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**WHITHER ARE WE DRIFTING?**

Canada has paid tremendous sums of money for relief purposes during the past few years and of what lasting benefit has it been? We are not going to suggest that something better should have been done because no person even suspected the expenditures would have reached the vast sums which have been paid out. Had the matter been thoroughly studied before the whole country was launched on a scheme of direct relief it is possible that something better might have been adopted. In conversation with an individual who gives a great deal of thought to our social problems, he suggested that if manufacturing plants were compelled to work only during the hours of daylight a far greater number of men and women would be given constant employment. He cited the case of a milling company which at one time operated on a 24-hour per day basis for four months each year. Their output during that time was equal to or greater than it would have been had the same mill operated for twelve months on a ten-hour a day basis. The difference in the profits for the company, according to the information given by one of the officials would have been about \$5000.00 per year. This money would have been distributed among extra employees instead of going into profits to make rich men richer. No other person received any particular benefit. This is a point of view in connection with big business which might be looked into by those in authority.

If, instead of trying to solve the depression problem by attention to those in the larger centres our governments looked for a method of relieving the farming community of much of its overhead expenses we believe it would tend to eliminate a great deal of the present hardships. We all know that the farmers are suffering much because of the interest charges which they are compelled to pay on farm mortgages. It matters not how or why those mortgages are in existence, the fact remains that they are. If the Dominion Government were to issue sufficient currency to take up all farm mortgages in Canada at their face value and thus eliminate all interest charges a real start would have been made on the way to prosperity, we believe. Some, no doubt, will advance the argument that the currency would be issued without tangible security, but would not the farms so mortgaged be of sufficient value to form such security and thus remove the appearance of inflation to which too much objection is sometimes raised? It would cost Canada some money for operation but we believe the investment would return big dividends to Canadian citizens of all classes and improve conditions in all parts of the land. There is no doubt some farms are mortgaged for more than they are worth at present prices but before long increased values would remove this objection. The matter is worth consideration, we believe. Otherwise, whither are we drifting? The granting of direct relief is not a good investment. Why not try something else?

**FINALLY**

There was a man in our town,  
The chump thought he was wise.  
He swore (it was his policy)  
He'd never advertise;  
But, one day, he advertised,  
And thereby hangs a tale—  
His ad was set in six-point type  
And headed "Sheriff's Sale."  
—Phillyper's Bulletin.

**Recipes for Standard's Cook Book**

**BAKED APPLE DUMPLINGS**  
4 cups flour  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
½ cup butter  
1½ cups milk  
nutmeg  
apples, peeled and sliced  
Roll out dough about one-quarter inch thick. Put on apples and a little sugar. Roll up and bake in following syrup.

**Syrup**  
4 cups boiling water  
1 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon butter  
a little nutmeg  
Cook in hot oven until well cooked.  
Miss Gertrude Tebbutt,  
R.R. 7, Markdale.

**RASPBERRY CAKE**  
1 cup white sugar  
½ cup butter  
2 eggs  
2 tablespoons buttermilk  
1½ cups flour  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon soda  
nutmeg  
1 cup raspberries to be added last.  
Bake in layers.  
M. M.

**YORKSHIRE PARKINS**  
½ lb. flour  
½ lb. oatmeal  
¼ lb. shortening  
6 oz. baking syrup  
1 egg  
6 oz. brown sugar  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
1 teaspoon ground ginger  
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
½ teaspoon mixed spice.  
Mix dry ingredients; rub shortening in and then add the egg and syrup mixed and work into a stiff dough. Now divide into pieces like marbles or a little larger if you wish with one-half blanched almonds pressed in the centre. Place them well apart on a greased tin and bake until dark brown in a moderate oven, from 10 to 15 minutes.  
Mrs. G. Scott, Markdale

**NEVER FAIL CHOCOLATE CAKE**  
1 cup white sugar  
½ cup butter  
1 egg  
2 tablespoons cocoa  
1 teaspoon soda  
½ cup buttermilk  
¼ cup boiling water  
1½ cups flour  
½ teaspoon salt.  
Dissolve soda in boiling water. Do not make batter too stiff. A little cream of tartar may be added. Let rise a little while before putting in oven.

**For Filling**  
1 cup white sugar  
lump of butter  
1 tablespoon of cocoa  
1 tablespoon of corn starch  
½ cup warm water  
Cook until thick and put between layers and on top of cake.  
Mrs. H. B. Hutchinson,  
R. R. 4, Markdale

**BARRHEAD W. I.**

The annual meeting of the Barrhead W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wes. McNicoll recently, with 14 members and seven visitors present. Mrs. McNicoll, the President, had charge of the meeting, which was opened by singing the Institute Ode, followed by repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and the financial statement given. The books had been audited by Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Sewell and found correct.

