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er, Alma Dell, was united in  
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er, brother of the bride, was  
man. The groom's gift to  
his bride was a pearl brooch  
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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JAN. 4, 1917.

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## Local and General

Municipal Council convene next  
Monday to organize  
the new year.

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the west.

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from the West on a visit.

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Hanover Post.

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## To Subscribers

It has been our custom to  
promptly acknowledge receipt of  
all renewals to the Standard that  
come by mail, but recently we  
have been unable to keep up with  
this branch of our work, however,  
the label list is corrected the first  
week in every month, so that we  
could not be given in that way  
credit will any subscriber fail to re-  
ceive a receipt through the mail.

## A. F. & A. M.

Hiram Lodge No. 490, Markdale,  
after a prosperous year, elected at  
its last meeting the following offi-  
cers for 1917—

- W.M.—John Caesar.
- A.P.M.—C. B. King.
- S.W.—H. C. Duff.
- J.W.—L. G. Campbell.
- Treas.—R. J. Gillilan.
- Secretary—T. H. Reburn.
- S.D.—J. G. McDuff.
- J.D.—J. A. Dixon.
- D. of C.—C. R. King.
- I. G.—Wm. Neely.
- T.—Wm. Howard.

The officers were installed by W.  
Bro. B. Tansley, of Toronto.

## Fennell-English

The marriage of Ethel Mae,  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard  
English to Mr. Joshua R. Fennell,  
of the firm of Fennell Bros., of  
Shaunavon, Sask., took place at  
the bride's home, on Thursday,  
Dec. 28th, the Rev. W. W. Wallace  
officiating. Mrs. Dr. A. M. Brown  
played the wedding march and to  
its strains the bridal party took  
their positions under a beautiful  
arch of smilax and narcissus honk-  
ed with ferns.

The bride, who wore a white  
satin gown and tulle veil and car-  
ried a shower bouquet of white  
roses and lilies of the valley, was  
given away by her father. Little  
Miss Irene, sister of the bride,  
acted as flower girl, dressed in  
white satin and carried a basket  
of white and pink roses.

After the ceremony, a sumptuous  
dinner was served. The groom's  
gift to the bride was a beautiful  
necklace of pearls. The bride's  
travelling suit was a dark purple  
plush, trimmed with mink and  
hat to match.

After the wedding dinner, the  
young couple left for Toronto,  
Ottawa and other Eastern points,  
and on their return, via Chicago,  
will reside at Shaunavon, Sask.

## Business Locals

See Kentner's sewing machines  
before buying.

Furs, Ruffs, Muffs and stoles at  
clearing prices at Mercers'.

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

Big Bargains in Suits and over-  
coats for Men and Boys at Mer-  
cers'.

Notice—Logs wanted for custom  
sawing at Lauriston Saw Mill.  
Vasey Bros. 78-80.

New Paok finest quality canned  
Tomatoes, 15c per can; Corn and  
Peas 2 for 25c, at Mercers'.

If you want a first class and  
nobby cutter, either McLaughlin or  
Tudhope, call and see Hugh Knott,  
he has some beauties.

A Happy New Year to all. Come  
and get some good flour. Ogilvie's  
Royal Household only \$4.75 per  
bag in cotton; Glenora \$4.35 at  
McKennitt's.

If you need a piano get prices  
on the old reliable Bell. Manufac-  
turing for 50 years; also the Nord-  
heimer for over 75 years. Quality  
the best. Prices right. Hugh  
Knott.

Any amount of money to lend  
on mortgage security at the  
lowest rate of interest. Expenses  
low. No fines. Properties valued  
personally. No waiting for con-  
venience of inspectors. W. L.  
Young, Markdale, Appraiser for  
Canada Permanent Loan Com-  
pany.

Mercers' for Rubbers that will  
wear.

For bargains in pianos and or-  
gans call on J. C. Kentner, Mark-  
dale.

## School Re-Opened.

Markdale Schools re-opened this  
Wednesday. In the Public School  
there is a new Principal, Mr.  
Lownds, of Oakville, who is filling  
the position made vacant by Mr.  
S. F. Hunter, who headed to the  
call of King and Country. Much  
regret is felt at losing such an effi-  
cient principal as Mr. Hunter.  
Previous to his departure he was  
presented with a wrist watch, ac-  
companied by the very best wishes  
of his pupils and every Markdale  
citizen.

