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Local and General

See Standard "Want" Advs. on Page 3.

The Standard will be sent to the subscribers in Canada for the year for 25c.

Since automobile drivers have taken to the left hand end of the roads, and all new machines are being so constructed, it has started horse drivers to favourably consider the same idea as it secures much more safety in passing rigs.

It's coming, start in now men and save many a locked wheel.

Miss Lina Wright, formerly of this place, and Mr. W. H. Butters, of Calgary, were united in marriage in Moosaw on Saturday, the 9th August.

After a few weeks visit to the Coast, they will reside in Calgary. They have the best wishes of the Standard with many other old-time friends hereabout.

We want all the news that is fit to print—real estate transfers, business changes, accidents, births, deaths, marriages, wedding anniversaries, church and society news, in fact any event of general interest has always a news value, and it will be appreciated by the publishers of The Standard as well as the readers.

The Owen Sound Advertiser says there was one elector in that town at the recent by-election that had not much use for either candidate.

It says "When the ballots were counted, one came to light on which was written, opposite the name of one candidate, 'No good', and opposite the other's name 'D—sight worse.' Of course the ballot was spoiled, but the elector must have found some satisfaction in expressing his feelings.

Postmaster Plewes has arranged in order along the wall in the post office the names of all those having mail boxes on the five rural routes out of Markdale. Some are still making the mistake of putting one instead of two cent stamps on letters addressed to those on rural lines. There is also confusion in regard to the numbers of the routes. If you are in doubt which route the person you wish to address lives on, consult the P.O. list.

The Postoffice department is considering the whole question of parcel post. No announcement will be made as to rates, etc., for some time however. The department intends to work out the plan as it did the postal note and other branches of the service. It was hoped to start the service January 1st, but there is no definite announcement as to this. Meanwhile rural mail routes are increasing, and there are now 1,500 in operation.

Station Agent Caesar left on Monday evening on his annual trip to the West, and will visit his daughters in B.C. and Maple Creek, Sask. for five or six weeks. Mr. Caesar deserves a rest, as he has been most assiduous to his duties of late. He also spends considerable time in his new flower garden which in two months he has transformed from a rough, uncultivated ground to a beauty spot which we believe has no equal in the town. We wish him a very pleasant holiday. Mr. Wansborough will be acting agent during Mr. Caesar's absence.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Davis, near Vandeleur, on Monday, Aug. 18th, when their daughter, Miss Daisy, was united in marriage to Mr. H. F. Ready, of St. Marys. Rev. Mr. Dudgeon, of Flesherton, officiating. The bride was prettily attired in a neat blue serge-travelling suit. The bride and groom were unattended. After partaking of a dainty luncheon, the happy couple and the guests motored to Markdale, leaving on the afternoon train for London, Ontario, where they will reside at St. Marys. The bride was the recipient of many handsome gifts, tokens of esteem from her numerous friends. The Standard extends congratulations.

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Canadian Pacific Ry. Canadian National Exhibition TORONTO

Return Rates from MARKDALE \$2.80 DAILY Aug. 26 and 28. \$2.15 Aug. 23 to Sep. 6 Sept. 2 and 4. All tickets good for return until Sept. 9th.

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Cheaper than the cheapest. Better than the best. Come along, I tell you. Get your driver dressed in a suit of harness. From the Ennis shop. All in nickle-finish. Say it looks tip-top. Sir Walter Scott. R. W. ENNIS At the Markdale Harness Emporium. See our \$12 Harness. The best for the money in Grey County.

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No Longer a Mystery.

Remains Found In Swamp Were Identified as Those of John Orr, a Former Inmate of the House of Refuge.

The remains of an unknown man found over a week ago in a swamp in the suburbs turns out to be those of one John Orr, who had been an inmate of the House of Refuge here. He had previously been a resident of Owen Sound, a married man, with two children.

His wife, some years ago, went to Michigan, where they had previously resided on a visit, taking the children with her, and after some weeks absence sent him word she had decided not to return. This preyed upon the mind of Orr so that he became melancholy and partially demented. In the fall of 1911 he was placed in the Home, where he remained until early in June of 1912, when, apparently sane, and perfectly harmless was allowed his liberty. Some months later, on his release from the Home, he began an enquiry by letter among his relatives, but could get no tidings of the missing brother until he saw the account last week of the finding of the remains of a man near Markdale. The clothing as well as pipe, catarrhozone pipe all went to show that this was his brother.

He, Mr. Samuel Orr, having interviewed first Mr. and former manager and matron of the Home, on Monday came to Markdale and examined the remains of the House of Refuge as to dates and was fully convinced that the remains were those of his brother.

He decided to leave the remains where they are buried—in the swamp a mile north of Markdale. We think the least the authorities could have done would have been to give the remains a decent burial in the plot provided in the Public Cemetery for such.

Hill-Munshaw.

A quiet marriage took place in Toronto on Thursday last when Mr. W. Hill, of Markdale, and Miss Mabel Munshaw, of Flesherton, were joined in wedlock. Rev. W. T. Hall, B.A., performed the ceremony.

