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## Wilkie, Charged With Murder, To be Tried at Walkerton

### Trial Will Take Place at Bruce County Assizes

Melville Wilkie, against whom a true bill for the murder of his wife and baby in Owen Sound on December 6th last was returned by the Grand Jury, sitting at the Spring Assizes for the County of Grey in Owen Sound, will not be tried in that city but a change of venue was granted by Mr. Justice Jeffrey, who is presiding, and the trial will take place at Walkerton at the opening of the Bruce County Assizes on Tues-

day, April 11th. The application for the change of venue was made by Mr. Campbell Grant, Counsel for Wilkie, and sufficient reasons were presented to His Lordship to convince him that Wilkie might not receive a fair trial in Owen Sound, and issued an order covering the change of venue. The application was not opposed by Mr. Norman B. Gash, special Crown Prosecutor.

## ANNESLEY W. M. S.

The W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. R. Burnett on Thursday afternoon, March 2nd, with 20 ladies present. The president, Mrs. H. S. Warren presided and hymn 309 was sung followed by prayer by Mrs. Warren. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted and treasurer's report read. Mrs. J. A. Erskine read several letters from Shut-lins thanking the W. M. S. for potted plants sent, and one acknowledging a letter of sympathy. Mrs. W. R. Burnett, secretary of Christian Stewardship and finance, read a letter from Mrs. Alder of Durham regarding our allocation which remains the same as last year. The Easter meeting will be held at the parsonage. Mrs. Geo. Burritt, having charge of programme, assisted by Mrs. Clara Wiley, Mrs. A. L. Walker and Mrs. W. L. Young.

Mrs. F. J. Ritchie then took charge of the meeting and another hymn was sung. The Devotional Leaflet—"The Woman of no Importance—Hagar" was taken by Mrs. Clara Wiley, showing that each is of importance in her own place. Mrs. Jarvis Henry, herald for China told of an old lady whose whole family had been led to accept Christ in answer to her prayers. Mrs. R. A. Clark told of a personal answer to her prayers. Mrs. J. A. Erskine read a short article on Slavery in Africa. The Temperance Secretary, Mrs. George Burritt, read a letter from D. A. J. Irwin approving the action of the Dominion Government, when asked to again permit the release of liquors for sale in the United States.

The remainder of the meeting was given over to the Subject of Prayer. A part of Christ's prayer, John 17:14-26 and "Prayer as a petition" was read by Mrs. F. J. Ritchie. Then all joined in singing the Theme song. "Prayer is intercession" was read by Mrs. J. E. Crone. "Hindrances to Prayer" was read by Mrs. S. L. Hare. "Rewards of Prayer" was read by Mrs. Wm. Wiley and Mrs. Warren read the poem "Prayer is the Soul's Sincere Desire." Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. R. A. Clark.

## HOLLAND CENTRE

Owing to the fine weather we are having we believe that the bear did see his shadow on February 2nd.

Mrs. Harry Press of Chatsworth visited on Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowther.

The local hockey team played a game last week on Chatsworth rink with Walters Falls. The score was 5-1 in favour of our boys.

Miss Marshall, Reg. N., of the General and Marine Hospital, Owen Sound, visited recently with her sister, Mrs. Robert Rutledge.

Miss Bell spent a day in Owen

## OBITUARY

### MRS. GEO. MERRIFIELD

There passed away on Tuesday, February 28th, 1933, an old and highly respected citizen of this community in the person of Mrs. George Merrifield, who was 82 years, 8 months and 6 days old.

Deceased was born on June 22d, 1850, in Bow, North Devonshire, England, coming to Canada with her parents at the age of 21. Her maiden name was Mary Ann Brock, only daughter of the late Wm. and Elizabeth Brock. They settled at Minnesing, moving from there to Toronto.

She was married on March 2nd, 1875, to her now sorrowing husband, George Merrifield, in St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. After their marriage they lived in Toronto for ten years, then moving to Allandale and later moving back to Toronto for a short time. Deciding to go farming they came to Euphrasia Township and cleared a home from the woods for themselves, residing there until last June when they went to make their home with their son, John.

To them were born nine children, eight of whom survive, one daughter, Mrs. W. Ormsby (Rose), having passed away a number of years ago.

