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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, OCT. 7, 1915.

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Local and General

The Women's Institute will hold a tag day in Markdale on the second day of the Fair.

Be sure and see Ennis' Fur coats, Robes, Harness, etc., while at the Fair.

Fresh eggs and good butter wanted. Top prices paid. H. Mercer and son, Markdale.

David Huether, proprietor of the Pacific Hotel, Warton, aged 52 years, died last Sunday.

Now is the time to buy underwear. Hosiery and Coat Sweaters. No advance in prices while our present stock lasts. Mercer & Son, Markdale.

Dr. R. F. English, Osteopathic Physician, will be at the residence of Mr. Herb Smith on Tuesday and Friday of each week from 8 to 12 and from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

The Standard has a magnificent range of samples of Christmas cards to choose from. Those requiring such will do well to call early and make a selection.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. a Shower of Hospital Supplies will be held in the Armouries at the Fall Fair in October. Refreshments will also be served in aid of Red Cross Work.

Miss Fether Bradley wishes to sincerely thank the neighbors and friends who contributed so well to the comforts of the late Matilda Bradley during her painful illness.

Don't fail to see the wonderful Electric Display at the Markdale Fair under the auspices of the Hydro Electric Commission. This will be one of the big special attractions, October 13th. Post it in your hat.

If you want any printing done for the Markdale Fair be sure and get it this week. Monday being a public holiday renders it out of the question to do anything in the job line next week before Thursday.

Markdale Fair this year will surpass any previous record. Better music, better attractions, and larger prize list, with faster racing. All that remains to make the efforts of the directors a complete success is fine weather.

The Bell Telephone Co., and the Consolidated Telephone Co., of Caledon have decided to run another line from Caledon to Orangeville. The line will be completed in about six weeks and will make a huge improvement in the service.—Orangeville Sun

Cook's Church, Berkeley, will hold their Harvest Home and Anniversary on October 10th and 11th. Rev. W. M. Lee, M.A., the new pastor of Temple Hill, will take the Lord's Day services at 3 and 7:30 p.m. and help at the gathering Monday evening. A generous Thanksgiving offering is expected at the Sunday services.

The Directors of Markdale Agricultural Society are donating two Shields to be won two years in succession by one exhibitor, 1st for best breeding herd of beef cattle owned by exhibitor; 2nd, for best exhibit of horses, any breed, owned by exhibitor. The latter was overlooked in the prize list.

The Zion Branch of the Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Colin McArthur on Oct. 14th at 2 p.m. Come prepared to answer roll call with a question. The Institute intends holding a jelly and jam shower at this meeting in aid of Red Cross work. All ladies are cordially invited.

Mr. Ernest Pieter Williams, Lyric Tenor at Toronto, will take part in the Thanksgiving Services at New England on Oct. 10th. He will sing by special request at the evening service "Champions Ninety and Nine." Mr. E. Pieter Williams is open to receive concert engagements. Address: 31 pleasant Blvd., Toronto.

The Marine Chapter of the I.O.O.F. I wish to thank the ladies of Markdale who so liberally contributed to the Jam Shower at the home of Mrs. I. B. Lucas, and also the Berkeley ladies whose donations were most generous. About three hundred pints of jam, honey and fruit were received and sent to Toronto for shipment to London, while the proceeds from tea, ice cream and cash contributions amounted to eleven dollars.

Light on the Subject.

A notice in last week's Standard called attention to the fact that application is necessary for permission to install electric wiring in buildings not already wired installations, in order to comply with provincial regulations. Authorized application forms which may be procured at my office are to be filled in with the names of the persons for whom the proposed work is to be done, a description of the premises, the number of proposed light outlets and switch outlets, on each floor, and the name of the Electrician who will do the work.

The application form when filled out is to be forwarded to the inspector for the district, Mr. W. H. Croydon, of Palmerston, accompanied with the amount of the inspection fees called for in each particular case. These fees are—ten cents for permit, ten cents for inspection fee for each proposed light, or switch outlet for the first ten outlets, and smaller amounts as per schedule for additional outlets, the minimum fee being 50 cents. On receipt of application and fees the inspector will issue a permit for the work to be done. The work will be inspected while in progress, and when completed satisfactorily, a certificate to that effect will be given to the owner, or occupant and permission to deliver power will be given to Minnis Bros. while they are supplying the current and to the Municipal Hydro Board, when Hydro Power is to be used.

The foregoing regulations are altogether apart from the procedure necessary to bring existing installations up to the required Standard.

It is the duty of the inspector to visit all premises which contain electric wiring installations, whether the current is supplied by

PERSONAL

Mr. T. S. Sproule, visited in Toronto last week.

Miss Mann is spending a few days in Toronto this week.

Miss Bertha Collins, of Toronto, is visiting her friend, Miss Clara Chard.

W. A. Irwin left on Monday to attend Victoria College in Toronto.

Mr. Joseph Bradner came last week from Ottawa, and will remain for the winter.

Mr. Harry Maynard had a piece taken off his thumb last week while working in the furniture factory.

Mr. T. L. Sewell, the blacksmith moved last week with his family to Heathcote. Mr. Sewell is an industrious man, and was a good citizen.

