

### THOMPSON'S The Gift Shop for Men and Boys



### CHOOSE HIS CHRISTMAS GIFT From These Unusual Values

They are the kind of things he would select for himself. Most of them are in attractive Christmas boxes.

- Neckties in Gift Boxes . . . . 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00
- Fancy Socks in Christmas packages . 25c, 50c, 75c
- Scarves, Silk and Wool, Boxed . . . . 50c and \$1.00
- Men's and Boys' Suspenders, boxed . . 25c and 50c
- Fine Gloves. Every pair boxed at . . . 75c to \$2.95
- Broadcloth Shirts . . . . . 79c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00
- Pyjamas, attractive patterns . . \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.50
- Tie and Handkerchief Sets, boxed . . 75c and \$1.00
- Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy . . 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c
- Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs . . . 25c, 29c, 35c
- Ski Caps. All colors for Men, Boys and Girls \$1.00
- Windbreakers for Men and Boys . . \$2.95 to \$4.95
- Boys' Golf Hose, very special value . . 25c, 39c, 50c
- Men's Work Socks, all wool, at . . . 25c, 35c and 50c
- Horseshide Mitts and Gloves . . . . . 69c to \$1.25

OVERCOATS, SUITS, BILTMORE HATS, BRILL CAPS, BATH ROBES, HOUSE SLIPPERS, OVERSHOES, RUBBERS, BOOTS AND SHOES AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES FOR THE CHRISTMAS TRADE.

### P. J. THOMPSON Men's and Boys' Wear, Markdale

### WALTERS FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon are now occupying Mrs. McQuaker's house.

Mr. Garvie spent several days of last week with his wife here. Tyward the end of the week they and Mrs. Rex Adams closed the house and moved to Toronto for the winter.

Rev. Rokeby-Thomas attended a meeting of Huron clergy at London last Friday.

Last Wednesday afternoon was the W.I. November meeting day at Mrs. Cook's home. A good attendance was present. After the usual opening the business was discussed. A letter re the grant, was read and on motion was decided to apply for same. An issue of Home and Country was distributed. The roll call was answered by a verse or thought about Armistice. "Long, long ago" was the chorus used. Mrs. Robt. King gave a reading of the life of the late Dr. Drummond and read two of his poems in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. Gardner gave a very vivid account of the Area Convention of which she was a delegate, and thanked the branch for the opportunity of attending. Some arrangement was necessary about the December meeting, which will be held on Dec. 17th, at the parsonage. An exchange of gifts, not costing more than 15 cents, is to be a feature. A motion was carried to remember the shut-ins at Christmas. After singing the National Anthem lunch was served by Mrs. N. Rennie, Mrs. Caswell and hostess.

Messrs. John Lemon and Jas. Hanna left last Friday for 30 days training at Long Branch and Newmarket, respectively.



MONDAY, DEC. 2nd—  
A full attendance is requested as business affecting the welfare of the lodge and its members will be discussed.  
A. E. COLGAN, Noble Grand

Films Developed  
48 hour service  
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—Chong's—  
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Films may be left at the George Cafe

### EBENEZER

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutchinson and family spent Sunday with friends in Durham.

Mrs. A. McConnell of Pickering, Mrs. Lowry of Schomberg and Mrs. F. J. Ritchie of Markdale visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Freeman.

Preparations are going strong for the annual Sunday School concert on Friday, Dec. 13th.

### TEMPLE HILL

The farmers around here are making use of the open weather to finish up the fall plowing.

The Board of managers of the church met in the manse on Wednesday evening when several items of business were attended to. It was decided to try and sell part of the shed.

Several from here are attending the St. John's ambulance training in the Rocklyn hall.

Dennis Wyrville left on Friday for Long Branch for thirty days military training.

Miss Christina Mills visited on Sunday at her home here. Glen is home now after working a month for Roy Wyrville at Blantyre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Merrifield attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Janet Robinson in Owen Sound on Thursday.

A wood bee was held in Ernie Ptolemy's bush on Tuesday last getting a supply for the church. There was a real turn-out and a lot of work was done in a short time.

### HARKAWAY

The Harkaway United Church Sunday School Christmas entertainment will be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 17th in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Carbert and family of Meaford visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dixon and family of Strathaven and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tolton and two children were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rae.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rodman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Baillie and son, Ronald moved to Berkeley last week.

