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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. W. E. Stoddart spent the past week with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. H. Freeman was a week-end visitor with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pickell of Paris called on friends in town on Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Colgan spent a few days last week with relatives in Hamilton.

A coat of paint has brightened up the fronts of the Lucas Drug Store and the Post Office.

Miss Greta Elliott of Toronto visited over the week-end with her father, Mr. Jack Elliott.

Mrs. C. R. King and Miss Verna Burnside were week-end visitors with relatives in Sudbury.

On Wednesday, May 11th, the Union Fellowship Meeting will be at the home of Rev. A. Mills.

Miss Annis Hamilton of Toronto spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hamilton.

Miss Beth Buchanan of Holland Centre was a week-end guest with Misses Mazie and Mildred Bussey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McNinis and children of Hanover visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mercer.

Rev. C. O. and Mrs. Pherrill spent the first of the week in London, where the former attended the Synod.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reburn are visiting with friends at London. The former is also attending the Synod sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. R. Matthews of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Snell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carter attended the funeral of the late Mrs. George Lawrence at Clarksburg on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McHugh and daughter, Miss Edna, spent Sunday in Orangeville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Duke.

Misses Seelina and Joy Ellis of Kimberley visited on Sunday with the former's niece, Mrs. Bert Carter, and Mr. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews and daughters of Dundalk visited on Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Naomi Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellis of Owen Sound and Mr. Arthur Howard of Alberta visited on Sunday with their cousin, Mr. Ben. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Perkins and daughter, Margaret, of Toronto are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Russell of Dundalk and Mrs. R. C. Heldrich of Oxford, Mich., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins.

Mr. Geo. McFadden of the highway, north of the village, has a prolific sow which last week gave birth to seventeen little porkers. Sixteen of them are living and doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Flynn and Fred, Mrs. Evada Nesbitt and Sheila attended the funeral of the former's brother, Mr. Wm. Flynn, at Swinton Park on Thursday of last week.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins were: Mr. and Mrs. Eric Foster and daughter, Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Perkins, Lorna and George, and Mr. Geo. Archer, all of Toronto.

Mr. A. E. Colgan was in St. Catharines a couple of days last week with his brother, Mr. Joseph Colgan, who suffered a severe paralytic seizure a few days previous. He is in a critical condition.

John Burrell of Rocklyn shipped by Trevor Thompson's transport on Monday a splendid export steer to Toronto which topped the market that day at 7.15 per hundred. It pays to finish cattle for the export market.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Campbell of Elmwood visited their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Stewart, Mr. Stewart and family and also their brother, Mr. Wm. Campbell, Mrs. Campbell and son, Glen, at Crawford on Sunday.

A portion of the Knott block on the north side of Main Street has been leased by Swifts of Canada and necessary alterations are being made. We understand the local business will be a buying station operated in connection with the Hanover plant.

Helen McFadden, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McFadden of Detroit, sang recently at Windsor over the Western Ontario Broadcasting Co. Ltd. station, C.K.L.W., in the Guaranty Trust Building, on the Michigan Square programme. Helen is only 16 years old and sings nicely over the radio.

Rev. J. E. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor arrived from Toronto on Monday and are getting settled in the Manse. Mr. Taylor is the new Presbyterian pastor and will have charge of the Churches at Swinton Park and Pricerville as well as Cooke's Church here. The Standard extends a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor as citizens of the village.

MARKDALE STORES OPEN WEDNESDAY NIGHTS THIS YEAR

CLOSE THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The majority of the business people of Markdale have agreed to remain open Wednesday nights during the months of May, June, July, August and September, and to observe the half holiday on Thursday afternoon. Some of the stores will not observe this order until the first of June.

The change from Tuesday to Wednesday as the open night has been made in order to better accommodate the farming community.

