

# The Markdale Standard.

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MARKDALE, ONTARIO,

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29th, 1925.

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## Anglican Church Notes

**Advent Church, Beavertown**  
The Ladies Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. R. Parks on Friday, February 6th.  
The annual vestry meeting was held last Friday, January 23rd. The duties of the choir were taken by Rev. E. L. Vignin, who opened the meeting with prayer. The minutes of the previous annual meeting were read and adopted. The financial report was entirely satisfactory, showing a neat balance on hand. It was decided to withdraw the Spade Services during the month of February owing to the very unfavorable weather. Mr. R. Clark was re-elected rector's warden and Mr. Wm. Forthright, people's warden. Mr. W. E. Bradley was re-appointed rector's treasurer. The meeting closed with prayer.

## Cooke's Church Notes

Members are reminded that the closing days for balloting are Friday and Saturday of this week, 26th and 27th, and to 8 p.m. This represents your last chance. If you don't come out to vote, don't say afterwards that you were not consulted.  
The result of the vote will be announced at the morning service on Sunday, February 1st.  
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A skating party, under the joint auspices of the Methodist League and Presbyterian Guild will be held in the rink on Monday evening, February 2nd, commencing at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents and 15 cents. Refreshments, extra.  
A meeting of the congregation of Cooke's Church will be held at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of balloting whether or not said congregation shall enter the United Church of Canada. The presence of every member is desired.  
The annual meeting of Cooke's Church, Markdale, will be held in the church on Wednesday evening, February 11th, at 8 o'clock. Following the business session, the evening will be given over to social fellowship and refreshment. Please come in mind, and make a point of being out hand.

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The Quarterly Official Board will meet in the Church Parsonage on Wednesday evening, at 8:00 o'clock sharp.  
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## Village Council

The regular meeting of the Markdale Council was held on Monday, January 26th. All the members present.  
The following Municipal Officers were appointed for the year: Trustee, V. F. Mercer; Clerk, J. Lucas; Assessor, J. G. McEuff; Auditors, S. L. Hare and B. Bradey; High School Trustee, Dr. J. A. McArthur; Public Library Board, Mrs. R. L. Stephen; Board of Health, T. H. Wilson; Constable, A. McCutcheon; Fence Viewers, T. Whitten and W. Burnett; Secretary, Waterworks, J. Lucas.

## Grey County Poultry Breeders Make Good Showing at the Laying Contests, Ottawa

Standing of pens for the 11th week ending January 16th, 1925:  
Pen 38, W.L.L. G. S. Dundas, 328 eggs  
Pen 35, W.L.L. G. S. Dundas, 327 eggs  
Pen 32, W.L.L. G. S. Dundas, 289 eggs  
Pen 34, W.L.L. J. C. Mercer, 244 eggs  
Pen 11, B.R. J. S. Culp, 227 eggs  
Pen 6, B.R. J. S. Culp, 210 eggs  
Pen 56, W.L.L. J. C. Mercer, 183 eggs  
Pen 5, B.R. W. J. Johnston, 153 eggs  
Pen 123 eggs.  
High hen, J. S. Culp, No. 51, 58 eggs; G. S. Dundas, No. 331, 56 eggs.

## County Warden

Owen Sound, Jan. 27.—Thomas R. McKenzie, Reeve of Artemesia, was chosen as Warden of the County of Grey at the inaugural meeting of the Grey County Council this afternoon. Only one vote was necessary to ensure the election of Mr. McKenzie, although there were two other candidates, Reeves Horn of Normandy and Miller of Ephraisa. Reeves George A. Bothwell of Sdenham, W. W. Smith of Shallow Lake and Robert White of St. Vincent were nominated, but declined. The new warden has seen 17 years' service in the County Council, and has served as chairman of several of the most important committees of the Council. He is 65 years of age, a Presbyterian, and a conservative, and has resided in Artemesia Township all his life.

## Orangeville 7—Markdale 2

Markdale lost at Orangeville in an intermediate hockey game on Tuesday evening by the score of 7-2. As goals on the round are to count it will be hard going for them to overcome a five goal advantage in Markdale in order to win the group.

## The Markdale Market

Week of January 26 to 31, 1925:  
Ducks ..... 13c. to 18c.  
Geese ..... 16c. to 18c.  
Chickens ..... 14c. to 24c.  
Poultry ..... 12c. to 18c.  
Turkeys ..... 25c. to 30c.  
Butter ..... 28c. to 30c.  
Eggs ..... 35c. to 45c.

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## Bridge - Ecclestone

A wedding of much interest to Markdale and surrounding district took place in Guelph, Wednesday, January 22nd, at 2 p.m., at the home of Rev. Todd, 82 Suffolk Street, when Olive May, only daughter of Mrs. Ada Ecclestone, Osprey, Ont., and the late Mr. Ecclestone, was married to Charles O. Bridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bridge, Birmingham, England. The gown of brown satin with shoes to match, and were a large bouquet of sweetheart roses and lily-of-the-valley. The groom's gift to the bride was a platinum bar-pin set with diamonds. After the ceremony, the wedding party dined at the Blue Tea-rooms, after which the happy couple left immediately for a two weeks' trip before returning to their home in Cleveland, Ohio. The bride wore a handsome Hudson seal wrap and gold lace hat as a going-away costume.

