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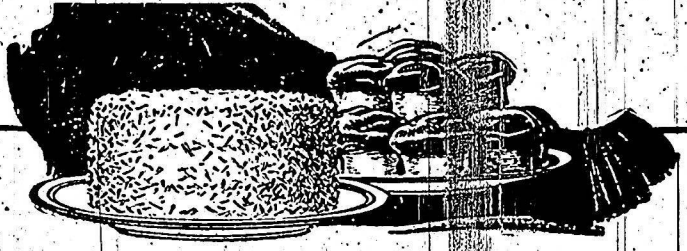
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(Special to The Standard.)
Messrs. J. H. Stephenson of Markdale and W. J. Stephenson of Watrous, Sask., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Sarjeant recently.
Mr. Alex. Miller of Flesherton was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Semple.
Mr. Wesley Atkins visited friends at Berkeley.
Mr. Geo. J. McFadden was a visitor with friends near Rocklyn.
Mr. N. B. Flarity of Owen Sound was a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke.
Mrs. Wm. Semple and Miss Jane Semple of Lady Bank spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allison.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Semple and Master Alex. were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller at Cherry Grove.
We are pleased to report Mrs. Wm. Atkins, who has been quite ill, im-

proved somewhat.
Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and daughter of Markdale visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark.
As the result of a little adv. in The Standard, Mr. Walter Tebbutt sold his valuable farm to Mr. Joseph Brodie of Markdale. Mr. Tebbutt is moving to Brodie farm at Townsend Lake. He is sorry to lose such a good neighbor, but our loss is someone else's gain.

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Eugenia

(Special to The Standard.)

Masquerade Dance
The masquerade dance held last Friday night in the Orange Hall here in aid of the Memorial Fence was a decided success. The proceeds realized were about \$35.00. There was an attendance of about 150. There were many pretty as well as comical costumes. Indian costumes of white worn by Miss Winetta McMullen and Miss Aleda Feighen were very attractive. Mrs. Ernest Morgan looked lovely in a dark costume decorated by silver stars and a moon, and also Miss McQueen in a Japanese dress. Several men were disguised in clown outfits. Mrs. Harry Forrester and Mrs. Evans wore quite novel costumes. Miss Marjorie Park and Miss Mae Carruthers each wore very pretty Scotch dresses. Very few understood that this was a box social also and the number of boxes were very limited. Lunch was served at midnight and the pleasant time broke up about 4 a.m. We must give the step-dancing special mention as there was some first-class dancing in this line by Messrs. Skinner, MacDonald, Corkill, Williams and Wauchop. We are pleased to hear that the proceeds of this dance wipes out the debt on the Memorial Fence. We must thank the Kimberley people and all those who came to make the affair a success.
Mrs. William Poole of Lady Bank, accompanied by Mr. Melville Holyroyd and wife, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Genoe recently. Mr. Holyroyd is an old schoolmate of Mrs. Genoe and she was pleased to renew acquaintances again. It is some time since she last saw him. He resides in the West now and is on a visit East.
Mrs. Evans, accompanied by Miss Reid of Durham, spent a few days with Mrs. Harry Forrester.
Miss Gertrude Greenaway of Orangeville visited her sister, Mrs. Harold Falconer, the past week.
Miss Mae Duckett has taken a position as clerk in Mr. Henry Cairns' store.
Miss Mabel Williams of Flesherton is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Turner.
Miss Robertson of Maxwell visited a few days with her friend, Miss Viola Williams.
Mrs. J. R. Mayne has returned from visiting friends in Flesherton.
Mr. Purvis is buzzing wood for Mr. Johnston, "Pheasant Island," this week.
Mr. Cardwell Graham has purchased a tract of brush and swamp near Duncan. He has sent back a gang of men to take out timber for him. Sort of lonesome place boys. Cheer up; it will soon be spring.
Mr. W. E. Morgah had the misfortune to have his dog poisoned one night recently.
Mr. J. K. Jamieson is now able to go about outside.
Mr. G. Graham is improving in health also.
Mrs. Badgerow and family, 4th Line, visited relatives here Sunday.

