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## LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Pat Thompson of Toronto spent a couple of days with friends in town. Miss Mildred Cullis visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. Elieff in Toronto for a few days.

Miss Vivian Cooper and Mr. Leonard Carefoot are home from Toronto University.

The next Blood Donors Clinic in Markdale will be held on Thursday, June 8th.

Mrs. Leslie Metcalf and children have gone to Trenton Beach for the summer.

Mrs. Alex. McCutcheon and Miss Sadie visited on Sunday with friends at Creemore.

Misses Dorothy Hare and Annis Hamilton of Toronto were week-end visitors in town.

Miss Bertha McDonald of Dundalk is a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Colgan and family.

Mrs. J. Lucas is home in Markdale after spending several months with her daughter in Ottawa.

Mr. Wm. Dundas of Toronto visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dundas.

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

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

Miss Annie McLoughry of Galt visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Wm. McLoughry.

Mrs. C. Hansen and children and Mrs. Jos. Dowsett of Toronto were visitors at the Armstrong home.

Misses Elda, Eileen and Jean Kinney and Mr. Jack Kinney of Toronto were visitors in town over the week-end.

Rev. J. R. and Mrs. Bythell and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reburn attended the Anglican Synod in London this week.

Mr. L. L. Thibaudeau shipped by truck two horses and a pony which he sold in Montreal the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble of Owen Sound spent Mothers' Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Noble.

The evening service in the Gospel Workers' Church has been changed to 8:15 o'clock. Bible School is held at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Dot Boardman has returned to Markdale after having spent the winter months with friends in Windsor and Toronto.

Mr. Stanley Young, Mr. Bill Thompson and sister, Miss Gertrude, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Young and family.

Mr. Edith Tuck was successful in passing all her examinations at the close of her first year at the College of Pharmacy in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Macaulay of Dundalk and Mr. and Mrs. W. Rodgers of Meaford were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. D. Macaulay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchie and family of Paris were Sunday visitors with Mrs. F. J. Ritchie and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gregory of Euphrasia.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald and Miss Valerie Brown of Holstein were visitors on Sunday with Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison.

Mr. Wm. Madden of Greenwood, B. C., and Mrs. Gwyn Jones and son, Bill, of Allenby, B.C., are spending the summer with Mrs. Madden and son, Mark, here.

Miss Jean Macaulay, who is assisting in the Bank of Toronto, Owen Sound, was home for the week-end. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. L. Strange, and daughter, Doris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schaffer of Detroit were week-end visitors with the latter's father, Mr. Wm. Whitton, who celebrated his birthday that day, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Flewies and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Whitton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hibbert and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hibbert of Dundalk, Mrs. Mel. Ackles and son, Barry of Toronto and Miss Lorna Hibbert of Grand Valley were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Colgan.

One of the impressions we brought home with us after a recent visit to Toronto was that many city residents race with the street cars two or three times daily. We prefer life in the country where you may come and go as you like.

Mr. John P. Clark of the Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto, will give an illustrated lecture in the Y.M.C.A. building in Owen Sound on Tuesday evening, May 30th. A War Savings certificate will be given as a door prize.

Miss Audrey Hansuld, 20-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansuld, 92 Paisley Ave., Hamilton, was a member of the 1944 McMaster Bachelor of Art graduating class. Miss Hansuld is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howard. The graduation exercises took place Monday, May 15.

Mr. J. Gordon Henderson of Holland Centre, a former pupil of Markdale High School, received his B.A. degree in Honour Chemistry at the graduation ceremonies held at the University of Western Ontario at London on Wednesday. He was also awarded the Gold Medal for obtaining the highest standing during his four years at the University, having passed with honours each year.

Lieut. James M. F. Smibert, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Smibert (nee Alice Cutting) recently married in Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham Fries and daughter and Miss Gladys Cutting of Hamilton; Mr. Edward Campbell of Euphrasia; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Loucks and sons of Chatsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wyvill and daughters of Vandeleur visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Stella Wyvill and Miss Hazel.

## Markdale Leads County In Victory Loan Drive With \$208.53 per capita Dundalk Second With \$163.33

### NEWS OF OUR BOYS IN UNIFORM

In a letter to his mother Tpr. Nelson Wilson tells of getting a letter from Clarence Macaulay, who is in England, and of seeing a letter from Clarence in The Standard. The other day he received a box, sent by Cooke's Church Y.P.S. about six months ago, and reports that everything was in good shape. Nelson also tells of plowing a couple of rounds with a yoke of oxen in Italy.

Pte. Howard Wilson of Sussex, N.B., is home spending a furlough with his wife and little son.

