The Markdale Standard.

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Traverston

(Special to The Standard.)

St. Valentine's Day is being celebrated by the neighborhood holding a progressive crokinole party at the fine home of Mr. E. R. Peart.

The hamlet is hustling these times. 'Tis quite a common thing to see Mr. James Mastic's sawp full of horses, three or four teams will grists at Mr. [illegible] Streets and as many more unloading sawlogs or shingle timber. 'Tis like unto days of old.

Our sick folk are improving. Mrs. Wm. Firth and Miss Hannah Smith are getting along nicely.

Mr. J. H. Robson purchased a fine type of Hereford from Mr. Wm. Lawrence of Wilder's Lake last week. He is of the low-set, strong-imbed type and will tend to improve the stock of the community.

Several of our farmers are changing their mode of farming, going in for clover seed production. Among others are Messrs. Alfred O'Neil and Jas. Haley, who have quite a quantity of mammoth clover seed; the former had over 8 bushels to the acre.

Messrs. Wm. Weir and Albert McNally are hauling maple logs for Mr. W. J. Greenwood to Hanover. They are a good sample.

Messrs. Oren and Rob Peart have delivered over six thousand feet of pine to Mr. Orr Minnis of town, which they have taken out of the swamp recently acquired.

Mr. Arthur McClocklin of the 4th con., underwent an operation in the Red Cross hospital in Durham last week for a removal of some growth in his nose.

Mrs. John Davis of Gore Bay has spent the past ten days with her niece, Mrs. Jos. R. Edwards.

Mr. Wes. Armstrong and friend of Flesherton were over on Friday last inspecting a pile of telephone and hydro poles.

[illegible] is getting well advertised these [illegible] though it cost originally considerable money in sheep claims. However, its natural scenery, its far-famed speckled trout fishing and its numerous springs and crystal creeks will always have a charm.

All roads led to Reeve T. J. Brodie's home on Friday night last, when he and his better half gave a monster pa[illegible] over one hundred and fifty [illegible] who were warmly welcomed [illegible] and took with the [illegible] things. The crowd [illegible] themselves and have [illegible] appreciative words for [illegible] and hostess.

[illegible] we congratulate The Standard Editor and his son, for the wonderful improvement in the paper during the last two issues.

Walters Falls

(Special to The Standard.)

Mr. W. Shepherdson attended a convention and banquet in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lemon entertained a number of married friends last Tuesday evening.

Miss Blanche Rennie of Meaford H. S. visited over the week-end at the parental home.

The Box Social and Dance held last Friday night under the auspices of the Agricultural Society Officers was quite a success. A short program was rendered before Mr. W. McKay started to auction the boxes which were very beautifully decorated.

Miss P. Jerry of Epping spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. M. Cook had a number of men assisting him to harvest some of the ice crop. Mr. Menary also had some put in storage.

Mr. Robt. King had the misfortune to have his shoulder dislocated when coming from Chatsworth on Saturday with loaded stock. The sleigh completely upset when it slipped on some ice.

Miss Murdock of Bognor spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. W. Seabrook.

Miss Mary Acheson spent a few days with her brother in Meaford.

East Berkeley

Mrs. Norman McClintis visited with Mrs. M. Madill recently.

Mrs. Waterson and Miss Viallant have been holding special meetings in the School House the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wyville of Cherry Grove attended the meeting in the School House here on Sunday evening.

Mr. Wm. Johnston has been indisposed lately. We hope he will soon be around again.

Miss Edna Middleton has been the guest of Mary Woyce recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steer are spending a few days at the home of Mr. Manley Steer, Markdale.

LaGrippe has been quite prevalent here lately.

Mrs. Roy Lyons and little daughter Lula, of Harkaway, spent a day or two at Mrs. Thos. Young's recently.

Vandeleur

(Special to The Standard

Mrs. J. J. McGee has returned home after spending a month with friends in Toronto, London and other points.

Mrs. Thos. Freeman has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hutchinson, in Markdale, who is very ill.

Miss Margaret Huson has returned to her home in London after spending six weeks with her grandfather, Mr. Robt. Graham.

Mrs. Pritchard is able to be around again after her recent illness.

