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25 YEARS AGO.

January 9th, 1902

Markdale Council for 1902 was composed of the following: Reeve, J. E. Marsh; Councillors, W. J. Shortill, John Chapman, F. Graham and J. Artley.

Glenelg—Reeve, T. McFadden; Councillors, G. E. Arrowsmith, T. Davis, P. McInnes and J. A. McMillan.

Artemesia—Reeve, D. McTavish; Councillors, A. Muir, J. A. Boyd, Jos. Gibson and G. Thompson.

Euphrasia—Reeve, J. M. Davis; Councillors, J. W. Patton, J. J. Richardson and Dan Walker. Patterson and Pringle were tied for the other seat.

Holland—Reeve, Wm. Hampton; Councillors, Foster, Murray, McIntosh and Merriam.

Born

MERCER—In Markdale, on Monday, January 10th, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mercer, a son.

Married

EDGEWORTH - ARMSTRONG—On Friday, January 7th, 1927, at Danforth Avenue United Church, Toronto, Ontario, Margaret, the youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth and the late William A. Armstrong, formerly of Markdale, to MacConnell A. Edgeworth, of Toronto; eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edgeworth, Stevensville, Ontario; the Rev. J. J. Coulter officiating.

Annesley United Church

The United Y.P.S. meets in Annesley basement on Monday evening at 8:00 p.m.

Service [illegible] 11:00 a.m. [illegible]

The Officers of the Church [illegible] appointments [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Sound on [illegible]

[illegible] Church News

[illegible] Church [illegible] Senior [illegible] p.m. Senior Girls [illegible] Home-[illegible] and 22 [illegible] work book.

[illegible] January 19th, 8 p.m. [illegible] Meeting of the Vestry and [illegible] followed by social.

[illegible] days recently [illegible] Mr. Taylor [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. R. Clugston, [illegible]

[illegible] of Monday last [illegible]

[illegible] Vancouver [illegible]

[illegible] report Mr. [illegible] Elliott [illegible] seriously ill, she having accidentally [illegible] while doing [illegible] during Mr. Boyd's absence recovering injuries to the spine.

Mr. Earl Gardiner entertained his friends to a party on Friday evening [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Harman Cook and Miss Thelma spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Cook, of Walters Falls.

Miss Elsie Yeadell left on Saturday to attend Business College in Collingwood.

(Miss Leona Boyd had her tonsils removed in Markdale on Saturday last by Dr. Carefoot and is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. F. Johnston (nee Miss Sarah May Boyle) of Sask., is renewing acquaintances in this vicinity after an absence of sixteen years.

Mrs. Torrie and son of Strathavon, accompanied by the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Clark of New Bunn, Sask., visited recently with the former's cousin, Mrs. R. Thompson, and other friends in this vicinity. Mrs. Clark remained for a few days.

Mrs. J. A. Cooke and Mrs. McCullough are spending a few days with Toronto friends.

Mrs. Robt. McClean and Miss Hazel of Bognor visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Yeadell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Taylor and family of Vandeleur visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor.

Mrs. L. Sewell and children spent a few days last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. McKenzie.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Fred Boyes in Collingwood Hospital at present.

Currants, 2 lb for 35c.
Dates, 2 lb for 25c.
Mixed Nuts, 1 lb for 25c.
Mixed Candy, 1 lb for 25c.
Mince Meat, 2 lb for 35c.
Cranberries, 1 lb for 20c.
Oranges, Bananas, Lettuce, Fruit Cake, Plum Pudding, Etc.

G. NESBITT
Markdale

Vandeleur

(Special to The Standard.)

A wedding of considerable interest to people of this community took place on New Year's Day at the home of Mr. Thomas Dudgeon, 168 Margueretta St., Toronto, when Mr. Thomas Shannon and Miss Rae Wolfe were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. James Dudgeon of Port Credit, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March. The bridal party entered the drawing room which was prettily decorated for the occasion and the ceremony was performed before a bank of evergreens and flowers. After a short honeymoon trip the happy couple returned home the following Friday evening, when quite a number of friends and neighbors gathered to give them a welcome home. Mr. Shannon is one of our most highly respected citizens and Miss Wolfe has made many warm friends during her residence in this community. All join in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Mr. Norman Genoe has returned home after spending a short time in Toronto.

Mrs. Geo. Pritchard, who has been under the doctor's care, is improving.

Mr. Robert Blair and daughter, Roberta, of Rocanville, Sask., visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Graham and family recently.

Quite a number from here attended the Short Courses being conducted by the Department of Agriculture in Markdale.

Mrs. Andrew Graham, Daysville, Sask., spent a few days with Mr. Robt. Graham and daughter, Minnie, and other friends.

