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LOCAL and GENERAL

Wanted—Men to cut saw logs in the bush. C. E. Armstrong, Markdale. 16

Red Anchor Cough Cure will cure that cough. 25c. per bottle at Turner's drug store.

Wanted—All kinds logs, for which the highest prices will be paid. See Schmitzer, Lauriston.

Men and teams wanted to take logs and cordwood off lot 17, cor. 10, Glenelg. Mark Armstrong, Markdale. 20-21

Rob Martin, the horse buyer, is filled for the 11th January to buy horses. All kinds wanted, if in good condition.

Feed a little Turner's Condition Powders with your new oats and your horse won't be sick. 25c. a package at Turner's drug store.

Wanted—Soft elm logs in woods or delivered at veneer factory. Lengths, 10 feet 4 inches or 15 feet 4 inches. M. and C. E. Armstrong, Markdale. 16

Dr. Burt, specialist in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Revere House, Markdale, on Friday, Jan. 7, from 8 to 12 a.m. Eyes tested and glasses supplied.

The annual meeting of Artemesia Local Orange Lodge will be held in the lodge room of T.O.L. 1045, Markdale, on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, at one o'clock sharp. Heph Irwin, District Master.

The annual meeting of Markdale Agricultural Society will be held in Mackett's Hall on Friday, Jan. 21, at one o'clock p.m. for the election of officers and other important business. A. Jackson, Secretary.

The old Waterloo Co., established 40 years. General agents for Grey and Bruce. A. J. Chisholm, Life Assurance Specialist. Office, Wolfe Block, corner East 2nd Avenue and 5th Street, Owen Sound.

The Markdale hockey team go to Owen Sound on Thursday of this week to open the championship season. They have been practicing faithfully and expect to give the Sounders a stiff argument. The second game of the series will be played in Markdale on Jan. 13.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held in Markdale Presbyterian church on Sunday, Jan. 9th. Preparatory service on Friday, Jan. 7, in Berkeley at 3 p.m. and in Markdale at 8 p.m. The Rev. J. H. Lemon, B.A., of Walters Falls will take the Friday services.

The record of thirty-four persons killed in New England and Maritime Canada during the big game hunting season which has just closed, is somewhat worse, we should say, than that of the football season. It suggests the consideration whether the practice of going out to kill harmless creatures just for the sake of the "sport" which is involved in their slaughter is really worth continuing.

A very interesting event took place on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Wilson of Lauriston, when their daughter, Nellie, was united in marriage to Mr. Will Myers, of Cherry Grove. The bride was dressed in white silk. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Walker, of Holland Centre and the wedding march played by Miss Susie Taylor, of Markdale. The groom's gifts to the bride were a gold watch chain and a handsome organ. The other gifts were numerous and beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Myers left on the evening train for Toronto, where they will spend their honeymoon. Their many friends wish them a long and prosperous married life.

Editor Standard—I notice, in looking over the annual report of the Methodist church of Markdale, an item of \$4 received for shed accommodation. I understand that this commodious cement building, which is open to the public and lighted by electricity until midnight every day in the week, was erected at a cost to the congregation of nearly two thousand dollars, and is costing about ten dollars a year for lighting. I have good reason to believe that it is patronized by a large number who neither shared in the cost of erection or are contributors to the running expenses of that church. It does strike me that these people should contribute voluntarily, at least sufficient to pay for the lighting. J. B. Thibodeau



MR. ALBERT JACKSON

Elected Reeve on Monday by the largest majority ever given a municipal candidate in Markdale

THE ELECTIONS

Jackson Chosen as Reeve—Local Option Defeated by Small Majority.

The lizard of the season howled on Monday, rendering the task of getting out to exercise the franchise an irksome one rather than a pleasure. A keen interest was manifested in Markdale all day and the largest vote on record was polled. For Reeve the poll stood

For A. Jackson	164
For J. G. Matthews	100
Majority for Jackson	64

Reeve Jackson and his two Councillors, Messrs. R. W. Ennis and J. R. Matthews (who were elected by acclamation) will meet and set a date for the holding of another nomination to fill the vacancies in the Council.