Flesherton

(Special to The Standard.)
Mr. Robt. Phillips of Forget, Sask., spent the past week at the home of A. Stewart.
Mrs. A. Ledes of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Turnbull.
Mr. and Mrs. T. R. McKenzie of Portlaw spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Littlejohns, Toronto Line.
Mrs. Jack Perkins and little son, are the guests of Markdale friends at present.
Mr. Robt. Irwin of Toronto called on friends in town the first of the week.
Mrs. Ramage of Chatsworth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Findlay.
Miss Rosina Dawson, who has been at Southampton for the past couple of months, has returned to town for a while.
Mrs. E. Doupe of Proton is the guest of Mrs. E. Wickens, Toronto Line.
Mr. W. J. W. Armstrong was in Toronto the past week and attended the Canadian Jewellers' Association. Revival meetings are being held in Chalmers Church here this week by Rev. Crossley and Rev. Leonard.
L.O.L. 509, Orange Valley, held a social evening at their hall on Friday evening last when the members, wives and a few invited guests were present. A good program was furnished of music, readings, singing and games. Rev. W. R. Clements of Flesherton acted as chairman and gave a well received address. Mr. T. R. McKenzie, ex-Warden of Portlaw was also present and gave an address. Refreshments were served by the ladies during the evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell of Rock Mills, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Stewart, Mrs. I. Perigo and Mr. R. Phillips, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. Osborne, North of Markdale.

Kimberley

(Special to The Standard.)
The many friends of Mr. Wilmer Turner are pleased to see him able to return home from Owen Sound & M. Hospital.
Miss Leona Heber is with her aunt, Mrs. R. Bradley.
He is sorry to report Miss Kathleen Hutchinson ill with a slight attack of appendicitis. We wish her

Cherry Grove

(Special to The Standard.)

We are pleased to report Mr. Ran Bradley, who was seriously ill with pneumonia in Toronto, recovering nicely. Mrs. Bradley left last week for the city to be with her husband.
Mr. Elmer Eagles was on a business trip to Barrie recently.
Miss Dorothy Harvey, who was ill with pneumonia, has recovered. We much regret to report Mrs. J. Webber very low at present. Nurse Graham and Miss Leona Weber are with her during Mrs. Ran Bradley's absence in Toronto.
The Box Social and Concert advertised for February 12 is postponed to February 26.
Mr. Wilfred Plant made a business call in the burg recently.
We are pleased to learn that Mr. J. E. Wyville is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.
The people of this community were shocked and grieved when it became known that Mrs. Annie Harvey had passed away very early on Monday morning, February 8. She had contracted a severe cold which developed into pneumonia, and this combined with an already weak heart, resulted as stated above. Her condition was not thought to be serious so that her death came as a greater shock. She leaves four children, who have the sincere sympathy of the whole community. Mrs. Harvey had resided here since her marriage in October, 1908, and was beloved by all for her many fine qualities. She was possessed of keen intelligence and when health permitted, took an active interest in the affairs of the community. She was Sec.-Treas. for the School Board in 1925 and was re-appointed for 1926. She will be sorely missed in the community, but especially by her family and the other relatives. See elsewhere in this issue for further particulars.

