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People say when they see our new stock, "do you intend to supply the whole neighborhood." Mercer says yes and for less money than they ever bought lamps for before. Glass Lamps, medium sized burners and flint chimneys, wick and all complete at 25c, 30, 35 and 40c. Fancy large Glass Lamps, large sized burners and glass, all complete, with safety burners, glass can't fall off at 50c. Fancy Decorated Banquet Lamps, dome and shade, brass stands at 75c, $1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 3.00. Nothing like them anywhere.

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Sells reliable goods cheap, no presents, no cromos, no clap-trap of any kind but the lowest prices to all.

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Markdale Standard.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor.

GENERAL NOTES

The heat was so excessive in New York on Saturday last that fifty deaths and over 400 prostrations are reported.

The revenue to the government from the Yukon for the present year, it is now estimated, will be over one million dollars.

A new fort is to be built at Halifax which will be the largest in Canada and mounted by the most powerful modern guns.

Mrs Eyre, a widow residing in Sydenham road township was killed in a runaway accident near Owen Sound Wednesday of last week.

It is now estimated that Manitoba's wheat crop will be about thirty million bushels and that of Ontario will be only about three millions less.

Senor Pi Rigo, the late Spanish Minister at Washington, who spent a few days in Toronto and Montreal, has brought suit for $100,000 against Lord Aberdeen for his expulsion from Canada.

The figures prepared for the Quebec conference show a wide expansion in trade in Canada for the fiscal year just closed, the total figures amounting to $241,000,000, as against $227,000,000 the year previous. A large proportion of this expansion has been in the direction of Great Britain. Our exports to the mother country were $104,700,000 as against $81,100,000 sent to the United States.

Toronto has now a much needed down town branch of the General Hospital. The new building is on Bay street near ... ing; it is four storeys high and has ... frontage of 42 feet and a depth of 54. The General Hospital is 2½ miles from ... this centre where there is a heavy tax ... of street cars, wagons, drays and vehicles of all kinds including innumerable bicycles, all being prolific sources of street accidents.

The young women of New York city are to be allowed to show their patriotic enthusiasm by kissing and hugging the soldiers on the streets as they return from camp without fear of any offence against the peace. A young woman was arrested a few days ago and charged before the magistrate with disorderly conduct for having been found kissing two men on the street. "Is that so?" asked the magistrate.

At the annual meeting of the Supreme Court of the I O F in Toronto last week Dr Oronhyatekha, Supreme Chief, who draws $10,000 salary annually was granted a $5,000 bonus as a token of appreciation of his services in behalf of the Order. The old Chief may be said to be a Grand Old Man for the Order, but he draws a grand old salary and many members of the order feel that this extravagant bonusing in hours of enthusiasm of one already well paid is not in the interest of widows and orphans and will have a telling effect against the society in time to come. The Supreme Chief was also granted a four months' leave of absence for the good of his health.

"It is your honor," replied the prisoner, "I not only kissed them, but I hugged them, because they were soldiers and in uniform." The complaint was dismissed.

Vandeleur

Mr A Johnston and his daughter Maggie are attending the exhibition in Toronto.

Mr and Mrs Carson of Priceville visited the former's sister Mrs S Gilbert

Mr Thos Kells is around buying all the apples he can get his eyes on and is paying a big price for them.

Miss Minnie Graham who has been attending the millinery openings in Toronto returned home on Saturday.

Berkeley

Mr T Robinson Sr is visiting his daughter in Toronto.

Mr J Lang, merchant, is in Toronto purchasing his fall stock.

Mr J Doyle and Miss Ford of Markdale spent Monday with Mr and Mrs William Sargent.

Mr Ted Walters Sundayed at Stayner a guest at the Queen's hotel.

Mr Harry and Miss Minnie David are taking in the exhibition.

Mrs John Pickett is visiting in Toronto.

Mrs McTaggard and Master Willie have returned from Manitoba and look well after their trip.

Blantyre

Very warm weather with frequent showers.

Mr John Maxlow, Miss Retta Shepherdson and Miss Bielby visited Miss Shepherdson's sister, Mrs A C Paterson, one day last week.

Truman and Fred Manning wheeled over to Tara last week visiting friends.

