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Pyramids of Clothing! Piles of Seasonable Goods! The Gough Syndicate the Biggest Buyers at Montreal

The Clothing trade of Canada had its eyes centered on Montreal last week. Buyers thronged to the city. Here was a bonanza for the Clothing dealer who had enterprise and pluck and confidence in his constituency. Only the Clothing kings could hope to win. The Gough Syndicate was there, and B. J. Gough bought heavily, being one of the largest buyers at the **GREAT DOULL & GIBSON SALE OF CLOTHING.**

Doull & Gibson are millionaire Clothiers who are giving up business. The immense stock was placed on sale by auction and Gough secured an immense plum at prices actually less than the cost of cloth and trimmings. The goods are here. There's joy in prospect for the Clothing buyers. Gough's purchase will sweep the trade of the county from one end to the other.

HERE'S RICH AND RACY READING FOR RICH AND POOR ALIKE:

A Mammoth Lot of MEN'S SPRING AND FALL OVERCOATS, prices from \$7 to \$12, will be sold for..... **\$4.90**

500 MEN'S BLACK WORSTED SUITS, bound and stitched, morning or sack styles, regular price from \$8 to \$14, will be sold at..... **\$6.95**

1,000 MEN'S TWEED SUITS, splendid spring and summer goods, handsome patterns, quiet, medium and fancy effects, well worth from \$7 to \$15, will be sold from \$2.90 to..... **\$7.50**

1,500 PAIRS MEN'S PANTS, in tweeds and worsteds, stylish, splendidly made and trimmed, up-to-date, regular price \$1.50 to \$4. we will sell at 75c to..... **\$2.50**

To top off the business load we are crammed with SPRING HATS, the Newest and Nobbiest styles. Our GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT is loaded and we are bringing down buyers by the hundred. You have our best bid for your patronage. There's value for you.

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New Spring Capes, in Velvets and cloth, New Colored Dress Goods, New Tinnings, New Bow Ties, New Collars, New Belts, New Prints, New Muslins, New Gingham, New Ready-made Skirts, New Wrappers, New Corsets, New Gloves, New Shirt Waists, regular 75c, while the lot lasts choice at 50c

New Parasols, New Waterproofs We may say all our stock is new. Prices rock bottom. Our motto: "Good Goods, Cash and One Price."

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LIST OF NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

MT. HOREB. (Correspondence to The Post.)

The school is now in full blast after Easter holidays, under the able control of B. Blackwell. Mr. W. J. Skene is one of the most energetic residents of the village, buying and selling horses and cattle. Will says the nimble sixpence is worth the slow shilling. Miss Ethel Jones was visiting friends in Mt. Horeb during the last week. Miss Lena Stewart is now visiting Mt. Horeb friends.

HALIBURTON (Correspondence to The Post.)

Mr. E. Caiswell, Canada's noted temperance orator, spoke here in the Methodist church to a large audience on Sabbath evening to their delight. News has reached this village on Monday evening with much of his old-time vigor, wit and wisdom. His first visit is much appreciated and will do good. A Sons of Temperance Division was inaugurated for the first time here, and about 40 members took the stand. A good staff of officers were elected.

OAKWOOD. (Correspondence to The Post.)

We are "onto" your handwriting "X. Y. Z." You never touched us. Look in the glass and you will see a meaner man than the one you slander. Messrs. Thos. and Leslie Boves shipped 100 hogs and two carloads of cattle to Toronto last Monday. Mr. Brunker, of the Brunker house, Oakwood, died at Bright, Ont., last Monday of a gripe. He was buried in Lindsay Wednesday beside his wife in the family burying ground. Dr. Low makes his trips regularly through this locality, and has a large force of patients. We understand that Mr. John Farrell is going to erect a kitchen to the new brick house recently built. Our worthy blacksmith, Mr. Dougald Smith, is doing a rushing business and is kept very busy at present. A large number of people from this locality attended the stereopticon lecture delivered in Woodville on Friday, March 31st, by Col. Sam. Hughes M. P., and report a pleasant time.

MAPLE GROVE. (Correspondence to The Post.)

