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Not one of the Owen Sound papers has a word to say, good, bad or indifferent, on Mr. Gordon's bridge. Their silence is eloquent.

Premier Greenway met his Waterloo in Manitoba last week. The latest information gives Hugh John Macdonald a majority of seven or eight.

The British suffered another temporary defeat in Natal on Sunday when, through treachery or ignorance, guides upon whom they placed their trust led Gatacre into a bad trap with a resulting loss of a large number of men. Our Canadian contingent is with Methuen at Modder river and are expected to participate very shortly in one of the fiercest battles of the war, probably at Magersfontein.

Honor Rolls

FLESHERTON PUBLIC SCHOOL

REPORT FOR OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER

5th Class—Total Marks, 850—Bert Barnhouse 603, Sam Ranton 494, Steele VanDusen 492, Gladys Ward 440.

4th Class—Total Marks 1050—Wilda Crossley 760, Chelts McCalmon 724, Ella Barnhouse 686, Percy Bellamy 677, Jennie Wilson, 663, Alex. Gibson 655, Bella Ranton 647, Millie Crossley 645, John Teeter 638, Ethel Whitten 629, May Hales 627.

Geo. W. Slaughter, Principal.

FORM II

Sr. III—Cl. Ottewell, A. Petch, I. Sullivan, W. Hales.

Sr. II—Total Marks 570—E. Loucks 413, M. Boyd 395, B. Hales 388, E. Karstedt 368, W. Wright 368, M. Ward 360, F. Karstedt 342.

Jr. II—A. Thurston 436, E. Spence 389, I. Lever 379, K. Legard 334, E. Blakely 304.

F. I. Irwin, Teacher.

Part II Class—60% or over—Florrie Bellamy 80, Oshwell Whitten80, Georgie McTavish 79, Lily Boyd 79, Laura Davis 75, Myrtle Blakely 74, Ettie Legard 69, Ettie Lever 68.

Sr. Part I Class—Ruby Trimble 88, Martha Thompson 85, Kendal Mitchell 76, Gladys Blakely 74, Freddie McTavish 72, Alonz Wardrobe 68, Reggie Ranton 62, Freddie Flesher 62.

A. Meredith, Teacher.

KIMBERLEY PUBLIC SCHOOL

Class V Sr.—Nicholas Abercrombie.

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Class IV—Willard Gilbert, Leila Latter.

Class III—Elmer Stafford, Ella Knott, Hanna Latter, Lizzie Wallace, Lorne Cory, Robt. Abercrombie, Gerald Wallace, Voilet Gilbert, Wilfred Walters, Nota Knott, Burton Wickens, Annie Fill, Sadie Fawcett, Lyness Fawcett, Ben Knott, Nellie Bradbury, Hughie Hammond, Hartly Lawrence, Fred Wickens, Edgar Graham.

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CHRISTMAS

Both old and young look forward to thetime of year, Xmas. Happy reunions then take place and presents are the order of the day. Our thoughts are upon what we shall get for Friends. We wish for something suitable for a Xmas gift and the same time Serviceable. Gur Store abounds with sensible, serviceble and lovely presents. Space will not permit us to mention the long list. Your inspection invited.

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Having bought a large over-make of Jackets direct from Manufacturers, we are in a position to give big inducements to those wanting Jackets.

SPECIALS—childrens felt buttoned overshoes, sizes 5 to 10, regular price $1.25, special 65c ; Ladies' Rubbers—regular toe, only 2½, 3, 3½, special 25cts., Mens Corduroy Vests, well made, well lined, fancy colors, regular price $3.00, special $1.75. Men's Tweed pants, good weight, 96cts. and 98cts. per pair. Men's heavy weight black shirts, regular price 75cts. Special 50cts. Ladies Fancy felt slippers, warm and durable, prices 75cts, $1.00, $1.20 and $1.50 per pr.

CHENILE TABLE COVERES—regular price 85cts.,special 65 cts.

GROCERIES—Choice raisins, 3lbs for 25cts ; Choice currants 3lbs for 25cts ; Choice Figs 6 lbs, for 25cts; 2000 lbs. mixed candies at 5cts per lb. No Xmas dinner completed without a cup of our 25ct. Tea.

