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District News

Contributed by our able staff of Correspondents.

TURNER'S DRUG STORE

If you
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Absolute
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buy it from us. It is guaranteed and money re-
funded if not satisfactory.

If you are not feeling well as you would like
to try a bottle of

Dr. Mack's Sarsaparilla.

We are selling it this month at \$1 bottle for 50 cts.

W. TURNER & CO., MARKDALE.

The Standard

MARKDALE,

is published every Thursday morning
at the Standard building, Main
street, Markdale.

TERMS:

\$1 per year in advance; \$1.50 if not
so paid.

ADVERTISING RATES:

1 yr.	½ yr.	¼ yr.	1 mo.	1 wk.
\$20.00	\$10.00	\$5.00	\$2.50	\$1.25
\$15.00	\$7.50	\$3.75	\$1.87	\$0.94
\$10.00	\$5.00	\$2.50	\$1.25	\$0.62

Legal Notices 8 cents per line first insertion,
3 cents per line each subsequent insertion.

Local and reading notices ten cents per line
for first insertion, 5 cents each subsequent
insertion.

Professional cards one inch and under, 45
cents per card for six months, \$1 for one month;

Advs. of Stray Animals \$1 for 8 insertions.

Adv. Farms for sale or rent—1 month \$1,
each subsequent month 50 cents per month.

Adv. of two or three lines such as Lost
Found, House to Let, Servants Wanted, etc., 25
cents for one insertion, 75 cents per month.

A reading notice up to ten lines in length
will be inserted once for any Church or Society
when posters are furnished, or when no ad-
mission fee or collection is taken, otherwise 25
cents will be charged for such notice. No
exception to this rule.

Advertisements will be changed every two
weeks if desired. For changes after this
the composition must be paid for at
regular rates.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

MARKDALE, AUGUST 1, 1901.

NOTES.

The Canada Paper Company's mill
at Windsor, Que., was destroyed by
fire on Monday. Loss \$200,000.

A searchlight on the Electric Tower
of the Pan-American Exposition at
Buffalo casts rays for a distance of 30
miles.

Winnipeg's Financial committee
recommends the acceptance of Andrew
Carnegie's offer of \$100,000 for a free
public library.

Mrs. Eddy, the head of the Christian
Scientists, is 84 years of age, and is
said to have made over a million dol-
lars out of the business.

King Edward has recommended to
the House of Lords a grant of half a
million dollars to Lord Kitchener, in
recognition of his eminent services in
South Africa.

The two brass cannon captured from
the Chinese by the British expeditionary
force under General Gaselee and
presented to the Canadian Government
have arrived in Ottawa.

A New York capitalist, Thomas F.
Harvey, who founded the Chewing
Gum Trust, is said to be forming a
biscuit trust in Canada, with thirty
firms interested in the amalgamation.

Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition was
opened Monday afternoon by Governor
McMillan. The exhibit is much in
advance of former occasions. The
President predicts that Manitoba will
become the world's chief granary.

The whaleback barge Sagamore
laden with iron ore, was sunk in col-
lision with the Northern Line steamer
Northern Queen, near Point Iroquois,
Mich., on Monday. Out of a crew of
eight men two were drowned. A dense
fog covered the water at the time.

Lightning destroyed the barns and
outbuildings of William Evans, a
farmer living near Allenford, on Sun-
day morning. The whole crop of hay
was burned, as well as a number of
implements and some fowl.

Prof. A. H. Welat, physiologist,
who visits Markdale occasionally, is in
trouble at Stratford, three informa-
tions having been sworn against him
for advertising as a doctor, causing
people to believe him to be a doctor
under the Act and with practicing as a
physician.

A shipment of small fruits to Ottawa,
from the Grimsby district, in the
Hanrahan refrigerator car, has proved
a big success, the fruit arriving in fine
condition at the capital.

Canadian Indian agents have arrested
a party of Americans, and confiscated
a launch containing whisky which the
Staders had brought into the Indian
reserve on the Rainy River for the purpose
of getting a portion of the annual
treaty money which had just been paid.

Sovereign Lord of Canada is an addi-
tion suggested in some quarters to the
title of the King. What is the matter
with Conquering Cocklebur or the
Colonies? But why have any monkey-
ing with the title? King is good
enough and sufficient for all the time
it will be needed. —Bobcaygeon Inde-
pendent.

Mr. E. Y. Godfrey, of Meaford,
received a bad shaking up last Tues-
day evening. While driving along his
horse stumbled and fell on its knees,
with the result that Mr. Godfrey was
thrown clear over the horse's head.
Somebody had wound a cable wire
around a telephone post and stretched
it across the road about 18 inches from
the ground. Mr. Godfrey was fortun-
ate in not receiving worse wounds.
The guilty parties ought to be made an
example of.

At the General Conference of the
United Brethren, recently held, it was
decided to refuse in the future to
license to preach any person who
uses tobacco in any form. Well done,
brethren. Truly the Gospel of self-
denial and self-sacrifice has no need of
ministers who cannot deny themselves
to the extent of doing without tobacco.