Miss Belfour resigned as assis-  
tant in the High School, and has  
accepted a more lucrative position  
on the staff of the Brantford Col-  
legiate Institute. The loss of Miss  
Belfour is keenly felt at school,  
and also, in the town's social  
circles.

The High School has been for-  
tunate in securing a Miss Kelly,  
B.A., of Stratford, who comes  
with very high qualifications, hav-  
ing obtained Scholarship in gen-  
eral proficiency at the entrance to  
the Faculty examination.

## Annual Meetings

Rocklyn Agricultural Society.  
Annual Meeting January 15, at 1  
o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Mark-  
dale Agricultural Society, will be  
held in the Department of Agricul-  
ture office on Friday afternoon,  
January 19th, 1917, at 2 o'clock.  
A large attendance is requested.  
W. R. Burnett, Pres.  
J. S. Shepherdson, Secy.

The Annual Meeting of the Wal-  
ters Falls Agricultural Society  
will be held in the Orange Hall,  
Walters Falls, on Saturday, Janu-  
ary 20, 1917, at 1 o'clock p.m.,  
for the purpose of receiving the  
Annual Report, Electing Officers  
for the ensuing year and other  
business in connection with the So-  
ciety. A full attendance is urged.  
S. MARSHALL, Pres.  
THOS. FINDLAY, Secy.

## Enjoyable Entertainment

On New Year's night a very  
clever and amusing play, "Farm  
Folks," was given by local talent  
in the Armouries, Markdale. Each  
character was well portrayed,  
showing that time and care must  
have been given in preparation.  
Rev. Mr. Conn acted as chairman.  
Mrs. A. M. Brown, in her usual  
pleasing manner, delighted the au-  
dience with that old favorite,  
"Rule Britannia."

Between the second and third  
acts Lieut. M. E. F. Kelley deliv-  
ered a rousing patriotic speech,  
which commanded attention, and  
impressed those present. "Mike"  
has proven himself to be a man,  
has sacrificed a great deal, and  
ardently strives to do still more.  
His appeal for young men to go  
along with him is indeed an earn-  
est appeal, and is by all means  
worthy of the practical considera-  
tion of every young man in Mar-  
kdale and surrounding country.

While the scene was being chang-  
ed between acts three and four,  
Rev. Mr. Conn, for his first time  
in Markdale, displayed his excel-  
lent vocal talent, when he sang  
familiar Scotch songs, "Annie  
Laurie" and "On the Bonnie Bon-  
nie Banks O' Loch Lomond,"  
which were exceptionally pleasing.

The last part of the play was  
then acted, and the programme  
brought to a pleasant close by  
singing the National Anthem.

There was a large crowd, the  
proceeds being \$92.00, which fifty  
per cent. was given in aid of sol-  
diers' sock fund.

Announcements of Births, Mar-  
riages, Deaths—twenty-five cents.

## BORN

ALGAR—In Calgary, Alberta, on  
December 22, 1916, to Mr. and  
Mrs. Bruce Algar, (nee Laura M.  
Shaw) a daughter, (still born.)

## MARRIED

FENNEL-ENGLISH—In Mark-  
dale, on Thursday, December 28,  
1916, by Rev. W. W. Wallace, Mr.  
J. R. Fennell, of Shaunavon,  
Sask., to Miss Ethel May Eng-  
lish, of Markdale.

## DIED

HAWKEN—In Euphrasia, on Dec.  
31st, 1916, Margaret Ellen, wife  
of Martin Luther Hawken, aged  
50 years. The funeral took place  
Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1917, to  
Markdale Public Cemetery.

## Farewell Party

The following address was read  
at a farewell party which was in  
honour of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. House,  
of Euphrasia, who moved to Ham-  
ilton recently.

December 26, 1916.  
Dear Friends,—We, your friends  
and neighbors, have assembled  
here this evening to spend with  
you a social evening ere your de-  
parture for your new home in  
Hamilton. We have found you to  
be a good neighbor and always  
ready to help in anything for the  
interest of your community. We  
ask you, Mr. House, to accept this  
suit case, and you, Mrs. House,

## 248th Battalion News

The list of names of recruits at-  
tended in Markdale during the past  
week has arrived as we go to  
press.

Recruiting is speeding up with  
the 248th Greys. Christmas week  
brought in a good batch of re-  
cruits, and many others through-  
out the County have signified their  
intention of enlisting immediately  
after the turn of the New Year.

From present indications January  
is expected to be a lively month in  
recruiting.

