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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Kathleen Whitney is holidaying with friends in Toronto.

Mr. W. Ratcliffe of Victory Aircraft, Malton spent a week at his home at Vandeleur.

Mr. Emerson Richardson of Toronto spent a few days with friends in town and vicinity.

Cpl. Ray Grace of Halifax, N.S., is spending leave with Mrs. Grace and family in town.

Mrs. Robt. Down received a cablegram last week announcing the safe arrival of her son, Jack overseas.

Miss Hilda Betts of Toronto visited last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoddart.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherlock Metheral and daughters of Dunedin were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Acheson.

Miss Kathleen Ratcliffe returned to Victory Aircraft, Malton after spending the summer months at her home.

Mrs. W. F. Mann has been appointed as issuer of Hunting, Trappers and Gun Licenses for Markdale and district.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutherland of Owen Sound spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Saunders at Berkeley.

Pte. Bill Stoddart has returned to Camp Borden after two weeks' furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stoddart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Deslippi and Miss Vida Scanlan of Amhurstburg spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rae and family.

Mrs. E. J. Reid and Jim of Orangeville were week-end visitors with Mrs. Jas. Dixon at Holland Centre and the Coigans in Markdale.

Visitors with the Perkins families on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Walkem and Mr. and Mrs. George Butt and daughter, Doris of Tottenham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bradley, Howard and Reggie of Berkeley visited on Sunday with James McMillen in Proton and attended the Bethel anniversary.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. Ratcliffe were Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Graham of Malton, Mrs. Frank Johnston of Islington and Mrs. Marshall Gilmore of London.

There is a demand for old phonograph records for war purposes. If you have any please advise any member of Markdale Rotary Club and they will be called for promptly.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leatherland of Acton and Mrs. W. D. Henry of Toronto, former residents here, were in town on Tuesday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. T. Stewart Cooper.

The safe in Dundalk creamery was carried away one night last week and several hundred dollars taken from it when it was broken open by the thieves. Several creameries throughout Ontario have suffered in this way recently.

The auction sale of the household effects of the late Mrs. P. J. Thompson held on Saturday last attracted an immense crowd and good prices were realized for almost all articles offered. Mr. Otto Johann of Owen Sound was the auctioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lee and Mrs. Gordon Wiley were in London on Saturday of last week visiting their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee, and Jeanette. Mrs. Lee remained for a longer visit. They were accompanied by Mrs. Loren Douglas and Raymond.

At a recent meeting held in Meaford of the District Committee, Georgian Bay District No. 27, I.O.O.F., plans were outlined for the reception and entertainment of the Grand Master of Oddfellows in Ontario, Brother Byron E. Dundas. Brother Dundas will pay an official visit to this District at a District Rally to be held in Owen Sound on Tuesday, Oct. 5th. The two Owen Sound Lodges will be hosts for this Rally and for the reception and entertainment of the Grand Master. The meeting was in charge of Bro. F. M. Watt of Warton, D.D.G.M. for the District, and Brother James O. McNeill of Home Lodge No. 441 was elected District Warden.

W. B. Phillips, R.O. Eyesight Specialist, will be at The Murray Drug Store the 1st and 3rd Tuesday p.m. each month. Make appointment at the Drug Store.

Pte. Milton J. and Mrs. Burnside



Burnside - White

At St. Francis Church, Ruxley Lane, Ewell Surrey, England, on Saturday, June 5th, 1943, by Rev. Mr. Armitage, Miss Ruby White became the bride of Pte. Milton J. Burnside, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Burnside of Markdale.

The bride wore a white lace gown and carried a bouquet of dark red roses. The maid of honour was dressed in blue lace with pink underslip and accessories. Miss Patsy Hamilton, niece of the bride, wore blue net with pink accessories and carried pink roses and carnations. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. Charles Hamilton. The best man was Pte. Thomas Minor of Regina, Sask.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton. Lunch was served in buffet style and a table was laid out in white and silver with dark red roses to match the bride's bouquet.

The wedding flowers were later placed on the graves of the bride's parents.

The Standard extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Burnside and will be glad to welcome them to Markdale when the war has ceased, which we trust will be soon.

