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thos. Hand ary is visiting her Mrs. Reed, J. Detroit, who is ritical condition, with cancer. Geo. Hanbury returned from a

to the Soo on Monday! te new store on the corner is being ied with all speed and is nearing

Thos. Fennell is occupying his premises on Proton street.

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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1903.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

The leaf is rapidly changing its color. (mite a lot of matter is crowded out this week. .

The days have grown considerably shorter at both ends.

FOUND. - In Markdale, on Friday last, a whip. This office.

It will pay you to read McFarland &

Stafford's big adv. this week. Threshing is well through and considerable grain is being marketed.

l'en of the "soo" riolers have been fined \$35 each, or two mouths in prison. Found. - In Markdale, at the station on Friday last, pair ladies gloves. This

Forno, On Monday, in Markdale post office a purse containing money.

Be sure you keep the evening of Thanksgiving Day free for the League ovster social.

A superior farm of one hundred acres well improved, in \$t. Vincent, for sale, Enquire at this office.

The STANDARD columns will b crowded now for a few weeks with agricultural fair premium lists.

After October 1 th the steamship express between Toronto and Owen Sound will be discontinued for this

STANDARD subscribers who are in arrears will do us a kindness by paying same this month. We are in special need of funds.

Mr. J. M. Hewitt, of Holland town ship, sent us last week a box of beautifal ripe peaches, fresh from his garden. This is something rare in this part. A large parcel of wild raspberry branches laden with ripe fruit from the farm of Mr. David Shea, near Berkeley, was hauded into this office Satur-

Miss Olive Henry, of this place, handed us a handsome White Elephant potato which weighed two pounds, fourteen ounces plump. This is the

Say mamma," queried little Helener what's a dead letter?" "Any letter that is given to your father to mail my dear," replied the wise mother .-Chicago News,

W. L. McFarland, who is on his honeymoon tour, in writing from New York says, to those who may be inquiring about him, "Tell them I am the

happiest man in the world." Mr. J. I. Graham, Secretary of East Grey Farmer's Institute, is one of the foremost fruit farmers in this banne finit county. He has our thanks for a bug of choice cooking apples.

Another chapter in the experience of the couple mentioned last week under the head of 'One Husband Too Many,' has been finished. He goes to the Central for six months, and she to jail two months, for bigamy.

Mr. Silas Hill has sold his clover inder, and ordered a new Monitor ch ver huller from the Sawyer-Massey Co., which he will have ready for business in about a week. Si likes to be right in the front, eh?

Last Sunday the Rev. Jeffrey Hill N. A., preached the Harvest Home se mon in the English church, Berk e.c., to a congregation which packed the building. The church was beautiinly decorated. The offering was most liberal.

The want of an authentic map of our Own Dominion of Canada was never so ma: 4 felt as during the present session at Ottawa, when the Grand Trunk Pacthe Bill was being discussed, Few homes, business offices or schools have such a thing. The publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Nioutreal, always alive to such emergencies, at once saw their opportunity and have had engraved a most complete and up-to-date map of the Dominion, with an enlarged map of this province as well. It is a new Quick Reference Man, and is all that the name implies. The map is only one of the three valuable premiums given this year to all who subscribe to that popular paper: The two others are pictures entitled Heart-Broken"and"Hard to Choose," and are, without exaggeration, the most delightful subjects ever selected as newspaper premiums, Family Herald subscribers always get big value.

as to what can be given.

There's but little plowing done yet u this district.

Potatoes are an abundant crop; tur-

tips and mangels are also a big yield. Hamilton tobacco chewers have to pay fifty dollars for spitting on the sidewalks.

Brick house on Main street to rent; Stable in connection.

Wml Duncau, Berkeley. For SALE, -A frandsome Oleander, over seven feet high, now budding to bloom, worth \$10, will sell for \$2,50.

Lost, -In Markdale, on or about the 5th September, a set of artificial teeth Finder will please leave at this office and be rewarded.

Ten cents a line is the usual price for advertising locals, but the STANDARD's rate is only five cents. This includes memoriam poetry.

