utors' Sale

Village Real Estate.

the Estate of Anna Jane will offer for sale by public on the 25th day of January at 2 p.m. at the Marks Village of Markdale, the Village Real Estate, viz: A part of lot 8 in Block B, in said Village. There is a comfort house on this property, which main street, near the centre of

ale, of in the Village of is situated on Main street has a comfortable frame thereon.

Twenty per cent of the be paid at the time of sale, thirty days thereafter. particulars apply to Solr. L. Curry or P. McCULLOUGH.

day of January, 1905.

to Creditors

the Estate of Rachel Dowling, Township of Holland, Grey, deceased.

given pursuant to the "Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, that all persons having claims against the Estate of Rachel Dowling, who died on the 1st day of August, 1904, are on or before the 25th day of February, 1905, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities held by them, if any, and that after such last mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given; and he will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Markdale, this 20th day of January, 1905.

W. ROBERT McARDLE, Executor, &c., Markdale.

to Creditors

The Estate of Robert Loughead, late of Holland, in the County of Grey, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

Pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, that all persons having claims against the Estate of Robert Loughead, who died on the Thirtieth day of December, A.D. 1904, at the Township aforesaid, are on or before the 25th day of February, 1905, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Executors of the said Estate, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities held by them, if any, and that after such last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given; and they will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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Markdale Standard.

VOL. XXV. WHOLE NO. 1269. MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1905. $1.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Hen eggs are 75 cents a dozen at Nelson, B.C.

One hundred acre farm for sale, cheap. Inquire at this office.

Two or three families can obtain milk from private family. Apply at this office.

Bartley's grain chopper will be running early next week at the rink building in town.

School Books, Scribblers, Exercise Books, Ink, Pens, Pencils, new and up-to-date lines at Turner's drug store.

Some budgets of correspondence were delayed last week owing to congested roads, and arrived late, but appear this week.

The person who took in mistake last week a lady's overstocking from the skating rink will please return it to the manager.

The stone chopping process is now in full run at Markdale Roller Mills. Nothing like it yet. Chopping done very rapidly.

Red Anchor Cough and Cold Cure is giving satisfaction. If you have a cold or bad cough give it a trial. 25c per bottle at Turner's drug store.

For Sale.—A first class 200-acre farm well improved and in good condition, one mile from the town of Orangeville. G. W. Armstrong, Markdale.

A New Westminister, B. C., subscriber, when renewing last week, wished to know what had happened to our Tenth Line, Holland, and Blind Line, Sydenham, correspondents. He would like to hear from them.

Don't read this if you wear rubber collars, but if you want to appear genteel, neat and stylish, let us attend to your linen. Headquarters for all kinds of laundering, dyeing and cleaning. Markdale Steam Laundry.

How much happier for one, to be at ease in his own little zion of a home than a political candidate driving through storm and sleet hunting down and tickling up the restive, resourceful voter. Does not the victor earn heavily all the spoils and honors he seeks after with such assiduity.

The annual snow blockade alone some of our highways forces the much neglected question of the necessity of wire fences upon those who do any travelling. This matter should be taken hold in a much more extensive manner than heretofore, by both farmers and municipal councils.

A grand masquerade carnival will be held in the Markdale Skating Rink on Friday evening of this week, January 20th. An open race, boys' race, lady and gent's race, and a potato race are on the programme, and good prizes will be awarded winners in the masking competition. The Markdale Silver Band will furnish music. Admission, ladies and gentlemen, 20c.; maskers and children, 10c. W. Bartley and C. R. Watson, Managers.

The young men who held the assembly in the hall on Monday evening were well pleased with the success of the undertaking. The floor was in prime condition for dancing and every one was delighted with the enrapturing music of the Marioana harpers from London. An excellent lunch of salads, jellies, cake, etc., was served on little tables at midnight, after which there was a more vigorous resumption of the gaieties for a couple of hours. A number of visitors were present from Owen Sound, Flesherton and Shelburne. The patronesses were, Mrs. W. Turner, Mrs. A. Elliott, Mrs. A. Macpherson, Mrs. (Dr.) Campbell, Mrs. Wm. Haskett, Mrs. W. L. McFarland, Mrs. S. H. Hill and Mrs. R. Mathews.