Lieut. M. E. F. Kelley delivered  
a rousing recruiting address at an  
entertainment given in the Arm-  
ouries, Markdale, Monday evening.  
Many will no doubt respond to  
"Mike's" earnest appeals for co-  
operation. He informed the au-  
dience that he has a list of twenty  
names of Markdale men to be con-  
sulted, and there is no doubt but  
that by Saturday night at least  
fifteen will have manfully "signed  
up."

The 1000 League is gaining  
splendidly in popularity. Many  
more citizens have signed the  
pledge undertaking to secure a re-  
cruit each for the Battalion. There  
are now several hundred who have  
pledged themselves to "Each One  
Get One." The result of the en-  
thusiasm of these public spirited  
citizens is already showing itself to  
a marked degree in recruiting and  
also in the general sentiment to-  
wards enlistment in Grey County.

Are there not a few more of our  
readers, not yet "1000 Leaguers"  
willing to pledge themselves to  
"Get One" for the 248th Battalion  
Major Rorke, Officer Commanding  
the Battalion would like to hear  
from anyone willing to help. To  
"Get one man" each is a duty  
which all Grey County Citizens  
should be proud to assume for  
their own County Battalion.

"Denny" Breen, clerk in the  
Union Bank, Owen Sound, has en-  
listed with the 248th Battalion.  
"Denny" is captain of the Owen  
Sound hockey team and conceded  
to be the finest hockey player in  
Grey County. He will also cap-  
tain the 248th team, and under his  
leadership the Battalion hopes to  
carry off a few honours this win-  
ter. Already over a dozen players  
have enlisted with the Battalion,  
and a number of others are ex-  
pected to sign up any day.

Lieut. Co. G. H. Williams, Chief  
Recruiting Officer for this Military  
District, who delivered a magnifi-  
cent recruiting address in Owen  
Sound a couple of weeks ago, will  
again visit Grey County in the in-  
terest of recruiting the 248th Bat-  
talion. Meetings have been ar-  
ranged for Thornbury and Meaford  
on Thursday and Friday  
nights respectively, at which Lieut.  
Col. Williams will be the principal  
speaker. Major Rorke, O.C. 248th  
will also attend, and it is expected  
that Dr. Jameson, M.P.P., speak-  
er of the Ontario Legislature, will  
also speak.

Announcement is made from Ot-  
tawa that the following appoint-  
ments are approved provisionally.  
—Lieuts. Pfeiffer, Wright, Butchart,  
Legarde, McAllister, Shaw and  
Thomson.

## CREDIT SALE OF Live Stock

The undersigned auctioneer has  
received instructions to sell by  
public auction at the REVERE  
HOTEL, MARKDALE, ONT.,  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 9th

The following:  
20 Cows supposed to be in calf;  
15 heifers and steers, yearlings  
and two-year-olds.

SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK  
TERMS—Six months on ap-  
proved paper, or seven per cent.  
per annum for cash.

D. McPHAIL, Auctioneer.

## To The Public

We extend hearty thanks to  
liberal patronage in the past and  
every good wish for a prosperous  
1917. We also announce that on  
the 15th January, we will open our  
new Electrical Photo Studio and  
Music Store in the Standard  
Block. A call is respectfully sol-  
icited on and after Monday, Janu-  
ary 15th, 1917.

J. C. KENTNER, Markdale

This club bag, not for their value,  
but as a memento of friendship.  
Signed on behalf of your friends  
and neighbors—  
John Wyville.  
Herb Walker.

## David J. Matthews

The community of Chatsworth  
was greatly saddened to learn  
the death of one of the most  
spectable young men in that  
district, in the person of Mr. David  
Matthews, who passed away on  
Monday, December 11th, at his  
home in Holland township.

Deceased was born in 1885 and  
lived on the farm on which he  
was reared until the time of his  
death, with the exception of one  
year spent in Pembroke, in the  
employment of the "David Shep-  
herds Co." as Mass and book-  
keeper and two years in Sas-  
sary.

Although not feeling well some  
time before his death, Mr. Mat-  
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to the indisposition, until Monday  
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News papers generally are lopping  
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but he was unable to  
arrive in time. He  
was called away a few  
hours after his seizure,  
peritonitis having  
developed.

His was a pleasant  
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a most upright young  
man. He was a  
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W. of Markdale,  
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Concession, and  
three sisters, Mrs.  
J. Matthews, who  
passed away on  
Monday, December  
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in Holland township.

The funeral took place from his  
home on Monday, December 11th,  
at 10 o'clock, and was  
attended by the  
Rev. Fr. Sharie,  
and the funeral  
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