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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Yesterday was St. Valentine's day. Lent commences Wednesday, the 1st of March.

Men's Suits, regular \$25. value, on sale at Thompson's for \$16.

Mr. J. C. Wright, of Proton Station, was in town on Friday.

Mr. Bert Jackson made a business trip to Toronto on Monday.

Hanover Council gives a \$500 grant, annually, to their band.

Band at the Rink on Friday of this week, instead of Thursday.

Mrs. Dr. Brown has returned home, after a week's visit in Toronto.

Miss Mae McDonnell, of Dundalk, was a visitor with her sister, Mrs. Edward Walker.

Miss Leila Varty, has returned home, after spending the past two months in Toronto.

Mr. J. E. Sewell, of Cobalt, was a visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sewell, in town.

Edison Amberola Phonograph Records are now sold in Markdale by J. A. Crowston, Music Dealer.

Miss Mary Mercer returned home after spending two weeks' holidays with her aunt, Mrs. S. Hyppig, in Toronto.

Special at Mercer's this week.—New Prints, Gingham, Galateas, Chintz, Shirtings, Calard Voiles, Silks and Crepes.

The Ladies' Aid, of Harkway are holding an Oyster Social on Thursday, February 16th, afternoon and evening, in the Community Hall. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

The Kimberley Ladies' Aid will hold their Annual Bazaar on Thursday, February 16th, afternoon and evening, in the Community Hall. Supper, 25 and 15 cents.

Teacher.—Why is the present generation less vigorous than their predecessors? Pupil.—Our predecessors had oatmeal porridge and the family bible for breakfast; now it's corn flakes and Eaton's Catalogue.

AGENCY.—Manufacturer of high class Flavorings wants local agent. Must have best of references. No Capital required. Splendid opportunity for lady or man of ability. Write Box 2465, Montreal.

Orange Valley L. O. L., No. 509, was represented at the Annual County Meeting in Dundalk last week by the following members: W. A. Gibson, W. J. Sutherland, W. Davis, J. W. Gibson, Elwood Bowles, W. J. Beatty, G. W. Littlejohns, J. L. Irving, Carter Irwin. Harold Hutchinson represented Vandeleur Lodge.

A quiet wedding took place at the Mansie, Markdale, on Monday evening, February 13th, 1922, when Miss Mary Watterson, daughter of Mrs. Mary Watterson, became the bride of Mr. Wilfred Leitch, of this place. Rev. J. Thurburn-Conn performed the ceremony. Numerous friends wish the young couple many years of happy wedded life.

A couple of weeks ago we copied an item from the Owen Sound Sun-Times, which stated that H. H. Morris, of Presque Isle, had lost several head of cattle by overfeeding with sweet clover. This is not so. The cause of the death of the cattle was the feeding of mouldy sweet clover. The same might result from mouldy feed of any description.

Mr. H. J. Wilton, of the Merchants Bank staff, has recently received from the Director of Military Records at Ottawa a Diploma from King Albert, of Belgium, and the decoration, Belgian Croix de Guerre. This is a distinction won by but few Canadians and is a recognition of his services in attacking with his gun for eight hours after the other members of the crew had been killed.

Col. Belcher, of Southampton, is trying to promote a Railway. Power, Light and Construction Company in the Counties of Huron, Grey, and Bruce. The proposed routes comprise a line from Warton to Owen Sound via Hopworth and Shallow Lake; a line from Port Elgin to Southampton and Tara to Chatsworth; a line from Kincairdine, through Fiverton, Gilmis Palsley and Chesley through to the C. P. R. at Teeswater, thence to Formosa, Walkerton and Hanover.

Mr. T. H. Reburn went to Toronto this morning on business.

Miss Robson, of Peterboro, is a visitor with Mrs. Wm. Mann.

Boys' Overcoats, regular \$18.00 value, on sale at Thompson's for \$12.50.

Subscriptions for the Christian Guardian taken at The Standard Office as usual.

Men's Heavy Wool Ribbed Underwear, regular \$1.75 value, on sale at Thompson's for \$1.00.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White, of Heathcote, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. M. Armstrong, this week.

Mr. W. G. Lee spent a few days on business in London and other Western Ontario business centres.

