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MARKDALE LOCAL NEWS

A Happy New Year to all.
Mr. Ivan Perklas was home from Toronto.
Send in your renewal for The Standard.
Mr. Milson Henry was in Toronto for Christmas.
Mr. Andrew Galbraith of Alliston is home on a visit.
"Don't fail to vote on the Risk question on Monday."
Mr. A. E. Colley spent the holiday at his home in Guelph.
Miss Freda Eagles is visiting with friends in Shelburne.
Mr. S. J. Halbert visited in Orangeville over the holiday.
Mr. Fred Armstrong is visiting with friends in Peterboro.
Mr. M. Smith spent a few days at his home in Owen Sound.
Miss Lorene Holley is home from Toronto for the holidays.
Mr. James Bradey spent Christmas with friends in Shelburne.
Mr. Leland Foster was home from Flint, Mich., for the holiday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Smith and family visited friends in Toronto.
Miss Olga Young, teacher in Toronto, is home for the holiday.
Miss Edna McHugh, teacher near Forges, is home for the holidays.
Mrs. M. V. Buffam spent Christmas at the parents' home in Meaford.
Misses Blanche and Jean Walker visited for a few days in Toronto.
Miss Ada Pulvis is home from her school at Pennington for the holidays.
Mr. W. D. Milner of Brampton spent a few days in town last week.
Right now is a good time to renew your subscription to The Standard.
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Galbraith and family are moving to Meaford this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnston and Beverly spent a few days in Toronto.
Miss Anna Sullivan was home from Detroit to spend Christmas with her mother.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Walden of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Walden.
Mr. A. Cunningham of Oshawa was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ritchie.
Mr. Will Heard is home from Queen's University, Kingston, for the holidays.
Mrs. Phyllis McNally spent the holiday with her son and family in Owen Sound.
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Down and children visited with Fieshetton friends.
Miss Margaret McMillan of Detroit visited her mother and other friends in town.
Miss Ladema Henry is home from her school near Orangeville for the holiday.
Messrs. Stewart and Jack Buschlen spent Christmas with their parents in Arthur.
Mr. Patrick O'Connor is home from Toronto University for the holiday season.
Miss Florence Armstrong is home from Owen Sound Collegiate for the holidays.
Mr. Ed. Miller of Hamilton spent Christmas at the home of Mr. A. McCutcheon.
Miss Ruby Sarjeant, of the Public School staff is holidaying with friends in Wingham.
Master Geo. McCallum spent the Christmas holiday with his parents in Chatsworth.
Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gillespie and little son spent Christmas with Dundalk friends.
Mrs. Edith Hutchinson is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Owen Sound.
Mr. David Lee, who is employed on construction work in Quebec, is home for holidays.
Miss Vera Magee, assistant in the Post Office at Chatsworth, was home for Christmas.
Miss Leona Mathews of Toronto spent a few days with her father, Mr. Thos. Mathews.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mathews of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sproule.
Mrs. R. S. Cumming of Toronto is a visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Foster.
Mr. W. G. Lee attended the funeral of his sister-in-law in Owen Sound on Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. Stewart Cooper and little daughter spent Christmas with friends in Toronto.
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sims and little daughter spent Christmas with friends in Owen Sound.
Mr. Geo. Killen of Caledon is a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Thompson and family.
Mr. Vernon Hockley, of The Standard staff, spent Christmas with his parents in Shelburne.
Miss Margaret Noble of Detroit spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Noble.

