

DANCE in Orange Hall MARKDALE Friday, January the 1st

The fourth of the series of Square Dances will be held in the Orange Hall, Markdale, on Friday evening, Jan. 1st. Admission 25 cents. All tickets good for drawing.

Travelston

Messrs. Sandy and Ellison Baker of Toronto spent the holiday with their parents on the 10th concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Harrison and daughter Irene of Swinton Park spent Christmas with the Nelson family.

The Twamley and Campbell families of near Crawford spent Saturday with the McClocklin family.

W. H. Edwards is home from New York for the Christmas season. He and Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Edwards of Shelburne were present at the parental home for the 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lawrence and two children of Egremont spent Saturday with the Davis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams and son Henry of Rosedale were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paylor and enjoyed Zion's concert last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Cook of Detroit are visiting among relatives at present. They dined for Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook along with eighteen others.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allan and daughter Catherine of near Chesley and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Jackson of Glamis, Mr. and Mrs. Waudby Baker of near the 10th con. and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFadden, Gladys and Raymond of Orange Valley and Mr. Thos. Cook sr. of Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beaton and family were guests at the home of Mr. E. R. Peart on Christmas Day. Miss Blanche Beaton remained for a few holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Magwood and family of near Hanover spent the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peart.

Misses Marcella Connor, Kathleen Murphy, Katie Quinlan, Mary O'henny and Miss Norris of Toronto and Miss Marguerite Murphy of Sarnia spent the holiday season at their respective homes.

Mr. Basil Davis attended the funeral of the late Geo. Hopkins on Dec. 25th. Interment was made in Durham Cemetery.

Mr. Angus McIntosh and sister Miss Margaret of Dornoch enjoyed Christmas with a gathering of twelve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greenwood.

There was a very successful Christmas entertainment held at Zion Church on Christmas eve. The church was filled with a very attentive audience. The trees and decorations were very fitting for the occasion.

Rev. W. Almaack of Durham presided over a varied program, which opened by a school chorus and was followed by several recitations, dialogues, and pantomines. The reciters were Hughie Hughes, Jean Williams, Raymond Edwards, Gordon McNally, Arlene Bebb, Charlie Atkinson, Esther Peart, Mary Atkinson, Cecil Anderson, Margaret Williams, Essel Hastie, Eunice Atkinson, Jack Williams and Miss Viola Neely.

Mr. Stephen Hughes rendered very sweet music organ selections. Dialogues entitled: "How Jimmy saved Pa", "A Different Christmas", "The Group Photograph" and "Where Lies the Child" were all well presented by school children and young folk of the neighborhood.

Miss Leona McNally and Arlene Bebb sang a duet. Some of the children sang a song of the "Christmas Greens". Miss Heather Boyd did justice to the pantomime entitled "Holy Night".

Miss Ethel Anderson is to be congratulated on training eight girls in the pantomime, "Places Fair". The girls also joined in singing the old song of "Long Long Ago" at the close of their pantomime. The superintendent added a few remarks at the close of the program while Santa Claus was coming. Proceeds amounted to \$34.00.

Messrs. Hugh McArthur and J. R. Edwards provided able doorknockers.

The community extends sympathy to Mrs. Wes. Lyons and Mrs. Herb. Allen for the loss of their brother, Mr. George Hopkins who passed away on Dec. 25rd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Atkinson attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. Thos. Atkinson, which was held on Monday near Rock Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McArthur spent Christmas Day in Durham with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McNally, who is home from Detroit.

Miss K. M. Firth is visiting with her cousin Miss Gladys Firth. Mr. W. H. Edwards left on Tuesday to attend a party with college chums in Hespeler on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Barry and Master Luxton spent an evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Master Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin and daughter Shirley were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. Parker and family and Mrs. Clare Muxlow at Goring.

Miss Catharine Morrison is spending the holiday with her parents at Dornoch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson and Miss Jean and Mr. Norman Lawson spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lyons at Markdale.

Miss Mary Hawken of St. Mary's is spending the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hawken.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Douglas and family of Markdale were Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Lyons.

Miss Burnett of Clifford is visiting her sisters, Mrs. T. Kidd and Mrs. L. Johnston.

Christmas Day visitors with the Halbert family were Misses Dorothy Halbert and Edith Taylor of Vandeleur, Mr. Will Taylor and daughter Louise, Mr. Wm. Hill, Kenneth and Gerald of Markdale and Mr. Elliott Smith.

Miss Viola Ceasor of Gelesville and Mrs. Mary Thompson are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lyons spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alf. McCullough at Dundalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rodman and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodman and Mr. Alex. Acheson spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Acheson at Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright of Walters Falls were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carbert and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin and family spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Marshall at Walters Falls.

Very sorry to have to report the serious illness of Mr. Adam Clark. We hope he may soon be restored to health.

Last Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Barry were Rev. and Mrs. Kitching, Misses Catharine Morrison, Ina Thompson and Mr. Jack Taylor.

