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# Great Semi=Annual Clearance

Radical Reductions on Ladies' Coats and Skirts. To effect a speedy clearance previous to Inventory we offer our entire stock of Ladies' Coats and Skirts at onethird, less than regular prices. The following quotations will illustrate the values offered

## Important Announcement to Women: 6 Days Sale of Coats, Waists, Furs and Petticoats

Exquisite new Waists on sale at 25 per cent. off.

Beautiful Fur-lined Coats, Neck Pieces and Muffs or Sets.

Correct Coats for Women

Ladies' Cloth Coats Black and navy, semi fitted coats, 50 ins. long, made of all wool Kersey, reg. \$15, sale\$10 Brown, navy and black loose back coats,

trimmed with silk braid; waist and sleeves Ladies' fine wool Kersey eloth coats, semi-Misses' fine beaver cloth coats in red, navy 

Children's tweed coats reg. 5.50, sale 3.67 Misses' navy frieze coat neatly trimmed 6 only odd twee I coats, 50 ins. long, sizes Clearance Sale of Ladies' Flannallette

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One dozen soiled wrappers half price.

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### Fur and Fur-lined Coats

Ladies' green, black and brown fur lined coats with natural Alaska sable collar and revers, rat lining and fine broad-cloth shell, reg. \$62, sale...... 49.50

Ladies' black fur lined coats with marmut lining, western sable collar and revers and good quality shell, reg. \$55, sale ...... \$44 Ladies' black fur lined coat, shell neatly trimmed with braid and self strapping, rat

lining and extra quality Alaska sable collar reg. \$72, sale ..... 57.60 Same coat as above with western sable collar and revers, reg. \$60, sale... ......\$48 Brown and green fur lined coats, 50 inches

long, with spring rat linings, alaska sable collar and revers, best quality broad cloth Ladies' Bocharan dog jackets, fine curl, with Western sable collar and revers, either box or blouse front, reg. \$58 sale......\$46 Ladis' near seal jacket, with western

...... 42.40 Men's Coon coats, fine dark fur, reg. \$68, sale 54.40, reg, \$78, sale ........62.40 Men's rat lined Coats with Otter collar; reg. \$75, sale \$60; reg. \$82, sale 65.40

sablec ollar and revers, blouse front, reg. \$53

### Linens and Flannelettes

Unbleached Table Linen, 52 inch, reg. 80e, sale 23e; reg. 40e, sale 83e; reg. 50e; Bleached table linen, reg. 45c, sale 36c

Heavy satin damask, fully bleached, 2 yds wide, rag. 75e, sale 68e; reg. 1.20, sale 98e: reg. 1.50, sale ... ..... .. ... ... 1.20 Heavy feather ticking, reg. 20e; sale 16e;

reg. 25e, sale 20e; reg. 30e, sale .. ... 24 Te Flannelette, sale 5e; rug. 81e, sale Te Flannelette 34 ins. wide, reg. 12e, sale 9e yu Extra heavy striped Flannelette, fine soft eloth, reg. 15e, sale... ... ... ... 1210

Heavy Flannelette suitable for men's 121e lines for 10e; 15e values for 121e; Ups and Downs, Lights and shirts, in dark colors, checks and stripes, 17e values for ... ... ... 15e

Pure linen roller towelling, 18 in., reg. 10c, sale 8c. Huck towelling, reg. 10c, sale 8c. 3 kinds of cotton towelling, sale 6cyd

3.00 white lawn blouses for... ......2.00 He is going to do some surveying friend, Miss Thompson, of Bobcay- and about twenty-five members were 3.75 White lawn blouses for ................................. 2.75 there and most likely some prospect- geon.

Odds and ends of soiled white lawn blouses ing. 25 Per Cent. off all Nett and Silk Blouses. \$8,000. Mr. Nicholls has also a attended. Reports of great interest The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist



teacher, who is superintending the Stock and Seed , udging Short Courses in Lindsay this week.

