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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1913.

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## Local and General

Sale of Household effects on Satrday. June 3rd. Mrs. A. Macherson, theorge St.

mantity of correspondence nd other matter crowded out this appear next week. Standard this week comfifty-two issues for 1913, not ounting the holiday week. Mercer & Son's Ten Dollar Over coats for Men are the best value o be had anywhere see them. If you are in need of anything it

Japl pon's sale on & Saturday, The monthly meeting of the Wo-Missionary, Society will, be et 3 p.m. Jan. 8, in the

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. H. Irwin and aldred of Richmond Hill, spent herstonia holidays with their parnts, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Irwin. Mr. John A. McMillan has been etter as Councillor in Glenelg he 36th time, and this time by aclamation. A veteran Councillor,

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the ome of Mrs. W. L. Young on Justey. January 6-1914, at 3 p.

Mr. T. Chard, of Flesherton, who as been attending Model School at Hanover, visited with his cousin. Miss Clara Chard, for a few.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Currie and hitle claughter, Margaret, of Elmspent Christmas the squest Currie's aunt, Mrs. Hamton McFadden.

Mr. Hugh Macpherson, of Georgemun: Mr. Fred Mercer, of Wroze er, and Mr. Will Mann, of Shelirm, were among those who pent Christmas in town. Wes Euphemia McMillan, of To

onto, and Mr. Elwood Osburn, of Saskietoon, were visitors at the house of Mr. and Mrs., J. T. Allison, buring the Xmas holidays. Wednesday last about two

of snow fell, which covered the ground and greatly revived ed to celebrate your Golden Wedand logs have been since hauled on de the even with this slender sup- your relatives and friends. ply as the beautiful. The Annual Meeting of the Eu

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for 1914 is now in order. n the shop next door to The

of the most enjoyable of the

Mr. J. C. Kentner, and family en-1. lifty mile motor trip on, bes Day, visiting friends in " k burg and Heathcote. He rets the roads in splendid shape. that his "Ford" climbed the p bast Mountain with ease.

larkdale Skating Rink opened Saturday night and the popular nager, Cecil Alton, had the ice ood condition, so that a large aber of the townspeople enjoyed ir first indoor skate this season, ice has been good on the pond

was held on their regular De- and strength the half century of bury. wher meeting night. The officers your married life, and that you are hap.—Thos. Elliott; Rec. Sec. -G. Davis; Fin. Sec.-Wilson sie: Treas.—S. J. Halbert; D. oi Ben Walden; Leet .- E. Walker Will Wm. Davis; Com.-G. F. Mahous. Jos. Michardson; D. Symes, Ed Bridy and Wm. Purvis. The Jan. 3rd, at two o'clock. in and installation was con- posters. good by Bros. S. J. Halbert and

Walker. Short speeches were babe, of Waldemar, spent Christ! then made by the newly elected of mas with Mrs. T's parents, Mr ville, Sask., is spending a few hears and visitors. the great majority of Standard inscriptions expire in December. We heartily thank those who have and and renewed for 1914, and now mas in Markdale with friends. ary all who wish the paper con-January, thus giving another full month to renew.

## Fifty Years of Wedded Life

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Price, Sr., of Holland Centre, Celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of Their Marriage.

oi Holland Centre, celebrated their ousehold Effects attende Mrs. honoured the occasion with their presence and appropriate gifts. G. Reilly, of Chatsworth, their

To Mr. and Mrs. Price,-

On Monday last, December 29, not given to many to live the mar-1913, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Price, ried life together for fifty years. In token of our affection and es-Golden Wedding. The weather was teem we beg leave to present you ideal, the roads good and large with this purse of gold, and ask numbers of friends and neighbors your acceptance of the same as small reminder of the regard in which you both are held by the During the afternoon the follow-members of your family. We trust ing address was read by Rev. W. that your future years may be marked by the same happiness which you have enjoyed | together in the past. We heartily join in Your many friends and well-wish-wishing you both a very Happy ers of this community cannot allow New Year, and pray that the Di-



MR. AND MRS. CARSON PRICE, SR.

this Fiftieth Anniversary of your vine blessing may be vouchsafed to wedding day to pass without offer- you to the end of your days, pressing our deep feeling of thank- of your family: fulness that to-day you are enabl-Large quantities of fuel ding under such happy circumstances surrounded by so many of

It is permitted to few married Holland Centre, Dec. 29, 1913. in the Methodist and development. Old friends pass five others. ern winter of declining years.

