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Turner's Christmas Presents

It is sometimes hard to make a list of your Proposed Christmas Gifts and have something suitable for each of your friends, and you know the kindly thought behind the gift is more than half its value.

Perhaps you may find some suggestions below that may help you.

Buy early and get the best selection.

Presents for the Ladies

- Toilet Cases
- Manicure Sets
- Hand Bags
- Ebony Mirrors
- Ebony Brushes
- Cut Glass
- Bon Bous
- Fancy Stationery
- Books
- Poets
- Chinaware
- Jewel Boxes
- Perfume
- Candle Holders
- Card Cases
- Kodaks
- Work Boxes
- Post Card Albums
- Sachet Powder
- Comb and Brush Trays

Presents for the Men

- Books
- Bill Folders
- Pipes
- Razors
- Ash Trays
- Cigars
- Military Brushes
- Cuff and Collar Boxes
- Safety Razors
- Hat Brushes
- Tobacco Pouches
- Smoking Sets
- Shaving cases
- Match Cases
- Wallets
- Travelling Cases
- Initial Stationery
- Shaving Mugs
- Shaving Mirrors
- Fancy Whisks

Presents for the Older People

- Bibles
- Books (all kinds)
- Hymn Books
- Prayer Books
- Purses
- Hand Bags
- Reading Glasses
- Nice lot of China
- Work Baskets
- Chamois Vests
- Crum Trays and Brushes
- Hot Water Bottles
- Cut Glass
- A Good Brush
- Walking Stick
- Thermometer
- Rubber Sponge
- A Razor
- A Shaving Outfit

FOR THE CHILDREN all sorts and conditions of Toys, Dolls, Blocks, Dishes, Books, Etc.

We wish to emphasize a few lines that we consider extra values and very appropriate Christmas Gifts.

LEATHER GOODS—Hand Bags, Music Rolls, etc. of Genuine Leather—are always in good taste and very acceptable.

CUT GLASS—Rich and lustrous, is something the ladies always prize.

BOOKS—In their selection you can always show good taste and thoughtfulness. This year we have a larger and better selection than ever.

CASE GOODS—Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, etc., all make very nice presents.

CHINA—A great many ladies appreciate a dainty piece of China, and take great pride in their collection.

FOUNTAIN PENS—A good pen is always an acceptable gift to a student or business man.

Huyler's and Webb's high class bon bous and chocolates. Hammered brass will satisfy the most fastidious.

KODAKS—It is hard to find anything that will please young people like a Kodak. A nice one for two or three dollars.

W. TURNER & CO.

LOCAL and GENERAL

Additional locals on Page 8.
Shop early in the day, yes, and early in the month.

Thursday, the 15th, is statutory council meeting day.

Please pay up, or, your vote and influence, will be in order now for three weeks.

Harvey Middaugh, formerly of Markdale, is now station agent at Yellowgrass, Sask.

The glad Christmas spirit is already felt and the vivacious temperature still rising.

A box printed calling cards makes a nice good-will token for Christmas. The Standard does them correctly.

School Section No. 6, Glenelg, Lauriston, will give a concert on Tuesday evening, Dec. 20th. Admission 15 cents.

Sleighing in Markdale and for about ten miles each direction has been excellent for a week and business is quite brisk.

Taxes are paid direct to the treasurer in Dundalk, and a thousand dollars more were paid in November this year than same time last year.

A Christmas entertainment will be held in Berkeley school (No. 6, Holland) on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21st. Admission 15 c. Come and enjoy a good time.

The annual bazaar held on Saturday last by the ladies of St. Church was a decided financial success. The attendance was large and goods sold rapidly at paying prices.

Markdale Methodist Sunday School will hold their Christmas Tree and Entertainment in the church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 20th. Program commences at 7.30. Admission 15 cents.

It's false economy to cut down your contribution for the church, or stop your local paper. No two institutions do as much for the country as these, yet some put more in their pipe than they do for either one.

Don't get into the Soup. A gentleman informed us last week that in making up his selection of newspapers for 1910, a year ago, he dropped the Standard, and had been in the soup ever since. Needless to say he put it in his list for 1911.

