

# The Markdale Standard.

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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Provincial Hydro reports the best year in its history.

C. C. Keener, of Orangeville, was in town on Monday.

Mr. J. C. Smith has sold all his straw recently advertised.

Misses John Friel and John Moran paid business trip last week.

Miss N. Armstrong left on Tuesday morning for Toronto, where she has a social position.

Miss Mabel Schell returned home last week after having spent a couple of weeks with friends in Toronto and Markham.

"Hearts of the World" was good, but considerably inconvenient was caused by delays in collecting war tax etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McClocklin and family of the 4th line, Glenelg, visited Mrs. C. W. Rutledge last Friday. Miss McClocklin stayed over for a few days.

Mr. J. E. Mason spent over Sunday in Owen Sound on his way to Tara on his annual business trip in connection with the store of F. T. Hill & Co., Ltd.

Two teams, belonging to Messrs. William McDonald and George Blythe broke through the ice and were downed last week.

The regular meeting of the Cherry Grove Farmers' Club will be held in the school house on Monday, March 18th at 8 p.m. All farmers invited to attend.—Wm. Dickie, Sec'y. 89\*

Mr. and Mrs. John Hewitt, Massie announce the engagement of their only daughter, Alma Vilette, to Mr. J. Ernest McKinnon, of Sydenham, the marriage to take place early in March.

Attend the lectures on tractors and gasoline engines to be given in the Agricultural Office on Monday, March 18th, 1.30 p.m. and 8 p.m., and Tuesday, March 19th, at 10.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths 25c per insertion. Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam Notices, 50c per insertion. In Memoriam poetry, 10c per line. Engagement announcements, 25c.

The regular meeting of the Harkaway Farmer's Club will be held at Harkaway school on Friday evening, March 7th, at eight o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested as business of importance is to be transacted.—A. J. Rae, Sec'y. 39\*

Mr. D. J. Reilly, Barrie, motored across the country last Thursday to Shelburne, where he was joined by Mr. Geo. Bewick, also Serg. Major Duffie of Shelburne, his cousin who is on his return from the front, and the three came by C. P. R. and visited Mr. T. H. Roburn here.

At the Presbyterian Guild meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Smith twenty-four were present. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Kinney read the Scripture and Mrs. T. Tuck and Mrs. P. Sims sang. Mr. Conn delivered a short, interesting discourse on the "Hymnal." The President, Mrs. Brown, presided.

Mr. E. L. McLaughry has returned from Eastern Ontario where he has spent the last two months lecturing at Short Courses in Agriculture, conducted by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. He reports a good time at Ottawa Winter Fair. He says that Eastern Ontario's livestock is of a poorer quality than that produced in Western Ontario, which cattle and horses carried away most of the first prizes.

When you are needing flour, come up to Chatsworth where you will get your flour at the right price. Walters Falls flour—Bonnie Belle flour, \$5.75 per bag; Red Rose flour, \$5.60 per bag; Meador flour—Ideal and Five Lift flour, \$5.75 per bag. Groceries selling cheap. As usual, satisfaction guaranteed in every purchase.—R. McKennitt.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER  
GREY COUNTY  
I have taken out an auctioneer's license and am prepared to meet the demands of the public in this capacity.  
Farm Sales a Speciality  
F. A. BURNSIDE  
Licensed Auctioneer - Grey County

Read Mrs. Robt. McCullough's sale adv. on page 4.

The M. D. S. purpose giving a play in the Armouries on Friday, March 21st.

For Sale.—One good Holstein cow, five years old, giving a good quantity of milk.—Enquire at Standard office.

There is no guess work in our method of testing your eyes. We have the most modern instruments procurable and the knowledge necessary for their intelligent use.—J. Lucas, Optometric Optician.

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

Those parties who have not settled their accounts with R. McKennitt, please pay your account to Merchants Bank, where I will receive a correct statement of same. Thanking all who have paid. Yours, R. McKennitt, Chatsworth.

JUST ARRIVED.—A large shipment of stock food. 60 only 25-lb. pails of special hog fattener. Special horse tonic, also general tonic, etc. While they last at less than the old regular price—special prices on 3 and 5 pail lots. Call early and secure your supply. H. KNOTT.

The correct place to draw the line between pay advs. and free news items is sometimes difficult to determine by correspondents and others. Announcements of gatherings where a collection is taken or an admission fee charged is in the advertising class and a fee of ten cents a line is charged for each insertion, while all PAST events are considered news, and a report of such goes free.

