

## Markdale Dairy

OUR  
CHRISTMAS GREETING  
Heartfelt Cheer and Sincerest  
Hope that Our Patrons  
and Friends will have a  
Most Enjoyable Christmas  
and a Happy New Year.  
Austin Bowdway

## Merry Christmas

May everything jolly  
and everything gay,  
Come to you all  
This Christmas Day

**A. E. Scott**  
General Blacksmith

SINCERE GOOD WISHES  
FOR

A MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR

**Wallace Wilson**  
Trucker, Markdale, Ont.  
Phone 29 r 1-4

### MERRY CHRISTMAS

With sincere thanks for  
past patronage & continued  
good will in the future.

**B. H. WALDEN**  
Blacksmith and Auctioneer

A MERRY CHRISTMAS  
TO ALL  
Markdale 5c to \$1.00 Store  
**M. C. Richards**

A Merry Christmas and  
A Very Happy New Year  
**A. J. NORRIS**  
Collections and Insurance

With All Good Wishes for  
Christmas & the New Year  
**W. W. GRAHAM**  
Plymouth Cars - Shell Gas

A Merry Christmas and a  
Happy and Prosperous  
New Year is extended to all  
my customers who have so  
kindly patronized me in the  
past.

**JACK HILL**  
Trucker

## RADIO SERVICE

Tubes Tested Free  
on  
Tuesdays  
at  
**Wallace Graham's  
Service Station**  
by

**Frank H. Weaver**  
Graduate of  
Radio College of Canada  
ALL MAKES OF  
RADIOS REPAIRED  
Phone Markdale 39  
for a personal call in town

## CHERRY GROVE

Merry Christmas to the Editor and family and readers of our weekly paper.

Mrs. J. E. Wyville has returned home from Berkeley.

Mrs. Jack Bradey and son, Lee, are visiting with Mrs. Dave Lee in Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Boyes, Mervin and Ross, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smart. Mr. Cecil Smart of Lauriston also spent Sunday with his parents.

Messrs. Ran Bradey, Jack Bradey and W. A. Dickie spent Monday with Walters Falls friends.

Mrs. Cecil Williamson and Keith are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Williamson at Goring.

Congratulations to Mr. Russell Boyce for obtaining a prize for his chickens on Poultry Market Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickie visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Swanton at Cheesewille.

Mr. Jack Bradey is in Toronto for a couple of days this week.

About 6 o'clock Monday evening the alarm was sent out that Mr. John Cameron's house was on fire. All the neighbor men were soon there and got it under control although a lot of the floors were damaged. The fire got between the floors and partitions.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pendleton, in company with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyce, spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilson of Lauriston.

Mr. Tom Mills and son of Bognor spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hill.

## EBENEZER

A merry Christmas to ye editor and staff and all Standard readers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swanton of the East Backline were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Taylor.

Miss Dell Brodie of Markdale visited with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brodie and attended the Sunday School concert.

The staff of Mr. L. L. Kaake of Nobleton have been pressing hay in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor attended the poultry fair in Owen Sound on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mathewson of Ceylon were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Wyvill and family.

Quite a number from here attended the Vandeleur W. I. meeting at the home of Mrs. F. R. Boland.

The annual Sunday School Christmas concert on Wednesday evening was a splendid success. The Church was fittingly decorated by the girls of the "Blue Bird Helpers" class under the leadership of Mrs. A. V. Bowen and was filled to capacity with an appreciative audience. Rev. H. S. Warren was chairman. The program opened with an address of welcome by the Superintendent. A solo by Jean Wyvill, "While Shepherds Watched their Flocks by Night", was much appreciated, as was also "The Journey of the Wise Men", led by Mrs. N. Genoa. The primary grades, with Mrs. Victor Brodie in charge, gave recitations. Twelve girls from the junior grades gave a pleasing drill under the leadership of Mrs. N. Genoa and Mrs. H. Hutchinson. The "Young Rangers" class also gave a very fine drill; also a recitation, solo and chorus with Mrs. Russell Freeman in charge. This class, which won the attendance award for the second year in succession with an average attendance of 92.7, was called back to the platform and congratulated. Two pleasing Christmas Carols were sung by pupils of Miss Madge Lucas and Mr. Perry, music instructors in the public schools. A sketch by Alberta, Eleanor and Dorothy Hutchinson completed this part of the program. Dennis Wyvill assisted with instrumental music during the program. This was followed by a play, "The Young Country School Ma'am", fittingly given by fourteen pupils of the senior grades directed by Mrs. A. V. Bowen. Diplomas and seals were then presented by the teachers, after which Santa Claus arrived and distributed the gifts from the tree. A unique feature this year was the gift of a picture of their own class to each pupil, teacher and officer entitled to receive one under the attendance regulations. In all sixty-eight pictures were given. Lunch brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

## ROCKLYN

The Rocklyn Women's Institute held their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 16th, at the home of Mrs. Thos. Menary with the president, Mrs. Earl Gardiner, in the chair. The meeting opened with the Ode, followed by the Lord's Prayer. It was decided to contribute five dollars to the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto. After considerable discussion the rates for the use of the piano were left as they have been, that is a charge of one dollar will be made to outsiders using it, a charge of fifty cents to local talent and a nominal charge of twenty-five cents for its use in religious services. Mrs. Menary gave the report of the Sunshine Committee and letters of appreciation were read from those remembered. A very comprehensive report of the recent Institute convention held in Toronto was prepared by Mrs. Menary, the delegate, and read by Miss Barbara Curry. Mrs. Menary also expressed her keen enjoyment in attending the convention and her appreciation of being privileged to be present. A vocal duet was then rendered by Misses Mildred and Ruth Gardiner, and a Christmas reading was given by Mrs. Mary Cook. Following the meeting lunch was served by the hostess and her assistants.

Rocklyn school concert was held in the hall on Friday evening, having been postponed from the previous Friday owing to unfavorable weather. Following a lengthy program, showing much preparation by the teacher, Miss Black, and her pupils, lunch was served. Dancing concluded the evening.

Miss Beth Patterson and her pupils at Sligo school entertained at a social evening on Friday evening, when the residents of the section were present to enjoy the children's program and a social hour together. Lunch was served at the close of the evening.

Following the close of school this week, Miss Black of Rocklyn and Miss Patterson of Sligo left for their respective homes at Southampton and Riverdale.

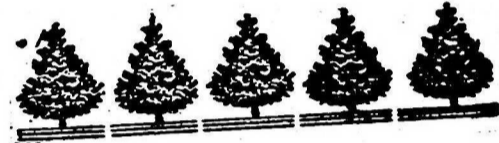
# Merry Christmas

Sincere good wishes for a Merry  
Christmas and a Happy  
New Year.

**J. P. Murphy, Markdale**

# Season's Greetings

MAY THIS CHRISTMAS BE THE  
MERRIEST AND NEXT YEAR THE  
HAPPIEST YOU HAVE EVER HAD.



# The White Swan Bakery

MARKDALE, ONT.

George Kidd

Stanley Kidd



# Christmas, 1937

That your Christmas may be  
a merry one and that the New  
Year may bring you a full  
measure of the things you hope  
for is the sincere wish of

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