

CORRECT COATS FOR WOMEN
 Exquisite New Waists on sale at 25 Per Cent. off

IMPORTANT Announcement to Women

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

6 Days Sale of Coats, Waists, Furs and Petticoats

Marked at prices that will give us the best Saturday we have ever had in these goods

Ladies' Cloth Coats

Black and navy semi-fitted coats, 50 ins. long, made of all-wool kersey, regular \$15 sale.....\$10

Brown, navy and black loose back coats, trimmed with silk braid, waist and sleeves lined with sateen, regular 16.50, sale.....\$11

Ladies' fine wool kersey cloth coats, semi-tight fitting, regular \$12, sale \$8

Misses' fine beaver cloth coats in red, navy and green, regular 10.50, sale.....\$7

Children's tweed coats, regular 5.50, sale.....3.67

Misses' navy freize coat, neatly trimmed with black braid, regular 7.50, sale \$5

6 Only odd tweed coats, 50 inches long, sizes 32 to 38, clearing at.....4.50

20 per cent. off all small furs during this sale.

FURS 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, regular 62.00, sale..... **49.50**

Ladies' black fur-lined coat with marmot lining, western sable collar and revers, and good quality shell, regular \$55.00, sale..... **44.00**

Ladies' black fur-lined coat, shell neatly trimmed with braid and self-strapping, rat lining and extra quality, Alaska sable collar, regular \$72, sale..... **57.60**

Same coat as above with Western Sable collar and revers, regular \$60, sale..... **48.00**

Brown and green fur-lined coats, 50 ins. long with spring rat linings, Alaska sable revers, best quality broad cloth shell, regular value \$75, sale..... **60.00**

Ladies' near seal jacket with Western sable collar and revers, blouse front, regular \$53, sale..... **42.40**

Ladies' Bocharan dog jackets, fine curl with Western sable collar and revers, either blouse or box front, regular \$58, sale..... **46.00**

Men's Coon coats, fine dark fur, regular \$68, sale 54.40; regular \$78, sale **62.40**

Men's rat lined coats with Oter collars, regular \$75, sale \$60; regular \$82, sale..... **65.40**

Sateen Underskirts

Black sateen underskirts deep flounce with two frills regular 1.00, sale.....75c

Black sateen skirt, 12 inch flounce with neat embroidery frill, regular 1.50, sale.....1.00

Black silken skirts with deep pleated flounce and double frill, also dust frill, regular 3.00, sale.....2.40

Black silk underskirts, neatly made of good quality taffeta, regular 5.00, sale.....4.00

Ladies' undervests and drawers regular 55c, sale 44c; regular 28c, sale 23c; regular 75c, sale.....60c

NOTIONS

4 papers pins for.....5c
 5 bunches tape for.....5c
 2 papers needles for.....5c
 4 prs. boot laces for.....5c
 2 boxes hair pins.....5c

All dolls and toys in the toy department at half price for one week.

Exciting Election is Now Assured

Fight on for First and Second Deputy Reeves and Council

Lindsay will see an exciting municipal contest next Monday. Last night a number of citizens waited with interest for the arrival of nine o'clock, in order to ascertain who were the aspirants for municipal honors. As was announced yesterday, both Mayor Begg and Reeve Jordan were returned unopposed.

For the office of first deputy-reeve it certainly looked like a four cornered up until a few minutes before nine o'clock, Mr. John Wilson withdrawing five minutes before that hour, Mr. I. E. Weldon following suit a minute before that hour, the fight is now between Mr. J. G. Eyles and Mr. B. L. McLean.

Mr. McGeough and Mr. W. W. Jordan will battle for the second deputy-reeveship.

There are nine aldermanic candidates in the field. Considerable surprise was manifested at the withdrawal of Alderman N. Small from the contest, as his friends had no intimation that he intended retiring. The aspirants for aldermanic honors are: Messrs. A. C. Babcock, M. J. Lewis, J. Devitt, R. Kyle, A. C. Campbell, Geo. Calvert, Hugh Dobson and A. Hawkins.

