

THE MARKDALE STANDARD THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1912.

The Governor in the West

His Royal Highness, the Governor, and suite, are in the West, greeting the people. At every point His Excellency is graciously received. His apt, neat speech combined with the knowledge of his bravery and skill on the battlefield, and that he bears a democratic mind within his royal zone, appealed to the imagination of the people. Our fellow Canadians in the West feel and speak in a bigger and more picturesque manner than those of the seditious East. Nevertheless, they are deeply and heartily (and fittingly) inclined to rule the East and all that; but Canadian, with welcomes for the Governor as magnificent as the Gracian, the visit will be of incalculable blessing, not only for Canada, but the whole Empire.

The Chief Cause.

What is the chief cause of the high cost of living in the West compared with the east (and the latter the bad enough)? Nothing but the craze for speculating in real estate, whereby inflated values of such an enormous extent that the ordinary man must be raised to most excessive prices and other charges. Board and lodging cost twice as much in the West as it does in the East, clothing ditto, and almost everything else likewise. It is this happens that the young man who goes West to work in a salary of \$5 per week is surprised to find that at the end of the month he is no farther ahead financially than he was in the East, and in some instances he is a little behind. But's Fall Arrow.

The Western Fair of London, Ontario, will be held this year, Sept. 11 to 15. It is the way a Southern newspaper heads a week-long article, "The Fair of London, Ontario, is a 'Fastened' in February," "Mated" in May, "Celebrated" in August, "Spilled" in September, "Discovered" in December.

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NEWS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNSHIPS BY STAFF REPORTERS

TRAVERTON VANDELEUR

(Special to The Standard.) Hay is proving a much heavier crop than was anticipated some two weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAllister, of Normandy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gray lately. Mr. T. E. Blair had lightning rods erected on his barn on Friday last. It is generally considered well, to add to the security of buildings during those fierce electric storms. Miss Horton, of Hartney, Man., arrived last week at the cosy home of Mr. E. W. Hunt to be the guest of Miss Flo. for some weeks. She most pleasant trip. Mrs. Bert Wilson, of New Jersey, is spending a pleasant fortnight with her brother, Mr. Wm. Beaton. Mrs. J. H. King and two children, of Owen Sound, arrived on Friday last to spend some time with her brothers and other kindred at Waudby. Mrs. Alex. Livingston, of Pricville, is over on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Joseph McNally, of the West.

A bachelor needs more than the ordinary amount of machinery. John Laughlin purchased a Massey-Harris hay-baler from G. E. Arrow-smith lately. Among those who disposed of horses at the Durham Horse Fair on Thursday of last week were: J.W. Stoddart, Mr. Wm. McNally, of the 6th, Will Jack and four scribe. A number of old pointers were disposed of. A lot of new machinery is being sold this season. Last week G. E. Arrow-smith sold a new 7-foot Dering binder from Mr. Knott and W. Jack a cultivator from W. Wallace. Congratulations are being handed out freely to Cecil Barnes, and Miss Mary McArthur of S.S. No. 6, to Miss Clara Nelson, of No. 5, to Misses Anzela Norris and Josephine McArthur, of Sep. S. No. 5, and Edward Burke, of Sep. S. No. 7, on passing the recent Entrance exam.

(Special to The Standard.) Haying operations are in full swing. Mr. Earl Rothergill, of Beaverdale, was a pleasant caller in our burg on the first of the week. Mr. John Stephenson, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Euphemia and Nellie, visited Cherry Grove friends recently. Miss Irwin, of Toronto, is the guest of her friend, Miss Laura Connelly, at present. Mr. Chris Bradey, of Cherry Grove, was a caller in our burg on the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wycille, of Cherry Grove, visited friends in this vicinity recently. Mr. and Mrs. G. Cooper, of Cherry Grove, renewed acquaintances here the first of the week. A large number of our citizens attended the barn raising at Mr. E. L. Bradey's, Cherry Grove, last week. Mr. Wm. Hodgson, of Cherry Grove, visited Mr. Wm. Richardson one day last week. Mr. D. R. Ellis died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Erskine, on July 16th. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing friends. Miss Winnie Johnston visited friends in South Riverdale one day last week.

(Special to The Standard.) Miss Elva Cook, of Meaford, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Wilbert Artley. Mr. Wilson and Mrs. McKay and Master Willie, of Owen Sound, visited friends in this vicinity last week. Mrs. Ed. Baker, of Vandeleur, who for the past few weeks has been visiting her friend, Miss R. Abercrombie, returned to her home on Sunday. The regular meeting of the Ladies Institute met at the home of Mrs. Jack Perry, where a very successful meeting was held. Mr. Peter McAustin very ably filled the pulpit here last Sunday morning. Miss Lottie Greenaway has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Owen Sound. Mr. and Mrs. E. Greenaway and Mr. Smith and Miss Young, of Owen Sound, spent the week end with friends in this vicinity.

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KIMBERLEY

(Special to The Standard.) Wedding bells are faintly tolling. Miss Horning, of Hamilton, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity the past week, returned to her home on Monday last. A friendly game of baseball was played here on Friday last between Kimberley and Eugenia, the score being 30-7 in Kimberley's favor. Miss Emma Burritt, who has been visiting Dundalk friends returned home one day last week. Miss Madge Smith, of Toronto, is visiting at her parental home here at present. Our teacher had eight pupils writing on the Entrance exam, and all succeeded in passing. The trustees of the school are indeed fortunate in securing the services of such an excellent teacher. Mr. Homer Reid and family, of Meaford, motored through our burg on Monday on their way to Eugenia Falls. Mrs. Riddell, of Bokivar, Penn., U.S.A., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. R. Hanson at present. Misses Martha and Lena Wright, of Detroit, Mich., U.S.A., are visiting friends here at present. Mr. P. Munshaw, of Eugenia, visited friends here on Friday last. Mr. Ashley McCallum, of Dundalk, visited at Mr. Donald Wallace's on Sunday. Mr. Alex. Fawcett, who has been visiting Barrie friends, returned home one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Moore, of Meaford, motored over to Wm. McCling's on Sunday last.

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