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DENTISTRY

DR. J. A. McARTHUR, Dentist. Office in the Artley Block, over Fawkins' hardware store. Entrance at south-west corner of building, Toronto Street.

L. G. CAMPBELL, L.D.S., D.D.S., Dental Surgeon. Graduate of Ontario College of Dentistry and University of Toronto. Office over the Post Office. Office hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Appointments made by phone.

AUCTIONEER

B. H. WALDEN, Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. All sales promptly attended to. Farm sales a specialty. Arrangements for sale dates may be made at the Standard Office or with B. H. Walden, Markdale.

FRATERNAL

A. F. & A. M.—Hiram Lodge No. 496. G. R. C., Markdale, meets in Masonic Hall, McFarland Block, on Tuesday evening on or before the full moon every month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J. W. McHugh, W.M.; Balm Brader, Secretary.

I. O. D. E.—Victoria Preceptory No. 182, meets in the Orange Hall, Markdale, on the Tuesday evening after the full moon in each month. Visiting brethren made welcome. H. E. Parker, W. P.; W. P. Gregory, Registrar, R. R. 3 Markdale.

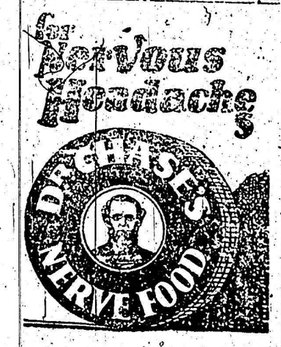
L. O. L.—Markdale L.O.L. No. 1045 meets in Haskett's Hall on Thursday evening on or before the full moon in each month. Visiting brethren made welcome. J. W. Stoddart, W.M.; Herb. Graham, Rec.-Sec.

SPECIALS

Matches, 3 boxes for ..... 25c.
Coffee, per pound ..... 70c.
Grape Fruit, 3 for ..... 25c.
Oranges, per doz. 30c, 40c, 60c.
Also Lettuce, Celery, Bananas, Fresh, Salted and Smoked Fish.

H. G. NESBITT
Markdale

The Standard's financial year ends on February 28th and we have considerable money to make up before that date. Mr. Subscriber-in-arrears, please do your share to relieve our worries.



Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson

Another of the old residents of this locality in the person of Mary Jane Hodgson, widow of the late Thomas Hutchinson, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Bowers, in Markdale on Monday, February 20th. The deceased, who had been in failing health for some time, was 79 years of age and had made her home with her daughter here. She is survived by one son, John Hutchinson of Stratford, and six daughters, Mrs. R. Coburn, Mrs. W. Shaw and Miss Lizzie Hutchinson of Toronto; Mrs. Thos. Freeman at Vandeleur, Mrs. Haze Freemon of Flesherton and Mrs. John Bowers of this place. The funeral is being held this (Wednesday) afternoon to Markdale Cemetery. Service will be conducted in Christ Church at 2:30 o'clock.

The Bonspiel

Seventeen rinks took part in the Annual Bonspiel held last week under the auspices of the Markdale Curling Club. Seven of these were from outside points and ten local rinks. L. Tipling of Shelburne won first prize in the main event, a pair of Woolen blankets for each player, and H. H. Lucas of Markdale won the second prize, sherbet glasses. In the second event A. W. Sproule won first, automobile rugs, and Dr. J. A. McArthur second, pyrex casseroles. Third and fourth, china cream and sugar sets and smoking sets, went to G. S. Dundas and R. L. Stephen. The ice was soft most of the time and of course made curling hard work. Following is a list of the players and the results in the two events:—

FIRST EVENT

First Round

OWEN SOUND		MARKDALE	
Millard		A. S. Smith	
Vance		Beaton	
Buzza		B. Sims	
Kennedy	7	Henry	6
MARKDALE		CHATSWORTH	
Chisamore		Galbraith	
Elliott		Dudgeon	
King		Curry	
McArthur	9	Ritz	6
OWEN SOUND		MARKDALE	
Taylor		Sutherland	
Wickham		Kelly	
Barss		B. Jackson	
Rolston	12	McInnis	5
SHELBURNE		MARKDALE	
Dean		Richards	
Watts		Erskine	
Sinton		Knott	
White	11	Stephen	5
MARKDALE		MARKDALE	
Father McGoey		Berry	
Dillon		E. Tuck	
H. Beard		H. Mercer	
H. H. Lucas	9	A. Jackson	6
MARKDALE		MARKDALE	
Lucas		Colgan	
Gemmell		Alex. Smith	
Campbell		Reburn	
J. C. Mercer	9	Sproule	8
MARKDALE		OWEN SOUND	
Corkill		Holmes	
W. Dundas		Miller	
Down		Rev. C. E. Kenny	
G. S. Dundas	10	Christie	9
SHELBURNE		MARKDALE	
Livingstone		M. Beard	
Gilpin		Bell	
Galbraith		T. Tuck	
Tipling	6	P. Sims	5
OWEN SOUND			
Horton			
Leslie			
McIntyre			
Hall	drew a bye		