We expect good weather soon, as the humming birds were out on Sunday. Mr. A. M. Ashton and daughter Velva are about to leave for the Northwest, where they will reside in their new home. We wish them success in their new home. Mr. Joe McFadyen is moving into the house lately occupied by Mr. A. Ashton. Miss F. A. Arnot, of Cannington, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. D. H. McInnis. Mr. Jess Rodd paid Cannington friends a flying visit Sunday night. Miss Tena McLean left on Monday for Sanya. Success Tena. Miss Malai Dennis, of Port Hoover, was visiting at Maple Grove one day last week. An unintentional error was made in reporting Mrs. instead of Mr. Alex. Patterson in last week's correspondence. Alex. has not got such a jewel as a wife. Miss Tena and Sarah McLean spent one day last week at Carrickville. The Patterson Bros. are cutting wood for Mr. T. Boves. They will make the sawdust fly. White paid Maple Grove a visit on Wednesday night.

MANILLA. (Correspondence to The Post.) Mr. Henry Glendenning had the misfortune to have a fine young horse break its leg above the stifle. Just how it happened Mr. Glendenning is not prepared to say, as the horse was tied in the stable, but he thinks the animal was laying down when another that was standing by fell on it. Mr. John Carter returned to Ottawa on Saturday last.

ARGYLE. (Correspondence to The Post.) Roads are not good yet, but we hope soon will be. Farmers are preparing for spring work. Messrs. Jas McQuarrie and M. T. McEachern, of the Collegiate Institute, returned to resume their studies on Monday last, after spending Easter vacation in our midst. Mr. L. Calder, of Lindsay, was at home for a few days last week. Miss Kate McQuarrie, of Lindsay, spent the Easter week at home. Mr. and Mrs. Mary, of Port Perry, are present in our midst. Mr. Allie McKee was in Toronto last week for a few days. Mr. Sandy Keith left on Friday, March 31st, to take up a course in the Central Business College, Toronto.

Mr. Jas. M. Armstrong returned on Saturday last to resume his duties. Our worthy blacksmith, Mr. Dougald Smith, is doing a rushing business and is kept very busy at present. A large number of people from this locality attended the stereopticon lecture delivered in Woodville on Friday, March 31st, by Col. Sam. Hughes M. P., and report a pleasant time.

KIRKFIELD. (Correspondence to The Post.)

A Bicycle Bargain—Brantford wheel in first-class condition, only \$20 — has not been ridden 250 miles. May be seen at Post printing office, Lindsay. Miss Eliza King, teacher, of Minden, spent Easter holidays at the home of her parents. Mrs. Woolfe, of Toronto, and Miss Ida Vassan, of Winnipeg, are visiting friends here. Miss Midge Currie, of Lindsay, spent a few days here last week renewing old acquaintances. Mr. C. L. McRae expects to leave for British Columbia next Thursday. Mr. Andrew Gusty and Charles McMillan left on Friday morning for the North-West with a cartload of fine horses. Miss Cora Stevens, of Lindsay, was visiting Miss Belle Campbell during Easter holidays and returned home on Monday. The Rev. E. Macaulay, of Ottawa, and formerly pastor of Baisover Presbyterian church, filled the pulpits of Kirkfield and Baisover churches during the last two weeks, after an absence of over thirty years. The Presbyterian church had a very narrow escape of being destroyed by fire on Saturday afternoon last. The fire started in the basement and was working its way into the church when discovered by the caretaker. The alarm being given, a large number of villagers turned out and by the united efforts of willing hands and a little hard work the building was saved. The origin of the fire was a mystery and the damage is fully covered by insurance.

GELEERT. (Correspondence to The Post.)

The Rev. Mr. Tucker left on Monday for Toronto on a two weeks' vacation. Mr. Wood is visiting friends in Toronto. Mr. Albert MacKenzie, of Toronto who has been visiting here for some time, returned home last week. Presbyterians worshipped in the Methodist church on Sunday last, which was kindly offered for their use by the trustees. Master James Wheeler, of Lindsay, returned home lately after a very enjoyable time during Easter holidays. Mr. J. S. Vickery sold out his business and is now on his way to the North West. Mr. E. Mosgrove, Dr. Wood and J. McClelland, spent a few days last week in the city on business. Rumor says the manager of our pool table is about to take a wife. "Well done, Chris." On April 1st, (an appropriate day) Mr. Sam. Hughes gave his lecture on "Bonnie Scotland" in the town hall. A big crowd of ladies and small boys attended. The lantern views were much appreciated by the young folks. Mr. Hughes explains his views on the Yule deal, and seemed very angry at some one, (it may have been himself). Mr. Joseph Robertson, telegraph operator at Haliburton, was a guest at Mr. McElwain's last Monday.