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

Mrs. H. H. Lucas, in company with her mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Knechtel, of Hanover, is on a holiday trip to Bermuda.

British Columbia Salmon or any other variety of Fresh or Salt Fish at Haskins and Johnson's for 12 cents per pound. pd.40-1.

Those wishing to get in on the 20th club for the Sentinel, at \$1.50, should come along before the 20th of February. Standard Office.

A memorial service for the late Mr. Chas. Fothergill, sr., will be held in the Markdale Anglican Church on Sunday next, February 19th, at 11 a.m.

Big excursion to Owen Sound on Monday, February 20th. Warton vs. Markdale Hockey Match. Markdale boys say they are going to bring home the Redmen's scalps or die in the attempt!

Second hand and new sewing machines for sale. If your old machine is not working just right, bring it in and I'll put it in first-class working order. W. G. Thomas, Markdale, Ontario. pd.40-1.

Another business change has taken place in Markdale. Elder & Son have disposed of their blacksmithing business to Mr. R. McMillan, a young man whose home was formerly at Eureka. The new proprietor is now in charge.

Mr. Chas. Fothergill, an old resident of Euphrasia Township, passed away early Saturday morning last. Interment was made in Markdale Cemetery on Monday. A more extended obituary notice will appear next week.

Mr. Kendall Glendenning, of the Parry Sound Canadian, was a visitor in town on Tuesday. He is the son of Mr. W. H. Glendenning, and grandson of Mr. H. Glendenning, who in the '90s, was principal of the Markdale Public School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crone arrived in town on Friday evening and, for the present, will occupy the residence of Mrs. S. E. Hill. Mr. Crone took charge of the F. T. Hill & Co. store on Monday morning and is again getting in touch with the purchasing public in Markdale. For the past ten years he has had charge of the firm's store at Highgate and has been exceptionally successful. Mrs. Neely, sr., who resided with Mr. and Mrs. Crone, has gone to Whitby for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Neely.

Mr. Daniel Knechtel, of Hanover, has made an offer to the town Council that he will purchase the J. S. Knechtel residence at a cost of \$10,000 and present it to the town along with \$5,000 in cash. If the Corporation will undertake to supply the balance of the cost of alteration and equipment, to make it into a first-class hospital. It is estimated that \$1,000 will be sufficient to add to Mr. Knechtel's gift, in order that Hanover may have the hospital. Citizens such as Mr. Knechtel are worth while.

A business change of importance took place in Markdale last week. The hardware business conducted for some years by Perkins & Mann has been purchased by Wm. Mann and will be continued by him. Mr. Perkins has not decided as to his future, but it is hoped that he may continue to reside in the Village. His position as handmaster is one which would be almost impossible to fill at the present time and the Village cannot afford to be without a hand. That the business will continue to be successfully conducted there is no doubt.

Don't miss the big hockey game in Owen Sound on Monday, February 20th, Warton vs. Markdale.

Another set of new XXX Sleights on the way. Anyone wanting same should call and see them before they are painted. Jas. Barron, Markdale.

The Rev. J. Thurburn-Conn will preside (as Moderator) at Owen Sound Presbytery to-day (Wednesday), to moderate in a call to Rev. Mr. Scott for Warton Church.

The Annual Meeting of the Marne Chapter, I.O.O.F., was held at the home of Mrs. W. D. Henry on Wednesday evening, February 8th. The Regent presided. The meeting was opened by the singing of "The Maple Leaf." The Annual Reports for the year were read by the Secretary and Treasurer, showing a very successful year. Six new members were enrolled. The Chapter decided to give three hundred dollars to the Mortuary Memorial Fund. The meeting closed by the singing of the National Anthem, after which Mrs. Henry served refreshments.

The officers elected for the year 1922 were as follows:

Regent—Mrs. C. E. Armstrong.

Hon. Regent—Miss Mann.

1st. Vice Regent—Mrs. L. G. Campbell.

2nd Vice Regent—Miss H. Matthews.

Standard Bearer—Mrs. J. C. Mercer.

Secretary—Mrs. T. S. Cooper.

Treasurer—Mrs. T. H. Reburn.

Treasurer's Report.

