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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

...plentiful and prices

...Wallace, of Shelburne, ...day or two last week.

...ing is now in full swing ...pense tho' below aver-

...Wm. C. Thomas are ...ch visiting in Hamil-...ad.

...n National Railways" ...which all govern-...in Canada will be

...orders on the Toron-...hway during the past ...Commission to plant ...of trees.

...ion Railway, owned ...ared another dividend ...ing for the year $57.- ...on the investment.

...of the family of ...of Melancthon died ...the week, two sons, ...and a daughter aged

...in the Methodist ...sted to arrange for ...1919 forthwith. ...A. Jackson, pew

...sering the purchase ...ambulance at an ap-...$300 to replace ...drawn vehicle pur-

...road commis-...County Council, ...Boyd are in Ham-...looking into road-...for Grey County.

...Licenses.—I have ...Department Auto-...1919 and there-...issue same on ...and fee.—Geo. ...Grey, Owen ...$2—86

...Standard, under-...of W. B. Bur-...its 10th year ...another. The ...18 months of ...is senior pub-...and a young

...Aid will hold a ...all Friday, Feb. ...red for sale ...also all ...Supper will be ...Adults 35c. ...Burritt, Sec., ...sident.

Women's Institute ...Social in the ...day, February 14, ...be given, assist-...Sharpurp-Conn and ...Markdale and the ...Eugenia. Lunch ...25c and 15c. 85-6

...A large ship-...only 25-lb ...Grener. Special ...eral topic, etc. ...than the old ...prices on 3 ...early and se-...H. KNOTT.

...a White Sewing ...Kentner's Music ...will be pleased to ...wonderful machine ...phonographs and ...Miss Foy has ...store to make sales ...for same.—J. C. 85-7

...lately re-...San Francisco to ...pastorate of a ...says: "Oh, ...continue to be the ...and quiet Sun-...days are the es-...of church-going, ...your police, your ...if the church is ...be protected ...alized Sunday ...more I see of the ...church-going, loose ...conjugal infelici-...conditions among ...dance-halls, ...houses, the more I ...native land a continu-...blessings of a Christian ...allied churches."

Mrs. W. D. Mercer is in town from Owen Sound.

Mrs. Graham is visiting her father, Mr. J. W. Ford.

Miss Beard and Miss Purvis are in Toronto this week attending Millinery openings.

When you feel uneasy in your spectacles, don't hesitate to call and see us. Examination free.—J. Lucas.

Groceries, flour and feed, in Ennis old stand; car of feed just arrived, bran, shorts, flour, feed, Sampson and cracked corn.—J. J. White.

The ladies of Christ Church wish to thank all who so generously contributed to the Cake Sale last week. The proceeds amounted to over $36.

Mrs. Dunn, late of Fort William, and sister of Mrs. Rowe of this place, underwent an operation in Owen Sound this week for a serious intestinal trouble.

Go to McKennitt's for your flour at right price: Bonnie Belle flour $5.75; Red Rose flour, $5.60; groceries selling at cost; coal oil 23c. per gallon.—R. McKennitt, Chatsworth.

Owing to extra pressure on our columns this week we are compelled to crowd out a quantity of advertising and considerable reading matter, which we will endeavor to have appear next issue.

The High School hockey boys played a real live game with Flesherton on Dundalk rink last Wednesday evening. The score was 5—0 in Markdale's favor—getting pretty fast, eh? A number of the Markdale girls accompanied the boys to Dundalk.

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

Mrs. W. A. Armstrong underwent an operation in Owen Sound hospital on Sunday last for appendicitis-abscess. The operation was successful, and Mrs. Armstrong's many friends will be glad to learn that she is making as good progress as can be expected.

Sheriff T. I. Thompson, of Owen Sound, died on Sunday last, after a prolonged illness. He was in his 54th year. He was a prominent citizen, a hardware merchant, and had represented North Grey in the Dominion parliament, and had been Mayor of the town.

The annual meeting of Markdale High School Board, was held on Monday evening last when Mr. W. J. Hamilton was elected chairman, Mr. John Varty, Vice, and Miss E. E. Matson, Sec.-Treas.; Messrs. J. E. Matson and A. Jackson were appointed property and purchasing committee.

Mr. G. M. Anderson, who was a much respected resident of Markdale 40 years ago, a carpenter and builder, but has since resided in Toronto, New York, Manitoba, Vancouver and California, spent a few hours in town last Friday calling on old friends after thirty-five years absence. Vancouver is now his home.

Miss Glenn, of Glen-Charles, Toronto, Canada's Hair Fashion store, will be in Markdale, Tuesday, Feb. 18, at the Revere House, with a full line of ladies' and gentlemen's hair goods. If you are not satisfied with the appearance of your hair, consult Miss Glenn who is an authority on Hair Goods and individual hair styles. Free demonstration.

