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## LOCAL NEWS

Miss Helen Carefoot is home from Toronto University.

Pte. Carson Page is home from Debort, N.S., on furlough.

Mrs. Alex. Young visited the past week with friends in town.

Tpr. Lloyd Wilson is home from Camp Borden for a few days.

Mrs. A. McCutcheon visited with friends at Dundalk on Sunday.

Mr. Alex. Vost of Toronto spent the week-end with his mother.

Lieut. J. A. Dunlop of Camp Borden spent a couple of days in town.

Mrs. Catchpole of Toronto was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carbert.

Miss Dorothy Hare of Toronto was a week-end visitor at her home here.

Miss Dorothy Boyd was home from Toronto Normal School for the holiday.

Misses Nina Hutchinson and Eunice Colgan spent a couple of days in Toronto.

Miss Marion Boyd of Toronto holidayed with her mother, Mrs. Hugh Knott.

Mrs. Arthur Johnston and Miss Dolly of Hamilton were visitors in town on Sunday.

Miss Betty Scott of Orangeville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Scott.

Mrs. Harold Darragh of Orangeville is a visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Henry.

Tpr. Clifford Hartley of Camp Borden spent Sunday with his wife and daughter, Marguerite.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Baker of Eugene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boland the first of the week.

Miss Iva Wood of Toronto is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Thompson and boys.

Miss Vida McArthur of Toronto spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. J. A. and Mrs. McArthur.

Mrs. Earl Lever of London was a visitor last week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lever.

Miss Helen McCormick of Toronto spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. Jos. McCormick in Gleneg.

Mr. Stewart Thibaudau and son, John, of St. Thomas spent the week-end with the Thibaudau families here.

Cpl. Bill Arrowsmith of St. Thomas spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arrowsmith.

Mr. Orval Boyd of Hamilton, accompanied by two fishermen, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colgan and Miss Naomi Colgan of Toronto visited on Sunday with the Colgan and Burnside families.

Cpl. Bernard E. Norris is home from Sydney, N.S., visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Norris, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baker of Windsor and Mrs. Richard Irving of Owen Sound were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hill.

Pte. Austin Young of Camp Borden spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Young and family of East Berkeley.

Mrs. S. Mercer of Toronto with Glens and Margaret Hill, twin daughters of Byron Hill, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hill in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sparks and Mrs. Jas. Diell and Jimmie of Hamilton were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Colgan and family.

Mrs. Stewart Thompson, Donald and Graham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Thompson and Audrey and other friends in Meaford.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Emery of East Linton (formerly Dorothy Clark) are spending a few days on their honeymoon at the home of Mr. Thos. H. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. H. Taber and children of North Bay visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins and family over the holiday.

Mrs. Bev. Johnston and Patsy and Mrs. Green visited over the holiday week-end at the latter's home near Heathcote. Mrs. Green and Patsy remained for a few weeks.

Mr. James Best, a native of Armesia township, passed away on May 24th, aged 91 years. He had resided for more than 60 years on the farm at Victoria Corners where he died.

The preliminary hearing of the appeal of several municipalities against the recent assessment made by the County Council took place in Owen Sound on Friday last and will be continued on June 21st.

Mrs. Bert Carter received word on Saturday that her nephew Flying Officer Ian W. Tweddell of the R.C.A.F. overseas was reported missing on May 13th. He has been in daylight raids in medium bombers over France and Holland for some time and has been overseas for over a year.

From the Windsor Star: Flight Lieutenant Kenneth Gemmel to-day took over command of the Windsor R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centre, replacing Squadron Leader H. Wensley, who is taking charge of the London Centre. Flight Lieutenant Gemmel resided at Markdale, Ont., prior to joining the R.C.A.F. and comes here from Ottawa where he has been second in command of the Recruiting Centre there.

