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The Standard will be sent to new subscribers from now until the end of 1911 for \$1.00.

Read Standard Want Ads. on page 5.

Turner & Co. are agents for the Dale Estate, the largest growers of flowers in Canada.

Markdale Photo Studio will be closed from Oct. 25th to Nov. 16th.

J. C. Kentner, Artist.

Be sure and attend Markdale Races on Thursday afternoon, and the concert at night.

Reserved seats for the concert Thursday night on sale at J. H. Stephenson's jewelry store.

All accounts not settled before the 20th October will be placed in other hands for collection. P. Sparling, Gorring.

In the springtime Nature turns over a new leaf. In the autumn she paints the town red.

Turner's condition powders are the best for horses or cattle. 25 cents a package at Turner's Drug Store.

Our Flesherton correspondence has been unavoidably crowded out this week, but will appear in our next issue.

Mr. Ali Parker, con. 10, Euphrasia will hold a clearing credit sale on the 20th inst. Mr. W. J. Shepherdson, Auctioneer.

A box social will be held at S.S. No. 17, Euphrasia (11th Line) on Friday evening, Oct. 21st. Good program will be rendered. Admission free.

Autumn bulbs for sale at Turner's Drug store. What is more attractive than a fine bed of tulips or hyacinths coming into flower in the early spring?

A box social will be given in S.S. No. 14, Artemesia (Cheeseville) on Friday evening, Nov. 11th. Good program will be provided. Admission 10¢; ladies with boxes free.

Dr. Burt, Specialist in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Revere House, Markdale, Thursday, October 13, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Eyes tested and glasses supplied.

Ye Concerte of Ye Olden Tyme in ye Marsh's Amusement Hall by ye Methodist choir and Epworth League on Monday night ye 11th day in October, A.D. (Ye Day of Thanksgiving.)

The staff of the Furniture Factory presented the book-keeper, Mr. Ritchie, a new days previous to his marriage, with a handsome solid oak hall rack as a wedding present. The gift came as a genuine surprise to Mr. Ritchie and in grateful terms he expressed his appreciation of the same.

Anniversary services will be held morning and evening in connection with the New England Church, Ephrasha, on October 16th. Fowl supper will be served on the evening of Monday, 17th, from 5 to 8 p.m. followed by the usual programme. Admission children 15 cents, Adults 25 cents.

The Standard publishes monthly honor roll reports of schools in town and surrounding district without charge, but owing to the large number who make use of this privilege we are obliged to limit the number of names published to four in each class. Even then there's often considerable strain on space.

Mrs. Cliff G. Kearns, Toronto, have the sympathy of many friends here in Sundy last of their daughter, Ella Jean, aged eleven months. The little one had been moving to Toronto since her birth, but suffered a relapse a few days ago. The parents arrived on Tuesday interment of the family plot, Markdale.

The Literary Committee of the Methodist Epworth League have arranged for an interesting debate at League next Monday evening, the subject being "Resolved, that the horse has promoted civilization more than the modern means of locomotion." The leader of the affirmative is Mr. R. W. E. McFadden, and the leader of the negative is Mr. Harold Henry. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Forty-three locomotives have been turned out at the C.P.R. shops in Montreal since August 1st. Twenty-eight were built in August, and they weighed 200,000 pounds on the drivers, or a total weight of 220,000 pounds. During last month seven have been produced at the Angus shops, and eight at the locomotive works. These have been distributed all over the system, and a number of them have been sent to foreign points.

Don't trifle with a cold is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in case of a child. There is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds in children. It is safe and sure. For sale by R. L. Stephen.

PERSONAL

Mr. Robt. Elder, of Holstein, spent Fair Day at A. McCutcheon's.

Mrs. J. E. Boales is this week visiting Mrs. Hutchinson at Vandeleur.

Mrs. Fred Day, of Owen Sound, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Stoddart, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, of Elmvale, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boales in town this week.

Miss Durkin, of Orangeville, visited her brother, Dr. L. H. Durkin, for a couple of days last week.

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Mr. Harry Noble and sister, Miss Ada McMillan, left Monday for a couple of weeks' visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. James Halbert and son, Leonard, of Granger, visited her brother, Alex. McCutcheon, and other relatives in town last week.

Mr. R. J. Halbert, who had visited his old home at Markdale and Woodford, spent a day or so with his brother, Inspector Halbert here.

Mr. Wm. McLoughlin attended the quarterly executive meeting of the Sydenham Fire Insurance Company in Owen Sound on Tuesday.

Mr. W. S. Byers, of Hastings, visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Mattheus, of the suburbs, before returning to his home in Rochester, N.Y.

Mrs. D. Anderson returned to her home in Toronto on Saturday after a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Cooper, and her brother, Mr. G. R. Sewell.

Mrs. G. W. Richards and daughter, Miss Alma, arrived last week from Brandon on a visit. They will also visit Dundalk, Toronto, and Schomberg before returning.

Mr. Bert Field and Mr. W. Clayton, of Toronto, gave The Standard a call while in town Fair Day. The former is visiting his old home at Flesherton for a couple of weeks.

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Fine Exhibits at Markdale Fair

Especially in Live Stock.—Rain Decreased Attendance.—Races Will Be Held This Thursday.

The weather man treated the Directors of the Markdale Agricultural Society to very bad weather or their annual Fall Exhibition last week. It rained and again it rained, and that's all there's to it.

Had the weather been fine, as it was during the latter part of the week, the Directors' hearts undoubtedly would have been cheered with the largest crowd ever. As it was, though, the number of entries were not quite up to last year's record. The show was an excellent one in every department—the exhibits being all of an unusually high class—and all the departments were well filled.

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THE CONCERT.

The Marsh Hall was packed and the immense gathering delighted with the mirthful program rendered at the concert in the evening. Hon. I. B. Lucas presided, and after brief but fitting remarks on the day's proceedings "touched the button" and a strong trio of artists entertained the audience.

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