The Presbyterian Guild met last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Murdoch. There was a large attendance. Miss Leslie, 1st V. Pres., occupied the chair and conducted the meeting. Mrs. Geo. Kinney read the Scriptures and Mrs. Brown sang a solo. After several items of interest were dispensed with, a short address on "the power of the pen during the war" was delivered, and a prize offered for the best synopsis of the address, the result of which will be intimated at next meeting. Some interesting literary studies were suggested, e.g.: The power of the poet and his poetry; the hymn writer and his effect on devotional exercises; the importance of literature in natural life, etc. The meeting was very instructive and enjoyable.

MEMORIAL QUESTION

An enthusiastic and well attended meeting was held on Friday night in the Council chamber, Reeve Boyd presiding. In his opening remarks he referred to what is being done by the various municipalities in this County. Public sentiment was strongly in favor of the community memorials, and he considered it up to Markdale to act in line. A discussion followed which was frank and showed an earnest desire to have a suitable and substantial memorial in Markdale. It was unanimously agreed that a monument be erected, the site yet to be selected, and a committee of three was appointed to look into the matter, ascertain the probable cost, and report to the next meeting. The press was requested to make it known that the intention is to take in all territory which makes Markdale its market town. Judging from the tone of the meeting we may look for activity and generosity in this commendable movement.

THE FAIR

At the 1918 wind-up meeting of Markdale Agricultural Society it was generally thought it would be almost impossible to make the 1919 Fair a greater success. Such seems not the case. Thoughts of new features are continually working on the brain of President Halbert and his staff, and Secretary Shepherdson is hard-at-it too. They seem to be accepting "Now is the Time" as their motto, which is a brilliant idea as it will afford opportunities for discussions and exchanging of opinions, from time to time. Finally the BEST plans will be adopted and every effort set forth to carry all out to the highest possible standard.

THE PRIZE LIST this year will be a real new one, better than ever before. Note that the prizes are different to those of other rural Fairs. ALL CACH. The Baby Beef entries will be a feature "worth while." The prizes to be offered in connection with the School Children's Parade will be amazing, while the program of amusements will be second to none. Extra special arrangements will be made to feed the multitude, after which the best procurable talent will be in the Armouries to favor all with an entertainment of the highest order. We have also heard something about special bands supplying musical numbers almost continually, the quality and order of which will be a great and pleasant surprise for everyone.

A ticket selling contest is being waged this week, and those who do not buy will be missing the chance of a lifetime. In addition to a member's ticket admitting member and lady to the Fair and allowing them to exhibit at same, it will also entitle them to the full benefits of the At-Home the Society is to hold at some future date. Be ready for the ticket sellers when they call.

The dates for the Fair are set as Tuesday and Wednesday, October 7th and 8th, and the Society will undoubtedly be favored with astounding success for 1919. Boost it!

We must have all display advertising in not later than 4 p.m. Monday.

MARKDALE PUBLIC SCHOOL

FORM IV.

Sr. 4—Edna McHugh, Ella Lee, Irene Wiley, Edith Armstrong, Muriel Walker, Eva Teeter, Herbert Henry, Fred Stephenson, Helen Sullivan, Lucille Stephenson, Annie Galbraith, Ladella Brown.

Jr. 4—Margaret Noble, Dixon McFadden, Ivan Perkins, Edwin Marson, Willie Lee, Jean Walker, Mary Thompson, Burrows Heard, Willie Whitney, Gordon Neely, Leland Foster, Dorcas Purvis, Eva Lee, Wilfred Levi (Absent).

Wm. C. Murray, teacher.

ROOM III.

No. on roll 36. Average attendance 33

Sr. 3—C. Bowes, (h) J. Curry (h) D. Boyd, I. Armstrong, H. English, A. Stanley, E. Roberts, E. Gibson, H. Bowes, M. Thibaudeau, E. Henry, J. Sullivan, E. Perkins, A. Jackson, F. Crowston, M. Teeter, V. Hockley, M. Summers, F. Matthews, A. Galbraith, H. McCutcheon.

3 jr.—D. Hare, A. Sullivan, M. Dundas, A. Lee, M. Noble, K. Halbert, L. Kelly, M. B. Hockley, M. Hockley, J. Irving, A. Henry, G. Hicks, C. Stephenson, G. Henry, G. Coleman.

F. M. Chisholm, teacher.

FORM II.

Class 11 (a) above 60 per cent.—J. Wells (h), C. White (h), J. Sullivan, M. McEachnie, I. English, M. Crowston, O. McLaughlin, M. Perkins, E. Roberts, F. Armstrong, S. Rowe, J. Ritchie, R. Teeter, W. Lee.

Class 11 (b) below 60 per cent.—L. McEachnie, E. Hare, L. Holley, H. White, W. Erskine, F. Henry, B. Alton, C. Stoddart, I. Morwood, J. Noble, E. Noble, R. Gibson, L. Morwood, P. Carter, W. Pedlar.

