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### Business Locals.

See Ford's prices on flour.

House and Lot For Sale—On Isla street, Markdale. Apply to W. J. Penelton, Markdale.

Farms for Sale—I have several improved and unimproved farms for sale at bargain prices. See my list. W. J. Bowes, Markdale.

Miss Edna Kells has been appointed issuer of marriage licenses, and also agent for the Royal Insurance Company of England. Residence and office, Main street, Markdale.

For Sale—On Toronto St. north of the Markdale House, a comfortable brick house, also blacksmith shop, on adjoining lot. Will be sold reasonable. Apply on premises. S. H. Martin.

Farm For Sale—100 acres, about 35 acres cleared and under cultivation, balance timber land. Lot 20 on 8, Glenelg. Apply to Lucas, Wright & McArdle, Markdale.

For Sale—On Toronto street, a large two-story building, suitable for implement or carriage shop, also a lot 40x166 feet, with stable thereon. Will be sold cheap. Apply to R. W. Ennis, Markdale.

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### OWEN SOUND

The induction of Rev. T. A. Rodger as pastor of Knox church, took place on Tuesday evening of this week.

Donald McKay, an old and respected resident of this place, passed away on Thursday last. He was 95 years of age. He was one of the founders of Knox church and was for many years a trustee and manager. His funeral took place on Monday.

R. H. Benson & Co. are selling out their general store stock in Owen Sound.

There is an epidemic of measles in town.

Miss Isabelle Stewart was skating on the roller rink on Tuesday of last week when she tripped and fell, breaking her left arm above the wrist.

Owen Sound's vital statistics for October are twenty-two births, four marriages and twenty-one deaths.

The Most Worshipful of the Supreme Grand Master L. O. L. Dr. T. S. Sproule, M. P., conducts the dedication service of the new Orange Hall at Owen Sound this Wednesday.

### Honor Roll.

Report of Junior Room of S. S. No. 3, Euphrasia, for October.

2 sr.—A Gaudin, V Ferris, E Ferris, V McConnell.

2 jr.—P Rawcett, V Bishop, R Hutchinson, W Johnston.

Pt 3 sr.—E Wallace, L Ellis, E Ellis, E Walter.

Pt 2 jr.—M Curry, E Burritt, J Gaudin, S Reid.

Pt 1 sr.—M Ferguson, V Lewis, L Rawcett, L Lawrence.

Pt 1 jr.—E Kells, C McConnell, M Reid, M Hutchinson.

Lower Pt 1—E Hargis, R Ellis, Eva B. Black, Teacher.

Harkaway School report for October.

4 sr.—L McLaughlin, E Carbert, O Wiley.

4 jr.—M Smith, V Wiley, S Hawken, H Hawken.

3 sr.—B Lyons, H Steer, M Halbert, C Carbert.

3 jr.—A Carbert, J Smith, W Williamson, L Elliott.

3 sr.—E Rae, M Steer, J Murdoch, V Caesar.

Pt 2—D Rae, V Wiley, W Halbert, 1 No 2—B Steer, B Elliott, N Wiley, 1 No 1—B Murdoch, L Lyons, N Williamson.

Average attendance 23.

M. A. McCann, Teacher.

### WALTERS FALLS

A heavy fall of snow fell Sunday evening, covering the ground, and showing the first signs of winter.

A few from here attended the oyster supper in Bognor last week.

Mrs. (Rev.) Kemp was in Owen Sound last week attending a Missionary meeting.

Mr. Atton, who is assisting Rev. Mr. Kemp, spent a short time at his home in Walkerton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Olmstead and children went down to Toronto on Tuesday last. Mr. Olmstead returned home Monday, but Mrs. Olmstead and children will remain in the city for a short time.

Mrs. Ferguson, of Priceville, and Mrs. McLunes, of Cheboygan, Mich., are visiting here, the guests of their brother, Mr. G. L. Watson.

We are very much pleased to report Mr. Herbert Mower, who has been very ill with pneumonia, steadily recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dizon, jr., and children, of Bognor, spent a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shepherdson during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. A. Abercrombie's sale of farm stock, implements, etc., was well attended, and the articles were sold off at good prices.

Everyone who would like a little cider can have the same by bringing their apples to Mr. David Brown, who will make cider at a very small cost. Bring your apples along.

Prof. Kellestine, piano tuner, of Owen Sound, was in the village last week on business.

We omitted last week to mention Miss Myrtle King of Owen Sound Business College as being home for Thanksgiving.

### ROCKLYN.

Mr. D. Cameron Day and son, Cameron, of Shallow Lake, together with Mr. W. E. C. Day, of Toronto University, spent Thanksgiving with Dr. and Mrs. Williams.

Miss Lula Cook gave a little thimble party on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Freda Neely left Thursday for Meaford where she will spend the winter learning the dress-making.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Foster Clark as residents of our burg.

A number of our S. O. T. members were hospitably entertained by the members of the Vandeleur branch.

Miss Crabtree leaves on Tuesday for Toronto to enter the Western Hospital where she will go in training for a nurse. She will be greatly missed here for her kindness and willingness to oblige in her capacity as post mistress, and the best wishes of everyone follow her to her new work.

### PROTON STATION

Miss Maggie Sherson, who has been in Toronto for the past year, returned to her home on Monday last week.

Mrs. Ringland, of Killarney, Man., is visiting her father, Mr. D. C. McLean. Mrs. Ringland's health is not of the best, and it is hoped the change will be very beneficial to her.

Mr. Robert Neilson went to Toronto on Saturday eve to pay a visit to his family.

We are very pleased to be able to report that Miss Bernice McLean, youngest daughter of Mr. D. C. McLean, has recovered from the severe attack of appendicitis, which caused her removal to Owen Sound two weeks ago.

