

Our Mid-Winter Clearing Sale of Men's Clothing Ends Wednesday, Jan. 29

And we certainly assure you that it was a success in every sense of the word. We reduced our stock to a size we wished it and we also demonstrated the fact that we can sell Men's Clothing—whether its Ready-to-wear or Made-to-order—at less price than any house in Grey County. That's a big statement, but our customers will vouch for its truth. We were pleased to see how the people appreciated our efforts to give them Good Clothing at the least possible price. We are looking forward to a big Spring Trade, as the result of using our customers fair and square during the past year.

See our new SPRING TOPPERS, just arrived, \$10.50.

P. J. THOMPSON

Clothier and Tailor, Treford Block.

Honor Roll.

Report of Harkaway School for January.
4 sr—E. Carbert, L. McLaughlin, M. Johnston.
4 jr—V. Wiley, M. Smith, S. Hawken, R. Page.
3 sr—R. Lyons, C. Carbert, M. Halbert
3 jr—W. Williamson, A. Cameron, L. Elliott, J. Smith.
2 sr—R. Rae, M. Steer, J. Murdoch.
2 jr—D. Rae, W. Halbert, V. Wiley.
Pt 2—B. Steer, N. Wiley, B. Elliott.
Pt 1—B. Murdoch.
Average attendance 21.
M. A. McCann, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 12, Holland, for January.
5—W. Henry and J. Adams act.
4—G. Morrison, M. Dixon, M. Howey, G. Henry.
3 sr—E. Mustard, M. Henry, N. Dixon, S. Hammill.
3 jr—G. Mustard, A. Hammill, E. Dixon, Edwin Dixon.
2 sr—H. Seabrook, M. Hammill, M. Acheson, A. Henry.
Pt 2—S. Seabrook, W. McCauler, E. Hammill.
1—J. Dixon, S. Howey, E. Mustard, S. Acheson.
R. L. McComb, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 6, Holland, for January.
4 sr—W. Gillespie, A. Foy, W. Walker.
4 jr—E. Ritchie, L. Ritchie, E. Elden.
3 sr—M. Gillespie.
3 jr—M. Holley, M. Edwards, D. Ritchie.
2 sr—M. Foy, R. Price, L. Ritchie.
2 jr—M. Bradley, S. Summers, B. Holley.
Pt 2 sr—W. Dodds, I. Foy.
Pt 2 jr—A. Rowe, J. Clark, G. Clark.
1 sr—R. Bradley, A. Foy, H. Gillespie, A. Locky, Teacher.

Report of Vandeleur School for January.
4—F. Davis, W. Buchanan, C. Hinton, S. Warling.
3 sr—H. Baker, R. Davis, G. Buchanan.
3 jr—R. Graham, L. McGee, D. Graham.
2 sr—L. Buchanan, D. McGee, R. Dawson, J. Varley.
2 jr—C. Erskine, A. Hutchinson, H. McGee, E. Holley.
Pt 2 sr—V. Brodie, D. Brodie.
Pt 2 jr—A. Weber, O. Hill, G. Smith.
Pt 1 A—E. Hill, J. Wright, H. Beard, L. Warling.
Average attendance 31.

Barrie hotelmen are eloquently warned, in an address issued by two of their number, W. E. Allen and B. W. Leroy, that no quarter will be given or taken with those who violate the law.

Cheap Excursion to Toronto.

The Ladies Music Club of Owen Sound will run an excursion to Toronto on Monday, February 10, leaving Owen Sound at 9 a.m. Chatsworth 9.28. Holland Centre 9.42. Berkeley 9.52. Markdale 10.03. Flesherton 10.16. Proton 10.28. Returning, good any regular train, and special leaving Toronto at 7 p.m. Tuesday. Fare from Markdale, \$2.05; children, \$1.05. See large posters.

West Grey County L. O. L.

The annual meeting of the Loyal Orange County Lodge of West Grey was held in the Orange Hall, Owen Sound, on Tuesday, Feb. 4th. Notwithstanding the bad state of the roads owing to the recent storm, there was a good attendance, each district being well represented. The following officers were elected for the current year:
County Master—Thos. McClelland, Owen Sound.
Dy. Master—J. N. Perdue, Massie, Chap.—Wm. Brownlee, Owen Sound.
Rec. Sec.—Wm. Hanbury, Owen Sound.
Fin. Sec.—Wm. Miller, Bognor.
Treas.—Geo. Gawley, East Linton.
D. of C.—John Thompson, Owen Sound.
Lecturer—Wm. Morton, East Linton.
Dy. Lecturers—J. H. McLean, Bognor, and Samuel Wilson, East Linton.
The semi-annual meeting will be held at Bognor on Friday, June 12th, at 8 o'clock p.m.