It is quite a common thing to hear visitors remark "You have excellent bread in Markdale." Matthews' bread richly deserves such favorable com-

Thanksgiving fares commence on Wednesday of next week, single fare being good going Wednesday and Thursday to return until the following Monday.

. The annual social under the auspices of the League of the Methodist church will be given on the evening of Thanksgiving Day, October 15th, when oysters and other refreshments will be served, and a choice programme will be rendered. Admission 25c. You are nvited.

Rev. T. G. McAteer's many friends will be pleased to know that he is recovering from his recent severe illness and expects to take his own work (which during his illness has been supplied by Rev. Chas. Perry, of Toronto) on the 25th inst. Rev. Mr. McAteer is doing good work on the Corbetton circuit. As a practical expression of appreciation his officials at their last Quarterly Board meeting increased his salary from \$675.00 to \$750.00.

Harvest Home services were held in Christ Church last Sunday, and were well attended. The Rev. Jeffry Hill, M. A., of Dundalk, preached two interform and rendered the musical portions of the services in fine style. The church was tastefully, but not elaborately decorated with grain, fruits and flowers. The only deficiency was in the collections, which have been reported abnormally small—only \$12.83 in all certainly this amount could not be regarded as a thank offering from the prosperous members of Christ

A Whopper.

Mr. James Kelly of the RevereHotel is having a shed built which is certainly a whopper. It is 20 feet deep by 166 feet long, and will be fitted up with feed stalls throughout. Mr. John Maher commenced the framing of same nine days ago and has it now up and the rafters on. This will be the finest horse shed in the county.

A Sad Message. Miss Stein, head miliner in F. T. Hill & Co.'s mercantile establisment, received a sad message on Wednesday of last week apprising her of the sudden death of her mother at Berlin. Mrs. Stein had been in the enjoyment of her usual good health up to within a few hours of her death when she received a stroke of paralysis with above results. She leaves a widowed husband and several daughters to mourn l'er sudden demise. Miss Stein returned Monday after attending the funeral. She has the sympathy of a large circle of acquaintances in town. Joseph Qua Dead.

It is with deep sadness we record the premature close of a beautiful christian life in the sudden demise of Mr. Joseph Qua, of Toronto, son-in-law of Mr. John Lyons, of this place. Mr. Qua was taken ill on Thursday of last week and taken to Grace hospital same day where an operation was successfully performed for appendicitis, but he gradually sank and passed away the following day. Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons, were in Toronto visiting their daughter at the time. Mr. J. E. Trelford and Miss Millie Lyons went from Markdale to attend the funeral, which took place to Mount Pleasant Cemetry on Monday. Much spmpathy is felt for Mrs. Qua and her two daughters aged about six and eight years. Deceased was 42 years but this year certainly looks the limit of age, and a man of superior qualities

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. M. A. Wright returned last week from her visit to Midhurst.

Mrs. H. D. Irwin and Miss Ethel visited Owen Sound friends last week. Mr. S. A. Thompson and son Muster Elmer, of Midhurst, were in town this

week. Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Young and Master Norque spent Sunday with friends in

Meaford. Mrs. Montgonery, of Hawick township, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Jackson,

sr., in town, The Rev. J. R. Newell preached Harvest Home sermons last Sunday in

the parish of Dundalk. Mrs. Robinson and daughter, Jean, of Dundalk, are visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Albert Jackson in town. The STANDARD had a fraternall call Monday from Miss Eugenie Humberstone, typo, late of the Clifford Express.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorell, of Grand Valley, visited the last week with the atter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Staples.

Mrs. Bolton and daughter, Miss Mina Bolton, of Ruthven, spent the last two weeks at the home of Mr. R. F. Staples.

Rev. Wm. Johnston, of Havelock, was in town last week visiting his sister-inlaw, Mrs. (Rev.) Berry. He gave the STANDARD a friendly call while in town. Mrs. C. W. Rutledge and Mrs. James Beattie visited their sister, Mrs. F. R.

Noble at Badjeros last week. Mrs.

Beattre left on Friday for her home in Seaforth. Mr. and Mrs. Jas Tucker, Dromore, and Mr. and Mrs. James Holmes, of Duncan, Collingwood township, were in town on Thursday last and gave the

STANDARD a pleasant call. Mrs. Joseph Welsh and Mrs. H. Mc-Nabb returned last Thursday to the "Soo," Mich., after a month's visit. They are daughters of : r. Edward Fagen, formerly of this part, and it is twenty ears since they went to Michigan. They were the guests of the

Say Young Man!

