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MARKDALE, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd, 1928.

\$2.00 P.P. YEAR IN ADVANCE

Flesherton

(Special to The Standard.)
The Young Ladies' Class of St. John's United Church serves min at the booth at the rink on Saturday nights.

The roads were in a blocked condition part of last week and the men were unable to make their daily trips.

Mr. Geo. McTavish is moving to his new residence erected this summer on Toronto street and F. J. Thurston is moving into the house vacated by Mr. McTavish.

A very interesting game of hockey was played here on Friday night between Markdale and Flesherton teams when Flesherton team was victorious.

Mr. John Dow spent the past week in Toronto.

Mrs. C. Dyer of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Blackburn.

Mrs. S. E. McCudden and children, Helen, Marjorie and Douglas, left for Tuesday for their new home in Montreal.

Mrs. Dorothy Caldwell has returned to Windsor after visiting friends in town.

Mrs. John Beecroft of Owen Sound is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips.

Mrs. C. W. Cook is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Goo. Atton, at Markdale.

Miss Elsie McKee has secured a position with the Bell Telephone staff at Dundas office.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plowis left on Saturday for Alberta where they intend to reside.

Mr. E. Armstrong of Cobalt is visiting at the Armstrong and Heckling homes in town.

Miss Marie MacEachnie spent a couple of days with Markdale friends. Moses, Wilfred and Goo. McEwan were the guests of Owen Sound friends this past week.

Mr. Harold Lever, accompanied by Mrs. C. Wieg and sons, Goo. and Russel, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Roy Wood, near Markdale recently.

Mr. O. McNabb of the Standard Bank staff here, has been moved to a Toronto branch and leaves on Wednesday for his new duties. Mr. Graycey is his successor here.

Miss Ella Scott of Toronto spent the weekend with her friend, Miss Marie MacEachnie, who returned to Toronto with her.

Mrs. Wm. Smith of Rock Mills spent a day with her mother, Mrs. W. Alex. Orange Valley.

Mr. Andrew Wickens left on Monday for Detroit where he will remain for a time.

Kimberley

(Special to The Standard.)
The many friends of Mr. Allen Emery were pleased to have him among them again. Mr. Emery has been in Sask. for about 26 years. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Proctor over the weekend.

Mrs. Wickens of Flesherton visited friends here for a few days.

The W.L. met at the home of Mrs. G. Proctor on Thursday. About 20 were present and enjoyed some helpful discussions, one being the Co-operation at county effort in helping in any way possible to use their influence towards a highway through the Valley.

The Board of Agriculture held meetings in the Community Hall on January 29th, afternoon and evening. Both speakers understood their subjects and delivered them in a pleasant manner. Also the talk of Mr. T. Stewart Copper, Markdale, was much enjoyed.

Miss Mabel Gillespie was the guest of her friend, Miss Tena Hutchinson, over the weekend. The S.S. enjoyed her violin selections very much.

Mr. Dillon of Thornbury visited at the Power House and with other friends for a few days.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. D. Graham, on January 30th, a daughter.

Eugenia

(Special to The Standard.)
Born—On Tuesday, January 24th, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Plant, a son. Congratulations.

Mrs. Susan Doupe of Saugeen Junction is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Sherwood, and other relatives here.

Miss Mabel Genoe is with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Genoe, Ceylon. The Genoe family are ill with measles at present. We hope they are well again soon.

Miss Selena MacDonald, 8th Line, visited with Mrs. Albert Williams one day recently.

Miss Muriel Carruthers spent the weekend at her parental home.

Master Lorenzo Martin of Detroit is visiting at Mr. Robert Gorley's.

Mrs. Thos. Genoe sr. is spending a week in Toronto.