Diamond Wedding.

Dr. E. Oldham, James P. Hare, J. R. Wilkinson.

Mr. John Price, on behalf of prothers and sisters, presented his parents with a purse of gold, to-

gether with the following address: To Mr. and Mrs. Carson Price:

Wedding. In this busy age it is

Money found. This Office. Mrs. A. Macpherson's sale of served in Markdale.

Household effects on Saturday lars next Lord's day.

Miss Annie M. Green

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Tolton and parents and sister in town. and Mrs. H. D. Irwin.

ing our congratulations, and ex- Signed on behalf of the members Charlotte L. Shute, Wm. T. Price.

John S. Price Maggie Herbert Carson Price,

couples to live so long together, Among the host of friends and yet in your case in the providence well-wishers present weret hev. ten, will be held on Friday, Jan. of God, it has not only been per G. and Mrs. Reilly and Dr. and hat 11911, at 2 p.m. in the Rivermitted but you have preserved the Mrs. Oldham, Chatsworth; Rev. day school, 9th line Euphrasia. A freshness of earlier life. In most of and Mrs. J. R. Wilkinson; Mr. and

away, and the younger generation Mr. Price came to Holland, where with her niece, Mrs. Herh Allison. www.steward. Mr. Artley, will have their own friends and their his parents then resided, on a visit own ideals. But you have not only 56 years ago. He had been clerk- of Strongfield, Sask, arrived rerday. January 2 and 3, for circle of friends, but you have kept Georgetown. It was thet time absence ably in the armoury on Mon. There is no more beautiful spec- school soon to be opened, and, af- is ill, evening, which proved to be tacle in this world than an old ter brushing up and passing the couple who have gone with honor necessary examination before Inthrough the storms and conquests, spector Gordon, was ready even guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mcnumber of outside points. Mr. J.H. and who retain the freshness and before the school house was finish-Cullough. capably, presided at the vigor of youth. It makes a south led. This was in the neighborhood It of Walters Falls. After teaching is spending the holiday 1 II. Reburn has sold his blick makes what has been so fittingly de-welling house in Shelburne to scribed as "a green old age." You having on the 29th December, 1863, Irwin. have lived so long in our midst married Miss S. A. Timson, a Holy will move to Markdale short- that we cannot think of Holland land girl. He cleared 45 acres of He will occupy the apart- Centre whether in its business or land during his five years of farm Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. All. s over Turner's drug store, social life without associating your life, and during same period assess- McCullough.
to be vacated by J. W. Rut- name with it. We wish you both a ed, the township three times and Miss Grice very bright and happy new year acted as census enumerator. In and trust you may yet be spared 1872 he left the farm and opened a day with their friend, Mrs. John

ed its name to Holland ducted a successful mercantile business and was also post master. Mr. and Mrs H. C. Duff and now superintends the store and near Tillsonburg post office, Mr. Price having retir-

ed to private life some years ago. Besides himself and wife eight of a family survive, as follows: Charlotte, (Mrs. Alex. Shute) Holland ice has been good on the pond Dear Father and Mother, It is Centre; William T., Berkeley; John; a week, and a number of the with the greatest pleasure that we, Berkeley; Margaret (Ars. John ing -people have taken advant- the members of your family, greet Herbert,) Owen Sound; Emma, of it to indulge in this exhiler you on this auspicious and happy Rosetown, Sask.; Carson, Holland occasion. | We cordially congratue Centre; Clara (Mrs. Jas. Gillespie) the annual meeting of L. O. L. late you upon attaining in health Radison, Sask.; and Herbert, Sud-

The Standard joins the numer-Ber Brady: D.M.—John Johnston; of God to celebrate your Golden hearty congratulations and good Hoyle, spent Xmas with Mr. and wishes on this auspicious occasion.