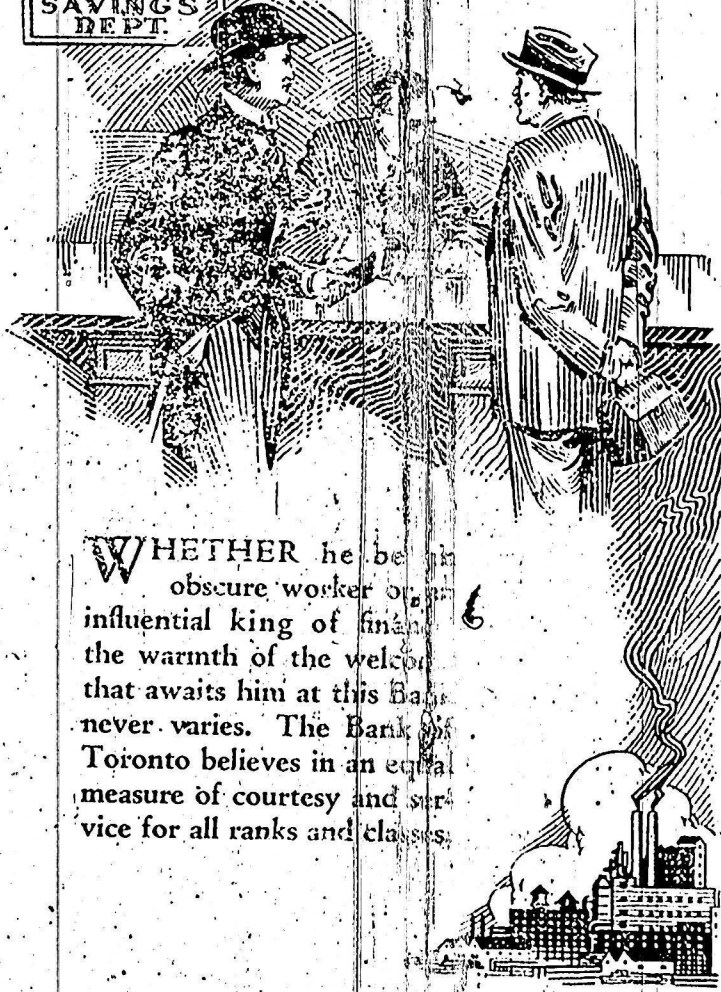
Rocklyn

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Arley and Miss Florence spent the week-end with Meaford friends. Miss Margaret is recovering from a severe cold which she received recently.
Miss Hazel Patton, Mrs. McKee and Miss Annie are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. S. Clarke, Maxwell, at present.
Miss Flora Irwin spent last week with Riverdale friends.
Professor McMullen, of Victoria College, Toronto, was the speaker at Victoria Church on Sunday last.
Mr. R. S. Clugston has been appointed assessor for 1926.
Mrs. Garnet Greenaway and children are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Curry.
The Misses Leona and Jean Boyd have returned home after an extended visit with Erin friends.
At the banquet to be held in the Lorne Hotel.
The ladies are expected as well as

Goring

(Special to The Standard.)
Mr. Clarence Shier of North Keppel has returned home after spending a few days at Mr. Ryerson Sparling's.
Messrs. Maurice Clark, Allison and Bert Parker, and Misses Pearl, Alma and Minola Parker, of Markdale High School, spent the week-end at their respective homes here.
Mr. Ernest Smart is engaged in working for Mr. Foster Clark at present.
Miss Lillian Abercrombie of Silgo was the guest of Miss Martha Wood over the week-end.
Messrs. Ben and Edwin White of St. Vincent were Sunday visitors at Mr. J. A. Parker's.
The United Young People's Valentine Social was a real success. The attendance was about seventy and everyone seemed to be out for a good time. Mrs. (Rev.) Bainboro fulfilled the duties of chairlady very acceptably and the programme opened with a hymn and prayer. The Young People then sang a "How do you do" chorus, after which a dialogue entitled "Taking the Census" was given. The rest of the evening was spent in peanut hunt, contexts, etc. A collection was taken up which amounted to \$3.65, which will help the Young People's Mission Fund considerably. A lunch was served at the close. The Young People's meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will King this week.
Miss Orlie Kirkpatrick and Mr. James Kirkpatrick jr., of Wodehouse were Sunday visitors at Mr. Archie Woods.
Mr. and Mrs. Burchill of Walters Falls and Mrs. Wm. Geddis and Wilma of Bayville visited on Sunday at Mr. H. E. Parker's.

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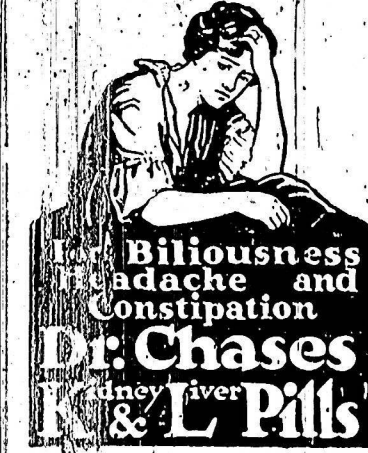
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the men; Although a gilt-edged invitation the ladies will be pleased. For our good Reeve's supporters, it was supposed to be begun. But our Reeve's deserters are foremost in the fun.

East Berkeley

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Miss Marguerite White of Rock Mills is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Gordon Steer.
Mr. Manley Steer of Markdale spent the week-end at his home here.
Mr. Donald Hinds and Miss Emma Dennison spent a couple of days at Owen Sound recently.
Mr. Rob. Johnston of Temple Hill was a recent visitor with Mr. Wm. Johnston.
The friends of the late Mr. John Johnston have our sympathy in their loss.
Mr. and Mrs. Blinn of Harkaway visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Steer.

Mrs. Jane Woyce is on the sick list, but we hope for a speedy recovery.
We have appreciated a few mild days recently, but at time of writing it is storming again.



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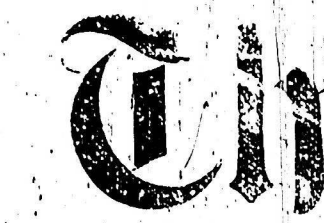
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Old Boys' Re-Union

Dear Sir—
I hope you will be one of our many who will be present at your church on the 21st inst. in connection with the Re-Union of the Old Boys and Girls of the Markdale Standard. I can assure you that it will be the most enjoyable and profitable of the many years of our lives. We will have a very fine program of music, drama, and other features. We will also have a social hour and a dinner. We will be most pleased to see you and your family. We will be most pleased to see you and your family. We will be most pleased to see you and your family.

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the FIRST of MARCH

United Church, Markdale

Children and young people are invited to attend the social hour and dinner at the church on the 21st inst.

Box Social Postponed

The Box Social advertised to take place at the Grove on February 12th, has been postponed to FEBRUARY 26th.

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