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Local and General

Mercer's for Rubbers that will wear.

Best Kiss Talcum for sale Turner's Drug Store. J. Lucas.

Thompson's for Staindles undergarment and Sweater Coats.

Mercurio, the crepe toilet paper for sale at Turner's Drug Store.

Heavy All Wool Underwear, Scotch Knit, \$1 at Thompson's.

Call at Turner's Drug Store and get a free cake Glycerine Soap. J. Lucas.

Free Bargains in Linens and organdy call on J. C. Koutner, Markdale.

Boys' New Fall Suits in latest models. All sizes at \$3.55, \$5.00, \$7.50. P. J. Thompson.

Wagon and Williamson were on their feet on Tuesday and Wednesday another car of horses.

Ladies' Violet Glycerine Soap by the real fragrance of violets. Turner's Drug Store. J. Lucas.

You have not been getting satisfaction in shoes and rubbers in the past, better try Mercer's, the good foot-wear comes from.

John Patterson, an employee of the Wallace Iron Works, Owen Sound, was killed by moving C. 22 train Monday, while on his way to his work.

Syrup of Tar and Codliver Oil is a good cough syrup for children as well as older folks. It does not irritate the stomach and is a building food. Turner's Drug Store. J. Lucas.

Sunday and Monday, Dec. 10 will be the Anniversary, in the Methodist Church, Markdale. Rev. J. S. L. Wilson, a former pastor, will officiate. Two services at the Armories.

Forwarding exhibit of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hair Goods will be at the Markdale House, on Wednesday, Nov. 23. No one could miss this chance, as it is one of the finest collections ever seen.

Mr. Kendall Hackett, in a letter to his mother speaks of the local loyalty of our best people, and the cordial treatment being accorded the 14th Batt. He says the young men here in civilian clothes are as brave as young men in uniform were in Markdale in 1914.

Hickrade, Mr. Wool Sweater Coats in beautiful colorings \$3.50 to \$5.00. P. J. Thompson.

Tea will be served by the Ladies of Christ Church at the bazaar Nov. 7th, in the afternoon from three to six.

Any amount of money to lend on mortgage security at the lowest rate of interest. Expenses no. No fines. Properties valued personally. No waiting for completion of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

The working of the falling Hydro power in the area has been considered. This week a gang arrived and the poles are being put in place and the poles between Tara and the light will be switched on by Tara early in the New Year.

The Ontario Government has just passed a bill providing the establishment of secondary roads and giving to the Government of the Province the right of construction, and a 10 per cent. of the cost of the roads. This is a very good thing and will help to build up the roads and the province will pay the additional \$2,000,000, making a total of \$5,000,000, which is a very good thing for the province as a whole.

William Ross, the "Movie Men" who are using a camera to the plain wool socks. Carl Atkinson. Darned sock—Lewis. Plain wool mitts—D. Lewis. Fisher. Hooked (rag)—Carl Atkinson. Mat (yarn)—N. Coll. Carl Atkinson. Coll. for dining room table—Dundas & Co. fancy work—Bumstead.

Thompson's for Boys' Clothing.

Overcoats for Men and Boys at old prices at Mercer's.

Keep the date clear for the fowl supper on the 3rd.

Heavy Tan Grain Shoes for fall work. Special price \$2.90 at P. J. Thompson's.

See page six for "History of Pricville," Markdale Rural School Fair report, etc.

Now's the time, and Mercer's the place to buy clothing. Later on you will pay from \$3 to \$5 more for your suit or overcoat.

A program is being prepared for the evening of the bazaar Nov. 7, in the Armories under the auspices of Christ Church. Admission 10c.

Dr. Burt, Specialist in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be at the Revere House, Markdale, for consultation Thursday, Nov. 9th. Eyes tested and glasses supplied.

A Fowl Supper will be given in the Armories on the evening of November 3rd by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church. A good program will follow. Admission adults 35c. Children under twelve 25c.

Mercer's for Ladies', Misses' and Children's Underwear.

PERSONAL

Mrs. E. White, of Charlottown, P.E.I., was a visitor in town last week-end.