25 YEARS AGO.  
Items of General Interest Taken from the Standard files of

March 8th, 1894.  
Messrs. T. B. White, P. McCullough and Charles Pye have been appointed license commissioners for East Grey for the ensuing year.

An Adv. of 25 years ago.  
WHY IS IT that Mathews makes the BEST HARNESS? Because he has had 40 years experience. He buys the best leather, employs the best of workmen to manufacture it, and possesses enough grit not to be under-sold; and he also has the largest stock to choose from. Thanking my numerous customers for past patronage and extending a cordial invitation for continued trade, respectfully,  
Thomas Mathews.

ENDOWED BEDS ESTABLISHED  
Through the generosity of the late Mr. James McLenaghan of Toronto, two more Endowed Beds for Consumptives have been established, one at the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, the other at the Queen Mary Hospital for Consumptive Children. Mr. McLenaghan, who left a large estate, also remembered other Charitable Institutions.

Since the beginning of the year, the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives has been notified of five other legacies of various amounts.

SOUR, ACID STOMACHS, GASES OR INDIGESTION  
"Pape's Diapepsin" neutralizes excessive acid in stomach, relieving dyspepsia, heartburn and distress at once.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress, due to acidity, will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest stomach sweetener in the whole world, and besides it is harmless. Put an end to stomach distress at once by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia, or any stomach disorder caused by fermentation due to excessive acids in stomach.

BUY W.S. SAVINGS STAMPS  
We must have all display advertising in not later than 4 p.m. Monday.

## THERE IS A DIFFERENCE

When Ma is Sick, she goes right on a-doin' things. She's quiet, though, not much to say. An' sometimes laughs and even sings. But then it's just a kind o' spell. She'll be all right to-morrow, sure. A good old sleep will be the cure. An' Pa he sniffs an' makes no kick. For women folks is always sick. An' Ma, she smiles, lets on she's glad. When Ma is sick it ain't so bad.

When Pa is Sick, he crawls in bed an' puts and grunts out does all kinds of crazy stunts. He wants "Doc" Brown an' mighty quick.

For when Pa's ill he's awful sick. He gasps and groans, an' sort o' sighs. He talks so queer, an' rolls his eyes. Ma jumps an' runs, an' all of us. An' all the house is in a bustle. An' peace an' joy is nigh to be scarce. When Pa is sick it's something fierce.

"Dinna Forget" the date of the Scotch Concert, Friday, March 7th. Methodist church, a splendid program is prepared and Mrs. W. Buchanan, a Scotch reader of Ravensha, has been secured for the evening. Admission 25c and 15c.

STRAVED ANIMALS  
The law regarding strayed animals is very strict, and we fear many people know little or nothing about it. If an animal strays to a farmer's place, it is his duty to at once advertise the fact in his local paper three times. He must also care for the animal and should the owner turn up, the latter must pay for the advertising and any other reasonable expense the farmer may have incurred. Should the animal not be claimed in due time, the Township Clerk should be notified, and it is that official's duty to sell by public auction, the proceeds of which all expenses are deducted and the balance (if any) deposited in a chartered bank. Should the owner ever turn up, this balance is paid over to him and the whole matter is closed. Neglect to carry out the law, as above set forth, leaves the finder of the animal open to serious legal consequences.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.  
The Mission Circle gave a splendid Missionary program at League a week ago Tuesday night. Pearl Whitney was leader. Rachel Artley read the Scripture and Lucile Stephenson, Alean Clark, Kathleen Roche and Mrs. Cook also contributed to the program. Members of the circle answered to the Roll Call by giving a verse of Scripture beginning with "F."

The congregation heartily welcomed home Signaller Lucas Welsh at the Sunday morning service.

Mrs. Jos. Armstrong kindly invited the W. M. S. to her home for Thursday afternoon. A profitable program is being prepared.

Prayer Meeting Thursday night at Mrs. Wm. Jackson's, Main Street.

Mrs. D. J. Henry's Sunday School Class of young men have had the photos of the soldier members of their class framed and placed in the class room.

DIED  
DULAN—In Glenelg, on Tuesday the 4th March, 1919, Mrs. Mary Dulan. Funeral on Thursday at 8.30 to St. John's cemetery.