Mrs. Elmer Walters and Miss Jennie Torrie of Walters Falls were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodman visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Teeter of Markdale and Mr. and Mrs. George Kenny of Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Corby and Miss Jewel Binns of Toronto spent the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Binns.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Torrie of Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodman were Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson and family.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Binns were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawken and family, Mr. and Mrs. Percy England, Misses Maggie Johnston and Leona Johnston, and Mr. Will Winterburn.

Miss Ethel Graham of Toronto spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. Graham returning to the city with Ethel for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith were Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ptolemey.

A Happy New Year to all.

Reeve Cameron visited over Christmas with his wife and sons in Toronto.

Master Argyle Martin of Flesher-ton is spending the holidays at his parental home.

Mr. Harry Burke of Faversham and Miss Queenie Kaitting, teacher in Derby, spent Christmas with the latter's brother, Mr. Will Kaitting, wife and family.

Miss Muriel Fenwick has returned home from Mimico.

Mr. Bert Kerton of Maple Valley spent Sunday with his friend, Mr. Ken. Kaitting.

Miss Kathleen Pedlar of Meaford is holidaying at her home here.

Mr. Sam MacDonald, teacher in Toronto, is home for his vacation.

Mr. Chas. Doupe, wife and children of Saugueen Junction spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hanesy.

Miss Minerva Conn of Collingwood and brother Mansel spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Will Kaitting, husband and family.

Mrs. M. McMullen has gone to Meaford to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham and daughters, the Misses Vida and Loreen of Walkerton visited a few days with their sister, Mrs. Stanley Campbell and the Graham families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Williams and Miss Muriel Carruthers are spending a few holidays in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Graham spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Graham and family near Thornbury.

Misses Mary and Isabel McKee of Toronto visited over the Christmas holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Betts and little daughter of the 4th line spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Mr. Emerson Bennett of Flesher-ton and Miss Rebecca Nichol of Pricerville who were recently married.

Mrs. Chas. Martin and Miss Wineta visited over Sunday at the former's parental home in Flesher-ton. Mr. Russell Park visited friends in Flesher-ton on Sunday.

Mr. Peter Dow of Flesher-ton is a frequent caller in our burg.

Miss Alma Essland is visiting her sister Mrs. Ben Shortt.

Miss Margaret Sinclair, 8th line teacher, visited her friend, Miss Donaldia Sloan.

Mrs. G. Proctor and Miss Marjorie of Kimberley visited a few days with her son Ernie and family.

Some from the village attended the 5th line school concert and enjoyed the play, "The Bugginsville Uplift Society". There were songs, recitations, etc., which were well received. Proceeds amounted to \$12.00.

The school concert in Eugenia was well attended. There were dialogues, folk dancing, recitations, etc. and last but not least Santa Claus, who distributed the gifts from the well-laden Christmas tree. Excellent music was rendered by the orchestra of grown-ups. A song "Susan Jane" was well given by that jovial gentleman, Mr. Will Kaitting.

Each number on the program was well prepared. Mr. Kaitting acted as chairman. The proceeds were \$27.46.

Quite a number from here attended Santa Claus Day in Flesher-ton. The children greatly enjoyed the free moving pictures in the community hall. After the show, Santa Claus arrived and distributed candies to the children.

Mrs. Adam Smith's health has been impaired the past few days. We hope she is soon well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Purvis and children of Toronto spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Purvis.

We extend our sympathy to the Atkinson family near Rock Mills in the loss of their mother.

Mr. Clarence Williams of Toronto is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shortt and children spent Christmas with the Essland family near Faversham.

Mr. H. Cooke of Owen Sound visited over Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. T. Fenwick and family.

We wish the editor and family and our neighbors a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mrs. Rourke of Kitchener is spending the holidays with relatives in this community and at Silgo.

A family gathering spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fawcett celebrated Christmas on Saturday at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thompson and son Elmore spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beckerley near Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Fawcett and son Edgar, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawcett and two children spent the Christmas holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Cornfield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilcox and son Gordon spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornfield and Mrs. Cornfield sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fawcett visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fawcett.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cherry and children spent Christmas with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cherry visited with relatives in the Kimberley Valley on Sunday.

Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wiley jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sparling and babe of Temple Hill.

Misses Margaret and Winnie and Master John Harvey spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Elford at Epping, the former having spent a few days there.

Mr. Wm. Hodgsons celebrated his 77th birthday at his home on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Harvey of Riverdale visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fawcett.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fetch of Wyoming visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowler one day recently.

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all readers of The Standard.

Wedding bells are ringing in our burg.

While driving home from Markdale the night before Christmas Mr. John Flynn met with a serious accident when the buggy in which he was riding was hit by a car on the highway a short distance south of the village. Mr. Flynn was thrown to the pavement receiving a bad scalp wound and was rendered unconscious. He was taken into Mr. W. R. Graham's and Dr. Carefoot was called. Later he was taken to Markdale hospital. He was able to return home on Monday. The buggy was a total wreck. The horse was found the day following the accident about three miles from the scene of the mishap.