Mills - McClung

Westside United Church parsonage in Owen Sound was the scene of a late summer wedding on Saturday, Sept. 11th, at 2.30 p.m., when Rev. S. E. Annis officiated at the marriage of Marion, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos McClung of Markdale, and Nelson Mills of Dundalk.

The bride looked lovely in pale blue chiffon crepe with navy shoes and hat. She carried a bouquet of autumn flowers. The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Decker of Markdale, wore navy crepe and carried gladioli. Mr. Leslie Mills of Dundalk supported the groom.

Following the ceremony the wedding party returned to the home of the bride's parents where the room was tastefully decorated for the occasion in pink and white. A three-storey wedding cake centred the bride's table. After a buffet luncheon served to friends the happy couple left for Strathroy and other points, the bride travelling in brown. On their return they will reside in Markdale.

Miss Helen M. Wiley of Guelph is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Duckett and Mildred of Maxwell visited at the Saunders home in Berkeley on Wednesday.

We'll Enjoy Some Pies From This Pumpkin

On Wednesday Mr. Jas. Nelson of the Ebenezer district left with us a pumpkin from which we expect a flock of delicious pies. It measures more than four feet around the waist and weighs 37 pounds.

Canadian Soldiers Read Home News Overseas

L.A.C. Lloyd Armstrong has sent home a couple of items clipped from The Canadian Press News, London, England, of July 31st, which were interesting to the boys from this locality. One of the items told of Oliver Lepard purchasing the triangular lot adjoining the new swimming pool and his offer of it as a sports field. The other one tells of a goose belonging to Mrs. George Hutchinson, south of Flesherton, which produced an egg measuring 11 inches by 3 1/2 inches and containing three yolks.

Rotary Club Hears Two Interesting Talks

At the regular meeting of Markdale Rotary Club last week Rev. E. Stertz of Hanover was the guest speaker. He spoke on "The Aims and Objects of Rotary" and pointed out the duties and responsibilities which go with membership in a Rotary Club. He was introduced by Mr. W. J. Messenger and thanked by Mr. A. E. Hunt. Several of the members of Meaford Club were present.

On Monday evening of this week Rev. J. R. Bythell, rector of Christ Church, was the speaker. He spoke very interestingly of the Eskimo, his habits and peculiarities. Mr. F. D. Sawyer introduced the speaker and Mr. F. T. Hill thanked him.

BORN

KORGAARD—In Toronto General Hospital on Saturday, Sept. 11th, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Korgaard (nee Gladys Graham) a daughter, Joan Marie.

SCOTT—At Milton on Friday, Sept. 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold V. Scott (nee May Isabelle Hutchinson) of Limehouse, a son, Harold Clifford.

YOUNG—In Markdale Hospital on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young (nee Jessie Wales) of Walters Falls, a daughter.

Holland Centre Red Cross

The regular meeting of the Red Cross Society was held on Wednesday, Sept. 8th, in the Community Hall with fifteen present, Mrs. H. Edmonds presiding.

It was agreed to hold a bazaar and bake sale on Sept. 22nd, proceeds to aid in boxes for the boys overseas. It was also decided to buy sheeting and pillow cotton to make up for Red Cross purposes.

Very satisfactory reports were given by the sewing convener and treasurer.

RATION NEWS

All sugar coupons in ration book No. 2 and coupons 14-16 in ration book No. 3 are now valid. Nos. 15 and 16 became valid on Sept. 16th. All canning sugar coupons are valid and will remain valid until declared otherwise. All tea and coffee coupons in book No. 2 and 14 and 15 in book No. 3 are valid.

Preserve coupons D1, D2 and D3 are valid.

Butter coupons 28 and 29 became valid on Sept. 16th. Coupons 24-27 will expire on Sept. 30th.

Meat coupons Nos. 17 became valid on Sept. 16. Coupons Nos. 13-16 will expire on Sept. 30.

Mrs. W. H. Erskine

Mrs. William H. Erskine of Markdale passed away in Owen Sound on Monday. She had been in failing health for the past year and since the first of this year had been ill most of the time. On Saturday she passed into a state of coma from which she did not recover, the end coming very peacefully.

Prior to her marriage the late Mrs. Erskine was Mary Josephine Ellis, second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ellis of Euphrasia. In 1910 she was married to William Henry Erskine of Euphrasia. They lived and farmed successfully on the ninth line until retiring to the village last fall when both of them were in poor health. Mr. Erskine passed away in December. Following his death Mrs. Erskine was in the hospital here for three months before going to Owen Sound to be near her niece, Mrs. J. C. Mercer.