CALL AT STANDARD OFFICE.  
(From Chatsworth News.)  
While in Markdale recently, ye editor called at the Standard Office and spent a very pleasant hour with Editor Rutledge and his staff. We had often heard that The Standard had one of the best equipped country offices in the country and as we're always on the lookout for tips for the business, we investigated. When, after a few minutes chat with members of the staff we spoke of the up-to-date equipment the newest addition to the plant—the Linotype was pointed out to us and we were told that that machine was virtually the whole equipment as nearly all the work in the office, newspaper and job, was done on the machine. Mr. Ricketts, the foreman, showed us over the plant and finally brought us to the Linotype, which he caressed as tenderly as if it were a creature of flesh and blood and a member of the weaker sex. A few minutes demonstration of the machine proved that the salesman had told us the truth when he said that the Linotype knew as much as a man. The Standard is to be complimented on the new addition to the workshop and Mr. Ricketts can easily be forgiven for the tenderness of his caresses. We'd be inclined to handle the little beauty in the same way if we had "her" in the office of The News.

## PRESENTATIONS

On Friday evening, February 21st, about sixty neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery gathered at their home and the following address was read and presentation made, to which Mr. Montgomery responded in a few fitting words.

Dear friends,—Having learned with regret that you are about to leave our community, we have assembled here this evening to spend a social hour and say good-bye ere you leave for your new home.

We, therefore, on behalf of those who have co-operated with us ask you to accept this mantle clock as a token, but slight in itself, but yet expressive of the good wishes of your many friends here. Be assured that we will always welcome you back to Orange Valley and we sincerely hope that your future years may be crowned with health, happiness and prosperity.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors, C. R. Moore, W. G. Coburn.

Orange Valley, February 21st.

About two hundred friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laughlin recently to spend a social evening before leaving for their new home at Cherry Grove.

The evening was spent in games and dancing till the "wee sma' hours" of the morning. The following address was read by Miss Kathleen Binas:

February 20th, 1919.  
Dear Mr. and Mrs. Laughlin,—  
We, your friends and neighbors, have assembled here this evening to spend a few hours with you ere you take your departure for your new home. It is with feelings of sadness that we have met here because we realize we are losing neighbors who have endeared themselves by kind acts and leads to the members of the community in which you reside.

You will be greatly missed here for we have always found you true friends and willing to lend a helping hand in every time of need, and we felt we could not let you leave our midst without expressing in some tangible way our appreciation of your kindness by asking you to accept these chairs as slight tokens of the good wishes of your many friends at Harkaway, and that God's richest blessing may attend you in your new home.

Signed on behalf of your many friends and neighbors.—Sandy Atcheson, Lloyd Lyons.

METHODIST CHURCH EUPHRASIA CIRCUIT  
Next Lord's Day:  
Victoria church, 10.30 a.m.  
Epping church, 2.30 p.m.  
New England church, 7 p.m.  
Subject—"A Prince and a saviour" (Commemorating the death of William of Orange, March 9th, 1702).

THOS. LANE, Pastor

COOK'S CHURCH NOTES  
SABBATH, MARCH 9, 1919.  
MORNING—"The Prince of Promises" or "The Pledge of God."  
EVENING—"The Life that now is"—a critical study.

Guild Monday evening at Mrs. M. Beard's at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Literary." "Old Songs that are ever new," first Vice-President responsible. All Welcome.  
Rev. J. Thurburn-Conn, Minister

MARKDALE METHODIST CHURCH  
REV. A. P. STANLEY, Pastor  
Mrs. J.H. Dundas - Musical Director  
Sunday 4 p.m. Service - Eleven  
Sunday 11 a.m. Service - Seven  
Sunday School and Bible Classes:  
P.M. Two-Thirty  
Prayer Meeting, Thursday, eight p.m.  
W. M. S., first Thursday, three p.m.  
Ladies' Aid, first Tuesday, eight p.m.  
Mission Circle, 2nd Tues., eight p.m.  
Mission Band, 2nd Sunday, 3.30 p.m.  
Epworth League, Monday, eight p.m.  
Ebenezer Appointment  
P.M. Two-thirty

AUCTION SALE  
Of Clydesdale horses, grade cattle and farm implements.  
At lot 22, concession 2, Euphrasia, Heathcote, Ont. on  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12th, 1919.  
ROBERT DIXON KERR, Proprietor.  
JAMES A. MYLES, Auctioneer.

## OWEN SOUND 4, MARKDALE 4

In a fast game of hockey played on Owen Sound ice with Owen Sound's best seniors the old time Markdale team played them to a tie 4-4. The game was fast considering the condition of the ice.

For Owen Sound Matheson and Brown were the best, while everyone on the Markdale team played good hockey. The "Old Timers" have a little of the old "pen" left yet and will play the Owen Sound team here on Monday, March 10th.

