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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Read Standard "Want Ads." on page 5.

Brampton will vote on local option next January.

Gen. Jarvis, Sec. per dozen at Turner's drug store.

Mr. Artley delivered ninety tons of coal to his customers this week.

Roch. Marie bought thirteen horses at his fair here last Wednesday.

The Standard will be sent to new subscribers the balance of the year for 6 cents.

A few copies Canadian National Exhibition prize list on hand at the Standard office for distribution.

Mr. Thos. Camack, of Kimberley, commencing cutting his fall wheat the 14th and reports a very heavy crop.

The hay on King Edward Park will be sold by auction on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. L. G. Campbell, Chairman Park Committee.

The household effects of the late Robert Elliott will be sold at his residence on George street on Saturday, July 18, at 3 o'clock. R. Mathews, auctioneer.

Don't forget to attend McFarlane & Co's Mid-Summer Sale commencing next Saturday, July 18. All summer goods to be slashed out. It will pay you to read their advertisement on page 3.

A football match between the teams of Kimberley and Wodehouse will be played on the King Edward Park, Markdale, on Saturday evening, July 18, commencing at 6 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

The party who removed from a house a wheel and tire from the rear of W. C. Davis' paint shop, is requested to return same within a week and save trouble as they are known. W. C. Davis, Markdale.

Next Sunday evening the Methodist pastor will give the history of some familiar and favorite hymns instead of delivering a set sermon. These hymns will be sung by choir and congregation. Morning theme, "Lessons from the Life of Jesus." All are cordially invited.

By special request we refrain from mentioning a real old-fashioned charivari which was held at the home of a George street young couple last week. Dressed in all the grotesque costumes peculiar to participants in this event, with tin horns, drums, and other high-class musical (?) instruments, the charivari party of six, composed of Misses— but we were told particularly not to mention any names—held forth until the newly-made bridegroom appeared at the doorway, which was their signal for dispersion. We understand that the members of the party—at least, some of them—will themselves, soon be eligible for a charivari, and we advise the victim of this occasion to keep his eye open in order that his chance to return the "compliment" should not be missed.

The garden party given in the King Edward Park last Friday evening under the auspices of the Presbyterian church proved an all-round success. The park is convenient to the town and very suitable for such an occasion, the weather was ideal and the attendance largely good. Toothsome refreshments were served and partaken of with a relish. The Citizens Band furnished excellent music and everybody seemed to enjoy the outing. General interest was manifested in an exciting baseball match between the fat and the lean men. This was an exciting hour resulting in a victory for the former. Much amusement was manifested in the children's contests, which resulted as follows: Sack race, boys under 16, Kendall Haskett, 1st; Wilber Chard, 2nd. Dressing race, boys under 14, H. Mercer, 1st; H. Merriam, 2nd. Foot race, boys under 10, Lorne Baird, Wm. McEachnie. Cup and Saucer race, girls under 14, Connie Haskett, 1st; Edith Matthews. Total receipts \$65.50.

For pure Paris Green go to J. Artley.

Send in your news items we will gladly publish them.

Mr. T. J. Coleman shipped two Jersey cows last week to Fort William to Mr. A. Allan.

Markdale baseball team will journey to Durham on Friday for a game with the ball-tossers in the cement town.

Flies carry disease; kill them with Briggs' Fly Poison or catch them with tanglefoot. You can get it at Turner's drug store.

Don't let anybody make you believe that all coil wire is the same and made in the same mill. It's not so; there is none genuine unless it has the Frost Co.'s own tag on it. J. W. Knott, sole agent here for Frost wire and gates.

St. Matthias Church, Berkeley, will hold its annual garden party on the lawn of Mr. Ed. Sargent on Friday evening, July 17. A good program will be given. Markdale band in attendance. Supper served from 6 to 8 o'clock. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

The Grey Old Boys seventh annual excursion will be run from Toronto on Saturday, the 18th of August, to Markdale and Owen Sound. Fare for round trip, \$1.35, good to return Monday, August 3, which is Toronto's civic holiday, as well as that of Markdale.

