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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, NOV. 21, 1918.

TERMS—\$1.50 Per Year in Advance.
\$2.00 to United States

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

50 lb bags of salt at 75c.—F. Burnside.

Mrs. H. Hamilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Matson.

Forty-five years ago 40 cords 4-ft. hardwood brought \$60 in Markdale. To-day it brings \$400.

Presbyterian Bazaar Corresponding Club sent twenty-three Christmas boxes last week to the boys at the front.

The annual Missionary Services in connection with the Presbyterian M. A. will be held on December 1st. Particulars later.

Orders for counter check books are being satisfactorily filled right along by the Standard—no better black leaf check book made.

The churches were re-opened on Sunday last. The services were of more than ordinary interest and the congregations were large.

The person of persons who removed a pair of rubbers from the rear of the Stappard office, will please leave same at this office before Saturday.

Protect yourself against "the Flu" by wearing proper underclothing. Mercer & Son have an immense stock for you to choose from. Call and see.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marsh, of Owen Sound, were in town on Friday last. Mr. Marsh informed us that he fully intended rebuilding the Markdale House next season.

Vandeleur C.O.F. will hold a meeting on Thursday evening, the 28th November, when all members are urged to be present. Election of officers and other business.

Although somewhat broken with showers, the fall season has been favorable for farming operations and an unusually large acreage of blowing has been done, and other work is well cleaned up.

A \$100 tree.—Mr. M. Armstrong is touring the country for twenty miles around for soft elm for his veneer mill. He secured a magnificent tree on the farm of Mr. James Sutherland, Holland township, for which he paid almost \$100 as it stood in the bush.

Selling all lines of Men's and Boys' overcoats carried over from last year at old prices at Mercer's.

Come in and order your Xmas cards now. We have some extra good ones—all prices.—Standard.

Any woman wanting a first-class Muskra coat can get one at Mercer's for less money than through the mail order houses. All sizes.

The funeral of the late James Austin Clark, who lost his life on the Princess Sophia, took place to Markdale Public Cemetery on Tuesday.

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.

The Canadian Statesman says what few towns or villages can say when it states that "Citizens of Bowmanville have never lost a dollar voted to help industries." The editor further says: "We have supported every bill submitted here for 40 years and have no regrets."

TEESWATER MAN FINED \$1,000

Joseph Waddell, a native of Germany, was fined \$1,000 for unpatriotic pro-German utterances at Teeswater. When solicited to buy Victory Bonds he admitted he had plenty of money but because he believed Britain started the war and now refused to stop fighting even when the Germans wanted to quit, he did not think much of the present Victory Loan.

NEW STYLES IN OVERCOATS AND SUITS FOR MEN, YOUNG MEN, AND BOYS.

Members can have The Standard to end of next year for \$1.00.

Farmer's Club meeting at Grove School Monday.

Get anything you want for man or boy at "Thompson's House of Value."

COL. MCFARLAND HOME. DEATH OF GORDON HILL.

Colonel and Mrs. McFarland have returned to Canada. "Frank" has received a staff appointment in Ottawa. Col. McFarland's superior executive ability for organization work has been honored in this position for reconstruction work.

The distressing news of the death of the third son of the late Solomon Hill and Mrs. Hill reached Markdale on Tuesday morning, November 19. Gordon accompanied his father some twenty years ago to Saskatchewan, when his father transferred his lumbering business to that thriving western town. Years of patient and industrious application resulted in Gordon becoming sole proprietor of this branch of the business, having purchased same from his father.

PTE. H. A. SEABROOK KILLED IN ACTION.

Mrs. Seabrook of Livingstone Creek, Algoma, received the sad news that her son, Pte. Hugh Allan Seabrook, aged 24 years, was killed in action on September 23rd. He enlisted and went overseas with the 248th Batt. Pte. Seabrook was a brother of J. C. Seabrook, who returned a year ago.

Pen Pictures From the Trenches.

By Lieut. Stanley Rutledge

Here's a "different" War Book.

NOT stories of gruesome happenings or hairbreadth escapes but other, more human, side of it.

Step with the author into real heart-interest scenes in the little French villages behind the lines. Talk through him with the peasants and with the German boy-prisoners. See, through his eyes, what underlies the war. Read the best of the letters of a whole-hearted, manly boy, who gave his life for the "cause," from the Trenches and Air Service Camps direct to his home in Fort William, Ontario.

For sale by R. L. Stephen, Turner's Drug Store and Standard office.

MEMORIAL TO OUR HEROES.

With an Armistice signed and sufficient evidence to warrant that such will bring about the Continent where peace will be declared, it seems that it is fitting and proper that we should consider and make due preparation to erect in some prominent place a permanent memorial to the gallant sons of Markdale and district who have made, so willingly and so heroically, the supreme sacrifice.

The question that we put to our readers is: "What form shall this memorial take?" The two following suggestions have already been made, namely, a drinking fountain, or a monument with the Canadian holding aloft the Standard.