LOOK.

We are this week opening out a nice line of Men's, Misses, Girls and Boys fine shoes. Don't forget to drop in and see them, supposing you do not want to buy just now. Come in and let us show you what we have, no trouble to show goods at this store. Remember we have anything you want in the Rubber line, Men or Misses, heavy or light, also a nice line of Mens overshoes which will be sold at a trifle over cost. Don't forget that we are still in the ring with a full stock of good fresh Groceries. Also fresh and salt water fish always kept on hand. Don't forget when you want a bag of Flour to give me a call and get something that will put one of those smiles on your wife that will never wear off until you get another bag somewhere else. Highest prices paid for Butter and Eggs.
J. A. ERSKINE.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Feb. 4, 1908.
CATTLE.

Owing to a light delivery, prices for cattle were firmer all round. Exporters—Prices ranged at from \$4.90 to \$5.40; bulls \$4. to \$4.50 per cwt.

Butchers—Choice picked lots of butchers' \$4.75 to \$5.10; loads of good, \$4.25 to \$4.60; medium, \$3.90 to \$4.15; common, \$3.60 to \$3.90; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.

Feeders and Stockers—None offered, but there is a fair demand for steers, 800 to 1000 lbs each.

Milkers and Springers—Prices were quoted at \$30. to \$55 each.

Veal Calves—Prices unchanged, at \$4 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Export ewes, \$4 to \$4.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50 per cwt.

Hogs—Gunn's, Limited, quoted selects at \$5.15; fed and watered at the market, and \$4.90 to drovers f.o.b. cars at country points.

Grain, etc.

Wheat, spring.....	95	95
Wheat, fall.....	97	98
Wheat, goose.....	93	93
Wheat, red.....	1.00	1.00
Peas.....	88	88
Barley.....	70	70
Oats, bus.....	55	56
Alsike, No. 1.....	8.00	8.25
Alsike, No. 2.....	6.75	7.25
Hay, new, ton.....	9.00	20.00
Apples, per barrel.....	1.50	3.00
Beef, hind, cwt.....	5.00	6.50
Beef, fore, cwt.....	7.50	10.00
Beef, choice sides, cwt.....	8.00	9.00
Mutton, light, cwt.....	7.50	9.00
Veals, common, cwt.....	5.00	6.00
Veals, prime, cwt.....	8.50	11.00
Dressed Hogs, cwt.....	7.50	8.00
Straw, bundled, ton.....	14.00	15.00
Potatoes, per bag.....	95	1.10

Farm Produce, Wholesale.

The prices quoted below are for first class quality; lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations:

Potatoes, c lots, bag.....	80	90
Hay, car lots, ton.....	16.00	17.00
bales.....	16.00	17.00
Evaporated Apples, lb.....	9	9 1/2
Butter, dairy, lb r.....	25	26
Butter, tubs.....	23	24
Butter, creamery, lb r.....	29	30
Eggs, new laid, doz.....	30	30
Cheese, large, lb.....	13 1/2	13 1/2
Honey, extracted, lb.....	13	13 1/2

MARKDALE MARKETS.

(Corrected each Wednesday.)

Fall wheat.....	\$ 90	90
Spring wheat.....	85	90
Barley.....	60	60
Oats.....	48	48
Peas.....	78	80
Butter.....	21	23
Eggs, fresh.....	21	23
Hay, per ton.....	12.00	15.00
Wool, washed.....	21	23
Wool, unwashed.....	10	12
Beef.....	5.00	6.00
Pork.....	5.50	7.25
Hides.....	4.00	4.50
Cheese, per lb.....	8	10
Turkeys.....	12	14
Ducks.....	8	10
Chickens.....	5	7
Apples, per bag.....	50	60
Potatoes, per bag.....	70	80
Flour per bbl.....	4.80	5.50
Flour, Manitoba.....	5.50	6.00
Bran, per cwt.....	1.20	1.20
Shorts, per cwt.....	1.30	1.30
Chop Oats, per cwt.....	1.50	1.50
Sheep Skins.....	50	75

EUGENIA.

News of interest is rather scarce, as the roads are so drifted people cannot get around. The Orange tea-meeting, held in the hall, was enjoyed by a large attendance. The program was good. Proceeds \$40.

