

# The Markdale Standard.

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To the United States 50 cents extra

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Markdale Fair October 11th and 12th.

Special at Mercer's this week. 3 lbs Choice Black Tea for \$1.00.

Meet your friends at Walters Fall Fair on Wednesday, of next week.

Ladies' and Men's Heavy Tweed Rain Coats for Fall \$10 to \$15, at Mercer's, Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrard Henry and family were visitors with friends in Orangeville on Sunday.

Did you know mattresses are down to prices that equal those before the war. See them at Olivers.

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

Miss Millie McLoughry is spending the night with her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Kelly at the Queen's Hotel, Owen Sound.

The fair at Walters Falls on Wednesday, September 22nd, promises to draw a record breaking crowd this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Russell and family of Dundalk, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins one day last week.

The sink and silt filling in this neighborhood are occupying the attention of the farmers on all sides these days.

Keep October 7th open for Rocklyn's Fall Fair. This is one of the best fairs in the County and will be up to standard this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sewell took in the Owen Sound Fair last week and spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Roberts, at Chatsworth.

An Owen Sound man in driving out of the fair at the Public Library on Friday last ran into Wesley Bell's Bristol car and did considerable damage.

The Rev. Methodist Church Anniversary and Thank-Offering Services on Sunday, October 2nd, Mr. (Rev.) Bartle will speak at 11 A.M. and Rev. A. J. Earl at 7:30 p.m. Special music.

The fire brigade were given a run on Monday afternoon to the West side of the village. Overheated stove pipes at the home of Mr. Robt. Galbraith, which did but little damage, were responsible for the alarm.

A head-on collision between two Chevrolet cars on Main Street on Tuesday afternoon caused some excitement and did considerable damage to both cars. Driving on the wrong side of the street and getting muddled in trying to get back to the right side, was the cause.

A meeting of the Political Association of South East Grey U.F.O. organization will be held in the Town Hall, Durham, on Monday, the 26th day of September, for the purpose of completing the political organization of the riding and endorsing and adopting the political charter of this organization. All are requested to this movement. The meeting is called for 1:30 p.m.

Mr. W. H. Downs, a farmer on the Garafax Road, two miles from Owen Sound, will this fall harvest over 3,000 bushels of potatoes, in addition to several hundred bushels of early potatoes already marketed. In spite of the fact that the potato crop, generally, in this section, are not the best, his crop will be uniformly good. This year Mr. Downs had thirty-five acres of potatoes under cultivation. Five acres were planted with early potatoes, which have been harvested and marketed, realizing over six hundred dollars.

At St. Mary's on Wednesday, of last week, the Durham-Markdale lacrosse team got their first set-back in the intermediate championship race, when they lost to the home team by 12 to 5. At half time the score stood four all and it looked as though the two-town aggregation could hold them to a pretty close score at the finish, but luck was against them. In Durham, to-day, the boys will make a desperate effort to overcome and beat the seven-goal lead which St. Mary's has. The Durham boys were over here for a work out one afternoon last week.

First day of autumn.

Markdale's Fair is but three weeks away.

Jake Zener, of Toronto, was in town on Tuesday.

Ladies' Stylish New Fall Coats \$25 to \$30, at Mercer's. See them.

The date—September 23rd. The place—Walters Falls. The event—The big fall fair.

Be sure and see the mattresses advertised in this issue, by Olivers Furniture Store.

George Matthews, of Kingston, was a visitor with his mother and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamilton and son, Garnard, of Sutton West, spent Sunday and Monday with friends at the Parsons.

If you want the best plow made, either in Riding Plows or Walking Plows, buy the Oliver Plow. Sold by H. Knott, Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Palmer, of Toronto, and Mrs. R. R. King, of Scott, Sask., were visitors for a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins.

We are sorry to hear of the indisposition of Mr. Wm. McLoughry, east of the village. He is confined to the house and, much of the time, has to remain bedded.

Addition to Rocklyn Fall Fair prize list. Class 7, Section 48—For the best exhibit of horses, owned absolutely by one exhibitor. Judged for value, \$2.00, \$3.00.

