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LOCAL NEWS

Boddy - Fullerton
A pretty wedding took place on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fullerton of Dundalk, when their daughter, Florence Isabel, became the bride of Stuart Fairweather Boddy of Dundalk, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Boddy of Toronto. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock with Dr. A. V. Brown of Erasmus Church, Dundalk, officiating. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Howard Davison.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in champagne blue fall mull crepe with navy accessories, and carried a corsage of roses and bouvardia. Her only attendant was her younger sister Marjory, who wore a dress of eotter rust wool with black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses and cornflowers. Mr. Bruce Boddy of Markdale, was his brother's groomsmen.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the bride's mother wearing black crepe back satin with corsage of red roses. Mrs. Boddy was attired in wine sheer with a corsage of white carnations. A buffet luncheon was served to the guests.

For travelling the bride changed to a coat of blue with ringlet possum trim and navy blue accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Boddy will reside in Dundalk.

Leach - Boss
Colborne Street United United Church, London, lighted with many tapers and decorated with white mums, palms and ferns made the setting for a charming wedding on Saturday when Olive Irene Boss, youngest daughter of Mrs. W. J. Boss and the late Dr. Boss, became the bride of Albert Frederick Leach, Markdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leach, Preston. Rev. A. M. Stuart officiated and George Garbutt played the organ. Arthur Palmer, boy soprano, was the soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Dr. R. A. Johnston, and wore an ivory satin gown made on princess lines and featuring a sweetheart neckline and a formal train. A veil of white tulle held in place with a heart of tulle centred with orange blossoms extended in soft folds to cover the train. She carried dark red roses.

Three attendants preceded the bride up the aisle, Nancy Johnston, her four-year-old niece, who was flower girl, Miss Marilyn Johnston, the junior bridesmaid, and Miss Shirley Robinson, the bridesmaid. Little Nancy Johnston wore a floor-length frock of pink taffeta and a wreath of fresh flowers in her hair and carried a colonial bouquet.

The junior bridesmaid was pretty in turquoise taffeta made in the same style as the flower girl's. She also wore flowers in her hair and carried a colonial bouquet. Fuschia bridesmaid's gown and it was fashioned with a slight train. A halo of braid and feathers repeated the pretty color and Miss Robinson also carried a basket of cream roses.

The best man was George Wright, of Toronto, and the ushers were Howard Cox and Norbert Bose.

A reception at the home of Dr. Johnston, Talbot street, followed and Mrs. Boss received the guests, assisted by Mrs. Leach. Mrs. Boss wore pancy lace with a corsage of roses and Mrs. Leach wore navy sheer and roses.

A trip to points north followed the reception, the bride travelling in a smart blue knitted suit and a gray coat collared in stole style with opossum.

They will reside in Markdale where the groom is the accountant in the Bank of Toronto.

Card of Thanks
I wish to express my grateful appreciation to all those who remembered me with flowers, treats, and cards during my recent illness at the Markdale Hospital, also to those who assisted in making my convalescence more pleasant.

Nurse L. Jackson.

ENGAGEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jerry announce the engagement of their second daughter, Grace Helene, to Dennis Archibald Wyvill, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wyvill of Goring, the marriage to take place the latter part of October.

ENGAGEMENT
Mrs. R. C. Hopkins of Rocklyn announces the engagement of her elder daughter, Florence Pearl, to Lorne Turvey, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Turvey of Brussels. The marriage to take place quietly very shortly.

Cigarettes Being Provided For The Boys Overseas

At the regular meeting of the Odd Fellows' lodge held on Monday evening Mr. A. O. Gillespie presented a report in connection with the cigarettes which are being provided for the boys from Markdale and district who are now serving overseas. Up to the first of this month 18400 cigarettes had been sent to the boys and there is over \$78.00 now on hand for this purpose. At the present time fourteen of the young men from this territory are overseas and the number is gradually increasing.

The money to purchase cigarettes comes chiefly from the [bingo games which are played in one of the shops in the Odd Fellows' block. These games are conducted each Saturday night and should be patronized by all who are interested in the boys who are serving us overseas. To say that cigarettes are not necessary is not fair to the boys. They want the smokes and it's up to us who remain at home in comfort to supply their needs.

