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If you have a horse that is worth shoeing have him shod well. Remember we do not burn the foot to fit the shoe. Every foot dressed properly and shoe fitted cold. Call and see the most complete assorted stock of horse shoes, bare iron steel bolts, clifs, whiffletree the aid of irons, neckyoke irons, sleigh dogs, then the clevises—in fact, everything the people need on shortest notice. I will have a and the fair price and warrant sound horses without interfering or over-reaching.

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Fashionable Tailor, Markdale.

Gentlemen can have their own cloth made up in latest style. New fashion plates now in. All work guaranteed. ROOMS OVER HILL'S STORE

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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1902.

MOO PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

## INCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Three weeks till Xmas. There's a famine for dwelling house

The Traders' Bank is to open ranch at Owen Sound. The County Council meets next

Tednesday in Markdale. All municipal councils in Ontario set the 15th December.

Annual meetings and election momptly, please, for publication. Mr. Alex. McNeil, ex-M. P., for

forth Bruce, has just returned from a up to Scotland, England and Ireland. The Rev. F. Ryan, B.D., R.D., will meach a missionary sermon in the English church, Berkeley, next Sun-

as shipped a train load of sugar, conisting of twenty. five cars to the North-

The Rev. Rural Dean Ryan, B. D. ector of Durham, will preach mission-

Hill & Co.'s store window, Friday | We join with many others in wishing and Saturday of this week, by Miss her success.

On Wednesday next, December 10th Roch Marien will be in town all day to my big working and carriage horses. lood prices are promised. Dr. MacCabe, principal of Ottawa

Normal School, dropped dead of heart ailure last Sunday while attending ervice in St, Patrick's Church. On Wednesday evening, 10th Dec., Enrry's school, Goring, will give an ntertainment to which the neighbors

and friends are cordially invited. Admission 15 cents. in popularity and justly so. Subscrip-

1903 for only \$2.30. round in Raleigh township, new railmatter with Canada?

J. R. Holmes, of Clinton, has been Last Grand Raily. fined \$40.00 and costs at Deloraine, Man., for sending a car load of apples o that town that were improperly packed and marked.

See Christmas Globe at Stephen's Canadian art. A limited number, order now. Scores were, disappointed last year in prdering too late.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any goods procured or edebts contracted by any person but myself without my written order. Robt. Williams, Berkeley.

Manager H. J. Hill, of the Toronto Industrial Exhibition has returned from a protracted visit in the States, part of which was spent in the woods of Michigan. His health is greatly

Are the Douglas brothers 'cornering' the drug business? There's one in Wingham, one in Orangeville, one in Collingwood, and now the latter has purchased Dr. Christoe's drug business in Flesherton.

Mr. Robt. J. Halbert, brother of Mr. S. J. Halbert of this place, has sold his 100 acre farm in Sydenham for \$4,600, and bought his grand-father's homestead from his uncle, John McBride, in Mono, 120 acres, for which he paid \$5,200. He moves in March next.

The Farmer's Advocate is what its name implies, and is a oredit to its publishers. Its columns bristle each week with a freshness which is most attractive and helpful. It continues to grow more popular from year to year. We have secured special arrangements with the publishers by which we can supply it for 75 cents to new subscribers who are also STANDARD subscribers

paid in advance. Markdale business men' are as a rule up-to-date, and justly deserve their wide reputation as such. Their advertisements are attractive and mean much. Readers will be repaid by careful study of the advertisements. Bunessan. Priceville cor.

A house and half acre of land at Kimberley, with apple, pear, plum, cherry and current orchard, bearing. Apply to Wm. Lucas & Co., Markdale.

#### Quite a Variety.

Over eighteen thousand dollars reached the Dead Letter office during the year in improperly addressed envelopes. So did 4 writs, 46 watches, 5 waists, 6 vests, 103 railway tickets, 26 pair of stockings, 12 shirts, 27 railway passes, 100 photos, 10 mortgages, 47 neckties, 1 onion, 1 horse chesnut, ficers now. Send along the result 9 false teeth and many other useful articles.