Besides her sorrowing husband she leaves to mourn her loss five sons, Wm. J., of Boston, Mass.; John E., Charles S. and Albert J., of Euphrasia, and Henry D., of Bircham, Alta.; and three daughters, Mrs. A. Eagles (Lillie), near Berkeley; Mrs. R. Fothergill (Violet), of Euphrasia, and Mrs. Jas. Hall (Verbena), of McMoran, Sask. Her only brother predeceased her some forty-five years ago. She also leaves to mourn her passing twenty-seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral, which was held on Friday afternoon, was largely attended. Rev. Bugler of Walters Falls, pastor of the deceased, had charge of the services at the house. The remains were conveyed to Markdale and left for Toronto by motor Saturday morning where burial was made in St. James' Cemetery. The remains were laid to rest beside those of her parents and brother. Rev. Waiker conducted the service at the grave.

Accompanying the remains to Toronto were her three sons, John Albert and Charles, daughter, Violet, and grandson, Tom Merrifield.

The pallbearers were her six grandsons, Frank Kerr, Earl and Elmer Ormsby, Ell, Tom and George Merrifield.

Friends from a distance in attendance at the funeral included Miss Margaret Merrifield, Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Eagles, Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. F. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ormsby, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ormsby, Mr. A. Ormsby and son, Alex., Mr. A. Henning and Mr. E. Green of Meaford, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Balcombe, Hanover.

### JAMES H. RUTHERFORD

James H. Rutherford, for more than half a century engaged in newspaper work in Owen Sound, and a former editor and proprietor of the Owen Sound Times, died on Tuesday following an illness of about a month. He had been in failing health for several years. He was in his 73rd year and was born in Owen Sound, a son of the late John Rutherford. As a young man he learned the printing trade in his father's plant and later became the sole proprietor.

He was twice married and is survived by his widow, one daughter by the first marriage, and two daughters and three sons by the second marriage. He was a member of the Masonic, Odd Fellows and Orange Orders.

Jim Rutherford was a prince among men and many regret his passing. Fred H. Rutherford, County Clerk, and Dr. A. B. Rutherford of Owen Sound are half brothers.

### Card of Thanks

To all the kind friends and neighbors who were so helpful and sympathetic in the time of our recent bereavement we desire to return sincere and heartfelt thanks. We appreciate all the acts of kindness which helped so much in our time of trouble.

Geo. Merrifield and family.

### Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eagles wish to convey to their many friends and neighbors sincere thanks for sympathy, services rendered and kind offers to assist during their recent bereavement by the death of Mrs. Eagles' mother, Mrs. George Merrifield.

## HOCKEY

Holland Centre and Berkeley hockey teams put up an interesting contest in the arena here on Friday evening last when the latter won by a score of 5 to 2. Berkeley has had a little more experience at the game than the Holland Centre lads but the latter are aggressive players. The score about indicates the relative merits of the teams. Tucker Berry of this place acted as referee. The players were:

Holland Centre—Goal, R. Hampton; defence, R. Cook and G. Maher; centre, W. Sutcliffe; wings, H. Troughton and R. Cook; subs., F. Cook, B. Foster, M. Decker, R. Harper, W. Troughton, J. Laycock. Berkeley—Goal, M. Burnside; defence, C. Rowe and T. Gilpen; centre, G. Rowe; wings, P. Steele and W. Fitzsimmons; subs., C. Wiggins and J. Mitchell.

On Monday evening Proton Station puck chasers held a local team to a 3-3 score in one of the most keenly contested games played here.

In the first period the locals got a pair of counters and it looked as though they might keep the visitors from using the score card but the second period didn't go far before the Proton boys slipped one past McInnis. This was the most strenuous session of the game and tempers flared on several occasions but Referee Mercer kept the players well in hand. The visitors scored two in the third frame while the locals added one, making the score at full time three-three. Three minutes were played in an effort to break the tie without result. The Proton lads are in good condition and some of them want the whole game without relief. For a place the size of Proton Station they have a pretty good team and the people there should be proud of the way they perform. The players were:

Proton—Goal, E. Blackburn; defence, Lloyd Lyons and B. Hodgins; centre, Russell Acheson; wings, Gordon Acheson and Bill Hopkins; subs., R. White, S. Lyons and G. Park.

Markdale—Goal, H. McInnis; defence, B. Hamilton and P. Kelley; centre, A. Orr; wings, F. McCutcheon and J. Perkins; subs., L. Powley and S. Kidd.