Planes Attracted Markdale People Last Thursday

Thursday was a regular field day for Markdale residents when two planes provided the entertainment. The first plane arrived shortly after the noon hour and after flying over the village several times made a landing in one of the fields on the W. J. Bowes farm opposite the Grey County Home. The pilot, an Australian, had become lost while flying from Camp Borden to London and return. He made a perfect landing in a very few minutes quite a large crowd had gathered. A telephone message to Camp Borden brought a second plane which also landed in the field on the Bowes farm. After a few minutes both planes took off and after a few stunts in the air flew away in an easterly direction. The interest was evidenced by the large gathering at the landing field.

Rollason - Perkins

Rev. E. A. Knechtel officiated at the wedding Saturday evening, Sept. 27th, in High Park United Church of Lorna Hilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Perkins, to Mr. Arthur Rollason, son of Mrs. M. Bailey. Mr. Roy Grass was at the organ and at the signing of the register Mrs. Jack Perkins sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a turquoise blue gown of net, lace and taffeta, matching flower headress with blue veil, and carried red roses. She had Miss Jessie Waterworth and Miss Hazel Parrish as her attendants, one in pale green net and taffeta and the other in dusky rose, with matching hats and carrying red roses.

Mr. Eric Moore was best man and the ushers were Mr. Ivan Perkins and Mr. George Wallin.

The reception was held at the Savarin, Mrs. Perkins receiving in a soldier blue dress with a Talsman rose corsage. She was assisted by the groom's mother in a cerise dress with corsage of Joanna Hill roses.

The couple will live at 152 Silverthorn ave., on their return from a wedding trip to London. The bride travelled in a beige, rust and green dress with dark brown accessories.

BORN

JOHNSTON—In Markdale hospital on Tuesday, October 7th, 1941, to Sapper and Mrs. Chris Johnston, a daughter.

KINNEY—In Markdale Hospital on Tuesday, October 7, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kinney (nee Freda Binns), R. R. 5, Markdale, a son — Allan David Herbert.

WILSON—In Markdale hospital on Monday, Oct. 6th, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of Markdale, a son.

EAST BERKELEY

Mr. James Connell is in Markdale Hospital at present. Hope to hear of his recovery soon.

Melvin Steer of Trenton spent the week-end with his mother, also brother, Gordon and sister, Mrs. Howard Connell. He is looking hale and hearty. His son, Ralph of Niagara-on-the-Lake spent the week-end with his father and relatives at Berkeley and Markdale.

We had a big rain on Saturday night. The recent rains have made the pastures about as good as they would be in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Steer and Miss Olga Connell of Markdale spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Connell.

Markdale High School Field Day

The Markdale High School annual field day was held a week ago but part of the events had to be postponed on account of rain; since then the events have been concluded and the results are given below. Every event in the game was well contested and the boys are to be congratulated on their efforts. On Thursday of this week the South Grey High School Field Day will be held in Fiesherton when the winners in Markdale will compete against the winners at Hanover, Durham, Dundalk, Fiesherton and some of the continuation schools.

SENIORS
Leonard Carefoot: 1st in hop, step and jump; 2nd in discus throw; 2nd pole vault; 3rd shot put; 1st broad jump; 1st high jump; 1 in running jump.
Jim Hamilton: 2 hop, step and jump; 1 half mile race; 2 shot put; 1 in 220-yard race; 2 broad jump; 3 high jump; 1 in 100-yard race; 3 broad jump.

Michael Sullivan: 2 in 220-yard race; 1 discus throw; 1 shot put; 3 broad jump; 2 in 100-yard race.
Bruce Graham: 1 pole vault; 3 discus throw; 3 half mile race; 1 hop, step and jump.
Bob Gilpin: 3 in 220-yard race; 3 pole vault; 2 broad jump.
Jim Patterson: 2 high jump; 3 in 100-yard race.