### Shauows in village Life

Hailourion, Jan. 28 .- Mr. A. Niv- to this week on business.

share in the Cobalt town site mine, were read from the secretaries of the church held their entertainment on so his work out there has been very junior and senior Guild, Ladies' Aid. Saturday evening and it was largely

Thursday morning last. All the gation has contributed \$\$1,700. A a treat. lakes are watered up very badly and hearty vote of then's was rendered A number of the soloists also helpthe lumbermen, who two weeks ago the retiring secretary and treasurer ed the choir on Sunday evening. wanted rain, now say they have too Mr. F. A. McDougall; also to the Rev. Mr. Garbutt, of Toronto, had much of it, owing to the changeable very popular organist, Mrs. F. A. charge of both services on Sunday

around, mostly colds. We have had be very much missed in this circle. two cases of pneumonia, but the pa- The officers for the year 1909 : Sec- in aid of mission work was also retients are getting along as well as retary, Mr. E. Fitzgerald; treasurer, can be expected. Sorry to say the Mr. J. Northey; organist, Miss S. Anglican minister, Rev. T. Lindsay, Martin; ushers, Messrs. F. Warren has been confined to his bed for the and Findlay Robson. last three days, and consequently Mr. S. Doherty, of Rinmount. there was no service in the church. spent Monday evening in town, the

Mr. Chas. D. Kellett has installed guest of friends, new lights in his store. They were er there is any insurance on the live put in by the Rice, Knight Manufac- Fenelon Falls, Jan. 25.-Miss Lila last summer, his loss will be confin- light and certainly is a dandy. The her friend, Miss Jean Graham, store is at present lighted with three Lindsay. lights of 600 candle power each. It is very simple to work and no dang- town this week on business. lightning Sunday morning about 9.30 er is attached to it. I hear the Messrs. J. J. Lee and E. John-

stroyed along with the contents. The tend putting in three lights. to the north-west and north-east of Eeck being the owner of two, and been increased by two, a daughter attended the funeral of their nephew,

was done. This morning two barns places his loss at about \$1,000. business is very dull, but everything Falls, was in town on Saturday. burner of brick on the top of which here is a very high chimney.

about eight o'clock last Friday even over to a house across the bridge, and close to Mr. Freeman's store, where they found an industrious mail clerk (Mr. Lindsay) working manfully with a bucksaw, assisted by a large torch, the brilliant light from which caused all the trouble.

Frank Parford, a young English man from Birmingham, who came out with his parents and three brothers about four years ago, received a sad letter last Saturday week from home, stating that his brother John, who had only been married at Christmas, had been killed by an express He was attempting to cross the tracks from one platform to an-His mother is going back to England on Friday by the Empress of India, to attend the funeral,

The choir of Sydenham-st. Metho dist church, Kingston, will hereafter appear in plain black gowns. Meny Presbyterian churches their annual meetings, the reports

### Reception to Rt. Rev. Bishop Reeves at Fenelon Falls

From our own correspondent.

Adam returned home on Tuesday af- During his stay in town "Scotty". ter spending a very pleasant vaca- has made a host of warm friends for tion with friends in Roland, Sask, | himself, who deeply regret his re-Miss Cora Thompson, of Bobcay- moval. Before leaving on Saturgeon, is the guest of Mrs. M. W. day the B.N.A. clerks presented him

Mr. and Mrs. Collier, of Endicott, Manitoba, are visiting Palestine and Hartley friends, and paid Fenelon Falls a visit on Monday.

Mr. J. H. Carnegie, M.P., of

TIALIBURTON iting in Bury's Green this week. let fever epidemic in our town again, ing Mrs. Cragg, of the Methodist Already three homes have been place congregation, Mrs. Coove, of the Miss Vera Sharpe is visiting Lind-

> say friends this week. Mr. M. Perrin, of Cameron, spent a few hours in town on Thursday. Mr. Harry McCallum is in Toron-

Clearance Sale of Lawn Blouses in, O.L.S., left here Friday morning Mrs. M. W. Brandon entertained a

The congregation of St. Andrew's Messrs. Nicholls and Jos. Ferguson church held their annual meeting on on Saturday after spending a few and W.F.M.S., and all spoke highly attended. The very interesting pro-We have a decided January thaw of the great work being done in the gram was given by a troupe of neat present. Crows were heard on congregation. This year the congre- gro entertainers and it certainly was McDougall. Mr. and Mrs. McDoug- in the Methodist church and gave There is a lot of sickness going all leave for the Northwest, and will two very interesting addresses on