McFARLAND & RICHARDS, DUNDALK, ONTARIO

Saw Logs Wanted

We want unlimited stocks at both Markdale and Rockvale mills the coming winter. Especially desired, soft and rock elm, basswood and large maple logs, at advanced prices, also will be pleased to purchase any or all other kinds of timber that our patrons wish to dispose of at the highest market value. Terms cash. For specifications and prices enquire at Rockvale mills or our head office, Markdale. ARMSTRONG BROS.

A bad accident occured on the Teeswater branch of the C. P. R. west of Mount Forest on Monday evening. The freight train left here going west about six o'clock. About half-past nine in backing up at Gleanman, near Wingham, one of the cars seem to have separated from the rest. In coming together again the shock threw both the brakemen off. They were Brakemen Harry Pinchin and Brakeman Grimes, both of Toronto. The former was very seriously injured. Nine cars ran over him and he was found under the engine. The engine had to be jacked up before the unfortunate man could be removed, and when this had been done it was found that one of his legs had been cut off and that he was otherwise seriously injured. The injured man was taken to a Toronto hospital by special train which left Teeswater at one o'clock Tuesday morning and arrived in the city four hours later. Brakeman Grimes was badly cut about the head. Brakeman Pinchin was one of the best known and most popular trainmen on the road.—Confederate.

BOAR FOR SERVICE

Chester white and improved Yorkshire Cross, pedigreed boar for service on lot 18 and 17, T. & S. R., Artemesia. Terms 75 cents.
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Solid brick house and 1/2 acre lot in Flesherton, house contains seven rooms, good stone cellar, soft and hard water. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to
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Lot 147 to 140, 2nd range W. T. & S. R., 118 acres, about 80 acres cleared, the rest hardwood, cedar etc. ; small orchard, extra well watered, quarter mile from railway station ; 1 mile from Flesherton. For terms etc., apply to
ROBT. RUTLEDGE,
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Executors' Notice To Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Robert McLean Purdy late of the Village of Eugenia, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, section 38, and amending acts, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of Robert McLean Purdy, late of the Village of Eugenia in County of Grey, gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the fifth day of March, 1899, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned at Flesherton or Owen Sound Solicitor for James M. Thurston Esq., and J. R. Hogg, Esq., executor of the last will and testament of the deceased, on or before the 4th day of January, 1900, their names, addresses and description and a full statement of particulars of their claims properly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, and that after the said 4th day of January, 1900, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose debts or claim they shall not then have notice.

Dated at Flesherton this 5th day of December 1899.

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Thoroughbred Berkshire Boar for service on lot 30, con. 4, Artemesia. Terms 75 cents.
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Lots 13 and 14 Con. 2 S. D. R., Township of Artemesia, 100 acres more or less. log barn, rough cast dwelling. This valuable farm is offered for sale on favorable terms of payment is situated in a good section about 3½ miles from Priceville and 4 miles Flesherton station. G. P. R. About 80 acres cleared and cultivated, balance in mixed timber. For terms and particulars apply to Daniel Muir or
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WANT : SOMETHING : FOR : XMAS?

Most likely you're thinking about Xmas—considering what you'll buy—where you'll buy it and so on—well, we've prepared for a great Xmas trade and can give you a few seasonable suggestions that may help.

You know our immense assortment of seasonable goods—we'll talk about them later on and mention only the lines more particularly suitable for

Xmas Presents

FURS There are few nicer Presents than Furs—they're so seasonable and serviceable—prices are reasonable too—we bought before the advance and give you the benefit.

Astrakan Mantles from -	*$25.00*
Ladies' Muffs from - -	*$1.35*
Caperines from - -	*$5.50*
Ladies' Gauntlets from -	*$3.25*
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New Xmas Neckwear We've something really excellent in New York Neckwear to show you, specially purchased for the Xmas season.

Silk or Satin Knots, Puffs, Derbys, Teeks, Four-in-hands, Flowing Ends—new colors—new patterns—new shapes—right up-to-date—a grand selection 50cts

We've always been noted for the Excellence of our 25ct. line of Gents' Ties—this season eclipses any previous showing.

White Hemstitch	White Brocaded	Colored Brocaded
Silk Handkerchiefs	Silk Handkerchiefs	Silk Handkerchiefs
From 25cts.	From 25cts.	From 25cts.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs. We've an elegant range that will surprise you. Price from 7c to 25c.