Alex. Stafford: 2 in half mile race.
Senior champion: Leonard Carefoot and Jim Hamilton tied; Michael Sullivan runner up.
JUNIORS
Pat Thompson: 1 in 220-yard race; 2 in half mile race; 1 running jump; 2 broad jump; 1 in 100-yard race; 1 high jump; 3 discus throw; 1 hop, step and jump.
Harry Carbert: 1 pole vault; 3 broad jump; 3 high jump; 2 hop, step and jump.
John Gilpin: 1 broad jump; 2 high jump; 3 in 100-yard race; 3 running jump.
Raymond Edwards: 2 in 100-yard race; 3 shot put; 1 half mile race.

Arthur Gillespie: 1 shot put; 1 broad jump; 1 discus throw.
Vincent Moore: 2 shot put; 3 in 220-yard race.
Leonard Fitzsimmons: 2 pole vault; 3 hop, step and jump.
Howard Aitken: 2 running jump.
Harold Burnsides: 3 half mile race.
Gordon Cherry: 3 pole vault.
Harold Slade: 2 discus throw.
Junior champion: Pat Thompson; runner up, Harry Carbert and John Gilpin tied.

His Majesty the King's Message

"To all serving in my forces by sea, or land, or in the air, and, indeed, to all my people engaged in the defence of the Realm I commend the reading of this book. For centuries the Bible has been a wholesome and strengthening influence in our national life and it behoves us in these momentous days to turn with renewed faith to this Divine source of comfort and inspiration."

The above message is being inserted in every copy of the Scriptures issued for use in His Majesty's forces.

Following the custom in the past, the Bible Society has again undertaken to supply to every soldier, sailor and airman a copy of Holy Scripture. Its wartime services extend to Red Cross units and hospitals, to prisoners of war and interned enemy aliens and to refugees and all whom war leaves destitute. During the years of the Great War 1914-1918 over ten million copies were distributed through these channels. Scriptures have already been provided for all men proceeding overseas. It is estimated that the cost of this work will require an increase in income equal to one quarter that of normal years. The Society therefore asks all Christian people in addition to the support of its world-wide work to make a contribution to its War Emergency Fund and so arm every warrior with the Sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God.

The officers elected for Markdale Branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society for the ensuing year are: President, W. J. Mesinger. Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Ethel Arley.

Committee, Rev. C. O. Pherrill, Rev. S. E. Annis, Rev. H. R. Campbell, Rev. W. F. Dean, Mr. T. H. Reburn, Mrs. D. Foster, Mr. Ross Alecox, Mr. E. Belmes.

Local I. O. O. F. Members Enjoyed Fowl Supper

The members of Saugeen Lodge No. 327, I.O.O.F., enjoyed a fowl supper on Monday evening before opening the lodge for the election of officers and the transaction of regular business. The supper was prepared and served by Mrs. A. W. Sproule and was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

At the meeting it was decided to hold a social evening, the funds from which will be sent to Grand Lodge for war purposes.

The newly elected officers are: Noble Grand, A. E. Colgan; Vice-Grand, Harold Bowler; Recording Secretary, W. J. Colgan; Financial Secretary, Herb Walker; Treasurer, W. J. Howard; Trustees, A. E. Colgan, A. G. Robertson, A. O. Gillespie. It is expected that the installation of officers will be held on Monday evening, Oct. 20th, but further announcement will be made before that date.

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We desire to express our deepest gratitude and sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors during my father's illness and death.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allison.

Mrs. W. D. Dewar

Mrs. W. D. Dewar, 64 years old, died at her home, 219 Taylor Street, today, after a long illness. Mrs. Dewar had lived in Saskatoon for the last 19 years and before that in Humboldt and in Ontario. She was a member of Second Street United Church. Surviving are her widower, also two sons, William Alexander Dewar and Stewart Wilson Dewar. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Monday from the Saskatoon Funeral Home. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Dewar was formerly Eliza Main Duncan—Saskatoon Star-Phoenix.

Robert Howey

Robert Howey, native and lifelong resident of Holland Township and an ex-Warden of Grey County, passed away at the Owen Sound hospital Monday night at 11.30 as the result of a stroke. He was a well known resident of the district and will be missed by his family and many friends. He was in his 74th year.

The late Mr. Howey was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howey and had spent his entire life in Holland, where he was born. For many years he operated a threshing outfit and was widely known.