LOCAL OPTION

The vote on the Local Option question was as follows:

For Local Option	150
Against Local Option	115
Majority For	35

This was nine votes less than the required three-fifths. Three years ago the vote was: For Local Option 93, Against Local Option 155, Majority Against 62. A rather remarkable feature of the local option vote was the striking turn-over in the temperance sentiment of the town since three years ago. As the above figures indicate, when the vote was taken in 1907 there was a majority of 42 against the By-law, this year there were 35 majority for a turn-over of 77 votes. This is very gratifying to the temperance people of the town and will act as an incentive to still greater efforts in the future.

Were Good Citizens.

Mr. Hugh Baird, who moved to Thornbury a few weeks ago, was in town on business last Friday. Mr. Baird had been a resident and valued citizen of Markdale and suburbs for 24 years, during which period he did a successful business in saw mill, shingle manufacturing and flour mill lines. He is a superior type of man, enterprising, honorable, and genial. Markdale certainly lost one of its most respected and valued citizens when Mr. Baird and his estimable wife and family moved away, and all wish them the best of success in their new home.

Something to Appreciate

The holiday rush is now past for this season and in looking back we must congratulate ourselves and the community on the excellent and obliging service which postmaster Plewes, and his assistant, Miss Irving, has meted out. It is certainly a trying position, and requires almost unlimited patience to maintain a genial demeanour to all, but Angus does it admirably. The central location of the office, too, together with modern and convenient internal arrangements, all combine in making this public institution such as would call forth the unstinted appreciation of its patrons.

MABEL V. PLEWES, Teacher of Piano, Vocal and Theory. Pupil of A. S. Vogt, Mus. Doc., Edward Broome, Mus. Doc., Jessie Allan, F.T.C.M., and J. C. Perry, A.T.C.M. Pupils prepared for Conservatory examinations. Voices tested free. Studio—Wellington st.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of Markdale: Ladies and Gentlemen—I wish to hereby extend my hearty thanks for the splendid support given me on Monday by electing me Reeve of Markdale by such a substantial majority. I will endeavor to conscientiously fulfil the trust you have reposed in me. Wishing the electors of Markdale a Happy and Prosperous New Year. Yours, truly, A. JACKSON.

Subscribers who reside in the United States will please remit by post office order and not by bank cheque, as there is 15 cents discount on the latter, even when the whole amount is only \$1.50. We would like very much to send The Standard to U. S. subscribers at the old rate of \$1 but after paying the excessive postage on such we would have but 48 cents left on a year's subscription, which would scarcely pay for the white paper.

New Halifax banks have been discovered in the open ocean, west of Graham Island, B.C.

PERSONAL

Mr. W. Weber, of Berlin, was in town for New Years.

J. W. Tucker spent New Years at his home at Dromore.

Mr. Fred Ballard, of Toronto, was home for the holidays.

Miss Freda Maher, spent New Year's holidays with Mrs. Maher in Shelburne.

Miss M. Knox has returned to her school, after spending the holidays in Swinton Park.

Mrs. J. R. Armstrong and baby son Irwin have returned with Mrs. Tolton for a couple of weeks' visit at Waldemar.

Miss Grace Symes returned home to Markdale on Tuesday, after spending Christmas holidays with Toronto relatives.

Miss Fern Watson visited for a couple of days last week with Mrs. Jack Tilt (nee Miss Maud Trethewey) in Toronto.

Mrs. P. H. King and son Melvyn and Miss Nora King, of Toronto, spent Christmas holidays at the latter's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goy, of Toronto (nee Miss Ruth Boyce) spent Christmas with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. H. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller, of Warton, spent Christmas holidays in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McNally.

Miss Eleanor Kennedy, of Sault Ste. Marie, and Miss Grace Bristow, of Arthur, are guests of Miss Blanche Macpherson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brown, of St. Catharines, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Drake, in town during Christmas holidays.