The Vandeleur Young People's Society have won their debate in the first round of the Farm Youth Association Debating Series by default and now enter the second round.

Beautiful weather still continues. Sleighing is excellent and cars are [illegible] in this community, especially on the Valley Road.

[illegible] Freeman, who has been [illegible] for some time, is improving [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Eugenia

(Special to The Standard.)

BORN—In Toronto on Tuesday, January 4th, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Purvis, the gift of a daughter. We extend our congratulations. Another Conservative vote.

Mr. Thos. Taylor of Toronto, who spent the past week or so with his brother, Henry, and family, will visit for another week or so.

Mr. John Sherwood of Ceylon visited with Mr. Jas. Porteous, 8th day, and his brother, Jos., of the village here recently.

Mr. Thos. Rutledge and Mr. Thos. Strain of Northern Ontario renewed acquaintances in this vicinity. Mr. Robt. Purvis was pleased with a call from those old friends.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Will Magee recovering from her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin and family spent Friday evening of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Genoe, East Mountain.

We understand that the residence of the late J. K. Jamieson is offered for sale by his son. We wish him success in his sale of the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Porteous, 8th Line, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell on Sunday. Mrs. W. Sloan spent an afternoon last week with her friend, Miss Minnie Graham, Power House vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boyce and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell, Valley Road.

The Carruthers family visited the Parks family on Sunday.

Mr. Calvin Boyce met with an accident on Monday while working in Mr. Cardwell Graham's bush near Duncan. He received a bad cut in his foot with the axe. He was brought home and Doctor Bibby was summoned and dressed the wound, which required some stitches. This will lay Mr. Boyce off work for some time. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Elwood Partridge and children are visiting her mother and other friends in Toronto.

Sorry to report Mrs. Ernie Proctor on the sick list. Hope she may soon be well again.

Miss Gertrude Greenaway spent a few days at Mr. Will Magee's, 8th Line.

Mr. George Proctor of Kimberley is spending a few days with his son, Ernie, here.

Mr. Robert Purvis had his knees badly bruised while drawing logs home from his farm on the 10th Line. He is improving and will soon be alright again.

(Intended for last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Magee and family of the 8th Line spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoy.

Mr. and Mrs. David Genoe and daughter, Dorothy, of East Mountain sont New Year's Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Genoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lyons have returned from Saskatchewan where they have spent the past few years. They visited with the latter's sister, Mrs. Alex. Hoy.

Mr. Thos. Gilliland visited on New Year's Day with his sister, Mrs. T. Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Genoe and little son, Sammie, spent the first of the New Year with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Duckett and family, Ceylon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Phillips and daughter, 4th Line, spent the holiday with Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gordon.

Traverston

(Special to The Standard.)

Holidaying is all over; everybody is hard at work, except the fellows who won't.

Mr. Walter Clark is busy out at the Rocky on a big timber-delivering contract.

The Council Fathers were "sworn in" on Monday. They will be "sworn at" the rest of the year.

Zion's choir has experienced a boom during the last few months. They are eighteen strong, have some splendid voices among the number and practice regularly every week. On Thursday night last they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robson, and the latter, to show her appreciation and give encouragement, treated the bunch to a big dish of homemade candy.

Mr. Oren Peart had two big buzz-sawing jobs on the 4th con. on Friday and Saturday for Messrs. Herb. Allen and Hermie Burnett.

A bunch of fellows hereabouts were made happy last week when Paymaster H. McArthur settled the accounts in connection with the Bell Telephone line for work and poles.

The Davis family spent Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lawrence of Egremont.

Mrs. R. Banks of Glenroaden is very ill at present and members of the family have been called home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Atkinson and Mrs. Jas. Atkinson of Durham suburbs and Mr. and Mrs. James Atkinson of Toronto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Edwards the first of the week.

Rev. W. Coutts of Markdale had a splendid New Year's message for Zionites a week ago and a most thorough heart-stirring one on Sunday afternoon.

Auctioneer J. O'Neil was twin salesman at Mr. H. L. Douglass' big stock sale last week and has three or four more in the near future.

We were too highly stuffed with work and eating last week to write. Laughs and items were missed.

Mr. J. H. Robson was re-elected Treasurer at the school meeting; J. R. [illegible] for two years; [illegible] resignation [illegible]

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[illegible] Mr. Taylor [illegible]

[illegible] Mr. Clugston, [illegible]

[illegible] Berkeley—St. Matthias.

2:30 p.m. Church School.

3 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

This Friday, January 14th, the Ladies' Guild will conduct a Euchre Social at the home of Mrs. A. Bailey, Toronto Line, next to the church.

United Church Y.P.S.

