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BEST KNOWN MEN ARE BEING NAMED BY STANDARD READERS

Get into the Contest and be One of Winners

FILL OUT YOUR BALLOTS EACH WEEK AND SEND THEM IN—YOUR OPINION IS AS GOOD AS THE OTHER FELLOWS.

The interest is beginning to grow in the "Best Known Men" contest being conducted by this paper.

We would like all of our readers to join in this contest. The more complete the vote, the better it will give the combined opinion of our readers as to who are the 2 men best known throughout Grey County and residing in each of the municipalities named. When filling in your ballot try to pick the two men from each municipality you think are likely known to the largest number of people in the county, not necessarily in your own neighborhood. Former residents should not be named.

Send in a ballot each week or get your neighbor to send one in. The more we get the better the contest. No person is confined to any number of ballots.

A ballot with fourteen blanks, two for each municipality, with spaces for the voter's name and address, etc., will be found elsewhere in this paper. Each ballot must contain two names from each of the municipalities or it will not be counted.

When the votes are all in the result will be tabulated and the two men from each municipality receiving the most votes will be named as being the best known. No ballot will be counted which does not include two men from each of the municipalities named. The names from each municipality will be placed in order of the number of votes received—that is the man receiving the most votes will be No. 1 and so on.

A prize of \$3 will be given the reader who first sends in a ballot with the correct final list as shown by the complete vote (or the nearest to the correct final list), with their names in the proper order. A prize of \$2 will go to the reader whose ballot comes second in order of date and correctness. And a prize of \$1 will go to the person whose ballot comes third in order of date and correctness.

If the winner of the first prize is a subscriber whose subscription is paid in advance to Dec. 31, 1937, or further, the prize money will be \$6 instead of \$3. And if, in addition they have sent in during the contest a bona-fide new subscription paid in advance for one year or more, the prize money will be \$9.

The same rule will apply to the second and third prizes. That is, the second prize, may be \$4 or \$6, instead of \$2, if the foregoing requirements have been met. And, likewise, the third prize may be \$2 or \$3 instead of \$1.

So that ample time may be given for the vote, the ballot will appear in each issue up to and including that under date of April 29th.

You are not held down to sending in one ballot. You may send in as many as you wish. If you desire to change some of the names, or change the order of the names, this affords an opportunity to do so.

Ballots may be sent in by mail, handed in at the office or dropped in the letter box slot at the front office.

Each ballot, whether sent by mail or left at the office, must be sealed, and if sent by mail must have the proper postage stamps affixed thereon (three cents if from out of town or on rural route, two cents if from town), and should be addressed:

Contest Manager,
The Markdale Standard,
Markdale, Ontario.

Juvenile Hockey Series Won by Thornbury

Markdale's entry in the O.H.A. series met Thornbury youngsters in their first game at the local arena on Monday evening and pulled out with a one-goal lead, the score being 4 to 3.

Only one counter was secured in the first period when Milt Burnside grabbed a pass from Gordon Henderson and beat the visiting goalie. Each team got two in the second frame, Markdale's being scored by York from Hartley and by Burnside. York got another for the locals in the final period and Thornbury also counted, making the final count 4 to 3.

"Buck" Singleton was an impartial referee and did not require to hand out a single penalty.

Thornbury—Goal, Bell and Taylor; defence, Holmes and Kenny; centre, Binkley; wings, Penrose and Barclay; alternates, Wheeler, Wilson, Parkinson, Neely and Kentner. Markdale—Goal, G. Dundas; defence, M. Burnside and J. Down; centre, H. York; wings, N. Hartley and D. Hunt; alternates, B. Burrell, R. McCauley, G. Henderson, Lloyd Wiley, A. Fitzsimmons.

The locals went to Thornbury on Wednesday evening and took a two-to-one trimming. They complain that the referee, a Meaford man, won the game for his favorites, and a protest is being talked of. They say that when a Thornbury player put a Markdale lad into the boards the latter took the bump and was then given a penalty by the referee. If this is true something should be done about it. The Markdale boys are sporty enough to take a trimming without complaining when it comes to them fairly and squarely, but a partial referee should not be tolerated.

Collingwood Won Game From Markdale

At the local arena on Friday evening last Collingwood's entry in the junior series of the O.H.A., won from the Markdale boys by a score of 7 to 6, in a game which was interesting until the final bell had been sounded. The visitors are a husky bunch of youngsters and got into the semi-finals in their class, being put out by West Toronto's fast team.

In the first period of the game here Norman Hartley got the first counter when at the blue line he drove a fast one into the net. Collingwood got the second and third and the frame ended 2-1.