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Mrs. McLachlan, who was a daughter of Mr. Hugh McKinnon, South Glenora, and besides her husband and daughter, Marie, aged four years, she leaves five brothers, Archie and Donald in Saskatchewan, Malcolm in Regina, and Charles and Lachlan at home, and two sisters, Sarah (Mrs. John Jones) of Saskatchewan and Belle (Mrs. Hector McLean) near Bellefleur. Another sister, Hannah, (the late Mrs. John Scott) predeceased her a few years ago.  
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## Holland District L.O.L. and Royal Scarlet Chapter Elect Officers

The Holland District L. O. L. met in the Lodge Room at Holland Centre on the 14th of January, and elected the following officers:  
W. M. W. J. Black,  
D. M. A. C. Stewart,  
Chaplain, Lorne Crane,  
Rec. Sec., Wm. E. Hampton,  
Fin. Sec., Geo. Hanna,  
Marshall, Harry Jackson,  
Treas., A. Gillespie,  
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Copy of letter from the Bishop of the Diocese to the Rector and Congregation of St. Matthias' Church, Berkeley.  
Dear Brethren:—Once again it gives me great pleasure, as I feel it my duty, to thank all those congregations which paid in full or overpaid their Budget Apportionment in 1924. In that "Honor Roll" your contribution is numbered. Would that all the congregations in the Diocese could be so inspired. Yours is the satisfaction of having measured up to what was expected of you and of having done your part to enable the Diocese to meet its obligations to the Widows and Orphans, the Missionary Clergy and the Superannuated men of this Diocese, and also its obligations to the great Missionary work of the Church in the West and the Foreign Field. In short yours is the joy of duty done. That is your chief reward, and in itself may be sufficient reward. Nevertheless we feel that it is only right to express to you our great appreciation of your loyalty, goodwill and generosity, and of the splendid example which you are setting to the rest of the Diocese. Well done, good and faithful servants. May every blessing attend you and your work in this year in which you have entered. Believe me, yours faithfully, David Haron.

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By order of Council, H. H. LUCAS, President.

## Death of W. J. Benson

W. J. Benson, who was born in Markdale, died on Wednesday, January 22nd, at his home, in his sixty-second year. Mr. Benson had been a resident of Toronto for the past 12 years, and was a general merchant. The late Mr. Benson was born in Markdale, where he received his education and started in business as a merchant. At 30 years of age he left Markdale and was in business successfully in Dundas, Sheffington, Cherry Grove, Owen Sound and Indian Head, Sask. In 1923 he received and since lived in Toronto. He was a member of High Park Methodist Church, and was a popular member of the High Park Bowling Club, where he took a keen interest in bowling and curling. In 1905 he married Miss Agnes Henry of Owen Sound, who survives him. Three sisters and two brothers also survive: Mrs. E. H. Eastman of Los Angeles; Mrs. E. H. Woods of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Jas. S. Row of Brantford; T. E. Benson, Los Angeles; and R. H. Benson, St. George's, Ontario. The funeral service was held at his late residence at 8 p.m., Friday, 27th, following the arrival of the noon train. Rev. Mr. Bovee conducted the burial service in the mortuary chapel. Messrs. R. H. Benson, body from Toronto; D. Campbell accompanied the pallbearers, Mr. Dundak.  
The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. Ego, J. Johnston, F. Mercer, A. Smith, S. Halbert and S. Mahar, Owen Sound.

## Married

Mrs. Ada Ecclestone announces the marriage of her daughter, Olive May.

## Ontario Educational Association Meeting

A meeting of the Artemesia Township Trustees Association will be held in the Town Hall, Fleisherton, at one o'clock on Wednesday, February 4th, when Rev. W. M. Morris, secretary of the O. E. A., and Dr. Jamieson, M.P.P., will address the meeting on educational matters. These men, along with other speakers, are well informed on this subject, and the meeting will be, no doubt, very interesting, and should be well attended.

## Farm Help Wanted

Farmers requiring help for the Spring season or year 1925 are requested to apply at once to H. A. Macdonell, Director of Colonization and Immigration, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Ontario, or to the agricultural Representative of the County in which they reside.  
Applicants should state whether they require experienced, partly experienced or inexperienced single men, or experienced married men, length of time services will be required and rate of wages.  
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By Authority of the Honourable John S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture.

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## CHAMPIONSHIP HOCKEY MATCH

Orangeville vs Markdale  
IN MARKDALE RINK  
Friday, January 30  
Game called at 8:00 o'clock  
As this is the final game for the Championship of this group, both teams will win, and the winner goes into the Semi-finals. Red and Whites and victory sure.  
ADMISSION: 35 and 25 cents.  
D. A. JACKSON, Secretary  
R. L. STEPHEN

## Auction Sale of Farm Stock

**Fri., Jan. 30**  
**H. L. Douglas**  
LOT 131, 2nd CON. WEST OF THE & S. R.

**35 Sheep**  
**60 Sows & Store Pigs**  
**35 Cattle Cows, Yearlings and 2-year olds**

The stock offered for sale is all in the best condition.

## SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK

TERMS: All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 12 months' credit on approved joint notes or 7 per cent. off for cash.

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REXALL DRUG STORE—Rexall tasteless extract of Cod Liver Oil Compound with Extract of Malt and Hypophosphites—a tonic builder for both old and young people.—R. L. STEPHEN.

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## Wild Talk

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