LIVE STOCK MARKET REPORT

DUNN & LEVACK, TORONTO

Monday's cattle market held active and strong for choice heavy steers and butcher cattle, also cows, but butcher cattle of common to medium quality were slow and the prices easier. A limited number of good to choice weighty steers sold for export at from 6.50 to 7.00; fair to good from 5.75 to 6.40. Choice butcher steers and heifers brought from 5.75 to 1.25, with a few fancy up to 1.50; fair to good from 5.25 to 5.75; common to medium 4.50 to 5.25. Choice baby beefs brought from 1.75 to 1.50; others at lower prices according to quality. Stockers and feeders were in good demand at from 4.50 to 5.00. The cow market was active with choice light heifers cows from 5.00 to 5.50; choice fat cows from 4.75 to 5.00; fair to good from 4.00 to 4.50; common to medium 3.00 to 3.75; canners and cutters 2.50 to 2.75. Choice light butcher bulls 4.50 to 4.75; choice heavy bulls from 4.25 to 4.50; bolognas mostly 4.00.

Lambs featured the market, advancing to a new high of 11 cents, which was obtained for some 400 Alberta feed lot lambs. Ontario shipments brought from 9.75 to 10.50, according to quality. Choice butcher sheep ranged from 4.75 to 5.50. The calf market was slow, with choice veal calves selling at \$2.25 to \$3.00; fair to good from 7.50 to 8.00; common to medium 5.50 to 7.00.

The hog market showed weakness as local buyers were bidding lower, due to lower reports from the United Kingdom. However, during the late trading of the day, outsiders were helpful in securing most of the truck deliveries at 10 cents. There is an uncertainty about the future markets during the latter part of the week and it will depend entirely upon the outside trade as to what will take place.

NEW ENGLAND W. I.

The April meeting of the New England W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Jos. Cherry of Wodehouse on April 28th, with twenty-one members and visitors present. The meeting was opened by singing the Ode and repeating the Lord's prayer in unison. The Scripture reading was read by Miss Della Wiley. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. This being the annual meeting Mrs. A. Bowen was asked to conduct the election of officers. Mrs. A. A. Thompson, after thanking the members for their good will and splendid support for the past 10 years, declined to hold the office of president any longer. The following are the officers: President, Mrs. D. Lee; 1st Vice President, Mrs. R. Lawson; 2nd Vice President, Miss Verna Wiley; Sec. Treas., Mrs. C. Risk; Dist. Director, Mrs. A. A. Thompson; Organist, Mrs. J. Haynes; Sunshine Committee, Mrs. R. Graham, Mrs. R. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Thompson and Mrs. R. Brown; Press Reporter, Miss Gweny Thompson; Programme Committee, Miss B. Paterson, Miss E. Parker, Miss R. Brown, Mrs. S. Wiley Jr. and Mrs. A. F. Thompson. A copper contest was organized with Misses V. Wiley and Gweny Thompson as captains. The losing side is to provide a supper and the winning side to provide the programme in six months' time. An ice cream social is being arranged for the 13th of May in Sligo School. Other items of business were then discussed. Miss Holland recited one of Edgar Guest's poems; Mrs. Haynes sang "He'll Pilot Me". This programme was much enjoyed and the meeting was closed by singing "The Old Rugged Cross". A wonderful supper was provided by Mrs. W. Lawson and Mrs. R. Brown, and served by the girls. The next meeting is to be held at Mrs. A. E. Thompson's on May 26th. Everybody welcome.

Leona E. Boyd, Bride of Wm. Wilson, Belleville

Miss Leona E. Boyd, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd of Euphrasia, was married on Friday, May 6th, 1938, to Mr. William D. Wilson of Belleville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Wilson of Belleville, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. Harris, Ardmore Road, Forest Hill. Rev. J. D. Parks of Carleton Street Church officiated.

The bride wore a Princess gown of ivory lace and taffeta with a short train at the back, a matching hat and a shoulder-length veil, and Sun-set roses and lily-of-the-valley.

At a reception held at the Royal York Hotel, Mrs. Harold B. Wilson wore a gown of green velvet, a large hat of satin in gold and green, and a corsage of violets. The couple left on a wedding trip to Miami, Florida, the bride travelling in a black printed dress, a black coat, matching accessories, and a silver fox cape. They will reside at 60 West Bridge, Belleville, and will be at home to their friends after May 23.

Officials to Discuss Better Weed Control

Special Invitation Issued to Farmers to Attend Meeting Sponsored by the Ontario Department of Agriculture—Ontario Crop Losses Due to Weeds Last Year Estimated at Eighteen Million Dollars.