A XMAS Silk Dress for $6.50

A Special Cash purchase enables us to offer a number of Brocaded Silk Dress Lengths at $6.50. These come in different colors and are regular 80ct. goods and ALL SILK.

New Kid Gloves.

Our Duchess Kid Glove makes a nice Lady's Present—handsome shades of tan—4 dome fasteners—lined delicate shades of silk—all sizes Special $1.25.

Nice Slippers.

Warm and comfortable—goatskin—very durable—natural color—flexible sole—wool fleece lined—trimmed fur or bound edges—all sizes.
Ladies $1.25 Gents $1.10

Hardware Depart.

A wide choice in Xmas presents!

We've made special preparations for the Holiday trade and can promise you a big assortment of entirely New goods—all very suitable for Xmas Presents. Prices in all lines just right!

Handsome Carvers. Genuine Sheffield goods, in fancy cases, Prices from 75cts to $3.00 the sett.

New Silverware. Silver Knives, Forks, Tea Spoons, Berry Spoons, Syrup Spoons. Silver Plated Childrens Mugs from 25c

Japanese Ware. A Special Imported Line—very handsome and artistic—Fruit Dishes, Teapots, Biscuit Jars and Boxes
Japanese 5 O'clock Tea Setts $1.50 and $1.75

Embossed and Painted China. Novel patterns and lovely colorings—Fruit Dishes, Plates, Toilet Trays etc. etc.
Hand Painted Toilet Setts $1.75

New Glassware. Hyacinth Glasses, Vases, Flower Holders etc.
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FANCY CUPS and SAUCERS from	10cts.
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SHAVING MUGS from	10cts.
FANCY TEA PLATES	$2 doz.
PORRIDGE SETTS from 25cts. to	$1.50
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Tea Setts	*Dinner Setts*	*Toilet Setts*
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From $2.75 to $7.00	From $5.75 to 15.00	From $2.25 to $7.50.

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Characteristics of the Past Week Carefully Culled for the Curious

Fresh oysters at W. Barnhouse's.

The partridge and hare hunting season closes on Friday, 15th inst.

Get your wedding ring from J. F. VanDusen.

Pretty hair ornaments, chains and pins, cheap at J F. VanDusen's.

The township councils will meet on Friday to wind up the business of the year.

Money to loan on farm property at five per cent. free of costs. Bellamy & Henderson.

After an eclipse of months the Thornbury Standard reappeared once more this week.

See the tattoo alarm clocks at J. F. VanDusen's,—ring intermittently for twenty minutes.

M. Richardson & Co. are making a special showing of Christmas neck wear. See their window.

Saturday last was the largest day's business in the history of McFarland & Richards, Dundalk†

If you are perplexed what to give for Xmas presents, read M. Richardson & Co's advertisement. It is helpful.

Remember the Flesherton Station Sabbath school entertainment on Friday evening of this week, 15th inst.

For handsome and appropriate Xmas presents make your selection at M. Richardson & Co's. Prices quite reasonable.

Dr. Little has disposed of his Dundalk dental practice and leaves for Owen Sound next week, where he will open an office.

Cedar for Sale—suitable for rails, stakes and fence posts. Apply to Austin Shackleford, Flesherton.

The Owen Sound Times came to hand last week very much enlarged, The Times has always been an up-to-date paper and it still leades the procession.

4½ per cent private Money loaned on easy terms of repayment by Geo Rutherford, Shelburne. Expenses low. Communications receive prompt attention.

FOR SALE OR RENT,—House and two lots for sale or rent in Flesherton, good house and cheap rent. For information apply at this office.

D. D. Bro. Hanbury of Dundalk will meet the A. O. U. W. brethren in the lodge room on Monday, 19th inst., at 8 p. m. All members are requested to be present.—W. Sharp, M. W.

Watches and movements have advanced from 10 to 30 per cent. in the last three months. My stock was bought previous to that time and I am selling at old prices while it lasts. Don't wait, buy now. W. A. Armstrong.

TEACHER WANTED for 1900—Experienced male, holding first or second class certificate, for S.S. No. 9, Artemesia. Apply with testimonials, stating salary, and experience, up to Dec. 25, 1899, to George Thompson, Sec., Port Law, Ont.

