

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Big line chemosis skins suitable for making chest protectors and chemosis vests at Turner's drug store.

A quantity of hay in the barn and three stacks for sale by Lupton D. Thompson, Meaford Road, Ardenasia.

Messrs. Shaw & Chalmers, butchers, are preparing for a hot summer by nearly doubling the capacity of their ice house.

Mr. George H. Sheers, one of Clarkeburg's most respected citizens, died very suddenly on Thursday morning last.

Freshly put up, 1 gross Stephen's Condition Powders also Stephen's Horse and Cattle Food. Stephen's drug store.

Large frame dwelling; also two vacant lots, for sale in the village of Markdale. A bargain if sold at once. Apply to W. J. Bowes, Markdale.

A farmer in the vicinity of Chesley had a new cutter demolished by a ram who saw a shaggy opponent mirrored in the shining back of the vehicle and proceeded to demolish him.

W. J. Bowes, Fire Insurance Agent, of Markdale, is prepared to accept good risks of all classes on both cash and mutual basis. Get his rates before renewing your insurance. 1008-71

High Taylor, Shelburne, Mass., Harris Agent, has been promoted by the Company, and moves to St. John, New Brunswick. He was presented with a fat-lined overcoat by Shelburne citizens on the eve of his departure.

On Tuesday, 5th March, at half-past twelve, Mr. Robert G. Walker, Holland, will have a clearing credit sale of live stock farm implements, etc. Mr. Walker has leased his farm and will sell without reserve. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

The Liberals will meet in convention Wednesday, March 6, 1901, in the town hall, Durham, at 1 o'clock for the purpose of nominating, if deemed opportune, a candidate to contest the riding in the reform interest in the next provincial election, and also for other business.

The boiler mills at Inglis Falls, destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt on the weather will permit. It will be of the same capacity and the machinery very modern. In rebuilding very precaution will be taken to prevent future conflagration.

W. J. Benson & Co. received a message Tuesday informing them their store at Indian Head, Ontario, had been destroyed by fire. The message explained that the store was in the basement and had burned out. The injury to the store was due to smoke. Amount not stated. W. J. Benson left for the west on the following morning.

For Sale or to Rent: A large farm on the Third Line, near the farm of Osprey. Apply to Messrs. Wright & McArdle, Markdale.

Land for Sale: 1100 acres of land, 3,200 acres of first class land on the North West at \$2.25 per acre. Land close to the railway. It is a matter of two years, before it will be sold for 30 per acre. Now is the time to buy. Call and see me. W. J. Benson, Markdale.

Subbing List: Since last year an increase in the subscription price of many papers has taken place, chiefly owing to the great advance in the cost of white paper. Following is a list of rates for clubbing: The Standard and Weekly Globe \$1.80 Weekly Mail 1.80 Weekly Sun 1.80 Daily News 2.30 Montreal Star 1.80 Weekly Witness 1.75 Farmers Advocate 1.90 Toronto Daily Star 2.50

An Immense Machine: On Monday one of the most ponderous pieces of machinery ever seen in Owen Sound arrived over the G.T.R. from the Vulcan Iron Works at Wilkes-Barre, Pa. It is called a roaster, and is really a huge, revolving cylinder used on the rotary system in the manufacture of Portland cement. The roaster, which is sixty feet long, extends the full length of two flat cars, and weighs no less than 51,000 pounds, or nearly twenty-six tons. Its appearance generally is not unlike a steamship smokestack. It is made of half-inch steel and the riveting is quadruple. At the centre a huge conical roller is attached near each end. The strain of the immense weight was noticeable on the platform of the flatcars which were loaded down almost six inches from level. The big machine will be run on a temporary track. Another similar rotary will follow. The total weight of the two machines will be over 100,000 pounds and will cost \$12,000.—Times, B. C.

The ice harvest has commenced. Powley's Liquefied Ozone at Turner's drug store.