Members of municipal councils, road officials, weed inspectors and all interested farmers are invited to attend a meeting in the Ontario Department of Agriculture Office in Markdale, Friday, May 20th, at 10 a.m. to discuss ways and means of best battling the weed menace in Ontario which last year cost the farmers of this Province at least \$18,000,000. The Ontario Department of Agriculture proposes to make a concentrated drive on weeds this year and will perfect organization in this and every county, in an effort to materially lessen these terrific losses.

Officials of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture will explain the provisions of the Weed Control Act and point out the duties of weed inspectors. Noxious weeds and their control will receive special attention, as will eradication of weeds by chemicals.

Officials are anxious to have every farmer possible attend this meeting and are issuing a special invitation to every farmer in this county to be present.

\$350 In Cash Taken

The first robbery in the Beaver Valley district in some time was discovered by cream truck drivers for the Beaver Valley Creamery, Clarksburg, when they came to work early Monday morning. Envelopes containing about \$350 for the farmers of the community had been placed in a large refrigerator for the drivers to distribute. The door at the rear of the creamery had been broken in, and found on the inside had been used to remove the refrigerator door. Provincial Constables S. Cook and H. Noble are investigating.

Grey County Peace Memorial Committee Named

Committees have been named in connection with the erection of the Grey County Peace Memorial, to be erected on the east hill at Owen Sound at a cost of about \$7,000. Names of those Grey County men who lost their lives in the World War will be inscribed on the memorial, and a beacon light will be seen for miles around.

Owen Sound has agreed to pay for the perpetual care of the memorial. Warden Howard A. McCauley of Flesheron was made chairman; Mayor Allan Stewart of Owen Sound, vice-chairman; Miss Olive Kilbourn, secretary; and W. B. Legate, treasurer. Committee chairmen are: Grey County Council, Warden H. A. McCauley; Owen Sound Council, J. H. Rutherford; Thornbury, Col. R. Ferguson; Owen Sound Legion, Col. Geo. D. Fleming; Chatsworth, R. McGillivray; Flesheron, William Turney; Dundalk, Wallace Wellwood; Durham, James Duffield; Hanover, Dr. H. Pilkey; Shallow Lake, Reeve David Allen; Maxwell, W. Kernahan; Pricerville, W. McBride; and Chesley, John C. McDonald. The committee in charge of the erection of the monument is composed of Col. Thos. J. Rutherford, W. S. Hunter, Warden McCauley, Mayor Stewart and F. G. McKay.

Cooke's Presbyterian Church

Rev. J. E. Taylor, Minister

10 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Mother's Day Service.

Shall it be Filters or Wells for Markdale Water Supply?

QUESTION IS DISCUSSED BY DR. BERRY OF PROVINCIAL HEALTH DEPT.

Markdale water has not been testing consistently high in the Department's analysis, according to Dr. Berry, chief engineer of the Health Department, who discussed the possible remedies for the undesirable situation with three council members and a few citizens in the Council room on Friday evening.

Expressing the Department's concern in the matter, and commenting upon the favourable financial position of the Water Supply System at the present time, Dr. Berry urged that immediate consideration be given to the problem. With him was Mr. T. L. McManama, of the International Water Supply Co., introduced by Reeve-Rusk, to display a reel of film on the methods of drilling large municipal supply wells.

In reply to questions by Councilors Richards and Carefoot Mr. McManama explained that his company would undertake to find wells and install pumps to supply 200,000 gallons per day to the village mains at a cost of \$5000, or a 300,000 gallon supply for \$6000. The water would be approved by Departmental test and the system would be guaranteed for one year. In case of failure to locate water of suitable quality or in sufficient quantities, the maximum cost to the village would be \$500.

Mr. McManama answered other questions as to the possibility of finding sufficient underground water by referring to an earlier survey of the district. He could not, of course, reply positively, but he had found no reason to expect anything but success.

The system suggested could be made entirely automatic, thus eliminating operating costs, and operated without extra power cost by avoiding the daily peaks.

Citing other municipalities of a similar size, or in this district, the speaker told of maintenance costs on the pump amounting to less than \$150 over a period of seven or eight years.

In discussing the amount of water required by the municipality, Dr.

