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Society Directory.
 Markdale C. O. O. F. No. 78, meets every alternate Monday evening at 8 o'clock in their Hall, McDougall's block. Visiting brethren welcome.
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 Orangeville—The second Thursday in each month.
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Flesherton.
 Christmas day passed over pleasantly and quietly in our village; Christmas morning was ushered in by Choral Singers in our streets; In the evening the annual S. S. anniversary of the Presbyterian Church was held; the tables were laden with good things for all and very prompt on time the programme was entered upon, which was well sustained by the children of the school and was very interesting throughout. The Christmas Cantata, "Santa Claus visit to the school" was very creditably gone through by the school under the able leadership of our popular Jeweler Mr. J. G. Russel; from the applause given the renderings appeared to be duly appreciated. The church was filled to the doors, proceeds over \$70.00.
 Monday Nomination day there was a good turn out of ratepayers to hear the record of the officers in power for the past year and to re-nominate, and nominate new men for the coming year.
 Good feeling prevailed throughout most of the discussions: we have never had the pleasure of attending as good township meetings heretofore; Questions of interest were discussed and well ventilated in an intelligent and interesting manner.
 No very serious charges were sustained against any of the members of the council.
 Dr. Christie is again nominated for Reeve to be opposed by Mr. A. Elliott; the Dr. has little to fear from that quarter.
 Mr. Thorp Wright an intelligent and enterprising farmer in ward No. 3 received nomination for Reeve but after delivering an animated speech principally dealing with the career of the present Reeve, he withdrew his name from the contest. Mr. Brown of Pricville (Ward no 1) has been such a good little boy not a word was said against him having no opposition he came back to the board without spot or wrinkle.
 Mr. J. Boland for ward no 2 had no very serious charges to answer to but will have long and he thought strong opposition in the person of Mr. W. McLoughry. (In ward no 3) Mr. W. G. Pickell gave the most intelligent account of his doings the past year as councillor, of course he did not please every body consequently his opponent will be in the person of Mr. W. Sharp an enterprising young man from the centre of the ward who made his maiden speech; he promised to be a good boy elected. Ward no 4 Mr. McKee thought he performed the duty of his office faithfully during the past year but it appears not to the satisfaction of all, his opponent will also be another enterprising young man in the person of Mr. Henry Cairns; his was also a maiden speech its special characteristic was its brevity; we thought if the same happy bashfulness accompanied Mr. C. in all his relations in life it is not to be wondered at that he is not wedded. If elected we have no doubt Mr. Cairns will make a good councillor.
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