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We have a big range of Pure All-Wool Blankets. We were fortunate in buying Blankets before the prices had advanced, consequently we are in a position to serve you and sell you blankets at old prices, which means a big saving to you.

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Comforters at a Bargain

We were unfortunate enough to have our roof leak which damaged quite a number of fine Comforters for us. This week we put them on sale—a big reduction in price on this account you can buy while they last $2.25, $2.50, $2.75 and $3.00 Comforters for.....$1.48

This week we are paying big prices for Poultry dressed in good shape for market. For poultry delivered this week we will pay you:

14c Cash and 16c Trade for Turkeys.
9c " 11c " Ducks.
9c " 11c " Chickens.
8c " 10c " Geese.
7c " 9c " Fowl.

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Weaving on the Shortest Notice

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Wm. LEES, — Flesherton, Ont.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate or Jacob Lougheed, late of the township of Osprey in the County of Grey, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chap. 9, that all the creditors and others having claims against the estate of said Jacob Lougheed, who died on or about the twelfth day of September, 1909, are required on or before the first day of December, 1909, to send by post prepaid or deliver to James Clark, Maxwell, Ont., Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said Jacob Lougheed, deceased, Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and the particulars of their accounts and the nature of the securities, (if any) held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

W. H. WRIGHT,
Owen Sound, Ont.
Solicitor for the Executor.

Dated Nov. 1st, 1909.

CHRISTMAS GOODS AT BOYDS'

Do you realize that Christmas is near at hand? We have taken time by the forelock and carefully made an estimate of your requirements, and are prepared to sell you Christmas goods of good quality very cheap; to assist you in making a choice we outline some of our stock as below.

Furs

Fur Caps .....1.50 to 9.00
Fur Ruffs.....1.50 to 15.00
Ladies' Muffs .... 3.50 to 12.00
Fur-lin'd Jackets 22.50 to 60.00
Men's Coats .... 15.00 to 60.00

Woollen Goods

Ladies Gloves ..... 25 to 50
Clouds, white and coloured .... 25 to 55
Shawls ..... 55 to 1.50
Sweater Coats .... 2.25 to 3.00
Mufflers ..... 25 to 55
Ice Wool Scarfs ... 1.10 to 1.35

Crockery

Dinner Setts .... 7.50 to 28.00
Tea Setts .....3.75 to 7.50
Water Setts .....1 50 to 2 00
Glass Setts ..... 1.00 to 2.25
Jardineres ..... 25 to 1.00
Bedroom Setts....1.50 to 4.00
Parlor Lamps ....1.50 to 3 50
Berry Bowls ..... 25 to 2.50
Pitchers from ..... 5 to 2.50

Men's & Ladies' Gloves

Ladies Kid Gloves 1.00 to 1.75
Men's Gloves..... .75 to 1.85

Linens, Novelties

Side Board Scarfs ..25 to 1.50
Tray Cloths..... 15 to 1.00
Pillow Shams, each..50 to 1.50
Table Napkins per doz85 to 3.75
Drawn Work Novelties .....15 to 150
Table Cloths .....1.00 to 3.00

Handkerchiefs

Fancy Emby Handkfs 5 to 25
Hem stitched " 25 to 75
Fancy Silk " 15 to 50
Gents Silk Mufflers..25 to 1.75
Men's Neckwear.... 25 to 50
Ladies' fancy silk collars ....25 to 1.00

Fancy Slippers

In Felt, Carpet, Velvet and Leather

Children's .....25 to 45
Misses ..... 25 to 45
Women's ..... 39 to 1.75
Men's .. .. 50 to 1.75

Table Cutlery

Silver Knives and Forks, per doz 5.75
Silver Forks, per doz ..... 1.00 to 5.00
Steel Knives and Forks .....1.35 to 4.00
Silver Knives, celluloid handle.....2.50 to 5.00
Silver Tea Spoons, per doz..... 90 to 4.00
Dessert Spoons, per doz .....1.50 to 5.50
Silver Plate Table Spoons .....1.50 to 6.00
Carving Setts .....2.00 to 4.50
Reliance Plate Sugar Shells, each ..... 50 to 75
Berry Spoons, plate.....1.50 to 2.50
Cold Meat Forks .....1.25 to 1.50

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W. H. Thurston - Editor.