For water commissioner the contestants will be Mr. J. D. Flavell and John Duke. The term of office will be for three years.

A Post reporter interviewed Mr. New on Small in reference to his withdrawal from the municipal contest.

The Post—A great many of your friends are surprised at your retirement from municipal affairs, as they expected to see you in the field again for the coming year.

Mr. Small—It is all due to a misapprehension on my part; I was very busy last night and did not consider my presence at the town clerk's office necessary in order to be a candidate.

King speaks in glowing terms of the west.

Mrs. Dr. Hess, of Sterling, is visiting Mrs. Rev. Elliott.

Mr. Wellington (Tait), of Brookville, is spending his holiday under the parental roof.

Mrs. A. S. French and Miss Dorothy, of Orillia, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. MacPherson.

Mr. E. MacLennan, of Brechin visited friends here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rosland, of Sutton, spent the holidays in this village.

Miss Oda Patterson, of the U-bridge collegiate, spent the holidays with her mother.

Miss Pearl Coad and Maude Fane spent Christmas with friends in Wabigoon.

Rev. G. Munro, accompanied by Mrs. Munro are visiting relatives in the vicinity of London.

Rev. T. Brown of Lindsay, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday last.

Mrs. Adamson, of Huntville, visited her daughter, Mrs. Rev. Elliott, recently.

The Christmas entertainments, given by the Sunday schools on Thursday and Friday evenings were both a decided success, over \$60 being realized each night.

Our skating rink opened last week, and we understand the ice is fine. Come and enjoy a skate.

A meeting held in the public library on Monday evening for the election of trustees for our village edly largely attended. Messrs. E. G. Lytle, F. G. Perrin and G. B. Rennie were elected.

Monday nomination for township council was held in the town hall, a large number, representing all parts of the township were present. A number of gentlemen were nominated for the various offices.

The Women's Institute held their meeting for this month at the home of Mrs. James Pascoe. Some very instructive and interesting papers were given by Mrs. J. Birchard, of Lindsay Valley, on home Mrs. F. Webster, of Combar, on selfishness, Mrs. W. H. Webster on the ideal home, and Mrs. J. B. Weldon on how to spend a happy Christmas. One very interesting part of the programme was the exchange of inexpensive Christmas gifts by the members, about forty-five ladies were present.

The funeral of the late George T. Bowes, who died in Toronto at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dr. Rear, on Saturday, December 19th took place on Monday. Service was conducted in the Methodist church by Rev. Messrs. Elliott and Munro. The pallbearers were all nephews of the deceased, being Messrs. W. T. Bowes and M. J. Lewis, of Lindsay; Mr. Edwards, of Manilla, and Messrs. A. L. Short, W. T. Pascoe, and H. Bowes, of Oakwood. He leaves several brothers and sisters to mourn his loss. Mrs. Edwards, of Manilla, Mrs. Dr. Rear, Toronto, and Mrs. A. O. Hogg, are sisters and Messrs. Thomas of Toronto, Elias of Lindsay, William of Kansas, and Joseph Bowes, of Oakwood are brothers. The remains were interred in the East Oakwood cemetery. The many friends have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

Mrs. Jackson, of Little Britain, visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Hicks, recently.

Mr. Leigh Knight, Lindsay spent Thursday last in our village.

Mr. A. G. McKinnon, of Toronto, spent a couple of hours here renewing old acquaintances on Friday.

Miss Lillian Webster, of the O. L. C., Whittier, is at her home here for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thorndyke were in Sutton spending a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Rosland.

Miss Florence King entertained the members of the Methodist church choir on Thursday evening, last, a very pleasant evening was spent.

The many friends of Mr. D. R. Anderson, who formerly lived in our village, are sorry to hear of his serious illness in Toronto.

Our collegiate scholars, Misses Hazel Coad, Nellie Rich, Hazel Richardson, and Mr. Harold Hogg are spending the holidays at their respective homes.

