

# Markdale Standard

MARKDALE, ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.

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INDIANS VOLUNTEER.

It is expected that the volunteers from the 40th Northumberland Regiment for the second Canadian expeditionary force who have been assembling here all the week will leave for Kingston on Monday. In the company are 12 lieutenants from the Alderville Reserve.

Advertisements in The Standard.

## Credit Sale

The undersigned has received instructions from Robert Dunlop to sell by public auction at 10 o'clock on 9th November, 1914, at 10 o'clock, the following:

Farm stock and implements, a quantity of hay and straw to be sold on the place. A quantity of household furniture.

TEHRIS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash over that amount 14 months' credit will be given on approved joint notes, or 5 per cent off for cash.

J. A. MYLES, Auctioneer.

Mr. Dunlop has sold his farm, and everything must be sold.

## Markdale Markets.

Fall Wheat	107
Oats	75
Peas	21
Butter, tub	21
Butter, roll	22
Eggs	22
Beef	9 00
Hides	9 00
Geese, per lb.	11
Ducks	10
Chickens	14
Turkeys	14
Fowl	9
Flour	10 00
Flour, per bbl.	6 50
Flour, Manitoba	25
Chop Oats, per owl	27
Wool, washed	18
Wool, unwashed	15
Wool, per owl	15
Shorts	15

### Local and General

The Ontario Legislature will meet early in January.

Mr. Perkins moves into his new brick residence next week.

Lord Roberts says the Canadian contingent is a magnificent force.

A person wishes to rent a farm for two or more years. Enquire at this office.

Dadies' Black Astrachan coat for sale. Not much worn. A bargain. Enquire at the Standard.

The Canadian Jubilee Singers will give a concert in the Armouries on the 24th of November.

Canned Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, also Raisins and Currants; all new goods and best quality, at Mercers.

It is estimated that \$250,000 was the amount of damage done by the army worms in Ontario during the past summer.

Barrie's quota of fifty men for the second contingent were given a hearty send-off and presented by the town with \$25 each.

The German Chancellor is planning the re-shaping of Europe. One thing sure is that it couldn't be in worse shape than it is now.

Don't forget to visit the Department of Agriculture Saturday afternoon, and get some sweet homemade bread, buns, cakes, etc.

Good progress has been made on the library building, the brick work of which is being completed to-day, and an excellent job it is.

Robert Mann, a former Orangeville citizen, died suddenly at the home of his daughter at London, on the 2nd November, aged 77 yrs.

A big low of gas has been struck at Edenton's municipal gas well at Yickling, giving out more than nine million feet in twenty-four hours.

Rubbers! Rubbers! Every pair guaranteed to be first quality and for job use. Fresh from the makers. Mercers have them for Men, Woman or Child.

The Dominion Government is negotiating with St. Thomas citizens for 500 acres of land to cut up into ten-acre plots on which to place Belgian refugees.

Mrs. Mary Healy passed peacefully away at the home of her son-in-law, Patrick Kenby, in Guelph, at the age of 104 years, retaining her faculties and health to the last.

Dr. Burt, Specialist in Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Revere House, Markdale, for consultation Thursday, Nov. 12th. Eyes tested and glasses supplied.

Large quantities of freight continue to arrive, keeping the two dry wagon on the move. Geo. Kinney with his competent assistant, Wes Gibson, furnishes an excellent service in the dry and express delivery business.

Mr. Angus McInnis of Euphrasia is to the front as a stock breeder. On Tuesday last he brought his fine imported Clydesdale year-old colt out for exercise. He is indeed a fine type of Clydesdale, blocky, active, and beautifully marked.

A bundle of old newspapers, about 30' in a package, makes cheap fire kindling at 5 cents, besides you may get a quarter's worth of reading out of it. During this month of November you can have 2 pigs for 5 cents. This is a bargain day to the end of November, at Standard Office.

J. C. Rockwell's Sunny South Co. had a big house at the Armories on Wednesday night of last week and milled off a much better show than they did in their previous visit. They had 22 members of the troop. Their band and music was a leading feature. The street parade proved a drawing advertisement.