Class 1.—A. Hockley, H. Alton, L. Cawthorne, R. McCutcheon, M. Sullivan, D. Stephenson, I. Curry, E. Curry, M. Leggette (equal), E. Baird, A. Wright, E. Roberts, D. Stephens, P. Wright, B. Dundas, C. Stoddart, G. Dennison, E. Foy, A. Wells.

No. on roll 48. Av. attendance 42.

S. L. Hare, Teacher.

WODEHOUSE SCHOOL

4—O. Lawson, B. Ward, E. Cherry.

3 sr.—E. Thompson, I. Hutchinson, L. Ward, P. Lawson, F. Gibson.

3 jr.—C. Willcock, H. Hutchinson, R. Lawson, V. Ward.

Sr. 2—H. Fawcett.

2 jr.—E. Gibson.

1 sr.—F. Woods, B. Hutchinson.

Pr.—D. Wiley, S. Ward, V. Wiley, R. Fawcett.

Della P. Abercrombie, Teacher.

S. S. 11, ARTEMESIA.

4 sr.—N. Genoe, A. Bowles, G. Blair, J. Hislop.

3 jr.—D. Magee, E. Sewell, M. Hislop.

3 jr.—A. Bowles, A. Sewell, W. Doverall, C. Neely.

2 sr.—L. Sewell, C. Boland, V. Neely, M. Boland.

1 sr.—D. Boland, A. Hislop, V. Boland.

1 jr.—E. Graham.

M. Plewes, Teacher.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

We extend a cordial invitation to the citizens of Markdale and surrounding country to the opening of our

OPTICAL ROOMS

In our new quarters. You are welcome to inspect, examine and compare not only our appliances for the testing of sight, but our prices for glasses.

Our optical room is equipped with all the most modern instruments and sight testing appliances known to science for the refraction of sight, and with our twenty years of practical experience give us the only and proper knowledge for the exact examinations and tests which are demanded to-day.

Have your children's eyes examined often. Many a child has been handicapped all through life with poor eye sight.

Form the habit of regularly consulting our Optical Department. Examination free.

J. H. STEPHENSON
OPTOMETRIST

There has been considerable "stage talk." Why not. We certainly need one. In fact one active, reputable citizen says there is nothing our town needs more than a real good stage, as it would be of interest to everyone—churches, schools, Agricultural Society and every other Society or organization, as well as every person who attends gatherings of any nature in the Armouries. The M.D.S. has been asked to put on a play in aid of same, and have almost decided to do so. Why not have the new stage ready for our Fall Fair Concert?

Nesbitt's can now supply bran shorts and Five Roses flour in any quantites.

AVOID COUGHS and COUGHERS!
Coughing Spreads Disease
SHILOH
30 DROPS STOPS COUGHS
HALF THIS FOR CHILDREN

When You Think Of
Tobacco
Cigars
Cigarettes
Cases
Holders
Pipes
Pouches
think of
MORRIS' BARBER SHOP

We Examine Eyes Scientifically
We have the latest and most approved apparatus for accurate eye testing.
J. LUCAS Optometric Optician

Farmer's Account Book
This book is as complete as we can make it. There is a place in it for everything you plant, raise, buy, sell, have on hand; with a summary of the year's business.
It puts your farm on a business basis.
It is free to Farmers. Call or write for a copy.
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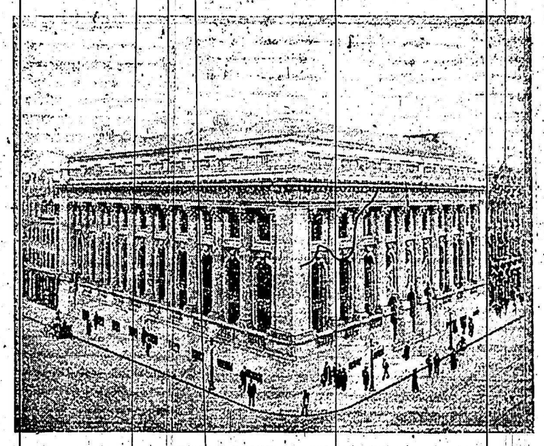
THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA
Head Office: Montreal. Established 1864
H. H. LUCAS, MARKDALE BRANCH, Manager.
Safety Deposit Boxes To Rent.

OPPORTUNITY



HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO

THERE are great possibilities for the progressive farmer who avails himself of the facilities afforded by a bank. Increased capital means increased production; increased production means increased profits.

We supply capital for productive purposes. Are you anxious to increase your output in grain, stock, dairy produce, or any other form of agricultural activity? We shall be glad to furnish the funds necessary for the realization of your ambition. Come in and talk over your plans.

W. L. Young, Manager - Markdale Branch

THE BANK OF TORONTO
Incorporated 1855
Capital [illegible]
Reserve Funds [illegible],625,623