Thirty cords 30 inch wood wanted. Apply at this office.

Dodd's salve for sores, cuts and burns. Has no equal.

A school concert will be held in Blind Line School, near Bognot, on Friday evening, March 1.

Markdale hockeyists are doing a little practicing these nights and may have a game or two yet before the season closes.

Rev. Buchanan, of Dundalk, will preach in the Presbyterian church of this place on Sunday next, 2nd March, both morning and evening services.

A memorial service will be held in the English church, Berkeley, on Sunday afternoon next for the late Mr. Albert Allen, whose death occurred on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Jas. H. Lever, lot 123, con. 2, Ardenasia, is advertising his farm stock, implements, etc., for sale on Monday, March 11 at one o'clock. Usual terms. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

Mr. Robert S. Clagston, lot 1, con. 5, Euphrasia, will sell by public auction his farm stock, implements, etc., on Thursday, March 7. Sale at one o'clock and the usual terms. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

The report is current in Ottawa that negotiations are well advanced looking to the acquisition by the Government of the Great North-Western Telegraph system as a preliminary to nationalizing all the telegraph lines in Canada.

Edward Conrad, a railroad gateman, of Allegheny, Penn., suffered an injury some years ago which made it necessary to amputate one of his legs. Since then he has had five accidents, in each of which his artificial leg was cut off.

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.

At the sale of the McDuffie property in town on Tuesday Mr. Thos. Neely purchased lot 1, block G., containing three-quarters of an acre of land and a house, the price being \$800. Mr. J. E. Marsh purchased lots 22 and 23, block O, the price paid being \$50. The balance of the property remains unsold.

The Spring Assizes opened in the Court House at Owen Sound this week. In his opening address Mr. Justice Falconbridge referred in very appropriate terms to the death of her Majesty Queen Victoria and the large attendance was visibly affected. There is a large docket, principally civil cases.

There occurred in Thessalon, Algoma District, on February 15, the death of John McAleer, a one time resident of this county and brother of Mrs. R. T. McGillivray of Meaford. The Thessalon Advocate speaks very highly of the deceased, who leaves a wife and six children. His remains were interred by the Orange Order.

For Sale: Danish seed oats, free from noxious weeds. A. E. Irving, Markdale suburbs.

For Sale: One general purpose bay mare, weight over 1300 lbs. Good worker and sound, seven years old. For further particulars apply to Thos. Quinton, jr., Walters Falls, Ont.

Tenders Wanted: Tenders will be received up to six o'clock, March 4th, for the erection of a brick dwelling house in the village of Markdale, for the Rev. P. H. Hauck. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Revere House, Markdale. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. P. H. Hauck.

Farwell Party in B. C.: The Chilliwack Progress of February 13 contains the report of a farwell party given in honor of Miss Mina Graham, who was giving up her position in that town to take a course of training in the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland, Oregon. Two addresses were given her, one accompanied by a beautifully bound Bible and a copy of the Girls' Own Annual, from her many friends in the congregation of Cook's Presbyterian church, and another from her Sunday School class, accompanied with a handsome gold C. E. Pin. Both addresses conveyed to Miss Graham expressions of the esteem and affection in which she is held by her western friends, and best wishes for success in the honorable work she has undertaken. Miss Graham was formerly assistant post-mistress in Markdale, and is a daughter of Mr. Robt. Graham, of Vandeleur. Her position in Ashwell's store, Chilliwack, has been taken by Miss Edith Caesar, who left recently for B. C.

Personal Mention.

Miss E. Steer is in Toronto attending the millinery openings.

Miss Buchanan, of Galt, is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Ego.

Miss A. Wright left last week for a two weeks visit in Toronto.

Miss A. Mullin left on Saturday last for a visit to Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. William Mann, of Dundalk, is holidaying at the parental home.

Miss S. Armstrong is visiting her sister, Mrs. Campbell, in Thornbury. Miss Violet McDuff left this week for Toronto to attend the millinery openings.