Mr. Webster, of Oakwood, is in | Miss Cora Thompson returned to

The population of Haliburton has Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Verulam,

Fenelca Falls, Jan. 22 .- Mr. D. Mc- | the B.N.A. bank staff in Quebec. with a beautiful gold headed cane as

bourne, are the guests of Dr. Mrs. Manning and Master George

Manning, spent Sunday in Lindsay the guest of Mrs. A. Quibell. town in St. Mark's church, Toronto, on

Reports say that we have the sear- societies of town, the presidents be-Baptist church, and Mrs. C. L. Lord of St. Andrew's church. Mr. Reeves

then gave a most interesting and instructive address on home mission work done in the west Mrs. Reeves then addressed the ladies on the imperative need of more

interested mission workers. On Sunday morning Rt. Rev. Asst. 

Miss Vera Sharpe returned home

The many friends of Mr. George Barclay will be sorry to hear of his serious illness and we hope to hear more encouraging reports of his con-

dition soon. Mr. Findlay Robson attended Lindsay and Peterboro hockey match in Lindsay on Thursday.

The choral class, under their efturing Co., of Toronto. It is a gas lian Brooks, of town, is the guest of ficient leader, Miss Lilian Wilson, of of Toronto, will commence their studies again on Friday evening at 7.30.

her home on Bobcaygeon on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilbert, of Irono'clock and a result was totally de- trustees of the Methodist church in- son were in Lindsay on Saturday on dale, passed through town on Safriends in Michigan.

The Government is considering the question of extending the T. & N. O. passed over the country, and it is ever, a large quantity of grain and reported that considerable damage clover were destroyed, and Mr. Beck As usual, at this time of the year Miss Lilian Wilson, of Fenelon Railway from Charlton to Elk Lake.

were reported to have been struck by Through a misunderstanding the inwere reported to have been struck by Inrough a misunderstanding the in-lightning, and totally destroyed. Surance on the ba'n was not renew-

## Stockand Seed Judging Classes

### FARMERS HANDY ACCOUNT BOOK FOR 1909 READY

OF CANADA

The Annual Statement

Farmers Bank of Canada, submitted by the directors to the second

annual meeting of shareholders. The net profits for the year ending

Dec. 31, '08, after deducting cost of management, etc., were \$21,024 27,

to which is to be added the balance of \$22,089.99 brought forward from

the preceding account, and \$5024.10, premium on stock, making in all

\$48;138.36 available for disposal: After paying two half-yearly divi-

dends at the rate of 4 per cent., the balance of \$28,794.36 was carried

were \$1,005,809.61 and other deposits \$414,172, and with accrued interest

totalled \$1,420,663,97 As against this and the note circulation of

\$30,875, the bank has available assets amounting to \$1,336,301.45, a fact

which demonstrates unusual financial strength. 'The capital stock

paid up is now \$555.254, and the prospects of The Farmers Bank of

Canada must be regarded as highly favorable. As the directors are

evidently pursuing a cautious and conservative policy, it cannot but

result in the building up of a reliable and profitable business and one bound to increase with the growing wealth and prosperity of the

The deposits bearing interest at the date of closing the accounts

In another column will be found the report and accounts of The

You can have a copy for the asking. Ask your local bank to give you one. Keep an account of your receipts and expenditures.

### Eldon Agricultural Society Has Surplus-New Officers course in Stock and Seed Judging, to attend the lectures or witness the which commenced in town this morn-scoring and judging of the cattle

Woodville, Jan. 25.-The annual the Eldon Agricultural here on Tuesday, Jan. 19, 1909, at the hour of one o'clock. This was one of the most interesting meetings this society has had for some years, and a fairly good representative one. Good. A number of leading farmers were Directors-W. T. Reed, T. Russell,

has been wholly paid off by the care- Barnes and Miss Greenway. ful management of the officers.

