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CHURCH NOTES
THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1918.

Markdale Markets.

Wheat	2 05	2 10
Barley	70	76
Oats	10 00	13 00
Flour	1 80	1 80
Butter	33	35
Eggs	33	35
Beans	33	35
Peas	23	25
Onions	21	22
Potatoes	20	22
Carrots	32	34
Corn	16	18
Hay	9 00	10 10
Straw	60	65

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. F. J. Ritchie, of Durham, spent a few days at his home here.

Mr. Max Berger, of Toronto, visited with his sister, Mrs. J. Folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edgar, of Shallow Lake, visited friends here, about recently.

Mr. J. C. Whitten, a pioneer of Markdale, died suddenly on Friday the 21st June.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reburn, of Markdale, visited Shelburne friends recently.—Economist.

Mr. Herb. Wilson, of Providence Bay, Manitoulin, is visiting friends hereabout this week.

Miss Nellie Duckman, of Toronto, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. M. Rosen, before leaving for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tolton and Mr. G. W. Tolton, motored from Waldemar and visited with Mr. Alfred Tolton for a few days.

Miss Lolita Brown was home from Toronto for the holiday. She was accompanied by Nursing Sister Laura E. Moore, of Central Military Hospital.

Dundalk Herald.—Miss Rosa Russell was home from Markdale over Sunday. Mrs. Brady, of Markdale, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Johnston, in town.

S. O. S. PRESENTATION MEETING AND SPORTS.

The crowd was exceptionally large, the spirit of entertainment of the highest order, and the sports of a most hearty character that preceded the S. O. S. Presentation Meeting in the Armouries on the evening of Friday, June 28.

The generosity of the citizens who donated the prizes is highly commended. An added feature of the program of sports which created much enthusiasm, was a race for little girls (two classes) and one for little boys, the prizes for the former being donated by R. J. Ball, M. P., of Hanover, while Mr. Harvey Lucas donated the prizes for the latter. There was a keen contest throughout the sports, which was marked by the greatest enthusiasm.

S. O. S. Meeting.

Upwards of six hundred people crowded to the Armouries to witness the presentation to over sixty Sons of the Soil of their bronze medals, presented by the Ontario Government.

Hon. I. B. Lucas occupied the chair and was supported by R. J. Ball, M. P., and local gentlemen, D. R. Cowan, M. A. Superintendent of Ontario, Grey and Bruce, outlined the meaning and purpose of the S. O. S.

Hon. Mr. Lucas commented on the favorable as well as the efficient work that had been done and would be done by the Sons of the Soil.

Musical selections added materially to the success as well as the enjoyment of the evening.

Mr. Ball gave a practical and pointed address and, although brief, was appreciated by the vast audience.

Solemn indeed was the presentation of the Gold Medals presented by the citizens of Markdale to Pte. Gladwyn Haskett, to Miss Galbraith in honor of her brother, Pte. Wilmer Galbraith, who paid the supreme sacrifice, and to Mrs. M. Armstrong in honor of her son, Lieut. Hilliard Armstrong, killed in training. In the absence of Reeve Boyd it was requested that Rev. Mr. Stanley present the medals to the two belonging to his congregation, while Rev. Mr. Conn presented Pte. Galbraith's to his sister, Presbyterian.

Pte. Haskett expressed appreciation of the honor done him, while Mr. Armstrong on behalf of his wife and himself thanked the citizens for their mark of appreciation. Hon. I. B. Lucas returned thanks for Miss Galbraith.

The sum of over \$31.00 has been handed to the Women's Institute, being the surplus over and above expenses.

Congoleum Rugs selling cheap at Mercers.

Mr. Willard B. Irwin, of Toronto, has home for the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Irwin.

Mrs. Minnie Sexsmith, of Carleton Place, and Mrs. Galbraith, of Toronto, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Joseph Irwin and Mr. Irwin.

The Ladies Patriotic Auxiliary, of Berkeley, will serve a good dinner on July 12th, in the Foresters' Hall, (beside the post office), which has been repaired for the purpose. The proceeds go to buy comforts for the soldiers. Come one! Come all!

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 convenience of inspectors. W. L. Young, Markdale, Appraiser for Canada Permanent Loan Company.

FROM OVERSEAS

No. 7 Can. Gen. Hospital.
B. E. France, 245-18.
The Members of the Rocklyn W.M.S. Some time ago I received a letter a few days later the parcel arrived containing the quilt which we find very interesting. I love to look over it and see all the names of the old friends, I am sure it is on our bed also one that the New England people sent me. We cannot use them in the wards on account of the brown army blankets. They would not keep clean very long in fact, even in our room. They don't keep on very long for so much and how in when there is any wind. The hats are not very well built, but like ours are at home, but we are quite comfortable. Three of us live and keep all our belongings in a room not any larger than one of your bed rooms, and we have a nice little stove also, but I will say there is very little room that is not very much taken up.

Thanking you very much for your good wishes and for the quilt, remain, yours sincerely, May Devitt.

HOLLAND CENTRE METHODIST CHURCH.

An interesting social and entertainment will be held on Tuesday, July 9, at 8 p.m. A good programme consisting of songs by Mr. J. H. Dundas, Cornet solos by Mr. Perkins, of Markdale, Violin solos by Mr. Harold Peacock, of Toronto. Readings and music of home talent will be rendered. 25 and 15 cents.