#### Goes to Detroit.

Miss Edith Walker, who has been an employee in McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s establishment here for some time, leaves on Thursday of this week for Detroit. where she has secured a good situation in a mercantile establishment there. The Wallaceburg beet sugar factory Miss Walker has been a much respected employee of the firm here for about two years, and during that time she has made many friends. She will be much missed especially by the other members of the firm, who on Tuesday sermons in Christ Church next of this week presented her with a beautiful lady's toilet set and a valuable Take notice of the Art Exhibit in F. stick pin as a token of remembrance.

#### Assembly.

The assembly given in Marsh's hall last Thursday night was one of the best of the season and was much enjoyed by the large number who attended. The hall was beautifully decorated, and many were the emcomiums given the members of the committee who had the proceedings in charge-Messrs. W. G. Glover, H. Hill and T. Plewes-and the energetic Secretary, Mr. W. P. Reynolds. An excellent lunch was served at 11.30, after which dancing was re-The Toronto Daily Star is growing | commenced, and continued til about one o'clock. The music by Mr. Dundas tions taken at this office. The STAND- was equal to anything previously heard and Star from now till the end of and gave general satisfaction. Among those from a distance who attended Another big find of iron ore near were: Mr. K. White and Miss Florence Sudbury, oil gushing out of the Howe, Strathnairn; Miss Moore and Messrs. J. E. Richards, Harry Sterne my across the continent.—What's the Geo. Curliss and R. Cameron, Dundalk A. J. Chisholm, Owen Sound.

Marsh's spacious hall was crowded to the doors Tuesday night with a representative audience from town and country to hear Prof. Clarke Braden, of Illinois. The speaker delivered a drug store. A wonderful work of convincing address of over an hour and a quarter during which the best of order prevailed. Much light was thrown on the prohibition question and many objections cleared away, and the hearty accord of the splendid audience was manifested by repeated applause. At the close of the address Revs. Chantler and Hunter moved and seconded a vote of thanks to the Professor for his able lecture, each supplementing it with a brief but vigorous speech, Rev. Mr. Rodwell also, in moving a vote of thanks to the united choirs and the citizens' band orchestra for excellent music furnished, spoke in his vigorous pronounced style, urging every man to do his duty on the 4th. This ended a rousing and Centre. enthusiastic prohibition meeting, of which the temperance people may well feel proud.

Passed Away. On the 12th of November another old resident of the D. R. passed away, in the person of Mrs. Mead, an old lady of 72 years. She was an industrious, hard working woman, by perseverence and daily toil she supported a young dependent family of four children, until able to do something for themselves, but of late years her lines were cast in pleasant places, for her dutiful and only son, William, remembered his mother, and with him she enjoyed a good and comfortable home. Mrs. Mead was a pleasant and kind neighbor and a large number of friends and neighbors attended the funeral, which passed through the village en route to the R. C. cemetery, Pomona, where she was laid to rest on Friday, the 14th. Last Friday another funeral took place there. Undertaker Watson conveyed the remains of Mr. T. Ginn to the perusing them carefully. This is the cemetery where his wife preceded him month when they pay special attention some years ago. Mr. Ginn was a

#### POLLING DAY.

We again appeal earnestly to every friend of the temperance cause to devote this day for a movement which is well worthy of support and self-gacrifice.

The task before us is the polling of a certain vote. We cannot afford to do less than our utmost to accomplish that task. We fail of our full duty by every unpolled vote that our efforts could have secured.

Let this day be devoted to the service of humanity. Let every voter do his personal duty without fear or favor. Let every patriotic citizen do all in his power to help to fix the brand of delegalization upon our country's greatest ourse.

#### VOTE EARLY.

Voting on December 4th begins at 9 o'clock in the forencon and finishes at 5 o'clock in the after noon. It is best for everyone to vote as early in the day as poss-

In cities and towns working men are allowed to leave their employment from noon until 2 o'clock on the voting day, for the purpose of voting, and shall not lose any wages on account of this absence. This is an important point to be borne in mind. The law regarding it is in Section 23 of the Ontario Act.

#### NO PAIRING POSSIBLE.

Temperance electors will do well to bear in mind the important fact that they cannot pair with anti-prohibition voters in this contest without disaster to our cause.