Pte. Allen Lemon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lemon of Walters Falls, is home from overseas on leave.

Pte. Wayne Weber is home from British Columbia on furlough and is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weber at Kimberley.

Pte. Frank Stoddart of Niagara spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoddart.

Tpr. Jack Fraser of Camp Borden spent the week-end at his home here.

Fus. L. A. Young of Vernon, B.C., visited the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Young of East Berkeley.

Sgt. Bob Banks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Banks of Fiesheron, has been reported missing in air operations over enemy territory.

The editor has just received a letter from Tpr. Ted Stoddart, overseas, which we reproduce below:

I fully intended to write you sooner to thank you for sending The Standard to me. It sure is a swell treat to be able to know what is new in the old home town. I never thought there was so much news in it until I began receiving it over here. Now I never miss a line.

I have met a few of the boys from home from time to time: Murdy Burnett, who, I hear, is home again; Jack Down, Stewart Bennett, Tom McAssey, who is stationed in this place with me. I was in the same camp as Bev. Johnston for a short while but never had a chance of meeting him. I saw Arkie Dunlop one evening but was not within speaking distance. Major Harris was at our camp for one day but it was my luck to see him from a distance only. It is very nice to see someone from home even when we don't get a chance to chat awhile.

It is really lovely here now. The trees are all in leaf again and flowers are in full bloom. The people here sure go to a lot of work to keep everything lovely. No matter how grand it all is nothing can compare with our own Canada. When we finish it off here we will be back again to see you all. Thanking you once again for the news of home. Cheerio and God bless you all.

Ted.

### Annesley United W.M.S.

Mrs. A. Rusk was hostess to Annesley United W.M.S. for their May meeting. The opening and business period was in charge of Mrs. R. L. Carefoot. Proverbs were given in answer to the roll call. Mrs. G. Burritt brought interesting temperance news.

The devotional topic, "All the World and All of Life for Christ", was taken up under the leadership of Mrs. F. J. Ritchie. A summary of the closing chapter of Dr. Wiser's book, "All of Life", was given by Mrs. Turner and was followed by singing, "In Christ There is no East or West".

A solemn responsive service of dedication to Christ's great commission closed with a prayer of rededication offered by Mrs. Carefoot.

Miss E. Artley, as Herald, brought tidings of a great spiritual awakening in Haiti. A poem, in which natives of Africa appealed for the Gospel, was read by Mrs. Wm. Wiley. Meeting closed with hymn, "Take Time to be Holy", and the benediction.

### Card of Thanks

The friends and neighbors, who were so kind during my stay in the hospital, are asked to accept my sincere thanks for treats, etc. I also desire to acknowledge the attention given me by the doctor and nurses.

James Kirkpatrick

Mr. Stewart Thompson of Hamilton spent a few days with friends in town.

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

Markdale citizens have just reason to be proud of their record in the purchase of 6th Victory Loan Bonds in the campaign which ended on Saturday night. Mr. A. O. Gillespie, the local salesman, and the two banks are credited with having sold \$160,800 in the three weeks allotted to the work. This gives each of our citizens, men, women and children, an average of \$208.53, with 771 of a population. Dundalk comes second with a total of \$115,150 which averages for each resident \$163.33. Fiesheron, Thornbury and Hanover are the only other places which reported sales of more than \$100 per capita, the former with \$124.40, Hanover with \$120.66 and Thornbury \$102.06.

We believe Markdale has set a record in war saving investments and the loyalty of its citizens can be measured to a great extent by the amount invested. In the six loans floated during the progress of the war the average investment for Markdale citizens will run close to \$750. It is not possible to get the correct figures as in the first campaign Markdale and a portion of Euphrasia were taken as one district. We are proud of the excellent showing made by Markdale people.

Here is the record of the County with the urban centres listed first:

Markdale	\$160,800	\$208.53
Dundalk	115,150	163.33
Fiesheron	51,500	124.40
Hanover	383,000	110.66
Thornbury	79,100	102.06
Durham	174,650	90.16
Chatsworth	20,150	84.69
Meaford	160,150	59.85
Neustadt	26,700	61.66
Shallow Lake	10,150	33.64

The townships have made a good showing with the standing as follows:

Artemesia	\$119,100	\$69.05
Collingwood	138,050	62.55
Euphrasia	90,300	46.31
Egremont	95,800	45.84
Sydenham	89,350	41.42
Sullivan	74,950	38.49
Proton	75,400	39.48
Normanby	103,500	40.44
Osprey	72,000	36.18
Bentnick	75,150	35.67
Keppel	60,100	32.86
Holland	62,850	32.18
Gleneg	38,950	28.85
St. Vincent	38,150	30.18
Derby	39,050	28.55
Sarawak	16,550	30.45

The County of Grey through the County Council invested \$150,000 and Owen Sound \$1,206,000 or \$88.68 per capita.