In a two-rink curling match in the Markdale rink on Tuesday afternoon of this week, Markdale was victorious by 14 shots. The following is the score:

Dundalk.		Markdale	
B. Dale		T. H. Hale	
Father Murphy		A. Jackson	
J. D. Wilson		J. E. Trelford	
T. Hanbury skip	12	F. M. Stafford skip	23
J. Curry		W. Turner	
Jas. Wellwood		Geo. Dundas	
R. Wilson		R. L. Stephen	
Wes. Brown skip	13	Wm. Lucas skip	16
	25		39

Next Tuesday the curlers go to Owen Sound where the third game of the series will be played.

The annual meeting of the Centre Agricultural Society will be held in the C.O.O.F. hall at Walters Falls on Friday, January 27th, beginning at 2 o'clock.

We notice that Mr. W. H. Stewart, formerly of Kimberley, but for some years off Owassau, has been elected mayor of that rising town. Success to the Kimberley boy.

Mr. A. L. Walker has sold his farm in Glenelg to Mr. J. J. White for $4000, and having previously purchased the McCuff farm in Markdale, will become a resident next spring.

Your Calling cards—It's the correct thing to have them printed. Latest styles in script type and fashionable cards. Only fifty cents for a box of 50 printed, at The Standard office.

The Operetta, 'Laila' which was to have been given the 2nd January but was postponed, will be given in the Marsh hall on Friday evening the 27th inst. Further particulars next week.

Notice.—The citizens band will give its weekly concert in the rink on Tuesday evening in future in place of Friday as heretofore. Admission for spectators ten cents, skaters 10 and 15 cents.

A public meeting of the ratepayers of Markdale, will be held in the council chamber, Haskett's Hall, at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday January 19, for the purpose of nominating three qualified persons for the municipal office of Councillor.

Mr. A. C. Paterson publishes this week a card of thanks to the electors of Division No. 7 for again placing him at the head of the poll. He is certainly to be complimented on the confidence thus manifested. This card was intended for last week's paper, but got snowbound on the way.

Monday evening of this week was "Social Evening" in the Epworth League. The program consisted of quartettes, trios, solos, both instrumental and vocal, and the evening was enjoyably spent by all present. After the programme, refreshments were served, and social converse and amusements occupied the remainder of the evening. A taffy pull wound up the festivities.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter of the Holland District L. O. L. met in the Orange hall, Berkeley, on Saturday January 14th, when the following officers were elected for 1905:

W. C. in C.—James Gillespie.
E. C.—J. N. Perdue.
Chaplain.—Carson Price.
Scribe.—Daniel Telford.
Treasurer.—Andrew Ritchie.
Sir Herald, Knight at Arms—Anthony Shute sr.
Inward Herald.—Frank Troughton.
Outward Herald.—E. T. Walters.

A Three-Day Convention.

The Frost Wire Fence Company of Hamilton had a three-day convention last week and with about one hundred of their agents from various points experienced a most interesting gathering. The visitors were shown through the new buildings and works, were banqueted, were introduced personally to the heads of the various departments, had addresses and discussions on practical questions regarding the institution and its methods, and also an outing to Niagara Falls. This Company's new buildings are more than three times as large as the ones they recently occupied at Welland from whence they moved. Such a gathering cannot but prove beneficial to this prosperous concern.

Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Glenelg Agricultural Society was held in the Council Chamber, Markdale, on Wednesday evening the 11th inst. when the following officers were elected for 1905:

President—J. E. Marsh.
Hon. Vice—Thos. Mercer.
1st Vice—Thos. Kells.
2nd Vice—Wm. N. Haskett.
Directors—R. L. Stephen, Albert Jackson, G. E. Arrowsmith, J. W. Knott, H. M. Douglas, Henry Erskine, Charles Reed, Wm. Norton, Aaron Wyville.
Treasurer—R. L. Stephen.
Secretary—Geo. Noble.
Auditors—Jas. S. Rowe and W. L. Young.