Mr. Jonathan Latimer, who has been very ill, is able to be around again.

Mrs. Purvis, who was very ill, is recovering and is able to sit up. Mr. Woodburn is in feeble health at present.

Miss Geotgina Smith, who has been the guest of her parents for some time past, has returned to the city.

Mrs. John Walker, of Creemore, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Beccroft, of "Edenvale" has returned home.

Our young ladies are going to take advantage of the privileges leap year affords and are going to hold a leap year social in the near future. The bachelors who don't mean business had better be on the look out.

Miss Grace Jamieson has returned from the city, after spending a pleasant visit with friends.

Mr. D. J. Jamieson, wife and son are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Robert McMaster.

A. JONES, Markdale.

The Success of the Past.

Makes possible the bigger and better plans for the future. And, when from time to time during the year 1908 we unfold and perfect the plans we have in contemplation, you will realize how much confidence we have in the future. How much we depend on your help to make this business still bigger and how absolutely certain we feel of being able to serve you with dependable merchandise that for quality and value is second to none in Canada.

Two Special January Features.

We begin the New Year with two particular objects in view. The clearing of all Remnants, odd lines and left overs from the holiday rush, and the selling of Furs.

Selling Furs In January.

We have quite a large stock of Furs in all kinds and styles and we want to unload them right now. You have the winter before you, three or maybe four months of the coldest weather to make use of Furs, with an opportunity to buy at prices that makes buying easy and profitable. Come and see what we are doing. Ladies and Children's up-to-date Jackets 20 per cent off. Ready-made clothing for Men and Boys. For nice nobby suitings this is the place to buy. Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children. Also a nice fresh stock of GROCERIES always on hand.

Make a point to come in every time you're in town. We'll be pleased to see you.

MISS A. JONES, Markdale.

ROCKLYN.

We are again snowed in, having missed our mail for a couple of days recently. Our telephone system, always convenient, we find especially so during these heavy winter storms. Mrs. Falls sr. and grand daughter, Miss Hazel, returned Saturday from a pleasant visit with the former's daughter, Mrs. T. Wallace, Chipewah Hill. Miss Cassie Douglas, of Vandeleur, a former teacher here, paid farewell visits to Rocklyn friends on the eve of her departure for Central America. Mr. R. P. Williams, of Meaford, spent several days with his son, Dr. Williams, this week. Messrs. Crabtree and Sewell braved the roads and weather Saturday afternoon to Meaford and very kindly brought up our letter budget.

Mr. A. N. Hartley, for the past three years proprietor of the Lorne House here, holds a sale of household effects this week and we understand will move immediately to Allenford, Bruce Co. Mr. A. Hopkins one of our own popular young men, with his estimable wife, will take possession of the house and everyone is predicting for them success in their new work.

Skating is the order of the day here now. We understand a curling club has been organized and we may shortly hear from it.

Mr. A. Secord has returned from a business trip to Toronto. He will shortly return and commence building a comfortable residence for his family a few miles from the main part of the city.

Mr. Robertson, of Penn., U.S.A., came up on Monday to attend the funeral of his sister, the late Mrs. John McKenzie, which took place on Tuesday.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventives before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventives contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Also good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25c. Vest pocket boxes 5c. Sold by W. Turner & Co.

"Are people ever punished in church, papa?" "Yes, my son; I was married there."

J.W. Ford's Prices on Flour as follows

- Ford's Patent, \$5.80
- Ontario Blend, \$5.30
- Morning Glory, \$5.00
- Pastry Flour, \$4.20
- Bran and Shorts, \$1.20.
- CAR OF WHEAT on hand.

Markdale Roller Mills

J. W. Ford, Prop.

Tenders Wanted.

Sealed tenders marked "tender" will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, February 21, 1908, for the erection and completion of a brick school house in S. S. No. 8, Artemesia, Port Law. Plans and specifications may be seen at my house, near Port Law, after February 1st. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
R. D. MEIDRUM, Sec., Port Law, p.o.

BLANTYRE.

Owing to the weather being disagreeable and the roads blocked we have had no news.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter visited friends in and around Chatsworth. We are sorry to report that Mr. Fred Knight lost a valuable cow one day last week.

Mr. E. Wheeler is busy drawing material for his new house.

Mr. Wm. Robertson and Mr. John Baxter attended a sale at Chatsworth and report that the stock went well.