Money raised during year \$173.40

Balance on hand from last year 151.80

\$324.20

EXPENDITURES

Memorial Tablet placed in Library \$166.30

Material Bazaar, Cake Sale's expenses, etc. 31.85

Donation Navy League 25.00

Jenana Bible and Medical Mission 5.00

Extra Chapter expenses 6.00

Child Welfare Work 8.25

Balance on hand 81.80

\$324.20

E. M. Reburn, Treasurer.

Having braved the storms and driven through all kinds of roads as the Rural Courier of No. 6 Mail Route for eight years, resigning at the end of 1921, your patrons hereby beg to present this purse, of fifty dollars, as an expression of appreciation for the many acts of courtesy and accommodation you have so willingly performed, often with no little sacrifice. We all regret the absence of your cheery calls, but wish you every good wish. In behalf of the contributors:

Signed—Wm. Henderson

Wm. Baker

David Young

S. H. Wright

Mr. Cook desires to express his sincere appreciation of the kind token of good will from the patrons of the route and to assure them that he will always have the best of good wishes for each individual in the locality. Mr. A. Bradley, formerly of Berkeley, is Mr. Cook's successor.

Annual Report of R. R. No. 6

The following is Mr. Cook's annual report for the year 1921:

Daily newspapers 30

Weekly newspapers 155

Number of letters taken out 8598

Number taken in 4069

Number registered letters 95

Parcels carried for year 925

Stamps sold \$124.00

Cards sold \$3.50

Money Orders and Postal Notes \$2025.00

Money taken for other purposes \$1302.50

During the eight years births, marriages and deaths on the route were as follows:

Marriages 22

Births 22

Deaths 25

Again thanking my patrons for bearing so patiently with me during my term as Courier and wishing my successor every success.

Thomas Cook.

Victoria Proceptory No. 232, R.B.P., meets in the Orange Hall, Markdale, on Tuesday, on or after the full of the moon in each month. Visiting brethren always cordially welcomed.

R. A. Crawford, W.P.; J. J. Richardson, Secretary.

MARRIED

LEITCH-WATTEYSON—At the Presbyterian Manse, Markdale, on Monday, 13th of February, by the Rev. J. Thurburn-Conn, Wilfred I. Leitch to Mary Watterson, both of Markdale.

Gerard Scott

Disastrous Fire

F. T. Hill & Co.'s Flour Mill Destroyed by Fire.

The fire alarm awakened the residents of the village about six o'clock on Saturday morning, when it was discovered that the grist mill belonging to F. T. Hill & Co. Ltd., was on fire. When first seen by residents in the vicinity of the mill, the fire had made such headway as to render an attempt at saving anything out of the question. The mill had been in operation on Friday and at closing time everything was in good shape as usual. The origin of the fire is a mystery. Besides the building, a heavy stock of flour, wheat and corn, (just unloaded the day before), was completely destroyed, on which, we understand, no insurance was carried.

The building was erected by the late John Ford about 45 years ago and sold to the Hill firm about three years ago. The building had been recently repaired and enlarged and an extensive business was being carried on. The water power is undamaged and it is hoped that the mill may be rebuilt, although the Hills may not undertake its re-erection.

The burning of the mill is a big loss to the community, as it supplied a needed source of supply for mill feed and the crushing of grains. The building was insured.

Appreciation

Mr. Thos. Cook, of this place, recently retired from the position of courier on R. R. No. 6, after eight years faithful service. One day last week several of the residents along the route waited on Mr. Cook at his home in town and surprised him with the following address, accompanied by a purse:

Expression of Appreciation

To Mr. Thos. Cook.

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Markdale Library

The annual meeting of Markdale Public Library Board was held in the reading-room on Thursday evening last. The Librarian's report showed an increase of 82 new members during 1921, the largest addition of new members in one year in the library's history. The Treasurer's report showed an officially audited statement with a small balance in the bank.

Owing to the rush of patrons on Saturday evenings, it was decided to ask the juveniles to in future do their book exchanging on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, thus relieving the Saturday night congestion.

Last year's officers were all re-elected, viz: Mr. H. Mercer, Chairman; Miss M. Mann, Librarian; C. W. Rutledge, Secretary-Treasurer; Mesdames Mercer, Ego and Stephen as purchasing committee.

J. S. Shepherdson's

SALE REGISTER

Thursday, February 23rd: Estate of the late Angus Armstrong. Entire farm stock, implements, etc., and the farm property at Lot 50, Con. 3, Holland.