### Clarifying Issues

Not everybody in the country is connected with industry, but there are few that are not affected by it. Wise and intelligent leadership today from both management and labor can make industry a great uniting and constructive force in the life of the nation.

An example of this kind of leadership was given by Mr. B. M. Hallward, President of St. Raymond Paper Limited, Montreal, in an address which he made to a group of personnel men and executives last week in Toronto. While he dealt primarily with the question of how to create and maintain teamwork in industry, Mr. Hallward laid special emphasis on the "war of ideas" which he said "will go on long after the war with Germany and Japan is over; and its outcome will decide whether we win the peace or lose it."

"Industry is the main battle-ground of that war", Mr. Hallward continued. "One side is playing up everything that divides—the strategy of debunking every loyalty and every sound achievement. It is a war in which everyone of us, and every one of our families, is involved and can play a part. For just as unsound homes produce unsound men, and disrupted industry, and a divided nation; so do sound homes produce sound men, who will build teamwork in industry and a united nation."

He went on, "All around us we see that if men don't stand for something, they will fall for anything. Sometimes if we have not experienced in our own lives the potency of true standard, we underestimate the leverage of a great idea. And besides, many of us are afraid of being laughed at, just as much when we are grown up as when we were little boys. And so we dress up our experience and our fear as worldly wisdom; we refuse to stick our neck out on a question of principle and we leave the initiative to the enemy."

More than ever these days, as the war tempo increases, we need spokesmen who will draw the battle-line on the home-front and clarify and simplify the issues that are at stake. Not only from industry, but from press, pulpit, home and farm we need people who can give a fresh idea of nationhood—an idea simple enough and great enough to unite all sound thinking elements in the nation, and build here at home the kind of country for which the boys overseas are dying.

### Born

HODGKINSON—In Markdale hospital on Thursday, May 11th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hodgkinson of Euphrasia, a son—Claire LaVerne, a brother for Allan.

### Married In Westmount Church



Lieut. James Melrose Forsyth Smibert, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Smibert, pictured cutting their wedding cake with a naval officer's dress sword at the reception at the Ritz-Carlton which followed their wedding at St. Andrew's Church, Westmount. The bride is the former Nursing Sister Alice Christina Cutting, R.C.N., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cutting of Markdale, Ont. Lieutenant Smibert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Smibert of Montreal.

### Smibert - Cutting

St. Andrew's Church, Westmount, was the scene of a wedding at three o'clock Thursday afternoon, May 11th, when Nursing Sister Alice Christina Cutting, R.C.N., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cutting of Markdale was united in marriage to Lieut. James Melrose Forsyth Smibert, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Smibert of Montreal. Rev. William McLean conducted the ceremony and Mr. Fred Whitley was at the organ.

Miss W. M. Smibert, sister of the groom, attended the bride, who was given in marriage by Surgeon-Lieut. Cmdr. D. L. McCrae, R.C.N.V.R., best man. The ushers were Lieuts. T. Carrell and Ray Lemieux, both of the R.C.N.V.R.

The bride wore the R.C.N. nurses' uniform and carried a Bible with Sweetheart roses, pansies and maiden hair fern.

The maid of honour wore a dress-hat and accessories and carried a bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and pale maker suit of coral wool with black mauve sweet peas.

Mrs. Smibert, mother of the groom, was attired in a French blue suit of sheer wool, trimmed with white lace, with white hat and accessories and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

Following a reception at the Ritz-Carlton where spring flowers were arranged, the newly married couple left for their honeymoon.

The bride is a graduate of the Hamilton General Hospital, Hamilton, Ont.

### Mackie - McFadden

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday, April 29th, at the parsonage, Newwash Street, Orillia, when Rev. J. A. MacGinnis united in marriage Marjorie Edith, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McFadden of Orillia to Pte. Manfred Mackie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mackie of Orillia.

The bride looked lovely in a street-length dress of white sheer with shoulder corsage of red roses, with tiny flowered hat. The bride's attendant was her sister, Ruth, gowned in turquoise sheer and corsage of pink Tulle-rose roses with tiny turquoise flowered hat.

Mr. Orin Readman was best man. Following the ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride's parents where the bride's mother, wearing navy crepe and assisted by the groom's mother, in figured mauve jersey, received the guests. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served in the dining room which looked lovely in pink and white streamers. A three-storey wedding cake, in white and silver trimmings and adorned with a miniature bride and groom, graced the centre of the table. Only the immediate families were present. The waitresses were Miss Dorothy Mackie and Miss Eva Keall.