Mr. W. A. Tuck was in Shelburne the fore part of this week visiting friends.

Mr. W. L. Young left Wednesday morning for Watford to visit his aunt, who is very low.

Miss Helen Morrison, of Owen Sound, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. McFarland, Enfield Villa, this week.

Mr. R. Cook and Misses Millie and Mary, of Caylon, visited friends in town on Friday evening last.

Mrs. Ballard and children, of Toronto, joined Mr. Ballard here last week and will reside here in future.

Mr. W. Lucas, of Toronto, has accepted a position with W. Turner & Co., and arrived in town last week.

Mr. Geo. Wilson returned to town on Tuesday, having accepted a position on Messrs. McFarland & Co's staff.

Miss L. Wright, of the Northern Business College, spent Sunday in town visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Armstrong.

Mr. G. W. Armstrong was up town on Saturday last after being confined to the house for some weeks with appendicitis.

Mr. Will Noble left on Monday last for Toronto where he will enter the hospital and undergo another operation for his old trouble, appendicitis. His many friends will be glad to hear of his early recovery.

Ladies and gentlemen who take Miller's Compound Iron Pills always grow younger in appearance and spirits. Sold by W. Turner & Co., Markdale.

The most durable paper is made by a guild near Nanking, in China, which supplies the Government of that Empire the leaves for its official documents. Some of these are over 1000 years old. Fireproof paper made of asbestos is another kind of great durability. The drawback to them, however, for printing purposes, is that although they will pass through a fire unscathed, they will come out snow white, without a trace of the printed letters or writing that was on them. The strongest paper yet produced is Manila hemp. A sheet of legal cap will sustain a weight of 300 pounds, and a man of ordinary muscular power cannot tear it across.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold: Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Division Court.

Division Court was held in Haskett's Hall on Tuesday, February 26, Judge Morrison presiding. The docket was small, but the cases were interesting, especially to those immediately concerned.

As usual, most of the troubles arose through a careless way of doing business and allowing accounts to run too long. One case, came about through a man giving a note which was to be paid in work. The defendant claimed the plaintiff was never ready to have the work done, while the plaintiff held that he never could get the work performed. The Judge said he thought the simplest way and the one most likely to give entire satisfaction would be to pay the money, and gave judgment accordingly.

An old timber case was amusing to the listeners at least. There seemed to be a multiplicity of plaintiffs as well as a number of defendants, and after Judge, council, witnesses and all concerned had wrestled, worried and floundered all over it, all through it and all around it, it was thought advisable for all to take a rest and tackle it again at the spring sittings of the court in Durham, when no doubt all concerned will go at it with renewed vigor.

A few judgment summons in which there was one committal ended the days sitting.

It is reported that the influential Commandant Piet Fourie and several hundred Boers in the De Wetsdorp district are willing to surrender if the Commandant shall receive a proposition direct from General Kitchener.

To Cure a Cold in One Day: Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Crove's signature is on each box. 25c.

McFarland & Richards Dundalk. GREY COUNTY'S BIGGEST STORE. McFarland, Gray & Son Markdale. Toronto. A Truly Up-to-date Store!

Progress is our watchword, and we aim to make this store the very highest type of Commercial Enterprise. Our building is one of the best in Canada, for we have spared neither expense nor trouble in making it so, arranging for every detail of heating and lighting so carefully that from the big, roomy basement up every individual department is bright, airy and wholesome. In addition to the superiority of the surroundings, there is the attractions of our price efforts from day to day, giving opportunities for great saving.

- AMONG THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS ARE: Skirt patterns that were 1.50, for 75c. 75 ct. Kid Gloves 25. 100 Curl Cloth Gauntlets, per pair 50. 375 lbs. 40c Keilton Tea at per lb. 25. \$4.50 Skirt Patterns for 1.50. 8 only Heavy Plaid Skirt Designs in this season's newest styles. 75 ct. Ladies Kid Gloves for 25 cts. \$1.00 Imitation Lamb Gauntlets for 50 cents.