Mr. W. Robinson, Ailsaw, left for the North-West last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Robison passed through here last Monday night on their way home from Toronto. The late spring is a boon for farmers who have plenty of feed. Messrs. W. McElwain, John Sedgwick and N. Clarke's farms have supplied a great many. Last week there was nothing but hay and straw to be seen on the roads, people from away up by Ailsaw and Haliburton being down, to say nothing of the people from around Minden.

OMEMEE. (Correspondence to The Post.)

A Bicycle Bargain—Brantford wheel in first-class condition, only \$20 — has not been ridden 250 miles. May be seen at Post printing office, Lindsay. The health of the village is excellent. Prof. Orr had a large and enthusiastic audience at Omemee last week on his lecture on spraying. An exhibition is to be given on Joseph Sandy's farm soon. The teachers and former citizens of this place have all returned to their respective duties, after an enjoyable holiday.

TICHEY. (Correspondence to The Post.)

Mr. G. H. Howson, superintendent of agencies for the Northern Life, of London, left to-day for Lindsay with his local agent, J. D. Thornton, who has been doing a successful business here. The Kennedy-Nicholls planing and shingle mills are crowded with business and have great prospects of success. Miss Pope, teacher, returned home Monday evening having been delayed a few days through illness. Mrs. Gould and family spent Easter week with friends at Haliburton. Gooderham has lost two of its most respected residents Messrs. John and Ambrose Dallyn, with their families. A big rush in Gooderham on Monday. The lower end of the town was completely blockaded. Some came to say farewell to friends before leaving for the West. The majority were with Mr. Parkins getting paid off. The Union was a scene of bustle all day. The members of the community extend their sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Davis in their very sad bereavement in the loss of their seven-months old baby. We are glad to know that our station agent's lips are better and he is again able to be around. Spring will soon be here and we are glad to know that times are improving. Our blacksmith has had a very successful season, but we learn with regret that he will be leaving the anvil for another line of business. Mrs. C. V. Woods is leaving to take up her residence in the States. Mr. T. Gould has bought out her extensive stock of millinery, dress goods, china,

must feel from the way he was received in Kirkfield that he is fast losing his hold in North Victoria. His paper used to tell us that we were free men, and I believe we will show it by not voting for Sam Hughes again.

POWLES' CORNERS. (Correspondence to The Post.)

A Bicycle Bargain—Brantford wheel in first-class condition, only \$20 — has not been ridden 250 miles. May be seen at Post printing office, Lindsay. Sammie Swanton started for Dauphin, Manitoba, last Tuesday. His father and brother are already there. Sammie takes the good wishes of his young friends. The roads through this part are in a horrible state, and the snow is so dirty that it is not melting very fast. Several have tapped their maple bushes and are making a little syrup. Miss Ettie Worsley intends going to Toronto about the last of this month, and will be there all summer. Mr. B. Wagar, principal of the Northland school, spent the Easter holidays at home.

FENEL. (Correspondence to The Post.)

Our progressive farmer, Mr. W. W. Philp is preparing to have his house adorned with brick this season. On Tuesday evening, April 4th, the eve of the fifth year of their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Squires entertained a large company of invited guests. A fine program of dances was enjoyed, and a splendid supper, that would be an honor to any caterer in the Northland school, was provided. The presents were numerous. Mr. Robert Aude, one of our up-to-date young farmers had a fine implement house raised on his premises on Saturday last. Our esteemed pastor, Rev. Mr. Tucker, is to be congratulated on being such an adept at debating. He has been a very able assistant, Rev. Mr. Ross, have already won two victories, and expect to score another in Woodville shortly. Miss Maybee, one of Cannington's estimable young ladies, is at present visiting at the residence of Mr. Richard Wright.

GOODERHAM. (Correspondence to The Post.)

