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MARKDALE, ONT., THURSDAY, JANUARY 26 1899
NINETEENTH YEAR.—No. 961
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Stephen's Drug Store

The Holidays

are over, but a suitable gift is always timely, and there are birthdays, weddings, and other giving seasons waiting all through the year. Our Christmas stock of Fine China, Glassware, Books, Toys, and fancy goods sold splendidly. The balance is now being converted to cash without much regard to cost, not to mention profit. If there's a birthday approaching, this is the time to secure a pleasant surprise for your friend at trifling cost and you can get it here.

You've Got a Cold
that may mean La Grippe. If it is not attended to immediately. Treat it with

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and its bound to disappear. Best possible remedy put up in two sizes 25 and 50 cents.

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The F. T. Hill & Co. Store

To-day Thursday
and the rest of the week

The time grows short, the opportunities thicken so does the attendance. To-day and Friday will be banner days for both the store and you and next week will not be far behind.

But there are many reasons why you should come to-day, rather than Friday, Friday rather than Saturday and Saturday rather than later. But at all times we will take care of you and make you comfortable and contented.

A Splendid chance in Ladies Mantles
A Short Story in Men's Frocks
Men's and Overcoats

A Stir in Prints

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Log Harvest Now.
Business keeps fairly active. There's a rush in wood and log hauling. Owen Sound lodge A O U has now 255 members. Every man who attends to his own business has a good steady job.

Wright's Photos are the best and cheapest. J. Wright, 107 St. Markdale. W. J. Andrews & Co of Thornbury will pay 27 1/2c for No 10s, 25c for No 15s, 35c for No 20s, and 45c for No 25s in the 10th cent of Enthusiasm. E. J. Bradley.

Farm For Sale. That valuable farm situated on the outskirts of Grey known as the Isaac Miller property consisting of 100 acres. For terms apply to Miss McFarland at the premises or to McCullough, barrister Markdale, solicitor for the executor.

Topic Social. A Topic Social will be given in the school room of the Methodist church under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society on Tuesday evening next, 31st January. Refreshments will be provided, and a social and enjoyable time is in store for attendants. A circular invitation is extended to all. Admission 20 cents.

Statute. The girl or boy who learns to skate, starts out with joy and air. Sison—Lily, for—Lily. A handeling lamp. Ten thousand stars.

Tenders Wanted. Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 18th February for the erection of a brick house. Plans and specification can be seen at Turner's drug store, Markdale. Tenders to be in whole or in part. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. David Foster, Markdale.

A Quebecer's Confidence in Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is the only reliable cure for Catarrh of the Bladder, Prostate, and Uterus. It is a pure, vegetable, and non-toxic preparation. It is sold by all druggists and chemists. Price 50 cents per bottle. Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is the only reliable cure for Catarrh of the Bladder, Prostate, and Uterus. It is a pure, vegetable, and non-toxic preparation. It is sold by all druggists and chemists. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Another Bank. The Merchants Bank of Canada have opened a branch in Markdale with Mr. W. A. Burrows as manager. It is located in the stand recently occupied by Wm. Lucas & Co. bankers and is now open for business. It is difficult to understand how another establishment of this kind could be in pay here. The accommodation heretofore seemed ample but the substantial progress of the local business has led to its growth and prosperity.

The Northern Business College. The Northern Business College, Owen Sound, maintains its high reputation as an institution for the thorough education of young people for the practical business pursuits of life. Money spent in getting a business education is invested where it will yield the largest returns, and no institution that we know of has become more successful in this respect than the Northern Business College of which Mr. C. A. Fleming is Principal.

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Personal Mention. Miss Simpson is visiting her sisters in Toronto. Miss Welsh of Kincardine visited Markdale friends this week. Mr. Eric Pitzer arrived Monday and will spend a week in town. Mrs. Madge Tines, Markdale, is visiting friends in town. Mr. Prentiss and Mr. Miller of Georgetown were in town this week. Miss Madge McNight is in town.

House of Refuge. A public meeting was held in the council chamber on Monday night when a representative gathering of citizens considered the question of the location of the House of Refuge. It was agreed that, considering the central geographical location and general advantages of the town as a site for the County House of Refuge should be strongly advocated, and to this end a deputaion consisting of Messrs W. J. McFarland, I. S. Rae and Wm. Lucas was appointed to wait on the County Council, which meets this week.

Arithmetic Progress. This is an age of progression, and he who would not be trod upon must "push along, keep moving." The syndicates, now so lavishly patronized by our Dominion government have given the impetus to the rural class, and the universal topic of conversation is "how to augment profits by combination of effort." The pork industry takes foremost rank in the public mind and the establishment of a pecking establishment meets universal favor in West Berkeley, Townsend and Bell's Lake settlements, with the "where-withal" to be kept subject to speedy conclusion, and I am informed that north and east of here the farmers are uniting upon measure. Berkeley is the locality most generally approved of as the site for the purpose, and will no doubt be confirmed when a public meeting will have been convened for that purpose.

Annual Meeting. The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Church in this place was held in Cooke's Church last Thursday night, and a most interesting and profitable session was held. The finances are in a very satisfactory condition with a balance in hand of nearly two hundred dollars after all demands being paid. There has been a steady advance in all branches of the work.

Help With a Dollar. The mortgage indebtedness on the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, totals an interest expense of \$2500 each year, a heavy drain on the resources of this great Charity. It will be remembered that in a recent issue of this paper the wonderful work of the Hospital was described, together with an appeal from the Trustees, making that the people of Ontario pay of \$5.00 each year, a heavy drain on the resources of this great Charity. It will be remembered that in a recent issue of this paper the wonderful work of the Hospital was described, together with an appeal from the Trustees, making that the people of Ontario pay of \$5.00 each year, a heavy drain on the resources of this great Charity.

Wedding Bells. At twelve o'clock on Tuesday the 24th a very pleasant event took place at "Rosie Ridge," the home of Mr. Richard Watson, of Arden, when his daughter Jennie was married to Mr. William J. Stevens of Hamilton, Man. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. R. H. Newell, pastor of Christ church, Markdale. The bride, attired in a travelling suit of russet brown, was attended by Miss Hill of Markdale, who was dressed in a gown of electric blue. A few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony, after which a sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of. Mr. Newell then proposed the bride, which all her friends thereat with which all her friends looked forward to her departure and wished her every good fortune with her husband in another part of the Dominion. In reply Mr. Stevens said that he believed what was the loss of others was his gain; and to all his friends present he extended a hearty invitation to visit him and his wife in their far-away home. The happy couple took the afternoon train for Toronto, on route for their new home. We wish all those who have known Miss Watson, heartily wish them God-speed and a prosperous life. Christ Church will joyfully miss the kindly offices of Miss Watson; for above all things she was a staunch Churchwoman.

Notice to Creditors. In the Matter of the Estate of James Henry Leslie late of the Township of Glenora, in the County of Grey, Farmer, Deceased.

14th day of February, A.D. 1899.

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