It is a well-known fact that Ramsay's Paints beautify and give life to everything they touch. Their brilliancy, purity of color and power for covering gives them unchallenged leadership. F. T. Hill & Co. sell them at a price that will please you, and guarantee every can.

The Standard has now a letter box in its front door, so that personals and correspondence may be dropped in even after hours. Let's have the personals, and don't forget to add your own name, so that we may know it is O. K. We cannot pay any attention to nameless items.

Markdale school keeps up its good record in connection with the Entrance exams, eleven pupils being successful this year out of a class of fourteen. Of the successful ones the majority were under 12 years of age, some being under 13. The prize-winners and general proficiency pupils will be announced later.

Having disposed of his barber business here to Mr. Herb Irwin, J. Williamson will sell privately at his residence in the Artley block his stock of furniture consisting of bedroom suites, dining-room suite, tables, chairs, two stoves, etc. Will be sold cheap. Mr. Williamson intends to leave shortly for the West.

Miss Miller's sale in the suburbs last Saturday was quite successful, not only the household effects being disposed of but the farm Mr. John B. Thibadeau being the purchaser of the latter at \$1,990. Mr. Radd Mathews was the auctioneer. Miss Miller left Saturday night for Owen Sound where she will visit for a fortnight, after which she goes to Sunderland to reside with her sister.

Mr. Wm. J. Stevens and wife, of Hamiota, Man., are on a visit with old friends in Markdale and other points. Mr. Stevens was a Markdale boy and has done well in the prairie province. He is much respected for integrity as well as for indomitable enterprise. Mrs. Stevens, nee Jenny Watson, has lost none of her geniality and big-heartedness. She is the only survivor of that much respected Rich. Watson family, formerly of our suburbs.

The 12th of July fell on Sunday this year and L. O. L. No. 1045 attended service in the Methodist church at 10.30 a.m. There was a large and very creditable attendance of the brethren, the Citizens band leading the procession, playing sacred music. Rev. J. S. I. Wilson delivered a powerful sermon fitting the occasion, based on the words from Exodus 12:14, "And this Day shall be unto you for a memorial." On their return to the hall a unanimous resolution of appreciation and thanks was passed to the reverend gentleman for his excellent and appropriate sermon.

PERSONAL MENTION

Rev. J. C. Wilson is in Toronto for a few days.

Mrs. E. B. Clarke left town for Toronto on Saturday last.

Miss May Watson returned home from Schomberg last Friday.

Miss Mary Tucker, of Bromore, is visiting in town with Miss Jeanie Baird.

Mr. R. O. Whithy, of Rochester, N. Y., is rustivating for a week in town.

Master Ennis R. Humphreys, of Schomberg, is holidaying at Mr. R. W. Ennis.

Miss Laddie Watson, of Dundalk, and Miss Fern, of Meaford, are holidaying at their home here.

Mr. Wm. Abercrombie spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Abercrombie, of this place.

Mr. W. Haskett drove up from Newmarket on Sunday and is visiting his parents for a few days.

Mr. Hugh Macpherson, of the Merchants' Bank staff here, is relieving in Chesley for a couple of weeks.

Miss Eva McConnell returned home to Alpena, Mich., on Monday, after visiting friends in the suburbs.

Mrs. Mighton, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Cook, returned to Durham on Wednesday.

Miss Ma M. Watson, of the Homeopathic Hospital staff, Syracuse, N. Y., is spending a week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Currie and Master Oie, of Meridian, Conn., are visiting Mrs. G.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bradley.

Mrs. W. A. Armstrong left on Tuesday for Montreal on a visit. Miss Lolita and little Miss Margaret accompanied.

Miss Sarah Beaton, of Detroit, and Mr. Lorne Beaton, of Princely River, Alberta, are visiting friends in Markdale and vicinity.

Mr. Fred Lucas, of Clinton High School, and Mr. Rob. McCullough, of St. Andrews College, Toronto, are home for the holidays.

