

Established 1890.

Wm. Lucas &

Bankers,

MARKDALE, ONT.

Transact a general banking business. Ample capital enables us to afford liberal loans at reasonable rates with sound banking principles.

We make a specialty of improved mortgage security on first class farm property. Interest from 4½ to 5½ per centum. Agents in Canada.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

LOCAL AND

Fresh field and garden vegetables.

For Sale. Three young bulls, also three good young heifers.

New stock of Sherwin Williams paints just opened at Stephen's drug store.

Mr. James Hastie, of D. pioneer of Germanton town on Saturday, March 2nd.

For want of space we are condoning matter this week running a supplement.

Found. A sum of money can have some by paying Dr. Apply to W. R. Burnett, M.D.

A good comfortable houseable location, brining \$132 will be sold for \$1,400. At this office.

House for sale, in Markdale, 14 foot walls, 8 rooms, good size of house, wood shingled. This office.

Up-to-date farmers now farm named, and their bales printed. Give THE STANDARD when in need of any.

Toronto despatches state been decided to hold the elections on Tuesday, June 1st. The statement is as yet not

Murphy's saw mill, steam engine and boiler house, a siding, 8 miles from Oshawa, destroyed by fire Friday last about \$8,000.

Mr. Thomas J. Smith sold a 3-year-old colt to a sum of \$150. It pays to get kind of horses. Mr. James was the buyer.

During Lent there will be the Anglican church every evening at 7.30 in anti-regular Sunday services, communion every Sunday morning.

Every business man's envelopes and letter boxes. The STANDARD office carry stock of material and do prompt, neatly, and at very reasonable rates.

A heavy draught team belonging to Frank Robinson, at Woodstock, were drowned in the bay on Monday evening. The team backed into a hole while they were hauling ice and rescued.

Mrs. Annie Shears, Euphrasia, will hold a clearing sale of live stock etc., on Thursday evening at one o'clock, commencing at one o'clock. Credit given on approved Noble, auctioneer.

Messrs. Harry H. Glover, of this place, have a general store in Simcoe, are already in possession, this week to join his son in charge. The STANDARD respects young men engaged in their new venture.

The Grey County Council has passed a bylaw requiring that before conducting a sale a license and acquaintance be issued; also that hawkers, peddlers, cabmen be required to carry a card where it can be seen. A reward of \$10 is offered for every person securing for this or other by laws.

We learn from the correspondence of the Brampton Star of Feb. 28th, that Mr. John Steer, of Markdale, of that place died on the 22nd. Deceased contracted a slight illness a week prior to his death, and was known by many as Mrs. John Steer, of the daughter of the deceased.

The beautiful, one and only, Father Hanck to the best of the "Colts" of Markdale, shot for last week on the range by Al. Sproule securing the shot. The game created interest among the curlers offered by W. J. McFarlane, individual curler in Markdale, contested for as soon as the proper shape.

R. H. BENSON & CO.

GIVING UP BUSINESS

IN MARKDALE.

Will hold a Clearing Sale for 60 Days

Everything in the stores will be sold at the rate of 75 cts. on wholesale price. This means 25 per cent below cost price. Do not miss this opportunity for buying goods for less than ever they were sold in Markdale.

This is a genuine Clearing Sale. No reserve as we are going to Dundalk. We must reduce the stock at any price.

THE TERMS OF THIS SALE WILL BE CASH.

CASH PRICES ALLOWED FOR YOUR BUTTER AND EGGS.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE FIRM will be asked to pay their accounts at once. After two weeks the accounts will be placed in the lawyer's hands for collection.

Every article in the store will be slaughtered regardless of cost.

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