LOCAL **NEWS**

TURKEY RAISING FOR A HOBBY

FOR A HOBBY

Raising turkeys may be work for some people but to Bert Hamilton it's just a hobby. He's had the idea in his mind for some time, then he go: working on the idea in book form, and that settled it. Today he has 101, to be exact, thriving poults that are outgrowing their cages. The cages are home-made brooders made after the type described in the book, and this week they are being moved to larger quarters made by the owner with the help of Merv. Richards. This consists of a 3-story contraption made out of fine slats with removable trays on the floor of each. The idea seems to be floor of each. The idea seems to be to raise a flock of turkeys in the smallest available space for Bert keeps them in part of the laundry at the back of their residence, and it is indeed a model for intensive turkey raising. Later on they'll be moved out to his farm where they can grow up for turkey. where they can grow up for turkey dinners, and that will be the day it will no doubt prove to be a profitable

PROPERTY PURCHASED

Mr. Garry Irwiin has bought the G. Love house on Eliza Sstreet and ans to move in the first of Septem-

Mr. B. H. Walden has bought a building lot on Isla Street, east of Fred Hainer's from Mrs. W. J. Lyons and plans to have a house on it by the By the way, has anyone got a house to ren; in Markdale?

NEW TEACHER ENGAGED

Mr. Wm. Sherwood who has just completed the term at Queen's University has been engaged as teacher of

Pilkins Glass Co. of Teronto.

HOLD WEINER ROAST

Friday evening last a party of teen towners enjoyed an evening of fun at Barhead which was "topped" by a their seeding, farmers of this district got a cheering note on Monday when ed by games. While the boys gathered firewood, the girls under the direction of Miss Baird had a game of rugby. They were transported there and back in the Barhead Mill truck; and the outing was a merry one for all present.

Seeding operations have been seriously delayed, and while the agricul-visity delayed.

APPOINTMENTS IN AGRICULTURE

Leroy G. Brown, former Assistant Agricultural Representative here be-fore enlisting in the R.C.A.F., has been appointed Agricultural Representative for the County of Huron where he has been acting as Representative for the last year. Mr. W. N. T. Ashton who was transferred from Grey County to Haldimand recently, will assist in the operation of the Rural Youth Centre at Cayuga.

FRILLS AND THRILLS

It's great to be young—at least that's what we thought as we watched Markwhat we thought as we watched Mark-dale youngsters marching sedately up the hill on Tuesday ready for a take-off to Owen Sound where they were to sing! And for those mothers who were able to go along it was a day that will be a pleasant memory for a long time when their boy or girl perhaps made their first 'public appearance.' While it marks weeks of excitement and confusion in class rooms it is a valuable part of their training, and one that provides plenty of frills and thrills.

JUST NEEDS A START

If some town in Ontario would get hack to the old fashioned days, comments the Alliston Herald, and have its dances and parties at eight o'clock instead of 10 to 11 o'clock at night, as is the present custom, and end at cor-respondingly earlier hours, it would not only help in providing sufficient rest and a healthier life, but would put rest and a healthier life, but would put that town on the front page of every newspaper across the country, Hon. Russell T. Kelley, Ontario Minister of Health, said at Grimsby in an address. The minister made this remark when outlining suggestions for a more healthy life.

ATTEND 60th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harpley who came to this district about six months ago to reside with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Moreland, while their home is being Moreland, while their home is being built nearby, were in Toronto last Friday attending the diamond wedding aniversary of Mr. Harpley's parents, Adjutant and Mrs. Thomas Harpley. The celebration consisted of a family re-union in the Council Chambers of the Salvation Army Temple, the bride and groom of 60 years having been active Salvation Army officers in the British Ieles for many years before coming to Canada in 1909. At the ages of 90 and 82 years, Mr. and Mrs. Harpley still maintain their interest in many affairs. in many affairs.

ASK CLOSING OF BEER ROOM

At the June meeting of Chatsworth Council, a large deputation of citizens waited on the board requesting the Council to take steps to close the beverage room at the Chatsworth Hotel. They were advised that a petition should be drafted and signed and presented to the Council.

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Play Well Presented By Bognor Eight'

The Little Clodhopper who rose from the position of a star boarder at the Poor-house to inherit a fortune, despite the schemes to deprive her of commerce was in town on Wednesday in the position of a star boarder at the Poor-house to inherit a fortune, despite the schemes to deprive her of it, was the story played by the "Bog" in Fight" cast last Friday night in the Ammoury, For amateur talent, the acting was very well done, with the role of Judy, the Little Clodhopper, play by Mrs. Morrison Thompson and dothers, worthy of special mention Mrs. O. McMillan coordibuted several solos to banjo accompaniment between acts. Besides Mrs. Morrison Thompson acts of Commerce is an organization of forward thinking citizens to banjo accompaniment between acts. Mrs. Chiggerson Whop layed the part of Judy, the Little and Cultural Commerce and industrial interest of a community. Membership interest of a community. Membership is general welfare and future of a town. Bogss; Charlie McPhatter, Georgie; Mrs. G. Wilson, Georgie's bride; Mr. of its growing pains and is in for a morrison Thompson played the part of Osie; and Mrs. H. Johnson, as Osie's bride.