Miss Sadie Boyce returned to the city on Wednesday last after spending her Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Foster, of Glenelg.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Ennis and Mr. Crone, of Tara, drove over to Nottawa to spend New Year's with the latter's brothers, Messrs. Thos. and Arthur Crone.

Mr. Alex. Ellison, of Elbow, Sask. who is down on a visit, gave The Standard a friendly call on Thursday last. Mr. Ellison is well pleased with the West.

Mr. Thos. H. Fowell and daughter, Miss Blanche, of Lorain, Ohio, are visiting for a week with the former's mother and sister here. Miss Blanche intends remaining in Markdale.

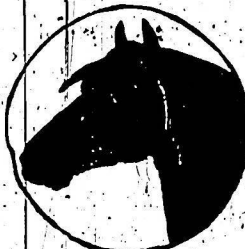
Mr. R. J. Gillilan, teller in the Merchants' Bank, went to his home in Toronto last Thursday suffering from ptomaine poisoning. Mr. Moulton, of Toronto, is relieving Mr. Gillilan in the bank here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wright, of Chesley; Mr. A. W. Baines, M.A., and Mrs. Baines, of Warton, and Mrs. George Baines and Master Russell, of Owen Sound, attended the marriage of Miss Baines in town last week.

Mr. W. A. Irwin, of Victoria University, Mrs. Tolton, of Waldemar, Miss F. T. Irwin, of Toronto, and Miss S. C. Irwin, of McDonald Institute, Guelph, have been holidaying at the parental home in the suburbs.

BORN

NOBLE—in Markdale, the 20th December, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noble, a daughter.



FOUND!

At last, the place to buy Harness, Robes, Bells, Blankets, Suit Cases, Grips, Rugs. And in fact everything that is kept in a first class harness shop will be found at the Markdale Harness Emporium

R. W. ENNIS

The Fire Blockade.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Moore, of Cobalt; Miss Mabelle Shouldice, of Calgary, who is attending Haver-gal Hall, Toronto, and Mr. J. D. Torrie and sons, of Orangeville, were guests at Mr. D. D. Murdoch's during the holidays.

Mr. George E. Peene, representing the Biffin-Gillies firm, wholesale stationers, in Hamilton, was in Markdale Monday, and The Standard placed with him an order for five tons of paper. Mr. Peene has been on a business trip to Vancouver, B.C., and intermediate points since his last visit here, and took orders for several carloads of paper in the West.

Mr. Geary was elected Mayor of Toronto on Saturday by a majority of over four thousand.

The ever-visited line on this winter, and by Wednesday here a snow storm which on Monday and the first blockade the C. P. R. this morning train on Owen Sound, due did not reach 1:30 p.m. Snow out from Orange Sound and the line The Toronto train was over an hour the morning train he down train was Chittsworth and 'Twas the most have yet had this mately it was of

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Of Importance to Farmers Regarding the Preparing of Poultry for Market.

The following instructions should be observed so that the best market prices be secured for your Poultry when marketed:

- 1st—All poultry must be dry picked and packed clean.
- 2nd—No feathers of any kind, wing or tail should be left on.
- 3rd—Heads must be taken off all kinds of poultry.
- 4th—Poultry requires to be starved at least 24 hours so that nothing remains in their crop.
- 5th—Under no consideration should poultry be scalded, as it lowers the market value of poultry by 3 to 5c. lb.

The above instructions strictly followed will always insure the marketing of poultry at good prices.

Here's Wishing a Happy and Prosperous New Year to All My Customers and Friends.

R. L. STEPHEN

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Quoted each Wednesday.

96	1 00
92	86
85	86
35	35
19	22
23	25
5 00	6 00
9 00	10 50
10 00	10 00
10	11
9	11
9	11
16	18
12 00	15 00
5	5
5 10	5 90
6 00	6 50
1 10	1 10
1 25	1 25
1 35	1 35
65	75
19	21
12	14
50	75
25	35

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