## Additional Donations To The Red Cross Drive

Jack Vasey	\$.25
Mr. and Mrs. D. Brodie	.50
Mr. and Mrs. Priel	.50
Wm. Henderson	.50
Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Moran	.50
Carter English	.50
Mr. and Mrs. Beatty	.50
C. Seigfried	.50
Lorne Livingstone	1.00
Mary Coffey	1.00
James Moran	1.00
Mrs. Alvin Baines	1.00
Mrs. Anne Baines	1.00
Mr. J. McClung	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradey	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. Paylor	1.00
Emily Rabourne	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Goodwill	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. Brodie	1.00

Previously acknowledged .. \$14.75  
\$91.55  
\$916.30

## Odd Fellows' Cigarette Fund Donations

The cigarette fund sponsored by the members of the local Odd Fellows' lodge is a necessary war service in this community. There are now more than fifty of the boys from Markdale and district receiving cigarettes regularly. They will be watching to see your name among those contributing to the fund. All contributions will be acknowledged in The Standard.

Previously acknowledged .. \$390.80  
Mrs. G. Scott .. 2.00  
\$392.80

## W.C.T.U. Field Secretary Visits Markdale

Miss Rosamond Duff, Field Secretary of the W.C.T.U., spent a few days in town last week. On Thursday she visited the local public school and Barrhead school, speaking to the children on safety precautions, health, the kind of books and pictures that are uplifting and the dangers of alcohol in various drinks. Quoting the law in regard to tobacco she said that no child under 16 years of age may buy tobacco or cigarettes for others, and that no merchant may lawfully sell tobacco to a boy under 13 years.

On Friday afternoon she addressed the high school scholars, emphasizing the effects of alcohol on the brain and body. By actual test each glass of beer contains one tablespoon of alcohol and whiskey is about one half alcohol. She told of attending juvenile court where many boys, in their early teens, were on trial. The judge invariably attributed their delinquency to lack of home training and non-attendance at Sunday School. She referred to raffles, which in all forms, are illegal, even though the money may be for a good cause.

An entertainment was held in Annesley Church school room on Friday evening last under the auspices of the local W.C.T.U., with W. J. Messenger as chairman. Following the devotional period some of our local talent favoured us with some musical numbers. Mr. Hillis Burnside rendered a violin solo, accompanied by his sister Gwen. Other numbers were: two vocal solos by Marion Beaton and Leola Beltry; a duet by Donalda Steer and Ruth Alcock; piano solo by Gwen Burnside. Eleven boys presented a playlet, "A Package of Cigarettes". Miss Duff gave an address, stressing the importance of home training and Sunday School attendance. She referred to children attending moving picture theatres. It is illegal for children under 16 years of age to attend a theatre on any evening without an older companion. Many pictures are demoralizing and produce juvenile delinquency.

Miss Duff showed two films, one depicting a father entering a beer parlour where he spent his money on the way home from work. The wife and children were waiting for him to come home for supper as he would be angry if he did not wait for him. One night the bar-tender offended him and he walked out and spent his money on food instead of beer. He decided from then on to spend his money on things that would give his family happiness.

Mrs. Ray Dunk spent a week with friends in Toronto and Campbellford.

Mrs. H. Borinsky and daughter, Shirley were week-end visitors in Toronto.

Miss Annis Hamilton of Toronto was a visitor over the week-end with her mother and other friends in town.

May 24th was observed quietly as a holiday in Markdale. Ontario as a whole took it as a holiday as in former days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stewart and daughter, Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stewart and babe of Galt visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thibaudau.

J. J. Bennett has just recovered from an attack of shingles which kept him confined to the house for five weeks. He desires to thank the members of L.O.L. No. 509 for a treat sent to him.

## Women Needed To Release Men For Active Service

National Selective Service considers that one of its most recent and important orders to its officers has been to assist in every possible way the women's recruiting campaign for the Navy, Army and Airforce.

Recently, women officers of the Employment and Selective Service Offices were sent to a school where they learned all about the kinds of women wanted by the armed forces and the occupations women are expected to fill. Visits were paid to the recruiting centres and later to the depots examining stations, manning depots, barracks, cafeterias, hospitals and training centres. Employment Officers visited and interviewed women who had completed their training and who were now working at their new jobs. It was intended that these schools should give Employment Officials first hand knowledge of the armed services' needs and the care given to women who come forward to enlist and serve their country in this way.

In one centre forty young women in the airforce uniform were receiving twenty weeks intensive training in secretarial and stenographic work. They received their regular pay as airwomen, clothing, board, hospital and dental care and free tuition in a profession that will serve them to the ends of their lives. The training received in the armed services has good "carry-over" value into civilian life.

