

The Markdale Standard
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The Standard is devoted to the interests of Markdale and the district. Markdale is surrounded by prosperous farming, scenic grandeur, and many opportunities for the enjoyment of fishing.

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Interest in Life
Let us beware of losing our enthusiasm. Let us ever glory in something and strive to attain it all that would enable, and our interest in all that would enrich and beautify our life—Phillips Brooks.

A New High School Represents An Investment
We hope the citizens of Markdale who will vote on Friday, September 30th, on the question of a new High School, will give a good majority in favor of it. We think Markdale needs the school.

In the past two weeks, the method of paying for the debentures on the proposed new school has been explained in The Standard. Last week the High School Board published a statement which presented the school situation very fully.

We think most of Markdale's citizens are well acquainted with the school conditions. A great many of them have children attending school, and they have a first-hand knowledge of the inconveniences experienced by the students, and the problems with which the teachers and the members of the High School Board are contending. Any citizen who might like to inspect the school and its auxiliary classrooms in the armory, we are sure, would be welcomed at the school.

All of us want our boys and girls to have the best education we can afford to give them. With a new High School, the trustees and the teachers have an opportunity to give the boys and girls of Markdale the district a more complete education.

We think the High School should be looked upon as an investment, rather than an expenditure. It will bring beneficial results to Markdale in several ways.

Foremost of course, is the education of the boys and girls—the most valuable asset in our community.

Then, there is the saving of the school there by trade directed to the community from the families of the boys and girls attending it. We also have the teaching staff as citizens, to help in community activities and as shoppers at our business places.

We cannot foot ourselves with the idea that we do not need any more schools, or houses, or industries, or businesses. We cannot stand still—we will either go ahead or back. To go ahead with a larger community, means more people to share in the municipal costs. If we go backwards, there will be fewer of us to bear larger costs.

Between now and the voting date, we hope every citizen who is entitled to vote on the question will give serious consideration to it. There are men and women in Markdale who are giving freely of their time in community work to whom anyone may go for information about the school and the service it will render to Markdale.

Lawn Bowling May Come to Markdale
There is a possibility that Markdale may have a lawn bowling club. We have learned that a piece of land has been offered for the making of a bowling green. So it would seem that to provide this popular summer sport for our community all we need now is some hard work.

Bowling is an ancient sport. History tells us that Drake bowled while the Spanish Armada was approaching. It must be a sport that provides for contemplation in its leisurely participation, for Drake went out and sent the Spaniards flying.

There are a number of citizens interested in bowling. Some of them to Owen Sound now to bowl. With a club of our own, we would probably have many more people interested in the sport. We might even have a ladies' section, too.

Bowling tournaments bring visitors to a community. As we are all proud of our community, we like to have others come and see it also. The more activities we have in our community, and the more people coming here, the more progress our community will make. It's good publicity to have people in other centres talking about good times they have in Markdale.

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KIMBERLEY
Mrs. Clara Stewart and son, Allen, of Regina are visiting with Mrs. F. J. Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sproule spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hart, Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Chard, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Weber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Weber and family, of Gravenhurst, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Ira Harris returned from the West last week.

The V.A. held a successful bazaar and bake sale on Saturday evening. The proceeds amounted to about \$39. Mrs. H. E. Fawcett and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick were in charge of the tables.

LOCAL GIRL SOFTBALLERS WIN FROV FLESHERTON
The Markdale girls' softball team won from Flesherton on Friday evening in a game played at Flesherton. The score was 25-16. Muriel Graham pitched for Markdale, and Joyce Parham was the catcher. Eleanor Turner, Jean Turner, shared the pitcher's mound duties, with Muriel Sparks behind the plate. The local girls' party, which had a return game played here soon.

MOVE TO STOUFFVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Haley and Theresa, Bernard, Elizabeth, and Berge to Owen Sound now to Stouffville. Mr. Haley has been employed there during the summer months.

Collections
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Notes on the Editor's Pad—
A few of the Souvenir Booklets donated at the Centennial by the Green Watch Company, Limited of Canada and its vice-president and general

Markdale Theatre
Presents in the Markdale Armory
Wednesday Night, September 28th
N.G.M. makes the BIG, HAPPY hits and here's another BIG ONE!
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Notice
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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS
IN THE VILLAGE OF MARKDALE
AT MIDNIGHT
SATURDAY, SEPT. 24th, 1949
TOM TUCK, Clerk.

TRAVERTON
Mr. and Mrs. Mortley of Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bradley of Holland were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jack and Miss Clara on Sunday.

Charles Daley of Sarnia is holidaying in the paper, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hollis.

Mrs. Even McNab, a delegate to the Women's Institute convention in Guelph on Wednesday and Thursday last week, reports a big gathering and a highly interesting and educational program.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son and wife of Brampton attended the big wedding on Saturday, September 20th, at the home of the bride, Miss Marie Stoddart and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoddart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Wales of Waterloo were in attendance at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Estlie Arnold of New Lowell attended Zion's service on Sunday and visited at the Glenora homes.