The second spasm was all Collingwood's and they added three to make the count 5 to 1.

Markdale boys came to in the final period, scoring six times while the visitors were able to get but two. One of the goals scored was disallowed for some reason and the final announcement was Collingwood 7; Markdale 6. Bev. Johnston got two counters; Noble one on a pass from Singleton; Winterburn one; Singleton one on Johnston's pass, and Hartley one when York gave him the puck.

Markdale—Goal, G. Dundas; defence, B. Johnston and E. Freeman; centre, H. York; wings, D. Hunt and N. Hartley; alternates, Alvin Noble, R. Singleton, H. Winterburn and M. Burnside.

The boys at this time desire to acknowledge their appreciation of the services, professional and otherwise, of Dr. R. L. Carefoot during the season.

Several Ontario centres are beginning to plan celebrations for Coronation Day, May 12th.

Markdale Girls Lost to Preston Champions

Markdale ladies' hockey team suffered defeat on Monday night at Preston, 15 to 1, when they encountered Preston Rivulettes, Dominion Champions, in the first game of the play-offs for the Provincial championship.

The first period, featured by strong checking of the Markdale girls, found Preston leading by two goals to none. Early in the second period an injury to Devona Cutting seemed to disorganize the local girls and Preston, playing their best hockey of the season, really turned on the pressure and before they were halted had rapped in seven goals. The final period was practically a repetition of the second until the final ten minutes when the Markdale girls found themselves and turned in a stirring game with Helen Carefoot finally scoring.

The writer, who witnessed the game, is quite sincere in saying that the score in no way represents the play. Preston girls, who have played together for seven years and have been four times champions of Canada, played, according to their own officials, their finest game in two seasons and admitted the local girls were the strongest they have met this year.

Preston girls return here Friday night, March 12th, for the final game of the season and patrons of the game will see the finest ladies' hockey team in all Canada opposing Markdale ladies, who deserve the highest praise for the progress they have made in their first real struggle for a provincial championship.

The citizens of Markdale and district should show their appreciation of the efforts of our local girls by turning out en masse, on Friday evening.

Preston—Goal, N. Ranscombe; defence, H. Sault and M. Hipel; centre, M. Schmuck; wings, H. Ranscombe and Mrs. Pitcher; alternates, Bilstein, Hilburn and Williams.

Markdale—Goal, V. Kidd; defence, M. Thompson and B. Carefoot; centre, D. Cutting; wings, H. Carefoot and A. Cutting; alternates, V. Burnside, R. Green, R. Alton, M. Bradey, D. Lee, M. Carefoot, E. Kinney (sub. goal).

Students Take Lesson in Butter Making

The Markdale Creamery was turned into a school room last Thursday morning when the fourth form students of the Markdale High School paid a visit. Mr. Borinsky of the creamery was to be seen in a new role; that of teaching the students the secrets of cream testing and butter making.

Every student was keenly interested in the process of the cream through the factory, every step being explained from receiving the cream to the finished product. During the tour, cream was tested and the results of the tests shown and explained. From the testing and recording the students were taken to the pasteurizers and coolers where the cream was prepared for the churn.

Mr. Bowler, the buttermaker, ably assisted Mr. Borinsky as he operated the large churn. Over seven hundred pounds of butter were made while the visit was being made. While the churn was in operation the students made an inspection of the refrigerators and refrigeration machinery, and learned something of the principles upon which the cooling is based.

The churning being completed, the butter was wrapped during which process one or two of the students assisted. Everything was so well organized in the creamery that all the time spent was worth while. The surroundings, equipment and handling of the cream is all that can be required. The creamery is to be congratulated on their handling of such an important project.

Jury Disagreed in Damage Suit

After twelve hours of deliberation, an assize court jury wearily paraded into the court room at Owen Sound just before midnight Thursday of last week and announced to Mr. Justice C. P. McTague that they could not agree in the case of McConnell versus Carefoot, a civil action that had dragged through three days of litigation in the Grey assizes.

It was one of the rare occurrences of an assize court. It is not uncommon for the jury in a criminal case to disagree, but there is always the element of surprise when a civil action jury cannot agree on the questions asked by the presiding judge. In this particular case, Herman and Lena McConnell of Euphrasia township, seeking damages from Dr. R. L. Carefoot of Markdale for injuries in a motor-car accident near Clarksburg, the issue was defined by Judge McTague with three questions. He asked them to decide whether the defendant was solely to blame; whether the plaintiff was solely to blame; or whether there was common negligence, in other words, whether each party was partially negligent and how much.