—LINE-UP—  
Markdale—C. Staples, H. Mercer, Mercer, P. Keller, W. Burnside, A. Plewes, subs., Varty and Yorke. Owen Sound—Douglas, Matheson, Mitchell, Brown, Purdy, Struthers, sub., Matchett. Referee, J. Herbert.

If you want good bread get a bag of Five Lily or Lily White Flour. Prices right. F. A. Burnside.

WALTERS FALLS AGRICULTURAL BOARD IS SATISFIED WITH "PULL TOGETHER"

A very enthusiastic meeting of the Board of the Walters Falls Agricultural Society was held on Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of the 1st Vice-President, R. Howey, and adopted the same old slogan, as they have had the last few years "Pull Together." When we say "pull together" everybody is aware that a team that pulls together can out more than a team you have to get out and help by pushing, also a team that pulls together you do not need any "punch" on them, so the directors of this Fair think by staying with the same old slogan they can lead the 1919 Exhibition go down in history of the Society the same as the 1918 and that it will be said on all sides it was the best Fair held in Walters Falls for twenty years.

Furthermore it was conceded on all sides of us that Walters Falls had the best Agricultural Fair held in Northern Ontario last Fall and if the business meeting of Saturday afternoon and evening is any indication the 1919 Exhibition will be a head of last Fall's Exhibition.

The two directors, Mr. John Heighway and Mr. Robert Howey gave a very interesting address of their trip down to the Convention, which was very much appreciated. It was again decided to hold another contest, but of a different nature. Two captains were appointed, Mr. Robert White and Mr. Russell Thom, and after choosing up the board, the side collecting in the most money from tickets, Field Crop entries and Cash Specials would be the winners and the losers would have to put up the supper for the Board and their wives, and husbands of the Lady Directors. This contest will be a "hum dinger" as each side is confident of winning. The different committees were appointed for their respective work and you just watch them canvass and raise the prize money for their special line of work. There is also another stimulant for hard work, Mr. Robt. Howey is again offering a new

hat to the person who sells one hundred tickets or over. Mr. Thos. Findlay, the Secretary, is also offering a new hat to the member who sells the most cover forty, barring himself, which is also going to host our Fair next Fall. It was also agreed to stay with the Children's Exhibit and make the prizes bigger and more of them, so the children of different schools will know they will have their share next fall, as usual, to compete at our Fair, and in no small way help to make it a success. Thus, Findlay, the Secretary, was appointed in charge of this exhibit and anybody wanting any information can get it by applying to him. The two members of the board collecting in the most money will be the ones to get the trip to the Convention next winter.

The new President, Mr. J. Beings, showed up well and it could be plainly seen that he just has been taking notes of the procedure, as everything went off in the same old way—everyone "pulling together."

A very pleasing event was the presentation to the Hon. President, Mr. Sam Marshall, by the Secretary of an address of appreciation, nicely prepared and framed. Mr. Marshall, in a few well chosen words, expressed his thanks to the Board for their kindness and said he would always have the interests of this Society at heart.

Mrs. Howey, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Murray and Miss Morrowson invited the Board to go down and partake of a very tasty repast which was enjoyed by all and at which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Howey for their kindness in asking the Board and rest, and then everybody said "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and after a couple of hours spent in some speeches and donations, one of the best meetings ever held by the Society to a close by wishing success to our 1919 Exhibition.

When the Boys Arrive  
What form will the presentation take? Many are giving special products, others watches or silver rings. All strive to give something that will be lasting enough to be prized in the years to come.

One thing we know if it's a "Stephen-on" watch, a "Stephen-on" ring, or a "Stephen-on" medal, neither the donor, nor the wearer, will ever have cause to be ashamed of it.

BRING YOUR FIVE TROUBLE TO US.  
J. H. STEPHENSON  
—Jeweller and Optometrist—

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

Fires Break Out  
and flames break in. Don't risk the first, or invite the second, by keeping money in the house.  
Put it in The Merchants Bank, where it will be safe from loss—always available—and earn interest at highest current rates.

THE MERCHANTS BANK  
Head Office: Montreal, OF CANADA, Established 1864.  
MARKDALE BRANCH, H. H. LUCAS, Manager.

THE BANK OF MONTREAL  
Paid-up Capital - \$5,000,000 Reserve Funds - \$6,625,623  
INCORPORATED 1855  
Your banking business invited. Complete facilities and satisfactory service provided. Every banking requirement given careful attention.  
W. L. Young, Manager  
MARKDALE BRANCH  
Assets \$100,000,000