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STRATHAVON
(Too late for last week's)
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sutherland of Guelph visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lintan Anderson.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sutherland were Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and family of Collingwood and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor of Guelph and Christena of Markdale.

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TO PREACH FAREWELL SERMON ON SUNDAY
The congregation of Cooke's Presbyterian Church regrets to learn that its student minister, W. F. Mathey, E.A., who has served it for almost a year, is to preach his farewell sermon on Sunday evening. He will sermone on Sunday evening. He has given faithful service under trying conditions that of continuing his college work. His sermons contained messages that have had a deep personal appeal.

PLEASANT VALLEY
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith of Dundalk visited on Sunday with Miss Mary Blaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ev. Ritchie visited with friends in Dundalk on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wiley of Chesapeake called on Mr. and Mrs. Garry Melnis on Sunday evening.

A number of Pleasant Valley ball players attended the game at Desboro on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McFadden visited with Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan at Holland Centre on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoddart and two children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Milt Burnside in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stoddart and family visited at Berkeley with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stoddart.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Irvine and Ruth of Alliston were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ward home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Winterburn were visitors on Sunday with Wes. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hodgkinson and Ronald and Donna were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Hodgkinson on Sunday.

NOTICE
Township of Euphrasia
Snow Clubs in the Township of Euphrasia will please take notice that all requests for snowplowing be in the hands of the Clerk by October 1st. No requests will be considered later, for season of 1949-50.
ED. LANCKREE, Clerk
Rocklyn, Ont.

Popular Couple Wed
A very happy marriage took place at 2 o'clock in Zion Church on Sunday afternoon, when Miss Jean Williams, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jack, was united in matrimony to the groom, Mr. and Mrs. A. and the late Adam.

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PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. (Paddy) Petch of North Bay spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith. Mrs. Petch is remaining for the week.

Mrs. Edwards of Calgary was a recent visitor with Miss M. H. Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ev. Freeman and Douglas, Franklin, and Larry of Toronto spent the week-end with Mrs. and Mr. Perkins.

Mrs. Annie Freeman, who had been spending a couple of weeks with her son, Mr. Freeman, and Mrs. Freeman, returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perkins with them.

Mrs. R. M. Sanson and son, Dale, and Jerry Sanson of Flint, Mich., spent several days with Mrs. C. W. Rutledge, who accompanied them on their return to spend a couple of weeks with them.

Miss Marjorie Brunford left last week to attend the Stratford Normal School.

Douglas Lee of the R.C.A.F., Ottawa, is visiting with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Lee. Mrs. Lee and daughter, Nancy, have been here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Richards of Gravenhurst spent the week-end with their son, M. C. Richards, and Mrs. Richards.

Mrs. S. J. Arrowsmith is spending the week in Toronto with her mother, Mrs. S. J. Culliton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Littlejohns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cramp returned on Monday from a three weeks' vacation spent at Campdown and in Toronto and Bowmanville. During Mr. Cramp's absence, J. M. Dickie of Toronto was relieving manager at the Bank of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Irving of the big business, in company with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyce and Jean of Markdale, visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Lee attended the McKenney-Loney wedding in West-Port, Ontario, on Monday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Lee was the officiating minister.

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Mon., Tues. — Sept. 26-27
"BLACK BART"
TECHNICOLOR
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This will take more millions for new equipment and buildings. As in the past, this money must come from the savings of thousands of Canadians who are willing to invest in the telephone business.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA

We appeal to your better judgment by asking you to support the vote to give Markdale a new High School.

Markdale is a progressive village, let us keep it that way. Water works, pavement and street lighting have all been projects of progress. The projected high school is just another such venture and a most important one.

Our beautiful churches, our parks, our swimming pool and our skating arena were built because we believe in Markdale as a really live village—these have all been put there because we were public spirited, we were proud of our town.

In building a high school we shall be helped financially in a big way. The government grant would be about 75 per cent of the total cost, the county grant will be substantial and Markdale's share will be the balance.

By taking advantage of all this help Markdale will have a centre of education second to none outside of Owen Sound.

The school is needed and if not provided our children will have to be taken elsewhere. You, the Taxpayer, will pay the cost of education outside of the village, which will be controlled by an outside body.

There is no guarantee that these latter costs will be as low as we can maintain them in the new School.

WHY NOT KEEP MARKDALE AS THE CENTRE OF EDUCATION IN THIS DISTRICT? A LARGER UNIT SCHOOL HAS A LOWER PUPIL COST, A SMALL UNIT SCHOOL ALWAYS HAS A HIGH PUPIL COST.