- The liquor traffic cannot poll a vote that will equal that of the prohibitionists. We shall win if we attain the required minimum of 212,723 votes. Every vote we fail to poll leaves us so much short of winning, whether the voter neglects his duty, pairs with another, or votes for the liquor traffic.

It is a contest in which there is no half-way position. Every vote that is not polled for prohibition lessens the chances of a prohibition victory. The prohibitionist who pairs with an opponent of the Ontario Liquor Act, simply helps his enemies, and makes it harder for his friends to succeed.

Mark your Ballot "YES."

Mr. Wes. Brown, of Dundalk, was in town Sunday. Mr. John Duncan and family are

moving this week to Berkeley. Mr. Ed. Rae, of Dundalk, spent Sunday with his parents in town.

Rev. Mr. Learoyd, of Islington, was in town Tuesday on his was to Holland

Messrs. W. J. Montgomery and

Arthur Smith returned recently from the West. Mrs. Rowe and her niece, Miss

Birdie, and Miss Lyons spent Sunday in Dundalk, the guests of Miss Benson. Mr. Geo. W. Wilson, formerly of

McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s here, but who went to Montreal some time ago, has returned home to Dundalk, and is now in the employ of J. E. Richards

John Campbell, Listowell's oldest business man, died last Thursday, aged 90 years.

Stephenson, the jeweller, is showing fine line of watches for the Xmas. trade and at cut prices.

A team of general purpose horses for sale, 8 and 9 years old. Will be sold cheap. Apply to M. Oliver, V. S.

R. C. McNally is prepared to do all kinds carriage repairs, re-painting, etc. promptly and mechanically. Remember, Markdale carriage works.

FOR SALE. One second hand cook to this feature of their business and retired gardener from near Brampton stove, top oven, without crack or flaw, what you lose in regular reading matter and lived for some years in Priceville also some furnishings with it, all fin you may profitably make up by a but of late lived with some friends near good repair. John Buskin, Wode-

### The Dying Distiller's Confession.

I have sold all my whiskey, I've made a great gain, Hundreds and thousands and millions I've slain: Done more for my master than robber or thief, Filled hell with sad victims and earth

drunkards by scores, Brought famine and misory and death to your doors; Caught millions of souls in my wellcontrived snare.

And now I am going their ruin to share.

I have sold all my whiskey, broke many a heart, Caused weeping and woe and unspeakable smart;
Filled houses with mourning,
children of bread, And the way to perdition their fathers have led.

I have sold all my whiskey, sunk ships in the waves.

Drove steamboats to atoms and men to their graves, Wrecked cars upon railroads, set cities on fire.

Brought sword plague and cholera with terror most dire.

I have sold all my whiskey and life's fleeting fast, My crimes and misdoings have found me at last;
I am going to meet with the million's
I've slain,
I am going to share their unspeakable

To Thos. Neely, Markdale.

Contracts to let for cutting and haul-

I have sold all my whiskey, ye inn-.keepers come Take warning by me and escape my sad doom; Now cease to entangle mankind in your Before you sink down in eternal despair.

I have sold all my whiskey, ye drunkards attend. Come hasten I charge you your doings For I tremble to meet you on that dreary shore Where the offers of mercy will greet us

#### Markdale Public School.

no more.

The following is the standing of the month of November, 1902. are arranged in order of merit. First four of each class only.

FORM IV. Fernie Watson, League Smith.

Irwin, Mary Hunter, Mabel Bradley. ford, Nettie Irving, Della Watson. Jr. 4th—Mary Stafford, Retta Sar-jeant, Willie Trelford, Clare Mercer. Average attendance 45.

J. S. Rowe, Principal. FORM III.

3rd-Ethel Leslie, Cecil Brown, Villie King, Mabel Tuck. Sr. 2nd-Bertha Rodwell, Annie Chantler, Gladys Chantler, Pearl Wil-

Average attendance 49... V. E. Giles, Teacher.

Jr. 2nd James Walden, Eileen Trelford, Elvie Matson, Nina-Hilland Fred Mercer equal.

Sr. Pt. 2nd-Sarah Irving, Gertie Kelly, Bertie Nolle, Harry Irwin, Jr. Pt. 2nd-Bertha Matthews, Della Ego, Martha McFadden, Kathleen Haskett and Connie Haskett equal.