Mrs. Alf. Smith, of Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reed.

Mr. Wes. Foster, who is Keenan's, Open Sound, was over to Markdale for the weekend.

The friends of Miss Katie Murdoch will be glad to hear that she is enjoying a visit with her sister, Mrs. D. W. Thompson, at Ferguson.

Miss Middlebro, of Durham, and Miss Lilita Brown, of Markdale, were guests at Mrs. Hanbury's during the teacher's convention here last week.—Dundalk Herald.

Markdale Library.

Markdale Public Library Board, convened for general business on Tuesday evening, all members present, Chairman Reeve Emms presiding. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Report of representative to District annual meeting received. Accounts from W. C. Davis \$2.50 and Perkins & Mann, \$3.65, ordered to be paid.

The librarian reported an increase of over 50 members over that of last year.

A request from Mrs. D. Foster and others for an open Library Saturday afternoons during fall and winter for the accommodation of those who reside outside the Corporation was considered. It was represented that from forty to fifty rural members could be obtained at a fee of ten cents each for the five months from 1st Nov. to end of March, provided the library was kept open from 3 to 5 o'clock on Saturday. This would bring additional revenue of from four to five dollars.

The estimated cost of the proposed added service being fully ten times as much as the additional revenue, therefore it was considered by the board unfair to impose such additional expense upon those who are taxed for library maintenance.

It was suggested furthermore, that neighboring municipalities might grant sufficient to cover the added expense of those who wished to participate in the advantages and privileges of this institution so as to put them on an equal footing as to cost of maintenance with village ratepayers. Meeting adjourned at 8.40.

C. W. Rutledge, Sec.

The Paper from His Old Home Town

When the even' shade is fallin' the endin' of the day, An' a feller rests on labor smokin' at his pipe of clay, There's nothing does him so much good; he fortune up or down, As the little country paper from his ol' home town.

It ain't a thing o' beauty, an' it print ain't always clean, But it straightens out his temp' when a feller's feelin' mean; It takes the wrinkles off his face an' brushes off the frown, That little country paper from his ol' home town.

It tells of all the parties an' the bulls of Pumpkin Row, 'Bout who spent Sunday with his girl an' how the crops 'll grow. How it keeps a feller posted 'bout who's up and who is down, That little country paper from his ol' home town.

Now I like to read the dailies an' the story papers, too, An' at times the yaller novels an' some other trash—don't you? But when I want some readin' that will brush away a frown, I want that little paper from my ol' home town.

Tribute to Their Pastor

Matheson Congregation Honored Rev. J. Thuburn-Conn, a Heroic Clergyman.

For his splendid courage and rescue work during the July fire in Northern Ontario, the Rev. J. Thuburn-Conn, "the little minister of Matheson," has been presented with a solid silver salver. He is to be inducted on Nov. 2nd into the pastorate of Markdale Presbyterian Church, so the occasion of his going away chosen by the people as one on which they could well display the esteem in which they held him. A public meeting was held in Matheson which was largely attended, in spite of the inclemency. All sorts and conditions of people turned out and made the event a very happy one.

The salver bore the following inscription: "Presented to the Rev. J. Thuburn-Conn by the people of Matheson in recognition of his heroic conduct during the great Northern Ontario Forest fire on July 29th 1915. October 24, 1916."

The address was in the following terms: "Reverend and Dear Sir, I give you great pleasure to gather together this evening to pay tribute to the splendid spirit you have displayed while carrying out your mission among us. The people of Matheson and surrounding district deeply regret that circumstances prevent your further company with us, but we will all look forward to the day when you will return with your brave smile and hearty greeting to saint and sinner of all creeds alike."

Now in appreciation of your magnificent work at Matheson since you first came among us, and especially in appreciation of your dauntless courage, your steadfast devotion to duty, your rescue work during the fire, your sympathetic word to the bereaved and all things that go to make less the tragedy of the terrible fire of July 29, which has endeared you to the people of the north country, we wish to present to you this sterling silver salver as a small token of our love for the finest little minister who ever came to Matheson.