The Red Cross met in the church on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 20. The president in charge, the meeting opened with the theme song followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Roll call answered by twelve ladies present. Mrs. Wesley Patton gave the report of the finances. Mrs. H. Patton is to get material to finish quilt and also material for linings for the chain quilts. The blocks of the chain quilt are to all be in by the next meeting and plans will be made for quilting. The next meeting is to be on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 11th in the church. Finished work handed in as follows: 25 prs. socks, 2 sweaters, 1 scarf, 1 pair mitts and 3 pair wristlets. The chorus "There'll always be an England" was sung and the National Anthem closed the meeting.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor and Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lyons and family.

### CHERRY GROVE

We are having a real spasm of winter weather. Those last gales seem to play such havoc on land and sea.

Thanks a million to all those who so loyally stuck with the sponsors of the Red Cross dances all summer and the climax one at the home of Mr. Albert Fawcett last Friday evening. Well over a hundred attended and the dance floor was filled at all times with dancers tripping the light fantastic to the harmony of the violin and guitar played by the Hartleys, Junior and senior. In the dining room tables of cards were enjoyed. The booth with its hot dogs and pop and the lunch counter with sandwiches of different kinds along with tea were both well patronized. Appreciation is extended to Mr. Fawcett for the use of his home. We are sorry the winter is on us with its snow, cold and bad roads as we are obliged to withdraw these pleasurable pastimes until later. But don't forget folks, we hope for your support next spring.

Don't forget ladies, next Thursday, Dec. 5th, to come to the Red Cross meeting at the home of Mesdames Douglas. Everyone interested in this worthy cause is invited. Come along, your help and suggestions are needed next Thursday, Dec. 5th.

Mr. Geo. Smith has returned to Toronto after spending a week at the Hodgson home.

Mr. Dave Weber of Kimberley called at Ran Bradey's one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pendleton and Miss Alma visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Pendleton of Rosedale.

Pte. Clayton McWhinney of Toronto spent the week-end with his wife and family here.

### AUCTION SALE

Of Farm Stock, Implements, Household Furniture, Etc.

On SATURDAY, November 30th, commencing promptly at 1 o'clock

The undersigned auctioneer has received instructions from the executors of the DAVID SYMES Estate to sell by Public Auction at Lot 23, Co. 11, Glenelg, (2 miles west of Markdale on the County Road) the following, namely:

HORSES—General purpose mare, 5 years old; driving mare, 7 years old.

CATTLE AND POULTRY—Jersey cow 7 years old, due in April, milking; Jersey cow 5 years old, due in March, milking; Jersey cow 8 years old, milking; 2 Jersey heifer calves, 11 months old; Jersey heifer calf, 8 months old; heifer calf, 4 months old; 40 rock hens.

POTATOES, HAY AND OATS—20 bags of potatoes, 10 ton of hay, 3 loads of oat sheaves.

IMPLEMENTATIONS, ETC.—Bain wagon, Fleury plow No. 21, set heavy sleighs, set Diamond harrows, rubber tired buggy, cutter, set Renfrew scales, DeLaval cream separator, mower, set heavy harness, set light harness, cowhide robe, pair horse blankets, forks, tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS—Complete household equipment including stoves, table, chairs, beds, bedding, dishes, complete set of dishes, floor coverings, dressers, victrola, 100 records, sewing machine, Alladin lamp, churn, quantity of preserved fruit, pots and pans, etc., etc.

TERMS—Cash.

Wm. Symes and E. W. Quinton, executors.

Geo. E. DUNCAN, Auctioneer.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the estate of HUGH KIRKPATRICK, farmer, late of the Township of Euphrasia, in the County of Grey, deceased, who died on or about the 3rd day of November, 1940, are hereby notified to send in to I. B. Lucas & Company, Solicitors for the Executors of the estate of the said deceased, on or before the 9th of December, 1940, full particulars of their claims. Immediately after the said date the executors of this estate will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have notice, to the exclusion of all others, and they will not be liable to any person whose claim they shall not then have notice of for the assets so distributed or any part thereof.

DATED at Markdale this 20th day of November, 1940.

I. B. LUCAS & COMPANY, Markdale, Solicitors for the Executors.

### Alberta Coal BLUE COAL

### Herb Walker

Phone 170, Markdale

### POPPY DAY

The members of the Markdale Branch of the Canadian Legion wish to extend their hearty thanks to all those who helped to make Poppy Day such a success.

To those who generously gave of their time and endeavor in selling the poppies and to those who bought poppies, we are deeply grateful.