Mr Kelly and Mr Culbertson of Meaford passed through the village recently

Mr A C Paterson and son George wheeled to Toronto to visit friends and note improvements in the Industrial exhibition this week.

Quite a number from here are going to the exhibition.

Mr Joseph Bailey, teacher of the 11th line, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Meaford.

Mr Bielby of Southampton and Miss L Muxlow of Meaford visited friends at Blantyre on Monday.

Kimberley

September 8.—"Mary had a little lamb." The farmers have sold many good big lambs also young cattle recently to Messrs Stuart and Carruthers.

Mr Lynch of Clarksburg is buying apples.

Mr Warren Harris of Tilsonburg is visiting his brother Mr Peter Harris.

Mrs Wm Lindsaw of Primrose is at Mr Jas Laidlaw's.

Mrs Vanvleet of Orangeville is visiting her sister Mrs G Graham.

Miss McConkey of Nantyre and Mrs Allen of Clarendill are rusticating in this grand valley at present.

Mr Willie Reeves and Miss Skelton of Kirkville Sundayed in Kimberley. Miss Ethel Reeves and a friend Mr Kells accompanied.

Mr James Mc... was to visit his son Albert recently.

Mrs John Bessmer is visiting her sister Mrs M B Hammond.

County Constable Noble of Markdale was in town last week.

Meaford Road

Mr Arthur Johnston left last week for Pickering on a visit to his cousin of that place, also with a view of securing some more thoroughbred stock. He will also take in the Toronto Industrial.

Mr and Mrs Martin and Mrs Ford of Sarnia were the guests of Mr and Mrs Johnston and returned to their home last week.

Mrs Allan and Miss McConkey of Simcoe County are visiting at Mr J Weber's in the valley.

Mr —— of Leamington paid our trustees and school a visit introducing and endeavoring to make a sale of a set of mathematical blocks which are highly recommended by Inspector Campbell.

Miss Elsie Richardson is on a visit with her sister Mrs Ephraim Brodie.

We noticed our school trustees wending their way to the academy one day last week for the purpose of bringing some disobedient pupils to time.

Mr Jas Lever has been on the war path with his steam threshing outfit in this neighborhood.

Mr Bowes, agent of the Sydenham Mutual Fire Insurance Co, passed through here one day last week.

Traverston

Miss Cassie McNally, youngest daughter of Mr Wm McNally, left on Monday morning for Toronto.

He has dusted into harvest and fall wheat seeding has Mr M J Davis so is doubly entitled to the visit he is paying this week to the Great Fair.

Mr Thos Cook has had a most successful season. Messrs Bartley and Ellison threshed over 1200 bushels of grain for him last week in seven hours and a half. He and his good wife got a bright eleven year old girl from the Peterboro Home last week.

Hosts of our girls have gone away during the past ... weeks:—Miss Minnie Burnett has gone to Stratford Miss Marion McNa... and Miss Martha Anderson to the Queen city for the winter; Miss Aggie Robson, who has been home during the summer returned to the city, but she'll remain only a month till she leaves for the west.

The Haley Bros have invested in a new seperator and engine and are doing splendid work and will have a big season's threshing.

Miss Sue Greenwood is spending a week at the Queen City and will take in the sights of the Fair.

Head Master, Brethour of Mt Forest High School preached one of the most practical and searching sermons to Zionites on Sunday that they've heard for some time.

Master John Greenwood, who got his knee cap broken some six weeks ago, is able to be out again, but isn't free to use the limb yet.

Mrs M J Peart returned home last week, after spending the summer with relatives at Brantford and lower down the Grand River.

Mr Andy Kelly took all the stone out of Mr A Robson's big well last week, lowered it eight feet and then stoned it up again. The well is eight feet in diameter.

Everybody is pleased to hear that Joe McGrade is regaining strength and his old spirit as the days pass by.

Double the acres of fall wheat is sown in this neighborhood, than in former years and it has mostly been put in early and in good shape.

The apple crop is about a fifty per cent average in this locality. Winter apples are none too plentiful; but potatoes are rarer still. However, some have first-class tubers. The Prohibition wave of enthusiasm is rolling this way and it promises to make a good sweep of the voters. Hustler

Flesherton

On Monday morning of last week Mr John Galbraith of this place passed away at the early age of 27 years after a lingering illness with consumption. His remains were interred with Orange honors in the Flesherton cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. A young wife and one child survive him.