Thousands of women are wanted and further details can be had if interested persons wish to write or drop into their nearest Employment and Selective Service Office at Walkerton.

Every woman who enlists releases a man for combat duty or makes it unnecessary to recruit a man for a job which a woman can do.

All students 16 years of age and over who intend to work this summer should register at Employment and Selective Service office and if they do any work, other than farm work, obtain a work permit from that office.

## RATION NEWS

Because of the drastic reduction in the metal available for the production of small arms ammunition, the sale of such ammunition is restricted to authorized purchasers and then only for bare essential needs. However, there is no restriction on the sale of powder and shot for the re-loading of empty metallic cartridges and empty shot shells. Anyone having empty cartridges may have them re-loaded by a merchant without obtaining a permit to do so.

By a former order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, new farm machinery and equipment is rationed. The following articles are exempt from that order: Sickle knife grinders, incubators (150 egg or under), brooders, pump jacks, wood well pumps, barrel and cistern pumps, churns, sprayers (six gallon and under), wheelbarrows, electric fence controllers, hand operated seeders, cultivators and weeder, hay forks, their slings and their attachments.

Sale of certified seed potatoes for any other use than planting until June 5th is prohibited by a recent order of the Board. A statement that the potatoes purchased are for seed only must be obtained by the seller from each buyer. This statement, with the name and address of both seller and buyer, must be kept on file for three months for inspection.

To obtain a ration book for an infant, apply to the Local Ration Board at Flesherton. If you change your name, send a statement of the fact to the Local Ration Board at Flesherton, but for a change of address use the card provided for the purpose in the back of your ration book and mail to Kitchener.

Meat rationing begins on May 27. Each person may use two spare "A" coupons a week, but the coupons have varying values according to the cuts of the meat.

Butter coupons 12 and 13 become valid on May 27th and expire June 30th. Coupons 6-11 are now valid but expire May 31st. Sugar, tea and coffee coupons 7 and 8 are valid on May 27th.

## In Memoriam

ARCHER—In loving memory of Ellie Perkins Archer, who died May 29th, 1936.

Oh happy hours we once enjoyed,  
How sweet their memories still  
But death has left a loneliness,  
The world can never fill.  
Ever remembered by Son, George,  
and The Perkins Family.

## In Memoriam

BOLAND—In loving memory of Mrs. Chas. B. Boland, our dear wife and mother, who passed away May 27th, 1942.

More and more each day we miss her;  
Friends may think the wound is healed,  
But they little know the sorrow  
Lies within our hearts concealed.  
Husband and Family.

## New England W. A.

The New England Women's Association met at the home of Mrs. Willard Wiley on Thursday, May 13, with ten members and two visitors present. Scripture reading, taken from Matthew 15, was read by Mrs. Will Clugston.

A letter of thanks was read from Mrs. Fawcett for box of fruit sent. It was decided to co-operate with the Sunday School and the church to buy another Victory bond. The roll call was answered by a short poem or reading on Mothers' day. The motto was "What is home without a mother?" The program consisted of a solo by Clara Wiley, "The Old Rugged Cross". A splendid paper was given by Mrs. Will Clugston, "A Mother from the Bible". A duet was given by Mrs. Willard Wiley and Mrs. Roy Kirkpatrick, "Mother's Prayers Have Followed Me."

A special collection was asked for and amounted to \$10.05. Meeting closed with hymn, "For You I am Praying" and prayer.

A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Wiley and assisted by Mrs. G. Wiley and Mrs. Victor Wiley. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Sam Wiley Jr.

## CHERRY GROVE

An Empire Day program was presented at the school on Monday, May 24th, portraying the events of the war since September 1939. Miss Brown took the role of narrator and the pupils acted the parts of the leading characters in the events taking place in our Empire during these troubled times. Patriotic hymns and songs formed a part of the program and the Scripture passage, read responsively, was taken from Psalm 46, "God is our refuge and Strength".

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boyce and family were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Irving and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Elliot of Owen Sound and Mr. Billy Shaw of Ebenezer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trafford and three children visited on Sunday with friends in Durham.

Sorry to report Mrs. John Pendleton is a patient in the Markdale hospital. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fitzsimmons on the arrival of a baby boy.