Mrs. Erskine was well known and highly esteemed. She was a member of New England United Church, and was formerly a Methodist.

There were no children from her marriage and she was the last of the Ellis family of eight sons and daughters.

The funeral on Wednesday afternoon with service in Oliver's Funeral Chapel was in charge of Rev. N. E. Caswell, pastor of the United Church and was assisted by Mr. W. R. Buchanan of the Kimberley circuit. The pallbearers were Messrs. L. A. Boales, W. C. Hutchinson, W. A. Dickie, R. Freeman, R. W. Douglas and Frank Taylor.

Floral tributes included contributions from the Mercer family; Buchanan family; New England W. I. and W.A.; Ebenezer Church and W.A.; Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Day of Owen Sound.

Walters Falls Church Notes

By action of congregations and Official Board plans are made for fall observances in the pastoral charge of Walters Falls.

White's, Ebenezer and the Falls hold Rally Service on September 26. Provisions will be made for baptisms at these services.

Rev. A. J. Reynolds of Annan comes for Anniversaries on Sept. 19. Walters Falls service is set for 11 a.m. and Ebenezer at 8 p.m.

World Communion Sunday, Oct. 3rd, provides for White's, Knox and Walters Falls. Ebenezer observes (D.V.) the Lord's Supper on Oct. 10.

Rev. Albert Bushell of Kemble exchanges on Oct. 17th and conducts Anniversary Services with 11 a.m. service at White's and 8 p.m. service at Knox, Holland.

Opportunity is given to contribute to Orphaned Missions and chaplains service in industrial areas on Sept. 12 or convenient date after; while a similar envelope offering may be made for the Bible Society, Oct. 10.

The congregations extend a cordial invitation to worship with them at their Anniversary and Thank Offering services, Sept. 19th and Oct. 17th.

Mrs. T. Stewart Cooper

Following an illness extending over several months Mrs. T. Stewart Cooper passed away at her home here on Sunday afternoon. The fact that her condition was serious was not generally known and her passing came as a great shock to many.

The late Mrs. Cooper was born in Scotland and came to Hamilton with her parents when she was quite young. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Mowbray Orr. On August 18, 1920, she was united in marriage in Toronto to T. Stewart Cooper, Agricultural Representative for Grey County. They came to Markdale and have lived here since. Mrs. Cooper was held in highest esteem by a very wide circle of friends. She was active in the work of Cooke's Presbyterian Church and later Annesley United Church where for some time she was president of the choir and was leader of the C.G.I.T.

Mrs. Cooper had been secretary of the Markdale Horticultural Society and had been called upon many times to act as judge at various fall fairs in Grey, Bruce and Huron Counties.

She leaves to mourn her husband, T. Stewart Cooper, and an only daughter, Vivian. There are four brothers also surviving: James A. Orr of Vancouver, B.C.; Adam Orr of Hamilton; Sydney V. Orr of Georgetown, and Alfred V. Orr of Toronto. Her parents and another brother predeceased her.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon with service in Annesley United Church. Rev. N. E. Caswell, the pastor, was assisted in the service by Rev. S. E. Annis of Owen Sound, a former pastor of the church. The latter referred to the work of the late Mrs. Cooper in the community and church where her influence for good will continue long after she is forgotten by the public generally. The pallbearers were Dr. L. G. Campbell, Dr. J. A. McArthur, C. E. Armstrong, A. G. Robertson, Harry Shaw and Ran Bradey. The pallbearers at Hamilton were the three brothers of the deceased, Messrs. Adam, Sidney and Alfred Orr, two nephews, Stewart and Allan Orr, and Mr. Cooper's brother, Alex. The great profusion of floral tributes were carried by representatives of the Department of Agriculture from various parts of Ontario, members and officials of Grey County Council, members of Owen Sound Kiwanis Club in Owen Sound and neighbors and friends in the village.

The remains were taken by motor to Hamilton where they were laid to rest in the Orr family plot in Dundurn Cemetery.