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Traverton

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Mrs. Peter O'Neill, one of Glenelk's finest, most highly esteemed and beloved of pioneer mothers passed away at 6:30 on Tuesday morning, January 24th, 1928, after but a few days illness from heart trouble. Her maiden name was Catherine Doyle and she was born in Paris, Ontario, seventy-five years ago, when members of the family still live. At the age of eighteen she was most happily wedded to Mr. O'Neill who brought his bride to the old home on the 4th corner of the Township Hall's corner, where for 54 years she lived until moving three years ago to the fine brick home, formerly owned by Mr. John McVicker, now, the property of his son, Alfred, by industry uniting, by splendid management and foresight, they prospered, erected a fine home with attractive surroundings and became leaders in church life, social activities and the life of the community. We can readily recall in the bygone days of the monster picnics held at the Irish Lake, when the deceased, by her unfailing courtesy, tact and enthusiasm was largely responsible for their success.

A family of four daughters and three sons were born to this worthy couple, as follows—Mary, (Mrs. James Lenahan); Lizzie, (Mrs. James Carter) of Owen Sound; Nellie (Mrs. James Lavell), of Stratford; Michael, of Sashatoon; John, on the hill; Alfred on the hill overlooking St. John's, and Leo, (Mrs. Edward Sullivan) a couple of miles to the east. A family who are doing well, beside the members of the family, sixteen grandchildren will sorely miss their loved grandma. Mr. O'Neill pre-deceased her twelve years ago. Mrs. O'Neill was a devout member of the R.C. Church, a liberal supporter of St. Peter's and of the new church St. John's. She was noted for her hospitality and neighborliness, and will long be cherished in the memory of a wide circle. The funeral took place on Thursday morning at St. John's and despite the cold and badly drifted roads was very largely attended. Rev. Father McGroarty conducted a most impressive Requiem Mass and the music and choir responses were wonderfully tender and appropriate. Among those from distance were her brothers, Messrs. John and Richard Doyle of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. J. Gaffney of Toronto; Messrs James Carter, James Lenahan and members of their families from Owen Sound.

Lauriston

(Special to The Standard.)

Jack Frost has been proving to us each morning during the past week "His most wonderful talent as an artist."

Mr. Jos. Reptke of Guelph visited for a few days with his sister, Mrs. Smallback.

Miss Angeline Love was a visitor for a few days with relatives in Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming gave a dance for the young people on Monday evening.

Miss Dorothy More is visiting with her auntie, Mrs. Deacon, in Hamilton.

Mrs. Walden of Toronto was a visitor the past week with Mrs. Wesley Bell.

Miss Fee led the prayer meeting very gapingly on Tuesday evening in the absence of the pastor, Mr. Mills.

Mrs. Bearmon arrived on Monday from Owen Sound to assist in caring for her mother.

Mrs. Smallback is very low at time of writing.

Mr. John Beaton had a very pleasant visit with Durham friends.

Goring

(Special to The Standard.)

Wedding bells are ringing. The Ladies' Aid of Ebenezer church met at the home of Mrs. Wilmett Bradner at their regular meeting on Thursday, January 6th, with the President, Mrs. Murray, in the chair.

Despite the weather there was a good turnout. After the usual business the ladies arranged for a Progressive Crokinole and Checker Party to be held at the home of Mrs. Ryerson Sparling on Friday evening, February 3rd. Everybody welcome. At the close of the meeting a hearty lunch was served by Mrs. Bradner assisted by Mrs. J. Bradner.

Miss Edna Murray is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Lorne Hill, of Meaford.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Id. McLean, who is in the hospital in Toronto, is improving.

Misses Elsie and Annie Parker are spending the week in Owen Sound visiting with friends.

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Wodehouse

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Vandeleur

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Mrs. T. I. Fawcett spent the past week with her daughters in the Kimberley Valley.

The telephone meeting at Cherry Grove school on Saturday last was well attended and the Auditors' Report showed the system to be in first class shape.

Mr. Edgar Fawcett took a business trip to Mr. Richard Woods' Temple Hill, and Rocklyn on Saturday last.