On Thursday last Mr Donald Muir, aged about 30, died after a long and painful illness with cancer in the face at the home of his mother Mrs Alex McCrae near Flesherton Station. The funeral was largely attended to the Priceville cemetery on Saturday afternoon Rev L W Thom officiating.

A garden party under the auspices of the Flesherton Station Sabbath School was held at the residence of Mr James McMullen, west back line on Friday evening last. A good time is reported.

Mr F T Carr of Eugenia has thrown up his contract on the horseshoe hill and it has been relet by the council committee to Mr Jacob Thompson who is to complete the job according to the specifications in the original contract.

Mr J G Russel, Jeweler, Parkhill was the guest of Mr Barnhouse over Sunday and Monday and his many friends here were pleased to meet with him after an absence of seven years. Mr Russel's musical talents are appreciated here yet. The Presbyterian church choir of which he had been leader for a number of years were pleased to have him with them on Sunday morning and he assisted the Methodist church choir in the evening.

Mr Will Clayton, Jeweler, and his friend Mr McFarland of Cornwall paid the former's parents here a short visit the beginning of last week.

Miss Maud Richardson, Miss Kate Bellamy and Mrs E Vanzant are visiting friends in Toronto.

Mervin Vanzant left last week to enter upon the study of pharmacy in a drug store in Toronto.

Mrs T J Sheppard is visiting the parental home at Toronto Junction.

Mr R N Henderson is visiting his parents in the city and Mrs Henderson and little daughter are visiting relatives in London.

Mr Allan Gibson left Monday to take the position of engineer in a large manufacturing establishment in Toronto.

Mr M Richardson attended the millinery openings in Toronto last week and engaged Miss Rankin of Barrie to take charge of his millinery department this season. Mrs Trimble and daughter Miss Zilla also attended the openings, the former going since to visit her mother, Mrs Baskerville at Detroit.

Miss Martin of Arthur who has been a guest for some weeks at the Manse left for Toronto on Monday.

Mr and Mrs C E VanDusen of Chicago are visiting the former's parents, Mr and Mrs A S VanDusen.

Miss Mary Smith is home from Toronto visiting her father, Mr Jos Smith

Miss Maggie Rutledge left for New York on Saturday.

Miss Bello Gjerdrum is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr J J Hillen of Detroit visited his cousin Mrs Wm Neil part of last week.

Messrs F Sheppard and F Tucker Sundayed with the former's uncle at Mt Forest.

Mr Fred and Walter LeGard wheeled over and spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends at Duncan, Heathcote and Thornbury.

Mr and Mrs Hamilton, the Misses Hamilton and Miss Ethel Crossley visited friends at Meaford the beginning of the week.

Mr and Mrs Lindsay visited their parental home at Shelburne Sunday and Monday.

Mrs Taylor of Markdale is spending a few days with Mrs (Rev) Ward at the parsonage.

The Standard having successfully passed another milestone may it continue to thrive and its boy abide in strength.

Walters Falls

The prize list for our big show are out and is counted by all to be the neatest since the show began. Of course we have soap and that is the reason why we are so pure and clean, but we do not need diamond dyes to cover old stains that will not wash out.

Messrs T G Prowd and Jas Mower spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the city.

Mr and Mrs R J Watson and family left on Saturday for a visit among friends in Priceville, Georgetown, Norval and other places also to spend a couple of days taking in the sights at the great Industrial exhibition. Mr Geo Watson is looking after the business in his absence.

Mrs Freeman returned home on Thursday after spending three or four weeks visiting friends in Toronto and New Castle.

The track on the exhibition grounds is in first class shape and all are invited to come along and drive on it.

Mr Jos Barker from near Orillia is visiting his brother Mr Thos of this village.

Mr Jno Murray, Mr and Mrs R Clarke and several others left on Monday to attend the Industrial.

