The Personal Element in Banking Affairs

BETWEEN the curtness and coldness of printed bank forms and the human element for whose use they are designed, are vast oportunities for the banker to give valuable personal assistance. The Standard Bank, throug the members of its staff, is anxious to use any opportunity that arises to demonstrate its value in offering personal advice on financial matters. The local manager of the Standard Bank will be glad to give intimate counsel upon money matters pertaining to your business.

BANKING FIFTY YEARS

THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

FLESHERTON BRANCH—C. T. Batty, *Manager*

CANADIAN PACIFIC

C. P. R. TIME TABLE

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
8.00 a.m.	11.52 a.m.
4.10 p.m.	9.08 p.m.
8.41 p.m.	4.33 p.m.

The mails close at Flesherton as follows: For the north at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south at 3.30. For morning train south at mail closes at 9.00 p.m. the previous evening.

Social and Personal

Skate for health!

The snow plow is again at work on the streets!

Mr. Wm. Moore was a visitor in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Robt. Down and son, Jack, visited at her parental home near Corbetton last week.

Mr. James Stafford returned to Detroit after holidaying at his home here.

The councils of Artemesia, Osprey and Flesherton held their inaugural meetings on Monday.

The W.M.S. will meet on Thursday in St. John's church at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Murray's group in charge.

The Canadian Girls In Training will hold a cake and candy sale at the home of their leader, Mrs. W. A. Armstrong on Saturday, January 16 at 3 o'clock p.m.

The Young People's League of St. John's United Church are holding a carnival in the skating rink on Friday, January 22nd. See bills for further particulars.

Messrs. D. McTavish & Son have built a new snow car and are travelling around the country in fine style the past few days. Soon cars in winter will be as numerous as in the summer time.

News was received at the Baptist parsonage on Saturday last of the death on December 23rd, 1925, of Mr. Fred Walshaw of Batley, Yorkshire, England. Mr. Walshaw is the oldest brother of Mrs. (Rev.) A. J. Preston, wife of the local Baptist minister.

A Scottish mother in Priceville got her metaphors mixed the other day. Addressing her prococious five-year-old climbing on a fence she exclaimed, "Johnny, come off that fence, ye little rascal; soon ye'll no' hae a pair o' boots tae yer back."

The Ladies' Aid of St. John's United church intend to hold their annual concert in the high school on Friday, January 29th, when Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks will again be produced with an entirely new cast. Keep the date open and watch for further particulars.

Adjustments were made the 1st of January in this telephone district by which Barrie becomes headquarters. The territory coming into the Barrie district includes Owen Sound,, Chatsworth, Chesley, Wiarton, Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk, as also smaller places.

Be sure and come to the lecture at Inistioge church, which will be given by Mr. Clements, under the auspices of the League, Inistioge. The lecture is entitled "When a man is married," and promises to be both humorous and instructive. Music. Admission 25 cents.

The many friends in this neighborhood of Mrs. J. D. Clarke will be glad to hear that she is making steady recovery of her health. Last week she was able to leave the Hospital of St. John, Toronto, where she had been under treatment by a specialist, and is now on a visit to her sister, Mrs. T. E. Aikenhead, Toronto. Within the next week or two Mrs. Clarke expects to take up housekeeping with Mr. Clarke, in their new home at Weston.

Doings at the Rink

The Kum-Joy-Nus ladies class of St. John's United Sunday school are serving lunch in the lunch room every Saturday night during the skating season.

Good crowds are turning out at the rink every skating night and the ice is in fine condition.

A new penalty box has been erected along the side of the rink with a wall eight feet high and those guys who attempt to "get" a player for infringements of hockey rules during the game, will have to do some tall climbing to get at their victim.

The management expect to provide a couple of hockey games soon and are attempting to secure a team for a game this week.

Hockey practice for the team is being held three nights a week and the boys are getting into first class shape.

F. J. Thurston has been forced to retire from active participation in hockey on account of injuries to his knee received during games last winter. He was out to practice a couple of times recently, but again had it twisted. It will leave a hole in the defence, but somebody is sure to come along and fill it.

A carnival will be held on Friday, January 22nd, when a big night is sure to be held. There will be a big list of costumes and prizes.

Skating for beginners only will be held at the rink each Saturday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock.

Quite a number of skating parties have been held at the rink recently.

Miss Doris Boyd Dies At North Battleford

Word was received Sunday from Mr. John Boyd of North Battleford, Sask., that his daughter, Doris, had passed away after an illness of some weeks from tuburcular laryngitis. It was a great shock to her many friends here who had no idea that her illness was of such a critical nature.

She was very popular with her friends both here and at Markdale, having lived at the latter place for years prior to the removal of her parents to North Battleford some four or five years ago.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

On account of printing Wednesday morning of each week and in order to assist us to get to press on time The Advance is obliged to request its advertisers to have all changes of their advertisment for the week of publication in our hands by Monday noon of that week to insure publication. If the advertiser insists that a change is to be made after that hour the full price of transient advertising will be charged. We are going to live up to this declaration.

Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. F. H. W. Hickling on the celebration of their silver anniversary. This estimable couple were married twenty-five years ago last Saturday.

At the Communion Service last Sunday, the ladies of the Baptist church presented the church with a set of beautiful white linen cloths to decorate the table of the Lord. In a few words of appropriate prayer the pastor of the church dedicated the service of the gift to God.

The monthly meeting of the Baptist Women's Mission Circle was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Warling on Tuesday, January 5th. A splendid work is going forward and a good attendance was on hand. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The home of Mrs. Crossley will be the place of the next meeting on Tuesday, February 2nd.

