursday morning. Jas S Rowe, principal.

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Sloan's Indian Tonic is the first medicine to combine the tonic with the reconstruction treatment in the cure of disease. The blood is purified, new blood is made, the nerves, muscles and tissues of the heart, stomach, liver and kidneys is toned and strengthened, and then nature is enabled to throw off the disease which has been ravishing the body. For constipation, catarrh and chronic rheumatism, Sloan's Tonic is a positive cure. Sold by all dealers.

Piles Cured without the Knife, by Dr A W Chase's Ointment

Mr Geo Browne, painter, of Woodville, Ont, Victoria Co, says: "For thirteen years I was a sufferer from bleeding piles and the intense agony which I passed through during those years and relief I obtained by Chase's Ointment prompts me to give this testimonial. My physician wished me to have an operation but I felt I could be cured without the knife. Three boxes of Dr Chase's Ointment stopped the bleeding and effected a permanent cure."

First Shot

A well attended meeting was held Wednesday evening of last week in Hackett's hall in the interest of prohibition in the plebiscite campaign. Rev T G Scott occupied the chair as per arrangement of the executive. Mrs E Craig presided at the organ and a generous supply of music, vocal and instrumental, was given. The speakers of the evening were Revs Hunter and Simpson, both of which were able, logical and able. Mr Pickell also spoke briefly. The next meeting was put down for Wednesday evening this week.

It Worked

Orono News. A minister in a town not a thousand miles away, on a recent Sunday, surprised his audience by reading the following announcement from the pulpit: "The regular session of the Donkey Club will be held as usual at the close of the service. Members will line up just outside the church door, make remarks and stare at the ladies as is their custom. Any member known to escort a young lady to church like a man and sit with her like a gentleman, will be promptly expelled from membership." The application was to the point, and the effect marvelous.

A B C Bear Story

Midway, B C Advance

Mr J Bush our local blacksmith was out in the woods yesterday communing with nature. To protect himself from evils spirits he took along his rifle and it was well he did so, for while his thoughts were engrossed with the lovely scenes around him, the solitude of the forest was disturbed by the stealthy tread of a large she bear, which with glaring eye, and nostrils attuned to the detection of sweet morsels, was seeking diligently for food whereWith to appease her own and the appetites of her two youngsters which gambolled beside her. Following a mutual recognition came a sence of danger, and instress brain evidently considering discretion the better part of valour immediately withdrew from the presence of the hunter, and as she did not consider the order of her going, her exit from the scene was accelerated by the double discharge of a rifle. Evidently the report of the firearm jarred upon her nervous system sufficient to dull the maternal instinct, for in seeking her own safety, the mother left her cubs behind, and these fell to the prowess of Mr Bush, who now pleasantly regales his friends with the story of his adventure.

Personal Mention

Mr W L McFarland left Monday for Toronto

Mr and Mrs Wm Armstrong of Thornbury Sundayed with Mr and Mrs Ed Craig.

D B Brown of Meaford was in town Tuesday.

Mrs Wm Watson visiting in the city this week.

Mr Thos Boland left for Manitoba on Tuesday.

Miss Gertie Fletcher returned to Toronto this week.

Mr Hilliard Elliott is home from Toronto on a visit.

Mr H W F Lavender of Chesley was in town Monday.

Miss Mabel Mathews left Tuesday for New York city.

Mr Will Corner left last week for his home at Glenwilliams.

Miss Ena McIntyre left this week to attend Durham Model School.

Mr and Mrs R H Gordon left for Toronto on Tuesday morning.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Tuck of Owen Sound were in town last week.

Miss Allie Smith went with her aunt, Mrs E Hunt, to Manitoba recently.

Miss Ruth Badgerow of Meaford visited friends in this vicinity recently.

Miss Lottie Lucas left on Friday for Toronto where she will attend College.

Mr and Mrs E Raymond of Thornbury spent Sunday with Mr W H Smith.

Mr G A Potts returned last week from Tara where he had been holidaying.

Miss Annie Bush is visiting in Toronto also taking in the millinery openings.

Miss Trillie Littlejohns is this week attending the millinery opening Toronto.

Miss Maud Williams of Walkerton is visiting in town the guest of Miss Lyons.

Miss May Martin of Toronto is visiting in town the guest of Mrs Geo B Holmes.

Mr A H Stephen and wife of Meaford are the guests of Mr and Mrs R L Stephen.

Mrs W L Young and Master Norque have been visiting friends in Meaford for a fortnight.

Mr Fred Miller of Toronto spent the past week in town the guest of Miss Florence Askin.

Miss Maggie Cochrane of Mt Forest visited Miss Emma Wright of Orange Valley last week.

Mr John McDonald of Owen Sound visited his sister, Mrs W H Smith who is ill, on Sunday.

Mr T H Moore of Thessalon visited his parents, Mr and Mrs John Moore of Euphrasia, last week.

