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# Markdale Standard.

22ND YEAR.—No. 1131. MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1902. \$1.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

**Thornbury is talking fire protection.** Rooms to let. Apply to Dr. L. G. Campbell.

Ten sucking pigs for sale. P. Lyons, Harkaway.

Shelburne Council has granted the 80th regiment band \$100 for this year.

Holstein Presbyterians have extended a call to Rev. J. Little of Chatsworth.

For that tired feeling don't go 'way back—but use our Iron Pills. Stephen's Drug Store.

Acton barbers have arranged to close at 8 o'clock, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Good strong boy wanted at once to learn the baking business. J. G. Matthews, Markdale.

Envelopes from 3c package up, and writing paper from 3c quire up, at Turner's Drug Store.

All persons are hereby warned against fishing or trespassing on Geo. Gough's premises west of the village.

Rev. C. W. Watch, of Shelburne, will preach next Sunday morning and evening in the Methodist church.

A number of neat window signs of white enamel lettering has improved Markdale shop windows recently.

A sharp advance has been made in board rates by Owen Sound hotels. Of course the butchers get the blame.

Don't limp; rub the spot that aches with our White Liniment—walk with comfort next day. Stephen's Drug Store.

It is John Cook, Berkeley, not John Love, as stated two weeks ago in error, who will handle the stallion "Gray Beauty."

They grow—our seeds are always productive; give a good crop every time. All kinds; one quality—the best. Stephen's Drug Store.

All persons are hereby warned against fishing or trespassing on lots 105, 106, 107, 1st west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, as such will be prosecuted. J. L. Irving.

Only one place in this town where you can buy the Sherwin-Williams Paint and that's right here. Come in; we'll tell you about it. Stephen's Drug Store.

The Shelburne Free Press entered last week upon its twenty-eighth year in a grateful and contented mood, and proprietor Mortimer looks out on the future with happy anticipations.

At a meeting of citizens held Tuesday evening it was decided to hold a Demonstration on Victoria Day, May 24th, in Markdale, and a competent committee is now formulating an attractive program which will be announced by posters shortly.

Thos. Elliott of the suburbs has been for some weeks overhauling his cheese factory premises and installing new and modern machinery for a creamery and will have everything in readiness to open the season in a few days. Mr. Elliott is an honorable and enterprising citizen and deserves a liberal patronage in his new departure in the dairy business.

The demand for chairs to seat the populace, at the coronation is very great, and the Canadian chair factories have experienced a temporary boom. The North American Bent Chair Company of Owen Sound have been sending large consignments to London. The same concern shipped a car load of chairs to Cape Town, and sample shipments to many South American cities last week.

E. A. Irwin has purchased from D. B. Hall 33 feet on the corner of Westminster and Young streets, on which he will build next fall a brick store, and into which he will move his present business. The price paid for this choice business lot was \$700.00. Mr. Hall himself is having building material placed on the ground for two fine stores opposite the drug store, covering a frontage of 20 feet. These properties are fine business sites and will be valuable in the near future.—Chilliwick, (B. C.) Progress. [Burrows Irwin was formerly a much respected Markdale Loy.—Ed. S.]

## PERSONAL MENTION

W. Guy Pickell, of Toronto, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Wm. Condy, of Holland Centre, was in town last week.

Miss Hedley, of Toronto, visited her brother J. H. in town last week.

Arthur Douglas, of Orangeville, visited at the parental home here on Sunday.

A. E. Perkins, piano tuner, of Toronto, was in town last week and part of this.

Miss Alma Richards, of McFarland & Richards staff, Dundalk, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Christie and children, of Owen Sound, spent Sunday at Mr. Robt. McNally's.

Eddie Rae, who is now employed in Noble's hardware store, Dundalk, as tinsmith, Sundayed in town.

A. J. Chisholm, of Owen Sound, general agent of the Mutual Life Assurance of Canada, was in town this week.

Mrs. Wm. and Mrs. Lewis Swan and Miss Reta Swan, of Owen Sound, were in town last week visiting Mrs. Jas. Kelly.

License Inspector Campbell, Thornbury, was in town last week adjusting the transfer of license from A. Fogarty to Wm. Murphy, to the City Hotel.

W. Irwin, proprietor of the Durham Chronicle, with his daughters Maud and Edith, passed through town on their way to Thornbury last Thursday. They paid the STANDARD a fraternal visit.