10 DAYS
CLEARANCE SALE
Wednesday, Jan. 6th
TO
Saturday, January 16th

Before taking our annual Inventory we want many lines of seasonable merchandise cleared from our shelves, and to do this quickly have made substantial price reductions all through the Store.

WOOL HOMESPUNS 69c.
Popular shades, good weight, 42 inches wide, very suitable for children's winter dresses. Regular 90c.

TURKISH TOWEL SPECIAL
Three assortments—plain, white, and striped. Special bargain price, 98c., 69c. and 49 c. per pair.

LADIES' COLORED HOSIERY 79 cents
All wool and cashmere in heather shades, plain or ribbed including some of our most popular lines. Size 8½ to 10. Regular $1.00.

MEN'S WORSTED SOCKS 43c.
Winter weight, pure worsted yarn, black or heather shades. Regular 55c. a pair.

27-INCH CHECK GINGHAM 19c. A YARD
Fine even weave, good designs, fast colors Reg. 25c.

ART SATEENS SPECIAL 29c.
30 inches wide, good range of colors. Heavy weight cloth Regular 40c. and 45c.

MEN'S WINTER CAPS 99c.
Good winter weights, some with inside bands. Regular $1.25 to $2.00.

CORSETS AT HALF PRICE
Your choice of several popular styles. Sizes 20 to 27, but not in every line. Not soiled nor shop worn. Half regular price.

MILL ENDS AT BARGAIN PRICES
Mill ends of white cottons, nurse cloths, galateas, khaki drills, etc., in lengths suitable for all domestic purposes Special prices.

MEN'S OVERALLS $1.89
Heavy weight, plain blue, striped and black, engineer style with bib. Full cut. Regular $2.25.

HEAVY BLACK RIBBED HOSE 49c.
Pure worsted heavy ribbed Hose. Sizes 8 to 9½. Regular 75c. and $1.00.

MEN'S ALL-WOOL UNDERWEAR $1.19
Shirts and Drawers, new perfect goods in winter weights. Regular $1.50.

MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS $16.50
This lot includes blue chinchillas, heather mixtures and greys. Sizes 36 to 44. Good buying for anyone Values to $25.00.

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS 89c.
Plain colors and striped patterns. Perfect goods. Sizes for small men and large sizes. Regular $1.50 to $2.00.

CONGOLEUM SQUARES
All Gold Seal quality—choice new designs and colors—Sizes 9x12, 9x10½, 9x9, 9x7½, 9x6, 9x4½. 20% discount from regular prices.

BOYS' ALL-WOOL SWEATERS $1.69
Pullover style, shawl collars and roll necks, good color combinations. Regular $2.00 and $2.25 values.

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS $3.49
All-wool, good winter weights, plain and fancy stitch good colors. Regular $4.50.

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS $1.98
Good weight, dark heather shades, splendid for every day rough wear. All sizes. Very special.

BOY'S BLOOMER SUITS $6.50
Assortment of Boy's Tweed Suits, some Norfolk style, some plain, durable tweeds in popular patterns. Sizes 28 to 35. A real bargain.

ALUMINUM WARE AT BARGAIN PRICES
Heavy weight pure aluminum, highly polished throughout — Double Boilers, Saucepans, Pudding Dishes, Fry Pans, Tea and Preserving Kettles, Potato Pots, Roast Pans, etc., etc. Very Special Values.

MEN'S LINED MITTS 49c.
Clearance of a number of different lines, some horse, some mule fronts, wool lined.

DINNERWARE SPECIAL—Clover Leaf Pattern
First quality, perfect goods, cups and saucers $1.95 doz.; Tea Plates $1.60 doz.; Breakfast Plates $1.95 doz.

WHITE CUPS AND SAUCERS $1.39 DOZ.
New shaped cups, first quality.

BARGAINS IN ENGLISH SEMI-PORCELAIN 97-PIECE DINNER SETTS
7 good patterns in stock.
Regular $27.50 for **$24.00.**
Regular $31.50 for **$27.50.**

During the sale a special 10% discount will be allowed on Regular Open-Stock List of Semi-porcelain Dinner Ware.

YOUNG MEN'S BLUE SUITS $24.50
All-wool herring bone serge, double breasted coats, quite new, received too late for the Christmas trade. Sizes 36-40. Regular $29.50.

Special 15 Per Cent. Discount on All Silks

This reduction applies on all Silks, Satins, Duchesse, Silk Broadcloth, Canton Crepes, Flat Crepes, Georgettes, Silk and Wool Crepes now in stock without exception. Take advantage of this special saving!

GROCERY SPECIALS

Quaker Cornflakes	10c. pkg.
Shredded Wheat	2 pkgs. 25c.
Comfort, Gold P. G. Soap	4 bars 25c.
Pure Castile Soap	7 bars 25c.
Cream Olive Soap	5 bars 25c.
Handy Ammonia 10c. size	3 for 23c.
Seedless Raisins	2 pounds 25c.
New Currants	15c. lb.
Granulated Sugar	10 pounds 69c.
Campbell's Tomato Soup	15c. Tin

GROCERY SPECIALS

Regular 65c. Brooms	For 49c.
Red Rose Tea, regular 75c.	69c.
Toilet Paper, large roll	6 rolls 25c.
Sliced Pineapple 1½ size	20c.
Fancy Soap Flakes, extra quality	2 lbs. 25c.
Jumbo Peanuts, fresh	19c. pound
Natural Figs, special	3 pounds 25c.
Good Prunes, large size	3 pounds 30c
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4 pound jars	85c.
Canned Corn, 1½ size	10c.

In addition to the above you will find genuine bargains offered in every line. Terms during sale:—Cash or produce only.

F. H. W. HICKLING
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