K. S. Gemmel, President. W. J. Plewes, Secretary.

### WRIGHT'S FINE FOODS

\*\*\* CHRISTMAS BAKING SPECIALS \*\*\*

- Sunbeam Seeded Raisins 16 oz. package . . . . . 16c
- Seedless Raisins 2 lbs. for . . . . . 23c
- Maraschino Cherries Per lb. . . . . 45c
- Fresh Currants 2 lbs. for . . . . . 25c
- Snowflake Pastry Flour 24 lb. . . . . 61c
- Cut Mixed Peel Lemon, Orange and Citron Per lb. . . . . 25c
- Walnut Pieces 1/2 lb. . . . . 19c
- Canned Pumpkin 2 1/2 tin . . . . . 10c
- Puffed Raisins Per lb. . . . . 15c
- Lipton's Tea Red Label . . . . . 1/4 lb. 86c Yellow Label . . . . . 1/4 lb. 86c Orange Label . . . . . 1/4 lb. 41c

Phone 1w **ART. WRIGHT** We deliver THE WRIGHT PLACE TO SHOP FRUITS AND VEGETABLES APPLES

## Poultry Fair IN MARKDALE Wednesday, Dec. 11

Markdale's Big Poultry Fair will be held on Wednesday, December 11, when Local and Out-of-town Buyers will be on hand from noon until evening to Buy Dressed Poultry.

### \$20.00

- In Cash will be given as SPECIAL PRIZES FOR THE FOLLOWING:
- Best Load of Chickens . . . . . \$3.00 and \$1.00
  - Best Load of Geese . . . . . \$3.00 and \$1.00
  - Best Load of Turkeys . . . . . \$3.00 and \$1.00
  - Load Coming Greatest Distance \$3.00 and \$1.00
  - Largest Load of Poultry by Weight . . . . . \$3.00 and \$1.00

Judging will be done from 12 noon to 3 p.m. in front of the Department of Agriculture building All Poultry Entered for Above Prizes Must Be the Producers' Stock — No Two Prizes Awarded To One Exhibitor —

Candies and Nuts for the Kiddies



Big Parade Led by the Markdale Band

## SANTA CLAUS will be in Markdale Saturday, Dec. 7

arriving at 2.00 o'clock

AND HE WILL HAVE A LIBERAL TREAT FOR EVERY KIDDIE

All Children and others in costume and decorated floats are asked to gather at the Markdale School ready to leave with Santa Claus at 2 o'clock sharp.

### \$55.00 Offered in Prizes:

will be divided as follows:

- SCHOOL IN COSTUME . . . . . 1st prize \$15.00; 2nd prize \$5.00
- BEST ORIGINAL FLOAT . . . . . 1st prize \$15.00; 2nd prize \$5.00
- Yoke of Oxen . . . . . prize \$5.00
- Child Comic . . . . . prize \$2.00
- Clown, any age . . . . . prize \$2.00
- Original Costume . . . . . prize \$2.00
- Adult Comic . . . . . prize \$2.00
- Hitler . . . . . prize \$2.00

EVERY CHILD WILL RECEIVE A TREAT FROM SANTA CLAUS

### F. T. HILL & CO., Ltd., MARKDALE

## ... HILLS' ... REGULAR FOOD VALUES

- 3 CROWN AUSTRALIAN RAISINS . . . . . 2 lbs. for 22c
- FRESH CURRANTS . . . . . 2 lbs. for 27c
- NEW FIGS . . . . . 2 lbs. for 25c
- No. 4 CANNED PEAS . . . . . 20 oz. size, 2 for 19c
- APPLE JUICE . . . . . 2 tins for 19c
- CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE . . . . . 20 oz. size, 2 tins for 19c
- STRAWBERRY and RASPBERRY JAM . . . . . 32 oz. jar 27c
- WHITE SWAN BAKERY BREAD . . . . . 2 loaves for 15c
- COOKING ONIONS . . . . . No. 1 large, 12 lbs. for 25c  
No. 1 medium, 15 lbs. for 25c  
No. 2 small, good quality, 20 lbs. for 25c  
(GET YOUR WINTER SUPPLY NOW)
- PURITY FLOUR . . . . . 98 lbs. \$2.90
- ROBINHOOD FLOUR . . . . . 98 lbs. \$3.00
- PASTRY FLOUR . . . . . 24 lbs. 63c

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