**Notice.** Having leased Mr. W. E. White's blacksmith shop, opposite the Revere Hotel, for a term of years we hereby solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage accorded our predecessor and that of as many others as may favor us with their custom. We will endeavor to faithfully serve the public in our line. Walden Bros., Markdale.

**A Bonus.** On the 30th day of May the raters of Meaford will vote on a by-law to raise \$12,000 as a bonus to the Seaman, Kent Company, Limited, who propose to build a factory for the manufacture of blinds, sashes, special hardwood flooring, refrigerators and other products from wood. The corporation will also grant them a free site and water and exempt the company from all taxes for ten years; the said company to repay the loan in twenty years with interest at 4 per cent.

**Dropped Dead.** A terribly sudden death occurred at Kimberley about four o'clock on Monday afternoon when Joseph Henderson aged 65 years and 5 months, brother of Dan Henderson of that place, was called away. He had been in his usual good health all day, but about four o'clock a weakness of the heart overcame him and although Dr. Danard was summoned at once all efforts towards saving the old gentleman's life were without avail, and he expired within a few minutes after the doctor's arrival. Mr. Henderson who has been a resident of Kimberley for many years, was an honorable and much respected citizen, and his demise is much regretted by all who knew him. The funeral will take place to-day (Wednesday) to the Markdale Public Cemetery.

**Miss Annie McLeod Dead.** This village was startled on Thursday morning last when it was announced that Miss Annie McLeod, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLeod, of this place, had passed away. It came as a great surprise to many, as only a couple of weeks ago she was seen in her usual good health. Diabetes was the cause of her death. Annie was a bright girl of prepossessing appearance and her untimely demise is much regretted by all who knew her. The funeral took place to St. John's Cemetery, Glenelg, on Saturday forenoon, the service being conducted by Rev. P. H. Hauck, and her remains were followed to their last resting place by a large number of the friends of the family. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod and the deceased's brother and sisters have the sincere sympathy of the whole community in their affliction.

**House Cleaning**

Painting is part of it—just as much as soaping and scrubbing. There are spots that water cannot remove, and discolorations that scouring will not take away. Use the paint brush in such cases.

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**STEPHEN'S DRUG STORE.**

## Strayed.

On the 22nd April, to my premises, lot 10, Artemesia, town line of Ephrasia, four yearling cattle. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and get them. Os. Walker.

## Look at your Label.

Quite a number of STANDARD subscribers have neglected to have their label address made to read as it should. Please attend to this little matter. It may not appear of much importance to you, but it certainly is to us.

## Campbell How to the front.

That famous Clydesdale stallion, the Maxwell Company's horse, will stand for service at Maxwell Hotel for season of 1902 at \$10. He is one of the best stock-getters in the county, which is proven by his stock. G. R. Glassford.

## Needed Improvements.

The C.F.R. repair and painting gang have been improving the appearance of our station and surroundings decidedly. A new fence has been erected around Mr. Caesar's beautiful and well kept flower lawn and the station and fence brightened with a generous coat of paint. These were needed improvements.

## Eggs for Hatching.

Having added to Mount View Stock Farm a poultry yard second to none in the County of Grey and stocked it with some of the best poultry money can buy—Barred Plymouth Rocks, Golden Wyandottes and White Leghorns—I am offering setlings from any of the above birds for \$1.00 per setting. Jacob Lougheed, Wodehouse p.o.

## \$500.00 Reward!

We will give the above reward to any person furnishing information that will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who set on fire our grain elevator on the morning of April 29th. We also desire to heartily thank those who so willingly assisted in subduing the flames and removing all that was possible of the elevator's contents. F. T. Hill & Co., Markdale.

## Epworth League.

A well attended meeting of the Epworth League in connection with the Methodist Church was held Monday evening last when the following officers were elected: Hon. Pres. Rev. W. Buchanan; Pres. G. W. Armstrong; 1st Vice-Pres. Miss Muir; 2nd Vice-Pres. Mrs. J. E. Walker; 3rd Vice-Pres. Miss Minnie Rutledge; 4th Vice-Pres. Miss May Stephenson; Rec.-Sec. Chas. Pickell; Cor.-Sec. C. E. Armstrong; Treas. W. Halbert; Organist, Miss Belle McKee. The League is in a prosperous condition and the meetings are well attended.