Wednesday, March 8th: Wm. Taylor, Lot 7, Con. 10, Euphrasia. Entire farm stock, implements, etc. (A very select offering.)

Saturday, March 11th: F. J. Curry, Markdale. Choice bred Shorthorn Bulls.

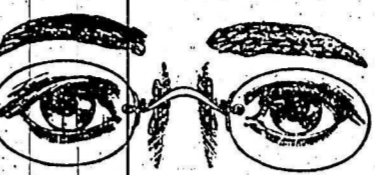
Culp's Barred Rocks

At the Canadian Egg Laying Contest, Ottawa, 60 pens competing, composed of entries from all parts of Canada and the United States are demonstrating beyond a doubt, that they are real winter egg machines. One of the outstanding features is that every bird we have at this contest and several generations of their ancestors were bred on our plant at Berkeley.

Ask for more information regarding this egg producing strain.

Culp's Poultry Farm

Berkeley, Ont.



EYE SIGHT

Good health is impossible without Good Eyesight

Eye strains are the direct causes of all sorts of nervous disorders, Depression, Insomnia, Indigestion and Irritability are only a few of their bad effects. Distressing headaches are one of the most common symptoms.

Most people are unaware of their eye troubles. We will prove to your entire satisfaction that you need glasses before you are asked to buy them.—here.

J. H. STEPHENSON

Registered Optometrist

25 YEARS AGO.

February 18th, 1897.

Mr. Alex. McDuff has moved to Dundalk and is initiating in the furniture and undertaking business.

Mr. F. M. Stafford, who has been for seven years head salesman in McFarland's store here, has purchased a half interest in Chapman & Lee's general store, Orangeville.

Mr. J. E. Matson has accepted a situation in a departmental store in Toronto, where he will remove with his family.

Mrs. Joseph Lamb died on the 16th of February, aged 38 years.

Mr. Andrew Fogarty, of Glenelg died on the 16th of February, aged 66 years.

AT THE REGENT

Friday and Saturday

"BEWARE"

By Former Ambassador
James W. Gerrard

Who Was In Germany During Most Of The War, Has Revealed The Evidence Against The Hun Ruler. Trial Of The Kaiser, pictured with real facts.

Educational Comedy
"Torchy's Big Lead"

3rd Episode of the Serial
"VELVET FINGERS"

Show starts at 8 o'clock sharp. Don't Miss It.

ADMISSION:— 15 cents and 30 cents, including Amusements tax

C. E. Walden - - - Manager

SENIOR N. H. L.

HOCKEY

WIARTON vs. MARKDALE

Monday, February 20

Riverside Arena, Owen Sound

GAME CALLED AT 8:15 P.M. SHARP

SPECIAL TRAIN: Watch for Particulars Later

Admission:— Reserved Seats \$1.00; General Admission 75 and 50 cents, Plus Tax.

Reserved seats on sale at Parker's Drug Store, Owen Sound, or any Dundalk-Markdale Hockey Player.

Secure your seats early, as this will be one of the best games ever played in the Owen Sound Arena. Every body come.

GOD SAVE THE KING

F. T. Hill, President. D. A. Jackson, Secretary.

We Examine Eyes Scientifically

We have the latest and most approved apparatus for accurate eye testing.

J. LUCAS Optometric Optician

Do We Take Small Accounts?

We do more than that. We invite them—welcome them—and take good care of them. If you wish to open a Savings Account for any particular purpose—or wish to teach the children to save by having an account in each child's name—do not hesitate to do so because the amount to be deposited will be small; \$1 is sufficient to open a Savings Account, and deposits of \$1 are always welcome.

THE MERCHANTS BANK

Head Office: Montreal. OF CANADA. Established 1854.

MARKDALE BRANCH.
KIMBLEY BRANCH.
ROCKLYN BRANCH.

H. H. LUCAS, Manager.
O. T. THORNE, Manager.
J. A. McILHARRIE, Manager.

Rexall Store:— Feed your Poultry any of the following Spices: Karswood; Wodehouse; Royal Purple; Eggo; Hess'; Pratts; Coopers. Use No. 6 Disinfectant for Household, Stable, Etc.—R. L. Stephen.