Mr. Thos. White spent Sunday with friends near Swinton Park.

We extend our heartiest congratulations to Mr. J. E. Richards who brought down a fine deer last Wednesday.

### LILY OAK

Miss Kate Madill has returned home from Brentwood.

Mrs. Madill is visiting friends at Corbetton.

Wedding bells are faintly tolling.

Mr. John Nixon is on the sick list. Hope soon to see him on deck again.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alexander, of Meaford, recently visited our burg.

Mr. James Page had a successful stonking job on Monday.

Mr. John Nixon has erected an up-to-date drive house.

Mr. Abe McMaster has been threshing in this district and has made a successful season. Good yields are generally reported.

Telephone connection to Harkaway via Markdale is soon to be, tho' rumor says the Boers have been undermining the poles.

After about four weeks illness, Frankie, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnston, died, aged 11 years. He was a very bright child and much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents. Interment took place at Harkaway cemetery, Rev. S. Kemp and Atton officiating. Our school and teacher furnished a beautiful wreath as a token of respect.

# F. T. HILL & CO.

This Week we are showing Many New Lines in Late Styles also Many Lines at Prices Less Than You Will Pay Elsewhere.

## Special Sale of Ladies Worsted Hose.

40, 45 and 50c lines on sale at 35c a pair or 3 pairs for \$1.00. This is an occasion which we would like to bring home to you very strongly, the great value that this special offering means to you, the manufacturer needed the money, the quantity was large and we secured a big discount hence the reason we say 40, 45, and 50c ladies worsted hose on sale at per pair 35c.

## Ladies Mantles.

Just received a shipment of the very latest styles. This week we are showing some very new styles in ladies winter coats. This is a late shipment of the designs that are on the market for the first showing. If you are interested in securing the very latest style in your winter mantle we have them properly priced at \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$11.00, \$12.50.

## Lemonade Sets.

Lemonade and Water Sets on sale this week at much less than you will pay. This week we put on sale 50 Lemonade and Water Sets. They consist of six fine tumblers and the jug in decoration of gold, fancy floral designs, being regular 1.25, 1.40 and 1.50 in price, on sale this week for 88c.

## Big Saving in Flannels.

This week we put on sale the mill ends of Flannels from one of the best mills in the country. They are 40 and 50c goods in the regular way of selling. On sale this week we have them at per yard 37c.

## Special Sale of Ladies Underwear.

This week we are selling Ladies fine wool vests, 85c value, for 68c a garment. This week, we are selling Ladies fine wool drawers, 85c value for 68c.

## Double Fold Dress Goods 14c a yd.

7 pieces double fold Black Weldon Dress Goods, regular 20c value, this week only 14c.

## HARDWARE DEPARTMENT.

Electric Lamps on Sale at 20c each.

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### GLASCOTT

Thos. Priel has arrived home from the west and is picking up a carload of horses to take to the West to feed over winter and sell in the spring. A good move.

Frank and George Boyle have arrived home from Moosejaw wheat fields and report good crops in that part.

Andrew Priel has leased Mrs. Thos. Sowerby's farm for 1908. Andy is a hustler and will no doubt make it pay.

The farmers of this burg looked amazed at Jack Ellison when he handed round their tax papers. Hard year and high taxes makes a fellow scratch his head.

Billy Moran says he won't have to tramp up and down to the town line this winter to feed his cattle. They have got a cement floor in their new barn stable and are now erecting a shed over the doors.

John and Joe Vasey have gone to work for the winter with Rowe Bros., Berkeley.

Farmers around here are reducing their stock at a very low price. One farmer came all the way from Traverson and got eight nice pigs for \$4.00. That fellow is bound to make it go, sure. Some are scraping up bush leaves to make bedding.

Some of the Markdale sports took one of Bill Williamson's sheep for a rabbit on Thanksgiving. Oh, what a mistake.

Bert Edmunds has been called away to Arran township to see his father, who is very low.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### BEAVERDALE

As the Beaverdale correspondent has neglected his duties for a while I thought I would put in a few lines to let you know that we are not all dead.

Oh, what changes are going to take place in the spring. Mr. R. S. Erskine is going to his new farm near Temple Hill.

Mr. Ah. Conn going to R. S. Erskine's homestead.

Mr. Ben Wilson to Joe Fothergill's farm, which he has purchased from him.

Joe Fothergill has bought Mrs. S. H. Martin's farm and will be moving in the spring.

Mr. Daniel Ormsby has rented a farm in Massie, and he will also depart from this neighborhood.

Mr. Andy Ormsby will be coming back to his old homestead.

Mr. Thomas Brett has rented Dan Ormsby's farm for the coming year.

Miss Emily Johnston intends going to Markdale to learn dress-making.

There is going to be doings in the swamps around Beaverdale this winter, as the Merrifield Bros. have their hut built.

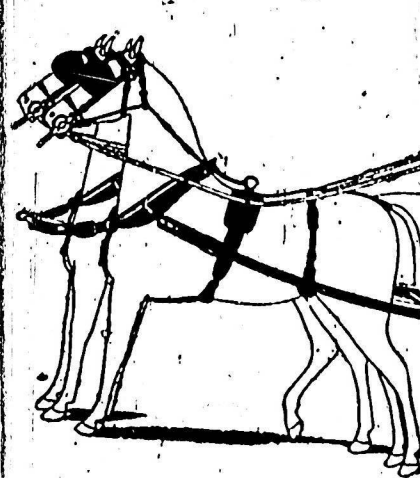
Mr. T. H. Brett and gang will soon be building their hut, as they are going to work for Mr. Dan Wilson.

Miss M. E. Wilson is visiting friends at Waubdy.

Some women make their living by getting married, others stay married and make the living for the whole family.

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