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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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H. C. Irwin, of Saskatchewan, is on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Irwin in town.

Mr. G. P. Donahue, of Fergus, was in this part last week and gave The Standard a friendly call.

The estate of the late William Cameron, of Port Elgin, amounting to \$250,000, is being adjusted.

When you feel uneasy in your spectacles don't hesitate to call and see us Examination free.—J. Lucas.

Mr. W. H. Heath and Mr. J. J. Shill visited their brother, E. F. Hawken, in Owen Sound, last week.

Stansbury, the great Arctic Explorer, to visit Owen Sound, and address the Board of Trade on the 2nd of March.

For Sale—Large steel lead roller or exchange for grass cutter. 1 R. Schell, one mile west of Markdale.

Artists are occupying so much space in The Standard that we propose this week to hold over several interesting items.

You will get more value for your money in a piano, organ, talking machine, sewing machine, or a cream separator, purchased at Crowsonton's Music Store, Markdale.

Westside Methodist Church, Owen Sound, was erected ten years ago. It is now clear of encumbrance, and the event was celebrated last Monday night in a most royal fashion.

Andy Griffith, the local cartage and expressman, has secured the contract of supplying eight carloads of ice to Dundalk business men. He has a gang at work now filling the order.

Se these bargains for boys at Thompson's House of Value—Boys' Fleece Underwear reg \$1.00 for 50c. Boys' All Wool Stockings, reg \$1.25 for 75c. Boys' Fine Black Shoes, regular \$4.00 for \$2.00.

Mr. T. B. Carrithers, of Morden, Man., when renewing the other day says: "So long as The Standard maintains the interesting, useful and high standard of efficiency which has characterized it in the past, I am sure its weekly visits will be looked for with eager expectancy."

The employees of the North American Furniture Co., of Owen Sound, having submitted to a material reduction in wages, have organized, for the purpose of securing lower prices for themselves and families by purchasing as a community from the local stores which will cut the price closest to wholesale."

Thompson's is the headquarters for Stanfield's Underwear—here are the new prices:

Red Label, reg \$3.50, now \$2.20

Blue Label, reg \$4.00, now \$2.80

For Sale—Hoover calc. J. Mercer, Markdale.

All lines of Men's Overalls are down \$1.00 a pair at P. J. Thompson's.

Mr. Bert Martin, of Swinton Park, was a caller at The Standard office on Saturday.

Coinel—Get your money's worth—Men's heavy tweed Ulster style overcoats selling at \$15 at Mercer's.

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Poles Wanted—Cedar poles wanted. Any quantity, 25 to 50 feet.

Good prices for good poles, J. G. Campbell.

Down goes the prices at Mercer's—Young Men's new style fall suits, regular \$35, \$37, \$40, selling at \$22.50

In order to say half a dollar on "At Home" to their friends on Thursday afternoon, February 24th from 3 to 6, the occasion being their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

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Sleighing has been good of late and conditions favorable for bush work and as a result large quantities of fuel, saw logs, lumber, railway ties, telegraph poles, etc., have been delivered. Within two hours, one day last week, C. E. Armstrong measured in his sawmill yard 40 large loads of saw logs.

Down go the prices at Mercer's—Pure Wool Yarn and 3 ply \$1.00 per lb. Men's fine-lined shirts and drawers \$5c. Men's knit ties, the stock, \$1.00, 36 in. Grey Cotton 25c. per yd. was 40c.

Tommy Holmes, an Owen Sound boy, enlisted in October, 1917, in the 17th Battalion, and was married on Feb. 17 at Passchendaele, his feat in capturing a "pill box," single-handedly. He was indeed courageous. He was buried in the soil prior to the feet of his parents, who were married on the 4th of February, to Miss Annie Eldred, eldest daughter of Mrs. Owen Speed.

The Markdale band inter-locked running by the Collingwood (same) who have for the last two seasons won the Championship for Ontario.

The first game was played in Owen Sound on Friday night and resulted in a score of 5 to 1.

The second game took place on Monday night.

and our boys lost 5 to 2. The local team made a good showing, in both games and under more favorable circumstances could have won out.

A special train to Owen Sound carried quite a number of supporters to Friday night's game.

Mr. James Staples, of this place, has handed us a clipping from a Vancouver paper, stating that his son, George A. Staples, died in the C. P. R. in that city, he has been promoted to the office of freight agent. Mr. J. H. Fox, who for the past ten years has been city freight agent for the C. P. R., has been promoted to the office of District Freight Agent at Edmonton and the Canadian Pacific at Allway. He will leave almost immediately. Mr. Fox is succeeded by Mr. A. Staples, chief clerk in the divisional freight office there.

Marine Chapter—I. O. D. E. held their Annual Business Meeting on February 9th, at the home of Mrs. Boyd. After the business and reports of the year's work were read and adopted, officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

Mrs. W. D. Henry, Miss M. Mann, Hon. Regent.

Mrs. C. E. Armstrong, Regent.

Mrs. L. G. Campbell, 1st Vice-Regent.

Mrs. H. Matthews, 2nd Vice Regent.

Mrs. T. Tuck, Secretary.

Mrs. T. H. Reburn, Treasurer.

Mrs. J. C. Mercer, Standard Bearer.

At the close of the meeting Mrs.

Boyd served refreshments and a social hour was spent.

Mr. R. V. Ricketts visited friends in Hamilton recently.

Mrs. Harry Hale, of Sudbury, is on a three month visit in town.

Mr. C. F. Dean, of Owen Sound, is a caller at The Standard office on Saturday.

Mrs. M. Armstrong is on a visit with relatives in Toronto, Pickering and St. Catharines.

Miss Rita Shortill, of Georgetown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. V. Ricketts, at present.

Woodhouse's Farmers' Club will meet in the schoolhouse 1st Thursday evening in each month.

A meeting of the Ontario Branch of the Penion Commission for Canada is to be held in Owen Sound on Thursday, February 17th.

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