The young couple left on a trip to the coast. The bride was very highly esteemed in Flesherton, being one of the most popular young ladies in town, while the groom is one of Markdale's most promising young business men. We join a large circle of friends in wishing them much happiness. They will reside in John Chapman's house on Toronto street.

Christ Church.

A special vestry meeting was held in Christ Church school room on Monday evening, 18th inst., to discuss the Canon re stipends passed at Synod last June. The gathering not being considered sufficient by representative the meeting was adjourned until Tuesday evening, 26th. All the male members of the church entitled to vote are requested to be present.

Miss Plewes is proving herself a most talented organist and an efficient Choir Mistress. Her playing on Sunday last was much appreciated by the congregation.

The Rector intends taking his holiday in the month of September. Provision has been made for the conduct of the services during his absence.

FURNITURE SALE

On Saturday, August 23, at 3 p.m., at rear of R. L. Stephen's residence, Mark Street, the household effects of A. E. Bryson will be offered for sale. These goods are in prime condition. Terms Cash. Rudd Mathews, Auctioneer.

Drowned Himself In Trough

A sad affair occurred at Louise, in Sullivan Township, on Saturday last when Mr. Thomas Cross, sr., drowned himself in the water trough. His mind had been deranged for some time. Deceased was 89 years of age. He was an old timer in these parts and was highly respected and many old friends were grieved at his tragic death.—Hanover Post.

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PERSONAL

Mr. T. H. Hale, of Sudbury, is in town on a short holiday.

Miss Luella Gregory, Toronto, has been holidaying with relatives in town.

Mrs. C. W. Rutledge has been at Sunny Brook, Owen Sound, a few days.

Miss Lulu Allison left Tuesday to attend the millinery openings in Toronto.

Miss Violet McDuff left on Monday to spend a couple of weeks in Muskoka.

Miss Mary Burnett, of Flesherton, is spending a week with Mrs. John Shea.

Miss Bessie Wilson left this Wednesday morning for a visit to Galt and Toronto.

Mrs. White, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Miss Millie Lyons, for a few days.

Mr. W. R. Riddell, of Toronto, visited over the week end a guest at "Maple Hill."

Mr. J. J. Kelly, of Owen Sound, is holidaying at the parental home, the Keveve House.

Miss Lotta Armstrong, of Toronto, is visiting the Misses Armstrong at "Maple Hill."

Mr. Thomas Mann returned last week from Pointe Au Baril, where he had been for about two months.

Mrs. Albert Cronk and two children, of Deseronto, are spending a few weeks at her sister's, Mrs. T. J. Coleman, Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Caesar and son, Aubrey, of Alliston, spent a day last week in town, finishing up their holidays.

Miss Amy Ulyot, of Manitowish, is spending a couple of weeks in town, the guest of her friend, Miss Mabel Tuck.

Mr. W. N. Richardson and daughter, Miss Ella, are visiting friends at Malvern, and will take in Toronto Exhibition before returning.

Mr. C. H. Stephenson and three children, Russell, Alva and Charlie, of Toronto, are on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephenson.

Mrs. Dennis Wright and family, of Gore Bay, arrived in town this Wednesday, with household effects. They will remain in Markdale for the present.

Miss Gladys Harding and Miss Ruby Dummett, of Toronto, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allison for a couple of weeks recently.

Mr. George Horke, manager of Markdale Furniture factory, returns this Wednesday evening after a seven weeks visit to his ranch in Manitoba.

Messrs. L. G. Campbell, W. D. Henry, W. D. and C. Mercer are representing Markdale at the Grand Valley Lawn Bowling tournament this week.

Mrs. Phalen and Anna went to Port Perry Wednesday morning to spend a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Mellow. Mrs. Mellow is a sister of Mrs. Phalen.

Miss Reta Hargrave, of Toronto, who has been visiting her cousins, Misses Kathleen and Connie Haskell, for a week, returned to the city on Tuesday.

Mr. J. E. Trolford and Hon. L. B. Lucas motored to Toronto, on Monday of last week. Mr. Trolford's family remaining here until Tuesday of this week, when they returned to Toronto with Mr. Trolford, who came up on Saturday.

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Fatal Accident In Osprey Sawmill

Young Man Thrown Over Shaft and Leg Was Torn Off at Knee—Only Lived Five Hours.

A tragic event occurred near McIntyre, Osprey, on Friday, 15th, when Herbert Wesley Scott, eldest son of Nelson W. and Emma Scott, met with a fatal accident while working in Bailey's sawmill on the north line.

The unfortunate young man was engaged in running the engine when he observed a belt broken. While he was attempting to repair it, the belt, without an instant warning, became wound about the main shaft and the boy was drawn with it. He was thrown over the shaft and his leg torn off at the knee while several severe wounds were inflicted on the head and body. Dr. McFadden, of Singhampton was called and was on the spot in less than three quarters of an hour and immediately telephoned Dr. Bradley, of Cremore, who arrived shortly after. The Doctors decided the only hope of saving his life was to immediately amputate the injured leg further up. This they performed and the wounds on the head treated, but the shock to the nervous system was too great to be withstood and he rapidly sank. Death took place about 7 o'clock, five hours after the dreadful accident.