His wife, who was formerly Margaret Morrison, passed away 17 years ago and three sons and two daughters survive, namely, James G. of Chatsworth, Melville and Stewart of Holland Township; Mrs. Stanley Murray of Holland Township and Mrs. William Morris of Meaford. A son, Edward, was killed in the War of 1918 and a daughter, Martha, died in 1907. Three brothers, John, Archie and Edward, all of Western Canada, also survive. The deceased was a Baptist in religion.

The funeral takes place on Thursday afternoon to McLean's Cemetery.

Frederick W. Runciman

Frederick William Runciman, native of Proton Township and since 1936, a highly esteemed resident of Priceville, passed away on Wednesday evening as the result of a stroke. The late Mr. Runciman was engaged in cutting limbs off a tree on Monday, when he felt unwell and went into the house. There he suffered a severe stroke and although he regained consciousness prior to his death he never really rallied.

Deceased, who was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Runciman, was born in Proton Township 64 years ago. After his marriage to Katherine Ferguson they farmed at Boothville until 1915, when they moved to Durham, residing there three years. They then went to Toronto where Mr. Runciman was employed by a large merchandising concern until 1936. He then retired and acquired a home in Priceville, where he had since resided.

Surviving to mourn his death are his sorrowing wife, one son, Eldon, and one daughter, Miss Mary Runciman, both of Toronto, and one sister, Mrs. Neil McCannell of Proton Township. A daughter, Islay, predeceased him in 1914.

The late Mr. Runciman was a member of College Street Baptist Church in Toronto. He was also a member of Loyal Orange Lodge No. 1136, Swinton Park.

The funeral was held on Saturday at Priceville. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Richardson of this place were among those in attendance.

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Joseph T. Allison

Joseph T. Allison, a well known and highly respected resident of the village some years ago, passed away on Thursday morning at the home of his son, Russell Allison, west backline, Holland. He had been ill health for the past two years and for three weeks was seriously ill.

The late Mr. Allison, who was in his 86th year, was born and brought up near Toronto, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allison. He took up farming near Beeton and later ran a butcher shop in that town. About 32 years ago he sold his shop there and moved to Markdale, where he had purchased the butcher business of Shaw and Chismers, which with the assistance of his son, he conducted for some years.

Mrs. Allison predeceased her husband 12 years ago, since then Mr. Allison made his home with his son, Russell in the summer and with his daughter at St. Catharines in the winter. The deceased was a member of Cooke's Presbyterian Church and was faithful in attendance.

Surviving are three sons and two daughters, Howard of Milton, Herb of Collingwood and Russell of near Markdale, Mrs. Ernest Richardson of Dixie and Mrs. W. Loydy of St. Catharines.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his son with a large number in attendance. Rev. H. R. Campbell, the pastor, was in charge of the service. The pallbearers were Messrs. Nelson Kirk, Willard Wilson, Roy MacMillan, Jim McCormick, J. W. Eagles and Alvin Foster.

The floral tributes were lovely and numerous. Friends from outside points were present from Acton, Collingwood, Toronto, St. Catharines, Goderich, Beeton and Allison.

Mrs. Rachel Stafford

The passing of Mrs. Rachel Stafford removes from our midst one of the oldest residents of this part. She was born in Erin Township on February 11th, 1848, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Watts. It is over 72 years since the deceased came to reside in Holland Township with her husband, the late Fred Stafford.

The deceased had been in fair health until September 12th when she suffered a heart attack and was confined to her bed till her passing on September 26th.

The late Mrs. Stafford is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Thos. Wiggins, an adopted son, Arthur Stafford, all of Berkeley. Two daughters and one son predeceased her some years ago. She also leaves five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

The funeral was held on Monday, Sept. 29th, from the residence of her son-in-law to Berkeley United Church, where a very impressive service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Irwin. During the service Miss Pearl Barron rendered a solo, "The City Four Square". The pallbearers were Messrs. Fred E. Stafford, Stanley Stafford, Bert Watts, Clarence Wiggins, Geo. Caswell and Chas. Rowe. Interment was made in Markdale Cemetery.