Suggestions will be gladly received and duly chronicled in this paper, without names. When it is deemed necessary to appoint a committee to decide, such will be done through the proper channel.

All suggestions should be addressed to The Standard, and marked "memorial."

CASUALTIES OF EUROPEAN NATIONS.

The casualties of the European nations during the war are estimated as follows:—Germany, 6,900,000; Austria, 4,500,000; France, 4,000,000; Britain, 2,200,000; Roumania, 200,000; Bulgaria, 200,000. With unestimated casualties of Russia and others not included in the above list, the estimate of the total casualties of the war are 26,000,000 men.

America's casualties in the war, made public up to the hour of cessation of hostilities, totaled 69,420. Of these 12,460 were killed in action. Thousands more have been killed, wounded or captured, and it probably will be many weeks before the final list is compiled.

COOK'S CHURCH NOTES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1918.

MORNING—"Christian Character," its inspiration, power and glory.

EVENING—"Germany's crime, the world's verdict and the restitution demanded of civilization." This is the first of a series of talks arising out of the birth of the new world.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m.

J. Thurburn-Conn Minister



THE LATE GABRIEL LEE

A memorial service was held in the Methodist Church Sunday morning last for Pte. Gabriel Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee of the 24th line of the township of Euphrasia who was killed in action on August 28th last. He was 21 years of age when he was killed on October 12th.

Pte. Lee was born in the township of Euphrasia in the year of 1895 and spent his life on his father's home. He became a soldier. He enlisted at Markdale January 1st, 1917, with the 21st Green. After some training at Owen Sound he embarked for overseas on May 25th, 1917, and even further to the front at St. Martin's, Shorncliffe, until the following November. In France he became a machine gunner. In the heavy fighting, among the heaviest and most persistent of the war, commencing July 1st and lasting until the enemy's surrender, he fell mortally wounded.

Besides the sorrowing parents the following brothers and sisters were left to mourn their noble dead: George, of Oak River, Man.; Robt. and Wm. John, of Wadena, Sask.; Bonanza McLean, of Hawarden, Sask.; David, of Markdale; Howard and Elmer Alex. Brothers-in-law in France: James Dunn, at home; Mrs. S. Ward, Markdale; Mrs. W. C. Dillon, Timpkins, Sask.; and Mrs. C. Hutchinson, Euphrasia.

The memorial service was conducted by Rev. A. P. Stanley, taking as his text Heb. 11:38, "of whom the world was not worthy."

The Ebenezer congregation withdrew their service and joined with Markdale in the memorial service.

The following is a letter to Mrs. Jane Lee, R.R. 2, Markdale, from the Minister of Militia and Defence for Canada:

Dear Mrs. Lee—I desire to express to you my very sincere sympathy in the recent death of your son, Pte. Gabriel Lee, Canadian Expeditionary Force, who, in sacrificing his life at the front in action with the enemy, has rendered the highest services of a worthy citizen.

The heavy loss that you and the Nation have sustained would indeed be depressing were it not redeemed by the knowledge that the brave comrade for whom we mourn performed his duties fearlessly and well as became a good soldier, and gave his life for the great cause of Human Liberty and the Defence of the Empire.

Again extending to you in your bereavement my condolence and heartfelt sympathy, I am, Yours faithfully, S. C. McWhburn, Minister of Militia and Defence for Canada.

In Memoriam

Lines in affectionate remembrance of Pte. Gabriel Lee, Markdale, Ont., who fell fighting for his Country, August 28, 1918.

None to his rest is our loved one,
None in his youthful bloom,
A devoted son, a faithful friend,
A hero, brave and true.

At his country's call he answered,
With willing heart and hand,
He fought for right and justice,
For peace on sea and land.

But now he lies in Flanders,
His work on earth is done,
With aching hearts we say farewell,
'Till we meet in our Eternal Home.

Shall we for whom he battled,
And gave his life to win,
Ever forget that sacrifice,
Ever let his memory dim?

And now the conflict is over,
Right has triumphed as of old,
Hearts are aglow with gratefulness,
To God, and heroes bold.

OVER \$3,000 FOR GREY.

The Victory Loan howling success. Subscribed in Grey County district was \$2,192,000, was raised as a Crown flag won and the C received.

THREE OWEN SOUND AWARDED MILITARY MEDALS.

Three Military Medals awarded to Owen Sound for word received from the Ontario are Sgt. J. J. Stewart, all for missioned officers.

(Grey) Battalion, and residing in Owen Sound is the eldest of Mrs. Henry Christie, France for about a year has been wounded in the Canadian Army.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15th.

TO THE METHODIST PEOPLE

Dear People,

It is recalled at the coming of a new year that Monday night to hold the Anniversary service for the 40th anniversary of the Methodist Church in Markdale. It is a day of remembrance for the many who have gone before us, and a day of prayer for the living.

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