> The "Week of Prayer" will be observed in Markdale. Full particu-Miss Annie M. Greene, of Toronto, spent the holidays with her Mrs. Robt. G. Williams; of Rad-

weeks with her mother, Mrs. John Mr. and Mrs. Wes Freeman, of Noble, and other relatives in town. Granton, Ont., returned home this Cook's Church Sunday School Wednesday, after spending Christ enjoyed their annual sleigh ride Tuesday, the 30th. After the ride, The Methodist Church closed in a programme was given by the timed to have their renewal in shed is filling a felt want during School, prizes distributed, and suppromptly. No paper will be dis-continued, without request, before ronized by the public. The triffing force, with a goodly number of the Orange Valley, for New Years holisum of one dollar for the calendar parents and teachers to help out. year entitles those who are not The Class prize winners were: don't wish to continue the paper regular contributors to the gener-Clara Chard, Bessie Wilson, Essie Man., has been visiting his parhow are we to know unless you lars a year to its use. Mr. Grain- Willie Ritchie, . Charles Smith, has a lucrative position as travelsay so. Kindly let us know one ger, the manager, says he has Frank Ritchie, Douglas C. Phalen. ler for a Winnipez dry roods firm. way or the other as we wish to put room for only a few more for 1914, Bessie Wilson took the pastor's He intends spending a few days in

Miss F. I. Irwin, of Toronto, Mr. Reg. Howard, of Toronto, is home for New Years.

**PERSÓNAL** 

Mr. Kendall Haskett returned on Tuesday for New Market. Miss Bolger, of Toronto, is guest of Mrs. Johnson Lucas. Master Lindsay White is holiday ing with friends at Corbetton:

child spent Christmas in Owen Miss Ladelle Witson returned home from Perth on Monday even-Master Hugh Wright; of the su-

burbs, is visiting with friends in Durham. Mr. Gordon Hill of Saskatoon. s spending a few days at his home

Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner, of onto, spent a few days recently in Mrs. J. R. Mathews is visiting for a few days with Miss Wright in Mount Forest. Mr. Al. Sproule, of Sault

Marie, spent a few days with his Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Mathers: are down from Moose Jaw on an Mr. Joe. Kelly, of Owen Sound, was a holiday visitor at his home.

the Revere House. Miss Violet McDuff, of Brumpton, spent Christmas at her home here with her brother. Mrs. Hanbury, of Dundalk, was

in town over Sundhy, the guest of ments of Municipal affairs. Mrs. (Dr.) Sproule. Mrs. E. Blackstock, of Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Hollingshead, over Christmas. Miss Ruby Sarjeant, of Toronto, and Miss Reta Sarjeant, of Chat-

ham, are home for holidays. Mr. C. Allison, of Beeton, visited Mrs. Richard Lyons, sr., spent a week the guest of her daughter.

Mrs. All. McCullough. The Misses Armstrong left last week for Toronto, where they will spend the winter. pend the winter.
Mr. R. W. E. McFadden, of [Fothe parental home.

Mr. Thos. Harness, of Owen tendance of the subscribers is cases those who have lived long Mrs. J. Price, Strathavon, Mr. and Mrs. (Dr.) Webster, of Toronto, dated condition. The Council was bave come to be out of touch with Mrs. James Adams, Walters Falls, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. at present working on the Carnethas, G. Deavitt, Chair, their surroundings. Especially is it Mr. and Mrs. George Fraser, Minso in this time of rapid changes nedosa, Man.; and about seventy—
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Taylor, of been proposed.

stard, Office on Friday and maintained and enlarged vour ing in a store at Stewartown, near cently on a visit after five years convenience of those wishing to yourselves in touch with present when the Russian war ended, and Mr. John O'Brien, of the Union this business.

conditions and as a consequence times very dull. He was urged to Bank, Fisherville, was in town for fifty couples attended the have preserved the vigor of youth, accept a position as teacher of a a few days with his mother, who

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCullough, of Rocklyn, spent Christmas Mr. Willard B. Irwin, of Toronto.

Messrs. Roy and Lloyd Lyons re Miss Grice and her sister, Anna of Toronto, spent the holi-

1. C. Kentner, and family en- and trust you may yet be spaned 1012 he her the farm and opened a day the rather unique experience many years of health and vigor general store at Williams- Shear r.