Notice is up asking for tenders for the use of the refreshment booths on the Central Agricultural grounds for both days of the show, namely 27 and 28 Sept. Tenders close Monday evening Sept 19th. Address to the secretary

Another correspondent

Some of our enterprising young ladies have been practicing for the soap race which is to take place at our fair.

Miss Em Campbell of Owen Sound spent Sunday with her parents.

The Rev Mr Power preached an appropriate and effective temperance sermon on Sunday evening which was appreciated by all who were present.

Don't forget the plebiscite meeting in the Methodist church on the 19th of this month.

Mr Henry Bonnell and daughter Georgie drove to Owen Sound on business last Saturday.

We witnessed rather an unusual proceeding on Sunday evening, when one of our young men went "Shooting" after church.

The harvest home thanksgiving service of St Philip's church was ably conducted by the Rev Mr Herbert and the church was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Mr John Coleridge sr is doing a thriving business with his cider mill. But the supply ran out on Saturday and two of our young men had to go to a vinegar keg. The back way is sometimes convenient, eh?

The baseball team are doing some energetic practicing for the match with the Chatsworth team which is to take place here on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Tisha Coleridge spent Sunday at home.

We hear that Mrs W Crowther intends giving dinner on fair days. Don't go around the corner hungry.

Mrs Jas Moore left on Monday for Toronto to take in the exhibition.

We are glad to learn that Mrs (Dr) McCullough, who has been very ill, is recovering.

Still another correspondent

Mr and Mrs McKenzie of Parry Sound are the guests of Mr and Mrs R Olmstead.

John Saunders left for the Queen City last week where he intends to take up the study of the languages.

Miss M L Coleridge favored the village with her presence on Saturday and Sunday and visited some of her many friends.

Among those who are away sight seeing this week are Mr and Mrs S Marshall, Mrs Jas Mower, R Quinton, R Walter, A Gillies and D Speck.

Honor Rolls

Report of S S No 6 for August 1898:

3, Martha Love, Maggie Love, John Baird, Mary Wiggins.

2 sr, James Baird.

2 jr, Maggie Wiggins, Jean Baird, Everald Walker, Walter Wiggins.

Pt 2, Gertie Walker, Willie Love, Garfield Arrowsmith.

Sr 1, Mabel McKennett, Alice Bennett.

Jr 1, Edgar Wiggins, Irene Leitch, Percy Page. E M Cook, teacher.

A P. E. ISLAND J. P.

Interviewed by the Patriot's Special Correspondent.

Overwork Brought on Neuralgia and Shattered Health Generally—Passed many Sleepless Nights.

From the Charlottetown Patriot.

The Patriot's special correspondent "Mac" being in the eastern section of the island on business, heard many complimentary remarks concerning Dr Williams' Pink Pills, which appear to be the favorite medicine in all parts of Canada. Among those who are very emphatic in the praise of this medicine in Neil McPhee, J P, of Glencorrodate, and our correspondent determined to call upon him and ascertain from his own lips his views in the matter. Mr McPhee was found at home, and as he is a very entertaining and intelligent gentleman, our correspondent was soon "at home" too. When questioned about the benefits he was reported to have received from the use of Dr Williams' Pink Pills, Mr McPhee said:—"About four years ago I got run down from overwork on the farm. As there is considerable timber land on my property, I thought I could go into making timber in addition to my farm work. The task however proved too heavy for my strength and I soon began to break down. I contracted a severe cold, neuralgia followed, and I found myself in shattered health generally. I felt very much distressed and discouraged and spent many sleepless nights. I tried several very highly recommended medicines, but received no permanent benefit from any of them. As Dr Williams' Pink Pills were so highly recommended through the press, I thought I would give them a fair trial. After using a few boxes I found they were having the desired effect and I began to find my wonted health and strength gradually returning. I kept on using the pills until I had regained my former vigor and had gained considerable in flesh as well. Now I consider myself a healthier man and feel as well as ever I did in my life. I can conscientiously recommend Dr Williams' Pink Pills to any person suffering as I was. I have the utmost confidence in their curing properties."

Rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, nervous headache, nervous prostration, and diseases depending upon humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc, all disappear before a fair treatment with Dr William's Pink Pills. They give a healthy glow to pale and sallow complexions. Sold by all dealers and post paid at 50c a box or six boxes for $2.50 by addressing the Dr Williams' Medicine Co, Brockville, Ont. Do not be persuaded to take some substitute.