Mrs. M. A. Wright returned to Midhurst on Tuesday. Master Harold and Miss Muriel Armstrong accompanied their grandmother.

Mr. David Lamb, of Winnipeg, gave The Standard a pleasant call last week. He and his brother George left by Saturday boat for the Soo.

Miss Elsie Smith, of Toronto, is visiting the parental home, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, Harkaway, where she will stay for a couple of months.

Misses Lolita Brown, Maggie and Ethel Leslie, and Mike Kelly, Harold Henry, Reggie Howard and Willie Trelford are home from O. S. C. I. for summer holidays.

Mrs. Aaron Sawyer, of Woodham, and Mrs. B. J. Roadhouse, of St. Mary's, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Simon G. Freeman, in town, and other friends returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. S. Rutledge left on Thursday last for her home in Fort William, after a two months' visit in Markdale and Michigan.

Mrs. J. B. Thibadeau with her sons Masters Stewart and Frank also went by same boat.

Mr. Joe Kelly, of Ryan Bros., Owen Sound, is spending his holidays at his home here, incidentally assisting the band at several engagements, and having a few workouts on the baseball field. In Owen Sound Joe is making a name for himself in lacrosse circles, he having been signed on the intermediate team almost as soon as he landed in the town. As a proof that on the lacrosse field Joe is able to deliver the goods as of yore it might be mentioned that in a game with Southampton last week he scored four out of a total of five goals, and practically won the game for the county town. A jolly good fellow and an all-round sport is Joe, and he is missed in both social and sporting circles in Markdale.

Entrance Examinations, 1908

The following candidates passed successfully the recent H. S. Entrance Examinations held at the centres named. An honor standing required 75 per cent. of the total marks. This is indicated by the letter (H) following the name.

DUNDALK Centre—E. Bachelor, A. M. Brown, E. Cooper, R. Dick, M. G. Goodfellow, R. Heard, R. Kinnell, M. Lucas, F. Ludlow, G. Lyons, J. McLean, K. McLean, M. McWilliams, B. Montgomery, B. Morrow, O. Oldfield, J. Robinson, Z. Robinson, K. Russell, E. Scott (H), M. Scott, W. Silk, A. Simmons, E. Wellwood, M. E. Wilson, J. Woods, A. Wright, M. Wright.

FRESHERTON Centre—L. A. Armstrong, J. Bannon, C. Binmie, M. Burnett, E. M. Caswell, J. G. Chard, C. Crossley, H. Fisher, E. Fletcher, L. E. Henry, F. Lever (H), A. McMillan, B. McLeod, K. McLeod, F. McLeish, P. Meads, H. Mitchell, A. Muir, R. Park, R. Patterson, V. Rennie (H), F. Russell, L. Rutledge, W. J. Sharpe, J. Sloan, E. C. Smith, T. Spicer, F. Sullivan, A. Wright.

MARKDALE Centre—E. Barnard, L. Beattie, N. Bowers, W. Buchanan, B. Carbert, R. Davis, C. Haskett, K. Haskett, G. Kelly, M. McFadden, E. McLoughry, A. Plewes, D. Rowe, M. Ward, R. Welsh, E. Williams.

HIS GUN EXPLODED.

Mr. William Levi Met With Accident on Tuesday

Mr. William Levi, of this place, took down his old musket off the wall on Tuesday and made a bee-line for the hiding-place of that gentle little animal described in the dictionary as a carnivorous, odoriferous quadruped—commonly known as skunk. The old weapon had been in disuse for some time and when in the act of firing it off it exploded and parts struck him in the face, inflicting an ugly gash on his forehead. The old gentleman is, however, not thought to be dangerously injured. The animal is still at large.