— Vote For The Bigger Unit —

Canadian Legend Notes
On Sunday, Comrades K. Weaver of Walter's Falls and John Hutchinson of Markdale, represented Branch No. 205, Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, at the opening of a new wing of Westminster Hospital, London, when Hon. Milton Gregg, V.C., the Minister of Veterans' Affairs, officiated. They also attended a meeting of district "C". Attendance at the opening ceremony was small on account of the weather.

At its last meeting, the local branch welcomed Fred Meyer as a new member.

Arrangements for the holding of Poppy Day on Saturday, November 5th, and the observance of Remembrance Day on Friday, November 11th, were discussed at the last meeting of the branch.

Church Services
(Standard Time)
The Church of England
Canon R. S. Jones, B.A., Rector
Christ Church, Markdale
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
St. Matthias' Church, Berkeley
2:15 p.m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

United Church of Canada
(Markdale Pastoral Charge)
Rev. W. M. Lee, M.A., Minister
Annesley Church—
10:00 a.m.—Rally Day
The Sunday School will meet at 10:40 a.m.
11:00 a.m.—Rally Day Service in which the Sunday School will join. The Rite of Baptism will be administered.
Ebenezer Church—
Anniversary Services at 2:30 and 8 p.m.—Continuing Speaker—Rev. L. W. Mould, Pricewille.
All are cordially invited.
Vandeleur Church—
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Gospel Workers' Church
Rev. A. E. Hayward, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:45 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
Rev. and Mrs. C. J. McNeil will farewell at this service.

CAPITOL
Theatre - MEAFORD
2 Shows Nightly - 7:15 and 9:15
Sat. Continuous from 7:00 p.m.
Fri., Sat. — Sept. 23 - 24
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In Technicolor
VAN HEFLIN
SUSAN HAYWARD
"Tap Roots" is being compared with "Gene With the Wind"
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In Technicolor

Skinny men, women gain 5, 10, 15 lbs.
Get New Pop, Vim, Vigor

United Church of Canada
Temple Hill Charge
Rev. C. R. Leach, Minister
11:00 a.m.—Temple Hill.
1:30 p.m.—New England.
3:00 p.m.—Mount Zion.
8:00 p.m.—Knox, St. Vincent.

BERKELEY
Week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stafford were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Casle and two sons of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Phillips of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips of Toronto, Matt. Atkins of Owen Sound, and daughter, Dorothy, of Toronto, were in town on Friday, September 16th.

Harvey David and John Hannah are in the Markdale hospital.

Herb Adams of Oshawa visited the first of the week with his school chum, Andrew Gillespie, and Mrs. Gillespie. Quite a number of the softball fans went to see Berkeley play at Drumbo with the New Dundee team on Monday night.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Watts on the arrival of their daughter in Centre Grey Hospital on Friday, September 16th.

Harvest home services were observed in the Anglican Church here on Friday, September 16th. (See Archdeacon J. N. H. Mills of London was the speaker.)

Miss Audrey Fitzsimmons of Orangeville spent the week-end with her mother.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wiley were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Morrison and Mrs. Mervin Househouse and Joseph Gilbert of Lulu, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Buschen and Joan and Walter of Barrie were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tuck.

Holland Township Area Board Meets
The Holland Township School Area Board met in Holland Centre on September 8th for its regular meeting. The members were all present.

Moved by E. Craven, seconded by W. Beirnes, that the minutes be signed as read.

Moved by E. Craven, seconded by S. Hammill, that the secretary write to the 10 School Section with regard to cost of education for two years for Kay Kirktown, attending No. 7 school, and approximately 75 per cent of the cost, and as to whether they wish dental care and books supplied, if so in future this will be extra.

Moved by E. Craven, seconded by W. Yates, that the secretary write to Dave Anderson, informing him that the board wishes the pictures in the schools carried on.

Moved by E. Craven, seconded by W. Beirnes, that the financial statement for September, amounting to \$27,113.37, be paid.

Why Not...
Check your stove pipes, elbows, etc., before the bad weather starts?
We also have a good assortment of work gloves and mitts.
Window glass, putty, weatherstripping and nails.
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McCORMICK'S ORCHESTRA
Modern and Old-Time Music
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OF OWEN SOUND
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Ladies' Dresses and Coats
Every Other Wednesday
2:30 to 10 p.m.
at
CRANE'S GIFT SHOP IN FLESHERTON
Next Showing
Wednesday, October 5th
Dresses ranging from
\$6.95 and up
Please feel welcome to come in and look around

BIGGER AND BETTER!
Markdale's FALL FAIR
MONDAY AND TUESDAY
October 3 and 4
High School Livestock and Other Exhibits
Public School Exhibits, Singing and Public-Speaking Contests
Tuesday Features
Trials of Speed
Gentleman's Road Race
Saddle Races
Grand Concert in Armoury At Night
DANCE
RUSSELL HILL AND HIS ORCHESTRA
FRANK D. SAWYER
President
Markdale
RUSSELL FREEMAN
Secretary
R.R. 4, Markdale