Markdale Council

Municipal council of the village of Markdale met in regular session in the clerk's office at 8 o'clock. Members present, Reeve Jackson, Councillors Mathews, Sarjeant, Sproule and Benson. Minutes of June meeting read, adopted and signed. Accounts presented from W H King, $95.75; Thos Pendleton, $12; Minnis Bros, $8.98; band, $45; Geo Noble, $6.25.

Moved by Sproule seconded by Sarjeant that the following accounts be paid and the reeve issue his cheque for same: Joseph Parks, band grant, $12; Jos Trelford, band grant, $13, W H King, $95.25; Thos Pendleton, caretaker, $6, work on roads, $5.70; Minnis Bros, street lighting, $8.98; Geo Noble, $6.25—carried.

Benson—Sarjeant—That we give a grant of $25 to the Glenelg Agricultural Society—carried.

Benson—Mathews—That the rate for taxes be 12 mills on all rateable property—carried.

Sproule—Mathews—That bylaw No 109 for the purpose of levying rates be read a first and second time—carried.

Bylaw No 109 was then read first and second time.

Sproule—Sarjeant—That bylaw No 109 be read a third time and engrossed in bylaw book—carried.

Bylaw No 109 then read a third time and signed.

Sarjeant—Mathews—That bylaw No 110 "respecting local improvements" be read a first and second time—carried.

Bylaw No 110 then read first and second time.

Sarjeant—Mathews—That bylaw No 110 be read a third time, signed and engrossed in the bylaw book—carried.

Bylaw was then read a third time signed and passed.

Sproule—Sarjeant—That this council grant the prayer of the petition of H Mercer and others re the concrete cement sidewalk—carried.

Sproule—Sarjeant—That the reeve and clerk be appointed to engage the services of a competent engineer to prepare plans for the concrete cement sidewalk—carried.

Sarjeant—Mathews—That this council do now adjourn until the next regular meeting—carried.

Twenty-Eight Gallons of Blood

Pass every hour through the heart liver and kidneys How vastly important it is that this blood should be pure so that these important organs are not irritated. And also how important it is that each of these organs should be strong and healthy so that their work may be thoroughly accomplished. Sloan's Indian Tonic is not only a powerful blood purifier but reconstructive tonic. $1 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

ONE RED ROSE RENTAL.

A Single Flower Pays the Rent of the Site of a Pennsylvania Church.

"On the second Sunday of each June there is paid to the oldest lineal descendant of the founder of Manheim, Baron Henry William Stiegel, the annual rent for the plot of ground given by him more than a century and a quarter ago for the building of a church," writes Clifford Howard in the Ladies' Home Journal. "This rent, this yearly tribute, is one red rose; and it is the payment of this flower to the heir of the Baron that forms the occasion of the beautiful and novel celebration, the 'Feast of Roses,' at Manheim, Pennsylvania. The day preceding the formal ceremonies is observed as a general holiday, devoted to festivities and amusements, and to welcoming the heir. The town is early filled with people from the surrounding country, and by the time set for the coming of the distinguished guest the streets are thronged with an expectant multitude. As the train dashes into the station the thundering boom of a cannon announces its arrival, and in a few moments the honored descendant of the Baron appears in an open carriage preceded by a band of music.

"Accompanied with appropriate religious exercises, with music and addresses, the simple yet beautiful and touching ceremony of paying the rent is performed in the church on the following day. Every space, every nook within the church is filled with a particularly fine assortment of red roses, and through the open windows peep the blossoms of the rose vines that climb and cluster on the outside wall. In the name and in behalf of the congregation, the minister takes from its silver chalice the rose that has been specially selected for the purpose because of its transcendent beauty and presents it to the heir of Baron Stiegel in discharge of the obligation required by the deed. The recipient takes the rose, and in a few remarks acknowledges the payment of the debt."

Invariably the Cause.