TWO SPECIAL ITEMS! 9.50 Dinner Sets for 7.15. 40c. Caylon Black Tea for 25.

Foreign Dry Goods per S. S. Lucania. We have just been advised of the arrival of a large consignment of Foreign Dry Goods that are now being passed through the customs.

The Doctor's Advice. Led Mr. W. F. Lefflar, of Williamsford, Ont., to use Dr. Arnold's Tonic Pills. More money is spent every year for medicines for these diseases than would buy out half a dozen millionaires.

Look well after your Horses' Feet. If you have a horse that is worth shoeing have him shod well. Remember we do not burn the foot to fit the shoe.

Markdale Markets. Corrected each Wednesday. Fall wheat 63 to 65. Spring wheat 65 to 67. Oats 28 to 30. Pease 62 to 64. Butter 16 to 20. Eggs per ton 15 to 18. Potatoes per bag 7 00 to 8 00. Wool 30 to 35. Beef 5 00 to 6 00. Pork 7 00 to 8 00. Hides 7 00 to 8 00. Geese per lb. 6 to 7. Turkeys per lb. 9 to 10. Ducks per pair 60 to 70. Chickens per bag 40 to 50. Apples per bag 3 40 to 4 00. Flour per bbl. 80 to 85. Bran, per cwt. 80 to 85. Shorts, per cwt. 90 to 95. Chop, per cwt. 95 to 100. Sheep skins 50 to 60.

C. P. R. TIME TABLE MARKDALE STATION. Going South 7.35 a.m., 4.44 p.m. Going North 12.20 a.m., 9.40 p.m. To Rent: South half of lot 4, concession 10, Euphrasia, 100 acres, is cleared and is a fair site for cultivation.

Pine Expectorant. It has cured others. It cures yourself by trying it.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for cuts, Corns, Blisters, Boils, Sores, Fomies, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, Itchy Pimples, Cures guaranteed. Only 25c. at R. L. Stephen's drug store.

NEW CENTURY GOODS AND NEW CENTURY FASHIONS IN Suitings, Pantings, Top Coatings and Cuts. R. S. RAE, Merchant Tailor, Markdale.

FOR STYLISH Hair Cutting, Shaving, Shampooing, Singeing, etc., go to A. CROWSTON. Special attention to Ladies and Children's hair cutting. A call solicited. 200 Rolston Steam Laundry. Shop on Main street.

Painters' Kidneys. The worst thing a painter has to contend with is the turpentine. The lead, of course, is bad too. But the turpentine cuts the kidneys, inflames and weakens them, makes the painter's life a dangerous one and troubles him for the rest of his life.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. Fix them up—take out the inflammation, congestion, give ease to the aching back. Dr. J. Evanson, the well-known painter and decorator, 50 Oxford St., Toronto, said: About eight weeks ago I was with an excruciating pain in my back and the trouble was due to a stone in the kidney to the bladder. My water was loaded with a brick dust and scalded on passing. While in this condition I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and started taking them. I was not long before I got relief from the pain and have been improving in health ever since. My urine is now clear and does not trouble me, and I feel better than in years.

Notice to Builders. Do you intend to have your house bricked during the coming season, or build a new one? If so drop a card or call on W. H. LOVE, Markdale's new mason mechanic. Estimate furnished free. In the Clutch of Consumption. Don't neglect that persistent hacking cough till you find yourself in the clutch of Consumption. It's an easy matter to stop it now by taking DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP. The pleasant remedy heals and soothes the lungs and bronchial tubes, and cures lingering and chronic coughs when other remedies fail. Mr. W. P. Cann, writing from Morpeth, Ont., says: "I honestly believe I would have died of consumption only for Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I have used it for years and consider it has no equal for severe colds and throat troubles."