Miss M. McColl returned home this week after spending a few weeks with Lindsay friends. Miss Pope, teacher, returned home Monday evening having been delayed a few days through illness. Mrs. Gould and family spent Easter week with friends at Haliburton. Gooderham has lost two of its most respected residents Messrs. John and Ambrose Dallyn, with their families. A big rush in Gooderham on Monday. The lower end of the town was completely blockaded. Some came to say farewell to friends before leaving for the West. The majority were with Mr. Parkins getting paid off. The Union was a scene of bustle all day. The members of the community extend their sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Davis in their very sad bereavement in the loss of their seven-months old baby. We are glad to know that our station agent's lips are better and he is again able to be around. Spring will soon be here and we are glad to know that times are improving. Our blacksmith has had a very successful season, but we learn with regret that he will be leaving the anvil for another line of business. Mrs. C. V. Woods is leaving to take up her residence in the States. Mr. T. Gould has bought out her extensive stock of millinery, dress goods, china,

boots and shoes, etc. Success Tommy Stone foundations. Mr. Thos. Ball has the contract for the four structures. The liberal must have ushered in good times, as the numerous buildings erected last summer, and in course of erection this spring, surely indicate. Subscribe for The Post and keep things booming.

MARIPOSA. (Correspondence to The Post.)

Minutes of the municipal council of the township of Mariposa, which met at Oakwood on Monday, the 14th day of April. The members were all present; the minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. A communication from Mr. A. W. Campbell, Provincial Commissioner, stating that he would be at Oakwood on Thursday, the 11th day of May, at 2 p. m. to give an address on road building, etc., was read by the clerk. A deputation from Beat No. 71, presented a petition to the council desiring a change of overseer, when the following resolution was moved by Mr. Suggitt and seconded by Mr. George Smith: That the office of overseer be not given to the council desiring a change of overseer, when the following resolution was moved by Mr. Suggitt and seconded by Mr. George Smith: That the office be divided into two parts, that Beat 71, south consist of lots 5, 6, 7, and 8, and the west part of lot 8, in con. A, with Mr. William O'Hara as overseer of said south half of lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in the first concession, and the east part of lot 8, and lots 9 and 10, in concession A, with Mr. Charles Chippendale be appointed overseer of that a by-law be prepared to give effect to this resolution.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Rich, seconded by Mr. Kinross, that the request of Dr. Chambers, desiring a grant to not entertain Public Library, be not entertained.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Suggitt, seconded by Mr. Rich, that By-law No. 500, be read for a second and third time without amendment, signed and passed. Mr. Washington reported on the house and premises in very good sanitary condition. Mr. W. F. Hardy again waited on the council, asking that the subject be built last summer on concession line 8, lot 20, be removed some 14 rods to the west. Mr. Graham and Mr. Hardy could not see eye to eye in this matter, and it was allowed to stand for further evidence. Mr. John Powell desired the council to enlarge the water works. Mr. Powell that this matter would be decided by the court. Moved by Mr. Kinross, seconded by Mr. Graham, that Mr. Powell be appointed to take charge of the water works, should he side to go to the old country to provide springs, and also have power to provide means and necessities for his passage across. Carried. Moved by Mr. Kinross, seconded by Mr. Graham, that the clerk be authorized to send notices printed to the following effect: "Any person or persons who allowance or gravel off the public highway, or the injury of the public highway, will be prosecuted according to law." Carried. Moved by Mr. Suggitt, that the clerk be authorized to meet again for general adjournment, to meet again for general adjournment on Thursday, the 11th day of May, at nine o'clock a. m.—Carried. B. Weldon, clerk.

DUNSFORD. (Correspondence to The Post.)

A Bicycle Bargain—Brantford wheel in first-class condition, only \$20 — has not been ridden 250 miles. May be seen at Post printing office, Lindsay. A. Snyder, of Seagrave is visiting her parents at the parsonage. Miss L. Kenny has returned from Oakville where she has been spending the winter. On Friday, March 31st, at the service preparatory to communion, eight new members joined the Presbyterian church by profession of faith. On the same evening the Rev. Mr. Innis delivered a very interesting address, showing that Thursday, and not Friday, was the day of our Saviour's crucifixion. At the vestry meeting of St. John's, Messrs. John Kennedy, (Fenelon), and John Kennedy (Capt.) were re-elected churchwardens, and Mr. W. B. Kennedy and John A. Bell, sidesmen. Mr. John Burgess was elected delegate to synod. Mr. John English has left for the North-west in search of fortune. Possibly he may have his traction engine shipped to him for the fall threshing. Mr. Robt. Warren has also gone to try his luck in Neepawa, Manitoba. Messrs. Silas Thurston, S. M. Thurston, Henry V. Thurston and C. Thurston, are erecting extensive barns on