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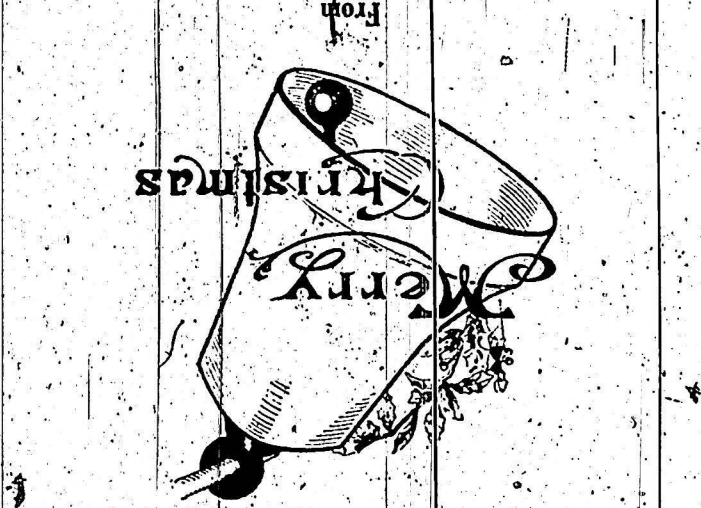
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Seasons Greetings

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dry Wood for sale.—Apply to T. H. Reburn, Markdale. 221f

Heavy winter overcoats for men at \$15.00.—P. J. Thompson.

To look your best for Xmas get that hair cut and shave at Cummings.

Thompson's is the headquarters for Stanfield's unshrinkable underwear.

Dry wood for sale, immediate delivery. Orders also taken for green wood, winter delivery.—L. G. Campbell. 221f

Jake Zener pays highest cash prices for all kinds of Furs, Best Hides and Sheep skins. Cash paid for dressed fowl. 241f.

Get your skates sharpened at Jackson's Garage. Also all kinds of automobiles overhauled during winter by expert mechanics. 29-32

A very important sale of Short-horns is being held to-day, Wednesday, at Mr. S. J. McKnight's, Epping. Report next week.

The annual Christmas Tree Concert of Zion Sunday School is to be held on Christmas Eve and a splendid program is being prepared. Admission 25c.

Just arrived at Mercer's—Coat Sweaters and Pullovers—for girls, sizes 26 to 36; also men's fine coat sweaters "Monarch Knit" in the newest colors.

The Presbyterian Guild will give a Masquerade Carnival in the Markdale rink on January 7th. Prizes will be awarded. Skating from 7.30 to 11.30. Refreshments served. Remember the date.

For Pianos, Organs, Columbia gramophones and records, violins, sheet music and White sewing machines, go where the crowd goes.—Crowston's Music Store, Markdale. 12

Markdale S. S. Christmas Tree entertainment will be held on Friday evening, December 19th. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 28-9

The renewing period for "Standard subscriptions" is now on. Your prompt attention to this matter will very much oblige.

Court Vandelup C.O.F. will meet Monday, December 22nd. Oysters will be served. Members please bring lunch.—G. E. Waring, C.R.; C. B. Boland, F. S. 28-9

The person, from near Berkeley, who got the wrong bunch of grain bags at Walker's chopper, Markdale, some time ago, branded "Mr. McAssey," will please return them to the mill as soon as possible.

Extensive Sale.—T. J. Morrison, lot 35, concession 2, E.G.R., Glenelg, will hold a clearing credit sale on Tuesday the 30th December, of farm stock, and implements, including his entire herd of Registered Shorthorns, cows, a calf, heifers and young bulls, headed by the choicest bred sire "Proud Claret" No. 99142, also one four-year-old Holstein cow, eligible for registration. Sale at one o'clock sharp. See bills for terms.—Charles Shewell, Auctioneer. 29-30*

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Miss Lulu Allison is home on a visit.

Annual school meeting the last day of the year.

Boarder's Wanted.—Enquire at the Standard office.

Mr. Adams, of Toronto, is here to assist C. E. Madden at the "movies" for a while.

Mrs. (Dr.) Campbell fell on the slippery street here last Saturday and broke her arm.

Fur Sale (cheap).—A good second-hand skating outfit, boots, skis, and Equipe at this office.

The Presbyterian Guild has purchased a splendid lantern which will be in operation Monday night for the first time.

Mr. F. A. Freeborn and wife, of Carleton Place, visited Mrs. P. J. sister, Mrs. S. H. Wright and other friends recently.

Mr. George Pedlar and family moved last week to Durham where Mr. Pedlar has accepted a situation in the furniture factory.

W. N. Burnside will assemble you skating outfit. Skates put on foot properly. Give him a call.—A. H. block, next door to Morris' Barber Shop.

Mr. H. W. Wilson, of the west bar line, recently bought a fine year-old Shorthorn bull at Owen Sound, which was unloaded here last Saturday morning.

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Messrs. Borinsky & Yankoo, of Stouffville, were in town last week and purchased part of the property, formerly owned by the late Alex. Lyons, situated near the depot. They will use the large brick residence as a creamery. The necessary machinery is now on the way, and they expect the creamery to be in full swing in the course of a couple of months.

Berekeley L.O.L. No. 176 held their annual meeting on Tuesday, December 2nd, when the following officers were elected for the year 1919: W.M. Thos. Wiggins; D.M. John Walker; Chap. Wm. J. Black; Rec.-Sec. R. A. Crawford; Fin. Sec. Andrew Gillespie; Treas. Andrew Ritchie; D. of C. W. J. Walker; 1st Lect. G. J. McNeely; 2nd Lect. W. J. McJeddon; 1st Com. Man., W. G. Campbell

Presbyterian Guild.—A very pleasant evening was spent Monday last at the Guild meeting held in the church. Mrs. Morrison gave a splendid paper on the Missionary outlook. Some slides were shown in connection with Christian work in China, Mrs. Hart explaining the history of each. Mrs. P. T. Tack sang very effectively a Missionary solo. Light refreshments were served. The attendance was good.

NOMINATION NOTICE.—A public meeting of the ratepayers of the Village of Markdale, will be held in the Public Library at 7.30 p.m. on Monday, December 29, 1919, for the purpose of nominating property qualified persons for the offices of Heavy and four Councillors; also three fit and proper persons to fill vacancies in the Public School Board of S.S. No. 1 Markdale. Should a poll be required it will be opened on Monday, January 5th, 1920, at 10 o'clock a.m.—Johnson Lucas, Clerk. 28-30*

Mr. W. N. Burnside, who has been with Mr. W. J. Bowes here in the hardware, tin-smithing and plumbing business for the past nine years, has opened up a similar business of his own in the Artley block, the former Mrs. Heard restaurant, and he is prepared to look after your requirements in the way of tin-smithing, re-straightening, all kinds of furnace work, plumbing, etc. All repair work a specialty. He will keep a supply of piping, pumps, sinks, etc. When in need give him a call. He guarantees satisfaction.

Charlie Chong wishes all his customers and friends a Merry Xmas and Happy New Year.

BORN
JACKMAN—At Dafeo, Sask., on Sunday, December 7th, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jackman (nee Miss Nancy E. Irwin) a son.—John Charles.

Methodist Church

The Anniversary Services will be well attended, despite inclement weather. Rev. G. R. D.D., Chairman of Owen Sound, preached two times upon stewardship and the Epworth League next Monday, 22nd, Christmas program.

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