Among those here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Adam Orr of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Orr of Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred V. Orr of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cooper and Mrs. John Small of Elmira, Mrs. John T. Cooper of Hespeler, Alex. Adam of Preston, Percy Adam and Duncan McPherson of Elmira; Mr. R. S. Duncan Director of the District Agricultural Representatives, and four representatives of the Agricultural Representatives' Association, E. I. McLoughry of Galt, S. B. Stothers of Arthur, F. K. B. Stewart of Orangeville, and G. R. Gear of Walkerton. Others present included members of the County Council and County officials and a large number of members of the Owen Sound Kiwanis Club. At the graveside at Hamilton G. Marritt, Agricultural Representative of Wentworth County, represented the Agricultural Representatives' Association.

Floral tributes were sent by the following: The Neighbors, Mrs. Crone, Miss Neeley, Mrs. Wiley and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. M. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Acheson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Beaton; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Orr; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Robertson; Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McArthur; Officers and members Masonic Lodge, Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collinson and family; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burnett; Markdale Board of Trade, Annesley Church Choir; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mercer; Senior Bridge Club; Mrs. Wm. McLoughry and family; Miss E. Colgan, Miss F. Durnin and Mr. A. Grubbe; Grey County Council and officials; Owen Sound Kiwanis Club; Dr. J. W. Hodgson and Essie of Owen Sound; Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Campbell; Charles Armstrong and

The Churches

Anglican Church Notes

Rev. J. R. Bythell, L.Th., Rector

Christ Church, Markdale

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Morning Service.

St. Matthias' Church, Berkeley

2.15 p.m.—Sunday School

3 p.m.—Church Service.

United Church of Canada Markdale

Rev. Norman Caswell, B.A., Minister

10 a.m.—Sabbath School. Parents, we need your help in getting the children on The Right Road.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Guest preacher, Rev. W. H. Smith, B.A., of Knox United, Durham.

3 p.m.—Ebenezer Church Service. The Sacrament of our Lord's Supper.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship. The Lord would not guide you to neglect Church Attendance! WELCOME!

United Church of Canada Holland Centre Circuit

Robert Watt, Pastor

HOLLAND CENTRE—10.30 a.m.—Morning Worship

11.30 a.m.—Sunday School.

Friday, 8.30 p.m.—Y.P.S.

HARKAWAY—Sunday School, 1.30 p.m.

Worship Service, 2.45 p.m.

Tuesday, 8.30 p.m., Union Prayer meeting.

Thursday, 8 p.m., Y.P.S.

BERKELEY—10 a.m.—Sunday School.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Service. "Be not deceived, God is not mocked, for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

—Galatians 6: 7.

United Church of Canada Kimberley Circuit

W. R. Buchanan, Pastor

11 a.m.—Epping.

2.30 p.m.—New England.

8.00 p.m.—Kimberley.

The Presbyterian Church In Canada

Mr. Paul Rumball, Minister

10 a.m.—Markdale Sunday School

11 a.m.—Pricerville Service.

3 p.m.—Swinton Park Service.

7.30 p.m.—Markdale Service.

Gospel Workers' Church

Rev. D. J. Harris, Pastor

Bible School—7.30 p.m.

Evening Service—8.15 p.m.

Services cancelled for Sept. 12, 19.

Mid-week meeting, Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the church.

Ruth MacNicking; Mr. and Mrs. C. Leatherland; Mr. and Mrs. Milson Henry; Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Johnston; Mrs. J. M. Small; Mr. and Mrs. John T. Cooper and family; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Orr and family; Agricultural Representatives' Association; Leone B. Mathews; Alfred, Marion and Stewart Orr; Colgan families; Mr. and Mrs. L. Rapp; Mr. and Mrs. H. Borinsky; Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaw and family; Miss Nina Hutchinson and Mrs. Inez McCutcheon; Mr. and Mrs. B. Palmenter and family; W. J. Piewes; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kidd; Mrs. W. H. Heard and family; Yorkshire Association; Rocklyn Agricultural Society; Radio Station CFOS; Cheese Corporation Ltd.; The Cassels family; Mr. and Mrs. G. Orr of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Halzshub; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Davis of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Adam Orr; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strand; Miss Gillespie.

In Memoriam

GRAHAM—In loving remembrance of a dear husband and father, John Graham, who passed away two years ago Sept. 17th, 1941.

O happy hours we once enjoyed, How sweet their memory still. But death has left a loneliness The world can never fill.

Lovingly remembered by Wife and family