Second Round

McArthur	10	Kennedy	5
Rolston	9	White	5
Lucas	11	Mercer	8
Tipling	12	Hall	10
Dundas a bye			

Third Round

Dundas	14	McArhtur	10
Lucas, Tipling and Rolston a bye			

Fourth Round

Lucas	14	Rolston	10
Tipling	9	Dundas	7

Final

Tipling	8	Lucas	7

SECOND EVENT

First Round

Henry	7	Ritz	6
Stephen	15	McInnis	2
Sproule	8	Jackson	6
Sims	7	Christie	4

Second Round

Kennedy	10	Henry	6
Stephen	11	White	3
Sproule	9	Mercer	7
Sims	14	Hall	3

Third Round

Stephen	5	Rolston	3
Sproule	10	Sims	8
Kennedy drew a bye			

Fourth Round

McArthur	7	Stephen	4
Sproule	9	Dundas	7
Kennedy defaulted			

Final

Sproule	10	McArthur	2

SCHOOL REPORTS

Markdale High School

Form I—Botany

Ruth Armstong 100, Grace Walters 88, Eva Hill 84, Ina Parker 81, Jean Carruthers 76, Marguerite Butler 74, Reta Douglas 69, Linden Burns 60, Gladys Graham 60, Ruby Wyvill 57, Nina Hill 51, Stanley Thibaudeau 49, Percy Wright 49, Ruby McFadden 48, Mina Dickie 45, Jean Henning 40, Willis Boales 40, Harold Parker 38, Wallace Bradey 29, George Noble 29, Freda Binns 26, Irene Noble 24.

Form II—English Grammar

M. Lyons 82, M. Lee 71, E. Murray 70, D. J. Torrie 66, T. Norris 55, M. Matthews 53, W. Harvey 50, M. Walker 48, L. Merrifield 46, H. Alton 46, D. Berry 44, F. Armstrong 41, J. Bradey 40, G. Elliott 34, D. Stephen 23.

Form III—British History

Freda Eagles 70, Vina Wiley 65, Evelyn Shouldice 60, Naomi Colgan 58, Milton Perkins 57, Bert Parker 57, John Matthews 56, Alma Parker 56, Catharine Davidson 55, Jean Stewart 52, Madge Lucas 51, Marion Bowes 50, Merril Crowston 49, Jack Hill 47, Helen Alton 45, Charles Moran 43, Annie Thompson 41, Allison Parker 38, George Hill 35, Eleanor Noble 34, Greta Elliott 26, Robert Stephenson 17.

Form III—Latin Composition

V. Wiley 71, B. Parker 61, E. Hull 58, Allison Parker 52, Alma Parker 52, M. Bowes 42, G. Hill 30, B. Dundas 30, J. Doney 30, J. Hill 29, R. Stephenson 26, N. Colgan 24, M. Crowston 14, M. Lucas absent.

Prince of Wales's Gift

So numerous were the letters received acknowledging the peony plants which the Prince of Wales had distributed throughout Canada last fall as a memento of his visit that His Royal Highness has requested that his formal acknowledgment to the Bank of Montreal, through whom the letters were forwarded to him, be taken as constituting a general reply.

It will be remembered that His Royal Highnes asked the Bank to undertake for him the distribution of Canadian-grown peony plants to His Excellency the Governor General, the Prime Minister and the members of his cabinet, the Lieutenant-Governors and Premiers of the Provinces, also to all cities, towns and incorporated villages throughout Canada. The distribution was made through the branches of the Bank with the co-operation and assistance of His Majesty's Mails, and the hundreds of letters received from mayors and other public officials showed how greatly the royal gift was appreciated. These letters conveying the thanks of the various communities and expressing loyalty and devotion, were bound in a handsome portfolio and transmitted by the Bank of Montreal to Vice-Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, Comtroller of the Prince of Wales's Household. The following letter from Sir Vincent Meredith, Bart., to the Comptroller, dated from the Head Office, Bank of Montreal, January 21st, accompanied the portfolio:

"Sir—I have the honour to forward to you under separate cover for the information of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, a portfolio containing copies of letters of appreciation and grateful thanks for the gift of peony plants that His Royal Highness so graciously sent to the cities, towns and the branches of the Bank of Montreal throughout Canada as a memento of his visit to the Domnion during its Diamond Jubilee Year. Through the courtesy and co-operation of the Honourable the Minister of Finance and the Honourable the Postmaster General, the services of His Majesty's Mail were promptly placed at our disposal and this greatly facilitated the distribution.