Later the happy young couple left on a trip to Toronto, Hamilton and Niagara Falls. For travelling the bride chose a moss green dress with brown coat, red fox fur and accessories to match.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada

Mr. Paul Rumball, Minister

10 a.m.—Sunday School. Please note change in time. 7.30 p.m.—Markdale Service.

Sunday, May 28th: Communion Service.

### Anglican Church Notes

Rev. J. R. Bythell, L.Th., Rector  
Christ Church, Markdale  
10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Church Service.

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

### United Church of Canada Markdale

Rev. Norman Caswell, B.A., Minister

11 a.m.—Morning Worship with the preaching of God's Word.  
12.15 p.m.—Sunday School.  
3 p.m.—Vandeleur Church Service.  
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Thus saith The Lord: "There is now no condemnation to them that are in Christ Jesus." (Romans 8: 1)  
WELCOME!

### United Church of Canada Holland Centre Circuit

Robert Watt, Pastor

BERKELEY—

10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
Thursday, 8 p.m., Y.P.S.

HARRAWAY—

1.30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
2.45 p.m.—Memorial Service for the late Mrs. Mary Thompson.

HOLLAND CENTRE—

10.30 a.m.—Sunday School  
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service.  
Friday, 8.30 p.m., Y.P.S.

"Come let us exalt His Name together"

### Mrs. Irving Anderson

Mrs. Irving Anderson, a resident for many years of Gleneg township, passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, Fort William, on Thursday, May 11th, in her 88th year. About a week previous she slipped and fell on the floor causing fracture of the left hip and her death was due to shock and extreme suffering.

The late Mrs. Anderson, who, prior to her marriage, was Annie McCormick, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCormick, pioneer settlers of Gleneg. Her marriage to Mr. Anderson was blessed with a family of ten children, two of whom passed away many years ago. Mr. Anderson predeceased his wife 17 years ago. For some years she had made her home with her daughter in Fort William.

Surviving are: Angus at Kapuskasing; Thomas at Fort William; Irving in Schriber; Margaret, (Mrs. O. Gorman) of Fort William; Mantel, (Mrs. McMullen) of Toronto; Mary, (Mrs. Tanneher) of Chicago; Annabel, (Mrs. Gallagher) of Los Angeles; Georgina, (Mrs. Cosgrove) of Schriber.

The remains, accompanied by members of the family, arrived in Markdale at noon on Saturday and rested in Oliver's Funeral Chapel until Monday morning, when the funeral took place, with service in St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Gleneg. Rev. W. J. Nolan sang requiem mass. Interment was made in St. John's cemetery.

There were several beautiful floral offerings and many mass cards.

The deceased, who was highly esteemed, was of a very bright and happy disposition and during her long life, had on the whole enjoyed remarkably good health.

The pallbearers were Messrs George Black, John McGrath, Laughlan Dunbar, Angus McCormick, Joe McCormick and John McDonald.

Those present from a distance were three sons, Angus of Kapuskasing; Thomas of Fort William and Irving of Schriber; three daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gorman of Fort William; Mr. and Mrs. McMullen of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Cosgrove of Schriber; Mrs. Alex. Freske of Pourimaque, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. John Paul of Oakville; Desmond Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunbar of Toronto.

### Inflation Threatens War and Post-War Economy

There can be no question that the hazard of inflation confronts us here in Canada. While it is primarily a National problem, inflation can be held in check only by the co-operation of every Canadian.

Prime Minister McKenzie King, in broadcast speech on December 6th last, underlined a point that is worth reproducing here:

"What I wish to impress upon you tonight is that if we are to win the battle against unemployment in the post-war period, we must win it of all win the battle against inflation."

Inevitably, when inflation sweeps a country the mass of the people suffer. While a few unscrupulous individuals may temporarily accumulate wealth at the expense of others, in the long run wages and salaries never keep pace with rising prices. This has been demonstrated time and again in other countries, but it is within the power of the people of Canada to prevent it happening here.

A series of advertisements appearing in this newspaper, sponsored by the Brewing Industry of Ontario, demonstrates the importance of maintaining price ceilings and the dangers of black markets.

We urge our readers to study this series carefully.

## PROCLAMATION!

I hereby proclaim

Wednesday, May 24th, 1944  
(VICTORIA DAY)

as a

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

for the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE

and call upon all parties interested to govern themselves accordingly.

ALBERT RUSK, Reeve.