By a new regulation no person is allowed to shoot or trap mink, otter, or muskrat or deal in their skins without having secured a license from the department, which costs \$2.00 a year. The penalty for the violation of this law is \$10 to \$30 and a person convicted of violating the law cannot secure a license within two years thereafter.

The Water, Light and Power Commission have awarded the two contracts for building pump house and laying intake pipe to Norman McLeod, Limited, Montreal, for \$20,000, payments to be 85 per cent on semi-monthly estimates, 10 per cent thirty days from completion of work, and 5 per cent ninety days thereafter. Work will be commenced at once at the foot of Jarvis street—Orillia Times.

A sale of homemade bread, buns, cakes, etc., under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. will be held Saturday afternoon, from two to five o'clock, in the Agricultural Department. Light refreshments will be served, and the proceeds will be applied to Red Cross work. Any assistance, either in baking or knitting, from persons outside the Union, will be very acceptable. The yarn for the latter can be had from Mrs. Cook.

### PERSONAL

Ye Editor and wife spent the weekend at Owen Sound.

Mr. A. L. Walker was in Owen Sound early in the week.

Mrs. Stewart and family are spending a few days with Mrs. H. Smith.

Miss F. E. Henry is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Switzer, of Georgetown.

Mr. J. H. Hovey, of Massie, gave the Standard a friendly call while in town last Friday.

Mr. W. Buskin and party, from Fiesherton, motored up and called on Mrs. Herby Smith on Sunday.

Miss Lulu Allison accompanied Miss Ethel Wake to Shelburne last week and spent a few days there on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kelly and Master Leo spent the weekend at Owen Sound, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelly there.

Mr. John Kehrun, Jeeve of Munmar, with Mrs. Kehrun spent the first of the week with his brother, Mr. T. H. Kehrun, in town.

Mr. J. G. McDuff and sister returned last week from their trip to Midway, B.C. Miss McDuff is resting quietly after the fatigue of the long journey.

### En Route for England.

Mr. H. D. McLoughry, of the suburbs, received a card the other day from his brother, Robert A. McLoughry, of Moosomin, Sask., who with three other vets had been chosen to escort the Old Country tour boat loads of home and girl to the Army & Saskatchewan province.

Dr. McLoughry is on the Government staff of Veterinary Surgeons, and is now on his way to England, and purposes having Christmas dinner with his brothers William and H. D. here on his return. The 25-year-old item last week, where Robt. A. went to College, is thus auspiciously celebrated. After graduating he practiced for two years in Markdale with Dr. Irwin, and has since resided in Moosomin.

Shelburne ratcatchers will vote on Hydro-Electric By-Laws at January municipal elections.

A very cheap line of white envelopes for sale at the Standard office. Just the thing for mailing accounts: 75 for ten-cents.

Minis Bros. have an immense quantity of fuel in the mill yard. The slabs from their great stock of maple logs have been cut up into from 10' to 20' inch lengths and make capital fuel.

The Anniversary Services of the Berkeley Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, Nov. 22nd, at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. On the Monday evening following there will be a sold meat supper, followed by a good program. Admission, 25c and 15c.

The following donations of potatoes, oats, etc., omitted from the published list in last issue of the Standard: George Torry, 1 bag; John Fogarty, 5 bags; Frank Meagher, 5 bags; Dan McPhee, 5 bags; Wm. Matthews, 6 bags. Mover donated 1 bag potatoes, 1 bag grain; Harper Broadbent, 2 bags oats; 2 bags potatoes; John Bros., 5 bags potatoes; Geo. Peart gave 3 bags of oats and 3 bags of potatoes. Also Mr. J. T. Layson, bag dried apples and neck comforter; Fred Birch, bag dried apples, to Red Cross, for Belgians.

Regarding astray animals it is not the duty of any person to take such animals off the road onto their premises and retain the same until the owner advertises for them. But the law does distinctly provide that any person or persons taking up astray stock must advertise the same in order that the owner may know where they are. Unless this is done, it is better that the astray animals be left on the highway so that the owner may the more readily trace them. Those who take up astray stock and fail to advertise them are breaking the laws, those who refuse to take up astrays are of course violating a moral obligation but are not legally liable. It is only he who cares for an astray and promptly advertises he has it in his possession who does his whole duty by his neighbor.

### Cooke's Church.

Lord's Day, Nov. 15th.