Work on Flesheron Woollen Mill Progressing

(The Flesheron Advance)

Work on the new woollen mill is progressing very favorably although wet weather on Monday prevented the workmen continuing their job. The building will be a frame construction, single story, and will have considerably more floor space than the old mill with the machinery compactly arranged. The picker in which the fire started that destroyed the old mill, will be housed in the cement section of the old mill which is in first class condition and will be partly fireproof. Repairs were made to the flume that will improve its efficiency. The old water wheel was undamaged and will again be used for power to drive the machinery. Mr. Nuhn expects to have the mill in operation by the end of June.

KIMBERLEY

Cool weather at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkpatrick of Goring visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kirkpatrick.

Arbor Day was observed in the school here Friday. The pupils of the 10th of Collingwood and their teacher, Mr. Jolley, motored over and played a friendly softball game with the pupils here. The result was a victory for the home team by a score of 35 to 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Wardman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pattison of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weber and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Stafford and family of Barrie visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Cornfield.

Mr. Harold Proctor spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. G. Proctor, here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Carruthers and Jean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Brown and family at Meaford.

Mrs. Herma Ferrier and boys of Barrie visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Graham and Mrs. S. S. Barritt.

The Educational moving pictures held here on Monday night were very much enjoyed by all. The pictures dealt with the preservation and protection of wild animals and birds and were shown by the Y. P. U. Messrs. Beamer, Brown and Hepple of the Meaford Naturalist Club very ably conducted the series.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haines and Laverne of Bala have returned for

William Flynn Died in Hamilton Hospital

Death came to William J. Flynn in a Hamilton hospital on Tuesday, May 3rd, about 1.30 p.m. He was 52 years old, being born in Flesheron on February 13th, 1886. He was a son of the late John and Margaret Flynn. He was a veteran of the Great War and went overseas in 1916 with the 147th Grey Regiment. Returning from overseas he was married in 1921 to Matilda Parker, who survives with two daughters, Annie and Lillian. Four brothers and two sisters also survive, namely: John of Vandeleur; Thomas of Berkeley; Ernest and Charles of Toronto; Mrs. Eph. Storey (Annie) of Toronto, and May of Vandeleur.

The funeral was held on Thursday, May 5th, from the home of John and Abraham Parker to Salem United Church where a large crowd gathered to pay their respects to one who had served his country. Rev. H. E. Wright held an impressive service during the course of which Messrs. Edwin Fowler and Ed. Heard sang a duet.

The committal service in Salem Cemetery was conducted by Dundalk branch of the Canadian Legion, with Comrade Thomas Chase, president, in charge. The pallbearers were Comrades Dr. Sudden, Joe Stafford, Earl Robinson, Henry Hall, Geo. McCauley and William Mills; medal bearer, Comrade John Ritz; bugler, Comrade Dr. Marshall; flower bearers, Comrades Fred. Fell, Fred. Knox, S. H. Porter and Thos. Chase.

Floral tributes included a spray from Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Flynn, Toronto; spray from Swamp College teacher and pupils, and a basket from Mrs. Fred. Clarke.

Friends from a distance attending the funeral were: Mrs. Joseph Nicholson of Bolton; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Flynn of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Flynn and Mrs. E. Nesbitt of Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ottowell and Dolly of Faversham; Mrs. E. Storey of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker, Mrs. W. Benson and daughter of Maxwell.

Impressive Tribute to the Late Mrs. T. R. Grace

(The Ottawa Citizen)

Impressive tribute by a host of friends, members of the Catholic clergy of Ottawa and prominent citizens was paid to the memory of Mrs. Thomas R. Grace, mother of a distinguished family of the Capital, who died on Thursday.

The lengthy cortege proceeded from the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Van Dusen, 38 James street, to St. Margaret Mary's Church, where the body was received at the door by Rev. Father A. E. Armstrong, parish priest. Solemn requiem high mass was chanted by Rev. Father Thomas B. Grace of Markdale, Ont., a son of Mrs. Grace, assisted by Rev. Father Armstrong as deacon and Rev. Father L. Reynolds as sub-deacon.

Present in the sanctuary were Rev. Father Clement Braceland of St. Mary's church; Rev. Father John Smith, Chelsea; Rev. Father A. O'Neill and Rev. Father George Larose of St. Theresa's church; Rev. Father M. O'Neill and Rev. Father W. Nevins, St. George's church; Very Rev. Canon George Prudhomme, parish priest of Blessed Sacrament church; Rev. Father Frank Corkery of South Gloucester; Rev. Father L. Denis, Ottawa University.