CANADA'S INDIAN POLICY

It has been forcibly impressed on our mind that it is about time some change should be made in the Department of Indian Affairs in this country. A score of years ago it was acknowledged by all nations that the care taken of our Indian wards by the Canadian government was wise and humane compared with the wrongs inflicted upon the aborigines by the United States authorities, but times have changed, and during the past decade the latter has gone years ahead of us in the wise policy adopted towards these people, until now the Indians of the United States have all become self-supporting and the national funds are not called upon to support a pauper people any longer. The last government payment was recently made. The Indian over there has become so highly educated and imbued with a sense of his own dignity and strength that such payments are no longer necessary. In one of the western States the Indian has progressed so far as to control the state offices, and doctors, lawyers, shrewd business men and ordained ministers are to be found among them. This marvelous transformation from warring heathens to brilliant modernized men of the world has all been accomplished in one generation, and the magnitude of the miracle can scarcely be appreciated at its proper value by those who only read the cold facts. It is one of the marvels of the past half century.

While this has been the case among our neighbors to the south, what has Canada been doing? So far as one can see she appears to be travelling along the same old rut that she started in fifty years ago—doling out a stipulated sum each year to her treaty red men, without bringing them any nearer to the self-supporting stage than they were when the first payment was made. No effort appears to have been made to lessen the number of our treaty Indians—rather the contrary. The result is that most of these Indians are becoming pauperized to such a degree that they are scarcely likely to ever rise above their unambitious squalor, but depend wholly upon the government to supply their modest necessities.

We go even farther than this. We are informed on good authority that the Indian agents have on their pay rolls children of parents who are not treaty men and who have scarcely a drop of Indian blood in their veins. When we desired to know why the Indian agents did not put a stop to such abuses the reply was that the agents would soon lose their jobs if they did so, as they would have no one on the pay roll! Some of these families are entirely French and the heads of the families are voters! If these charges be true, the country is paying many thousands of dollars that ought to be diverted into more legitimate channels, and the officials who wink at such work should be looked after. What with national transcontinental railways, navy defense schemes, Quebec bridges, etc., Canada is putting up more money than her present resources will warrant, without squandering the funds alloted to the Indian Department. Outside of this, it is a question if the time has not arrived when Canada should follow the example of our neighbor and gradually withdraw all or most of the treaty payments as circumstances will allow. Most of the Indians of Ontario, at least are now in a position to live without it and would make better citizens by its withdrawal.

OPPOSITION ALMOST GONE

In the elections in British Columbia last week the Conservative party with Premier McBride at its head was re-elected with an overwhelming majority. The opposition to the Government numbers only five, three Liberals and two socialists. To be the leader of the opposition in such a case could be considered no great honour. Mr. John Oliver, leader of the Liberals, who went to defeat, declares that the overwhelming victory is the result of a huge conspiracy. It looks like it, too—a huge conspiracy on the part of the people to support Premier McBride's railway policy, which had been declared suicidal; and to secure the return of the Conservative party to power.

The only danger that this victory contains is found in the weak Opposition. If Premier McBride is able to steer his party clear of shoals he will be a strong man and fully worthy of the magnificent support the masses have given him.

In a town in Alabama where a vote for prohibition was being taken bands played at each polling place to drown out the prayers and pleadings of the women who were singing and praying.

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An American girl has contracted leprosy from false hair. This will form good ammunition for those who are waging war against the habit of wearing other people's hair. The thoughts of wearing the hair of a leper would not cause the head that wears a "crown" (of false hair) to rest easily we should imagine.

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The manager of a southern telephone branch suggested that a negro porter accompany a young lady operator, who had been detained at work until a late hour, home. The girl refused the escort and next day told the other operators who went on strike, and the presumptuous manager was whipped by enraged citizens until the blood flowed. This is the "Land of Liberty."

It is weather such as we have been enjoying this past few weeks that brings out the defects of our road-making system. Probably without exception every man in this township thinks he could build better roads than those we now travel over—everybody is ready with advice at any rate. Not to be outdone we add our "say" to the rest. While enjoying our first cutter ride of the season last week we occasionally encountered a spot where mud predominated. Whatever snow there had been was thoroughly mxied with the unlimited mud. Enquiry elicited the fact that these patches of mud were found where the road had been graded and not covered with gravel or crushed stone. The earth is left loose by the grader and absorbs all the rain and snow that comes its way—and holds it. This of course wears the road bed down almost to solid rock where there is any traffic over it. Now, our advice is to cover the graded portions with stone or gravel or else let it stand ungraded until it is possible to finish the job. The roads are the King's highways, but it was aptly put the other day when a gentleman stated that the King should be ashamed of them.

Maxwell

The Forester's supper on Thursday, Nov. 25th, was fairly well attended and every body seemed to have a good time The program was short but good. Recitations were given by Miss Hale of Feversham and Miss Maud Guy, Mrs. Chester Long and Miss Field sang a solo. The instrumental music by Mr. Hayes was, as usual, appreciated by all. Rev. Mr. Stanley gave a short address.