Hero is the testimony of Carroll D. Wright, United States Commissioner of Labor, who can hardly be called fanatic on the temperance question: "I have looked into a thousand homes of the working people of Europe: I don't know how many in this country. I have tried to find the best and the worst. And while, as I say, I am aware that the worst exists, and as bad as under any system or as bad as in any age, I have never had to look beyond the inmates to find the cause; and in every case, so far as my own observation goes, drunkenness was at the bottom of the misery, and not the industrial system or the industrial conditions surrounding the men and their families."

Fall Exhibitions

Agricultural Society Secretaries will oblige us and help themselves by informing us at once the date and place of their Fall Fair.

Industrial, Toronto	Aug	29	to Sept.	10
Western, London	Sep	8	"	17
Northern, Walkerton	"	14	"	15
Markdale	"	15	"	16
Clarksburg	"	20	"	23
Owen Sound	"	20	"	23
Collingwood	"	20	"	23
East Grey, Flesherton	"	22	"	23
Holland, Chatsworth	"	27	"	28
Central, Walters Falls	"	27	"	28
Shelburne	"	27	"	28
Orangeville	"	28	"	29
Meaford	"	29	"	30
Centre Bruce, Paisley	"	27	"	30
Northwestern Goderich	"	27	"	29
Sullivan, Desboro	"	29	"	30
Sydenham, Bothwell's Oct		4	Oct	5
Stayner	"	3,4	"	5
Euphrasia, Rocklyn	"		"	6
Derby, Kilsyth	"	6	"	7

Strayed

From my premises, lot 3, 11th con Euphrasia on or about the 25th August three lambs marked with red paint. Any information as to their recovery will be thankfully received.

Jos Myers, Markdale P O

Property for Sale

In Markdale two lots adjoining skating rink, now occupied, property of the Markdale Skating Rink Co. Heirs are desirous to sell same at once. Apply to Wm Lucas, Markdale

Teacher Wanted

For S S No 14, Artemesia, Markdale P O, holding second class certificate. Duties to begin after the 1st October. Application will be received up to Monday September 12. State salary and give references.

T Elliott, Sec, Markdale

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of Chapter 224 R S O 1897 that a meeting of the members of the Glenelg Agricultural Society will be held in HASKETT'S HALL Markdale on

FRIDAY, SEPT. 9th, 1898

at 8 o'clock p m for the purpose of considering the sale of lot 6 block G in the Village of Markdale in the County of Grey known as the Corporation of the Village of Markdale.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1898.

Walter Turner, President. Geo B Holmes, Secretary.

W. J. McFarland and Son

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Fall Importations of high class Dry Goods, has arrived per steamship "Britannia" and is as complete as ready money and our unequalled facilities can make it. Our leadership will be more than sustained with this superb collection now on display. You need not take our bare statement for it but see the goods, compare prices with any line of Dry Goods to be had anywhere. With redoubled emphasis this applies to our immense fall stocks---an assemply of beautiful, high class, dependable merchandise never before equalled in Grey county.

Fall Dress Fabrics

We are the recognized leaders in Dress Goods and the way we are selling dress goods merits the attention of every thoughtful shopper. Not only are the prices extremely reasonable, but the superior qualities, the wide range of Fabrics, the beautiful designs, the handsome cloths and the rich colorings make this department unusually attractive. From the many lines we tell of these:

Heavy Stripe Tweed Effect Dress Goods in all the new colorings, 40 inches wide.....17
38 inches wide.....15
Heavy Costume Cloth in navy, royal, fawn, myrtle, black, new blue, brown &c. 42 inches wide, very fine finish, special value.....25
Heavy Tweed Effect, neat pin head check, the same cloth as last season but in the new colorings, full 50 inches wide, special.....30
Heavy Costume Suitings, 48 inches wide, in royal, myrtle, seal, navy, black, new blue, sage, fawn, &c, unequalled for value anywhere, per yd.....39
Heavy Bright Tweed in all the newest colorings, special.....28
Fine all wool Satin Cloth in myrtle, royal, helio taupe, seal, navy, black &c, very rich cloth, per yd.....50
Heavy all wool Venetian Poplin, all the newest colorings, a very rich handsome cloth and at our special price is unequalled.....52

New Blouse Velvets in all colors with very neat metallic stamped pattern, will not rub off and are absolutely fast. In blouse lengths only, no two patterns or colorings alike, spec. per yd .65