With every sentiment of loyalty and devotion to His Royal Highness, I have the honour to be, Sir, Your obedient servant,

(Signed) Vincent Meredith
Chairman of the Board."

Born

LEPARD—In Euphrasia, on Saturday, February 11th, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. James Lepard, a son,—Richard Franklyn.

Died

FLESHER—At the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Frederick Eatherley, 64 Dearbourne Avenue, Toronto, on Wednesday morning, February 15th, 1928, John Nelson Flesher, husband of late Euphemia Brydges, in his 89th year. Funeral services on Friday at 3:30 p. m. Interment St. James' Cemetery.

25 YEARS AGO.

February 19th, 1903.

On February 11th, 1903, Wm. Brendner and Henrietta Knott of Euphrasia were united in marriage.

Thomas Troughton, one of the pioneers of Holland, passed away Monday, February 16th, 1903, aged 86 years. He was a native of Ireland and was held in the highest esteem.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

of Valuable Farm Property and Goods and Chattels situated in the Township of Euphrasia in the County of Grey

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the last Will and Testament of Benjamin T. Cutting, late of the Township of Euphrasia in the County of Grey, Farmer, deceased, there will be offered for sale by R. D. Carruthers, Esq., Auctioneer, on

FRIDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH A.D. 1928

at the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon at West Half Lot Number 7 in the 9th Concession of the Township of Euphrasia in the County of Grey the lands hereinafter mentioned and the following Farm and Chattel property:—

1st—West half Lot Number 7 in the 9th Concession of the Township of Euphrasia in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres more or less, on which is erected good barn and house. Also 18 acres in Lot 6 in the Ninth Concession of Euphrasia.

2nd—The following Goods and Chattels:

HORSES—Bay Horse, aged; gray horse, aged.

CATTLE—Jersey cow 10 years old due March 5; grey cow 8 years old due April 4; cow 7 years old due May 19; cow, 6 years old due May 27; cow 4 years old supposed to be in calf; 2 head of yearling calves.

SWINE—5 store pigs; fat pig; brood sow due in April.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Peter Hamilton binder; McCormick mower; Deering cultivator; Massey-Harris seed drill; Bissell land roller; two Fleury plows number 21; scuffler; Peter Hamilton turnip pulper; Tiger horse rake; set of Bissell disc harrows; set iron harrows; set spring tooth harrows; two sets bob sleighs; waggon; buggy; Sharples cream separator; Chatham fanning mill; set beam scales; 5 water pipes; Peter Hamilton turnip sower; two sets heavy harness; set driving harness; hay, grain, straw; other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums up to $10.00 cash; for the balance Ten months' credit on approved joint notes; Five per cent. per annum off for cash. Terms on land made known at time of sale.

For further particulars apply to W. L. Young, the Executor of the estate of said Benjamin T. Cutting, Markdale P.O., Ont., or to P. McCULLOUGH, Markdale, Ont., Solicitor for said Executor.

Dated at Markdale the 13th day of February A.D. 1928.

CREDIT

AUCTION SALE

of Farm Stock, Etc.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8th, 1928 commencing at 1:30 o'clock sharp

HOWARD CONNELL

South Half Lot 9, Con. 11, Holland has instructed the undersigned Auctioneer to sell by Public Auction the following, namely:

HORSES AND CATTLE—Driving pony rising 5 years old; cow 9 years old due March 24; cow 10 years old due in June; cow 9 years old due June 15th; cow 8 years old due June 15; cow 7 years old due in June; cow 7 years old supposed in calf; Pure bred Durham Cow, "Lady Rose", due March 2 1st; 4 steers rising 2 years old; heifer rising 2 years old.

SHEEP AND SWINE—39 breeding ewes (none of the flock reserved); Pure bred Shropshire ram; brood sow due May 8.