(Intended for last week)

Miss Treasa Harvey, Toronto visited over the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stephens of Holland Centre visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Harvey and family.

This is your invitation to the Red Cross meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Russell Hill May 27th. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyce and family visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Art Wilson and family of Portlaw.

## WOBHOUSE

Seeding is still progressing between showers.

The holiday was observed quietly but somehow, it didn't seem like the good old 24th.

The school teacher and pupils did not take the holiday and everyone was seeding who could. There were not many fish stories.

Mr. Lorne Fawcett of Hamilton was a guest at his parental home.

Miss Shirley Lawson of Toronto was home for the holiday.

Mr. George McConnell returned home after several days' visit with his sister, Mrs. Richard Fawcett and Mr. Fawcett.

Mr. Norman Mathews of Collingwood was a visitor the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills and family.

Miss Christina Mills of Owen Sound was a holiday visitor at her parental home.

Miss Ina Wiley of Hamilton was at her parental home over the holiday.

Misses Doreen and Joy Wiley have finished their school studies and have returned home.

Mr. Basil Russell, Toronto was a visitor over the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Don. Petch and family.

Mrs. Rich. Fawcett received the sad news of the death of her brother, Mr. Jos. McConnell, who resided in Northern Ontario. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Fawcett who was unable to attend the funeral.

## United Church of Canada Markdale

Rev. Norman Caswell, B.A., Minister

11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
Subject: "God's Judgment on Germany" (Isaiah 5: 24)

12.15 p.m.—Sunday School  
3.00 p.m.—Ebenezer Service.  
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service.

Preacher: Mr. Robert Watt of Holland Centre United Church.  
Where get strength for to-day?  
God says: "Watch and pray!"  
"Ask (Him) and it shall be given you."

WELCOME!

## ORANGE VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McClintock and family of Toronto visited at the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hill. On Sunday they all spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Morrison of Walters Falls.

Mrs. W. J. McFadden visited with the Cook family at Kitchener on Sunday.

Pte. Wm. Sprung of Camp Borden spent a few days at the McFadden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hargrave attended a wedding in Meaford on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilchrist spent a day in Meaford and Thornbury recently, visiting with the latter's brother, who has been invalided home through war activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill and family spent a couple of days at Nashville with Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fry.

Mr. Byron Hill visited over the week-end in Toronto with his twin daughters on the event of their first birthday. Congratulations girls.

Week-end visitors at the Littlejohns home were Mrs. Cecil Garrow and children of Sudbury, Mrs. J. Mitchell and daughter, Vera, Mr. Robin and daughter, Lillian all of Toronto.

Many attended the auction sale of Jack Murphy on Tuesday.

The farmers are about all finished seeding in this part and most of the grain is up nicely.

## ROCKLYN

Mrs. Ross Gordon was hostess to the Women's Institute on Thursday evening. There were fourteen members and two visitors present. Several letters were read from boys overseas, thanking the Institute for boxes sent. It was decided to send more boxes in the near future. Tickets are to be sold on the quilt. Mrs. Wm. Burrell and Mrs. Geo. Yeaddell were chosen as delegates to the district annual in June. A short program followed the business session.

Congratulations to Miss Wilda Johnston and Mr. Dalton Neal, who were married Saturday, May 22nd. Miss Johnston had been a clerk in J. Clarke's store for some time and had made many friends here.

Sorry to hear that Mr. George Alderice is ill in the Markdale hospital.

Mr. John Falls is recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson of Glenelg were visitors on Sunday with the Matthews and Thompson families. Accompanied by the latter's parents, they attended service at James' Church, Fairmount.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Hopkins of Walters Falls visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Turvey and daughter of Flesherston were recent visitors with Mrs. C. Hopkins and son, George.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. M. Fox is a patient in the Markdale Hospital.

Miss Florence Gardiner is the new clerk in Jack Clarke's store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Matthews visited with Harkaway friends the beginning of the week.

Mrs. Jack Clark was hostess to the Temple Hill Ladies' Aid on Thursday.

## United Church of Canada

Holland Centre Circuit

Robert Watt, Pastor

SUNDAY, MAY 30th, 1943

HOLLAND CENTRE—

Worship Service, 10.30 a.m.

Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.

Y.P.S. Friday, 8.00 p.m.