OFFICERS FOR 1909. President-A. Galloway, M.D. 1st vice-pres-D. McFadyen. 2nd vice-pres .- Capt. N. L. Patter

Treasurer-C. E. Weeks. Secretary-A. E. Staback. Auditors-D. McLachlan and A

the receiving of the treasurer's re- Murchison, J. S. Jorhan. the receiving of the Hon. directors—Wm. Clark, D. little about the varied and numerous "With the exception of the English Howkins W. A. Grant D. D. Grant duties he has to perform As was re-Howkins, W. A. Grant, D. D. Grant, duties he has to perform. As was re- sparrow and perhaps the crows, birds The report shows a considerable R. P. Hill, J. Barnes, John Kelsey, marked this morning, Mr. MacKenzie are a great benefit to the farmer,"

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The report shows a considerable R. P. Hill, J. Barnes, John Kelsey, is an "encyclopedia" to formers. In balance on hand, which is a very in Some of the hawk kind kill chick- Mr. Jordan, who was at the rect to Guelph, in both numbers and qual- large display of eggs is also shown.

When the said the society has in Newman, John Torry, C. G. Campus of the high-class breeds of invaluable. former years been burdened with a bell, A. Jemieson, Mrs. Ward, invaluable. former years been burdened with the former years been burdened with the shoot hawks be sure you shoot the by acclamation was on Tuesday debt, which we are pleased to say. Mrs. McFadyen, Mrs. Chook, Miss The highest authorities in the shoot hawks be sure you shoot the by acclamation was on Tuesday Province have been secured to spread The following resolution was in- their knowledge, accumulated only by

troduced by the secretary and pass- this morning: ed: Moved by W. T. Reed, seconded | Sunday morning about 8 o'clock \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* by N. L. Patterson, that we the lightning struck Reuben Dane's barn, members of this society heartily ap- about one mile north of Argyle, prove Mr. J. Lockie Wilson's action school house, burning the barn and as supt. of fairs in offering prizes contents, including fourteen head for grain fields, and also premiums stock. Particulars are not to hand, for the best samples grown in win- but it is stated that Mr. Danes manning fields as exhibited at the winter aged to save his horses, although fairs at Guelph and Ottawa. Fur- this was not accomplished without a prizes, believing it possible to increase the yield per acre by at least a few bushels annually from the use of a better selection of seed grain,

> Resolved that we also suggest different rating of amount offered, it is our opinion that larger prizes should be offered for fields, and the 17, con. 7, Verulam, was struck by amounts for samples reduced.

Lindsay a severe electrical storm the stock was in another barn. Howpassed over the country, and it is ever, a large quantity of grain and Mr. A. Smith and Mr. Jas. Fairey. tery, Lindsay, on Sunday.

such as the winning samples in the

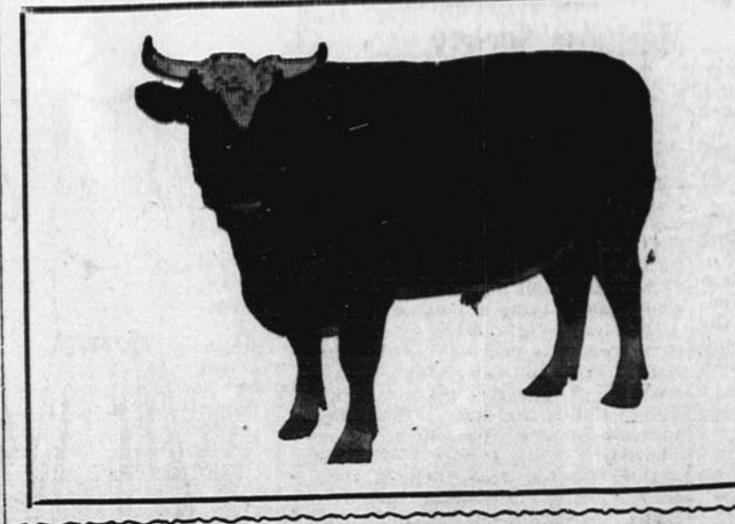
ed to the contents alone. The barn of Mr. Edward Beck, lot

great deal of hard work, as the barn

and contents burned very rapidly.

There is \$600 insurance on the con-

The Warder's own correspondent at ed this year and the loss as a Wcodville sent in the following item sequence is very heavy.



### Valuable Information for the Farmer at Short Courses

From Tuesday's Daily.