Mr. Harry Reid is busy drawing logs for Mitchell Bros., Berkeley.

COURT MARKDALE I.O.F. No. 991. Meets in Ennis' Hall the third Tuesday in the month at 8 o'clock. A visit from brethren of other courts solicited. Assessment must be paid to the Financial Secretary, Frank Graham, on or before the last day of the month. T. F. Wilson, C.R. J. B. Waitt, R.S.

Farm for Sale.

Lots 74, 75 and 76, in 2nd con. West of T. & S. Road, Holland, 150 acres. Well watered, well timbered and springs. James Welsh, Markdale, or Lucas, Wright & McArdle, Markdale.

Farms for Sale.

Lot 20, con. 8, Euphrasia, 100 acres, 90 acres cleared and under good cultivation; log house, good repair; barn, 2 storey, 60x75, 75 acres cleared, good buildings, well watered. Good terms. Lucas & Co., Markdale.

For Sale.

South 1/2 lot 20, con. 12, Euphrasia, containing 100 acres, 50 acres cleared, 60 ft for fall lands of machinery, balance hardwood bush. Frame barn 40x60, with store baement; frame house with kitchen attached, well at door with windmill, waterworks, 100 ft. good bearing orchard. Three miles from Walters Falls and five from Markdale. Price \$2,700. Apply to Lucas, Wright & McArdle, Markdale.

Farm for Sale.

Lot 29, con. 14, Artemesia, 100 acres, good clay land, 20 acres cleared, 30 acres good wood, well watered by good spring and never-falling well. Good barn 60x60, log stable 18 by 10, house, two acres orchard, one mile from school. Three miles from Artemesia, 1/2 from Kimberley. Will be sold on easy terms.
W. J. Martin, Kimberley.

Farm for Sale.

15 acres, lots 16 and 17, con. 5, E. T. S. R., Holland, 100 acres cleared and all fit for any kind of machinery; soil, clay loam, (some) favorable house and kitchen, first class frame barn 52x52, with 2 1/2 floors, 9 ft. stone wall, cement floor, frame shed 40x20, waterworks in stable, 4 wells, last through farm, 5 acres fall wheat, 19 acres plowed, good small orchard and well fenced. This farm has never been rented. For price and other particulars, apply to John Rutherford, land agent, Owen Sound, or F. J. Troughton, on the premises.

Owen Sound snowfall measured 52 inches up to January 1st, plus 16 inches more up to January 12.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

As the days lengthen, strengthens.

Wanted—Green cardwood to McFarland & Co.

For Sale—Pair young call: Norman Downing.

Our stock of AW's and well assorted and large, at the lowest. Mathews & Son.

House to rent Mrs. Erick house on Main W. session at once. 108 W. W.

If your eyesight is any trouble, go to W. Ten years successful in curing.

Mathews & Son are the celebrated Newland Coats. A large stock on hand.

Wanted 2000 sound horse, four hundred pounds. The Irish Lake.

Rev. John I. P. of Dundalk will be a guest pulpit in the services next Sunday.

Hay for Sale. A good timothy hay, a ton at \$1.00. Walters Falls, R. W. T. G. Quinton.

Leave your order with W. Turner & Co. agents for the large in Canada. The quality the best.

A car corn to Roller Mill, well following prices. \$1.00 and \$1.50 underground flour and sugar. Call invited. Hugh B.

This is the time eggs mean money. Hens lay by giving Poultry Panacea. Egg producer; plenty of ground Sold by W. Turner & Co.

A man in a ship, who took preference to a heaviest more passenger was attracted to the ment of a fire. He forwarded on the He sent the days received a Testament.

At the regular Board meeting of Methodist Church, evening, the Rev. was cordially invited to remain reference year, with year and the present usage. Willingness to

At the annual Grey L. O. Tuesday last, were elected for Master—T. B. Deputy M. J. Chap. Rev. Thornbury.

Fin. Sec. R. Rec. Sec. A. Treasurer—Wm. D. of C. W. 1st Lect. J. 2nd Lect. S. 3rd Lect. R.

The ladies had meeting of the last Monday evening an excellent program Armstrong presided. The ings opened with a test. A large number of famous women tion, and the contest find out who could correct name to the larber of portraits. Miss son was the successful Short sketches of the women as Elizabeth Browning, Frances Ridgal, Frances Willard, Cl Florence Nightingale, Beecher Stowe and Jan were then presented. Ch enienced, the procedi whole affair was a splen