Dr. A. P. Brace, Field Secretary for the Sons of Temperance, will give a lecture in the school house on Friday evening of this week. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Teads and son, Harry, of Toronto are the guests of Mr. Robt. Graham.

The Women's Institute will hold their February meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Genoe on Thursday afternoon of this week, February 16th.

Mrs. J. I. Graham and daughter, May, visited friends in Kimberley.

An interesting meeting was held in the school house on Monday evening last under the auspices of the Farmers' Club. Mr. T. S. Cooper of Markdale was present with the moving picture lantern and presented a number of moving pictures, the principal one being a ten-reel picture entitled "The Haunted Ranch," which was very much enjoyed by all present. Mr. Cooper also gave a short address. Lunch was served by the ladies. At the next meeting on February 27th, there will be a debate on the subject "Resolved that the Education our boys and girls are getting is preparing them to be better rural citizens." The debaters are Lundy Johnston and Miss Thompson on the affirmative and Howard McGee and Amos Bowles on the negative. Other good program will be provided. The committee in charge are Howard Graham, Geo. Buchanan and Will. Ratcliffe.

Rocklyn

(Special to The Standard.)

Ideal winter weather.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lanktree of Meaford are visiting their sons, Eddie and Willie, at present.

A large number attended the carnival here on Friday night last and reported a good time.

The death occurred on Tuesday last at the home of a daughter in North Dakota, U.S.A., of Mr. Ramage, father of Mrs. R. Breadner of Pempie Hill. Interment took place on Monday from the home of his son at Massie, Ont.

Mrs. L. Sewell and children are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. McKenzie.

On Thursday night last the barn of Mr. R. A. Clarke, Townline, was burned to the ground through an accident with the lantern. Our sympathy is extended to them in their loss.

Mr. H. Kerr attended the Convention of Fairs held in Toronto recently as delegate from the Agricultural Society here.

Sorry to learn of the death in Toronto following an operation, of Mrs. [illegible], formerly Miss Alice Patton, daughter of Mrs. Hugh Patton. Our sympathy goes out to the sorrowing friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Yeadell visited recently with their daughter, Mrs. Paul Abercrombie.

Miss Elvida Perry spent a few days recently with friends in Meaford.

Mr. Lawson Sewell is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Caesar and family of Fairmount visited recently with the former's sister, Mrs. McCullough.

Union Hill

Mr. Walter Sargeant, of Barrie, was a visitor with his brother, Mr. Fred Sargeant.

Messrs. W. J. Talbot and Ed. Loucks, of Flesherton, were here on business on Monday.

A little boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Walker on Saturday from the Home in Owen Sound.

Horses are changing hands. Mr. Geo. J. McFadden sold his well matched team of heavy horses; Mr. Alf. Eagles has purchased a fine three year-old colt; Mr. Earl Brown bought a young colt, and Mr. J. J. McFadden a fine horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Semple and Miss Shirley visited with friends at Flesherton on Sunday.

Mr. Gordon Fleming visited with friends at Owen Sound.

Mrs. W. H. Clark visited with her daughters, Mrs. Trueman and Mrs. McDonald in Markdale.

Mr. T. L. Mercer passed here on Saturday, travelling in a chevrolet coach and looking exceedingly happy. The car was travelling along at a fair clip and was using neither gas nor oil.

Holland Centre

(Special to The Standard.)

The Holland Centre United Church congregational meeting was held on Friday evening, Fegruary 10th. Interesting reports of the nine months work in the Sunday School were given by each teacher and the superintendent. The receipts of the Sunday School and the Ladies' Aid were about $66.00 each but both these organizations have rendered fine service during the year that is not measured in dollars and cents. The Young People Society raised $30 for the Maintenance and Extension Fund and are at present following a leadership training course each week. The total amount raised for the M. and E. fund was $229 which is a very creditable showing for the congregation. The church treasurer's report is the best he has given. The total amount, not including the M. and E. fund, was $977.00 making it possible to pay for the piano in full as well as the parsonage alterations of $150.00, with a balance of $66.00 on hand to begin the New Year. This will assist in the extra expense of wiring the church for the hydro when Holland Centre secures that service. Mr. Emerson Craven was re-elected treasurer while Mr. Thomas Troughton and Mr. W. E. Hampton were re-elected stewards.

