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ONTARIO, THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1913.

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## Local and General

Service in St. Matthias Church, Berkley, on Good Friday at 3 o'clock. Service on Easter Day at the usual hour.

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## Masonic Night.

Applications for water connections will be received by the reeve, or W. C. Davis, chairman of water works committee. First come first served.

On the eve of their departure a week ago to Medicine Hat their friends at Dundalk tendered Mr. and Mrs. J. F. VanDusen a farewell tribute of respect.

The renowned Peak Sisters are to give an entertainment on Friday evening, the 4th April, in Marsh's hall, which promises to be the treat of the season. Keep that date clear.

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**Towards Church Union.**

A meeting of the Owen Sound district, Methodist church, was held in Markdale on Tuesday to consider the question of cooperation with the Presbyterian Church with a view to reducing as far as practicable the evils of overlapping. There was a good representation of both the clergy and laity and a splendid spirit of union and generosity prevailed. Not being possessed of legislative powers all the meeting could do was to consider and recommend changes in various parts of the district and thus move towards Union.

Rev. F. L. Brown, B.A., B.D., presided.

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## PERSONAL

Mr. J. G. McDuff was in Dumfries over Sunday.

Mr. G. L. Summers was in Owen Sound over Sunday.

Mrs. Johnston Lucas is visiting friends in Arthur for a week.

Garry Nesbitt, of Mississauga, visited his mother in town last week.

Miss Laura Moore returned home from Perth recently and will remain a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Wright, and family left on Tuesday for Englewood, Sask.

Mr. Charlie Kelly, of Owen Sound, spent a couple of days at his home here last week.

Mr. W. J. Howard is on the Grand Jury at the Spring Assizes which opened in Owen Sound on Tuesday.

Mr. J. M. Holroyd, of Macarthur, Sask., and Miss Alice Holman, of Port Law, were visitors at Mr. Chard's last week.

Mr. Frank Angus and Miss Minnie Clarke, of Owen Sound, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hicks on W. J. McFarland.

"The King and the Craft,"

"God Save the King."

"Grand Lodge of Canada,"

"Bro. Cherry."

"Visiting Brethren"—Dr. Caldwell, of Owen Sound; A. Hill, of Edmonton; Frank Maher and J. McKay; Chatsworth; A. E. Bryson and W. J. McFarland.

"Hiram Lodge"—R. W. Ennis.

"Officers of Hiram Lodge"—Bro. Cherry.

"The Ladies"—C. L. Palmer.

"The Proceedings closed at an early hour by the singing of 'Auld Lang Syne.'

The B.D.G.M. expressed him self as being well pleased with the prospects of Hiram Lodge, and was glad to see the exemplary fraternal spirit which exists among the members.

After nearly three months visit

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Armstrong and family left a week ago for their home at Strongfield, Sash.

**Death of Mrs. McNea.**

Mrs. Minnie McNea, of Vancouver, B.C., who was returning from an European trip died on Friday last on the liner Baltic, which arrived in New York on Saturday. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Holley of this place. Her brother, Will, left on Tuesday for New York, and will bring the body of his sister to Markdale for interment.

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East Grey's Popular Member Subject of More Endorsements.

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