Rev. Thuburn-Conn is well known in Toronto, where he recently collected \$360 for the building of Matheson Presbyterian Church.

S. G. Teachers Meet.

(Durham Chronicle.)

The annual convention of the South Grey Teachers' Institute was held in the High School, Dundalk, on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 19 and 20. For the first time in some years, the weather reverted to its traditional unpleasantness during the convention. Rain fell most of the time, and the dull foggy weather did not add to the pleasure of travelling over the muddy roads.

Notwithstanding this handicap, 90 teachers were present and, like true Canadians, entered heartily into the proceedings of the meeting. Though the weather without was gloomy, sunshine was in their hearts, and their faces responded to the inner radiance, so that the acting president was led to remark that the "sunshine" brigade was a more appropriate designation for them than the old "umbrella" brigade of former days.

The devotional exercises, with which the convention invariably opens, were conducted by Rev. Geo. Waugh, of the Methodist Church, Dundalk. In the absence of the president, Mr. T. H. Patterson, who had removed to another county, Mr. Campbell occupied the chair. Some preliminary business having been disposed of, Miss Janet E. Livingstone of No. 4, Glenelg, dealt in a sympathetic manner with the question of "Juvenile Literature" in our public schools. It would seem from the paper and discussion that this important class of literature was not receiving the attention it deserved from our teachers and trustees. The libraries were not so well furnished with books for the primary classes as with those for the higher classes.

"Busy work in primary grades" the heart-break of beginners in primary teaching—was ably handled by Miss Zinn of Hanover and Miss Mann of Markdale. From their own rich experience in most successful primary work, these ladies were able to treat the subject in such an exhaustive and illuminating manner that little could be added by the rest.

An able treatment of "Music in Our Schools" was given by Miss Pearl Clark of Hanover Public School. Miss Clark illustrated the advantages of the subject, both for training and for citizenship, as well as its value in the school-room itself to "sweeten discordant notes that are apt to rise."

The important point was made that our Ontario children do not sing as much as they might, and probably our schools are to blame because musical notation has not been in the past as thoroughly taught as it should. Singing alone is not sufficient.

Perhaps the item of greatest interest at the convention was the address of Miss May Cryderman, B.A., of the Durham high school staff on "The War and the School." Reviewing briefly the causes of the war, the conditions in Germany which popularized war as such, with the German people, and the effects of the titanic struggle upon the world at large and especially upon our own country, Miss Cryderman, in a masterly and comprehensive summary, outlined the probable adjustments that would have to be made in the educational systems of the British Empire to meet the new world conditions resulting from the war. It was clear that in

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Letter from Milestone

Milestone, Oct. 23rd, 1916

Dear Sir—

Please find enclosed \$5 to apply on my subscription to The Standard. I don't think I have missed a copy since I came west, and am always pleased to receive The Standard. It keeps us in touch with the old surroundings. We have had a very wet fall here, snow and rain alternately. Not half the threshing done yet nor much prospect till it freezes up. I remain, yours truly,

H. L. Ewart.

Hallowe'en was celebrated modestly.

"Pastor" Russell died suddenly on Tuesday en route from Los Angeles to New York.

Just arrived at McKennitt's—Another load of flour and feed to be sold at wholesale prices. Flour 30c less than wholesale.

CARDS OF THANKS.—Mrs. Brander and family, of Pricville, wish to thank their friends for their kindness and sympathy in their bereavement.

The Children's Aid Society of Grey County desire to express their sincere thanks, (1) to Mrs. Thos. Cook for her work in organizing and supervising the campaign for selling buttons at the Fair. (2) to the young ladies who sold buttons, and to the public for their splendid response, by which \$31.14 was realized. We appreciate the general interest in this much needed and county wide work. H. H. Burgess, Pres., Jas. G. Carrie, Treas.

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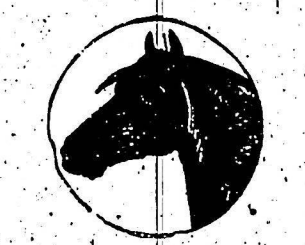
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