Entertainment—S S. No. 3, Artemesia, 1½ miles south of Flesherton, will give its annual entertainment Friday night, Dec. 22. A good program is being prepared, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, dialogues, recitations and drills. Admission 10c.

Two rather important property transfers took place in town during the past week. Dr. Carter has purchased the house and lot owned by Mr. P. Munshaw on Peter street, and W. H. Thurston has purchased Mr. R. Pedlar's premises, known formerly as the C. J. Leitch property, on Collingwood street.

Dr. R. H. Henderson of Toronto is evidently acquiring an enviable practice at the corner of Carlton and Parliament streets, judging from a newspaper item which states that he has been obliged to give up his out-of-town visits in order to attend to it. Our congratulations, dear Bob.

Everybody indebted to R. Pedlar is requested to settle without further notice as I have sold my property and am leaving town.—R Pedlar.

For Christmas presents in watches, locks, jewellery, gentleman's pipes, siverware, etc., go to J. F. VanDusen, Sproule's block.

Wanted.—25000 lbs. Turkeys for the English markets for which we will pay the highest price. Now paying 10c per pound. McFarland & Richards Dundalk.

Watches for Christmas presents—special values in 15 and 18-jewelled Elgin and Waltham movements. W. A. Armstrong, Flesherton.

Special Xmas prices on reliable watch movements—Appleton Tracey, William S. Ellery, P. S. Bartlett—cases to suit everybody, silver, filled or solid gold. W. A. Armstrong, jeweler, Flesherton.

We beg to congratulate Mr. C. A. Fleming, Principal of the Northern Business College, Owen Sound, upon the completion of his eighteenth college year. The N. B. C. was never in such a prosperous condition as at present.

Mr Ed. McGee of Salem returned from the Northwest, where he has been for the past two years, on Monday last. He informs The Advance that he will return west in the spring. He likes the country.

Our Columns are this week bristling with Christmas announcements. They are all interesting and will repay perusal. Everybody buys goods at Christmas time and our advertisers knowing this place a charming array of possible purchases before the eyes of our readers.

The Weekly Sun of Toronto offers a splendid list of premiums to those who get up clubs A watch is offered for ten subscriptions and a silver plated tea set for forty subscriptions. Those who do not care to compete for a premium are offered liberal cash commissions. Send to Sun Office, Toronto, for a full list of premiums and for all particulars as to terms.

Mr. Josiah Gamey of Maxwell was a caller on Monday. Mr. G. says he received a letter last week from his two sons living at Newdale, Manitoba, on the Manitoba & Northwestern railway, conveying the information that one of the sons has this year 7000 bushels of clean grain and the other 6000 bushels. This represents a nice little income. One son farms a section and the other three-quarters of a section.

Mr. Alex. McRae of Ceylon was a caller on Saturday, and while in, his eye caught the Star's premium picture, the Battle of Alma, which we have had framed for our sanctum. Mr. McRae says it is very true to life. He was connected with the British fleet, which lay off shore at this battle, and witnessed the whole affair. Mr. McRae immediately subscribed for the Star in order to get a copy of the picture as a memento.

Twenty-eight head of dairy cows were sold at the Station on Saturday. These animals were the property of a Mr. Prouse of Ingersoll, who brought them up into this county because feed was scarce in his district. Mr. Prouse was not satisfied with the prices paid, but those who know say they were good when the quality of the goods is taken into consideration. Prices ranged from $22 to $32, averaging about $28.

"Slap bang, here we are again, what jolly boys are we." In the market with the cash for first class sawlogs, any quantity rock elm, soft elm, maple, baswood and birch. Must be first class timber for merchantable lumber ; the larger the logs the better. Cut rock elm 12 and 14 feet long, maple 10 and 12 feet, baswood 12 and 14 ft., birch 12 ft., soft elm 10, 12 and 14 ft., but mostly 14 ft. Especially large logs wanted. Rough, knotty culls no use. Best market prices for good marketable timber. Eugenia sawmill—F. T. Carr & Co.