Interment was in Notre Dame cemetery where prayers at the graveside were said by Rev. Father Armstrong.

Chief mourners were four sons: Wilfrid J. Grace, barrister, of Ottawa; Rev. Father Thomas B. Grace of Markdale, Ont.; Gerald J. Grace, Ottawa, and Raymond Grace, also of Markdale, and five daughters: Mrs. Charles T. Routh, Mrs. D. Roy Harris, Mrs. F. L. Van Dusen of Ottawa, and Mrs. F. G. Wait of Kingston. There are 26 grandchildren and one great-grandchild surviving. Also present were one brother, Thomas J. Doyle of the Public Works Department, and a sister, Miss Mary Jane Doyle of Ottawa.

A profusion of floral tributes, mass offerings, and telegrams, received by the bereaved family indicated the high esteem in which Mrs. Grace was held.

IN MEMORIAM

VARTY—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, John Varty, who passed away May 14, 1934.

"Thy will be done" seems hard to say
When one we loved has passed away.
Some day, perhaps, we'll understand,
When we meet again in that promised land.
Sadly missed by Wife and Family.

Funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Eagles

The funeral of the late Mrs. Chas. Eagles, who passed away suddenly at her home here on Tuesday, May 3rd, took place on Thursday afternoon, with a large number of relatives, friends and neighbours in attendance.

Following a short service in the home, public service was held in Annesley United Church at 2 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. H. S. Warren, gave a comforting message, and made reference to the many fine qualities of the deceased. "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Rock of Ages" were two of the hymns used. The pallbearers were six nephews: Messrs. Harry, Russell, Reg. and Harold Hill, Matt. Bennett and Jim Nesbitt.

The beautiful floral tributes were carried by Messrs. Chas. and Wallace Bennett, Kenneth Hill, Clair Hill, Nelson Hill and Geo. Foy.

Friends present from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hill and family of Meaford; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bennett of Pricerville; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blakeley, Mr. Wm. Butterfield and mother of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Laven Boggs, Mrs. Ben. Boggs, Mrs. Jas. Boggs and Miss Mary Boggs of Marsville; Mr. Sam. Boggs of Orangeville; Mr. and Mrs. E. Cooper, Mrs. Geo. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Eagles of Meaford; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eagles of Bayview.

The Churches

Anglican Church Notes
Rev. C. O. Pherrill, B.A., B.D.

Christ Church, Markdale
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.

St. Matthias' Church, Berkeley
2.15 p.m.—Sunday School.
3 p.m.—Church Service.

United Church of Canada

Rev. H. S. Warren, B.A.

10.45 a.m.—Morning Service.
11.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
2.30 p.m.—Ebenzer Service.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.

Gospel Workers' Church

Rev. A. Mills, Minister

Markdale Church
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Service.
7.30 p.m.—Service in charge of the young people.
Tuesday and Thursday evenings Cottage prayer meetings.
Friday at 8 p.m.—Young People's meeting in the Church.

Williamsford Church
11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.—Service.
Cottage prayer meeting Tuesday evening.

Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at five cents per line for each insertion with a minimum charge of 25 cents.

Don't miss Bob Shiels and his troupe of kiddies at Rocklyn, May 20th, under the auspices of Rocklyn Agricultural Society. Dance after concert.

Hear the play, "When Sally Comes to Town", in the Orange Hall at Berkeley on Friday, May 13th, under the auspices of the Anglican Guild. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

Mark Thursday, June 2, for the big amateur contest and dance in Dundalk arena, auspices of Bowling Club. Willis Tipping and his Blue Dragons will supply music.

Chatsworth Tennis Club will present their play, "The Show Boat", in Walters Falls hall on May 16th, under the auspices of Anglican Guild. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

Markdale Rotary Club invites you to their first Big Dance to be held in the Armouries, Markdale, on Monday, May 23rd. Music by Midway 5-piece Orchestra. Lunch served. Admission \$1.00 a couple. Dancing 9 to 2.

Under the auspices of the W.C.T.U. a double oratorical medal contest will be held on Friday evening, May 13th, in the school room of Annesley United Church. Five girls and five boys will take part. Admission 20 and 10 cents.