11 a.m.—'The Divine Countenance.'

3 p.m.—(Berkeley)—'The Divine Countenance.'

7 p.m.—'How to be Happy.'

Mr. Phalen and Mr. Beveridge exchanged pulpits last Lord's Day. Mr. Beveridge preached two good sermons to large congregations in the two churches.

### Obituary

The late Wilmot Gordon Pickell, whose sudden death from heart failure while in possession of his duties was reported last week, was born in the Township of Darlington, County of Ontario, in the year 1845, being the eldest son of the late Capt. and Mrs. George Pickell. When a child of six years his parents moved to the County of Grey, settling on land lying between Markdale and the Saugenees river on the east side of the road. There they remained until they bought the Pickell farm in the suburbs of Fiesherton which remained in the family until a year ago.

When 12 years of age his father moved to Port Huron, where he again engaged in selling, being Captain of a boat which foundered in Lake Erie off Point Pelee, he being the only survivor, reaching land after nine hours of exposure in the early spring. On going away from Fiesherton the boy told his friends he would return when he was 21 years of age and work the farm, and this he did after an absence of three years. Two years later, in 1860, he was quietly married to Elizabeth A. Wright, daughter of the late Geo. L. and Mrs. Widdit, the event taking place in Fiesherton, combining life together on the farm. There their children were born to them and grew up.

Twenty-seven years ago, in 1887, the family moved to Markdale, residing here continuously since.

In the summer of 1897 deceased united with the Methodist church in Fiesherton, under the pastorate of the Revs. Josias Greens and David Williams, and immediately became an active worker in the Sunday School and led a Young People's class. On coming to Markdale he resumed these activities, being at different times superintendent of the Sunday School and later Bible Class Teacher. He also was a member of the Trustees and Quarterly Boards of the church, and was a Trustee of the Public School Board. In politics he was a worker as intensely as in his active public life he saw much of the finished product of the liquor traffic, and was particularly anxious for the young people of the community, and his voice was often heard in protest and appeal.

To him the end came suddenly. No pain. Just a passing from this world of toil and turmoil into that of peace and glory, and into that of his final rest, assured he is counted with the Lord.

The funeral was not held until Thursday at 1 o'clock, being delayed in order to enable members of the family to get home. Those who came were Guy and Goldwin, from the West, and Austin from New York. The interment took place in the family plot at Fiesherton, a short service taking place at the church before leaving. The hymns were favorites, and into that memory Mrs. A. E. Brown sang very sweetly 'Only Remembered by What I Have Done.' Rev. W. Wallace's remarks were very appropriate to the sad occasion, concluding with a few appropriate references to the Christian life of the deceased and his worth to the church and the community. The floral tributes from the societies, Church and Sunday School with which he had been connected were beautiful, and several friends remembered him who in his way. The pall bearers were lifelong friends and associates, being Messrs. P. McCullough, John Thiabauden, W. J. Boyes, Robt. Burnside, Fred Sarjeant, Markdale, and Robt. Cook, Cayuga.

Besides the widow who journeyed with him for forty-five years, he leaves two daughters and five sons, being Mrs. J. Ughart, of Outlook, Sask.; Mrs. (Rev.) F. G. Stevens, Fisher River, Man.; Geo. Pappinger, Falls, N.Y.; Wilmot G. Gattage, E. Prairie, Man.; Goldwin, of Carman, Man., and Charlie, at home. He also leaves a sister in Michigan.

In the home his departure means a void that can never be filled, having been a considerate husband and a tender father, and in the community there is a general feeling of sadness and a deep sympathy for the bereaved.

### Lose Child in Fire.

A very sad tragedy took place on Sunday, October 25th, in the town of Stettler, Alta., when the young daughter of Inspector Thiabauden, lost her life through fire.

It appears that little Kenneth and Jean Thiabauden, aged three and four years respectively, had gone into the loft of the barn to see some kittens and had apparently taken matches to find them. The kittens were under a board among some hay, and the children in lighting the matches, set fire to the hay, and the loft was soon a mass of flames. The first intimation that the parents had of the catastrophe was when the boy came running into the house with the news that there was in the burning barn. Mr. Thiabauden ran out to the barn

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