HARKAWAY—

Sunday School, 1.30 p.m.

Worship Service, 2.45 p.m.

Y.P.S. Thursday, 8.30 p.m.

BERKELEY—

Sunday School, 11.00 a.m.

Worship Service, 7.30 p.m.

Special Speaker—Rev. N. E. Caswell, Markdale, in an exchange of pulpits.

Y.P.S. Wednesday, 8.00 p.m.

Union Prayer meeting and Bible Study Thursday, June 3rd, in Holland Centre Church at 8.30 p.m. Everybody welcome. Bring your Bible.

The Presbyterian Church

In Canada

Mr. Paul Rumball, Minister

10 a.m.—Markdale Sunday School

11 a.m.—Priceville Service.

3 p.m.—Swinton Park Service.

7.30 p.m.—Markdale Service.

In Memoriam

HILL—In loving memory of my dear wife, Margaret, who passed away one year ago, May 26, 1942.

My lips cannot tell how I miss her,  
My heart cannot tell what to say;  
God only knows how I miss her,  
In a home that is lonesome today.

Ever remembered by her husband,  
Byron Hill.

## TRAVERSTON

A few farmers in this district on dry lands are fairly well on with seeding but the greater number have just a few acres sown. A few haven't any, owing to wet ground.

Sheep-shearer Dolph Lawrence of No. 9 section had shorn over 1700 at the beginning of last week and has more than that number awaiting him. Many of the nannies will be wearing their winter coats in June.

Regret to report Mr. Thos. Timmins in very poor health and is to receive a blood transfusion in Owen Sound this week.

Mr. Jerry McAssey and family, who have spent the winter months in Hamilton have returned to the home farm on the 8th concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schaefer of Durham were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neill the first of the week.

Spencer Edwards of Yale, Mich., spent the holiday week-end at the old homestead. He reports very little seed sown in that district owing to flooded farm lands.

Rev. Mr. Boyd of Smithville filled Zion's pulpit on Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. Flynn, daughters, Misses Belle and Margaret, of Toronto were visitors with the Greenwood and Ritchie families over the week-end and Miss Lillian was a visitor with Mrs. Will Ellison.

Mark Madden is having the big field on the McGrade farm broken up by Martin Haley's tractor outfit and should have a whale of a crop as it is fine dry land and has been in pasture for years.

Mrs. Norman Hudson and daughter, Alva, of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Cook over the holiday.

Mrs. Cameron G. Robson of Hamilton was a guest at the Robson homestead for a couple of days.

Mrs. Ralph Staples, Charles Timmins and their father were in Owen Sound on Tuesday last.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook was enlivened last week for a few days by the presence of Mrs. W. J. McFadden of Orange Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McDonald and Margaret of Guelph spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mays.

Pte. Lloyd Banks of Camp Borden visited the Wm. Banks home over the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook, Shirley, Miss Audrey Janke and Mrs. W. J. McFadden motored to Waterloo on Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cook and brought back Mrs. W. J. Cook with them after her pleasant visit there.

Messages came to Mrs. Archie Beaton and Mr. Wm. Banks on Friday evening last that the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Boak of Schomberg had passed away. She was in her 93rd year. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Fallaise, born of pioneer settlers at the township hall corners in Glenelg. She was the eldest of a large family and survived them all. In young womanhood she was happily wedded to Joseph Boak, who passed away a few years ago. One son, Will, on the homestead and one daughter, Mrs. Beaton and one son, Mr. Wm. Banks attended the funeral on Monday.

## Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at 5 cents per line for each insertion; minimum charge 25 cents.

DANCE—Will be held in Flesherston Fraternal Hall on May 28th; Murray Simmons Orchestra. Admission 35 cents. 35-3c

DANCE—In Walters Falls on Thursday, June 3rd, under the auspices of the Agricultural Society. Six-piece Orchestra. Admission 25 cents. 39-40c

DANCE—Orange Hall, Markdale, Saturday night, May 29, from 9.00 o'clock. Round and square. Auspices Cherry Grove Achievement Club. Adm. 25 cents. 39p

GRAND OPENING  
Dundalk's famous "CRYSTAL GARDENS"—2 Big Nights of Modern and Olde Tyme Dancing. June 2nd, Murray Simmons'