The United Y.P.S. met in Cooke's church on Monday evening, January 10th. The meeting was in charge of the Missionary Department. Miss Mildred Noble, Convenor. The opening prayer was given by Rev. Mr. Coutts and Scripture Lesson read by Miss Mamie McLoughry. A very interesting paper was read by Mrs. Richard Noble on "The New Year." A talk was given by Mr. Cosby Bowes, taken from the study book, "India."

The Citizenship Department will put on the program next Monday night, when Mr. Cosby Bowes and Mr. Milson Henry will have charge. This meeting promises to be very interesting as the committee will not give their plans for that meeting. Come and see what they have in mind.

Miss Mamie McLoughry extended an invitation to the members of the Y.P.S. to form a party and snowshoe to her home on Friday evening of this week, where a social time will be spent. The Young People will leave H. Noble's store at seven o'clock.

Blantyre

(Special to The Standard.)

Hauling wood and pressed hay to town is the order of the day.

Mr. George Haslam of Markdale was a caller on this line one day last week.

A gloom of sorrow passed over this community when it was learned that Mrs. Walter Storey had departed this life at her home on the Ninth Line on Sunday evening, January 2nd, after only a short illness from a severe cold and other complications. Deceased, who was in her 69th year, had been a sufferer for a couple of years from diabetes, but was able to be around and her sudden death came as a shock to her family and friends. The late Mrs. Storey was a daughter of the late Hugh Smith and was born in Arran Township, near Teeson. Her [illegible] moved to Harkaway [illegible]

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[illegible] Golden Wedding is Celebrated

To have attained 50 years of wedded life is the privilege of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Paterson of Blantyre. That happy anniversary was properly celebrated at the home of the couple on Monday when there was a large gathering of relatives and close friends at the family residence. Mr. and Mrs. Paterson received the congratulations of scores of friends on the celebration of their golden wedding.

Fifty years ago Mr. Paterson took as his bride Miss Zillah Shepherdson of near Walters Falls. They were married by the Rev. Mr. Whinster and since their marriage have lived at Blantyre. Mr. and Mrs. Paterson are widely known through the county and have been active citizens all their lives. The family is widely scattered and consequently and unfortunately were not able to be present at the celebration of the 50th anniversary of their parents' marriage. The members of the family are: Mrs. R. J. Clarke, Meaford; Jesse Paterson, Blantyre; A. B. Paterson, New Orleans; J. E. and R. J. Paterson, Mobile; Dr. R. S. Bothwell, Miss. and Mrs. Cecil Charters at Roger, Sask. The first three and Mrs. (Dr.) Paterson of Bothwell were present at the celebration.

Friends and relatives took occasion to show their appreciation and esteem of Mr. and Mrs. Paterson who were the recipients of a well-filled purse of gold and an address. John T. Miller, Warden of Grey, was toastmaster at the dinner to which 60 guests sat down.—Sam. Marshall of Walters Falls read the address of presentation to which Mr. Paterson replied suitably. In the evening there were 100 guests at the reception.

[illegible] Cherry Grove

(Special to The Standard.)

Miss E. Bradley [illegible] week visiting friends in Owen Sound.

An item in [illegible] should have read Miss Gladys M[illegible] received from the Children's T[illegible] pretty number boudoir cap[illegible]

Mr. W. N. Taylor and daughters Louise, and Miss Margaret Harvey [illegible] Markdale spent Sunday at W. E. Bradley's.

Miss Ruby Sanderson of Meaford spent a few days recently with her friend, Mrs. E. Bradley.

We are pleased to report Miss Ruth Gregory improving nicely.

Miss Elva Smart spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smart, Berryhead.

The W.I. meeting held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Stephenson, of Markdale, was well attended by a large number of the members and visitors. After the usual opening exercises, had been observed, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The autograph quilt was the principal subject of discussion and it was decided that the goods be purchased as soon as possible and that each member procure thirteen names for each of the twenty blocks of which the quilt will be composed. Miss G. Miller, Mrs. A. Bowen and Mrs. Ray Bradey were appointed a committee to inscribe the names on the quilt blocks. Letters of thanks and appreciation from those who had been remembered with treats at Christmas time were read. Mrs. Arthur Bowen gave a paper, "More Leisure Time for Farm Women," which was listened to with much interest. A very sociable time was spent during the lunch hour. Those who very capably assisted the hostess in serving refreshments were Mrs. Geo. Burrell, Mrs. John Bussey and Miss Isla Stephenson. In the absence of the president the vice-president, Mrs. W. A. Dickie, presided. Mrs. J. Bussey presided at the organ in the absence of Mrs. W. E. Bradey.

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[illegible] MEETING

[illegible] Society [illegible] January [illegible] Members and [illegible] Graham; [illegible] appointed on [illegible]

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