The interment took place on Sunday afternoon. A short service was held in the home and the remains were removed to Badjeros church, where service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Meredith. The body was then placed to rest in Badjeros Cemetery.

The funeral procession was one of the largest and most impressive ever held in that section. Hundreds of friends attended to bear tribute to the deceased and to express sympathy with the grief-stricken family in the hour of their sad bereavement.

The young man would have been twenty years of age in November and was a fine, manly fellow, a popular young man in the neighborhood and was a general favorite with all whom he came in contact. He is survived by Mr. N. W. Scott, father, Emma Scott, mother, Linnie Scott, sister, and Leslie Scott, brother. The greatest expressions of sorrow that people can act or utter are expressed for the sad occurrence and great sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Harry K. Thaw, who escaped from Matt-wan Asylum on Sunday, was captured at Contook, Quebec, on Tuesday.

BORN

MYERS—At Cherry Grove, on August 10th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Myers, a son.

MARRIED

HILL—MUNSHAW—In Toronto, on Thursday, August 14, 1913, by Rev. W. T. Hall, Mr. Will Hill, of Markdale, to Miss Mabel Munshaw, of Flesherton.

READY—DAVIS—At Vandeleur, on Monday, August 18, 1913, by Rev. Mr. Dudgeon, Mr. H. F. Ready, of St. Marys, to Miss Daisy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Davis.

JOHNSTON—GARRIE—In Regina, on Wednesday, Aug. 6th, 1913, by Rev. W. H. Pavy, of Imperial, Mr. Thomas Johnston, of Imperial, to Mrs. Settie Gattie (nee Settie Merriam), of Markdale.

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Methodist Church Trustees Meet

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Methodist church was held Tuesday evening in the church parlour, Rev. W. W. Wallace presiding.

The Auditors' report and treasurer's statement showed the finances to be in good standing with a balance in hand of \$97.31.

The following officers were elected for the current year: Secy—Francis C. W. Rutledge. Representative—M. Armstrong. Auditors, J. E. Matson and S. J. Halbert.

Ushers—J. W. Ennis, W. Shortell, A. Jackson and J. A. Erskine. To lift collection—R. V. Ennis, J. Artley, W. L. Young, J. A. Erskine, A. Jackson and W. A. Nedy. Music Committee—J. E. Matson, M. Armstrong and C. W. Rutledge. Envelope Stewards—R. V. Ennis, J. E. Matson, J. Artley, W. L. Young, J. A. Erskine, A. Jackson and W. A. Nedy. \$250 was the amount decided on to be asked for at the coming anniversary as Christmas offering.

The Finance Committee's proposition to have the electric light system completed in the Church parlour was commended. A most pleasant and satisfactory annual meeting was brought to a close before 9 o'clock, with thanks to all who had served in various official positions.

How Dave Was Re-Installed

(Durham Chronicle) Dave Madill, of Markdale, is an Orangeman. He was always a little while after William III crossed the Boyne, and it is doubtful if he ever missed going to an Orange walk.

Scully, of Owen Sound, who buys butter and eggs, isn't a farmer. Dave sells vegetable and fruit products. They are friends, and always have been, but they don't go to 12th demonstrations together. Scully takes his day off on the 17th of March, but Dave's is the 10th. Some years ago Scully tried to

little trick on Dave, and going to the office of the Shelburne Free Press, he reported Dave's suspension from the Orange society, to Mr. Mortimer, the editor. He was anxious that the editor, who was an influential Orangeman, would write to the chief of the Order, and have Dave re-instated. The charge against Dave was for selling implements painted green in an Orange community.

The Free Press took up the cause for the unknown man, and pleaded to have the injured brother re-instated under the protection of the society. Dave is quite a character, and shortly after the appearance of the article in question, found his way to the Free Press office, and after threatening to lick the editor, subscribed for the paper and has been taking it ever since.

Dave is a good hearted Irishman, and it isn't through any disrespect that everybody calls him "Dave." It would take away the whole effect to call him "Mr." He's an original character, and it doesn't matter where you find him he's got something cheerful to say or a good story to tell.

He was in the Caledon wreck a few years ago, and with the many others who were injured he was pinned under one of the upturned cars with a broken leg. A number came round to release him, but he refused the efforts of others he ordered them to go when they were more needed. "You can't kill an Irishman," he said, "and when I'm through with the others, you may come back and help me out if you have time." It was several weeks before Dave was able to be about, but during his period of confinement, he was the most cheerful figure in many groups of listeners to his large fund of stories. It isn't likely he'll call here, threaten to lick us, and end up by becoming a subscriber.

Methodist Church services on Sabbath, Aug. 24th, 10:30 subject, "Launching out into the deep." Subject, "The solemn question." Midweek service Thursday night at 8. All are welcome.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

J. H. STEPHENSON, - Markdale

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