If you would like to look as good as the other fellow just bring your shirt and collar to us and you will be surprised at your improved appearance, and all for twelve cents. Markdale Steam Laundry. Office next Jas. A. Crowston's barber shop.

Public Warning. The publishers of The Family Heral and Weekly Star, of Montreal, warn the public regarding an offer made by certain papers in which another Montreal paper, with a somewhat similar name to The Family H rald, is offered in a clubbing combination. It is reported to the publishers that in some cases the offer has been accepted un. der the impression it was The Family Herald and Weekly Star that would be received. The paper in question has no connection whatever with The Family Herald and Weekly Star. It is the Family Herald and Weekly Star that is offering the handsome premium pictures and large coloured map of the Dominion as premiums. The word 'FAMILY" should be used when addressing that paper. This caution should have the effect of putting people on their guard.

NEW GOODS

TRUNKS, VALISES, SUIT CASES and TELESCOPES, just what is wanted, travelling or at home.

Harness, Horse Clothing and such always on hand. Call and see me.

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Creations of the Milliners.

The season has arrived when the attention of the ladies is centred upon the goddess of Fashion, and the perplexing question is: What kind of a hat shall I select this season? This question need not remain long unanswered as a visit to any of the showrooms in town where millinery is displayed will find styles and shapes to suit the most exacting of the gentler sex. Our local centers, Messrs. F. T. Hill & Co. and McFarland, Stafford & Co., and Mrs. Sproule, held their openings on Wednesday and following days of last week, and this event which is always looked forward to with much interest was most su cessful. A visit to any of the show rooms cannot fuil to please the ladies, and even the gentle-

men will be d lig ted. The hats this season include many new and beautiful designs, Large styles are in evidence, while toques also are showing in great variety, many being of rolling shapes, others tight .up to the crown. Velvets, white ribbons and satin and velvet ribbons are 'in great favor, while chenille and sequin are also extensively used in the make-up of stylish fall millinery. Birds of all sorts and sizes are being used, many very large, beautiful birds showing with specially fine effect. Aigrette mounts are one of the leading features of the season, but fancy feathers and fancy wings are all great favorites.

McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s. The display at McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s is of so wide a range and the design of the hats so bewilderingly fascinating that the average man would equire a month of Sundays before making a choice, and then the chances are he would pick upon the least becoming in the bunch. But with the ladies its different they are quick to discern the most fetching ideas in make-up and trimming, and many of 'the firm's patrons have already made a selection. This department of Mark-

dale's big store is in capable hands; being under the management of Miss Smith, a highly recommended milliner. Miss Smith is very obliging and courteous in her manner, and the superiority of her millinery display has no doubt created the most favorable impressions to all those in this locality who are interested in stylish headwear. As to the trimmings this season, ostrich feathers will take a leading place, as evidenced by patterns and stock, and by the sales being made. The purple shades apparently lead, the tones running from the very light to the deep rich purple. A very new and novel trimming is the taffeta pleated braids, which are used for top trimming and also for edging the brim. Shirring is very noticeable on the new designs, and quantities of chenille. Perhaps one of the greatest novelties is the "Hiawatha" hat, designed after the turban style with velvet and silk lacing, plaited with shirred draping on the top. This is made in white silk, the

only trimming being a pretty fan with quill, on the left side, and a cut steel buckle. Miss Smith informed us that on opening night about seventy-five trimmed hats were on display, besides a large stock of ready-to-wears. Among the many beautiful styles shown were the foll wing:

A very handsome black picture hat, tipping off the face, draped with black silk velvet on which is applied pretty cheuille motives, and finished with large ostrich plumes, and ornaments.

Misses' large dress hat, rolling off face, bell crown, made of black plush, the only trimming being a drape of black silk swiss metallic lace, two large velvet medallions in shape of bunch of grapes, and rosettes of shirred duchess satin ribbon.

A very pretty child's hat was made of rale blue, shirred, poke bonnet effect with strapping and large bows of liberty ribbon, also tres.