Misses Dorothy Hare and Rena Boydere home from Toronto Normal School for the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McKnight of Owen Sound spent the holiday with Dr. and Mrs. Angus Ego.
Mr. W. J. Messenger, of the Public School staff, is holidaying at his home at Collingwood.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dillon are spending a few weeks with the latter's mother near Rocklyn.
Mr. James Sullivan is home from St. Michael's College to spend the holidays at his home here.
Mrs. L. McCaleb of New London, Ohio, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Flewes.
Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Shepherdson of Brockville were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Mercer.
Mr. Jos. Brakine spent Christmas with his two sons at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis in Toronto.
Miss Lillian Howard, teacher in Wingham, is holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howard.
Dr. L. G. and Mrs. Campbell and Mr. H. H. Lucas spent a few days with Mrs. Lucas in Toronto.
Misses Della and Irene Brodie of Toronto spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Brodie.
Mr. and Mrs. David Allen and nephew of Durham were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyons and family.
Miss Laura Barron, of the Northern Business College, Owen Sound, is holidaying at the parental home here.
Miss Gladys McCutcheon of Owen Sound spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCutcheon.
Mrs. Jos. McCullough and Misses Gertrude and Minnie McCullough of Owen Sound visited with friends here.
Mrs. M. E. Robson and Mr. Irving Robson of Windsor were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mann.
Miss Kathleen Alton was home from Toronto to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Alton.
Misses Lily and Geraldine Matson and Mr. Edwin Matson of Toronto were Christmas visitors at the parental home.
Miss Annie McLoughry, who is teaching near Galt, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Wm. McLoughry.
Mr. R. W. B. McFadden of Brantford was a Christmas visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McFadden.
Miss Gertrude Kelley, teacher at Brantford, is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kelley.
Cecil Alton's rink, in the Revelle House sheds, was opened for the season Saturday night last and was fairly well attended.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Varty and Misses Emma and Lelia Varty of Toronto were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Varty.
Miss Dell White and Messrs. Harvey and Clifford White, of Toronto spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Matson and son, Jimmie, of Brantford spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Matson.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wiley and Margaret spent the Christmas holiday in Toronto with Mrs. Wiley's sister, Mrs. A. C. Holmes, and other friends.
Miss Margaret Dundas is home from Business College in Listowel spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dundas.
Miss McDowell, of the High School staff is spending the holidays at her home at Uxbridge; Miss Bell in Detroit and Miss Rose at Port Perry.
The Annual Meeting of the District Orange Lodge of Artemesia will be held in Fieshetton on Tuesday, January 9th, commencing at 2 o'clock p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Thibadeau and daughter, Colleen, and Mrs. Bryce of Chesley are spending the holidays with the Thibadeau families.
Mr. Alvin Kilpatrick of Toronto is a visitor with Mrs. Thos. Symos and his son and daughter, Master Gerald Fitzpatrick and Miss Beth Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Claude Smith, teacher in Hamilton and Miss Constance Smith, teacher at Uxbridge, are visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Smith.
The Services in the local Anglican Church were well attended. At Christ Church in the morning there was a celebration of Holy Communion and a large number of communicants. The Sanctuary with its white drapes was decorated with lilies and potted plants. The Rector preached from the words, "Unto you is born this day a Saviour." In the evening the whole service was thrown on the screen and the sermon, which was illustrated with lantern slides, had for its theme "Bethlehem and its lessons in values." The congregational singing of the old Christmas Carols helped to bring home, once more, the real meaning of Christmas. Miss Madge Lucas very ably presided at the organ all day. At Berkeley there was an unusually large attendance and a larger number of communicants than for many years.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Walker motored over from Brantford on Saturday and in company with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walker spent Sunday with friends in Owen Sound. They returned to Brantford on Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. P. Loucks and Mrs. Cecil Loucks of Chatsworth, Mrs. Wyvill and son, Gordon, of Vandeleur and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Loucks and family of Fieshetton were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cutting.
Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. Armstrong were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Allan of Windsor, Grace and Edith Armstrong of Alliston, Miss Caroline Armstrong of Toronto and Miss L. M. Fessant of Owen Sound.
Mr. M. V. Buffam was at Kingston last week attending the funeral of his father, the late Geo. Buffam, who passed away on Monday, December 19th. The deceased, who was in poor health for some time, was 71 years of age.
Reburn's new picture show, to be known as the Princess Theatre, will be opened to the public on Friday evening of this week. It is well equipped and will be one of the most up-to-date theatres in the smaller municipalities in Ontario.
Mr. G. F. Clark, who a few months ago disposed of his barbering business here and opened a shop in Erin, has sold out in Erin and has re-purchased the business here from Mr. Robt. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will return to Toronto.
The young people of the village conducted successfully a dance in Reburn's Hall on Christmas night, December 26th. The Midland Serenaders Orchestra supplied music. A New Year's Dance is being put on by the same young people on Monday night, January 2nd, 1928.
Annesley Sunday School presented their White Gifts to the Parents at the House of Refuge on Friday afternoon last. The boys and girls rendered a bright program of Christmas songs and suitable recitations. There was a gift for each one present and an ample treat of delicacies was served later. The Superintendent, Mr. Smith, thanked the School on behalf of the Home, in a suitable address. Following the presentation of the White Gifts, by request of the Lapslash Women's Institute, Rev. A. N. St. John distributed parcels of candy to the patients. The afternoon was appreciated by the old folks as the happy faces of the people.

Born
BURNSIDE—In Markdale, on Thursday, December 22nd, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Burnside, a daughter—Helen Gwendolynne.

Annesley United Church
Rev. A. Newton, St. John, B.A., Pastor
Sundays, January 1, 1928
11:00 a.m., New Year's Service.
3:00 p.m., Church School and Bible Classes.
7:00 p.m., Evening Worship.
The Pastor at all services.
Annesley Church desires to wish for each and every family a Happy and Prosperous New Year.
The afternoon Service will be held at Vandeleur at 3:00 p.m., when a good large attendance is hoped for. The service will be appropriate for the New Year.
The members of Annesley Sunday School are planning for their Annual Christmas Party on Friday afternoon, December 30th. Large sleighs will be ready at 4:00 o'clock for a sleighride. Upon their return supper will be served. Following the supper the boys and girls will present a varied program. Parents and friends are invited to the supper and concert. During the evening Santa Claus will bring a treat.

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Feast of the "Circumcision of Christ," January 1st, 1928
(Christ Church, Markdale)
11:00 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon, "His Name was called Jesus."
7:00 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon, "The Kingdom of God."
CHURCH SCHOOL
10 a.m., Young Men's Class.
2:30 p.m., Young Women's Class and all Junior Grades. Home Work for this week pages 71 and 72 of the Work Book.
WEEK OF PRAYER
The members and adherents of Christ Church are invited to the Special Services in connection with the International and Inter-denominational Week of Prayer, at 8 p.m. each evening as follows:
Tuesday, January 3rd, in Cook's Church. Address—Rev. A. S. Mitchell.
Wednesday, January 4th, in Gospel Worker's Church. Address—Rev. W. Coates.
Thursday, January 5th, in Christ Church. Address—Rev. A. N. St. John.
Friday, January 6th, in Annesley Church. Address—Rev. A. Mills.
St. Matthias—Berkeley.
3:30 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon.
To-morrow, Friday, December 30, Social evening at the home of Mrs. A. Baillie, Toronto Lodge (next to the church).

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