The Presbyterian congregation at Swinton Park, under the pastorate of Rev. J. A. Matheson, of Preeceville, are receiving subscriptions for the erection of a new church. It is the intention to prepare this winter with the purpose of building next summer. A four thousand dollar structure is what they have in contemplation.

The Mayor's advice, in one of the towns, to the officers charged to do the civic work, to be always polite may well be given to all public functionaries, but perhaps is most to be emphasized to those who have dealings with the poor. Nobody is more entitled to the costless courtesies of official intercourse than those who otherwise enjoy few of the amenities of life.

The Durham Review hears a rumour that that town may be crossed by another railway before many years. For some time it is alleged surveying has been going on quietly by the Canadian Northern authorities, but the rumor seems to have a foundation of fact. For this week the news comes that a party of surveyors are at work north-east of the town and approaching it, being at present behind the Moffat and McFayden farms on the 2nd Con. of Glenelg. The northern terminus is at Washago and it is supposed Kincardine is aimed at.

The Anniversary Services of Holland Centre Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, December 11th. Rev. J. T. Morris, B. D., will preach at 10.30 and 7 and address Sunday School at 2.30. On Monday evening, Rev. C. O. Johnston, of Queen St., Methodist Church, Toronto, one of the most popular lecturers of Canadian Methodism, will deliver his lecture "Courtship and Marriage." Hamilton Spectator says: "Mr. Johnston's lectures contain every element of entertainment and instruction, fact, fancy, story, wit, humor, pathos and eloquence." Refreshments will be served at close of program which commences at 8 o'clock.

Bush men wanted. M. Armstrong, Markdale.

The clear zero weather is wholesome, and exhilarating. May it continue.

Read Standard adv.'s in order to ascertain the best places to get Christmas goods.

Hess, International and Herbageum, the three old reliable stock foods, for sale at Turner's Drug Store.

James Nash, Irish Lake, will hold a clearing auction sale Friday, Dec. 16th, at 1 o'clock. D. McPhail, auctioneer.

Mr. William Armstrong, "Maple Hill," is a pioneer of this place, and celebrates to-day the 84th anniversary of his birthday. He is hale and hearty, and has the sincere congratulations of The Standard.

Mr. A. Macpherson's numerous friends will be glad to know that he has so recovered from his long and severe illness as to assume his old position as manager of the Merchants' Bank here. He took the reins on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Phalen, Presbyterian pastor, was in Dundalk on Sunday, exchanging pulpits with Rev. Mr. Buchanan, of that town. The latter preached a strong temperance sermon in the Presbyterian church here in the evening.

You will miss the event of the season if you neglect taking in the Markdale High School's concert in the Marsh Hall on Monday evening next, Dec. 12th. Mr. J. S. Williamson, the distinguished impersonator of the characters of Dickens, will give his recital of "The Christmas Carol," which will be well worth hearing, as Mr. Williamson comes very highly recommended. The students of the High School will also take part in dialogue, vocal and instrumental music. Don't fail to attend. Admission 25c, reserved seats 50c. Plan of hall at Stephenson's jewelry store.

HIRAM LODGE No. 490A.F.&A.M.

The regular meeting of Hiram Lodge will be held on Tuesday evening next, Dec. 13th. General business and conferring of degrees. Election of officers. Visiting brethren always welcome. W. A. Armstrong, J. W. Tucker, W. M. Sec'y.

BORN

STODDART—In Glenelg, on Nov. 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stoddart, a son.

MARRIED

IRWIN—HARTLEY—In Christ Church, Markdale, on Saturday, Dec. 3rd, 1910, by Rev. F. G. Dymond, Mr. Garry Irwin to Miss Edith Hartley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hartley.

MONTGOMERY—KIRKTON—On Wednesday, November 30th, 1910, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Martha Kirkton, Holland Centre, Mr. William Montgomery, of Howick, to Miss Elizabeth Kirkton, by Rev. J. R. Wilkinson.

DIED

ASKIN—In Markdale, on Wednesday, December 7th, 1910, Robert Askin, aged 64 years. Funeral on Friday at 2 p.m.

Here is a List of Goods found at R. W. Ennis' Harness Shop:

Harness—Cheaper than the cheapest; better than the best.

Blankets, Robes, Lap Rugs, Trunks, Suit Cases, Club Bags, etc.