COUNTY COUNCIL

The Children's Aid Society asked for \$1500. Council granted \$500.

Four thousand dollars per month for next six months was donated to Overseas Y. M. C. A.

On Wednesday last, eight speakers were heard, representing five organizations, asking for grants.

The increase in salary asked for by County Cooter W. A. Grier will not be granted, according to decision of Council.

The General and Marine Hospital was given the usual grant of \$1000 by the Council on Thursday. The grant was passed without discussion.

Mr. S. J. Parker, County Treasurer for 45 years, has resigned, and his nephew, Mr. John Parker, is his successor, appointed by County Council. The retiring Treasurer was the recipient of a letter of recognition for his valuable services.

A report of the County Roads Committee was received in which it was recommended to fill "Allen's sink hole" on Toronto line, which will be undertaken forthwith. The engineers were there last week and found measurement of greatest depth to be thirty-five feet.

THE CASH SYSTEM IN BUSINESS.

The public is respectfully informed that the following merchants intend adopting the cash system in their respective businesses on and after August 1st, next.

Being in the prosperous time we are experiencing it is believed that it is in the best interests of buyer and seller alike to make this change in methods. It is also endorsed and recommended by the highest financial authorities.

Bethle Bros., Dundalk.
J. D. Morgan, Dundalk.
J. Nixon, Dundalk.
J. Sinclair, Dundalk.
J. Murray, Dundalk.
Syde, Dundalk.
J. Gardiner, Dundalk.
J. Fenell, Dundalk.
Russell Bros., Dundalk.
D. A. Stinson, Proton.
H. G. Bicker, Proton.
Coppard Bros., Proton.
R. Horton, Maxwell.
S. M. Osborn, Maxwell.
J. C. Karsedt, Plesherton.
W. L. Wright, Plesherton.
J. H. W. Hocking, Plesherton.
J. Paterson, Ceylon.
Karsedt Bros., Dreeville.
Helen Bros., Corbetton.

SCHOOL REPORTS

MARKDALE PUBLIC SCHOOL.
The following is the report of the Promotion Examinations in the various rooms in Markdale Public School for June:

FORM IV
Jr. 4 to Sr. 4.—E. Lee (H), I. Wiley (H), E. Teeter (H), M. Walker (H), H. Sullivan, E. Armstrong, J. Stephenson, F. Stephenson, L. Brown, P. F. McNaughton, Principal.

FORM III
Sr. 3 to Jr. 3.—E. McHugh (H), E. Manson (M), Thompson, M. Noble, J. Levi, J. Walker, W. Whitney, I. Hopkins and B. Heard (equal), L. Foster.

FORM II
Jr. 2 to Sr. 2.—J. Curry (H), C. Bowes (H), D. Boyd (H), H. Bowes (H), M. Thibault, A. Jackson, A. Stanley, J. Armstrong, E. Perkins, M. Teeter, H. McCutcheon, V. Hockley, J. Sullivan, F. Crowston, M. Summers.

FORM I
Sr. 1 to Jr. 1.—C. Kentner (H), A. Leo, A. Sullivan, D. Hare, G. Wright, M. B. Hockley, A. Henry, M. Noble, J. Irving, M. Hockley, G. Coleman, C. Stephenson, G. Hick.

FORM I
Sr. 2 to Jr. 2.—J. Sullivan, J. Ritchie, C. McLaughlin, M. McEachnie, J. H. (Class to Jr. 2)—J. Wells (H), L. Holey (H), E. Teeter (H), C. White (H), M. Perkins, F. Armstrong, E. Hare, W. Lee, L. Douglas, C. Stoddard, E. Noble, B. Alton and M. Crowston, (equal), J. Noble, R. Douglas, I. Morewood (Rec.), W. Pedlar (Rec.), S. L. Hare, Teacher.

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Try the REXALL Beef Iron and Wine.

ENSLAGE CORN.—Eaming, Mammal, Sothen Street, Grant Profiler.

Silver Hull Buckwheat.

Essex Sewing Rape.

Millot and Hungarian Grass seed.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary Katherine Brann, beloved wife of William Brann, passed away on Sunday morning, June 16, 1918 at the home of her sister, Mrs. Milton Neil, in Meyronne Sask.

Mrs. Brann was in very delicate health for the past six months and bore her weakness and suffering with great patience, but in spite of all that could be done she slowly sank until Sunday morning when, fortified by the last rites of her church, her spirit winged its flight.

Deceased was 32 years and two months old, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brann. She was born near Eugene, Ont., and there received the greater part of her public school education, finishing by Owen Sound College. She taught school for six years before coming west.

R. J. GILFILLAN GONE TO BOTHWELL

Many Markdale citizens, Council and business men regret the loss to the town and community of such an enterprising young man as Mr. R. J. Gilfillan. Mr. Gilfillan has been in the Merchants Bank here for over nine years, during which time he has made many friends. He served in the capacity of town clerk for some time, and his duties were faithfully and capably attended to at all times. He has always been interested in any movement which would tend to be of advancement for the town. Although his removal is regretted, the very best wishes of a host of friends follow him to his new position in the Bothwell branch of the Merchants Bank, and we hope he will meet with every success in his promotion.

DIED

BELL.—In Genecr. on the 1st July, 1918, James Bell, aged 77 years. Funeral to Markdale cemetery on Wednesday p.m.