But how about the ordinary man in
the pew, who professes to live up to
the same Gospel of light? Has he any
special dispensation allowing him to
puff and chew at his own sweet will?
We have never heard of any.—
The Christian Guardian.

The finance committee at Grey
County Council reported having made
the County valuation as follows: Arles-
ton, \$1,140,000; Bentinck, \$1,165,
000; Collingwood, \$1,420,000; Derby,
\$740,000; Emporia, \$1,170,000; Egremont,
\$1,245,000; Glenelg, \$300,000;
Hollind, \$900,000; Keppel, \$700,000;
Normandy, \$1,570,000; Osprey, \$975,
000; Proton, \$1,025,000; St. Vincent,
\$2,420,000; Sydenham, \$1,280,000; Sulli-
van, \$1,225,000; Sarawak, \$230,000;
Owen Sound, \$1,750,000; Meaford,
\$465,000; Durham, \$320,000; Thorn-
bury, \$160,000; Dundas, \$115,000;
Hanover, \$200,000; Markdale, \$145,000;
total, \$2,019,000.—Mt. Forest Rep.

A prominent undertaker expresses
the following sentiments in a contem-
porary, which are very much to the
point: "I wish a law could be passed
prohibiting the barbaric custom of
opening caskets in public at church
funerals. It is a relic of dark ages and
has no place in a civilized community."

It jars on the sensibility of every
dear chord, and it is something that the
churches and undertakers ought to
combine and put a stop to. In nine-
tenths of the cases it is merely a par-
ticular ghoulish curiosity. People
who never spoke to the deceased in
their life time, parade around the
church, gaze at the form of one loved
one, then go out in the scenes of death,
not to talk of the scenes of death
done in their life, but to witness the
appearance of the poor clay that death
had left for once at their mercy.

Death is a secret to us all, and
therefore we must let it alone. After
being buried, the body is not to be
taken out again, excepting in the case
of a funeral service.

Mr. Leslie Smith, of Markdale, in
the chest of Miss Leslie Sheppard.

We are sorry to note Mr. Robert
Walter, of Markdale, of the line

Mr. John Hanbury has said the
new Presbyterian church at Dornoch

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Priceville

The splendid rains during the past
week have done a wonderful amount of
good to the green crops and vegetables
but those who have fall wheat cut are
beginning to wish for hot, dry weather
again.

Haying did not last long this year
owing to the ideal weather that pre-
vailed for over three weeks in July.

Mr. Cook has sold his farm to Mr.
Colin McLean and intends moving
farther west in a short time. Colin
is a busy man now-a-days as he has

two farms and a chopping mill to look
after.

Mr. Sidney Blakiston is preparing
material for the erection of a kitchen,
woodshed and workshop.

Mr. Hugh Walters has the stone
work completed for a new house. The
rest of the story will be told later on.

Mr. Henry Huddy has treated him-
self to a fine new buggy and a hand-
some set of single harness.

Miss Maggie Simpson, of Chicago,
and Mrs. Wright, of Buffalo, are visit-
ing their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John

Robertson, of Toronto, who are spending
her holidays with her mother.

Miss J. McMaster, of Sarnia, is visiting
her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Varley.

Misses Rachel and Minna Stothart,
of Detroit, are home for a few weeks
holidays.

Mr. Ruby Robertson, of Toronto, is

spending her holidays with her mother.

Mr. Trelford, of Markdale, sent Mr.

Walter Perkins and Clare Trelford to

erec troughs around the residence

of Mr. Geo. Proctor.

Mr. Geo. Cornfield, sr., mowed a

field of hay for T. Hawkins last week.

Stock hunters are seeking fat animals

here.

Mr. Willie Richardson and Master

Emerson were at this place.

Mr. Jos. Keake, of Duncan, and Mr.

T. Smith, of Kimberley, have started

the threshing machine.

Messrs. Stafford and Burrill have been

erecting a building for Mr. John

Drinklin on the W. Stuart farm.

Strange but true that Dr. Bibby will

not receive his clothing from Dr. Dan-

ard, of Rocklyn, but wished to receive

\$10 per day for a certain time.

Mr. Alexander McMillan narrowly

escaped serious injury one day last

week. He was standing on the back

out of a load of hay when the horses

suddenly started, thus causing him

to tumble to the ground. He was

badly shaken up but is around again.

We are pleased to learn that Mr.

John McArthur has arrived in Scot-

land. Our little burg is furnishing

quite a few visitors to the Glasgow

Exposition.

The many friends of Mrs. Allan

McMillan will be sorry to learn that

she is very seriously ill at present. Her

recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. Malcolm McMillan, of Glad-

stone, Man., has purchased two car-

loads of horses around here which he

intends shipping to the prairie previ-

ously this week. He gave good prices.

Many of the residents of this com-
munity will be sorry to learn of the

death of Mr. Thomas Bell, of Dromore.

Mr. Bell was well known in this

community, as he was an extensive cattle

and horse buyer.

Mr. Alexander McMillan, of the S.

L. intends leaving for the North West