Mr. Harry Shaw's numerous friends will be pleased to learn that he is making excellent progress, and will likely be home early next week.

Mr. J. Montgomery, Govt Inspector of Light-Houses and Fog Alarms, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Pearl Montgomery, motored from Toronto Saturday, and visited with Mrs. Ricketts over the weekend.

Hon. I. B. Lucas and son Dick, Mr. Ed. Lucas, a nephew and his wife, of Vancouver, and Mrs. (Rev.) Parke, of Brantford, a sister, were guests at the home of Mr. E. J. Lucas, motoring to Markdale from Toronto.—Dundalk Herald

Fifty Years Married.

On Monday, October 4th, a very enjoyable event was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Abercrombie, Kimberley, when they celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day.



Mr. Wickham, son of Mr. Fred Wickham, secretary of Walter Falls Agricultural Society, who had gone with the first contingent and was wounded at Arras, which he lost one arm, arrived at Meaford last Monday evening and was tendered an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Wickham had formerly been an employee in Meaford Furniture Factory, and was met on arrival of the train by the Citizens Band, the town officials and hundreds of others.

A torchlight procession of the employees of the Furniture Factory escorted him to the market square, where the Mayor read an address of welcome from the town, and also from the King's Rifeers, after which the meeting adjourned to the armouries, where some two thousand welcomed him home by a hearty hand shake.

Pte. Wickham Home.

A painful illness extending over twelve months, of this sketch passed away Tuesday, the 28th, September, aged 62 years. A native of New Brunswick, he came to Canada at an early age and spent the rest of his earthly existence in this country. His niece, Miss O. Bradley, a trained nurse, was her constant and efficient attendant during her long illness. Interment took place on Friday, the 30th, in the family burying ground, in the Presbyterian church, of which he had long been a member. A sister and three brothers mourn the loss. Mrs. T. Hightgate, Ont., Messrs. J. James and Thomas, of all of this vicinity.

250 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The company is to be organized and commanded by officers of the 31st Regt. The officers already volunteered. The appointment of five of them necessitates the recruiting of 250 men. It is the time to join. Let us be the Empire that the men of this County are doing their bit. Col. Chisholm, Owen Sound, Capt. Campbell or Lieut. Markdale.

Matilda Bradley.

Arthur Meighen, Solicitor General, was sworn in as a member of the Borden Government. The rank of Solicitor-General has been raised to Cabinet rank.

Meighen in the Cabinet

Baby Show at Markdale Fair.

One of the interesting features of Markdale Fair this year will be a Baby Show on the second day, Oct. 13th. \$35.00 has been subscribed by the young married men in the village without families and some eligible bachelors and widowers, and the following prizes will be awarded—

1st Class—Girls under 12 months: 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

2nd Class—Boys under 12 months: 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

3rd Class—Girls 12 to 24 months: 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

4th Class—Boys 12 to 24 months: 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

5th Class—Twins, up to 24 months: 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.00; 3rd, \$1.00.

6th Class—Sweetstakes—Best boy or girl in any class, \$5.00.

REGULATIONS: The contest is open to the Province and it is not necessary to be a member of the Society to enter. No baby will be awarded two prizes. Judging will be on the second day of the Fair, Oct. 13th, at 2:30 p.m. in the Armouries. All entries free and to be in the hands of the Secretary, Albert Jackson, Markdale, on or before one o'clock p.m. on Oct. 13th. The decision of the Judges will be final and no appeal will be allowed. The Judges will be composed of a lady and two physicians, not yet decided upon. All entries must be on hand at 2:30 p.m. sharp. Neatness of attire will be taken into consideration.

Chesley Carries Hydro By-Law.

Chesley voted on the Hydro Electric By-Law on Monday and carried it by the overwhelming vote of 290 for and 6 against. In the north pole there was not a single vote against the By-Law. Chesley is the first town in Bruce County to adopt Hydro Electric. The power will be supplied from Eugenia and it is expected that it will be turned on about Christmas. One of the engineers of the Commission is expected to visit Tara in a few days and outline the steps to be taken to secure the power for Tara.—Tara Leader.

BORN

SMITH.—At Hawarden, Sept. 27th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith, a son.

MARRIED

RANSOME-LEVI.—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Levi, Markdale, Mary Edna Levi, to Stephen Ransome, of Berkeley. Rev. R. M. Phalen B.A., tied the nuptial knot.

IN LOVING MEMORY

SMITH.—In memory of our loving father, Richard Smith, who died October 9th, 1914. Son and Daughter.



Startling Surprise.

Yesterday was birthday anniversary of the editor of this great family journal. On returning from the early morning train, he met with a startling surprise, the maid, the nurse, and his invalid wife, all in the sick chamber each armed with a shingle, ready for war. We shrink from depicting what followed.

Watches Repaired by H. STEPHENSON

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Thanksgiving Day EXCURSION FARES

Excursions in Canada, Ford Will be held on Monday, October 12th, to South St. Marie, Dufferin, and Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Single Fare, good going Monday, October 12th, and returning Tuesday, October 13th, minimum charge 25¢.

Round Trip, good going Monday, October 12th, and returning Tuesday, October 13th, minimum charge 25¢.

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