There was plenty of hum our throughout and a good-sized audience enjoyed it. The play was presented in here under the auspices of Cooke's Church Ladies' Aid.

Russell Boyce Laid Up.

While taking down the barn on the Chamber of Commerce and Boards of Trade in Seeing that the voice of businessmen as represented by its member chambers is interpreted to the government of the canadian of Commerce and Boards of Trade in Seeing that the voice of businessmen as represented by its member chambers is interpreted to the government of the Commerce and Boards of Trade in Seeing that the voice of businessmen as represented by its member chambers is interpreted to the government of the Commerce and Boards of Trade in Seeing that the voice of businessmen as represented by its member chambers is interpreted to the government of the Commerce and Boards of Trade in Seeing that the voice of busine

While taking down the barn on the John Gibson farm, Russell Boyce met with an unfortunate accident last Satcompleted the term at Queen's University has been engaged as teacher of History and English by the local High School Board. Mr. Sherwood comes from Codrington and will replace Miss. Mary Baird. A commercial teacher is still required on the staff.

NEW BUILDING FRONT

The front of the Dennison Recreation Room and Ryan's Grocery is being remodelled this week which will add considerably to the appearance of Main Street. The new front will add considerably to the appearance of Main Street. The new front will be built of brick in modern design and of smart appearance. John R. Dillon has charge of the work, the brick work will be done by Mr. Long of Hanover and Mr. Ritchie of Durham and the glass front will be installed by the Pilkins Glass Co. of Teronto.

Delayed Seeding
Is Continued

Field Service Rep. To Promote Action Here

is interpreted to the government of the country.

A further service of the Canadian Chamber of Comerces Field Service Department is that of assisting in the organization of Chambers of Commerce in communities across the tocumiry. To this Mr. Bancock said he would be glad to address a public meeting of the citizens of this place in is partner is don the principles and purposes of a has nothing to we Chamber of Commerce as related to community Building.

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To Our Summer Visitors

This thing of "catering" to the public is something to which we could very well give some thought at this season. While not in the ranks of a tourist town, we find many visitors from all parts within our borders at one time or another during the summer, and these people can only feel welcome and their presence appreciated if we cater to their needs, not forgetting the shopping public of this district.

A few facilities would help People

Christ Church Jr. Guild

Markdale & District Pupils Grey Deanery Convention

Throughout Ontario, school teachers numbering nearly 25,000 are being ask-ed to emphasize to their 600,000 pupils, before school closes, the importance of all phases of safety in the summer holi-

days.

The move is part of a province-wide continuous effort to reduce traffic and other kinds of accidents.

The Deputy Minister of Education.

F. P. Rutherford, has forwarded a physhic to all teachers and principals which contains data and suggestions on Child Safety provided by the provincial Department of Highways.

CARD OF THANKS

The Doctors and nursing staff of the Markdale Hospital, and all the friends who kindly remembered me with baby gifts, cards or treats are tendered my very sincere thanks.

—Mrs. Don Russell.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Dave McCauley of Holland Centre announce the engage-ment of their youngest daughter, Ada Yorma, to Ivan James, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carmichael of Bognor. The marriage will take place the middle of June.

RATION COUPON DUE DATES

Coupons now valid are sugar S26 to S51 and Y1 to Y5, butter B35-to B53. Next canning sugar coupons Y6 to Y10 will become good in July.

Burnside - Alton

To Teach at Kirkland Lake



VIVIAN COOPER. B.A.

daughter of Mr. T. Stewart Cooper of this place who has been successful in her earher's training course at the Ontaric College of Education and had been accepted on the teaching staff of Kirkland Lake Collegiate.

Born

ECCLES — In Durham Hespital on May 19th, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Harfred Wright, a son—Frederick Har-

RUSSELL — In Markdale Hospital on Saturday, May 24th, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Don Russell of Artemesia, a son—Ronald Douglas.

COMING **EVENTS**

ZION'S CEMETERY DECORATION—Service will be held on Sunday, June 15th. at 3:00 p.m.

EASTERN STAR DANCE — Is this

Friday, June 6th, in the Armoury. Music by Ruben Kirk. You'll enjoy yourself!

AFTERNOON TEA AND BAKE SALE At Christ Church Rectory on Wednesday, June 11th. Auspices of the Anglican Senior Guild. No orders for baking beforehand please.

50 GF DANCE — In Walters Falls Hall on Taursday, June 12th. Music by Mrs. Campbell's orchestra. Round and Square. Auspices Walters Falls Agricultural Society. Admission 50 cents.

For concert in Annesley Church, Markdale by THE DAVIES, Canada's celebrated concert ensemble. Spon-sored by the Woman's Association of Annesley United Church. Watch for details.

Ex-Students of Markdale High School Are Among 1947 Graduates





WM. PERKINS, B.A.



Former pupils of the local high of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins, will reschool among this year's graduation ceive Bachelor of Arts degrees on Friand is employed at the Research Labulational Nickel at Sudday of this week in Toronto, the former oratory of International Nickel at Suddinary, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gillespie, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gillespie, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gillespie, and William Perkins, older son lespie, and will explain the first class honour group. Bruce Marshall is a graduate in Chemical Engineering in the Faculty of Sullivan, also a former student of to these members of the 1947 class.