Referee, J. C. Mercer.

Thirty-eight Proton Station residents attended the game; all making the trip in Sam Batchelor's big truck.

At Flesherton on Tuesday evening Em. Wright, Bob Berry, T. D. Berry, A. McCauley, Stan Thibaudau and Stan King were defeated by a Flesherton team by a score of 7 to 4.

The Clerks and Mechanics, under captains S. Buschlen and Nick Burnside, tried conclusions on Wednesday evening and played a tie game—two all.

Those representing the clerks were: B. Dundas, B. Johnston, M. Perkins, A. Orr, A. E. Hunt, A. McCauley, A. Taber and S. Buschlen.

The mechanics were: E. Wright, J. Noble, L. Powley, J. Perkins, R. Singleton, F. McCutcheon, E. Freeman and N. Burnside.

The Berkeley and Holland Centre teams played another game here on Wednesday evening and it proved to be an easy victory for the Berkeley boys. They had their opponents faded at every turn and the final score was 7-0. Maher for Holland Centre was their best man and made several tries to count but failed.

J. C. Mercer had charge of both games.

## PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

Having accepted the position of Live Stock Shipper for the Markdale Shipping Association I most cordially solicit the continued patronage of the many farmers of this district.

My sole aim and object shall always be to render satisfactory service to those who entrust the shipping of their stock to my care.

For the present year there will be no Club Fees or Hog Insurance deducted from the cheques. Your hogs however will be covered against loss.

WILLARD WILEY,  
R.R. 2, MARKDALE,  
Phone 59 r. 1-3-1.

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Services at the House of Refuge will be held as follows:

Mar. 17—Rev. H. S. Warren.  
Mar. 31—Rev. T. O. Miller.  
Apr. 14—Rev. A. T. Mills.  
Apr. 28—Rev. C. O. Pherrill.  
May 12—Rev. H. S. Warren.  
May 26—Rev. T. O. Miller.  
June 9—Rev. A. T. Mills.  
June 23—Rev. C. O. Pherrill.

## COMING TO MARKDALE

On March 28th Rabbi Maurice N. Eisendrath, of Holy Blossom Synagogue, Toronto, will deliver one of his great lectures in Annesley church. The Rabbi is one of those rare young orators who is changing modern thought; who through his dynamic personality and eloquence on the platform is achieving sympathy so greatly needed between races and classes of people. His radio addresses are listened to with great approval and enthusiasm.

"Rabbi Eisendrath's addresses are lighted by the immortal spark of genius and will live for more than a day."—Toronto Saturday Night.

"At 5 o'clock (Armistice Sunday) many people heard Rabbi Eisendrath speak for half an hour over the radio. He spoke on War and Peace. This address was the ablest deliverance on this subject we have ever heard."—Toronto Daily Star.

## HERE AND THERE

Grand Valley's Hydro deficit amounts to \$741.03.

Melville United Church at Fergus raised \$21,300 last year.

The skating rink at Barrie was burned a week ago Tuesday.

University Shoes Limited at Alliston has made an assignment.

The McColl-Frontenac people will open a new service station in Durham.

Seventy-two families were on relief in Hanover during the month of February.

James Tyner, a resident of East Luther for 64 years, died on Feb. 17th, aged 90 years.

Melville Fraser has purchased a 200-acre farm from Thos. Gilkes on Con. S. Proton, for \$5500.

The short course conducted at Durham recently by the Department of Agriculture was most successful.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Wolfe of Durham celebrated the 55th anniversary of their marriage on Feb. 23rd.

George and David Hamby have been arrested and charged with stealing from farmers' cutters in Orangeville.

James Roberts of Forks of Credit shot, what is said to be, the first timber wolf shot in Peel county in fifty years.

Mr. Wilmer Lomas of Waldermar has purchased the service station on the highway two miles south of Grand Valley.

Mr. Arthur Murphy, son of Rev. R. J. and Mrs. Murphy of Tara, was successfully operated on for inward goitre in Toronto recently.

Dr. E. M. Wansborough of Shelburne has been appointed Grand Superintendent of Wellington District of Royal Arch Masons.

The Women's Institute at Chesley will edit the Enterprise for a week at Easter when the editor, Mr. Wm. McDonald, will take a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark of Mono celebrated the 60th anniversary of their wedding on Feb. 25th. Mr. Clark is 86 years of age and Mrs. Clark is 84.