Ladies Jackets

Ladies of taste fully appreciate the many advantages of buying their Mantles here. The superior quality of the stock, the elegant styles represented in this collection and the excellent workmanship in every garment make it particularly attractive Any description we can give can only be suggestive—you must see for yourself. Out of hundreds we select these:

Ladies' Fine Curl Cloth Jackets, high standing storm collar, fly front, seams bound, front faced with fancy curl, trimmed with broadcloth.....10.45
Ladies Beaver Cloth Jacket all wool, trimmed with broadcloth and fine pearl buckles, silk stitched throughout, pearl buttons on fly front.....9.50
Ladies Heavy Freize Jackets, all wool, stand up fully collar, prettily inlaid with myrtle velvet colors, new fawn, new blue, new Prune, in all sizes.....8.50
Ladies' all wool Freize Jacket, stand up collar, trimmed with fine black curl cloth, colors navy blue, fly, martin fly front, and two large pearl buttons to each.....7.60
Ladies' Beaver Cloth Jackets, double breasted, large fancy bone buttons, fashionably trimmed with tubular braid, all sizes in black, brown, green and navy, special.....5.25

Fair Visitors

Will be more than welcome at our store. Fall stocks will be at their best for exhibition and we will afford an excellent opportunity for Fair Visitors to see the quality values we offer in every department. We want you to see our goods. A pleasure to show you through.

SAMPLES AS USUAL SENT ON APPLICATION

NEW FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP

Having equipped our shop with the most approved machinery and engaged the services of a thoroughly practical man to take charge of same we are in a position to do a general Foundry business in all its branches, supply our customers with Machinery of all kinds, make all sorts of Castings and do all sorts of Machinery Repairing on short notice and at moderate prices.

Boiler and Engine Work a Specialty

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Markdale Markets.

Fall wheat	
Spring wheat	
Goose wheat	
Barley	
Oats	
Peas	
Butter	
Eggs, fresh	
Hay, per ton	
Potatoes, per bag	
Wool	
Beef	
Pork	
Hides	
Geese, per lb	
Turkeys, per lb	
Ducks, per pair	
Chickens	
Apples, per bag	
Flour, per bbl	
Bran, per cwt	
Shorts, per cwt	
Chop, per cwt	
Sheep Skins	

Toronto Markets

Wheat, per bus	
Barley	
Oats	
Peas	
Butter	
Eggs	
Potatoes per bag	
Dressed hogs	
Cattle market steady	

Hip, for the great

CENTRAL SHOW

Walters Falls

SEPT. 27 & 28

This Year Away Ahead of All Previous Years

Great Pains Have Been Taken to Put Our Fine Half-Mile Track in First Class Condition.

Don't Fail to See the Ladies' Comfort Soap Race on The Afternoon of the 2nd day in Front of the Grand Stand.

Pugsley, Dingman & Co of Toronto, manufacturers of the famous Comfort Soap offers the following valuable prizes to be competed for by any lady over 16 years of age. Competitors to run 10 yards and pick up 1 bar of Comfort soap and put it in an apron, run another 10 yds, pick up another bar and so on until 100 yards is run. The 10 bars must be carried to the finish without dropping any. Each competitor will be provided with an apron and may keep the soap.

1st prize, ladies gold watch.
2nd, pair opera glasses.
3rd, leather purse.
4th, ½ doz teaspoons.

Entries for soap contest to be made with Mr H Bonnell, Walters Falls. No entrance fee for this race.

ADMISSION TO GROUNDS

Members free on presenting membership ticket or duplicate ticket, non members 20 cts, children 10c; grand stand tickets 5c, vehicles (members only) 25c, vehicles (non members) 45c.

Don't miss the first day. All the best horses in the county are coming. Good races expected.

Come and see the best show in the county. All those not receiving a prize list can have one by dropping a card to the secretary.

A. C. Paterson, President. R. J. Watson, Sec Treas.

Strayed

To my premises about the middle of June a 2-year-old heifer, spotted. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and get her.

Hugh Caswell, lot 9 in 3 con 11, Euphrasia, Walters Falls P O

OUR SILVER JUBILEE

Western Fair, London

September 8th to 17th, 1898

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