Obituary—Mrs. McFadden.

On Wednesday evening of last week the residents of this place and vicinity were shocked and deeply grieved to hear of the death of Mrs. Jane McFadden, who was residing at the home of her daughter Fannie (Mrs. Robert Carson) in Amabel township, Bruce County, near Allenford. Mrs. McFadden had been in a fair state of health until about Christmas when she contracted influenza and was confined to her bed; symptoms of pneumonia set in and she gradually grew worse until the above date at eight o'clock in the morning she passed peacefully away.

Deceased, whose maiden name was Jane Hamilton, was born at Crown Hall, Iniskillen, Fermanagh County, Ireland, in 1820, being 84 years of age at the time of her demise. In 1842 she emigrated to Canada with a number of relatives, and a short time after arrival was wedded to the late Robert McFadden. They settled in the township of Flamboro', Wentworth County. In 1851 they came northward and settled on the Toronto and Sydenham Road on the homestead, about 2½ miles north of this place, altho Markdale did not then exist. Mr. McFadden died in 1873. Since the marriage of her daughters Mrs. McFadden has lived with her children, particularly at the home of her eldest daughter. The deceased lady has been a devoted and faithful member of the Methodist Church since childhood, was of a kind and hospitable nature and always of a most friendly and generous disposition.

Of a family of ten, namely: John W. of the suburbs; Richard and Thomas, of Mono Centre; Mrs. Robert Carson, Allenford; Robert, who died in 1871; James, on the homestead; Mrs. James Walker, Mount Pleasant; Hamilton, of the suburbs, west; Mrs. Andrew Carson, of Elsinore, Bruce Co.; and Mrs. Wm. McFadden, Arkwright, five sons and four daughters survive. These, with one sister, Mrs. Leary, of this place, and thirty-eight grand-children are left to mourn her departure.

The body was brought down per C. P. R. train on Thursday evening, the funeral taking place on Friday at two o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Leary, Toronto street, to the Markdale Public Cemetery. A short and appropriate service was held at the house by Rev. Mr. Rodwell. Her five sons and a son-in-law, Mr. Robert Carson, acted as pall-bearers.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOUTH GREY:

Gentlemen,—

I respectfully request your vote and influence at the approaching Provincial Election on 25th of January, 1905.

Should you honor me by electing me as your representative, I will faithfully do all that I can to promote the best interests of our riding, and the welfare of our Province, by supporting only such legislation as will tend to honest, efficient and economical administration of Provincial affairs.

Believing that the will of the people should be faithfully respected, I will oppose and strenuously condemn all electoral corruption; convinced that majorities must rule, I will make it a first rule in my conduct to see that they are honest majorities.

Trusting that I may be honored by your support, and wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

John McKechnie.
Liberal Candidate.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. D. D. Murdoch left Monday for Chapleau, Ont.

Mr. Allie Watson is home from Dundalk for a couple of weeks.

Mr. Joe. McLaughlan from Owen Sound was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McFadden, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. Eddie King of Collingwood visited his brother, W. H., here recently.

Mr. Thos McFadden, Mono Centre, attended the funeral of his mother here last week.

Mr. John Agnew returned last week from a visit with friends in Proton township.

Mrs. L. C. Campbell and Miss Lottie Lucas are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. E. Hovey, Clinton.

Miss Hattie Hutchinson of Markdale left for Toronto on Saturday to visit her sister, Miss Allie.

Miss Stein, milliner, left on Tuesday for home in Berlin, after a successful season with T. Hill & Co.

Mr. and Miss McKay, Mrs. (Dr.) Rooney, and Miss Gayman, from Shelburne, were in town this week.

Mr. Will Atinson, of Winnipeg, formerly of T. Hill & Co.'s of this place, visited in town last week.