Elvin Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart of Maple Valley, had the end blown off his index finger when he attempted to light a dynamite cap with a match.

## IN DAYS OF YORE

March 8th, 1883

Mr. James Hamilton purchased the photo business of Mr. J. L. Browne.

Moffat Bros. offered sugar kettles in exchange for wood and old iron.

Mr. John Ford sold his 100-acre farm to Mr. Andrew Nodwell of Erin township for \$5,500.

March 9th, 1893

R. Watson sold \$85 pounds of pork for \$55.31.

Theo. Hall started for Tara with his household effects by sleigh but the roads were so bad that shipment was made by train from Berkeley.

Wesley Bowler and Henry McCoughy were preparing to erect barns.

March 5th, 1903

Jeffrey Artley purchased the old Standard block from C. W. Rutledge.

Prize winners at a carnival were Alie Littlejohns, Geo. Alton, W. Richards, Bert Askin, Roy Fletcher, Willie Haskett, C. Alton, May Kearns, May Sarjeant, F. Ballard, O. Alton, H. Elliott, Mabel Tuck, Annie Irwin.

James S. Rowe was principal of the Public School and some of his pupils were Flossie Irwin, May Hunter, Ida Gilsom, Fernie Watson, Harold Henry, Ina Smith, Reta Stafford, Nettie Irving, Hugh Macpherson, Fred Lucas, Roy Noble, William Treilford.

## SPECIALS FOR ONE WEEK ONLY



SOCKEYE SALMON, 1/2 size, 16c

DATES  
Golden Hollow  
3 lbs. for 23c

PORK & BEANS  
Libby's  
2 1/2 size tins, 2 for 25c

DICED CARROTS  
No. 2 size tin 9c

PUMPKIN  
2 1/2 size tin, 2 for 19c

MACARONI, ready-cut, 4 lbs. for 21c

10 pounds GRANULATED SUGAR 49c

(Delivered with any order.)

GRAPEFRUIT, seedless, 5 for 25c

## C. R. KING

Phone 149

Markdale

## Grocery Specials

SOCKEYE SALMON, 1/2 size, 16c a tin

NORTHERN SPY APPLES, large basket 25c

CLARK'S PORK & BEANS, 16 oz. tin 5c

DICED CARROTS, No. 2 size tin 9c

COOKING ONIONS, 8 lbs. for 15c

PLAIN OLIVES, 8 oz. jar 13c

10 lbs. GRANULATED SUGAR 49c

(Delivered with any order.)

RIPE TOMATOES, CALIFORNIA

CELERY AND LETTUCE

## Hamilton's

Phone 68

We Deliver

## SPECIALS

### WHAT ARE SPECIALS?

Certain articles especially priced, maybe at cost or even below, but for a limited time only.

### WHY ARE SPECIALS?

Because the advertiser wants to create in the reader a desire to know more about his full line and build up goodwill.

### ARE SPECIALS EFFECTIVE?

### From Customers Viewpoint?

They certainly are, unless an unreasonably high price is paid for other goods.

### From Dealers Viewpoint?

Yes; if the customer buys some line or lines which carry a margin of profit or acquires the habit of purchasing at that particular store.

The last twenty years of advertising will have convinced the most skeptical that our full range of prices are so consistently low that it will be to your advantage to make our store your headquarters for Quality Food Products.

PORK & BEANS, 16 oz. tin 5c  
SOCKEYE SALMON, 1/2 size tin 16c  
PEANUT BUTTER, 2 lb. glass barrel 25c  
(This is guaranteed exceptionally good quality.)

## J. E. ENGLAND

The Baker Markdale The Grocer

## You Get Better Values at Markdale Farmers' Co-Operative Ltd.

SOCKEYE SALMON, 1/2 size, 16c

DATES  
Golden Hollow  
3 lbs. for 23c

PORK & BEANS  
Clark's  
16 oz. tin 5c

DICED CARROTS  
No. 2 size tin 9c

LARD  
2 lbs. for 19c

FIGS, 2 lbs. for 15c

10 lbs. GRANULATED SUGAR with any order 49c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS, navy blue & light blue, 65c

WATERLESS COOKER ROASTING PANS,  
all steel, 34c each