Throughout the year the good work specialist in plant diseases, addresstheir land in the most scientific man- chamber this morning. present and took part of the principal business being cey, J. J. Ruan, R. Howkins, John Those who are not in constant touch Province and advocated their preserves of agriculture known

years of study, throughout the farmthe ing community of Victoria county. Farmers miss something that counts for dollars and cents when they fail along the lines followed by the De- Hon. J. S. Duff, Minister of Agri-

partment of Agriculture, established culture, will speak in the Academy of in Lindsay by the Provincial Govern- Music to-night. Prof. Day, a Victoment, and through the strong advo- ria county old boy, of the O.A.C., cacy of Mr. S. J. Fox, M.L.A., is of Gueloh, will also deliver an address. great assistance to the people of Vic- Everybody is cordially welcomed. Mr. L. Caesar, B.S.A., of Guelph,

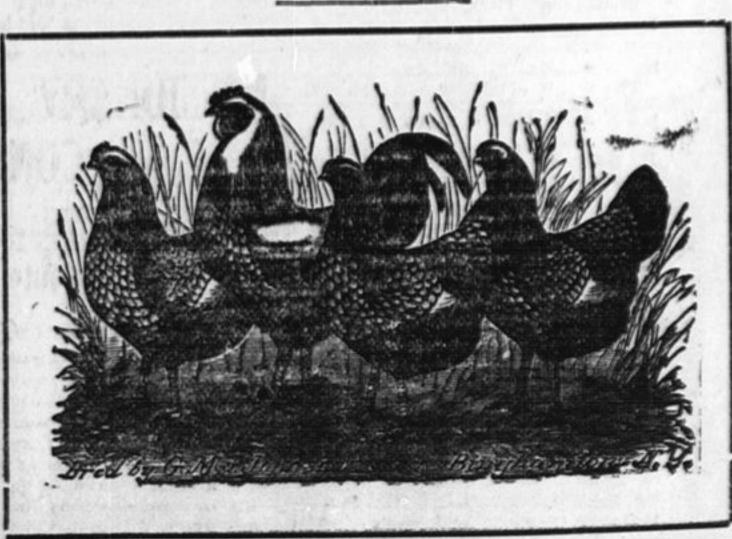
of teaching the farmers how to farm ed a splendid meeting in the council ner, thereby bringing about the most | The speaker, among other things, A number of leading the district of the part in the district of the present and took part in the district of the present and the present

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elected Warden of the County of clock this afternoon and Mr. D. C. Victoria for the injuing year,

# sawdust and refuse which was of late years a great nuisance owing to the smeke and dust. He has built Poultry Show in Full Swing



### Fourth Annual Poultry Show the "Best Ever"

From Tuesday's Daily.

The fourth annual Victoria county Pet Stock and Poultry Show opened to decide where to place the red this morning in the market building, tickets as the birds are all highand the officers of the society were at a loss to know where to place the large number of entries that contin-

Every available carter in Lindsay meeting the many trains and conveying, where they were placed for ex- out of town are Messrs. S. Sellers, ing the birds to the market build-

has received over 1,000 entries, 400 each. Mr. Lush, of Peterboro, has more than the society had last year, forty entries and another Bowmanwhich goes to show that the Lindsay ville man, Mr. Snowden, has forty poultry show is steadily advencing entries. along the right lines. In conversa- Mr. Steve Oliver, the local poultry tion with Mr. D. C. Trew, the local man, leads the Lindsay exhibitors expert judge, and many other well- with twenty-seven entries. known poultry experts from all parts The largest and most unique dis-

Trew, assisted by Mr. T. Rice, of

Whitby, another well known judge, will have their hands full, and in many cases they will be at a loss class. The judging will be completed by to-morrow morning.

The many crates of birds have been neatly arranged in the building and the lovers of poultry in Lindsay will

... of Zephyr, and T. J. Cole, of Bow-The secretary, Mr. J. P. Ryley, manville, with seventy-seven entries

of Ontario, stated without hesita- play is the Bantams. There is altion, that Lindsay has the best poul- so on exhibition, pigeons, guinea try show in Ontario outside of hens, rabbits, Belgium hares, etc. A The judging commenced at one o'- poultry that are exhibited in large

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