

H. MERCER & SON, Markdale

SPECIALS FOR JUNE

Men's and Boys' Peanut Straw Hats 18c.
Boys' Shirt Waists, all sizes, natural colors 95c.
Men's Fine Dresses, Shirts, colors white, mauve, peach and natural with separate collars, in Tafetine \$2.75 and \$2.95.
and broadcloth at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$2.95.
Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$18, \$20, \$22, \$25, \$30.
Men's Khaki Pants \$2.00 and \$2.50.
20% off all Ladies' Spring Coats.
Lingham House Dresses, \$1.00.
Holeproof Hosiery, all the new colors \$1.00.

SPECIAL BARGAINS—In Owington and Running Shoes for Men and Boys, Ladies, Misses and Children.

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Corn Flakes 10c. per package
Corn, Peas and Tomatoes 2 cans for 35c.

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We want your cream, and will pay you the highest prices.

When you want our cream collector to call on you for cream, phone us and we will be at your service.

To secure bigger returns bring your cream to us.

Commencing June 1st, all cream and eggs will be taken in at the creamery where all business will be transacted.

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Markdale, Ont.
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We Examine Eyes Scientifically

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

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(Special to The Standard.)

Quilting

The quilting of the autograph quilt which the Ladies' Aid of the church which she made, will be held on Wednesday evening of June 17th. After the quilting refreshments will be served. A special invitation is extended to all the ladies' aiders.

Garden Party

At Mountain View Farm, the comfortable abode of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carruthers and family, a garden party will be held on Wednesday evening of June 17th under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church. There will be games and other amusements. Tea will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which a program will be given consisting of Music, Recitations, etc. One special feature of the program will be a play entitled, "Dr. Care-all," which we think will be quite interesting. Come on, it's a good time! Admission is only 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Patricia Morgan gave a birthday party to a number of her friends on Saturday, May 25th, and all present wished the party many happy returns of the day.

Mr. W. E. Morgan, accompanied by Mr. Douglas Wilson, Toronto, went on a fishing excursion to Sam Lake over the 24th. Miss Nellie Hoy of Toronto, returned to her home here.

Miss Edwin Purvis, who has been visiting friends here, for the past month, returned to Toronto this week.

Misses W. Mae Armstrong, Will Wettin, John W. McLaughlin and John Justice of Toronto visited with the McKee and Partidge families here for a few days.

Mrs. Laveny and son, John, of Toronto visited Mr. Robt. Purvis here.

Mr. and Mrs. Waller, and sons, Robert and Edward, and the latter of Toronto were recent visitors with the former's brother, Mr. John Williams, and family.

A number from here attended the Telephone meeting at Feversham last week.

Mrs. Lucy and her family left for their new home at Nagara Falls one day last week. We hope they will like their new home and wish them success.

Messrs. Albert and Chas. Williams, Robt. and Chas. McMillen, Burton Carruthers, Elbridge and Lee Betts and sons attended the races at Palley on May 23rd.

Rain is what we wanted and we certainly got a heavy shower Monday day. The roads are now all well drenched and the orchards are a mass of bloom, which makes little money picture scenes in our little village.

The crops are beginning to grow and the recent rain will help them greatly.

The people of Euonia were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Jas. Armstrong of Kimberley. Mrs. Armstrong had been a widow for a good length of time. Interment took place in the cemetery on Saturday afternoon. There was a large funeral cortège by motor. Besides her surviving husband, she leaves to mourn her loss five daughters, Mrs. J. Walker (Janie), Cataract; Mrs. Irwin (Maggie) Heathcote; Mrs. W. Plant (Teressa) Kimberley, and Mrs. and Mrs. John Williams, and two sons, Alister and West, at home. Mrs. Armstrong's maiden name was Miss

Traverton

(Special to The Standard.)
The homes of Mrs. M. J. Davis and Mr. E. Bryan were struck by lightning during the storm on Monday evening.

Mrs. John O. Greenwood and family spent the first of the week at Mr. Arch. Beaton's, Buxton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cook, son Clifford, and Miss E. J. Allan, motored to Toronto on Saturday morning, visited

the city on Saturday afternoon, and returned Sunday evening.

Mr. I. J. Peirce has a big task this week reshingling his barn.

S. S. No. 5 are holding a "bee" on

Friday afternoon of this week to level and beautify the school grounds.

A happy wedding took place in Toronto on Tuesday evening of last week, when Miss Jessie Bell Beaton, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Beaton of the 4th became the bride of Mr. Homer Tuck of Toronto, a member of the teaching staff of the city. Their honeymoon was to Ottawa, Montreal and other points east.

Mr. and Mrs. Beaton were down at the ceremony. Old classmates and friends hereabouts extend best wishes.

Just as day was breaking on Friday morning last, the McMillan's pioneer fathers, Mr. Peter Watson, passed peacefully away at the home of his son, David, on the 3rd, at D.R., where he and Mrs. Watson have lived the past few years.

We mistake not, Mr. Watson was born in Scotland and in early years, the family settled in Egremont.

There he grew to manhood and at

years ago was most happily wedded to Agnes Pringle; she survived him along with eight of the fifteen children born to them. The members of

the family surviving are Peter at

Winnipeg, David on the 3rd con-

tinued; Adam, New Ontario; Robert

Medicine Hat; Ellen (Mrs. Walker);

Durham; James, Irish Lake; Harold

on the old homestead on the 8th con-

tinued. Henry, in the employ of the Durham

Sand and Stone Co.; and Bella (Mrs. Jas. Anderson), died some years ago.

Besides the members of the family,

there are thirteen grandchildren and

several great grandchildren. Over

the years, Mr. and Mrs. Watson

moved from Egremont to Glenelg and both were apted for their industry,

hospitality and staying honesty. The

deceased was an adherent of the

Presbyterian faith and the services

on Sunday afternoon were conducted

by his pastor, Rev. W. W. Smith.

The funeral was very

large one, friends being present from

Proton, Princeville, Egremont, Dur-

ham, Markdale and the township over.

Mr. J. P. Fallaize is down to Tor-

onto for a week and will attend the

Dental Graduation exercises of the

Theodore, being one of the graduates.

Mr. Angus McIntosh and his sis-

ter, Miss Maggie of Dorchester

were visiting from Proton.

Mr. Edward Corrie of New Jersey

was a visitor at the home of Mr.

Ab. Teeter at the close of the week.

John Edwards had a 7-year-old mare

on Thursday of last week fromague indigestion.

On Monday evening of this week,

his vicinity saw a severe gale

which raged for a space of years.

The lightning was intense and several places were struck, but no great damage done. The hall was like chunks of

ice and scores of panes of glass are

broke and much damage to early

crop and fruit trees.

Messrs. Bill and Frank Ryan and

sister, Mrs. A. Pickett, of Detroit are

visiting at the old home on the 6th

con't.

(Hold over from last week.)

Miss E. J. Allan spent the week

at the parental home near Ches-

terton.

The windstorm early Saturday

morning was terrible during the few

minutes it lasted. It made a pretty

mess of unstacked fence posts.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip and daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bradley, of

Markdale, were visiting from

Markdale on the 11th.

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