## False Representation.

Sir,—Re the address which appeared in last week's STANDARD claiming to be the expression of the 'town at large,' I wish to say that when one or two men attempt to speak for a community they should know whereof they speak. I am glad to say that we have hundreds of citizens who do not endorse the regrets embodied in the address, if such were the general sentiment of our people then might we pray for some safe Zoor as a refuge from a modern Sodom. I am sorry that our social and religious life has been so misrepresented, and hope that readers of the STANDARD will let it go for what it is worth. As a community or a town 'at large' we lend neither signature or voice to such a false representation of our sentiments as is set forth in that address and its preamble. Citizen.

## Last Quarter.

The fourth and last quarterly sacramental service of the Markdale Methodist Church was held last Sunday and the attendance was large. The business meeting was held on Monday afternoon when there was also a good attendance. The finances were in excellent shape, Harkaway appointment being paid in full, and Markdale almost so. H. D. Irwin, Esq., was elected as representative to the district meeting, which will be held in Markdale the 21st. A unanimous invitation was extended to the Rev. W. A. Rodwell, of Chokville, to become successor to Rev. W. Buchanan. A resolution expressing a high appreciation of the labors and pastorate of Mr. Buchanan and co-operation of his wife, was passed; also, one expressing regret at the intended removal of Mr. T. Boland and family from our midst. The meeting was harmonious throughout.

## Warning.

Notice is hereby given that legal proceedings will be taken against any person who in any way encourages or induces Philip H. Walter, a person of unsound mind, to leave or remain away from his home with the undersigned on lot 10, con. 35, E. W. Harris.

## Colors for the 31st.

Col. Campbell, of Collingwood, commander of the 31st (Grey) Regiment, was in town last Thursday and gave the STANDARD a pleasant call. He had not been in Markdale for fifteen years, and was agreeably surprised at the growth of the place and the solid compact neat appearance of our village. He informed us that steps were being taken in Owen Sound, Durham, Chateworth, Thornbury, Dundalk and Flesherton to raise the necessary funds to procure a set of colors for the 31st Regiment, their colors having been destroyed by fire some years ago. Markdale will doubtless want to take a hand in this worthy object also.

## The Late Fire.

Now that the salvage from the late fire is definitely known, the net loss to the firm foots up to over \$7,000. There was an insurance of \$1,000 on the building but none on the contents. Over 14,000 bushels of peas and oats were in the elevator at the time, out of which about \$4,000 was realized. This is a serious loss, but a more deplorable feature of the affair is that it was evidently the work of an incendiary. It was a diabolical act, and we are glad that F. T. Hill & Co. are offering a reward for information that will lead to the conviction of the guilty. It is the duty as well as to the best interest of every law-abiding citizen to aid in bringing the culprit to speedy justice.

## After the Horses have been Stolen.

It is the custom to "lock the stable after the horse has been stolen," and the orthodox time to advocate fire protection is after there has been a fire. Be this as it may, Markdale stands in sore need of a system of waterworks without which so-called fire protection would be an exceedingly lame affair. We believe the time has arrived, not only for agitation, but for the establishment of a system of waterworks in Markdale. It is a public necessity, something which would prove of universal and every-day utility, as well as fire protection and financially should pay the cost of installing and maintenance, and thus become self-sustaining. By all means let us have it.

## Notice to the Public.

The business of the late James W. Sproule will be continued and conducted under the management of Mrs. Kate Sproule; the same services will be rendered in the future as in the past. Thanking our customers for their past business favors and hoping that the same business relations will continue, all parties having accounts standing on our books are requested to call and make settlement on or before the first day of April 1902. Yours respectfully, Mrs. Kate Sproule, Markdale, Ont.

## Editor of the STANDARD.

Sir,—As you have asked for the opinion of the readers of the STANDARD with respect to the retaining or discarding of the prefix "Mr.," I submit my opinion. Our metropolitan papers, which are the best guides as to journalism, are very particular in the use of this long-established and respected prefix. A newspaper should be as respectful to the public as individual gentlemen are to one another. But suppose we change the gender and quaintly speak of Mrs. John Jones as "Mrs. Mary Ann Jones, or of Miss Brown as "Miss Hannah Mariah Brown, we should find ourselves in an unpardonable predicament. Hence, it seems to me in speaking of a gentleman it is a departure from good form to drop the prefix, "Mr."

John Jones, the Aged.

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