A large number from here attended the Christmas fair in Lindsay on Tuesday.

Mr. L. J. Bowes and Miss Lauchlin, of Toronto, were in our village attending the funeral of their uncle, Mr. George T. Bowes, this week.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mr. William Wakely, and hope for his recovery.

Buy Furs Now....

The Biggest and Best Savings Await You

A most successful holiday trade spurred us to making exceptionally big reductions. Note these reduced prices which are but a sample of the many lines that have been cut in price.

3.90 Buys Fur Scarfs, Ruffs, Stoles and Collars in Natural Opposum, Russian Hare, Near Seal, Marmot and Squirrel, nicely lined and trimmed with tails, Odd lines, Regular prices \$6, \$7, \$8 and \$9. To clear at..... 3.90

15.90 Buys Long Stoles of Western Sable that were \$20 each.

\$12 For Western Sable Stoles in long style that were \$16.

14.90 For Natural Alaska Sable Scarfs, long styles. Regular \$12.

\$10 Buys Natural Alaska Sable Scarfs, long styles. Regular \$12.

4.75 For Mink Marmot Caps that were regular \$1.98 each. Only 89c

Reduced Prices on all Men's Overcoats, Ladies' Mantles and Children's Mantles

Big Savings on all Fur Coats and Fur-lined Coats....

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Mail Orders Filled LINDSAY Also in Oshawa

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Correspondents' Newsy Letters

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Acclamation in Carden Township

The Old Council Has Been Returned Without a Contest for Another Year

In the township of Carden the council of 1908 has been returned to office for another year by acclamation. The names of the honored ones are:

Reeve—Jas. Graham.
 Council—John Atton, John M. Chrysler, P. McGee, and Thos. Mulhaley.

Ops Candidates for the Council

Nominees Who Have Qualified for the Contest

Following are the candidates in the field in Ops township;

Reeve—Peter Hawkins, Wm. Henry Wilson.
 Council—Messrs. Wm. Best, John Deyell, Fred Hickson, J. O'Laughlin, Wm. Isaac Reid, Wm. Sloan, Daniel W. Terrill. Four to be elected.

Wedding Bells

WILSON—MOORE

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday at home of Mr. J. Moore Franco's street, when Miss Jennie Moore was united in marriage to Mr. G. E. Wilson, of Midland. The wedding took place at one o'clock. Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Cambridge-st. church and Rev. Mr. Moore, brother of the bride, being the officiating clergymen. The bride, who was given away by her brother, W. E. Moore, of Fenelon Falls, was dressed in cream silk eoline and carried a bouquet of cream roses and lily of the valley. Miss L. Moore, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and was dressed in silk trimmed with pale blue ribbon and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The wedding march was played by Miss E. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left tonight for a trip through the States, after which they will settle in Midland.

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Coal and Gas Found at Oshawa

Anthracite Struck at a Depth of 76 Feet and Gas Below That

What is hoped to be a most important discovery, not only to the finders, but to the people of Ontario is just reported from Oshawa.

Messrs. Davis, well drillers, who have been working at Oshawa visited Lindsay Tuesday. These gentlemen report that while putting down an artesian well in the town of Oshawa a few days before Christmas, when the drill had reached a depth of 76 feet it struck a vein of anthracite coal 14 feet thick and passing through it struck a very strong flow of natural gas. They state that the citizens are very much excited over the discovery and the owner of the property has raised the price of his property.

Skating Rinks on the River

A number of rinks have been cleared off on the river, which is now frozen six or seven inches thick. Every day the rinks are covered with boys and girls who are now enjoying their holidays. At night, too, those who have been working hard all day take advantage of the fine nights and go out on the river and have a speed. Those who skate on the river are hoping that the fine weather will continue.

Wm. Hoover, a Stratford fisher, had a dangerous encounter with an infuriated bull.

Winnipeg refuses to stop from building its city by the street railway.

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For the deep interest taken thereby, your gentlemanly and moral example shown both in and out of the classroom, will be appreciated by all who have had the privilege of your association.