A very stylish toque was faced with silk and velvet lacing, draped with the velvet; the only trimmings being a beautiful white aigrette and cut steel buckle.

MRS. SPROULE'S.

Mrs. Sproule this season has fully sustained her reputation for keeping abreast of the times in all that pertains to the latest styles in millinery. Her The Canadian Bank of Commerce popular and conveniently-situated

THE MILLINERY OPENINGS.

Remarkable Display of Fall Hats, Bridal Bonnets, and Dreamy Array of Trimmings.-An Attempt to Describe the Artistic

efficient, her head assistant to Nettleton who comes with t recommendation as an at line, and designer, and will Mrs. Sproule for the first the this season. When the reported refer in Thursday evening and man Minora. the object of his visit, the pr most kindly snowed him the elegant millinery which it is fortune to possess. The high that attracted our attention unique and charming French Bugg white panne plush. The fi shirred in clusters of white the showed to advantage on the ing brim; a rich black graps and was shown on the plaque crop and white feather aigrette at side completed this beautiful by Bir and wings are very porn article for adornment, ch season hats, and wings and frequently combined with rosettes. The decorations Spronle's millinery parlors attractive, and her showrom and one of the prettiest in to the one of the prettiest in lo large mirror was beautiful with yellow bunting and b and large bunches of yell will In the centre of he room a with gates ajar made alle effect. A large mirror at draped with green and will banked with ferns and qui Many very beautiful house initiativere arranged around the policy non them being a magnificent its in an begonias, ferns, palms, il Mrs. Sproule's window was t ure of all eyes, being an init summer house with two large lightlift

were more attractive nor her

A very striking black Gaiusboro' style, with the re decrewn, was made of alternative of taffeta silk and panne A magnificent black plume from left side and fell gradefully in the brim. A very stylish toque had

wax dolls "at tea." The

the milliner's art. Among

brought to our notice

contained several beautiful et dienis

of white ospreys came from the low at side and front it was he burnt orange velvet. At the take were two strappings of rich bree strely it caught with large gold but o

A much admired black not with the high crown, rolling entire top being of taffeta facing of draped panne velve. trimmed with black velvet s

parlors in the STANDARD TIKE never and on the brim a beautiful white mere para lise osprey caught with a large jet Miss buckle.

PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

A large Floradora shape was made with shirred facing of white panne plush, the top being of reseda green panne plush, also shirred in clusters of three large tucks. A rolling bri of mink with the mink head and a large spray of white paradise ospreys completed this very stylish hat.

F T. HILL & Co.'s,

The millinery department of this large store is in charge of Miss Stein, who is ever popular, and has proved herself to be an artist in her line. Her displat this, as, in past seasons, has been an excellent one, and the enconiums given the milliners and the large number of sales effected since the opening is one of the best evidences that can be advanced as to the popularity enjoyed by this firm as a millinery emperium. During the unavoidable and exceedingly regretable absence of Miss Stein on the opening days, which is reported in another column, the department was in charge of an efficient staff who gave undivided attention to the wants of the large numbers who viewed the display. The decorations of the room were not claborate, but were very pretty and attractive, and the hats were displayed to advantage on tables in the centre. The large mirror at the rear was nicely draped with chiffon, laces, etc., and around the room some very pretty house plants were arranged. A glance through the premises showed that there will be considerable latitude in the size of the hats this season-large, small and medium being shown. Quite a number of fur hats will be worn this year, mink and squirrel predominating, with white rabbit and moleskin for 'bridesmaids hats, 'Intrimmings lace and maline combined will be much worn, with velvet and plush, sweeping plumes also. Then there will be paradise mounts and ospreys. Birds, too, will be quite fashionable. We feel confident that no one need send out of town for any. thing in the line of millinery when we have such excellent establishments right in our midst. A view of the goods will do more in effecting a choice than anything we can say by way of

Rev. Mr. Wellwood, of Dundalk, Chairman of Owen Sound District, preached able sermons in the Methodmade ist Church last Sunday morning and evening to large congregations. The was pastor, Rev. Mr. Rodwell was preaching hilly, Anniversary sermons in Dundalk.

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