The home of Mr. John Bellamy was a home of mourning during the past week. Word was received on Wednesday of last week that Mr. Bellamy's eldest son, Will, was dangerously ill at Parry Sound, where he had been working at his trade of shoemaker. His brother George took the first train for Parry Sound, but arrived there only to find that his brother was dead. The corpse was brought to Flesherton on Saturday and interred in the cemetery the same Sunday afternoon. The young man was ill only three days of something like appendicitis. His age was 29 years. A particularly sad feature of the case was the fact that the young man was to have been married on Christmas and died in the arms of his affianced. Deceased was a member of the Christian Endeavor of Parry Sound, which organization placed upon the bier a beautiful wreath of flowers. The young man's affianced also presented a lovely flower cross which, as per her request, was carried to the grave over his heart. Other friends also presented flowers. At the home on Sunday Rev. Joseph Ward gave a touching address. The deceased learned his trade of shoemaker with Mr. Barnhouse. He was considered by all who knew him as an exemplary young man, honorable and upright. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents, brothers and sisters in their sore trial. Just two year ago the young man made one of a happy family reunion at his home here ; to-day he is a partaker in another happy reunion where partings are not known.

Mr. C. C. Whale, organizer in the I. O. F., is in town this week working for the good of Court Flesherton. Eight initiations was the record for Tuesday evening's meeting. An oyster supper was also indulged in. Mr. Whale will remain in town for a week or so.

Sproule, Crossley & Co. of this place encouraged by the very pleasing success they have had since opening their grocery, confectionery and stationery business, are now preparing to open a full line of flour, bran and feed, and by selling for cash only at lowest remunerative prices trust to receive a liberal share of patronage.

Rev. A. G Jansen of Hamilton has been secured by the Ladies' Aid societies of Eugenia and Flesherton Presbyterian congregations to lecture on "Holland and the Hollanders."—At Eugenia in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening 14th inst. at 8 p.m., admission, adults 15c each, 25c a couple, under 14 yrs. 10c. In Flesherton Presbyterian church Thursday evening, 15th inst., at 8 p.m., continuation of former lecture here, and refreshments will be served at the close. Admission, adults 15c each, under 14 yrs. 10c. These lectures are interesting and a big turnout is hoped for at both places.

The Event of the Season

A tea and entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Ceylon Union Sabbath school, formerly known as Flesherton Station, on Dec. 15th. Tea will beserved from 5 to 7 in the hall. The entertainment will commence at 8 o'clock sharp in the school house. Program to consist of singing by the school, duets, solos, recitations, dialogues, drill and speeches. To miss it is to regret it. Admission—Adults 25c, children 15c.

Personals

Miss Nellie Armstrong of Markdale was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Strain, last week.

Miss Gertie Bulmer has returned from the city where she spent eight weeks with friends.

Miss Clara Ranton of Toronto is visiting her mother.

Miss A. Armstrong returned last week from an extended visit with friends in Toronto and elsewhere.

Mr. Rob Richardson of Heathcote is spending a few days with his parents here.

Mrs J. W. Henderson of Toronto attended the funeral of her nephew, Mr. W. Bellamy, and returned home on Monday.

Miss Osborne of Lady Bank and Miss Perigo of Feversham are the guests of Mrs. Albert Stewart,

Executors' Sale

of R. McLean Purdy Estate

Under instructions from the Executors of the Estate of the late Robert McLean Purdy there will be offered for sale at public auction by R. J. Sproule, Esquire, Auctioneer, at Munshaw's Hotel in the

VILLAGE OF EUGENIA
ON
THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1900

At half past one o'clock in the afternoon the following properties, consisting of town lots, farms, mill reserve, residence and personal effects.

TOWN PLOT OF EUGENIA

Parcel No. 1—Lot 26 Zouave St., south, one half acre, patented.

Parcel No. 2—Lots 27 and 28 Bosquet Street, North, one half acre each, patented.

Parcel No. 3—Lot 34 Simpson Street, one half acre, patented.

Parcel No. 4—Lot 18 corner Pellisier and Evans Streets, one half acre each, patented, well fenced, has fruit and shade trees, good land and excellent location.

Parcel No. 5—Lots 7 to 13 Codrington Street, South, cleared and good land.

Parcel Lot 6—Lot 32 Canrobert Street, South, one half acre, pantented, fenced, good land and situation

Parcel No. 7—Lots 30 to 35 Raglan Street, South, one half acre each, patented,

Parcel No. 8—Lot 23 Raglan Street, North, one half acre, patented.

Parcel No. 9—Lots 30 to 35 Napoleon street, North, one half acre each, patented.

Parcel No 10—Lot 18 Napoleon Street, South, three acres, patented.