Mr. Adam Turner and Mrs. Turner, of Saskatoon, Sask., who have been visiting in Toronto, spent from Tuesday until Wednesday this week in town, guests at Knarshoro Hall.

Willfred Leitch has been laid up with an attack of appendicitis at the home of his parents, near Barnhead. It is hoped that an operation may be avoided, as there are good signs of improvement in his condition.

Mr. O. E. Kennedy, who has been relieving in the Bank of Toronto while Mr. H. A. Pullum was on his holidays, has returned to Toronto, to take up other work in the bank. He enjoyed his short stay in Markdale.

Seven car loads of stock—cattle, sheep and hogs, were shipped from Markdale on Tuesday. Haslam & Johnston, the local buyers, had three car loads, the Shipping Association two, Hills one and the Rocklyn buyer one.

Geo. McClung, 14th con., Glenelg, left at The Standard Office on Tuesday a sunflower stalk measuring 11 feet four inches in length. The head is not fully developed, so that had it been allowed to mature, there is no telling how long the stalk might have grown.

The political convention of the F.O. Political Association for South East Grey will be held in the Town Hall, Durham, on Monday, September 26th. At this convention a candidate for the Federal election will be nominated, if deemed expedient. The convention opens at 1:30 p.m.

At King Edward Park, Markdale, on Monday, Vandeleur and Ceylon played their final game in the race for the championship of the Centre Grey Baseball League and by a score of 25 to 2 the former team were victors. Vandeleur boys played a good steady game and, with the exception of a couple of bad throws in the seventh innings, made no serious errors. They are not to go up against Dundalk to decide the championship and, if they play the same class of ball they did on Monday, there will be very little chance of the honors going to Dundalk.

On and after October 1st, 1921, the rate of postage on letters from Canada to other places in the Empire has been fixed at 3 cents an oz. or fraction thereof. As an example of above, the prepayment required on letters posted for delivery within the Empire now includes a war tax of one cent each. Letters weighing one oz. or less, to places outside of Canada, but within the Empire, should be prepaid 4 cents. Letters weighing more than an oz. should be prepaid 4 cents for 1st oz. and 3 cents for each subsequent oz. or fraction of an ounce.

Chopping done every working day. T. Teeter, Markdale. 18-9.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCutcheon are taking in the Shelburne Fair to-day, Wednesday.

Rev. W. A. Irwin, wife and "little son, have returned to Toronto, after a couple of weeks spent with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Elder, Jr., married last week at Consequoy, arrived home Tuesday evening. The Standard joins in congratulations to the young couple.

Don't forget the showing of "Male and Female" at the Regent Theatre on Monday, September 26. Admission 25 and 50 cents. Amusements tax extra. One night only.

Mr. Angus Beaton, of Medicine Hat, Alta., inventor of the famous Beaton Hitch was a week-end visitor in town with the Walden families and other relatives. Angus is an old Markdale boy and is well on the road to success. He recently disposed of the selling right of the "Hitch" for Canada to a well-known Calgary firm. He is now on his way to the United States to consummate a deal for the selling rights of the "Hitch" for that country.

Mr. W. J. Bowes, who purchased the H. H. Irwin property on the Toronto line south, has been making improvements. The house has been re-modelled during the summer. Messrs. Dillon and Snell doing the work. The stalling at the barn has been made more convenient and up-to-date by the remodeling of the floors and enlarging of the windows. Mr. H. D. McLoughry had charge of the cement work. Mr. W. H. Heard is also improving by cementing his stables. Mr. McLoughry did this job, as also one at Pridville, a foundation for a house.

Dr. Cook and family returned last week to their home in Calgary, Alta., after a visit with their parents in Markdale and other friends at Meaford, Owen Sound, Truxton and Allenford. While staying in Meaford they motored to Massaga Beach. A motor trip was taken to Detroit, in which the Westerners were accompanied by Mrs. Thos. Cooke, of Markdale and Mrs. W. J. McPadden, of Orange Valley. Durham, Mr. Forest, Harrington, Listowel, Moncton, Mitchell, London, Windsor and several smaller places were passed through on the trip over. The weather and roads were ideal for a holiday trip and the country beyond Harrington was lovely. Many fine farms were passed with splendid buildings and beautiful surroundings. In many of the towns passed through streets were paved, which adds much to the pleasure of the auto driver. The return trip was made by Port Huron and Sarnia. The trip was thoroughly enjoyed by the whole company, but they were glad to be home again.