Only have eventually celebrate your ford, which soon after change. Miss Ruby Stone, of Toponto, and Mrs. H. Stone, of Ceylon, Signed on behalf of your many Centre: Here for 35 years he con- were visitors at Mr. John Chard's last week.

and for 17 years acted as Clerk of family spent-Christmas at Mrs. the township. His son, Carson. Duff's parental home at Corinth, Mr. Robt. Matthews, of Ben-

gough, Sask., called off to see his brother, William on his way home to Chatsworth. Mr. Jas. McKenzie, of Winnipeg is visiting his uncle, Mr. Geo. Pritchard, at Vandeleur, and other

riends hereabout. Miss L. Murray, of Brancford, formerly of the High School staff here, is the guest of Mrs. I. B. Lucas for a few days.

Mr. S, Bowles, sr., Mrs. Bowles Mrs. J. J. Bennett. Miss Eya Gilbert, accompanied

by her friend, Mr. Harry Garner, of Toronto, spent Xmas at the for-mer's home at Vandeleur. Mrs. R. L. Stephen entertained large number of her lady friends on Tuesday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Boardman, of Cal-

Mn and Mrs. G. M. Morgan, of Toronto; spent Christmas in town, the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Watson. | Mrs. Morgan returns to Toronto this Wednesday. Miss Ina Beattie, of Porcupine and Miss Delle Beattie, of Toronto, are visitors at the parental

Mr. Goldwin Pickell, of Carman the list on a strictly cash in ad- and wishes to close up all ac- prize for highest marks in the Montreal before returning to vance basis.

Reeve. Council and Public School Trustees Elected by Acclamation.

Nominations for the offices of keeve and Council of the village of were held on Monday evening and resulted as follows: For Reeve-R. W., Ennis, T. H.

Vilson. Miss Bella Foster, of London, is isiting relatives in this part.
Mr. and Mrs. Art. Jones and Walker, W. J. Bowes and John E. Walker. For P.S. Trustees-H. Knott, W.

Purvis, F. J. Ritchie, C. W. Rutledge and W. G. Pickell. For the Reeveship, Mr. T. H. Wil son has withdrawn, leaving Mr. R. W. Ennis elected by acclamation.

For the Council Mr. A. L. Walktion; Mr. J. G. McDuff and John ated. E. Walker, also withdrew, leaving Messrs. J. Artley, R. G. Noble W. C. Davis and W. J. Bowes elected by acclamation.

Four trustees for the public

school board were to be chosen for the coming term, (Mr. J. W. Rutledge having resigned) and out of the number nominated, Mr. C. W. Rutledge withdrew, leaving Messrs. Knott, Ritchie, Pickell and Purvis elected.

At the public meeting held at the close of the nominations, Mr. W.J. Shortill was appointed chairman, and the members of last year's Council gave an account of the work done in the several depart

Reeve Ennis was the first speaker called upon, and in a lucid address gave a brief resume of the municipal undertakings during 1913) among them being the installation of the waterworks system in the House of Refuge from which an annual revenue of \$100 is derived: his brother, Mr. J. T. Albson for the erection of the Fire Hall, which is a strong, substantial building, ornamental as well as useful, and a credit to the town; Public Weigh Scales, which the Government Inspector claimed were the best in stalled and the truest scales that he has tested for many years, and said they would be a credit to a ronto University, is holidaying at town five times as large as Markdale: purchase of a set of gates for the Public Cometery at a cost of Sound, was a genial caller on \$105.50, which were certainly needMarkdale friends last Wednesday.

Mrs. Dr. Wedstern of the rubbic quenction of the r things which the Reeve mentioned Mr. and Mrs. Robt. H. Elliott, as having taken place in town this summer, by which Markdale received considerable prominence, were the public opening of our new station which was an event unique in Premier Whitney on June 3rd; and he opening of our new Armoury which is a credit to the town and the Government that built it. He heartily thanked the electors for the confidence reposed in him, and stated that in the future as in the past he would do his utmost to advance Markdale's best interests Mr. W. C. Davis, Chairman of the Waterworks Committee, stated that if again elected he would favor the appointment of a Commission to look after the waterworks. system; the building of a storage tank at the power house; would also be in favor of the Carnegie Library scheme.

Short addresses were also given (Continued on page 8.)