The many floral tributes were: A pillow from her daughter; basket of flowers from her son; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pierce and Robt. Lackie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Collins and Mrs. F. C. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rowe and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wiggins and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Caswell and Elsie. They were carried by Vera Watts, Elsie Caswell, Mrs. Bert Watts, Mrs. C. Rowe, Mrs. F. E. Stafford, Mrs. C. E. Wiggins, Mrs. G. A. Caswell.

Relatives from a distance were: Mrs. F. C. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. J. Collins, Mrs. E. Gilchrist, Miss Elsie Caswell, all of Toronto; Mrs. Andy Walker, Mrs. Ritchie, Mr. Robt. Lackie, Mr. Will Wiggins and Mr. Henry Summers of Owen Sound; Mrs. R. W. Martin, Mrs. Leslie Martin and Mrs. Bowen of Collingwood; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stafford, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Smitten of Dundalk; Miss Hughes and Mrs. Jas. Hamel of Chatsworth.

RED CROSS NOTES

The Markdale Branch of the Red Cross, owing to the unceasing efforts of their knitters, have completed their quota for July, August and September.

The quota consisted of 21 scarves, 6 alternative caps, 6 pair two-way mitts, 15 long sleeved turtle-neck sweaters, 15 pair socks, 15 helmets, 15 pair seamen stockings, 30 pair ribbed seamen socks.

Miss M. Mann, in charge of this work, extends thanks to all good helpers.

The Churches

Anglican Church Notes

Rev. C. O. Pherrill, B.A., R.D.
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.—Afternoon Service.

Gospel Workers' Church

Rev. W. F. DEAN, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service.
Tuesday evening—Prayer meeting at parsonage.
Thursday evening—Cottage prayer meeting.

Pentecostal Assembly

WILLIAMSFORD
10.30 a.m.—Morning Service.
11.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Wednesday evening: Prayer meeting.

Presbyterian Church in Canada

Rev. H. R. Campbell, Ph.D., Minister.
11 a.m.—Priceville Service.
3 p.m.—Swinton Park Service.
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.—Markdale.
Rev. T. O. Miller, B.A. of Orangeville formerly of Markdale will occupy the pulpit on Sunday, Oct. 12.
The Young Peoples' Society will meet Tuesday evening, Oct. 14th.

United Church of Canada

Rev. S. E. Annis, M.A., B.D., Pastor
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
12.15 p.m.—Sunday School.
3 p.m.—Vandeicour Service.
7 p.m.—Evening Service. Rev. C. C. Wellerman of McIntyre.

United Church of Canada Holland Centre Circuit

Rev. J. A. Irwin, M.A., B.D.
11 a.m.—Berkeley.
2.45 p.m.—Harkaway.
7.30 p.m.—Holland Centre.

Kimberley United Church

W. R. BUCHANAN, Pastor
11 a.m.—Epping.
10 a.m.—New England.
7.30 p.m.—Kimberley.

Kimberley Baptist Church

Rev. E. H. Young, B. Th., Minister
3 p.m.—Church Service.

Coming Events

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

Fowl Supper and Dance, Glenelg Centre, Thanksgiving Day, Monday, October 13th. Supper 6 to 8. Admission 50 cents.

Remember the chicken pie supper under the auspices of the W.A. to be held at New England Church on Friday, October 17th. Program.

A Bake Sale and Afternoon Tea will be held on Friday, October 24, under auspices of Cooke's Presbyterian Church. Watch for particulars.

O. E. S. THANKSGIVING DANCE, Fraternal Hall, Fiesherton, Monday, October 13th. Hank Hamilton and His Orchestra. Admission 50c for Dance and Lunch.

OWEN SOUND CARNIVAL OCTOBER 8-9
"The Battle of Britain" in 100 splendid, huge pictures, will be a feature of the Legion-Kiwanis-Red Cross Carnival at Owen Sound Arena, Wednesday and Thursday, October 8 and 9. See the Beauty Contest on Thursday; folk dancing on Wednesday; bingo games; radio program "Did I say that?"; games of skill; grocery store; jiteny dancing; entire proceeds for war purposes. Two outstanding evenings of fun. Do not fail to attend. The outstanding collection of war pictures alone is worth a trip to Owen Sound.