## Rupture Expert

Seeley, Famous in this Specialty. Called to Owen Sound.

F. H. Seeley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted ruptured expert, will personally be at the Patterson Hotel and will remain in Owen Sound Friday, September 30th, only. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days, on the average case. Being a vast advancement over all former methods—exemplifying instantaneous effects immediately apparent and withstanding any strain or position. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain producing results without surgery, injections, medical treatment or prescriptions." Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Governments, Washington, D.C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call, he will be glad to show same without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevent stopping at any other place in this section.

P.S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. Seeley.

Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births, 25c; Marriages, 35c; Deaths, 25c; Memorial Cards, 50c; 10c. per line extra for poems.

## BORN

TOLTON—In Markdale, on Sunday, September 18th, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tolton, twin daughters.

Markdale Fair, the big event of the season, takes place on October 11th and 12th. Remember the dates and prepare to be in attendance.

## Markdale Cemetery

The newly appointed Board of Management of Markdale Public Cemetery has shown commendable energy in the matter of having that much neglected place improved. The weeds and long grass have been eradicated, markers lowered so that the lawn mower will pass over unobstructed, hundreds of yards of virgin soil hauled in for leveling and mulching purposes, and adjustments of walks and driveways made. Under the skilled superintendence of Mr. J. G. McButt this work is already well advanced. The Board has adopted the now prevailing system in large places of assessing each lot with what it considers sufficient to create a fund, the interest of which is to be devoted to its perpetual up-keep and in this way every plot will be kept uniformly in a tidy, attractive condition. The lot price has been advanced from \$10 to \$15. This was found necessary in order to procure funds for putting the cemetery in good condition, but is still less than the prevailing tariff in well regulated cemeteries. The perpetual up-keep levy is \$15 for a lot 8x18 feet. This would render at 5 1/2 % a cent a year, which is very reasonable for a perpetual up-keep. Those who have heretofore purchased a lot will be required to level up by the payment to the Treasurer of the difference between the old and the new tariff. The old price for a lot 8x18 feet was \$10. Now it is \$15, besides the \$15 for perpetual up-keep fund. Owners will be required to pay the difference between the purchase price paid by them and the new price on each 8x18 lot.

## Hamilton's Studio

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Sunday, September 25th, 1921.

Divine Service, morning at 11 and evening at 7.

Morning Rally Day. United service. Parents are invited with the children. Special order of service. The subject is "Locality."

## BERKELEY

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At the League Service on Monday evening the subject, which was of a missionary character, was handled by Miss Edna McHugh and Mrs. Jarvis Henry.

Last Sunday evening the service was conducted by a Markdale old-boy in the person of Rev. Wm. Irwin, M. A., B.D., Ph.D., of Victoria College, Univ. of Toronto. His subject, "What is Christianity?" The Pastor was free to unite with Mr. Wm. Yates in the rendering of a violin duet. The congregation regret the removal of Mr. Yates, but wish him every success in his new location, North Bay.

Prayer meeting on Thursday at 8 p.m., at which a study of the Book of Amos will be begun.

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock there will be a Children's service. The hymns, special music and illustrated address will be in keeping with the character of the service.

The Sunday School will observe Rally Day, following the programme outlined by the various co-operating Sunday School Departments. Parents and others are requested to use their influence in securing a good attendance of children, especially at next Sunday's services.

The Cradle Roll Department of the Sunday School are happy in the prospect of adding two more names to the Roll, those of the two twin baby-girls who have come to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Tolton.

Since the renovating of the basement of the Church has been undertaken, a surprising circumstance has come to light in the number of panes of glass that apparently have been broken by stones. Now that these are being replaced, an appeal is made to all lovers of clean sport to keep the repaired windows unbroken. In our youthful exuberance of spirit we cannot refrain from casting stones, but we can be careful to hurl them so that they will not destroy property. Lend us a hand, Boys, in keeping our property in first-class repair.

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