Wood buzzing was in full swing in this section last week, when some fine piles of wood were put up.

Our mail courier, Mr. Bussey, had some very bad roads to travel over last week owing to the stormy weather, and did as well as could be expected in the delivery of the mail.

Several of our young people journeyed to Rocklyn on Saturday evening and enjoyed skating in the rink.

Mrs. A. A. Thompson is engaged nursing Mrs. John Smith of the Goring district at present.

Miss Letta Sewell of Markdale spent over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wiley jr.

Miss Della Wiley of Markdale spent over the week-end at her parental home here.

Misses Jean Carruthers and Vina Wiley spent over the week-end at their respective homes here, and at Sligo.

Miss Orlie Kirkpatrick visited with Miss Martha Woods of Temple Hill last week.

Miss Emily Lawson was engaged as nurse a few days at Mr. Elford's of Epping during the illness of Mr. Elford's son, who passed away one day last week.

Mr. Wm. Wright spent a few days at Rocklyn last week, helping to audit the Township books.

Mrs. Fred Boyes left on Monday for Toronto to undergo medical treatment. We hope that he will soon be able to be home again.

The Y.P.S. Social Evening was called off last week on account of the stormy weather and will be held on Wednesday evening. A good program, games and contests. Lunch served at the close.

Mr. Orville Boyd has opened up a barber shop at Mr. Geo. Currie's at Rocklyn. We wish him success in his new undertaking.

Mr. Gordon Erskine has a successful wool bee on Saturday last.

The W.M.S. meeting on Thursday was postponed on account of the bad roads and will be held at Mrs. Ross Gordon's on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyes of St. Vincent spent a few days with their son, Fred, here.

Keep in mind the Valentine Social on Sunday evening.

Wednesday evenings at the church here.

Blantyre

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Rocklyn

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Ideal winter weather at present. Mrs. McCullough and niece Emma and Isabella spent the week-end with the former's brother, Mr. Archie Caesar, Palomino.

Miss Kirkpatrick of Wodehouse visited recently with her cousin, Miss Martha Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taylor and family of Vandeleur, spent a few days recently with the former's brother, Mr. C. Taylor.

Miss Pearl Clugston of Sunnyside spent the week-end with her parents.

We understand our new barber is doing a rushing business.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burrell of Sligo spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Goo.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ratcliffe occupied the chair very capably. Lunch was served by the ladies. At the next meeting on February 13th Mr. T. S. Cooper will be present with the moving picture lantern and will also give an address. A fee of 25 cents will be charged for this meeting.

Mr. Lundy Johnston spent a couple of days in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burrell of Sligo spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Goo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson McKesson and son Billie of Strathavon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Murdoch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Mower, Walter's Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Morel Winterburn visited Sunday evening with Mr. and John Graham and family.

Miss Violet Moore is staying at the home of Mr. John Smith.

Miss Eliza Wyville of Owen Sound was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawken.

Mr. Marcel Cook, Walters Falls, was a caller at Mr. Lloyd McLaughlin on Monday.

Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Dan McGee, Vandeleur, Mrs. John Murdoch, Mrs. R. S. McLaughlin and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin.

The W.M.S. will meet on Thursday afternoon, February 2nd, instead of Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. A. Barry.

Mr. Emerson Quinton of Walters Falls was a visitor on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson McKesson of Strathavon were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Mr. and Mrs. John Murdoch.

Mr. Will Johnston and Miss Maggie Johnston spent last week with relatives at Dundal.

We extend congratulations to Miss Ruby Paterson, who won third prize in a Speaking Contest in Guelph on Wednesday last week.

Miss Alice Manayet of Walters Falls visited with her cousins, Ella and Mildred Quinton, recently.

Owing to the changeable weather lately quite a number hereabout have had severe colds.

Miss Lizzie Kirke visited at Flesherton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Ransome and baby visited on Sunday with the latter's parents.

The United Church held a social evening in the church on Friday evening.

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Cherry Grove

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