Parcel No. 11—Lot 19 Napoleon Street, South, two acres, patented.

Parcel No. 12—Lot 19 South side of North Street, three and one half acres, patented, pasture land, contains a strong living spring.

Parcel No. 13—3 parts of Southerly portion of Mill Reserve No. 3, patented, near Falls, good building lots, about one acre.

Parcel No. 14—Lots 27 to 31 Raglan Street North, one half acre each, patent applied for.

Parcel No. 15—Part of Mill Reserve No. 3 on Cataract and Purdy Streets upon which is the residence and store of the late Mr. R. McLean Purdy, also a good frame stable and barn and a small frame dwelling, one half acre, patented.

FARM LANDS.

Parcel No. 16—Lot 25, Con. 14, in the Township of Artemesia, 100 acres, unpatented, subject to Government claim to be made known at time of sale and subject to an agreement for the removal of timber thereon, and road allowance. This lot is situated in Beaver River Valley and the Beaver River is said to run through or near the west part of said lot. It is said to have several springs and small streams of excellent water affording easy means of irrigation The farm is distant from Kimberley 2 miles, from Markdale 7 miles and from Flesherton 3 miles.

Parcel No. 17—Part of east half of Lot No. 7, Concession 5, in the Township of Eupemasia, 37 acres, patented, subject to a reservation of timber to be made known at time of sale. This lot is on the valley road adjoining the village of Kimberley. The Beaver river runs through it.

Parcel No. 18—Mill Reserve No. 5, 99 acres, unpatented, subject to an agreement made between the late R. McLean Purdy and Jacob Sloman as to water power to be made known at the time of sale.

At the close of said sale there will be offered the personal effects of the deceased consisting of shop fixtures, stationery, stove, a sleigh, a lot of curiosities, large quantity of very old newspapers and other articles.

Conditions of Sale:—All personal property will be sold for cash. In the sale of real estate 25 per cent will be required to be paid down, the balance within a month without interest. All of Parcel No. 17 will be offered first and if not sold will be put up in separate parcels.

For further particulars of sale apply to J. R. Hogg, Esq., Eugenia, James Thurston, Esq., Kimberley, or to the undersigned.

J. W. FROST, Owen Sound
Solicitor for Executors.

Dated at Flesherton, Dec. 13, 1899.

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First quality and at prices to suit.

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It is not what we say so much as what we do that counts, but when we always do exactly what we say we'll do, you learn to put full confidence in our word. In

MEN'S AND BOY'S CLOTHING

We are giving as big values as can be found. In this department we have gathered together nearly everything you could think of for male wear and we are offering some

Grand Opportunities

—FOR—

Especially Reasonable Buying

Right now is when you need the winter suit or overcoat, and so right now is when we make our closest prices. You don't want a bargain in a winter coat next May, but you can have one here any day of the week. Isn't that the better way? Just now we are going to make a

Big Enlarging Sale

This week. We are in our new department and now we have room to look around and see what we have, and we find we have many lines we want to clear, so we will place a great many of these on the Bargain Table to clear, regardless of cost. Our stock is very large and we want to reduce it by clearing many lines, and these lines must go no matter at what prices, so it will pay you to call and see some of the bargains. We are now in a better shape to show you our stock, as we have room to get around. It will be a great pleasure for us to show you through the store and quote prices.

T. J. SHEPPARD

The = New = Store !

Christmas is fast

Coming upon us again and the amount of Business we are doing makes it appear to come more quickly. We are doing a Cash and Produce Business, and when you get Business done this way it is certain that you are getting your goods at a right price.

MEN'S BOOTS

We are offering 75 Pairs mens Felt, four buckle a very heavy stock, the regular price 2.50 selling for 2.15 pr.

DRESS GOODS

5 Dress lengths Tweed a regular seventy cents goods selling for 55 Serges in Black, Blue Green, Red, Brown.

Christmas Presents

Books, Perfumes, Gloves, Childs Bras Caps, Tams, Fancy Handkerchiefs.

Just to hand a car of Windsor fine and coarse salt which will be sold close.

Fresh Lemon, Orange, and Citron Peel ; Raisins, Currants, Figs ; Six 5ct. Bars soap for 16cts.

Give us a call and get our Prices. Toronto price paid for Fowl and Produce

J. E. DOWDLE
PROTON STATION