The roll call was answered by paying fees. The President then resigned and Miss McAllister acted as chairman for the election of the officers which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. L. Whitehead. 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Gilkes. 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Harold Thibaudeau. Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Torry. Assistant, Mrs. Allen White. Press Reporter, Mrs. Gilkes. District Director, Mrs. E. Smart. Directors, Mrs. L. Torry, Mrs. Gilkes and Mrs. Gemmel. Delegate to District Annual, Mrs. Eva Foster.

Organist, Mrs. Geo. Hill. Sunshine Committee, Mrs. David Symes and Miss C. Davidson. Auditors, Mrs. W. Wilson and Mrs. Silas Hill.

Mrs. McNicoll then took charge of the program. Miss Anna Wilson gave a splendid report of the Girls' Conference held in Guelph.

The meeting was closed by singing the National Anthem. Lunch was served and a social time spent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mesdames Luther and Jack Torry.

**ROCKLYN**

Misses Muriel and Alvida Perry of Toronto visited recently at the parental home and attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Jerrett, at Meaford on Tuesday last.

Miss Jenner of Toronto spent over the week-end and holiday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Jenner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Yeaddell attended the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hopkins, near Hanover, on Friday last.

Mr. J. Erskine of Meaford has returned home after visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Robt. Gardner, Mrs. Earl Gardner and Mrs. Goit spent a day recently in Toronto and visited the latter's brother, Mr. L. Gardner, who is in the hospital recovering from an operation.

Born—On Tuesday, March 18th, 1937, in Markdale Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. D. Cook, twin boys (one stillborn).

Mr. J. H. Gardner, who has returned to his farm for the summer, visited recently with his sister, Mrs. Best, at Flesherton.

Glad to report Mr. M. Foy recovering after his recent operation in Markdale Hospital.

Mr. E. Clugston of Meaford and Mr. Maurice Clugston of Guelph visited recently with friends in this vicinity.

**RIVERDALE**

(Held over from last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gregory and Miss Ruth spent Sunday evening of last week with Mrs. M. Sewell and family.

Mr. Willis Boales has returned to Flesherton after spending the winter months at his parental home here.

We extend our sincere sympathy to Mrs. R. Gordon in the loss of her father, Mr. James Leppard, of Eugenia.

Mr. Jos. Leppard, Mrs. M. Sewell and Miss Hazel and the Gordon family attended the funeral of the late Mr. James Leppard at Eugenia on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchie and Betty of Oshawa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gregory recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hundt and little son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hundt one day last week.

Mrs. A. E. Colgan and Mrs. Fred McCutcheon and little son, Ronnie, of Markdale and the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Sparks, of Hamilton spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson.

Miss Grace Dunnill spent the week-end at her home in Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reburn of Markdale spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson.

Mr. Robt. McDonald did some work with the tractor for Mrs. M. Sewell this week.

**District Half Holidays**

Creemore	Thursday
Dundalk	Thursday
Durham	Thursday
Flesherton	Thursday
Hanover	Wednesday
Markdale	Wednesday
Meaford	Wednesday
Mount Forest	Thursday
Owen Sound	Wednesday
Orangeville	Wednesday
Shelburne	Thursday
Tara	Thursday

**COURT OF REVISION**

**TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG**

The Court of Revision on the assessment roll for the Township of Glenelg will meet to hear and determine appeals in the Township Hall, Glenelg, commencing at 1.30 o'clock p.m., on Saturday, May 29th, 1937. Those interested are asked to take notice and act accordingly.  
H. H. MacDONALD, Clerk.

**COURT OF REVISION**

**TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND**

The Court of Revision on the 1937 assessment roll for the Township of Holland will be held in the Township Hall at Holland Centre on Tuesday, June 1st, 1937, commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. All interested will please govern themselves accordingly.  
JAMES P. HARE, Clerk.

**COURT OF REVISION**

**VILLAGE OF MARKDALE**

The Court of Revision on the 1937 Assessment Roll for the Village of Markdale will meet in the Council Chamber at 7.30 o'clock on Friday evening, May 28th, 1937. Those having business with the court are hereby notified to act accordingly.  
THOS. TUCK, Clerk.

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

**FRATERNAL**

L. O. L.—Markdale L.O.L. No. 1045 meets in the Orange Hall, Markdale, at 8 o'clock p.m., the first Thursday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. Clifford Hutchinson, W.M.; L. H. Turner, Rec.-Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—Hiram Lodge No. 490, G.R.C., Markdale, meets in the Masonic Hall, Reburn Block, at 8 o'clock p.m., on the second Thursday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. W. M. Harris, W.M.; A. E. Colgan, Sec.

R. B. K.—Victoria Preceptory No. 282 meets in the Orange Hall, Markdale, at 8 o'clock p.m., the third Thursday in each month. Visiting brethren always cordially welcome. G. W. Littlejohn, W. P.; A. E. Colgan, Registrar.

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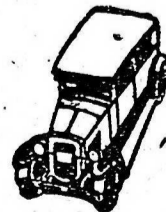
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