There was a good attendance at the Missionary Service on Sunday evening when the work among the Indians at Island Lake, 200 hundred miles beyond Norway House in Northern Manitoba, was illustrated by lantern slides. This will be repeated at Berkeley on Monday evening, February 20th.

Rev. F. L. Brown, B.A., of Toronto, Missionary Superintendent, will speak at Holland Centre next Sunday at 10.30 a.m. With Mr. Brown's wide experence we are looking forward to an interesting service.

Mrs. Heighes and Mrs. Frances, of Strongfield, Sask., left for their homes on Friday after having spent the past three months with their mother, Mrs. McLean, who is ill.

Mr. John Anderson of Moosejaw, Sask., is visiting at Mr. Thos. Fee's.

Mrs. Richard Farley, who has been in Toronto for the last three weeks for medical treatment, returned home on Friday. We are pleased to be able to say that she is fully recovered. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. H. Minion.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley attended the funeral of the latter's sister, the late Mrs. McMillan, in Owen Sound on Saturday.

Mr. Ed. Shea of Toronto spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Wm. Shea.

Harkaway

(Special to The Standard.)

The W.M.S. met on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 2nd, at the home of Mrs. A. Barry, thirteen members and two visitors being present, the President in charge, the meeting opened with singing and prayer. The minutes were read and adopted. It was decided to start work for the bazaar, which will be held in the fall, each member to bring their donations and etc. to the meeting each month. Psalm 118 was read alternately and the roll call answered with the word "Endureth". Several readings were given by the heralds and the Progam committee, the 1st by Mrs. C. Thompson entitled, "Sharing Unsearchable Riches", the 2nd by Mrs. A. Barry entitled "A Royal Quest", the 3rd by Mrs. L. McLaughlin entitled "The Church at Home", the 4th by Mrs. William Hawken entitled "Only a little Baby Girl", the 5th by Mrs. W. J. Lyons entitled "Nothing and Something", the 6th by Mrs. D. L. Binns entitled "Minister's Sermon". Sentence prayers were offered by several of the members. The word for the roll call at the next meeting is to be "Cometh" the meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. J. Lawson. The meeting closed with a hymn and the benediction. Mrs. Barry then served a dainty lunch assisted by Mrs. C. Carbert, Mrs. J. Hawken and Mrs. C. Thompson. Tea money $2.50.

The congregational meeting was held on Wednesday evening last. On account of the disagreeable weather and roads the attendance was not so large, but a very profitable and sociable evening was spent by all present. Lunch was served at the close.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McLaughlin visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodman.

Rev. Wakefield visited on Wednesday last with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lyons and baptized their little daughter Lula.

Rev. F. L. Brown, B.A., of Toronto, Missionary Superintendent, will speak at Harkaway church next Sunday, Feb. 19th, at 2:30 p.m.; also at Holland Centre at 10.30 a.m. and at Berkeley at 7 p.m.

Recent visitors with the McLaughlin family were, Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of Walters Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Mr. John Foster and grandson, Cecil Foster, of Markdale, visited his sister Mrs. E. Lyons on Saturday last.

Markdale and Holland Centre Young People's Societies debating teams will meet at Harkaway church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 22nd at 8 p.m. The subject for debate is "Resolved that heredity has more influence on character than has environment". The Markdale team will uphold the affirmative. This is part of the presbytery debating series.

Born—On Saturday, February 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Leopard, a son.

There are several in this vicinity on the sick list: Mrs. M. Patton, Mrs. Wm. Hawken Sr. and Master Freddie Halbert. We hope they may soon be well.

Eugenia

(Special to The Standard.)

Born—On February 6th, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert. Magee, 10th line Artemesia, a son. Congratulations.

Mr. Basil Carruthers has returned home after spending some time at Sault Ste. Marie.

Mrs. Evans of Durham spent a few days with her friend, Mrs. Harry Foerster.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Williams on Friday night last.

The young people of the village intend holding another dance in the hall this Friday evening, February 17th. We wish them a pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilbourne Magee and family, of the West, who are spending the winter here and at other points, are visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. Robert Gorley, and husband.

Mr. Wesley Cooey, of Toronto, visited over the week-end in the village.