Rev D B Neely of Victoria University, Toronto, is spending his holidays with his parents at Harkaway.

Mr and Mrs Wm Reed of Alma, Mich, visited Mr and Mrs Alf Smith in town and Traverston friends last week.

Mrs P Clute of Wyville and Mrs Maiden of Collingwood have been the guests of Mrs Watson, George St.

Mr R Milsap left Monday to fill his old position as gate-keeper, at the Industrial, Toronto. Master Earle Wilson accompanied him.

C W Rutledge left on Monday for Toronto to attend the opening of the Foresters' Temple, which took place Tuesday and Wednesday.

Master Angus Plewes left on Wednesday morning for Victoria, B C. He purposes going to school there. Angus will be much missed around the Markdale school.

The Misses Sawyer of Woodlands (not of St Mary's) who are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs S Freeman of Artemesia, have gone to spend a week with Maxwell friends.

Mrs W A Wiggins of Owen Sound and baby have been visiting at the parental home, Mr and Mrs Rae at Harkaway for three weeks. Mr Wiggins came down last week returning with his family Wednesday.

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15th and 16th SEPT.

Giving large amount of cash prizes and no soap or rebate prizes accepted. This year's Fair will be much larger and far better that ever. Every prospect of two big busy days.

First Day

THURSDAY SEPT. 15th

At one o'clock p m. Trotting, running and bicycle races held on Mr J E Marsh's splendid exact half mile track.

Purse $10.00, Farmers' Run for farmers' horses only.

Purse $20.00, Open Run.

Purse $10.00, Farmers Trot or Pace, for farmers' horses only.

Purse $15.00, Local Trot or Pace, horses that have never won $10.

Purse $20.000, 2.45 Trot or Pace.

Purse $25.00, Free for all Trot or Pace, Mr J E Marsh's pacing stallion "Hal Forest" barred.

Mile heats, best 3 in 5 heats, entrance fee 10 per cent at place.

Men's Bicycle Amateur Race, free to all who have never won public money. Mile heats, best 2 in 3 heats. First handsome 8-day clock, value $6.00; second gold plated watch, value $1.00; third pepper caster, value $0.50. Entrance fee 50c.

Purse $5.00, Farmers' or Farmer's Sons only, bicycle race who have never won public money. First prize $3, second $2.00. Mile heats, best 2 in 3 heats. Entrance 50c.

Boys Bicycle Amateur Race, for boys under 14 years of age who have never won public money. Half mile heats, best 2 in 3 heats. First, watch value $2.00 second handsome pickle castor value $1.50, third, a pair cuff buttons, value 75c. Entrance 25c.

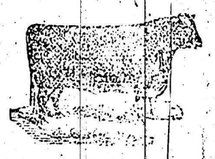
The track is in first class condition and is considered by competent judges and drivers to be one of the best trotting half mile tracks in the county of Grey.

In the agricultural hall the judges will commence judging at one o'clock sharp of grain and seeds, vegetables, roots, fruit, dairy and other produce, fine arts, horticulture, ladies work, etc.

The agricultural hall will be open in the evening at 7 o'clock and lighted by electricity. Admission 10c, children free.

Second Day

FRIDAY SEPT. 16th



Judges appointed from a distance.

Agricultural hall open at 9 o'clock a m.

Dr Sproule M P has kindly consented to open the exhibition at one o'clock p m and will give an address from the grand stand, also several other prominent gentlemen have promised to be present.

Judging will commence at ten o'clock of heavy and light horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, etc.

The pupils of Markdale and surrounding public schools will meet at school grounds at one o'clock p m sharp, when they will be formed in line each carrying a maple leaf flag and headed by the Markdale Citizens' Band will march to the fair grounds. All pupils in line will be admitted to the fair free. Mr J S Rowe, principal Markdale public school, in charge of pupils.

Markdale Citizens' Band will give some fine music on the exhibition grounds.

The special committee are making arrangements for special outside attractions and a balloon ascension. For full particulars see large posters.

The best prospects for good horse races and exhibition.

Since the prize list has been printed special prizes have been given by Mr J E Marsh. For best spring colt got by Antillo, 1st prize $1.50. For best one year old colt got by Antillo, 1st prize $1.50. For best two year old colt got by "Antillo," 1st prize $1.50.

A GRAND CONCERT

Will be given in aid of the Agricultural Society in Marsh's hall on Friday evening, Sept 16. See bills.

C P R will issue single fare tickets from Orangeville and Owen Sound to Markdale good for both days.

For Prize Lists or any further information apply to the secretary, which will be cheerfully given.

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We have 1000 yds of Dress Goods, 40 inches wide all wool, black, black, brown and green, which we are going to clear out at 25c a yard. The weather will soon be getting cool, you will want new stoves, pipes, come to us. We want your trade, money, or trade for your produce.

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