Born—On Thursday, Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. James Long, a son.

Born—On Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. Levi Pallister, a daughter.

Mrs. John Paul of Feversham is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. Long.

Mr. Pivnick has returned home after spending a few days in the city.

Miss Kate Appleburg left last week for the city.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. McMullen and family to our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kerton have moved to the Manse.

Miss Lizzie Guy, who was in the general hospital, Toronto, for the past two months, has so far recovered as to return to her home, and her many friends are glad to see her home again.

Captain Bemrose is visiting friends in Collingwood this week.

Mr. Jack Stephens of Desboro visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCallum.

Much sympathy is expressed with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McInnes of the gravel road in the loss of their little daughter, who died Wednesday, Nov. 24.

Mrs. Neil McLean of McIntyre spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Guy.

Mrs. Joseph Croft met with a painful accident last Saturday after noon. While stepping from her rig she slipped and fell, dislocating her ankle.

We understand that the Presbyterians intend holding a fowl supper on Dec. 23.

A couple of our young ladies and one of our young men took a drive to Feversham recently and report a very delightful time. Wonder what is the attraction in Feversham for our young people?

Wanted—100 cords of short wood cut. Apply to W. H. Guy, at once.

Priceville

Our good sleighing has vanished and wheels are again on the roads.

Mr. McLeod's sawmill has been having a holiday during the past week. Some heavy castings broke down and had to be sent to the foundry for repair.

Died—On the evening of Nov. 19, Annie McMillan, relict of the late Alex. McLean, South line, Artemesia, in her 67th year. Although not enjoying good health for some time, yet her life was not expected to be near an end by the family or friends. Interment was delayed until Friday, the 26th, in order to allow several members of the family living in Calgary and other points in the far west to attend, and all her children arrived home except one daughter living in the States. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. A. Matheson, in the Presbyterian church and at the grave.

We were sorry to hear of the accident which was the cause of the death of Mr. John McArthur, the account of which appeared in last week's Advance. He lived on the town line about a mile north of this village and moved a few years ago to the vicinity of Yellow Grass, Sask.

FARM PROFITS

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Poultry News	15

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Wheat	1 00 to 1 00
Oats	35 to 36
Peas	86 to 86
Barley	45 to 50
Hay	10 00 to 11 00
Butter	22 to 22
Eggs, fresh	24 to 25
Potatoes per bag	40 to 40
Geese	10 to 10
Ducks	10 to 10
Chickens	10 to 10
Turkeys	15 to 15

J. E. LARGE

The People's Store, Eugenia

Now is the time to buy your Fall Suits, beautiful new goods in all the latest shades and designs, at different prices to suit the purchaser. Dress trimmings in all the pretty, delicate shades. Do not miss seeing these as they are something different than has ever been shown before, ranging in price from 6 to .....25c per yard.
Some Soutache Braids, 2 yds for..... 5c
Beautiful long sample coats, "Semi-fitting," nicely trimmed with shappings of goods and large satin buttons, regular $15 and $18 coats for.....$10.00
Special values in Flanneletts, best qualities from 7c to 15c extra wide. Call and see our Lawns and Cottons, best values ever offered.

Just arrived! all our new woollen goods in Toques, Gloves, Mitts, Scarfs, Sweaters, Hose, Shawles and Yarns—everything you will need in the woollen line.

MILLINERY—Do not fail to see our complete stock in pretty, up-to-date Hats in all shades, ranging from $2.50 up. Special values given for the Thanksgiving and Christmas trade.

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THREATENED WITH PARALYSIS.

BEFORE TREATMENT

Peter E. Summers, of Kalamazoo, Mich., relates his experience:
"I was troubled with Nervous Debility for many years. I lay it to indiscretion and excesses in early youth. I became very despondent and didn't care whether I worked or not. I imagined everybody who looked at me guessed my secret. Imaginative dreams at night weakened me—my back ached, had pains in the back of my head, hands and feet were cold, tired in the morning, poor appetite, fingers were shaky, eyes blurred, hair loose, memory poor, etc. Numbness in the fingers set in and the doctor told me he feared paralysis I took all kinds of medicines and tried many first-class physicians, wore an electric belt for three months, went to Mt. Clemens for baths, but received little benefit. While at Mt. Clemens I was induced to consult Drs. Kennedy & Kennedy, though I had lost all faith in doctors. Like a drowning man I commenced the New Method Treatment and it saved my life. The improvement was like magic—I could feel the vigor going through the nerves. I was cured mentally and physically. I have sent them many patients and will continue to do so."

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