Twice the jury returned to the courtroom, announcing they could not agree, only to receive further instruction from Judge McTague and be sent back to the jury room to continue deliberations.

As a result of the jury's disagreement, the case will be set over until the next sitting of the county of Grey.

Death of Infant at Kimberley

There passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carruthers, baby Wallace Wayne Carruthers. Wayne was a very bright and happy dispositioned child and beloved by all who knew him. He had been ill a couple of weeks with whooping cough and in spite of all that medical aid and loving hands could do his untimely death resulted on Wednesday, March 3, aged 6 months and 6 days.

The funeral took place on Thursday to Ebenezer Cemetery, Goring. Rev. S. McAuslin delivered a comforting sermon based on "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." Hymns used for the occasion were, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus", "Jesus Loves me," and "When he cometh." Mrs. Earl Dillon and Mrs. Robt. Chard sang very sweetly, "God's way is the best way."

The pallbearers were Jack Graham, Harvey Parker, Carman Cornfield and Rege Fawcett. The flower bearers were Jackie Dillon and Kendal Chard.

He is survived by his sorrowing parents and brother, Keith, his grandparents, Mrs. M. E. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carruthers.

Floral tributes included a pillow from parents and Keith, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carruthers and Jean. Sprays from Mrs. M. E. Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weber and family, The Women's Institute and Ladies' Aid, and the Principal and pupils of Kimberley Public School.

DIED

CARRUTHERS—At Kimberley, on Wednesday, March 3rd, Wallace Wayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carruthers, aged 6 months, 6 days.

WELSH—In Peterborough, on Wednesday, March 10th, 1937, James Welsh, formerly of this place. The funeral will take place from Oliver's Funeral Parlors at 2.00 p.m. on Friday, March 12th, to Markdale Cemetery.

The Late Mrs. John McKee is Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. John McKee, who passed suddenly away at the home of her son, Mr. Jos. E. McKee, near Priceville, on Tuesday evening, March 2nd, took place on Thursday to Markdale Cemetery. Many old friends and neighbors were present to pay the last tribute of respect to one who was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. Service was conducted at the house by Rev. H. E. Wright, pastor of Priceville United Church, who after reading the 23rd Psalm and a part of I Cor. 15, spoke from the text, "Let me die the death of the righteous, and let my last end be like his." Num. 23 : 10. In closing he referred briefly to the upright life and quiet Christlike spirit of the deceased. "The Sands of Time Are Sinking", was sung in closing.

The beautiful flowers covering the casket bore a silent message of love and sympathy.

The pallbearers were the five Aldern brothers, Messrs. Chas., Walter, Neil, Donald and Tom, and Mr. Roy McDonald.

Joseph Kirktown Died Near Paisley

Joseph Kirktown, a highly respected citizen of the Township of Greenock, near Paisley, passed on at his home on Friday, March 5th, after a lingering illness, in his 83rd year. The late Mr. Kirktown was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, on Feb. 15th, 1854, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kirktown, coming to Canada when three years of age.

About 36 years ago he moved to Glamis from Holland Centre where he farmed on the 13th concession of Greenock Township, until 29 years ago.

In the year 1885 he was married to Margaret McKennitt, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard McKennitt of Markdale, who predeceased him 12 years ago. He leaves to mourn his passing seven daughters: Mrs. T. Montgomery of Tiverton; Mrs. Albert Woods of Sarnia; Mrs. Roy Kennedy of Glamis; Mrs. Robt. Broadfoot of Watrous, Sask.; Mrs. E. B. Emery of Sandusky, Ohio; Mrs. B. Berry of Broadacres, Sask.; Mrs. C. McKeeman of Glamis, and two sons, Alex. and Richard of Greenock Township, and one brother, George Kirktown, of Holland Centre. He was a staunch Conservative in politics and in religion was a member of the United Church.

Presentation to Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Walker

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Walker and family, who have resided in Proton for the past few years, have returned to this locality and are occupying their own house a couple of miles north of Markdale. When spring opens up they will move to the John Walker farm at Pleasant Valley which they have purchased. Before leaving Proton the neighbors gathered at their home one evening and the following address was read:

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and family, and Mr. Matthews.—
We, your friends and neighbors have gathered here to spend a social evening before you leave our neighborhood. During your stay with us we have found you always willing to help in any way you could. As a slight token of our esteem we wish you to accept this gift. We wish you the best of happiness and good luck in your future home, and hope you will all come back and visit us.

Signed on behalf of friends and neighbors: Joe White, Ray Richardson, E. B. Ostrander.

SHOP IN MARKDALE.