We desire to express as a section our highest regard and respect for Mrs. Elliott, whom you brought to our midst, the high place which she held in our hearts will seem most difficult to sever the ties. Not because of any intrinsic value, but as an expression of our greatest respect and appreciation, we ask you to accept this gentleman's companion, which we also hope may prove a moment of many years of successful work you accomplished during your loving sojourn. Signed on behalf of the section, Fred Parker, Alvin Courtney, Thomas Harrington, Alex. Mitchell, John McGahey.

The concert and Christmas tree proved a success. Both programme and crowd was all that could be desired. The dialogue entitled, Scene in photograph gallery, seemed to be appreciated by all. After the programme was rendered Santa Claus appeared on the scene in a pleasing manner. A jolly good sleigh load of kindhearted people came up and they all report a good time.

A goodly number attended the winter fair held in Lindsay on Tuesday, which proved an interesting event.

Mr. Leslie Kennedy, accompanied by his cousin, Oliver Johns, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. William Collathian has rebuilt this clover mill and has it in fine running order again. Monday he threshed 14 1-2 bags of Alsike in 8 hours at Mr. John Astimore's. He has over a week's work on this line yet.

GOODERHAM

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Among the boys and girls who arrived on Thursday to spend Christmas Miss Estelle Ross and Miss Ida Switzer, of Lindsay, Mr. Jas. Baby, of Haldimont and Mr. (Wilbert) Treshburner from Woodville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Curry and family, of Haldimont, spent Thursday and Friday (with Mrs. Curry's parents here.

Mr. E. A. Barr, with his little son and daughter, of Ironsde, were in the village on Friday.

Miss Wilson, of Whittier, was the guest of Mrs. Jas. N. Huff for a few days lately.

Mr. Ed. McOutcheon, of Wilberforce, visited at Mrs. Hunter's last Thursday and Friday.

The young people enjoyed themselves at a dancing party given by Mrs. Hunter Thursday evening.

Mr. Ingles of Haldimont, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Warren Mintz, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Wagg left on the 24th for his home in Stouffville.

Miss Johnston, of Manvers, is visiting with his uncle, Mr. Jas. Johnston, of this place.

It is with deep regret that we learn of the death of Mrs. (Thos.) Creighton, jr., who for some years has lived in this neighborhood, and been highly respected and loved by all who knew her. Deceased, who has been in good health until about a week ago was stricken with pneumonia, and although everything was done for her, it was of no avail. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved ones. She leaves a husband and five sons to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and mother.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, fresh, per doz.....029 to 030
 Butter, per lb.....025 to 028
 Lard.....015 to 016
 Darks.....090 to 1.00
 Chickens, per pair.....060 to 080
 Hens.....070 to 070
 Turkeys, per lb.....015 to 020
 Geese per lb.....010 to 012
 Best Manitoba Patent flour.....295 to 315
 Straight rolled flour.....245 to 265
 Peas, small, bus.....080 to 080
 Oats.....035 to 035
 White oats.....035 to 035
 Wheat, fall.....087 to 087
 Spring wheat.....082 to 082
 Gorse wheat.....082 to 082
 Barley.....048 to 048
 Hay, new.....10.00 to 12.00
 Straw, per ton.....5.00 to 6.00
 Butcher's cows.....3.50 to 4.25
 Butcher's meadow cows.....2.75 to 3.25
 Export cattle.....5.00 to 6.00
 Beef cattle per lb.....008 to 010
 Sockers' cattle good.....3.00 to 4.00
 Milch cows.....30.00 to 50.00
 Dressed hogs.....8.00 to 8.00
 Hogs, live select.....5.75 to 5.75
 Hogs, fat.....3.00 to 3.00
 Sows, heavy.....4.25 to 4.50
 Small pigs, pair.....4.00 to 5.00
 Wool, unwashed.....008 to 008
 Wool, washed.....013 to 015
 Potatoes, new, bus.....035 to 040
 Apples, per bag.....075 to 1.00