W. A. McMitchell, Williamsford, is taking a commercial course in the Elliott Business College, Toronto.

Miss M. Thompson left this week for Orangeville. She has had a successful millinery season in McFarland, Stafford & Co.'s.

District Deputy W. L. Buskin visited Court Markdale I. O. F. officially last Tuesday evening and installed the new officers for 1905.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carson and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carson, Amabel Tp., attended the funeral of the late Mrs. McFadden here last Friday.

Miss Bolton Hutchinson returned home on Monday after spending a fortnight with Mrs. George Twamley and other friends at Dornoch.

Mr. Donald Gillies, Liberal candidate for Centre Grey, gave The Standard a fraternal call while in town last week. Mr. Gillies is proprietor of the Clarksburg Reflector.

Dr. Kent and Alderman Smith of Thornbury were in town Tuesday. We notice by the Thornbury paper that our old friend Smith headed the poll in the town council.

Mrs. T. S. Crander of Reddickville, stayed off a night last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chalmers on her return home from visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chalmers in Owen Sound.

Misses S. C. and F. I. Irwin returned week before last after holidays to their schools at Chatham and Dresden respectively where they had been re-engaged for 1905 at advanced salaries.

January Clearing Sale.

Mrs. Kate Sproule wishes to announce her January clearing sale of all trimmed millinery on hand; no old stock kept from one season to another, but all up-to-date goods, sold at half price. Come early and get first choice. My millinery parlors are open the year round. Thanking you for your liberal patronage in the past.

Mrs. Kate Sproule.

Hello Kimberley!

Under the skillful superintendence of H. M. Abercrombie of Vancouver, who has been home on a visit to Kimberley friends, the new telephone line from Markdale via Wodehouse to Kimberley has been completed. This is a private line belonging to the East Grey Telephone Company, Limited, headquarters at Turner & Co.'s drug store. We understand that Mr. Abercrombie is being married this Wednesday in Toronto and will return forthwith to the Coast.

Both Sides of the Story

Heard at the Joint Political Meeting last Friday Night.

Enthusiasm was the key-note at the rousing political meeting held in the Marsh Hall on Friday evening last, in the interests of Mr. I. B. Lucas, Conservative candidate, and Mr. Donald Gillies, the Liberal candidate. At eight o'clock the hall was packed to the doors. Markdale people are noted for their liberal attendance at a political gathering, and the large turnout at the meeting must have awakened a feeling of ecstasy on the part of the candidates, who during the whole evening were given an attentive hearing and frequent applause.

C. W. Rutledge acted as chairman, and after a few opening introductory remarks called on Mr. M. K. Richardson, ex-M. P., for an address. Mr. Richardson held the attention of his audience for half an hour, during which time the Ross Government came in for a good deal of arraignment for alleged broken pledges, corruption and other acts of dishonesty.

Mr. Donald Gillies, the Liberal candidate, was the next speaker, and upheld the Government of which he was a supporter, in an address which lasted about an hour. He acknowledged that the Ross Government was not the most righteous government on the face of earth, but did not believe that if J. P. Whitney and his party were given the reins of office, that matters would be improved. The trip of the "Minnie M.," the Hastings ballot boxes, and the Soo industries were touched upon. This was Mr. Gillies' first appearance before a Markdale audience, and he made a most favorable impression, being frequently applauded during his address.

As would be expected in his own town, Mr. I. B. Lucas, the "boy orator of the Legislature," on rising to his feet, was given a hearty reception. He depicted in a masterly address, which lasted for nearly an hour, the platform and policy laid down by the Conservative leader, and on which his party must stand or fall. He scored the Ross Government for alleged wrong-doing, and believed that the time had come when a change in the government was desirable. He mentioned several items of legislation he had been successful in introducing into the House, and later had been engrossed on the statute books of the province, one of which was the doing away of bonuses on over-due mortgages, which was of practical value to the farmers and others interested in the sale of properties of this nature. He would be thankful for a good support, particularly in his own town, and believed he would get it. Mr. Lucas' address was given with splendid effect, and was frequently interrupted with applause.