HARNESS, ETC.—Set single harness; set double driving harness; set heavy breeching harness; buggy and other articles not mentioned.

Positively no reserve. Overstocked and short of pasture land.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount Nine months' credit will be given on approved joint notes, or 5 per cent. per annum off for cash in lieu of notes.

WM. F. McKAY, Auctioneer

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

of Cattle, Sheep, Swine, IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, 1928 commencing promptly at 1:30

GORDON STEER

North Half Lot 17, Con. 11, Holland quarter mile south of Lily Oak School has instructed the undersigned Auctioneer to sell by Public Auction the following, namely:

48 Breeding Ewes; Registered Ram; 7 Steers rising 2 years old; 5 Heifers rising 2 years old; Good Driving Mare; 9 Store Pigs; Wagon and Rack; Set Sleighs; Frost & Wood Mower; Hay Rake; Numerous other articles.

No reserve—Everything must be sold

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount Nine months' credit will be given on approved joint notes, or 5 per cent. off for cash in lieu of notes.

WM. F. McKAY, Auctioneer.

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A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, $1; No. 2, $3; No. 3, $5 per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor)

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CLEARING SALE NOW ON

of all Lines of Winter Goods

COME SEE SAVE

It will pay you well to visit this store, and get our prices on Suits and Overcoats for Men and Boys.

Ladies' and Misses' Coats.

Stanfield's and Watson's Red Label Underwear, $1.[illegible] garment.

Men's and Boys' Heavy Rubbers with or without [illegible]er tops.

Ladies' Overshoes (Goloshes), regular prices $3.50, $4.[illegible] and $4.50. NOW $2.95, $3.00 and $3.50 (1st quality).

GROCERY SPECIALS

Choice Corn, Peas and Tomatoes, 2 for 25c. New [illegible], 3 lbs. for 25c.
Heinz Pork & Beans, 2 for 25c. Heinz Cream To[illegible] Soup, 2 for 25c.
Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c.

"Quality Considered, We Sell For Less"

H. MERCER, MARKDALE

Compare Results

Miss Bernice Smith, Shelburne, and Miss Luella Johnston, Orangeville, entered our College the first week of September, and the last week of January wrote, respectively, 68 and 63 net words per minute for fifteen minutes according to Underwood rules, the gross rate being 82.4 and 73.5 in the order named.

These young ladies are taking shorthand at better than one hundred words per minute and have acquired the remaining subjects of the complete Secretarial Course with equal proficiency.

Compare these results with students attending business colleges in Toronto and elsewhere.

One young lady, who entered our College the third day of January, 1927, completed a Secretarial course and, on the third day of January, 1928, had cashed her cheques for $870.00.

Miss Alma McCutcheon, Erin, completed a Course in five months actual attendance and holds secretarial position in Toronto at $1000 per annum to start.

If you are desirous of securing a business training and possess the ability, backed up by the ambition of any of the above named, you can YET hold a position in July or August of this year with an annual salary of four figures.

BUSINESS COLLEGE, ORANGEVILLE. C. L. WELLER.

Get Copy in Early

While this paper is dated Thursday it is printed Wednesday evening of each week, which necessitates everything being ready Wednesday at noon. Of necessity quite a portion of the matter for the paper must be in our hands by the end of the week or by Monday noon in order that we may have any chance to handle it in regular hours. Display advertising should never be later than noon on Monday. The public having fallen more and more in the habit of holding off matter until Tuesday, we must request a change. If you have matter for publication in future, kindly [illegible]re to help by getting it to [illegible] as possible. We aim to [illegible] the work of preparing [illegible] publication each week [illegible] done in one day.

PRINCESS THEATRE
MARKDALE

Friday and Saturday
February 24th and 25th

Lloyd Hughes, Lewis [illegible], Billie Dove
in
"An Affair of [illegible] Follies"

COMEDY

Jimmie Adams in
"Beauty and [illegible] Mud"

ADMISSION :- 25 cents [illegible] 35 cents

Matinee Saturday 3 o'clock

ADMISSION [illegible] cents

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NOTICE

to Subscribers in Arrears

To those who have remitted in response to our notice regarding arrears we desire to express our thanks. Quite a number have responded but there are still a number, far too many, who have paid no attention. To these we wish to say that we are going to collect all outstanding accounts unpaid at the first of March. We cannot allow you to pay the bank seven per cent. interest on money which is owing to us. If costs of collection are added you cannot blame us because we have given plenty of time in which to make payment. Your remittance before March 1st will insure you against further costs.

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