Sole Agent for Dr. J. M. Stewart's Remedies. Here is a list: Sure Cure Gall Cure, Excelsior Liniment, Hoof Ointment, Lightning Colic Cure, all sold under a guarantee as represented or money refunded.

Be sure to call and see the goods for yourself.

R. W. Ennis

Markdale Harness Emporium

PERSONAL

Mr. Norque Young visited friends in Toronto over Sunday.

Miss Ada Staples, of Dundalk, visited her home here over Sunday.

Messrs. Art McCaull and Geo. Morgan of Meaford, were in town over Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Mercer and Miss Viola were in Chatsworth for a day last week.

Miss Abbie Backey, of Orangeville, is visiting Berkeley friends and relatives.

Mrs. Frank Graham was visiting with Mrs. John Lawson, in Oton Sound last week.

Mr. Thomas Mercer is this week attending the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair in Guelph.

Mr. Wilbert Chard returned home this week after spending about six months in Toronto.

Miss Mabel Berry, of Preeceville, is the guest of Miss Emma Barnes for a couple of days.

Miss Etta M. Beattie returned Tuesday after visiting relatives in Toronto and St. Thomas.

Mrs. J. S. Rowe and Miss Dorothy visited friends in Toronto for a couple of days last week.

Miss Margaret Walker, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. J. E. Walker, in Oton.

Mr. W. H. Perkins, of the Merchants' Bank, Chesley, has been transferred to the Markdale branch.

Mrs. L. Scott and Miss Leena of Flora are visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. G. Braith.

Miss Lizzie Robinson and brother Andy, of Dundalk, spent the past week visiting relatives in and around Markdale.

Miss Laura Reed, who has been visiting her brother in Chicago and friends in Hamilton for some time returned home last week.

Mr. Geo. Binnie, of Glenelg, sailed last Friday from St. John's B. for Liverpool and London, to begin his duties as government immigration agent.

Miss Mae McKay, of Bracon, Oxford county, was the guest of Mrs. C. W. Rutledge over Sunday. She has been visiting her brother, Reeve McKay, of Chatsworth, for a month.

Thanks Due and Tendered.

Standard publishes this week wealth and concluding chapter of Mr. McFarland's "Notes On A Cental Tour." These have been written and passed with pleasure and appreciation by the thousands of Standard readers. The publishers have received many favorable comments and expressions of high appreciation from subscribers far and near, and it is with pleasure we join in thanks to the writer.

New Brick Farm House.

George Morford has erected this season a substantial brick residence on his farm in the suburbs. The family have been occupying new and cosy quarters for a month. John Martin was contractor, R. G. Snell did brick work and plastering, W. Davis the painting, and Haslam the plumbing, all of which their work in a mechanical satisfactory manner.

Thief Caught Here.

Thursday last child McCutcheon received a phone message from Chief of Police of Owen Sound asking him to be on the lookout for a man answering to a certain description who was wanted in Owen Sound on the charge of theft. McCutcheon from a boarding house. Keeping his weather eye on chief McCutcheon espied a man passing on the street a short time afterwards who tallied with the description furnished him, and promptly arrested him and detained him in the lock-up here. On the evening train Constable Thompson arrived and identified the prisoner, whose name is Ernest Seymour. He was taken back to Owen Sound on the night train in charge of the constable and will appear in court this week to answer to the charge of theft.

Mr. D. J. Henry and Mr. H. Morford were in Meaford over Sunday.

If you want the best Sewing Machine on the market buy the Singer. Sold only by Hugh Knott, Markdale.

Ladies' Hand Bags

We have just received a new and attractive line of Ladies' Hand-Bags in alligator, Black, Brown and Grey Leathers. These are beautifully finished, durable, and the very newest styles. You should make it a point to come in and see them.

PURSES, CARD CASES, LADIES' COMBINATION, POCKET BOOKS and STRAP HANDLE PURSES are all High Class Goods.

Smokers' Sundries

PIPES, TOBACCO POUCHES, CIGAR CASES, ETC. We have an excellent assortment of 25c BRIARS, also G.B.D.'s, PETERSON'S, C.C.C.'s and CASE PIPES.

R. L. STEPHEN