Mr. Robert Purvis and nephew, Mr. Chas. Williams, spent a few days in Toronto recently.

Mr. Harold Lever, of Flesherton, spent Sunday at Mr. Chas. Martin's.

Mr. Russell Park has the pleasure these days of "breaking in" a colt which will soon make him a handsome driver.

Mr. Ed. Graham, of Clarksburg, visited relatives here recently.

An aeroplane passed over our village on Monday. We could view it quite distinctly.

Master Argyle Martin has been laid up with a very sore throat for a few days.

Kimberley

A canvass for the electric lights is being made this week. A hydro engineer of Toronto addressed the people a couple of weeks ago and explained the proposition.

Miss Dora Glenn of Duncan is employed with Mrs. Elmer Ellis.

Mrs. W. T. Ellis is spending a week with friends in Meaford, Thornbury and Collingwood.

The Misses Lottie and Mrytle Stuart of Burkes Falls, are visiting their cousin, Miss Justina Ellis.

Mr. Plowes spent a couple of days last week in Melancthon.

The Y.P.A. has been re-organized and are holding their meetings on Thursday evenings.

Mr. John Fawcett held a successful wood bee last week. He entertained a number of the young people as well as a load from Heathcote at a dance.

Mr. Horton, of Toronto, put on a lantern slide show in the hall on Saturday night.

The Ladies Aid held their regular meeting on Tuesday. They received $46 from their chain of teas with over $20 still to come. They decided to hold a social evening to end them about St. Patrick's Day.

Mrs. Ran. Hutchinson and Stanley of Vandeleur visited Mr. and Mrs. G. McConnell.

Cherry Grove

(Special to The Standard.)

Mrs. G. H. Ward and daughter, Sadie of Kimberley, are visitors at Mr. Mitchell Harvey's.

Miss Margaret Harvey was the guest of Miss Mary Murray on Thursday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Harvey on Wednesday, February 8, a son.

Mrs. W. E. Bradey is under the doctor's care at present. Nurse Lawson is in attendance.

Mr. Clem. Loughead of Ravenna visited this week at Mr. L. Burnett's.

Messrs. Amos and Joe. McClung, of Markdale, were callers at Mr. J. E. Wyville's on Sunday. The two were later at Kimberley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett of Dundalk, spent a day this week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eagles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gregory and daughter Ruth, were callers at Mr. W. E. Bradey's on Tuesday.

Mrs. James Leitch and son, Wallace, were recent visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wyville were at the Owen Sound Hospital on Tuesday to see the latter's father, Mr. Wm. McClung.

(Intended for last week.)

Mrs. Wm. Hodgson went to Toronto last week to see her grandson, Master Gordon Smith, who is ill in a hospital there. Her sister, Miss H. Wyville, Townline N. and E. accompanied.

Mrs. Ed. Bradey, Mrs. Ran. Bradey and Miss Gladys Miller snow shoed to Choeseville on Thursday evening and spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Foster.

The W.I. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Penelton on Thursday, when a very pleasant afternoon was spent. The meeting was opened in the usual way after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and disposed of. It was decided to have a social evening on Friday March 2nd, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Dickie for the members and their friends. Arrangements were made for games, music, lunch and etc. Other items of business were also discussed. Mrs. Ran. Bradey gave a very interesting and instructive paper on "The Care of the Home" and Miss Gladys Miller gave an equally good one on "The Education a Farmer's Daughter should receive". Humorous recitations were also given by Mrs. Ed. Bradey and Miss Miller. The singing of the National Anthem brought a very enjoyable meeting to a close after which the hostess served tasty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wyville spent Sunday at the latter's parental home at Lily Oak.

Mrs. Ed. Bradey is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bradey, Townsend Lake.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Struthers so far improved as to be able to be up and around her room every day.

Markdale Market Report

Corrected Carefully Each Week

Butter, per pound	23 to	25
Eggs, firsts	31 to	35
Eggs, seconds	21 to	23
Potatoes, per bag	75 to	80
Oats, per bushel	58 to	62
Barley, per bushel	70 to	78
Peas, large	1.00 to	1.85
Peas, small	1.25 to	1.45
Wheat	1.20 to	1.25

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