C.P.R. Northwest Excursions

The next Homeseekers' excursion leaves on Tuesday, July 21, by special train leaving Toronto at 2 p.m., carrying through colonist tourist sleeping cars. To reach the special intending passengers should take morning trains to Toronto. C. P. R. excursions are run by the new Muskegon route making a considerable saving in time, and the advantage of travelling by a through car line, without trouble of transfers, and possible delays, is obvious. The C.P.R. agent will be glad to furnish free booklet giving rates and full particulars. Reports from west indicate early crops this year, and within the next two or three weeks announcement will be made of the low rate Farm Laborers' Excursions.

Direct to Quebec City.

The Canadian Pacific via the Quebec City, affording passengers welcome freedom from transfers and delays. For the great Centenary Celebration a single rate is in effect for the round trip tickets good going July 18 inclusive. Call at C. P. R. office or station for particulars.

We will send The Standard the balance of 1908 to any address to new subscriber for 40 cents. If sent to that friend of ours.

Isn't it funny that all separator agents claim they have the "best" separator, but when you ask them to put one in and test them against the DeLaval they won't do it. They want you to take their word for it. You can get the DeLaval and test it against any other. J. W. Knott, agent.

NEW MACHINE SHOP.

The undersigned have opened a machine shop in connection with their wagon and paint shops. All kinds of lathe and other iron work done. Buggies and wagons repaired and painted. All work entrusted will receive our personal attention and will be done promptly. R. G. and W. NOBLE.

Not Signed--Not Printed.

We received several articles this week, acceptable in every way, but the writers did not sign them, and we have not published them.

We do not use the writer's name when requested not to do so, but we must know who is responsible for articles, or they will not be printed.

Challenge Accepted.

We are somewhat surprised at the challenge we received from Kimberley in last week's paper. He did not know that Kimberley was playing football this summer, but if they want a match with us we will be only too glad to meet them in Markdale on Saturday night, July 18, at 7 o'clock, on King Edward Park. Admission 10c. Wm. Wiley, Captain. Fred Birch, Secretary.

Challenge Accepted.

Music is to be made a special feature at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, this year. A prominent attraction in connection with the usual spectacle will be an International Military Tattoo in which upwards of three hundred musicians will take part, including a number from the United States and also Great Britain.

A lawn party under the auspices of the Ebenezer church, Markdale circuit, will be held on the grounds of Mr. Thomas Freeman (town line) on Friday evening, July 17. Games, music recitations, addresses will be furnished, also selections from phonograph. Those in town wishing special conveyance will please consult Mr. J. A. Erskine.

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WATTS—In Holland, the 5th July, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. William Watts, a son.

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MARKDALE MARKETS.

(Corrected each Wednesday.)

Wheat	80	80
Barley	58	60
Oats	55	70
Hay	17	19
Straw	15	16
Av. per ton	10.00	11.00
Wool, washed	17	16
Wool, unwashed	8	9
Butter	5.00	6.00
Eggs	7.00	8.00
Chickens	4.00	4.50
Ducks	8	10
Poultry	8	10
Apples, per bag	50	60
Potatoes, per bag	65	75
Onion, per bbl.	4.80	5.50
Carrot, Manitoba	5.50	6.20
Beans, per cwt.	1.25	1.25
Peas, per cwt.	1.35	1.35
Wheat Oats, per cwt.	1.50	1.50
Sheep Skins	65	75

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It is a serious mistake to neglect Backache. Backache is the first symptom of kidney ills. Fatal complications may follow. Booth's Kidney Pills act quickly to overcome kidney ills, do not delay till too late, it may mean Diabetes, Bright's Disease. Read what Markdale resident says: "George Walker, of Toronto street Markdale, says: 'I would frequent suffer with a dull heavy pain across the small of my back and pain of the kidneys. This would especially bad when settled in bed cold, as it always settled in a small of my back. It would tenderness and weakness were and often I would be unable to stoop or lift anything without suffering considerably. Booth's Kidney Pills were advertised and I secured a box at Mr. Turner's pharmacy. I used them and found them to quickly strengthen and gladden the kidneys. My back is no longer troubled. I will be glad to recommend Booth's Kidney Pills as I believe them an exceptional remedy.'"

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