Mr. and Mrs. McConnell and family of Kimberley spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ran Hutchinson.

Mrs. Cathrine Davison left recently to spend a short time with her sister, Mrs. James Cochrane of Colbourne.

A miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Boland for their daughter Margaret, who was recently married in Owen Sound. An enjoyable few hours was spent by all present.

Mr. Dave Graham and family of Flesher-ton were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Graham and family.

Word was received here recently of the tragic death of Mr. Cam. Leckie in Northern Saskatchewan.

Mr. Leckie was trying to cross a ford in the river with a horse and buggy when he was washed away.

His body was found several days afterward. The horse and buggy got out all right. Deceased was a son of the late Wm. Leckie, one of the early pioneers of this community and who was at one time Reeve of the township.

Christmas passed off quietly with the usual family gatherings and reunions in various homes of the community.

Mr. Albert Buchanan of Toronto is spending the holiday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Buchanan.

Miss Jean Wright of Toronto is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright.

Nice weather and good wheeling for Christmas.

Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steer were Mr. Keith Gardner and Miss Marguerite White of Goderich, Miss Ruby White of Markdale and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Irvine of Chatsworth.

Mrs. Verna Ward of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Steer.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Steer and daughters Elsie and Donald of Markdale also spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Steer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Madill of Saskatchewan and son Harold are spending the holiday with Mrs. Jane Madill and Mr. Joseph Wojce. We are glad to see them home for a holiday.

Miss Mary Young has an attack of quinsy and is under the care of Dr. Carefoot.

Happy New Year to the editor and all the readers of The Standard.

Mr. Mark Madill of Saskatchewan is home for the winter.

Mr. Bert Parker of Toronto Normal School is spending the vacation at his home here.

Miss Rachel Wood is spending a few days with friends in Owen Sound.

Miss Orrie Kirkpatrick of Wodehouse spent a few days with Miss Martha Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Muxlow and Kenneth visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Parker.

Miss Jean Carruthers of Toronto Normal School visited her friend, Miss Alma Parker one day last week.

Miss Stella Murray of Trento visited over the week-end with her parents here.

Ebenezer Ladies' Aid are holding a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Sparling on Thursday evening, Dec. 31st. Progressive crokinole and a bazaar are the main features.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scilley and children spent Christmas with the former's parents at Dundalk.

Mrs. Scilley and children spent a few days previous as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parson of Eugenia.

Mrs. M. Dodds is spending the holiday with her son, Mr. Wm. Dodds and family.

Miss Charlotte and Eleanor Boyd returned to Toronto after having spent the Yuletide with their father and sister.

Miss Mabel Walters of Toronto and Miss Jean Walters of Peterborough returned last week to their positions after having spent Christmas with their parents.

Miss Elia Gawley of Toronto is spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Mamie Mitchell returned to Toronto after visiting over the holiday with her parents.

Mr. Jos. Middleton of Mona Road visited on Christmas with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gibson and daughter Muriel of Durham visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailie.

Misses Sarah and Grace Walters of Owen Sound spent the holiday at their parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Wright spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winters of Maxwell.

Mrs. George Maher and babe are visiting at Bala with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy.

Mrs. A. Gillespie visited for a week in Owen Sound with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gillespie and other relatives. Mr. Gillespie spent Christmas there.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maher visited on Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ritz at Chatsworth.

Messrs. Clarence Wiggins and W. J. Wright motored to Toronto for a day last week.

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A Happy New Year

The Holiday Season affords a most pleasant opportunity to express our appreciation of your friendship and good will toward us.

May our service continue to be a factor in the prosperity we wish for you during the coming year.

P. J. THOMPSON
Men's and Boys' Outfitter Markdale, Ont.

"The Sky Riders"

a three act play
will be presented in the
ARMOURIES, MARKDALE
on the evening of
Thurs., Dec. 31st
by the A. Y. P. A. of Markdale
Under the auspices of the Canadian Legion
ADMISSION: Adults 35c; Children 25c
Jitney Dance After

Markdale Harness Shop

Having purchased the harness and leather goods stock of the late Mr. J. W. Lyons we will continue the business. It will be our aim to serve the public to the best of our ability and "Service" will be our motto. We have secured a first-class mechanic who will have charge of the repair department, including boots and shoes. Come in and see us whether you want anything or not.

Compliments of the season to all.

ROSS ALCOX
Markdale

A Happy New Year To All

At the close of another year we desire to express our appreciation for the splendid support we have received and at the same time to extend best wishes for prosperity and contentment for all in 1932.

Until further notice our place of business will close at 6 p.m. every day, including Saturday.

Markdale Creamery & Produce Co.
Phone 66w
Markdale

Every young man and woman who wishes to succeed when good times return again should plan to spend a few months this winter at the Northern Business College, Owen Sound. Get a thorough business education now and be ready. For full information re courses, terms, etc., write to C. A. Fleming, Principal, The Northern Business College - Owen Sound, Ont.