At the conclusion of Mr. Lucas' address, Mr. Gillies made a short reply.

The Italian Harpers supplied excellent music at intervals during the evening.

Business Locals.

For Sale.—Pair young Clydesdale mares in foal, both prize-winners Beatty Bros., Berkeley.

Auction Sale of farm stock, implements at C. Treadgold's, ½ mile from Berkeley, on January 26, at one o'clock.

For Sale.—One milking cow, and a good work mare; also about 25 bushels King Tartar seed oats. Price reasonable. J. Wood, Wodehouse.

Painting and paper hanging done by Charlie Gibson, recently of Guelph. Furniture painted and varnished. Orders taken at Rutledge's livery.

For Sale.—13 cows, 4 due in February; 9 calves; quantity of young sheep in lamb; 5 store pigs. Thos. old. Chas. Tebbutt, west back line, Glenelg.

For Sale—One mare rising 8 years old in foal; two colts rising 3 years old, well matched, bright bay in color, one a filly, the other a gelding; also two good milch cows in calf. John Cock, Berkeley.

Mr. Alex. Semple, township, Euphrasia, will have a credit sale of a number of horses and cattle on Monday, January 31st, at 1 o'clock. Terms, 11 months on approved paper. Proprietor is over-stocked. Geo. Noble, auctioneer.

Scotch Hand Made is the name of a new writing paper. It is a beautiful heavy paper with a rough surface yet quite easy to write on. 25c for a package of envelopes and a quire of paper; two shades, grey and white, at Turner's drug store.

If you have a horse or a cow or in fact any animal about your place that is out of condition, Turner's Condition Powders should be used. There is nothing any better, and few things that are equal to it. 25c per package or 5 for $1.00. Turner's drug store.

Mr. H. Cornfield is again in Markdale with headquarters at Murphy's hotel. He pays fifty cents per hundred for all kinds old iron, four cents per pound for old rubbers, twenty cents for horse hair, and five cents for wool pickings. Leave your order at the Murphy House, or write to H. Cornfield, Markdale.

Invocation.

The second part of Mr. Newell's book consists of poems on the South African War, and in this division is "Invocation," perhaps the most noteworthy poem in the volume. They recall admirably and forcibly the ringing phrases of Kipling's great hymn, "The Recessional."

Courier-Journal, Louisville, Ky.

God of Battles, in whose sight
Our nations wield the civil sword,
Behold our need, and in Thy might
Sustain and strengthen us, O Lord!
Be our stirs and tumults cease, we pray;
Give joy and gladness in our day.

Our cause is holy; we have sought
To strike the chains from hands and feet;
The actions of a grosser thought
In hostile consultations meet;
We ask no favour in the fight;
We only pray, God speed the right.

Out of this chaos, dark and rude,
Make a united nation rise,
Triumphant over feuds of blood,
And bound together by the ties
Of peace and hope, where progress rears
The throne of the circling years.

Berkeley

The weather during the past week has been cold and stormy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stout have moved into the village, coming from Baltimore.

Miss Virtue is recovering after a five weeks' illness and we expect to see her out again soon.

William Dodds, who has been very ill for five weeks, is, we are pleased to say, recovering, and expects to be around again in a short time.

Although an election is near at hand there is very little excitement here. None of the candidates have so far favored us with a meeting. The friends of I. B. Lucas will meet in the Orange Hall on Saturday evening next.

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Epsom Salts
Foenugreek
Sulphite of Soda
Black Antimony
Copperas
Gentian
Ginger
Stephen's Condition Powder
" Condiment
" Heave Powder
Carnefac Stock Food
Carnefac Poultry Food
Carnefac Worm Powder
American Horse Tonic
Kow Kure
Bag Balm
Dick's Blood Purifier
Herbageum
Herbageum Poultry Spice.

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