DIED

McKENNITT-In Holland, on the 30th December, 1913, Richard Mc-Kennitt, aged 85 years. The funeral will take place at vi o'clock Friday to the Methodist Cenetery, Berkeley. Service in the church there at 2.30.

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HARNESS, ETC., ETC. W. ENNIS Harness Emporium.

## No Election in Markdale Nominations in The Townships

Markdale, also School Trustees, worked together, that the were engaged as Principal of Markdale

Reeve-T. Nichol.

tion. A stiff three-cornered fight Examinations at Winnipeg. er, who has been a member of the ray; and for Councillors 1. L. comes very highly recommended. Council during the past year, stat- Binns, J. J. Cook, H. V. Cauden and will no doubt win the success ed that he would not seek re-elect and Joseph Manarey were comin which a young man, of his ability

> OSPREY. Reeve-John Thom son. Deputy: Reeve-Irwin Morrison. W. H. Guy. Joseph henderson. All by acclamation

ARTEMESIA.

Jonathan Latimer! HOLLAND. For Reeve-A. G. Chishollir, Robert Howey, William Hampton, and Village Council took place on Mon Wan, J. McLean. Deputy Reeve—Lames and Robt. J. McIntosh. Councillor-James Admis, Rob-

All withdrew except the follow-Reeve-A. G. Chisholm

## New Principal For High School

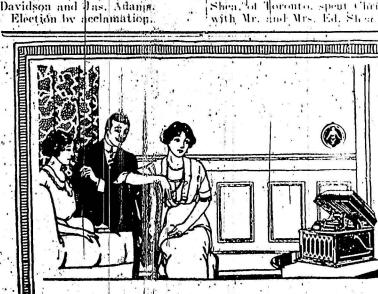
Mr. George E. MacDonald, B.A., The Township Fathers of Glenely whose home is near Shelburne, but have so ably handled the affairs of who has been teaching in the West the township and so harmoniously for the past three years, has been all returned by acclamation as fol-High School, Mr. Rogers having resigned to accept a similar situation at Beaverton, Mr. MacDonald Deputy Reeve-R. Lindsay. is a graduate of Queen's University, attending the Faculty of Educeo. E. Peart and Joseph Young. cation at Queen's in 1909-10, and was successful in Part III, but unable to write Parts I and II owing Nominations in Euphrasia Town to bluest. He holds a first class ship resulted in Mr. J. T. Miller professiona -Grade A-Manitoba, being re-elected Reeve by acclama- obtained by visiting Professional will be made for the Deputy Reevering 1911 and 1912 he was principal ship between Messrs. J. M. Davis, of Elkhorn (Man.) High School, G. W. Hutchinson and James Mar- and 1913 at Carberry, Man. He deserves. Mr. MacDonald will commence duties in Markdale on Monday, Jan. 5th. The Standard wel-comes he and Mrs. MacDonald, to

## Activity at Eugenia.

The engineers at Engenia 'com Artemesia Nominations took pond or lake that will be held back place in Flesherton on Monday by the big 35-toot dam. The radand were well attended. Discussion ins of this water storage is thirof Municipal matters took place in teen miles, and it will cover one the most orderly manner. For thousand acres, and maybe a little Reeve Mr. T. R. McKenzie is again more. Work has been started at in the field opposed by Mr. W. J. the dam. Piers are being sunk Caswell, a member of Council the and the foundation plan prepared. past year. Councillors Frad Brown A large number of farms in that and J. I. Graham ar aging in the section will have to be wholly or field with three new men. Messrs, partially abandoned." The artifi-Wm. Aldcorn. Alex Cameron and cial lake will have an average adepth of 12 to 15 leet. Advance.

FLESHERTON VILLAGE. The Nominations for Eleshertor day evening, when the following Reeve-D; McTavish, Lew Fisher Councillors M. W. Ison, T. V. ert Caesar, Alam Mark George Blakely, John Nubn. L. Fisher S. Davidson and Henry W. Sar- and W. Buskin.

Chopping done every day at Hol land Centre, five cents pershin dred. W. G. Lee. Dep., Reeve-Jas., McAyby: Mr. R. E. Mellean and Mr. and Councillors-H. W. Sargest, G.S. Mrs. R. Bydd and Miss Margaget Shen. of Horonto, spent Christonics



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