Average attendance 47.

B. L. Macpherson, Teacher. FORM I.

Jr. Pt. 2nd-Willie Cargo, Wilbert Wright, Ruby Sarjeant, Cora Walden, Sr. Pt. 1st-Maggie Shea, Myrtle Ward, Kendall Ilucas, Olive Sewell. Jr. Pt. 1st-Call Walden, Clarence Brown, Edwin Hedley, Vennie Rick-

Average attendance 62. F, M. Mann, Teacher.

# Bankers,

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#### **Business Locals**

Don't take any chances in good fit, come straight to R. S. Rae sailor and clothing establishment and pocure a the trade to perfection.

W. H. Theaker, the phoggrapher,

Examine Chapman's meturases Price Chapman's secretaria. See Chapman's dining tables.
Inspect Chapman's Australian For Sale.

chairs. work of Victoria Methodist courch, McArdle:

Rocklyn, Ont. Address, W. N. A Sapital Cure for Sore Threat. Draft horse, rising three pars old, bred from Farmers' Friend, that celebrated horse owned by Kr. Kake.

for sale on lot 1, con. 3, ppresia. James Thomas O'Brien. Horses for Sale. -One hay mare driver, rising five years also on

ing part way to mills of the saw log on 30 acres, lot 8, con. 8, sal a similiar quantity on lot 4, con. 3, Eurhasia Armstrong Bros., Markdale and Bock vale.

Tenders wanted for the construction of a barn with stone stabling under same, 120x60. Tenders for parts or whole received. For partiality call at McCullough & Young's Look Mark-

TENDERS WANTED.—Tenders will be accepted up to the 29th December at noon for building a brick spool at S. S. No. 14, Egremont. Plans and monthlies, a specifications to be seen Thomas Wanted. Knox's, Boothville,

interests by examining the tock.

Sr. 5th—Ida Gilson, Ernest Ritchie, er sewing machines. It fou desire a from lisease, to be delivered in good piano or organ equal to the best or a cell-condition, true to name, or purchase brated Magnet Cream Sparator, or money refunded. Our representative even a second-hand sewing machine, will have exclusive territory. Apply Sr. 4th—Walter Plewes, Reta Staffer T. F. Wilson, Markdale, pan supply now. Pelham Nursery Company, ford Nattie Irving Dalla Watson.

#### New subscribers for 1908 who pay in advance will get the balance of this

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thoroughly satisfactory artificial will Mr. H. Cornfield is in Markdale to get Filled hell with sad victims and earth with sad grief.

be at the Markdale House of consulding regions and rubbers. I will pay tation in Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose fifty cents a hundred for all kinds iron, lower sold all my whiskey, made cases. Hours from 8 to 12 for. four cents a pound for old rubbers, twenty cents for horse hair, cash. pleases his customers in his he. | Call Please leave your order at the City early and procure some p-to-date Hotel, Markdale, or send a post card photos to send your friends or Kmas. to Mr. Cornfield here and he will call at your home. Extra pay for stuff delivered at the City Hotel.

Lot 22. con. 8, Glenelg, 100 acres. WANTED.—Tenders for claims walls for mery owned by Mr. Alex. Mcand painting walls, seats and wood- Caskell. Apply to Lucas. Wright &

old. Is to use as a gargle a few drops of . Posson's Nerviline in sweetened water, and before retiring rub the throat and chist vigorously with Nerviline. By morning the sorepess and infla. nation will have disappeared entirely. Nerviline drives away the pain and cures sore throat and hoarseness quickly, simply because that's what it's made for. Buy a 25c. bottle from your druggist to-day. Dr. Hamilton's Pills stimulate the Liver.

#### Clubbing Rates.

BTANDARD and Weekly Sun | \$1 75 STANDARD and Globe STANDARD and Mail BTANDARD and Toronto Daily Star 2 20 BTANDARD and Daily News 2 30 STANDARD and Family Horald 1 75 STANDARD and Weekly Witness 1 75 STANDARD & Farmer's Advocate 1 90 STANDARD & Christian Guardian 2 00 These rates are good for all of next year with balance of this for

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